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JOHNSON ART TANGLE ENDED

THE decision to exhibit the Johnson art
collection in the former residence of the
late donor terminates a controversy which,
through the interplay of conflicting pur-
poses and litigation, had been carried far
and field from the original merits of the case.

NEW WAR TO BE WAGED ON CROOKED LAWYERS

Judge Martin is Co-operating With the
Committee of Censors to Purge
the Bar
EVERY reputable lawyer suffers in his
reputation when a crooked lawyer, who
is a client or resorts to trickery to win a bad
case.

THE BRIDGE BUILDERS

IT WAS William James who, having been
gloriously resigned to a world from which
all heroic adventure seemed to have van-
ished, glanced out of a car window and
saw a group of structural steel workers
laboring with enormous beams at a dizzy
height against the sky and suddenly felt his
heart lifted with a new pride in humanity.

UNFAIR TO MR. ARMSTRONG

THE disposition of the dominant forces
in Council to call a halt on factional
bickering until after next Tuesday denotes
perhaps something more than conventional
interest in the forthcoming primary con-
test. Evidently the nominating action is
not an affair to be considered lightly.

UNREADY FOR A CITY COLLEGE

THE stimulating accomplishments of Tem-
ple University and its social and cultural
importance to the community are not in
the least disparaged in Superintendent
Broome's recommendation that the Board
of Education reject the generous and pub-
lic-spirited offer of the Rev. Dr. Russell H.
Newell.

THE BUSINESS OF MURDER

MAIN alcohol, denatured for commercial
and industrial uses, is alcohol highly
impregnated with deadly poison. It has
been demonstrated in all sorts of tests that
poison cannot be wholly removed by
process of re-distillation. Part, but
not all of it, can be eliminated. Yet it has
been found that a veritable flood of re-
denatured alcohol is being turned
into bootleg whisky factories from plants
operating in a city where the police are
demonstrating in all sorts of ways that
this kind of business is not to be
conducted in this city.

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