

MAN SEEKS TO BEAT CHAIR BY PLEADING GUILT

Judge Collins Refuses Plea of Accused in Murder Case.

Edward Stewart, 25, colored, shaking and trembling, today attempted to plead guilty in Criminal Court to the charge of first-degree murder and escape the electric chair for the alleged slaying of Ralph Cunningham, 30, of Advance, Ind., in the office of the Davis Brothers Transfer Company, 328 W. Maryland St., last February. Robbery was the motive of the crime.

In court was Mrs. Cunningham and her children. On a table rested the huge iron bar with which Cunningham was brutally beaten to death.

"You can't plead guilty to first-degree murder under the Indiana law," said Judge James A. Collins.

"There's no law in this country that can make a jury try me if I plead guilty," said Stewart, who has written letters twice a day to Judge Collins, pleading for mercy.

"The court is trying to protect your rights and that seems to be your grievance," replied the judge. "No man can get a proper trial if he hasn't the money to get a good lawyer," Stewart retorted.

C. R. Cameron, who was appointed attorney by the court to defend Stewart, asked that another attorney be appointed.

Judge Collins refused again and ordered the bailiff to arrange for the calling of a jury.

"Call your twelve men and I'll tell my story. That will be all there is to it," said Stewart.

JOB BUREAU TO MEET

Dr. William Morris Leiserson, Toledo, Ohio, professor of economics at Antioch College, and an authority on unemployment, will make the principal address at the first annual meeting of the Indianapolis Employment Bureau Monday evening at the Columbia Club.

George E. Gill, director, will report on the first year's activity. Dr. Leiserson was a member of the President's conference on Unemployment in 1921.

COMMISSIONER NAMED

Appointment of a second United States commissioner, Don P. Strode, Kokomo attorney, was announced today. F. W. Patrick, Indianapolis, was appointed by Judge Robert C. Baltzell Saturday.

The two present commissioners, Howard Young and John W. Kern, also will continue.

Tolerance

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triotic conduct and civic integrity, to which all could repair. Such a standard, with a like common appeal, must be upheld just as firmly and unitedly now in time of peace. Among citizens honestly devoted to the maintenance of that standard, there need be small concern about differences of individual opinion in other regards.

"Granting first the essentials of loyalty to our country and to our fundamental institutions, we may not only overlook, but we may encourage differences of opinion as to other things. For differences of this kind will certainly be elements of strength rather than of weakness. They will give variety to our tastes and interests. They will broaden our vision, strengthen our understanding, encourage the true humanities, and enrich our whole mode and conception of life. I recognize the full and complete necessity of 100 per cent Americanism, but 100 per cent Americanism may be made up of many various elements.

"If we are to have that harmony and tranquility, that union of spirit which is the foundation of real national genius and national progress, we must all realize that there are true Americans who did not happen to be born in our section of the country, who do not attend our place of religious worship, who are not of our racial stock, or who are not proficient in our language. If we are to create on this continent a free Republic and an enlightened civilization that will be capable of reflecting the true greatness and glory of mankind, it will be necessary to regard these differences as accidental and unessential. We shall have to look beyond the outward manifestations of race and creed. Divine Providence has not bestowed upon any race a monopoly of patriotism and character.

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BAPTISTS PLAN FOR REVIVALS

Series of Evangelistic Services to Be Held.

Plans for holding a series of evangelistic services in Baptist Churches this fall and winter were approved by the Federated Baptist Churches of Indianapolis at their annual meeting Monday night, the Rev. F. A. Hayward, executive secretary, said today.

The Rev. H. R. Waldo, pastor

Second Baptist Church, is chairman

of the evangelistic committee which

submitted the report. Lester Nagley,

secretary of the Advertising Club,

spoke on church publicity.

Officers re-elected: the Rev. Hay-

ward, executive secretary; Leon Joyce, president; C. O. Lawler, vice president; A. G. Woodmansee, secretary; and Robert McGregor, treasurer.

Marriage Licenses

George Carter, 26, 913 W. Twenty-Sixth Street, Chattanooga, Tennessee, 17, \$13 W. Twenty-Sixth, domestic.

Earl D. Hosking, 25, 1539 N. Senate, Earl with Chas. L. McKinly, 28,

401 W. Twenty-Sixth.

James H. Gough, 22, Loosoot, Ind.

John William Cohen, 28, 1708 N. Illinois, merchant; Esther Sumner, 25, 15 E. Thirty-Fourth.

John C. Chapman, 26, 2146 Lockwood, chauffeur; Helen Brown, 17, 2906 Tyndall.

Thomas F. Jett, 24, 1527 Downing, sales-

man; John W. Johnson, 28, 531 N. Illinois,

Erwin V. Allbright, 32, 298 N. Rural, manager; Carrie Newander, 32, 943 Ox-

ford, domestic.

Jake Strode, 28, city; Adaline L. Chapman, 28, 3439 N. Capitol, domestic; real-

tor; Henrietta I. Kothe, 30, 4003 Broad-

way; William F. Wood, 22, 509 E. North; Anna B. Dunbar, 18, 418 E. Ohio, domes-

tic.

Ivan W. Smith, 28, Ft. Harrison, soldier;

Doshia J. Neville, 30, city, waitress.

RAILROAD HEAD DIES

DRY AGENTS CONFER

Making Out of Reports and Accounts Taken Up.

Twenty Federal prohibition agents working out of Indianapolis attended a closed conference with Deputy Administrator Ansel R. Harris today.

Harris said the meeting was to show agents how reports and expense accounts are to be made out.

LANDLORD TAKES ACTION

living in his property at 522 Indiana Ave., operate a gambling house there.

Complaint asked that the tenants be forced to move and judgment of \$1,000 found against each.

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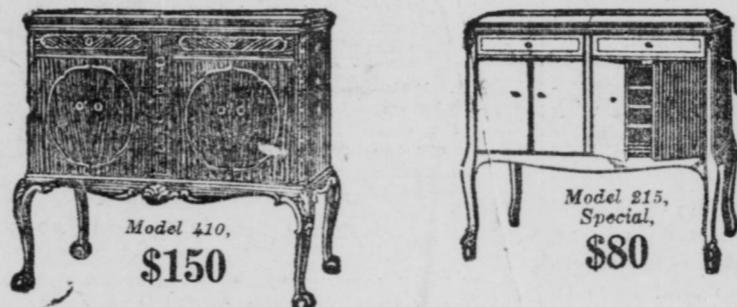
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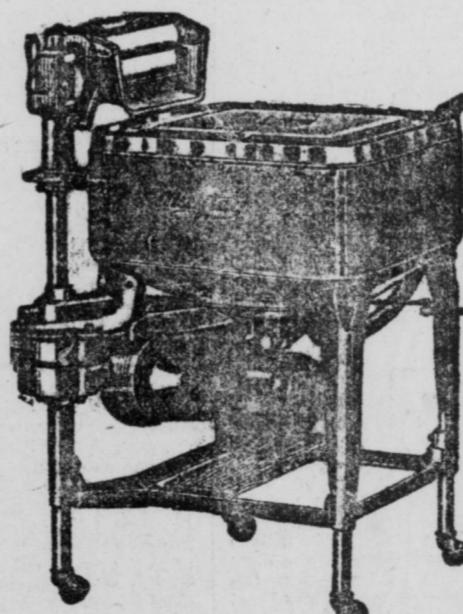
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