

NEW SUITS IN DISTRICT COURT

A Number of Minor Litigations Begun Today Which Will be Tried During the May Term.

FOR DEFECTIVE WORK

Kellogg-Birge Company Asked Damages Against Cement Company and Local Agent—Other Suits.

A number of small suits were filed in the district court today and will be heard during the May term.

Kellogg-Birge Company brings suit for damages in the sum of \$425 from the Acme Cement Plaster Co., James McNamara and Sons, Cornelius A. McNamara and John McNamara, for alleged inferior work done in plastering the office of the wholesale house during the construction in 1907.

The petition sets out that the plastering has cracked, blistered, become loose and has fallen off.

Judgment of \$58.50 and interest is asked on a promissory note by Sherman Horner of Fred C. Hummer and J. A. Hummer in a suit filed today.

The Atlantic Stamping Company has sued Jacob Renwald for \$59.35 on account.

Suit for possession of a small strip of land in the northwest quarter of section 2, township 65, range 5 west, Lee county, has been begun by Jacob Leiser, Wm. Leiser, John Leiser, Lee Leiser and Catherine Leiser against John A. Sundeen and Mary A. Sundeen. The petition says that the defendants unlawfully removed a fence that stood on the north line, in twelve feet and for a distance of 178 feet, thus keeping plaintiff out of possession.

In addition for judgment for immediate possession and a restraining order, \$100 damages is asked.

Judgment of \$300 on a promissory note is asked by J. P. Dickson of L. C. Pardall and Josie Pardall.

Beverly B. Hobbs has brought suit against William Priny and Thomas Priny to recover on a promissory note of \$158.29 assigned to the plaintiff by the Keokuk National bank.

Mary Egan has sued Charles C. McQuade and Anna McQuade for \$103 rent alleged to be due.

REVERE, MO.

Mr. and Mrs. Minor Sloan of Oklahoma visited a few days this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McCabe.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Renner entertained relatives from near Bonaparte, Iowa, and Winchester, Mo., last Sunday.

Forest McWhorter spent Sunday with home folks.

John and Albert Renners' father spent several days here last week.

Mrs. Lyde Druse, near town, has been quite sick.

Mr. Simons, traveling salesman, was in town this week.

G. W. Epperaart was away this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Shepherd were business callers in Kahoka Monday.

Mrs. F. E. Giller and two boys left Monday for a visit with her mother.

Cascarets' Splendid For Elderly Folks

The Rule for old People is—One Cascaret daily. The bowels, like other muscles, grow less active with age—They Need Help.

Most old people must give to the bowels some regular help, else they suffer from constipation. The condition is perfectly natural. It is just as natural as it is for old people to walk slowly. For age is never as active as youth. The bowels are less elastic. And the muscles are less active.

So all old people need Cascarets. And most of them need them daily. One might as well refuse to aid weak eyes with glasses as to neglect this gentle aid to weak bowels. The bowels must be kept active. This is important at all ages, but never so much as at sixty.

Age is not a time for harsh physics. Youth may occasionally whip the bowels into activity. But a lash can't be used every day. What the bowels of the old need is a gentle and natural tonic. One that can be constantly used without harm. And there is no matter of choice here. The only such tonic is Cascarets and they cost only 10c a box.

Mr. Giller accompanied them as far as Fort Madison.

AMUSEMENTS.

At Dodge's.

A beautiful heart story, was the Kaleid subject, "When the Dead Return," shown at Dodge's last night, and the Kaleid players are to be congratulated on their emotional work in this one particular drama, which touches the heart.

The scenes are of the north woods, and the lumbermen at their work makes it one of the most interesting dramas of this one particular drama, which touches the heart.

Soldiers Three, a Vitagraph comedy amused every one, for it is good clean comedy away from the old rough slapstick variety. Coming Friday, is a Biograph drama of exceptional merit, in the Days of '49, an episode in the times of the gold fever.

During that exciting period men were wont to rush from place to place in their mad search for gold, and Bill Weston was one of these, who, after locating with his wife in one settlement, goes off to another where the chances seem better, intending to send for her if he strikes luck.

He hits it fairly well and so sends a letter telling his wife to take the first coach out, which she does. On the way she meets Handsome Jack the gambler, who, riding on the same coach, deeply impresses her with his attentions. When she meets her husband, who is but a plain, honest fellow, she compares the two, and Jack finds it easy to induce her to meet him later and go away. Bill feels his wife's coldness toward him and is grief stricken, telling the boys of the camp that his wife does not love him. Jack sees his plight and realizes what a great wrong he is working so he goes away leaving a note advising the wife, "Don't be a fool. Appreciate a good man's love while you have it. Go back to your husband who loves you with a better love." The wife at this is also awakened.

A Selig romance of the California oil wells, entitled Lost and Won, completes another "korking" bill for Friday night, and one that will set them talking.

Some of the interesting points in Lost and Won are the following:

The big Lake View Oil Gusher at Maricopa, California, the location of this picture, was struck March 12th, 1910. It tore away derricks and shot 350 feet in the air. The original well

was 12 inches in diameter and at the time the picture was made the crater measured 40 feet in width and 2,250 feet deep. It flows from 50,000 to 75,000 barrels per day. All buildings near it had to be abandoned on account of oil spray from gusher which at times covered a radius of 3 miles, giving everything a thick coat of oil.

Recital This Evening.

Tonight at 8:15 o'clock Mrs. Albert G. Hilburg will give a piano recital in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium which has excited much interest and promises to be well attended.

Keokuk people are interested in this young pianist for many reasons, besides her pre-eminent qualities as a musician.

The development of the water power has done much and will do more for Keokuk in a commercial way. The eyes of the people have been so focused on this one phase of development, that there has been no realization of the progress that will as surely follow in things less material.

The recital to be given tonight is the first evidence of artistic growth which marks the new Keokuk.

Mr. Albert G. Hilburg came here as chief draughtsman with the Water Power Company, and a few months later was married in Chicago to Miss Hultgren of Gothenburg, Sweden, who made the long trip from Sweden to Chicago alone.

She is a charming young woman of undoubted musical ability who has achieved distinction in her own country.

Mr. Risberg, who will assist Mrs. Hilburg tonight, also came here with the Water Power Co., so that Keokuk must acknowledge herself indebted to the development of this great enterprise for benefits other than those merely financial. Mrs. Hilburg plays a most interesting program, comprised of such numbers as Chopin's Dreamy Nocturne, No. 3, the Brilliant Valse No. 5, Liszt's Paraphrase of Rigoluto, the Romance of Sibylla, a group of compositions by Swedish composers which will be most interesting.

Mr. Risberg will sing four songs. Mrs. Arvilla Erdman Cooper accompanying him.

All who attend are promised an evening of interest and enjoyment. It is expected that there will be a large audience of representative people to greet these two musicians.

W. H. Coulter's Famous Circus.

The Coulter circus this season will include the following performers, that Mr. Coulter has engaged at the largest salaries ever paid by a tented enterprise:

Dan Leon, equestrian director, with his herd of performing elephants and four horse carrying act; Roy Thompson with his troupe of trained ponies and canines; the O'Brien troupe of acrobats; and the Royal Japanese troupe of jugglers and gymnasts; Frank Strode, equilibrist and hand balancer; Miss Jessie Leon, on the high wire; Grace Thomas, principal lady equestrian; Marguerite Coulter and her wonderful high school pony; Mamie Scott, slack wire; the Misses Scott on the rolling globe; Mrs. Rounds, high school act; Jerry Alton, upside down trapeze; Dan Leon and Marguerite Coulter, two horse carrying act; Paul James with his funny mule hurdle; Ed Rounds, producing clown; Herman Joseph, Hebrew clown; C. E. Payne, the boxing clown; and so many acts that the only way to appreciate them is to see them.

The Coulter Circus will exhibit at Keokuk on next Thursday.

Grand free street parade on the principal streets at 10 o'clock a. m.

ACKNOWLEDGE IT. Keokuk Has to Bow to the Inevitable—Scores of Citizens Prove It.

After reading the public statement of this representative citizen of Keokuk, given below, you must come to this conclusion: A remedy which cured years ago, which has kept the kidneys in good health since, can be relied on to perform the same work in other cases. Read this:

Martin Kelleher, 415 N. Twelfth street, Keokuk, Iowa, says: "Six years ago I caught a heavy cold and soon after I began to suffer from pains in my limbs and back. My kidneys became weak and I had to get up several times at night to pass the secretions from these organs. For four or five years I continued to suffer in that way and despite all my efforts, I failed to get relief. One day a friend insisted that I try Doan's Kidney Pills and I accordingly got a supply at Wilkinson & Co.'s Drug Store. This remedy restored my kidneys to a normal condition and removed the backache." (Statement given August 13, 1906.)

Re-endorsement.

On May 4, 1910, Mr. Kelleher was interviewed and he said: "I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills just as highly today as I did some years ago. I have had no serious recurrence of kidney complaint."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

COMMENCEMENT PLANS AT CARTHAGE COLLEGE

Interesting Program Issued, the Opening Events Taking Place Sunday.

CARTHAGE, Ill., May 11.—The thirty-seventh annual commencement of Carthage college will take place next week beginning Sunday. The program of the various events is as follows:

Sunday, May 21—11:00 a. m., address by Rev. William H. Nicholas, 8:00 p. m., baccalaureate sermon.

Monday, May 22—3:00 p. m., Recital by students of expression. 8:00 p. m., address by Hon. O. F. Berry; academy commencement.

Tuesday, May 23—3:00 p. m., Recital by students of school of music; 8:00 p. m., Recital by William Griffith Hill, graduate in piano.

Wednesday, May 24—10:00 a. m., Annual Alumni meeting; 2:30 p. m., field day; 8:00 p. m., Alumni banquet.

Thursday, May 25—10:00 a. m., College commencement; address by Dr. Harlan K. Fenner.

Stone Changes His Mind.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Senator Stone today announced, following a talk with Taft, that he believed intervention unnecessary now that Juarez had fallen.

Drew in Contempt.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 11.—Prosecutor Baker today stated that he was as yet undecided as to what actions would be taken in the contempt proceedings against Walter Drew who appeared before the grand jury here but refused to testify.

FOOD IN SERMONS

Feed the Dominie Right and the Sermons Are Brilliant.

A conscientious, hard-working and successful clergyman writes: "I am glad to bear testimony to the pleasure and increased measure of efficiency and health that have come to me from adopting Grape-Nuts food as one of my articles of diet."

"For several years I was much distressed during the early part of each day by indigestion. My breakfast seemed to turn sour and failed to digest. After dinner the headache and other symptoms following the breakfast would wear away, only to return, however, next morning.

"Having heard of Grape-Nuts food, I finally concluded to give it a trial. I made my breakfasts of Grape-Nuts with cream, toast and Postum. The result was surprising in improved health and total absence of the distress that had, for so long a time, followed the morning meal.

"My digestion became once more satisfactory, the headaches ceased, and the old feeling of energy returned. Since that time I have always had Grape-Nuts food on my breakfast table.

"I was delighted to find also, that whereas before I began to use Grape-Nuts food I was quite nervous and became easily wearied in the work of preparing sermons and in study, a marked improvement in this respect resulted from the change in my diet.

"I am convinced that Grape-Nuts food produced this result and helped me to a sturdy condition of mental and physical strength.

"I have known of several persons who were formerly troubled as I was, and who have been helped as I have been, by the use of Grape-Nuts food, on my recommendation." Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich.

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pgs. "There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

KID CARTER UP TO OLD TRICKS

Flashed Knife on Bartender Last Night While in Saloon on Main Street and Was Arrested.

BIG STEEL IN SHOE

Negro Had Been Drinking and Tart Talk With Fountain Man Started a Rumpus at Supper Time.

"Kid" Carter, the mulatto porter who has been "in bad" with the police for several years, was up to his old tricks again yesterday, coming near taking a slice out of a bartender in the Diamond saloon at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening. The yellow ethiopian had been drinking freely, it is said, and was carrying a big steel knife wrapped up and stuck in his shoe. An altercation with the bartender in the third parlor at the time brought the weapon to view and the police. Officers Tighe and Freeman arrived in time to prevent a catastrophe and placed the violent "Kid" behind the bars of the city jail.

This morning the defendant who would have knifed his intended victim, was sentenced to thirty days in jail. He has been working as porter at the Diamond saloon.



Furniture Folk at Cedar Glen. Some of the employees of the Duncan-Schell Furniture Co., had a picnic across the river at Cedar Glen last evening, lunch hampers being taken along and an enjoyable time spent.

Mrs. Becks, Hostess.

Mrs. Oscar E. Becks entertained a company at fifteen tables of six hand euchre this afternoon, at half after two o'clock in the dining room of the Hotel Keokuk. Appropriate decorations were in use for the affair.

Saltlilo Wreck Year Ago To-Day.

ST. LOUIS, May 11.—Today is the anniversary of the wreck of the steamer City of Saltlilo of the St. Louis and Tennessee River Packet company at Glen Park, Mo. The Saltlilo struck on a rock at Glen Park at 9:45 o'clock the night of May 11, 1910, sinking with the loss of twelve lives. Three bodies were never recovered. The boat took fire while being dynamited to recover the missing bodies about a week later and burned to the water's edge. This was the most disastrous steamboat wreck on the Mississippi in recent years.

Committee Appointed.

DES MOINES, May 11.—Governor Carroll has appointed a committee of five men to go to San Francisco, inspect the plans for the Panama exposition in 1915, and make recommendation as to whether Iowa should have an official state exhibit there. George A. Wilson of Des Moines is a member of the committee. The others are State Senator Henry L. Adams, of West Union, Col. M. A. Raney of Marengo, John L. Wolfe of Clinton and Charles Escher, Jr. of Botna.

Along Western Coast.

SAN DIEGO, May 11.—Captain Knights of the steamer Nebraska from Salina Cruz which arrived today, declares that when he left there five days ago, insurgents swarmed about the town of Rignon near there.

CITY NEWS.

The 1911 Country Club season will not open next Saturday as originally planned and announced. Since the announcement it has been found that it will be impossible to complete arrangements by that time and therefore the opening is postponed and will be announced later.

Anna Reimers, executrix of the estate of Bendix Reimers, has conveyed to Gust. E. Olson, lots 4 and 5, block 24, Reeves', Perry and Williams addition.

Wm. B. Sutherland and others have conveyed to the Mississippi River Power company the west one-half of lot 3, in Miller's sub-division, of the southeast one-fourth of section 34, township 67, north, in range 5, west.

Dogs will be the popular subject on which the police will work after the first of June. Eleven hundred bell-shaped 1911 dog tags have been received by the city, and as fast as owners of the four-legged pay taxes for their pets they will be given a receipt and the little brass check, which looks like a baggage marker, and saves the hide of the bow wow should be running around after the first of June. Last year more than 1,000 dogs were paid for and something like 200 of the beasts were killed by revolver men; as box route because owners did not pay for their existence or the animals were waits

Women Who Suffer

from woman's ailments are invited to write to the names and addresses here given, for positive proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound does cure female ills.

- Organic Displacements. Black Duck, Minn.—Mrs. Anna Anderson, Box 19. Westerville, Pa.—Mrs. Maggie Ester, R.F.D. 1. Trenton, Mo.—Mrs. W. T. Furnell, 507 Lincoln Avenue. Camden, N.J.—Mrs. Ella Johnston, 289 Liberty St. Chicago, Ill.—Mrs. Wm. Tully, 262 Ogden Avenue. Painful Periods. Caledonia, Wis.—Mrs. Ph. Schatzner, R.R. 14, Box 24. Adrian, Mo.—Mrs. C. B. Mason, R.R. No. 2. Oxford, Mass.—Miss Amelia Duso, Box 14. Baltimore, Ohio.—Mrs. A. A. Bauger, R.F.D. 1. Negunee, Mich.—Mrs. Mary Sedlock, Box 1273. Orville, Ohio.—Mrs. E. F. Wagner, Box 620. Atwater, Ohio.—Miss Minnie Mielhaupt. Prairieville, Wis.—Mrs. Julia Konicheck, R. No. 1. Irregularity. Buffalo, N.Y.—Mrs. Clara Darbrake, 17 Marlow St. Westchester, Ind.—Mrs. May Deal, R.R. No. 7. St. Regis Falls, N.Y.—Mrs. J. H. Broeyer. Grayville, Ill.—Mrs. Jessie Schaar, Box 22. Atwater, Ohio.—Mrs. Minnie Mielhaupt, R. No. 7. Ovarian Trouble. Murrayville, Ill.—Mrs. Chas. Moore, R. R. 3. Philadelphia, Pa.—Mrs. Chas. Boell, 2219 N. 10th St. Minneapolis, Minn.—Mrs. John G. Moldan, 2115 Second St., North. Hudson, Ohio.—Mrs. Lena Carmosino, R.F.D. 7. Westwood, Md.—Mrs. John F. Richards. Benjamin, Mo.—Mrs. Julia Frantz, R.F.D. 1, R. No. 7. Female Weakness. W. Terre Haute, Ind.—Mrs. Artie E. Hamilton. Elmo, Mo.—Mrs. A. G. In Vault. Lawrence, Iowa.—Mrs. Julia A. Snow, R. No. 3. Bellevue, Ohio.—Mrs. Mary Earline, R.F.D. 3. Elgin, Ill.—Mrs. Henry Leisberg, 745 Adams St. Schaffersburg, Pa.—Mrs. Cyrus Hetrich. Crosson, Pa.—Mrs. Ella E. Alky. Fairbance, Pa.—Mrs. Idella A. Dunham, Box 122. Nervous Prostration. Knoxville, Iowa.—Mrs. Clara Franks, R.F.D. 3. Grandy, Mo.—Mrs. Mae McKnight. Camden, N.J.—Mrs. W. F. Valantine, 902 Lincoln Avenue. Moddy, Ill.—Mrs. May Nolan. Brookville, Ohio.—Mrs. R. Kinnison. Fitchville, Ohio.—Mrs. Frank Clark, 2416 E. Allegheny Ave. These women are only a few of thousands of living witnesses of the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to cure female diseases. Not one of these women ever received compensation in any form for the use of their names in this advertisement—but are willing that we should refer to them because of the good they may do other suffering women to prove that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a reliable and honest medicine, and that the statements made in our advertisements regarding its merit are the truth and nothing but the truth.

You Only Pay for the Soap— You Get Something MORE. Every cake of Peosta Soap contains five cents worth of soap and something else. The ability to get the clothes clean by simply soaking them. Peosta is made to save clothes as well as labor, time and money. These savings are worth while. Phone your grocer now and order Peosta. If he is out of it, write to us. JAMES BEACH & SONS, Dubuque, Ia. Also manufacturers of Beach's Flaming White-Crystal for dishes and hands.

Screens Screen Cloth Screen Doors Screen Windows To Keep Out The Fly We have anything you want in Garden Tools, Fishing Tackle, Bamboo poles, etc. Hawkins & Applebaum 1300 Main

A Bargain In Fuel Is what you get when you use fuel gas—the fuel that is delivered at the stove—clean, quick, convenient. Just light a match and the fire is ready. Keokuk Gas & Electric Co.

Warwick's Ice Cream Parlor Hot Chocolate and all kinds of Sandwiches Restaurant in Connection Hear Warwick's Famous Quartette First-class hotel in connection J. Locke Warwick, Prop. 19 S. Fifth Street

Sigmund Bros. Carpet and Rug Cleaners and Rug Manufacturers Vacuum Cleaning at your home or at our factory. The wagon does the work. Just telephone us and let us figure on your work of all kinds of cleaning and rug making from old, worn out carpets. Factory 27 and 29 Main Bell Phone 383 Red.

The Modern Wash-day Time was when The Wash was a weekly nightmare, wash-day dinner a by-word. The New Perfection Oil Cook-stove has changed all that. Once the wash-boiler is on the stove, it leaves you free to attend to the dinner or any other work. You can move a New Perfection where you please and light it in a moment. It requires no attention after that. A single gallon of oil lasts all three burners seven hours or more. No coal or wood to carry; no fire to feed; no soot nor ashes. It keeps a kitchen or laundry cool and clean. It cooks to perfection, with the least trouble and expense. Made with 1, 2 and 3 burners, with long, turquoise blue enameled chimneys. Handmade in America throughout. The 2- and 3-burner stoves can be had with or without a cabinet top, which is fitted with drop shelves, lower racks, etc. Dealers everywhere; or write for descriptive circular to the nearest agency of the Standard Oil Company (Incorporated)



HARVEY G. HULL Who sings tonight and balance of week, Harry Vontzler's New Rage, "I'm All Alone," and the big Irish hit, "Casey." J. F. KIEDAISCH, SR. FUNERAL SERVICES Many Friends of Late Prominent Merchant Condole With Family At Obsequies Today. This afternoon at his late residence, 227 South Sixth street, funeral services for the late J. Fred Kiedaisch, Sr., were conducted at 2 o'clock. At 2:30 o'clock the Rev. Jacob Nuesch, in charge of both services held impressive obsequies in St. Paul's Evangelical church. Several hundred friends gathered both at the residence of the family and at the church to pay final respect to the memory of the dead. The body bearers were the six sons of the late Mr. Kiedaisch: Messrs. J. Fred, Jr., G. Arthur, Walter C., J. Albert, Karl and Edward. The body was laid to rest in the family lot at Oakland cemetery.