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ASKS TO HAVE CLEAN NAME

Mrs. Swearingen Makes Appeal to Governor of Iowa.

NO INTENT TO COMMIT CRIME

Shooting Took Place at Sidney and Grew Out of Disagreement Over Land Deal During Street Talk.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES, Oct. 15.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. C. M. Swearingen, a Woman's Christian Temperance union worker, convicted of shooting a man at Sidney, Ia., in 1908, today made a pathetic appeal to Governor Clark to clear her name of any crime.

SCORES TRAPPED IN A COMPARTMENT OF BURNING STEAMER DIE

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I found that boat No. 5 had already been whipped by the gale against the davits and that its bow had been smashed. I don't know why, but I lowered the empty boat. It got away clear of the ship. It was a pity that it was broken.

Physician Tells How To Grow Hair

A Well Known Physician and Newspaper Correspondent Tells How to Promote the Growth of the Hair.

A well known physician who has made a careful study of the hair recently made the following statement: "It is comparatively easy to stop the hair from falling out, promote its growth and banish dandruff by the following simple recipe, which can be made at home: To 7 oz. of water add a small box of Barbo Compound, 1 oz. of bay rum and 1/2 oz. of glycerine.

At 2:30 in the afternoon a fierce fire broke out in No. 3 compartment. We tried to chop through the iron deck to get at it, but could not. Finally, the hatchway fell in and then we poked hoses and steam pipes through them and poured water on the fire. Captain Inch was desperate. He turned to me and said: "I don't think its going to last long now."

Fire Spreads Rapidly. At 2:30 in the afternoon a fierce fire broke out in No. 3 compartment. We tried to chop through the iron deck to get at it, but could not. Finally, the hatchway fell in and then we poked hoses and steam pipes through them and poured water on the fire.

All Rockets Are Exploded. There was no steam to keep the pumps going and the flames rose higher. It grew darker and hotter. At 9 o'clock that night flames were shooting out of the saloon and lighting the dark water.

MRS. MACKAY FILES ANSWER

Suffrage Leader Denies Alienating Affections of Dr. Blake.

COUPLE LONG BEEN SEPARATED

Reply Says Surgeon and Wife Separated Nine Years Ago and She Never Met Him Until Four Years Later.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay, suffrage leader and wife of the head of the Postal Telegraph Cable company, broke her silence today regarding the \$1,000,000 suit filed against her by Catherine K. Blake for alleged alienation of the affections of her husband, Dr. Joseph A. Blake, surgeon.

preceding paragraph the plaintiff is, and at all times mentioned in the complaint has been estranged from her said husband and has utterly destroyed whatever affection or love he may have held for her.

Mrs. Mackay alleges further that Dr. Blake has not lived with the plaintiff as his wife since the year 1904, "long prior to the time when he first knew or had any acquaintance with the defendant, but on the contrary he has avoided plaintiff as much as possible and by mutual consent the said plaintiff and her husband have at all times since the year 1904 lived separately and apart and since the autumn of the year 1910 have maintained separate and distinct establishments."

Met Dr. Blake Four Years Ago. Mrs. Mackay says she did not meet Dr. Blake until 1909, long after the breach had come between him and his wife, and she prays, therefore, that the suit against her be dismissed.

an active interest in Gage county politics. For a number of years before going to Missouri he operated a flouring mill at Monka, Ill. He served during the civil war with a company from Missouri. He is survived by a widow and seven children, all grown.

Confesses Killing Four Children

WACO, Tex., Oct. 15.—Mrs. Ellen Etheridge, second wife of J. D. Etheridge, a farmer of Boeque county, confessed today she murdered two of her step children last June and two October 2, by administering poison, according to a statement given out by K. H. Billard, prosecuting attorney of Boeque county, today. Jealousy because her husband showered all his affections upon his eight children by his first wife was assigned by the woman as the reason for her act.

MAY NOT QUESTION RATES

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The position of the plaintiff that the unreasonably high charges made by the Water board result in confiscation of the property of citizens without due process of law.

The hearing on demurrer is only preliminary and if the judge overrules the board the case will take its place on the docket to be heard as soon as the Water board can be brought to trial.

Attorney Stanley Rosewater, who replied in the afternoon, contended that the editor of The Bee, as a taxpayer and patron of the water works, was entitled to have the reasonableness of the rates passed upon by the courts.

Case Under Adversement. Judge English took the case under adversement. A large number of former judicial decisions were cited by counsel on both sides, and the judge said several days would elapse before his ruling would be made.

Subject to Taxation Rates. PIERRE, S. D., Oct. 15.—(Special Telegram.)—The Meade county commissioners have begun a test suit as to the powers of the state tax commission, having secured a restraining order from Judge Rice, with hearing at Sturgis October 26, in which they seek to restrain the tax commission from compelling the county auditor of Meade county from spreading on the records the increase in valuation of horses and mules in that county.

Smallest Woman in Iowa is Dead. ALBION, Ia., Oct. 15.—Miss Ruthy Howe, who is dead here at the age of 85 years, was reputed to have been the smallest perfectly formed woman in Iowa. She was thirty-seven inches tall and weighed sixty pounds.

DEATH RECORD Henry C. Stoll. BEATRICE, Neb., Oct. 15.—(Special.)—Henry C. Stoll, a pioneer resident of Gage county, died at his home in this city Tuesday morning, aged 83 years. He was born in Nassau, Germany, February 25, 1830, and came to Gage county in the fall of 1878 from Missouri. For years he was engaged in raising fine hogs at the Blue Valley stock farm, southwest of the city. He served on the board of supervisors one term and some years ago took

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