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## COURT IN SESSION.

### But Two Jury Cases Disposed of Last Week.

### VERY SLOW PROGRESS MADE

Grand Jury Reports True Bill Against Frank Jones, Who Plead Guilty, And was Given One Year.

A large number of cases were assigned for last week's session of the district court, but owing to the stubbornness with which the case of Simpson vs. Miller was contested, only two cases were disposed of.

The first case mentioned was that of Mary E. Simpson vs. Fred F. Miller, a Manila saloon keeper, for damages which the plaintiff claims she sustained on account of liquor sold to her husband by the defendant.

Following are the jurymen who sat on the case:

Frank Brown, O. M. Criswell, A. T. Curry, H. W. Maynard, H. F. Johannsen, C. E. Brockelsby, Frank Rogers, R. R. Weed, M. Johnson, Gustav Else, D. McNair, Geo. Langer.

Plaintiff claimed that her husband when sober was a hard working, industrious man and saving of his money; that her husband constantly frequented the saloon of Miller and that liquor was sold to him against her protest. By reason of this plaintiff claimed damages in the sum of \$3,000. Defendant claimed on the other hand that the notice forbidding the sale of liquor to Simpson was originally given to Mr. Horst, of whom he bought the saloon, that such notice was subsequently withdrawn verbally, and that liquor was sold to Simpson in no such amounts as claimed by plaintiff.

The case was begun on Wednesday morning and continued through two days, going to the jury Thursday evening. After a late night session the jury returned a verdict of \$75 for the plaintiff.

The next case was that of Knight vs. Hess, a suit for commission for the sale of real estate. This case occupied all of Friday and was given to the jury in the evening. The jury stayed out all night, all day Saturday, and late Saturday evening they had not yet come to a decision when they were dismissed by the judge. We understand the jury stood nine to three in favor of the defendant.

On Saturday morning court was adjourned till Monday afternoon when the case of H. A. Romans vs. D. C. Thew was taken up. The following jury was selected:

A. T. Curry, C. E. Brockelsby, M. Johnson, H. F. Johannsen, Geo. Langer, Gustav Else, Hy. Sievers, Hy. Mundt, Fred Paulsen, Ed. Theobald, H. W. Maynard, Fred Evers.

In this case R. A. Romans sues the defendant for \$125 commission for having secured for him a purchaser of his livery stock last winter. It was thought this case would occupy all of Tuesday.

The above case was originally set for Friday and following is the original assignment from that date:

Monday, 19th—Shean vs. Sievers, Crawford County State Bank vs. Birkhofer.

Tuesday, 20th—Com'l Nat'l Bank vs. Hart

Desres & Co. vs. Horst, O'Leary, Administrator, vs. Conrad, Wednesday, 21st—McHenry vs. Johnson.

Independent School District of Dow City vs. Green.

Thursday, 22nd—Conner & Lally vs. Duncan.

Walker & Davis vs. Daz.

Conner & Lally vs. Lane.

Merchants' Nat'l Bank vs. Ahart.

Friday, 23rd—Finneran vs. Dr. Glenn

The grand jury made its final report Saturday morning. A true bill was found against Frank Jones, who broke into the Illinois Central station at Ellis. He plead guilty to the charge of larceny and was Monday evening sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

John Little, who was charged with rape, was sentenced to the reform school. The case against Dick McKane, charged with operating a gambling house was not recommended for trial. The case against Jess Brundidge of Dow City, who was charged with bigamy was also dismissed.

Hear Senator Fairbanks, the Vice-Presidential nominee on the Republican ticket, at Denison, Oct. 11. Don't miss him.

## THE CARNEGIE LIBRARY.

The free public library of Denison is an institution which is destined to be of lasting benefit to the city and is being appreciated more and more as time passes, by the citizens. The efficient librarian, Miss Grace Meyers, is kept busy attending to the wants of the reading public. The building is well lighted and heated and is a gem of beauty throughout, the rooms in the basement have been partially furnished by the ladies Federation of the city as a free will offering to the building, they receiving no special privileges whatever in doing so but in common with other library organizations of the city are allowed to hold their meetings in the rooms. The Daughters of the American Revolution, a society recently organized in Denison also hold their meeting here and doubtless other societies will soon follow suit. The Ladies Federation is organized for the purpose of helping forward the best interests of the City, and finding that the basement rooms of the new library building were not to be furnished, through lack of funds, they at once asked to be allowed to furnish them. Their request being granted by the Library Board the ladies set to work and with the help of the people of the City and vicinity held a Rummage sale by which means they raised nearly four hundred dollars. This seemed quite a fund but was not sufficient to furnish the rooms as they should be and also place a piano there which is greatly needed to complete the furnishing of the building. In view of this need the ladies are now contemplating another "Rummage Sale" to raise money for this purpose, and earnestly solicit the assistance of the people of Denison and vicinity in so doing. The sale will be held the second week in October and it is hoped that the house keepers of the City will kindly look over their stores and lay aside something for the committee when they call upon them, anything in the way of clothing, shoes, cast off garments, also fruit, vegetables or produce of any kind will be gladly received. If those living out of town wish to contribute anything it will be appreciated and can be left at U. G. Johnson's store, or at J. B. Romas Co warehouse or store. In holding this Rummage Sale the ladies have no other thought in view except that of promoting the public good. By this means they hope to secure funds with which to complete the furnishing of the building which belongs to the people of Denison.

The sale will probably be held in the building on Broadway formerly occupied by C. Otto.

Citizens of Crawford County, don't fail to hear Senator Fairbanks at Denison, Oct. 11. Further announcements made later.

Last Saturday Frank Jones, the man who has been confined in the county jail awaiting trial for breaking into the Illinois Central depot at Ellis, made another attempt to break out. He had just plead guilty to the charges against him and the day had been set for the passing of sentence. Since his first escape from jail he has been more or less closely confined to his cage, but Saturday afternoon he was again given the freedom of the corridors for a short time. An hour and a half later the sheriff returned to find that he had dug out twelve bricks from the wall, and in another hour or two would have succeeded in getting out. He used a piece of grate from the stove to dig out the bricks, which was the instrument used in effecting the first escape about a month ago.

Senator Fairbanks, Republican nominee for Vice-President, will speak at Denison, Oct. 11. Every voter in Crawford County should hear him.

E. C. Petersen returned from his European trip on Sunday last. He visited his parents in Germany, a brother in Copenhagen, and also spent some time in Paris and London. He reports his visit with his parents, who are very aged, as the most pleasant periods of his life. He had not seen them in many years and the meeting was indeed a joyous one. While in London he visited West Minster Abbey and took a peep at all the magnificent uniforms worn by men of England in the last 2000 years. In Paris he visited every thing of note, and took the elevator to the top of Eifel Tower. At Copenhagen, where his brother lives, a great reception was given. Each guest was presented a flag of his country, Mr. Petersen receiving a beautiful United States flag. At this reception five hours were spent at the table. American money was found to be good any where at any time and Mr. Petersen says he thinks the First National Bank of Denison is quite thoroughly advertised, particularly in Paris.

## FACULTY RECEPTION.

### Mr. and Mrs. Van Ness Receive in Their Honor.

### EIGHTY GUESTS PRESENT.

Large Number of Denison Citizens Gather at the College Dormitory to Meet the New Faculty.

Last Friday evening the college dormitory was the scene of a large social gathering of the citizens of Denison who had come at the invitation of the most royal host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Van Ness, for the purpose of meeting the new faculty of the Denison Normal and Business college. The people of Denison have always manifested a deep interest in the institution of higher learning which has been established in our midst and this occasion was only another demonstration of this fact.

About eighty guests assembled in the reception room where they met the faculty and spent an hour or two of social pleasure. They then repaired to the spacious dining room below where they were served to most delicious refreshments of coffee, ice cream and cake. Returning to the rooms above the guests were favored by a reading by the new instructor in elocution, Miss Edna Randall which was heartily enjoyed. Miss Randall gives evidence of being an excellent reader, and no doubt the people of Denison will avail themselves of every opportunity of hearing her.

It is with pleasure that we take advantage of this opportunity of presenting the faculty of the college. Always and ever the first person to be called to mind when the Denison Normal College is mentioned is the whole-souled, hard working and able man who has been at the head of the institution for the past eleven years, Prof. W. C. Van Ness.

Prof. Van Ness received his preparation at Western Reserve University of Cleveland, Ohio, from which institution he has the degree of A. M. He has been teaching continuously for twenty-one years. For eleven years he has been principal of D. N. C. and now enters upon his twelfth year of work. His numerous students during the past years can testify to the quality of his work.

Prof. Barna McDaniel is principal of the Commercial and Shorthand departments. He has had eleven years of successful experience as a teacher. Besides this he had experience in business in one of the largest manufacturing in the United States. Thus he adds practical experience to the theoretical knowledge of the branches which he teaches. He is a member of the National Association of Accountants & Bookkeepers.

Miss Edna Randall is a graduate from the school of Oratory of Cornell College. After her graduation she took a year of work under Miss Blood at the Columbia School of expression. She has had two years of experience in teaching Oratory and Physical Culture. She has been very successful not only in her regular work of teaching but also in her appearance upon the public platform.

Prof. J. R. McAnelly has charge of the instruction in Mathematics and History. He is a graduate of the College at Toledo and has the degree of Ph. B. He has had an experience of two years as a teacher in all of which he has been eminently successful. He is a man who has done hard scholastic work, loves hard work and loves play when it is time to play. His enthusiasm in athletic sports and those things which are good for young people makes him an excellent leader.

Miss Amy J. Dibble is a graduate of Upper Iowa University. She, as preceptress, is one to whom all the ladies of the school look for assistance and advice. She rooms at the Dormitory and can be easily found at all times. Her special work is Latin and German. She has had experience in public school and academic work. She has made special preparation in her chosen subjects.

Mervin C. Hover, who is at the head of the music department, is one of the best qualified musicians in the state. He is a teacher of varied experience having taught for several years before coming to Denison. He was principal of the music department of Dakota University. His work in Denison has stood the test of the severest criticism. Prof. Hover studied two years under Madam Benton of Paris, and Herman Deres, of Leipzig, Germany. Deres was the instructor of Madam Melba, Emma Eames, Madam Schumann, Helnk, Max Alveries and Scotti.

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