

DRAW TWO PANELS OF PETIT JURORS

First Returnable Oct. 25 and Second Nov. 8; List of Names Chosen in Each of Townships

Two panels of petit jurors were drawn Wednesday by Circuit Clerk L. J. Wilmot.

The first panel returnable October 25 follows:
John Jerla, Fred Sackman, Glen Morgan, E. Yager, John Stebley, Joseph Matulenas, Albert Schueneman, Ames Woodman, Waukegan; Lyman Enlow, Louis Erickson, Frank Gerstner, J. W. Baughman, Alexander Federstaft, C. H. Pieffra, Hiram Reasner, Benton; Fred Gerretsen, Grant; John Effinger, Lake Villa; Charles Kruser, Avon; J. M. Dewey, N. H. H. Paul, T. Price, W. T. Watrus, Harry Peddle, Shields; Joe Dietz, J. C. Borfler, Libertyville; W. V. Johnson, Hersing, Wauconda; George Omlen, Ela; William J. Buesching, Vernon; Geo. Herriman, West Deerfield; M. E. Clark, Max Engels, Gustafson, W. H. Vestal, E. H. Eitel, and W. H. Stockwell, Deerfield.

The second panel returnable November 8, follows:
George Bakken, Jacob Kaplan, Stanley J. Nelson, Robert McDermott, Mer Kyndberg, C. H. Stake, John Arder, John Matson, Eric A. Magnuson, and Charles Quiggie, Waukegan; Alfred Naffrger, J. D. Light, W. Bloom, I. E. Mill, A. H. Lundahl, an Edwards, Louis P. Stow, Benton; mes B. Lahey, Newport; Walter Antioch; Charles Martin, E. J. Riger, Lake Villa; Bob Dalziel, James Campbell, Warren; W. son, R. C. Barker, Shields; les Chamberlain, Park Allenston, tyville; Leslie Ulrich, Fremont; Russell, B. C. Harris, Wauconda; W. Trost, Ela; August G. mp, West Deerfield; R. Forgan, M. Bullard, C. C. Degenhart, and T. Broten, Deerfield.

PUBLIC SERVICE CO. TO KEEP OPEN HOUSE

Professionals and Public to Be Given Opportunities to Visit Plants October 4 to 9

All electric generating stations and manufacturing plants of the Public Service company of Northern Illinois will assume the temporary role of "public institutions" during the week of October 4 to 9, inclusive. Beginning these dates, according to an announcement from the company's executive offices in Chicago, residents, commercial power users, industrial consumers and all others who may be interested, will be privileged to inspect the company's various manufacturing properties on presentation of complimentary "Open House Week" passes.

Although it is believed by those who are formulating the company's plans for the week of public inspection, that the huge generating plants and gas manufacturing plants will prove to be the chief centers of public interest, the open house visiting privileges also will include the company's district offices, merchandise stores, meter inspecting and repair departments, etc. Thousands of persons from all sections of the territory served by the company availed themselves of the open house inspection opportunities in 1925, and it is expected that a considerably larger number will visit the properties this year. The company's arrangements for its 1926 open house week, although not yet completed, are more extensive than were those of a year ago. This is due, chiefly, to the interest and enthusiasm displayed by the general public on the occasion of the former open house session.

NEW COUNTRY CLUB AT LIBERTYVILLE

Comprises 148 Acres and Entire Tract Will Be Laid Out in 18 Holes

An exceptionally advantageous purchase of 148 acres of fine rolling land assures the newly formed Libertyville Country club of an ideal location for its golf course. The club is to be situated two miles north of Libertyville on Illinois route 21 and will draw its membership not only from that community but from the lakes region as well.

Membership fees will be increased as soon as the enrollment reaches 100. Seventy-five members are now signed and the list is fast being filled. G. Carroll Gridley, cashier of First National bank, Libertyville, and Warren D. Bruner, president, Bruner and Simmons, Inc., 327 South LaSalle street, Chicago, are active in the membership drive.
The entire acreage will be laid out in a full 18-hole course, which should be one of the most attractive in the vicinity. The club will be devoted principally to golf, social activities being secondary.

NEIGHBORING PASTOR MEMORIZES BIBLE

Reads Passages Without Reference to Book Regularly; Is Unusual

There is one minister at least in the United States, and possibly only one who reads the Bible lessons every Sunday morning, at his morning service, from memory, not using the book at all. It has attracted considerable interest in his community, and people have remarked very much about the method of reading from memory and about the beauty of the scriptures.

The minister is Rev. John E. De Long of Libertyville, Illinois, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church. He explains that his ability to read Bible lessons from memory is due to a memory system which he has devised.

Mr. De Long traces the origin of his interest in the Bible to a small copy which was left by the American Bible society in a village store in eastern Ohio where he was working as a small boy years ago. He was reared in a home where the Bible was neither read nor taught. When this copy was left in the store where he was working it aroused his curiosity, and he wondered then if he might be a minister.

He says that he selects all types of lessons such as 1 Cor., 13, Romans 8, Matt. 7, Luke 4, Matt. 16, Psalm 103, Psalm 90, Psalm 91, but he explains that those with a dramatic feature are most easily remembered, and are most effective.

TWO ROBBERIES AT LAKE BLUFF DEPOT

Station Entered Twice in Last Two Weeks and About \$200 in Goods Taken

Thieves entered the Lake Bluff Northwestern railroad baggage room on two occasions during the past two weeks and stole clothing from trunks, and suit cases, valued at approximately \$200. According to Policeman Grafton L. Edwards, who with North Western railroad detectives, is conducting an investigation both thefts were committed during the early morning hours after he had gone off duty.

The burglars in their first visit forced open a small steamer trunk and took a suit of clothes, lingerie and other clothing. They then dumped out the contents of a suit case on the floor and carried the loot away in the grip.

The biggest haul was made by the robbers in their second visit, according to Edwards. This time a large steamer trunk was opened and a valuable leather grip removed from the trunk. A suit of clothes, several pairs of silk pajamas, a hat and other clothing were also taken.

Little Pen-o-grams



FAVOR FOX RIVER SANITARY PROJECT

IN ELECTION LAST WEEK

Countries Affected Vote for the Plan; Lake Co. Included; How the Proposition Will Be Carried Out

Voters in those parts of five counties lying within the drainage area of the Fox river and its tributaries last week approved the proposition to create a conservancy district out of the territory to protect the stream from pollution.

A part of the territory of Hanover township in Cook county lies within the new district which also includes parts of the counties of Lake, McHenry, Kane, Kendall and LaSalle.

That the voters of Lake county favored the conservancy move along the Fox river almost unanimously was proven when Lew A. Hendee, county clerk, received the ballots from the polls. Grant voted 16 to 1 in favor of it, Cuba voted unanimously 6 to 0 in favor and Wauconda cast 20 favoring to 2 against.

This vote means the cleanup of the Fox river, and its tributaries. The move grew out of a campaign not only to abolish the open sewer which cities in the valley were gradually making worse by emptying their waste into the river, but to protect fish which are rapidly increasing in population.

A law authorizing the creation of the district was passed by the legislature in 1923.

The county judges of the seven counties met at Aurora September 14 to canvass the vote of the election. Within 20 days thereafter judges are required by law to meet and appoint five trustees to govern the new conservancy district. These seven judges are: E. K. Jarecki, (Cook); Mary Reck (La Salle), Arthur G. Larson (Kendall), William L. Pond (De Kalb), S. N. Hoover (Kane), Charles P. Barnes (McHenry), and Perry L. Persons (Lake).

To Serve Five Years
Regular terms of the trustees are to be for five year periods. The first five trustees, however, will be appointed for terms of one, two, three, four and five years respectively. Thereafter the regular five year terms are to begin on May 1, the term of one trustee to expire each year.

Expenses of the district are to be borne by a tax of one-half per cent of the assessed valuation of property in the district.

BUILDING IN U. S. HOLDING UP WELL

S. W. Straus Report Shows Only Nine Per Cent Decrease For August

August building permit reports received by S. W. Straus & Co. from 443 cities show a decline of only 9 per cent from August 1925 and a 3 per cent gain from July this year. In view of the fact that the July building reports throughout the country showed a loss of 11 per cent, the August figures appear to indicate that building generally is not slowing down at a rate which is likely to have any appreciable effect upon the building industry as a whole. The volume of building, in fact, is being maintained on a plane which should provide ample work for all of the available skilled mechanics in the building trades.

The total for the 443 cities in August was \$367,149,292, compared with \$404,355,541 in August 1925 and \$355,828,203 in July this year.

Among the states which showed gains over August 1925 were Alabama, Connecticut, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Montana, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Virginia, Washington and Wisconsin.

In the list of twenty-five leading cities, those showing gains were, Chicago, Washington, Baltimore, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, San Francisco, Albany, Milwaukee, Jersey City, White Plains, Seattle, New Haven, Jacksonville, Oklahoma City and Providence.

A loss of 20 per cent in New York City was due entirely to a slowing down in Manhattan Borough, which was 53 per cent behind August 1925. Chicago's August gain was about \$3,000,000 and the city had a gain of nearly \$9,000,000 over July this year. Detroit's August loss was only about \$1,000,000. Philadelphia had a negligible loss from August, but a decline of about 3,000,000 from July this year.

Jacksonville led the twenty-five leading building cities of the south, with a gain of more than 80 per cent over August last year, but the state of Florida showed a loss of 57 per cent.

RESORT OWNER NOW CHARGED WITH ARSON

Proprietor of Recently Burned River Inn at Lake Zurich Under Bond

Frank Young, owner of the River Inn, a roadside inn at Lake Zurich, which was badly damaged by fire recently, was arrested last week by the sheriff's office on a charge of arson. At the time of the blaze the fire marshal at Lake Zurich was at a loss to discover the cause and notified the state authorities and Paul E. Bertram, a deputy state fire marshal, made an investigation Wednesday and charges that the fire was of incendiary origin.

After making the probe the deputy marshal conferred with Sheriff Edwin Ahlstrom and the latter signed the complaint charging Young with arson. Justice of the Peace Harry Hoyt issued the warrant and it was served by Deputy John Froelich. Justice Harry Hoyt released Young in bonds of \$5,000 and continued the matter.

PLAN TESTAMONIAL FOR W. P. MacCRACKEN

A testimonial banquet in honor of William P. MacCracken, of Winnetka, recently appointed assistant secretary of commerce in charge of commercial aviation, is to be given by his friends at the Hotel La Salle Thursday evening, September 30. Invitations are to be extended to members of the American Bar association, the Chicago Bar association, Aviation Post of the American Legion, Psi Upsilon fraternity and leaders of the aviation industry in the United States.

REPORTS RESULTS OF SPEED TRAP PROBES

SOME ABUSES UNCOVERED

Several Indictments Secured in Chicago Region; Resolution Adopted by Officials

The present campaign against speed traps in the Chicago region being waged by the Chicago Motor club had its beginning June seventh when the national body adopted a resolution condemning the mucking of motorists on the highways. Since then the campaign has gone ahead steadily, indictments have been obtained, and other counties have joined the war against the modern Dick Turpins of the highways in Cook, Lake and neighboring counties.

The investigation has disclosed many other forms of abuse too numerous to mention here. The state's attorneys in the territory of the Chicago Motor club assembled at a meeting in Chicago recently and agreed to do everything in their power to put an end to abuses on the highways. This investigation proves that there is a wide-spread practice on the part of justices of accepting court costs ranging from \$5 to \$7 even when the defendants have pleaded guilty. The law in Illinois provides that in such cases the justice is allowed only \$2.00 court costs. Some justices have intimidated defendants into signing jury waivers. Others have forced motorists to pay for a jury trial contrary to the law.

The speed trap investigation, which has been going on since June, has in reality just started. Although five officials are under indictment, and no doubt other indictments will be returned by the Cook county grand jury, which convenes September 8, and although one speed trap, Markham, has been wiped out of existence, yet even more impressive things will be accomplished in the future.

The investigation has disclosed that many justices are operating in an entirely illegal manner. The association of justices, magistrates, and constables, has adopted the following fair-play resolution:

"Resolved, that this association shall instruct all justices of the peace and police magistrates that in all cases of vehicle law violations where the arrest is on view and there can be no immediate trial the arrested person must put up a bond signed by himself and one bondsman or cash deposit must be indorsed on the bond, and the bond must be approved by a justice of the peace or magistrate and not by the arresting officer.

"If the defendant fails to appear for trial there must be a hearing and the arresting officer must prove his case as though the defendant were present. The fees in such cases, will be \$1.00 for approval of a bond other than cash and a socket fee of \$2.00.

"If the defendant appears and does not plead guilty, but is found guilty, the justice or magistrate is entitled to a trial fee of \$3.00.

"If the defendant is found not guilty, no court costs may be assessed, and the deposit will be returned.

"These steps are taken to rectify any speed trap evils that may exist but does not recognize that such evils do exist."

CHILDREN DISCOVER ANCIENT TEMPLES

Children in the Near East Relief orphanage at Botlingham have discovered the ruins of a Roman building which appears to have been a famous Greek temple to Apollo.

Walls 3 feet thick have been uncovered by the industrious children, who were much elated at the discovery of marble inscriptions dating back 400 years before Christ.

Further excavations on the same site will be undertaken by the government.

Various small advertisements for local businesses and services, including: 'FREE Starter and Dry Shop', 'BATTERY PRICE', 'Neff & Co.', 'REAL ESTATE', 'FROM THE LAKE', 'PUBLIC SERVICE CO.', 'TWO ROBBERIES AT LAKE BLUFF DEPOT', 'TEACHER IS KILLED', 'PLAN TESTAMONIAL FOR W. P. MacCRACKEN', 'CHILDREN DISCOVER ANCIENT TEMPLES', 'The Family Next Door', 'A SAND LOT FOOTBALL GAME', and 'Down doesn't go well with an old Rooster'.