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### JUDGE SEARS HOLDS AGAINST BELANGEE until a

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for Cadet Taylor in the latter's libel suit to Dodge, and on the way I told Gard the against The Bee, be summoned into court shop stood me \$650, but that I would sell count for their relations with Wesley it for \$608. Gard said he couldn't raise Gard, juror, was an unexpected sensa- the money, I said I would sell it on tion in the contempt hearing before Judge terms. The matter was left open. took the stand in the morning session and to Gard's house about 7 o'clock so as to H. C. Brome and Judge Shields were catch him before he went away and told him he could have the place if he could

It developed from Clinton Brome's tes- pay 100 or 1100 down and the rest on imony that he had twice defended Gard terms, and that I owed \$200 on it. Me n suits in justice court within the last said he couldn't raise that much me few months. The story of the second and I left. There was nothing said about case came as a surprise. Young Mr. a jury." Brome admitted that this was an action brought by other persons to put Gard 10, when the Gard family asserts he went The to their home between 6 and 7 o'clock in ington. first case is on the court docket, having the morning, he was hunting at Kelly's Clinton Brome admitted that he had driver, and did not return until 9 or 10

snown flard before the Taylor suit be o'clock that morning. Gard was his client and that neither of them had brought out the fact during the examination of jurors. He said that if they "hadn't been convinced the other side didn't know about it they might have disclosed the fact."

Brome denied that there had been any talk between him and his father or Attorney Shields about inducing Gard to Gard was his olient and that neither of

torney Shields about inducing Gard to bring in a verdict for Taylor.

Gard Promises a Verdict. Charles Belangee, the defendant in the contempt hearing, went through a detailed examination and cross examination and Prosecutor Magney was unable to shake his testimony. He testified that Gard, whom he had known six or seven years, told him that he was afraid he was "I am afraid I'm in a fix," Gard said,

according to the testimony. "I said in court I didn't know Brome & Brome, but Chaton Brome has tried a case for me. What would you do?" "Has the case gone to the jury," Belan-

Then go down early and tell the judge inst you didn't understand." "But I have promised the Bromes to

bring in a verdict for Taylor or hang the "Then I would keep my mouth shut," was lielangee's final advice to Gard.

Wanted to Sell Shop. Belangee's first testimony accounted for his two visits to Gard's home, which is a few blocks south of Belangee's shop. on the way to the Dodge car line. "Gard twice previously had talked of buying the shop," Belangee said, "saying

the first time that the rocking of a street car affected his stomach, and that he would like to have a shop like mine, 'l'il eril you this one, I said.
"The morning of October 25, about 10 o'clock, I went over to the street car barn and asked for Gard. I was told

jury and that I would find him at home er at the court house. I went back to the shop and then on the way to the car stopped at Gard's house and asked for His wife said he was at the court

"I name down town and to the court house, and in the second court room into which I came Gard was sitting in the inverse box. I nedded to him. When the share and shamped with Cutiours the jurces' box. I nedded to him. When

went down on the street to wait for burly ruffians, and Staylate doesn't dare Gard. Across the street I saw Barnett and called to him. I told him to wait until a man from the court house I

wanted to see. Gard came across the Secretary Daniels



We walked north on Seventeenth street

"The morning of November 3 1 went

Belangee testified that on November

An Unpleasant Encounter.

Many others styles to se-

## Ad Club to Stage a Scream for Its

Friends on Tuesday

The Ad club's next scream is announced for next Tuesday evening at the Rome. With Omaha Visit when an "International" dinner will be served and the attractions are billed as Omaha men who met Secretary of the Navy Daniels when he was in Omaha a sia, musicians from Persia. Swedish "chefs from France, dancers from Ruslittle over a week ago, have been in-nightingales from Minneapolis, spellited to call on the secretary at Washing- binders from Mexico and actors from icn whenever they happen to go to that Necessity."

place. Secretary Daniels wrote back to The gastronomical performance is Omaha as soon as he reached Washing-scheduled to begin at 6:30 o'clock, after ten, expressing appreciation of the hos- which the "tired business man" will be petality he had enjoyed while here and given soothing rest in the form of the inviting any of his acquaintances made very latest cabaret features. A flaming circular mailed to members of the club requests them to "stand off the gasoline

bill if you lack money, break the news in St. John's church, Twenty-fifth and to your wife by phone if you lack courage, but be there with lard in your hair." Casilly, a member of the faculty of ATTRACTING NOTICE TO

board advertising service is the latest feature in the "ad" game in Omaha. To beautify the ground in front of biliboards at Twentieth and Farnam streets and attract more attention to the signs displayed there, a miniature park, with small trees and shrubbery is being laid out by the Thomas Cusack company.

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