

MOSES COOK WILL TAKE AN APPEAL

Will Attack Validity of City's Auction Ordinance in the Supreme Court.

Moses Cook, the local pawnbroker, who was sentenced and fined recently for selling jewelry at auction, with the alternative of a jail term, has giving notice of an appeal to the supreme court, from the order of the district court of this county, denying a writ of habeas corpus. The papers were filed in district court yesterday by Baldwin, Baldwin & Dancer, Cook's attorneys.

Mr. Cook defended on the grounds that the city has no right to prohibit the sale of watches and jewelry at auction, and, as the case was a test case, it was watched with considerable interest by the jewelers and pawnbrokers of this city.

Judge Cant, who heard the arguments in the habeas corpus proceedings, held that the city ordinance prohibiting the sale of jewelry at auction, was enacted for the benefit of the public and upheld its enforcement.