

### Writ of Replevin for Deposit Certificate

Writ of replevin, to keep control of a \$100,000 certificate of deposit on the defunct First National bank of Eureka, Kans., was ordered last week by Circuit Judge Claire E. Edwards on a petition of Attorney Charles E. Jack, counsel for Ira E. Pearsall, a former county treasurer.

The writ was directed against William T. Hardie, Fred W. Buck and George T. McCullough, trustees of the Roy Bracher estate which was turned over to them when a shortage of \$100,000 was uncovered four years ago when Bracher was treasurer and Pearsall his chief deputy.

The trustees gave the certificate to Jack three weeks ago. It had been turned to them by Pearsall when they insisted on an attempt to make a col-

lection. Pearsall refused to endorse it to them, however.

The replevin action was taken by Jack, he admitted, so that the trustees could lay no claim to it or any money collected from the Kansas bank on it, if such is to be the case.

### Johnsons Leading in Waukegan Directory

The Johnsons still maintain their lead as being the most numerous among the residents of Waukegan, according to the new city directory which was distributed last week. There are 208 persons and firms of that name listed in the directory, an increase of three over the number which appeared in the directory published two years ago.

The Smiths come second with 136 names, the Andersons are third with 121, while the Browns and Millers are tied with 82, there are 60 Petersons, 43 Olsons, 37 Larsons and almost as many Larsens, while the roll call of the grand old name of Jones totals 48.

Axel W. Elk, grocer at 673 McAlister avenue and his son Einer still can boast of having the shortest surname while Mrs. Anna Schleffendorf and son John of 930 Lincoln avenue are believed to have the longest surnames. These names take the honors in both Waukegan and North Chicago.

### Population of North Chicago and Waukegan

#### Shows Steady Growth

The population of Waukegan is now 32,704, gain of 6,570 over the figures for 1927, according to the estimate of the 1929 edition of the Waukegan and North Chicago city directory, issued last week. North Chicago's population is estimated at 8,892. These figures are based on the number of names of adults contained in the directory, plus an allowance for those under directory age.

These figures, considered in the light of the increase of more than a thousand people which the census showed in the previous two years, 1925-7, when the present period of growth was just getting under way indicate that the Waukegan area is the fastest-developing metropolitan center in Illinois.

#### Valuation Is \$23,000,000

Waukegan now covers 9 1/2 square miles, and has an assessed valuation of \$23,000,000, according to the statistics compiled by the chamber of commerce, which preface the latest edition of the directory. It has a bonded debt of \$350,000, bank deposits of \$11,321,787, bank resources of \$13,385,328, annual postal receipts of \$201,804, and annual building permits representing a value of \$3,772,000. There are 7,000 public school pupils, 220 teachers, 63.3 miles of paved streets, 70 miles of gas mains, 82 miles of sewers, and 10.5 miles of street railway trackage.

### McHenry County Clerk Is Planning to Retire

Guy E. Still, county clerk of McHenry county, is to retire from office in December 1930 when his term is up, he announced yesterday at Woodstock. He was elected in 1910. He is to devote all his time to the banking business. Theodore Hamer, for circuit clerk, is the only candidate announced.



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