

THE CASE OF "PINKY" BLITZ.

Attorney Stiles Asks a New Trial for the Convicted Election "Repeater."

The first step to gain liberty for "Pinky" Blitz, who was convicted of illegal voting in the federal court Wednesday, was taken this morning when Attorney E. H. Stiles filed a motion for a new trial. The usual allegations are made, with the addition of a charge that the jury which convicted Blitz was guilty of misconduct and the representation that new evidence had been discovered which would tend to prove an alibi for the tool of the push. Attorney Stiles asked for two weeks' time to procure the necessary affidavit to support his motion for a new trial. Judge Philips will not pass sentence on Blitz until the motion is disposed of.

When asked concerning the alleged misconduct of the jury Attorney Stiles said he had not yet discovered any, but he was investigating, and if anything irregular should be discovered then he would be able to introduce evidence under the allegation. He claims, however, to have discovered new evidence which, when produced, will prove the innocence of Blitz.

The cases against L. R. Baker, alias "Frenchy," Alderman A. P. Foley and his bartender, Joe Higgins, who were indicted at the same time as Blitz for assaulting United States marshals, will probably not be tried. District Attorney Neal said yesterday that he did not believe he had sufficient evidence to convict.

SMALL YIELD OF CORN.

1893-11-10-KansasCityStar-p2-CaseOfPinkyBlitz

Clipped By:



ianhmunro

Fri, Oct 17, 2014