

CHICAGO NEWS IN BRIEF

Jack McCarthy, 36, Jackson blvd. and Spaulding st., and John Stillman, 3229 W. Polk st., workers on Chicago drainage canal, electrocuted.

Ralph O'Hara, 1917 Hamlin av., robber of purse containing \$150 by two pickpockets in Aurora & Elgin interurban station at 5th av. O'Hara grabbed one man, but he broke loose. Crowd pursued robbers. Several shots fired. The pair ran into Continental National Bank and eluded pursuers.

Mrs. Jennie Bowes and Miss Emily Ackerman, 855 W. Monroe st., arrested, charged with robbing Charles Bills, civil war veteran, of \$65 and his watch. Women told Desplaines street police they never saw old man.

Saloon licenses of Nicholas Lay, 1535 Fullerton av., and John McGovern, 432 N. Clark st., revoked. Lay had been fined \$100 for contributing to delinquency of 16-year-old girl.

Salvatore Constanzo, 230 W. 25th st., shot and killed by Anthony Bevacqua, a grocer, 210 W. 22d place, in quarrel over grocery bill.

Thomas O'Connor, suspected of highway robbery, broke from two detectives who captured him in saloon at Robey and Hastings sts., and escaped. Coppers fired several shots.

Michael Pederlich, 10800 Hoxie av., struck by auto at 102d st. and Torrence av., South Chicago. Died in hospital. Auto did not stop. Witnesses said number was 39647 Ill.

Police arrested five men for gambling in Dr. A. W. Anderson's office, 6903 S. State st.

Frank Traudell, 8, 2330 High st., knocked down and injured by auto that did not stop.

Thomas O'Connor got away from Officers Otten and Engle at Robey and Hastings sts. after emptying revolver at them.

Frank Mueller, 635 Orleans st., badly burned when cannon cracker exploded.

Rep. George Fitch and Sen. W.

Clyde Jones will speak at opening of Progressive Club civic forum next Monday night.

Police looking for George Kostopolos, believed to have eloped with his cousin, Fortney Kostopolos, 16, 315 S. Halsted st.

Grace Abbott, director of Immigrants' Protective League, appointed secretary of Massachusetts commission of immigration.

Herbert Carlson, 14, 429 Bixby ct., killed while stealing ride on Panhandle freight train.

Alienists now in session at Hotel Sherman declare cards and loss of sleep cause lot of insanity among women, and whisky plays deuce with men.

Municipal Court has collected \$304,135.60 in fines during past six months.

Municipal Judge Fry, speeders' court, heard 88 cases yesterday and imposed fines amounting to \$620.

Jack Johnson was given permission to carry his white slave case to U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

Police trying to identify man found dead at Clark and Monroe sts., and another found in railroad yards at Dalton, Ill., who is dying.

Henry Pratt invited Officers Laughlin and McCarthy to assist him in jackrolling Fred Lubhels, 1624 N. Harding av., at Wabash and Adams sts. Nabbed.

Seven-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Hinsdale, crushed to death when baby carriage rolled under horse's hoofs.

The Hoyne special grand jury, with Clyde L. Day as prosecutor, will try to go to work tomorrow morning.

200 parents are up-in-arms over dismissal of Mrs. Mary Beeler, teacher in Sawyer School, 53d st. and Sawyer av.

President McCormick, county board, and Peter Bartzen, former president, were witnesses before