

JUDGE RULES IN DISTRICT COURT

Judge R. P. Howell in the district court today, appointed City Engineer Joe Watkins as special commissioner, in the case of Attorney W. F. Murphy vs. A. N. Slaby.

The duty of the appointee is to survey certain lands, in Penn township, near the Iowa river, where the Slaby and Murphy properties lie contiguously.

The boundary line is at issue, and the survey will decide whether this or that owner is fencing in a bit on the other's territory. The water rights of Mr. Slaby are involved, also, thereby.

The court granted a continuance in the case of Pitkin & Brooks, the Chicago chinaware folk, against A. M. Greer, of whom they claim \$50 for China that Mr. Greer alleges he never bought, but which was shipped to him by error. He stands ready to pay the bill, if he keeps the china, but objects to the alleged unjust pressure.

Title was quieted in the case of Laurence Kinney vs. Charles K. Swift.

In the suit of Bonnie Brothers vs. Otto Marousek judgment was rendered on the plaintiff's sworn account.