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Schlachet to get post**Cimino, U.S. District Court clerk, retires**

Dominic J. Cimino, clerk of the U.S. District Court here, announced his retirement yesterday, effective June 30.

He will be replaced by Mark Schlachet, 28, a Cleveland lawyer who has specialized in antitrust and consumer rights cases in federal court. Schlachet's appointment was approved by the seven federal judges here and the two federal judges in Toledo.

Cimino, 65, was named chief deputy clerk of courts in 1968 and chief clerk in 1970. From 1942 to 1953 he was a trial lawyer with the U.S. Office of Price Administration and from 1953 to 1968 he was an assistant U.S. attorney.

As clerk of courts Cimino supervised the transition of the court from a master calendar system to the personal docket system whereby each judge is assigned responsibility for specific cases.

Cimino said he will open part-time law practice downtown and hopes to teach a course on federal law or serve as a consul-



Cimino



Schlachet

tant on federal court procedure.

He and his wife Simone live in Seven Hills.

Schlachet, a 1968 graduate of Case Western Reserve University law school, has handled class actions, including a suit which successfully challenged the wording of Master Charge credit card billings.

Schlachet will spend this month training with Cimino before assuming the

\$30,000-a-year job. He and his wife Barbara and their two children live at 2201 Acacia Park Dr., Beachwood.

Watergate jury's term is extended

WASHINGTON — The term of the federal grand jury investigating the Watergate break-in and coverup was extended six months yesterday. The jury had been due to expire on June 4 after having been in session for two years.

U.S. District Judge George L. Hart Jr. granted the extension at the request of Special Prosecutor Leon Jaworski.

It was the second time the life of the jury was extended. Its original term was 18 months and the extension was authorized by a congressional vote. Yesterday's extension indicated more indictments may be coming in the main Watergate case.