# TO SUPPORT DILGER

Reported to Be Grooming Him For Chairman of County Supervisors Board

Formulation of plans to boom Supervisor Matt P. Dilger, of Waukegan, as chairman of the county board of supervisors, were reported to be underway by members of the Waukegan delegation on the board, according to the Waukegan Times, which says:

The call for the organization meeting has been issued and the board will convene April 23 when Supervisor Harry Stratton, of Lake Villa, will end his term and the gavel will be turned over to a temporary chairman until the office can be filled permanently.

Sixteen from Waukegan Of the 45 members on the board 16 are from Wankegan and seven of that number were elected on the Dilger ticket while others are said to be favorable to his candidacy.

Those sponsoring the Dilger candidacy contend that Waukegan has not had a chairman of the board for a decade and that, in view of its membership and the amount of taxes paid by the town, it is entitled to the recognition occasionally.

Supervisor William J. Obee, of Highland Park, generally has been conceded the next choice of the board for the chairmanship. His candidacy was launched six months ago and a number of the supervisors were pledged to his cause.

Both Board Veterans

Whether Dilger enters the race or not is problematical but it long has been felt that he wished this final honor to conclude his services on the board where he has represented Waukegan so many years. When he takes office April 23 Dilger will be starting on a four year term, and, his friends say, it will be the last that he will

Obee, too, is a veteran board member who has not been honored with the chairmanship. Several times he has been in the race but each time previous pledges have kept him from winning the coveted post.

### Planning Memorial For Knute Rockne

Plans for a memorial to Knute Rockne are underway at the University of Notre Dame.

The Rev. Fr. Charles L. O'Donnell, president of the university, revealed that a number of donations already have been received from admirers of the late football coach. A committee composed of Notre Dame alumni and friends of the famous coach, nationwide in its scope, will make recommendation as to the form of the memorial. Frank E. Hering, captain of the 1896 Irish eleven, national president of the Notre Dame Alumni association, and James E. Armstrong, national secretary, conferred with Father O'Donnell concerning memorial project.

#### Easily Toppled

With no prohibition debate, no power issue, no drought relief and no unemployment, the wonder is that a French Cabinet ever falls.—Detroit

### Fifteen Women Called For Petit Jury Which Begins Work This Week

Fifteen women will be called to serve on the petit jury returnable April 13, and on the list will be a husband and wife from Ela town-

Eight of the women will be from the men. Waukegan, and the remainder thru the county. Miss Ida Hibelreich of the Humane society, is one of those drawn from Waukegan, and others include Louisa Leonard, Josephine Plonien, Elizabeth McGuire, Anna Carlson, Isabelle Drysdale, Dorothy Peters and Florence Sackman.

Others on the call are Anna Peters, Benton; Effie Nelson, Antioch; Cora Lester, Libertyville; Belle Kramer, Wauconda; Ruth McGraw, Cuba; Alice Tonnie, Ela; and Anna Gelbert, Vernon.

Henry Tonne, husband of Alice Tonnie, has been called for the same jurywork.

Venire summons were served on these women late last week by the sheriff's office preparatory to the trial

work that started before Circuit Judge Ralph J. Dady, April 13.

of women to be called on one venire, as six, the great number in the past, were served for county court work where several bootlegging cases were heard in which the women voted for acquittals with as much alacrity as

The county board of supervisors, at the March session, revised the venire This is by far the largest number list and placed a number of women on them in compliance with the vote of November 4, 1930, in which women became eligible for jury service by a vote of the people. The March meeting was the first opportunity of the supervisors to allow women on the regular panel and in some instances more were chosen than men.

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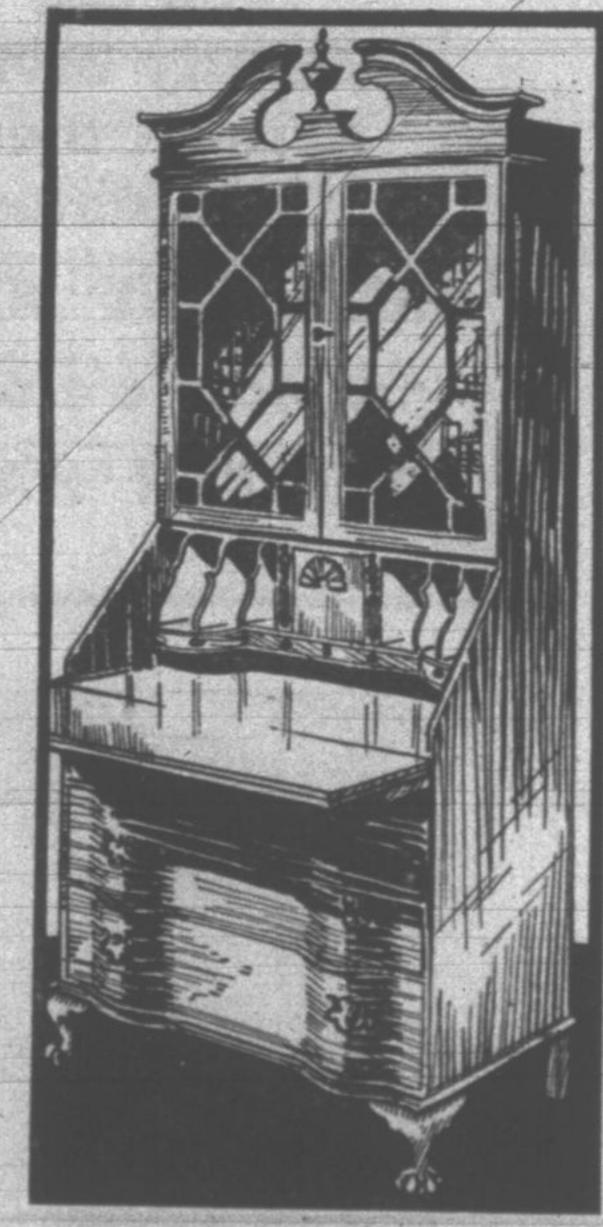
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