

# Litigant's Kin Off of Suit Jury

Mrs. Ruth Elkus of 1919 Octavia street had been excused by stipulation today from serving as a juror in a damage action.

The suit, on trial before Superior Judge I. L. Harris, was brought by Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Bartlett against Felix Kahn, wealthy contractor, and his wife, Ruth, of 200 Walnut street.

The Bartletts, through Attorney Frederick W. Kant, alleged they both suffered serious injuries, due to the fault of Mrs. Kahn, when the Kahn automobile collided with the Bartlett coupe at Chestnut and Baker streets on August 28 last. The plaintiffs seek \$32,283.40.

Mrs. Elkus, under examination as to her qualifications to serve as a juror in the case, was asked by Judge Harris if she knew any of the parties to the action.

"The defendant is my mother," she replied.