

## SECOND KLINCK TRIAL RECALLS 'BIGGER HOUSE'

Great Crowds Jammed Court to Hear Murder Case in 1925.

Trial of the Klinck case in Criminal Court, which has been under way since Thursday, has drawn few spectators.

Defendant Earl Klinck, charged with illegal use of a notary seal in making false affidavit, can easily recall the time when he played the role of defendant to a packed house.

It was back in 1925 and the scene was the Circuit courtroom at Noblesville, Ind. The place was jammed to the doors and many spectators from Indianapolis brought their lunch and ate in their chairs so as not to lose them. The S. R. O. sign could have been hung out from the start of the trial until the finish.

### Charged With Murder

Then Klinck was not a solo defendant, but a member of the triumvirate charged with the murder of an Indianapolis girl. D. C. Stephenson, acknowledged leader of the trio, is serving life-term because of that trial.

Third member was Earl Gentry, who may be called as a witness in the present Klinck affair.

But crowds or no crowds, Klinck's conduct in court remains the same. He sits through it all with an amused smile. A huge fellow, he often has been compared to a "gorilla." When he was lieutenant to Stephenson, then self-styled "the law in Indiana" and grand dragon of the Ku Klux Klan, Klinck's function was that of bodyguard to the chief. Gentry performed similar functions. Both were found not guilty in the murder case.

*Crime Makers Same*

Klinck's court manner, both now and in 1925, is illustrated by the high moment in the murder case when Special Prosecutor Charles Cox was addressing the jury. Cox declared to the jurymen that it was their duty to demand the death penalty.

"These men should be sent to the electric chair, the scaffold," Cox paused to think of other methods of execution he deemed fit for them.

He glanced at Klinck. The defendant, with a broad smile, made a motion with his large hand, forefinger extended, across his bull-neck, indicating that throat cutting might be included in this ways and means speech.

### CHANGE 'Y' POOL HOURS

Summer Schedule Announced for Classes at Y. W. C. A.

Y. W. C. A. pool went on summer schedule today Miss Louise Noble, Y. W. C. A. health education director, announced. The new schedule is effective until Sept. 3. The pool will be open all day and each evening during these months.

Teaching staff has been increased and includes Mrs. Ann Roadcap, Mrs. Robert Bindes, Miss Verna Nash and Miss Dorothy Shidler. Juniors may use the pool every day at 3 p. m. and all hours Saturday. Adult periods include those for beginners, intermediates, advanced and diving students, with special 5:30 p. m. plunge for deep water swimming only.

### BEECH GROVE GIRL DIES

Miss Frances Ruth Williams, 15, to Be Buried Wednesday.

Miss Frances Ruth Williams, 15, died Sunday at 11 p. m. at the home of her stepfather and mother, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Booker, in Beech Grove, after a five months' illness of leakage of the heart.

Surviving besides the mother and stepfather are three brothers, Lloyd and Austin of Crawfordsville and Raymond of Drumright, Okla., and one sister, Mrs. Harley Morgan of Rockford, Ill.

Funeral services will be held at the home Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. Burial will be at Crawfordsville, Wednesday, at 10 a. m.

### PORCH CHAIRS STOLEN

Flowers Also Are Taken by Intruders in City.

Police Chief Claude M. Worley today warned Indianapolis residents to keep close watch on porch furniture and flowers. Three reported thefts Sunday night.

A. Bevel, 1454 Brookside Ave., said flowers valued at \$6 were taken from his front porch and several other neighbors also were victims.

J. R. Spraul, 4811 College Ave., said his family was sitting inside when a thief removed a chair valued at \$20 from the porch. A chair was stolen from the porch of W. H. Hatton, 4643 N. Capitol Ave.

### SEEKS KIP RHINELANDER

Wife's Counsel to Serve Separation Suit Papers Personally.

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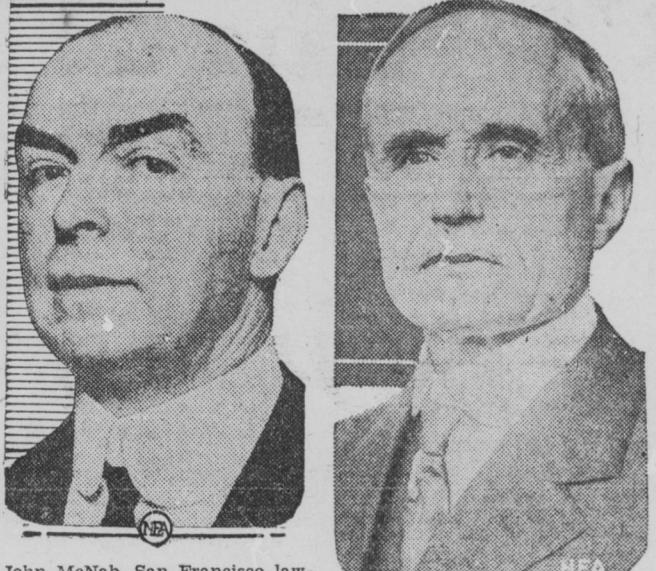
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## Convention Spellbinders



John McNab, San Francisco lawyer, who will place Herbert Hoover's name before the convention.

## GUARD AGAINST STRAY DOGS IN WAR ON RABIES

Three Animals Killed and Examined: Show Traces of Disease.

J. N. Tincher, formerly a Kansas representative in Congress, who will nominate Senator Charles Curtis.

## DENY STEWART ACQUITTAL PLEA

Contempt Case Must Go to Jury, Judge Rules.

By United Press

WASHINGTON, June 11.—Justice Siddons today denied the motion of Robert W. Stewart, Indiana Standard Oil Company's chairman for a directed verdict of acquittal in his Senate contempt trial.

The case, now in its third week, will go to the jury after final arguments are completed, probably Tuesday.

Justice Siddons, when overruling the motion of Stewart's lawyers, rejected more than a dozen points of law argued in an attempt to show the Senate Teapot Dome investigation, the Senate committee itself, the committee questions which Stewart refused to answer, and the indictment resulting from his refusal were illegal.

He ruled it was not necessary for the legislative purpose to be stated in the resolution. Neither was it essential for the Government to prove that Stewart knew anything about the Continental Trading Company, concerning which he refused to answer.

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These held were Paul Miller, 25; Paul Bertalan, 19, and Charles Berchofer, 25.

Bub Carr, 18, son of a Baptist minister and Charles Hoffman, 19, told police the trio had tied them to a tree and driven off with their companions, Gladys Cooper, 17, of Vincennes, Ind., and Norma Bowmen, 17.

A policeman heard the girls' screams for help as the alleged kidnappers drove through Wayne and captured them after a short chase.

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## Violent Death Claims 13 as Week-End Toll

Four Fatalities Here: Lover Slays Woman at Vincennes.

Violent death was the fate of 13 persons in Indiana over the weekend. Of the fatalities four were in Indianapolis.

Porter Davis and Meredith O'Hara, each 18, were killed when an auto collided with a truck here. Drownings accounted for the other two Indianapolis deaths. The victims were James Cardinal, 5, and Charley Bass, 30, Negro.

Jack Burton, local filling station owner at Mitchell, was shot and killed by two bandits who robbed his place of business. The bandits fired when Burton was slow in complying with their commands.

Vincennes Woman Slain

Mrs. Laura McMahon, 36, Vincennes, was shot to death by her common-law husband, Dores Brown, 45, because she told him she intended to return to a former lover.

Brown attempted to kill himself by slashing his throat with a razor, but is expected to recover.

Arie Swasser, 38, truck driver employed by the State highway department, was killed at Winamac when his machine was struck by a Pennsylvania passenger train.

Train Kills Motorist

Ernest Smith, 39, Redkey, was killed at Dunkirk, when a Pennsylvania train struck his automobile.

Robert Harlen, 11, Tell City, died of injuries suffered when he fell from a bicycle beneath the wheels of an automobile.

Ray Wartenbe, 24, Ft. Wayne, was killed during an American Legion air circus at Elkhart when a parachute he used in a leap from a plane failed to open. He fell 1,000 feet. This was Wartenbe's first attempt at a parachute leap.

Glenn Bundy, 19, and Granville Monahan, 30, both of Mitchell, were drowned in White River near Shoals when a boat they were using while fishing overturned.

Oliver F. Hudson, 62, Bedford

grocer, committed suicide by poison. He had been in ill health.

Police Investigated the Charge of Mrs. O. E. Patterson, 1051 W. Michigan St., early Sunday, who said that her husband was thrown from an automobile that stopped in front of their home by three men. He was injured about the head and body. She charged he had been robbed of \$23.

The Negro bandit lost his nerve at the Kroger grocery, 4117 E. Michigan St., Saturday night. After pulling a gun he ran from the store when a small boy entered.

The same Negro, however, remained composed as later he staged a holdup at the Standard grocery, 1004 S. West St. He bought a package of gum and then drew gun. He ordered William Parks, manager, and his son Owen to face the wall and took \$60.

Andrew Judt, 423 Virginia Ave., was followed to his home Saturday night by a young man who watched him cash a check for \$60 at a grocery. When he reached home Judt told police the bandit pointed a gun at him, but he knocked it from his hand. The bandit ran.

A youthful bandit jumped from his automobile at the Pure Oil filling station, Indiana and Capitol Aves. Sunday, pulled a gun, took \$50 from Robert Speer, the attendant, and drove away.

"This man," Foulke continued, "received it from the Indiana members of the great party of liberty which won its first triumph under Abraham Lincoln. Corrupt leaders may appear in any organization. It is the tolerance of this corruption which infects the party as a whole."

"But shall it then be said of all Indiana that it is corrupt and contended? Thank heaven, the final decision is still before us. Unless at the coming election we shall put under our feet the conspirators who have debauched our State government we shall have failed in our duty to the commonwealth," the speaker concluded.

Diplomas were awarded eighty-five graduates.

Proceeds of the stock sale will be utilized to purchase the Indianapolis & Connerville Light and Power Company, for which petition to purchase was filed today; Milroy Light and Power Company, Battle Ground Light and Power Company, Evansville Electric Company and the Indianapolis & Southwestern Railroad Company.

Seven Boys, Two Girls Awarded for Fair Entries.

Seven boys and two girls, winners of 4-H Club events at the Indiana State Fair last season, left this afternoon for Washington, where they were to spend a week.

Expenses of the trip are defrayed by the Indiana State Board of Agriculture with the exception of the Jersey calf winner, whose expenses are paid by the Pennsylvania railroad.

Members of the party: Marie Langston, 17, Cambridge City; Velma Berkley, 16, Flora; Merritt Thorburg, 18, Greensburg; Charles Brown, 14, Battle Ground; Homer Stillabower, 18, Edinburgh; Virgil Riddle, 17, Seymour; Russell Risk, 16, Franklin; Louis Osterhood, 16, Belmont; Willard Park, State and E. Washington St.; Ringgold Park, Bartholomew Ave. and Twenty-Fifth St. (Negro); Ellenberger Park, Irvington, will be opened later in the season.

Wales to Tour Africa

DETROIT, June 11.—The Prince of Wales and his brother, the Duke of Gloucester, will leave early in September for a tour of East Africa, it was understood today.

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