

1121 W. Erie, burns; Sophia Frankewicz, 6, 4416 S. Wood, burns.

Five blind pigs raided at Twin lakes.

Mildred Kostel, 3, 10306 Av. F, dead. Burns. Playing near gas stove.

Lucky Mike, 9 months, 1231 W. Erie, attempted to crawl down stairs. Dead.

Jos. Kostner, 8, 1301 W. 47th, trampled on by horse. Dead. Christ Anderson, 18, driver of Nicholas Gronie's wagon, 4445 Evans av., arrested.

Women canvassed North Side last night securing petitions for Frank O. Lowden for governor.

Following Battling Nelson's criticism of smoking at school board sessions, there were no cigars at the meeting yesterday.

Special parks commission recommended condemning property for new bathing beach between E. 75th and E. 76th.

Justice Boyer, Evanston, will give Mme. Bertha Meers, palmist on trial, chance to read own fate from his palm.

P. J. Falcons, city clerk's office, fined three days' pay for discourtesy to foreigner.

Mayor Thompson asked to close saloons Sunday while Christian Endeavor convention is here. Young People's Civic league made request.

Jas. White sued International Ass'n of Rotary Clubs for \$10,000. No reason given in first filings.

Winthrop Duhlgren, most of whose property is in Chicago, ordered in New York to pay wife \$100 month alimony.

HOW WAGES AFFECT LIFE

Do high-wage workers live longer than low-wage workers? John Fitzpatrick, president Chicago Federation of Labor, says yes and points to the record of the cigarmakers.

"A union cigarmaker lives 13 years longer today than he did 37 years ago," says Fitzpatrick. "Statistics of the cigarmakers' international show

that the average length of life of their members was in 1914 exactly 13 years above what it was in 1888.

"Deaths from tuberculosis have been reduced from 51 to 20 per cent. This is because of the eight-hour day in part, but most of all because wages have been increased 100 per cent through organization."

NEW CHARITY ORGANIZATION IN FOR A PROBING

The press agent for the United Charities hasn't been on the job for some time. A month ago Chicagoans were reminded daily of the money needed by the U. C. to continue their "noble" work.

The people, learning that only 35 cents of each dollar they contributed goes to relieve the suffering of the poor, have failed to respond. Shortly after the campaign was secretly pronounced a fizzle a new organization sprang into existence. It is called the Chicago Community Trust and is being fostered by the Harris Trust and Savings Bank.

The purpose of this organization is to collect money which will be turned over to the various charities of the city.

Thinking it rather peculiar that an organization should be formed for this purpose the Curran Investigation committee of the Illinois legislature has decided to investigate. The "trust" will be asked to detail its purpose and plans of operation at a future meeting of the committee.

Yesterday the Hebrew Institute was visited and O. K'd by the committee. Today the members will continue to check up on charitable institutions and homes for children to determine if recommended changes have been made.

The committee yesterday decided to send investigators throughout the state to check up on 600 boys who were placed with farmers by juvenile officers and whose salaries of \$10 a month has never been accounted for.