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MINOR MENTION.

Rockert sells carpets. Fine engravings at Lett's. Ed Rogers' Tony Faust beer. See Schmidt's elegant new photos. Plumbing and heating. Hixy & Son.

SALOON CASES POSTPONED

Attorney Representing Them Asks Twenty Days to File an Answer.

ATTORNEY BROWN ACQUIESCES IN MOVE

No Date Set as Yet for Hearing on Brown's Right to Appear as a Practicing Attorney in Iowa Court.

J. Brown, the saloon crusader from Kansas, appeared yesterday morning in district court shortly after Judge Wheeler had convened the March term and impounded the grand jury.

Approaching the judge Mr. Brown said, "I am the plaintiff in all of the saloon injunction suits and appear in all of them."

"We would like to have twenty days in which to plead," interjected Attorney J. J. Stewart, who appears in some of the saloon cases, directing his remarks to the stranger from Kansas.

"If it is agreeable to the court," promptly responded Mr. Brown, and accordingly the court ruled that this time be given in which to plead in all the saloon injunction suits where appearances have been entered.

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"And if I am not here?" inquired Mr. Brown. "We will not take any advantage of your absence," remarked Mr. Hese, and this brought to a close Mr. Brown's first appearance in the district court of Pottawattamie county in the dual role of plaintiff and attorney for plaintiff.

The hearing on the motion for a continuance of the trial of the Harrison-Pottawattamie joint drainage ditch case was postponed until today.

Burning brushwood at the top of Oakland avenue last evening shortly after 7 o'clock, made a big blaze and gave the fire department a busy time.

William J. Russell of this city died Monday at Soldier's home in Leavenworth, Kan. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Frank Schramm, and four sons, Samuel K. John H., George H. and Wesley Russell.

H. V. Batty, clerk of the district court, received notification yesterday from the Hon. J. W. of the Ford Madison penitentiary that Frank Morgan, who was committed for one year to the penitentiary for robbery, had completed his sentence and had been discharged.

Dr. J. H. H. has just completed the building of a fine office on the corner of his property on seventh street between Broadway and First avenues, will entertain the members of the Council Bluffs Medical society Tuesday evening.

The receipts for the fund of the Christian Home last week were \$234.65, being \$34.65 above the needs of the week and decreasing the deficiency in this fund to \$233.35 to date.

Rev. Henry De Long presided at the marriage ceremony yesterday in his office in the county court house for Ward Chaney of Oakland, Ind., and Miss Keran of Thurman, Ia., and Al. F. Marti of San Francisco, Cal., and Ella Hitchcock of Lincoln, Neb. The two brides were married at the same time and acted as witnesses for one another. Mr. Marti is a newspaper man, employed on one of the large San Francisco dailies.

John W. Morse, a resident of Council Bluffs for forty years, died yesterday at his home, 30 South Seventeenth street, aged 70 years. He had been in failing health for the last few weeks.

These officers were elected for one year: President—Mother M. Vincent. Vice-presidents from St. Francis Xavier's Parish—Mrs. P. Guion and Mrs. N. O'Brien.

The following committee, to serve for six months, was appointed: Sick Committee—Mother M. Magdalen, Mrs. William Vitank, Mrs. P. M. Egan, Mrs. Thomas Maloney, Mrs. G. T. McCallister, Mrs. J. Schoup, Mrs. Charles Stephens, Mrs. J. J. Schoup, Mrs. Fred Tracy, Mrs. Henry Gerber, Mrs. Fred Klumster, Mrs. John Kelley, Mrs. Fred Gleise, Mrs. Peter Weis, Miss Mary Paschel, Miss Mary Mithen, Miss Kate Morris, Miss Helen Spink, Miss Nellie Wickham and Miss Katie Tholl.

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IF YOU WANT GOOD BEE JARVIS.

Teachers Help Y. M. C. A. The Young Men's Christian association building fund was given a generous boost yesterday by the teachers of the public schools of the city, who contributed \$968, and it is expected that their donations when all in all will aggregate \$1,000. The matter of a joint donation from the teachers had been talked among them for some time, and it culminated at a meeting held Monday evening in the auditorium of the high school.

Old Green Packing House Sold. Announcement was made yesterday that Charles A. Beno and Dr. S. T. Miller, the veterinary surgeon, has consummated a deal for the purchase of the old Green packing house property northeast of the city. The plant, with sixty-six acres of land, was purchased from the Green estate, who neither Mr. Beno nor Dr. Miller were prepared to state for what purpose they had purchased the property, but declared there was no intention on their part to reopen a packing house.

Property, despite the fact that it has been in disuse for several years, is in excellent condition. The building shows but little of the wear of time and weather and the machinery and interior equipment are in an excellent state of preservation.

Dr. Miller ventured the statement that considerable improvements were contemplated on the property, but as to their exact purpose he was not prepared to state at this time.

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SENATE PASSES PRIMARY

Only Two Votes Against the Measure on Final Passage.

NUMEROUS AMENDMENTS VOTED DOWN

Fight is Coming Up Over the Creation of an Insurance Department Independent of the State Auditor.

In order to convince you that I do first-class work and can be of benefit to you and your pocketbook when you have anything in the jewelry line that needs repairing, you must call on me. My business is constantly on the increase and my customers are all satisfied with my work. O. Maubach, 23 W. W. Way.

JARVIS' ROCK AND RYE CURSES COLDS.

GUN ACCIDENTALLY DISCHARGED

Walter Helmers Gets Bullet in Breast and is in Serious Condition.

Walter Helmers, a young man living with his widowed mother, Mrs. P. W. Helmers, at 34 Lincoln avenue, was seriously wounded yesterday noon at his home by the accidental discharge of a revolver which he was cleaning.

The bullet, a .28 special, entered the breast just above the nipple, and, ranging upward, shattered the collar bone and struck the spine of the Edmundson Memorial hospital, where he was attended by Dr. Macrae, Jr., who extracted the bullet and several pieces of the shattered bone. His condition last evening was reported to be extremely serious.

Young Helmers is 25 years of age, and has been engaged in civil engineering in the west. He returned home about a week ago on a visit and had arranged to leave again for the west last night. He was cleaning his revolver in preparation for his western trip when the accident happened.

The Cement Season at Hand. If you intend doing any cement work do not fall to call on George A. Honglad for cement, sand, crushed rock, etc.

Have just unloaded 1,000 barrels of Portland cement and can make you very attractive prices.

JARVIS IS PURE FOOD HEADQUARTERS.

Youthful Pair in Trouble. Pay Smith, a girl 15 years of age, and Charles Sutherland, a youth 17 years of age, were taken into custody yesterday morning by the police on complaint of the girl's mother, Mrs. Eva Smith, living at 21 South Fifteenth street, Monday evening Mrs. Smith learned that her daughter and young Sutherland had planned to elope to Missouri Valley, and she asked the assistance of the police to head them off.

The young couple, however, did not go to Missouri Valley, but were located early yesterday morning at Sutherland's home on Avenue E, near Ninth street, by Detective Weir. They had spent the night in the home alone, Sutherland's parents being away from home.

On an information filed in the juvenile division of the district court by her mother the girl was taken before Judge Wheeler, who committed her to the reform school at Mitchellville. Young Sutherland is still behind the bars at the city jail, charged with enticing the girl away from her home.

Mrs. Smith over the telephone from the sheriff's office requested permission to have her daughter stop over night at home, promising to bring her back to the county jail the next morning. When this request was denied Mrs. Smith became very much excited and told Judge Wheeler that she "would do for Sutherland the first time she met him, even if she had to go to the penitentiary for life for it."

James O'Neal was made foreman of the grand jury, with Miss E. M. Colburn as clerk and David Mott as bailiff.

Judge Wheeler, Judge Wheeler of the large number of law cases docketed for this term, ordered that the petit jury be notified to appear April 1 instead of April 8, as first arranged.

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BOTH 'PHONES, 136 CALLS JARVIS.

Clark Clark in a Marshal. Frank B. Clark of Ottumwa, Ia., newly appointed United States marshal for the southern district of Iowa, was sworn in yesterday on the opening of court, the oath being administered by Judge Smith McPherson. Mr. Clark, after his induction into office, announced that he would appoint C. M. Hinsdale of Newton chief deputy marshal. Mr. Hinsdale is from the Sixth congressional district, in which Mr. Clark resides, and was himself a candidate for the office of marshal. Mr. Hinsdale, having been a traveling man for thirty years, and active in republican politics, is well known over the state.

Deputies are to be named for Council Bluffs, Des Moines, Keokuk, Creston and Davenport, but these appointments will be made later by Marshal Clark.

George M. Christian, the retiring marshal, who held the office for nine years, returned to Des Moines Monday evening. He will from now on devote his entire time to his hotel and interests. He owns the Elliott in Des Moines and the Keokuk in Keokuk.

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Independent Telephone Meeting. SIOUX CITY, Ia., March 19.—The eleventh annual convention of the Iowa Independent Telephone association opened in Sioux City this afternoon. About 200 telephone men are here. The meeting will close Thursday evening with a banquet. Des Moines and Cedar Rapids are engaged in a hot fight for the 1908 meeting.

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Fine and Jail for Druggists. VERMILION, S. D., March 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Ben Waterman, owner of Waterman's drug store, and Ole Anderson, pharmacist in Vermilion, S. D., are sentenced to forty days in jail and to pay a fine of \$50 by Judge Copeland for alleged selling of liquor contrary to law. Both will appeal to the circuit court.

SENSATION IN HERMANN CASE

Dr. Loomis Identifies Letters Relating to Alleged Falsification of Accounts.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Dr. Clark E. Loomis, who is under indictment in Oregon for the alleged falsification of accounts, today destroyed his letter books, for which he is being tried.

Dr. Loomis said he had been a special agent for the land office in Oregon during the administration of President Harrison and was reinstated soon after President McKinley's death, having been appointed during the Cleveland administration. He was dismissed shortly after Mr. Hermann returned from the land office. He identified about twenty-five letters which constituted a correspondence between himself and Mr. Hermann as commissioner. Nearly all of the letters were of the nature of personal and confidential and learned for the first time today that they had been placed in the files of the land office. The original answers from Mr. Hermann were secured by the government from the papers of Dr. Loomis. A series of the letters related to alleged falsification of accounts by Dr. Loomis and in one letter he begged to be allowed to resign.

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Who Said Dinner?

Uh! xx! 7-?!! x!!

!!!x-!- Cranky and !!!x-!- Because !!!x-!- I Don't Digest x!!!

There are many people who can see nothing good in a doughnut except the hole. For them there is nothing in this world but calamity. Their greatest trouble is to have to eat three times a day. The stomach is in rebellion, and this is immediately shown in a man's face. A man to be successful must have sunshine inside. The world already has too many dyspepsia faces that breathe disaster and gloom.

Stomach trouble is the most common cause of discontent, anger, carelessness, disgust and lack of ambition. A bad stomach—there is the secret of many a