

Gas Leak Starts \$24,000 Blaze

Hill Steinbach Building in Fremont Practically Destroyed by Fire.

Fremont, Neb., April 22.—(Special Telegram.)—Fire starting from a gas leak in a coffee urn is believed to have been the cause of a blaze that practically destroyed the Hill Steinbach building early this morning, gutting two business places and causing damage estimated at \$24,000. The loss is partly covered by \$18,100 insurance.

The Finch cafeteria on the ground floor was completely destroyed. Chris Matteson, employed to fire up the stoves in the restaurant, left the lunch room but a few moments before the alarm was turned in. He left the coffee urn before departing and it is believed that the escaping gas in the room was ignited in this manner.

The offices and workshop of the Fremont Sign Service company on the second floor is practically a total loss. A new stock of material had just arrived a few days ago and was destroyed. A clock in the cafeteria stopped at 4:47, which is supposed to be the time of the explosion which shattered all the windows in front of the building. This

Chadron Lawyer Seeks Again to Practice Law

Lincoln, April 22.—(Special.)—Allen G. Fisher, Chadron (Neb.) attorney, who was disbarred by the Nebraska supreme court January 30, 1920, has filed an application with the court for a cancellation and satisfaction of the judgment. He says that he has scrupulously obeyed the order of the court, and has been sufficiently punished.

Since July 20, 1886, he has been practicing law at Chadron and he is now 57 years of age, with a family, no capital and no training for any other profession. He asks the court to modify the decree, which struck his name from the roll of counselors at law in Nebraska. The disbarment order was indefinite as to time. The application was filed by Judge Ben Baker of Omaha.

The state senate yesterday allowed Newton Rule, chief complaining witness against Fisher, \$1,300 for losses growing out of the alleged malicious prosecution by the attorney, which was included as a part of the specifications against Captain Fisher.

Presbyterian Convention
Central City, Neb., April 22.—(Special.)—About 70 women delegates attended the Kearney Presbyterian convention in session here this week.

Group 2 Bankers Meet in Fremont

Financial Institutions in Good Condition, Says President Stephens.

Fremont, Neb., April 22.—(Special Telegram.)—Nebraska bankers of group two, about 300, gathered in Fremont today for their 23d annual convention. The attendance is the largest in years. For the first time the bankers brought their wives to the convention along with the men and women employees in the banks.

Vice President D. V. Blotter, Albion, due to the resignation of President Maley last year, presided at the opening session.

Dan V. Stephens, president of the Fremont State bank, delivered the address of welcome. In commenting on the present situation, Mr. Stephens said: "Most of us consider these to be hard times but they are really substantial with the financial institutions of the country protected by the federal reserve. If it had not been for the restriction forced upon the banks by the board they would have toppled over under their own weight by their incapacity to take care of themselves. But now some of the restrictions should be removed."

A banquet and ball was held at Hotel Pathfinder.

Supreme Court Calls District Judges to Help Clean Up Docket

Lincoln, April 22.—(Special.)—Availing itself for the first time of the constitutional amendment permitting calling in of district judges to sit on the supreme bench in order to facilitate the work and progress of the court, the Nebraska supreme court announced today it has arranged to sit continuously from May 9 to June 13, in two divisions, hearing arguments alternate weeks.

Two district judges have been called upon each week, as follows: May 9—W. E. Stewart and Fred Shepherd, Lincoln.

May 16—W. A. Redick, Omaha, and W. V. Allen, Madison.

May 23—J. B. Raper, Tecumseh, and E. E. Good, Wahoo.

May 30—A. S. Troup, Omaha, and R. R. Dickson, Blair.

June 6—E. J. Clements and W. M. Morning, Lincoln.

Dr. James S. Wilson of Omaha Speaks at Nebraska City
Nebraska City, Neb., April 22.—(Special.)—Dr. James S. Wilson of Omaha was the principal speaker at the Presbyterian church here before an audience of young men, members of the Westminster Brotherhood. He talked on the "Dedication of Life for Christian Duty." A banquet was served by the women of the church.

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Main Floor—Men's Store

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