

WATERED WHISKY STOCK.

Inside Facts Relating to the Distillers and Cattle Feeders' Trust.

BIG PETROLEUM CORPORATION.

Lawyer Van Etten Loaded With a Charge of Embezzlement—The Conroy Suit Against the Union Pacific.

The Whisky Trust.

The potency which it was thought was exercised by what is known as the Distillers' and Cattle Feeders' trust is not generally understood and has in some instances been overrated. At present all the distillers in the country which have felt disposed to con-

A BIG CORPORATION.

Establishment of a New Corporation Having \$1,000,000 Capital. The Omaha Petroleum company is the name of a new business institution, which filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk yesterday.

VAN ETTEN IN HARD LINES.

David Van Etten is becoming unpleasantly notorious. Yesterday morning, William Butt, a grocer at 2502 North Thirtieth street, swore out a warrant for his arrest, charging him with the embezzlement of \$172.30 on the 1st of August of the present year.

BENCH AND BAR.

The United States Court. A \$25,000 DAMAGE SUIT. The argument in the case of Charles M. Conroy, jr. vs. the Union Pacific Railroad company was begun before Judge Dundy yesterday. This is a suit for \$25,000 damages, and has been in the courts for the past three years or more.

man, who ran forward and seized the boy by the head of his cap, so that the boy could not run over him. As it was young Conroy suffered a comminuted fracture of the right leg, in addition to severe injuries to the head and body. By reason of these injuries the young man is a cripple for life and he asks judgment against the railroad company in the sum above stated on account of the negligence of its employees, Thurston and Shropshire for the railroad and General Cowin for Conroy.

District Court.

Mrs. Turklo McBoyle wants the city of Omaha to pay her the modest little sum of \$5,000 for spraining her ankle at the corner of Bart and Division streets on the evening of November 21, 1887. In her petition Mrs. Turklo McBoyle states that the defendant had been notified of the unsafe condition of the sidewalk when the accident occurred.

County Court.

THE COMMISSION REPORTS. The commission appointed some time ago by Judge McCulloch to appraise the damages accruing to the Linniger & Metcalf company by the appropriation of their property by the Omaha & Republican Valley railway company, has reported that the \$15,000 they had settled upon as a sufficient recompense to the company and had been accepted by them from the railroad company.

A HORSE CASE.

The attention of Judge McCulloch was occupied yesterday in listening to the evidence in the suit of Josiah Rogers vs. George Sample. The matter refers to a horse deal, and the court room was redolent with a lively perfume during the progress of the trial.

The Police Court.

Viola McFarland, an inmate of the house at 107 North Twelfth street, had H. J. McNellis, foreman of Armour & Cudahy's packing house, arrested for stealing a diamond ring. The case was investigated, and was found to have been no theft at all. The woman had loaned him the ring and that at there was in the McNellis' possession, and the court room was redolent with a lively perfume during the progress of the trial.

Other cases disposed of.

Fritz Frey and Fred H. Schmitt, the two men arrested one hour to get out of town. John Williams and Ben Tidloston, suspicious characters, jail, break and water, ten days. Joe Seeger and Frank Morry, fighting, five days each. Garry Vandeburn and Lee Williams, concealed weapons, \$7.50 each, guns confiscated.

Notice.

Clergymen desiring half fare permits on the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Ry. for the year 1888 will please make application for same at once at the Rock Island ticket office, 1305 Farnam st.

THE LAST CABLE.

The Grip Car Will Be Used to Test the Tramway. Yesterday the second cable of the Cable Tramway company arrived, and by Saturday, together with the cable which reached here Tuesday, will be unloaded near Paxton & Gallagher's on Tenth street and run into the city.

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