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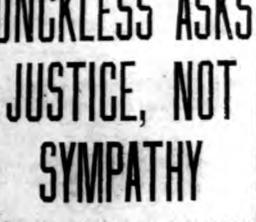
JURY LIKELY TO FIND VERDICT TONIGHT IN STEARN TRIAL

Flashes

Saving proposition yet? If not get your voice in somewhere. The Chamber of Commerce is taking a poll of individuals and employers in an effort to sound out sentiment. The employers are asked to take a vote in their plants and report the total to the Chamber. Luncheon clubs, fraternal organizations, etc., are also being canvassed, The Chamber, Secretary Norton explains, has taken no stand on either side, but is merely acting as a clearing house whereby everybody may voice an opinion.

Commissioner of Public Safety Rapp has notified all taxicab concerns they must immediately secure new insurance policies inasmuch as the company with which they have been dealing has suspended operations. There has been more or less comment recently regarding taxicab insurance and it should be up to the commissioner to see that every car is covered. It would be interesting to know exactly how many cabs running today are covered by insurance and how many are not.

The Rushmore Memorial Competition is rapidly drawing to a close and the hundreds of persons who Bre writing their 600-word inscriptions should guard against being late in sending them in to the judges. This is a competition sponsored by the Hearst newspapers to secure the best 600-word sketch of American history to be carved into the side of Mount Rushmore alongside the images of Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln and Theodore Roosevelt. The Hearst newspapers will give \$1,000 to the adult writing the best inscription,



Harold M. Stearn, the former Chicago contractor who shot and killed his brother-in-law, Clarence Storms, in their White Rock inn on the Liverpool road last summer, may know before he sleeps Wednesday night whether the state will exact his own life in penalty for the

killing or will merely confine him in an institution for the curable insane.

When county court convened at 1 p. m., Assistant District Attorney Donald M. Mawhinney began a final plea to the jury for a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree. He expected to take two hours for the summation of evidence, leaving plenty of time for Judge Don A. Colony's charge before adjournment. The last jury in an Onondaga County murder case needed only a half-hour to reach a verdict, but even without that speed in action, it was considered likely that the arbiters of Stearn's fate would be

ready to report before midnight. Taking all the morning for a moving, eloquent appeal for "not sympathy, but justice," former District Attorney Clarence Unckless staked his whole case on the ques-

tion of his client's sanity. The courtroom was filled with lawyers more than 4 to 1 in favor of day. and lay spectators-first sign of light saving, according to the public interest the trial has developed-to hear his effective attack Chamber of Commerce poll now upon the flaws in the state's case being taken. Results of the first and his telling emphasis upon the day's balloting showed 3,929 in

strong points of his own. favor and 996 against. Asserting that the prosecution Secretary F. E. Norton of the had failed to establish "any semchamber explained the votes reblance of a motive, the first essenceived shows the retail stores, tial in a case like this," Mr. Unckoffice employes and a great maany of the testimony "one shred of jority of individuals in favor of the plan, with factory and industrial evidence, one line of testimony, employes about evenly divided. you there was a mo-The Chamber is sending blanks tive, a producing cause, for the killto all individual members and eming of Storms by Stearn." Even the most prejudiced viewpoint could ployers who are members asking them to take a poll of their workers. not sustain, he asserted, a charge of murder in the first degree as The figures for the first day in- luncheon clubs of the city would that offense is defined by law, since cluded 600 votes from manufacturall evidence of premeditation, of ing plants. These were about hear Mr. Thomas. deliberate, reasoned purpose to kill, evenly divided for and against the is lacking. proposition. Turning to the question of sanity, whether Syracuse is in favor of he declared: "There is only a thin line beadopting daylight system from tween sanity and insanity-a tiny June 24 to Sept. 9. These two thread which separates reason dates coincide with the closing and and unreason. When that thread opening of the public and parochial breaks, all the laws of God and schools.



Honoring gold star mothers of Syracuse Post 41, American Legion, yesterday, members of the women's auxiliary arranged the annual luncheon and program at the clubhouse, 643 W. Onondaga st. Each mother was presented with a long stemmed rose at the luncheon. The program was under the direction of Mrs. Morris H. Talcott, president of the auxiliary. Readings were given by Mrs. E. D. Vinal and songs by Miss Henrietta Evans and Mrs. Edna Rosenberg, ac-

companied by Mrs. Agnes Champoux-Williams. Seated at the table, from left to right, the mothers are: Mrs. E. E. Allbright, Mrs. D. F. Fay, Mrs. H. J. Churchill, Mrs. H. W. Wells, Mrs. Flora Nolte, Mrs. Alice Wilder, Mrs. Emily Blewer, Mrs. B. V. Newell, Mrs. Margaret Stull and Mrs. J. O. Zimmer. In addition to the mothers, Mrs. Allbright's daughter-in-law, Mrs. Johanna Allbright, attended. Picture by Journal staff photographer.

Daylight Saving's Advocates Lead 4 to 1 in Poll

Syracuse residents are voting | ority leader of the Common Council, issued a statement Wednesday urging the adoption of such an ordinance here.

Lowell Thomas Will

Lowell Thomas, radio news com- and Eli Krakowitch, both booked mentator, will be speaker at a as having no homes, were charged luncheon meeting of the Scottish with assault, second degree, in po-Rite Lunch Club at the Onondaga lice court Wednesday.



Arrested after investigation of the "mistaken identity" stabbing of Paul Blazek, Binghamton, near the Speak Here May 21 D., L. & W. freighthouse in S. West st. Monday night, Robert Vukmir

hotel Monday, May 21, it was an- Both waived examination and nounced today by President Jerome were ordered held for the grand

TWO ARRAIGNED Hill Male Seniors to Vote **On Best Looking Member**

Syracuse University has had its the remainder of the questionnaire share of co-ed beauty contests for will be kept secret until the class the year. Now it gets a chance to day exercises, a feature of the commencement week-end. select its

best - looking FIRE SWEEPS VILLAGE; man. TRAMP IS BLAMED to provide a detour for real at. For the first time in history of the

QUEBEC, May 16 (INS) .- Dropping | way. c a m p u s, of a cigaret butt by a tramp was The Walsh company has made seniors on blamed today for the fire which unexpected progress in construction the Hill will destroyed the little village of of foundations for bridges that will Bridgewater near here yesterday. be built. fill out a questionnaire

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FOR CLOSED

STREETS

Corporation Counsel E. L. Robert-

son has forced the Walsh Construc-

tion Company to build temporary

streets to allow access to property

owners in Peat st. and Greenway

av., south of the West Shore right

The Walsh Company, whose op-

erations closed Peat st. and Green-

way av., held that terms of the con-

tract did not require making pro-

vision for property, except that ad-

jacent to the railroad right of way.

Robertson held that temporary

streets should be constructed to

reach other properties, which were

cut off from fire and other service

As a result of the ruling by Rob-

ertson, the company has built a

temporary roadway along the south

side of the railroad right of way

from Teall av. to connect with Peat

The contract between the railroad and the Walsh company was hastily

drawn. Mayor Marvin was prodding the railroad authorities to speed the

award, and it is expected a number

of controversies will develop before

Teall av. and Beech st. are also

closed to traffic and considerable

inconvenience is being caused to

traffic. Beach st. traffic is being

detoured through Elm st., where a

temporary roadway has been built

to connect Winton st, with Teall av.

by closing the streets.

and Greenway.

the job is finished.

of way.

and cash and scholarship prizes to high school and grammar school students whose compositions are judged the best in their respective

A pair of investigators for the Consolidated Work Bureau were inting all over town yesterday for man wanted for questioning in onnection with the disappearance several welfare bureau pay hecks. They scoured the sections the city where the man was nown to hang out, but to no avail. Finally they returned to headquarters only to discover that the nan they wanted was already here, having been brought in by ther officers for questioning in inother case.

Alderman Max Rosenbloom, temorarily kicking over the Repubcan traces in the Common Counpil, did not get very far in his reuest for an investigation into the reasons for a \$61,000 jump in the assessments on home owners in the Sixteenth ward. Mr. Rosenbloom was unable to get his request be-ore the council and finally abanoned the attempt.

The Parent-Teachers' Association Nottingham School protested gainst the half time system in gue in that institution but that about all the satisfaction they received. Their protest was "repelved." The system in vogue here is a disgrace to the city. Half the pupils go to school in the morning and half in the afternoon. Now there is talk of a third period eing inaugurated. This makes it hard for mothers who have chilaren in both sections and also hard or the pupils themselves who are being asked to do a year's work on half time schedule. And Vocational. Valley and other schools are almost as bad.

Stanley Piseck, militant leader of group of upstate dairymen, is with a warning that more trouble from the milk producers is coming this summer. He adds that hould another strike develop, that his time it will be a "real one." Wonder what he called last summer's uprising? That was someming more than a rehearsal.

Although half the time has ex-pired in which 100,000 Onondaga County auto drivers may renew their permits to drive, less than 20 percent, of this total have taken the trouble to fill out the blanks. pay their half dollar and get their icense. Only 12 more business days remain in which these \$0,000 operators can get their permits.

Both city and county officials interested in the forthcoming decision from the TERA as to how far that organization will go in helping out communities on maintenance costs on projects completed under the work relief programs of the CWA, the CWB and the TERA. The county, with the Onondaga boulevard, parks and other projects, and the city, with parks and drives, faces a considerable expense in upkeep expenses unless help is forthcoming from the state and federal governments. in fact, the county, in order to prevent heavy losses on the bouleward, recently hired a force of aborers independent of the work bureau to make repairs along the lake shore.

man are set asunder." The Kiwanis Club at their Tues-He reviewed the testimony of the day meeting voted 101 in favor and farmer, died Tuesday night at his incomplete. four alienists, two holding Stearn 12 against.

sane and the other two declaring Secretary Norton received a telehim a victim of "involution melangram from the Rochester Chamber cholia." a form of insanity proof Commerce Wednesday giving the duced by economic reverses, savresults of a newspaper poll in that agely attacking the testimony of city as 42,572 in favor and 8,183 opthe pair of experts called by the posed, a margin of more than five state. Pointing out their inability to to one in favor of setting the clocks name one symptom of "involution ahead. The results of the poll have

(Continued on Page 12, Column 7.) been filed with the Common Council there which has two ordinances Miss Killigrew's

before it. One of these providing for daylight saving from June 3 to Sept. 30 and another calling for a referndum at the November electicns. Alderman Clinton T. Burke, min

for a

BEAUTY

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Wedding Revealed Friends of Miss Frances Killigrew, graduate of the school of nursing at St. Joseph Hospital and supervisor at the hospital for four grew, graduate of the school of supervisor at the hospital for four years, were surprised this week with the announcement of her marriage to Henry De Joseph, optician, six months ago. Mrs. De Joseph, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis

Killigrew of Corning, and her husband were married at St. Mary's Church, Jamesville, on Nov. 9, 1933. With only a few intimate friends in on the secret, Mrs. De Joseph returned to her work at the hospital and news of the marriage did not

leak out until this week. Mr. De Joseph is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John De Joseph of 411 Griffiths st. They are making their home at 325 Beecher st.



Frances Killigrew

New

B. Rusterholz. Speaking at the regular meeting of the club in the Onondaga roof garden, Mr. Rusterholz said that all

The meeting will be held in the Onondaga hotel ballroom and prep-The question being decided is arations are being made for a rec-

ord crowd, Mr. Rusterholz said. William Dick, 74,

He told police he believed he had been mistaken for a third man with whom his two assailants had knifing.

> home in the town of Scriba following a short illness. Born in Oswego, Mr. Dick had spent most of his life in this vicinity. He was a member

respected, etc. The questionnaire, prepared by a of the Congregational Church. Surcommittee headed by Miss Edna viving are his widow; two brothers, George of Scriba and Robert of Askwith will also list the candidates

EDNA ASKWITH.

Dies at Scriba Oswego; also several nieces and for the various class day offices. OSWEGO-William J. Dick, 74, nephews. Funeral arrangements are The winners of these posts will be named Thursday. The results of

day morning at which they will select such personages as the best - looking man, bestlooking woman, best-

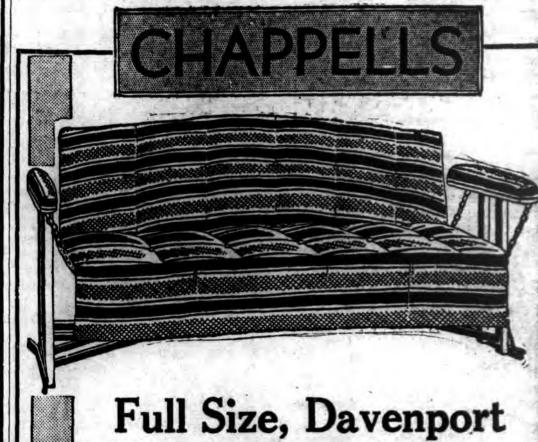
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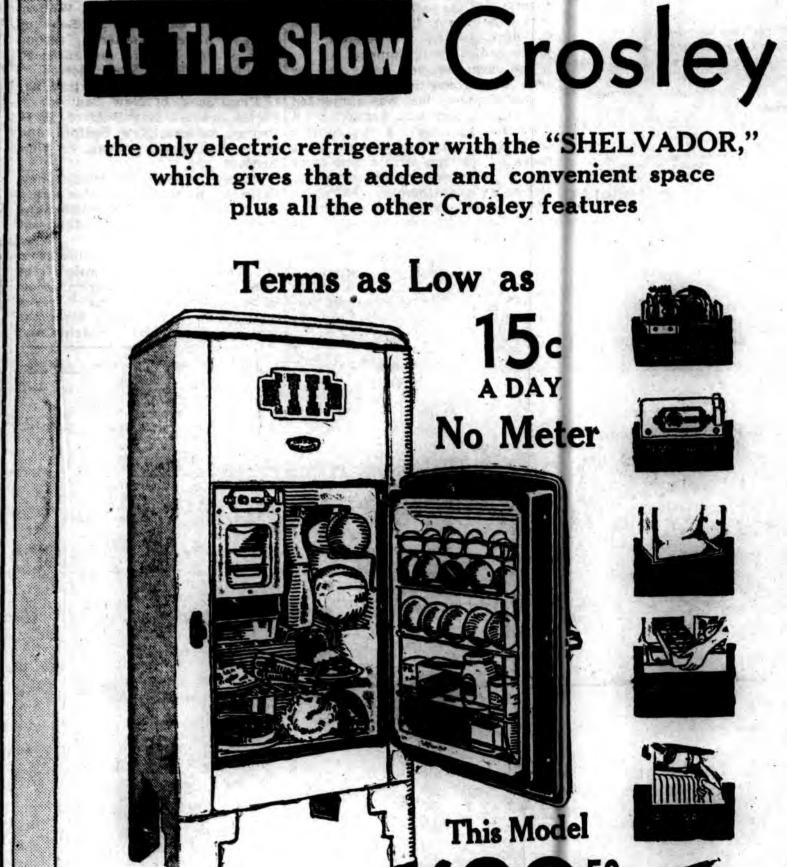
at a convoca-

Thurs-

ion







Blazek was attacked by two men. be invited to attend the session and argued a short time prior to the

Four hundred workers and 32 team captains will shortly launch the annual campaign for the Jewish welfare committee in this city. They will, as usual, be given the customary generous support. Last year this organization raised more han \$11,000,

made from OZONE Ozone is Nature's wonder working beauty builder ... as essential to skin health as vitamins are to food. Croxon Ozone Cream is the new sensation, a complete beauty treatment in one jardoes the work of 3 creams. Discourages the growth of hair. CRUXON CREAM . MRS. HENRY DE JOSEPH 2 ounce jar \$2.50 6 ounce jar \$5.00 A bride of six months, Mrs. Henry De Joseph, supervisor at St. Joseph Hospital for four Come in and let us tell you about years, announced her marriage CROXON'S FREE TRIAL OFFER to friends this week. Mrs. De-Joseph was formerly Miss Toilet Goods, Main Floor

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