

## THREE SAFES AT MUNCIE ROBBED OF \$8,000 CASH

W. A. McNaughton Store in Heart of Business District Is Entered.

YEGGS USE NITROGLYCERIN

Lock on Front Door of Building Picked After Police Go Off Duty.

By Times Special

MUNCIE, Ind., Aug. 7.—Three safes at the W. A. McNaughton & Co. store were robbed Sunday morning and the thieves secured about \$8,000 in cash and also several checks.

Two of the safes were broken open with crowbar and wrench, and one was blown open with nitroglycerin. The store was entered through a front door, picking the lock after two special night policemen in the business had gone off duty at 5 o'clock.

FRANKFORT—Little fishes in Prairie Creek did not swim home until morning after Police Chief Dawson had emptied fifteen gallons of confiscated white mule into the stream.

KOKOMO—A gold watch stolen six years ago from Eli Goldin in Louisville has been returned to the owner, not by the burglar, but by Goldin's son-in-law, who bought it from a negro.

MARION—Police here are believed to be guarding huge piles of coal, as people are calling police station to ask where they can buy fuel.

LAFAYETTE—His jaw was fractured and an artery cut in his neck when William C. McMillin, 60, had an encounter with a hold-up man, who robbed him of \$240.

FT. WAYNE—Indignant at being besieged in his own home, Alvis Cloud, negro dining car porter, fired a shotgun through a hole in a window glass made by a brick hurled from outside and then, going to the street, fired again at his retreating enemies.

SOUTH BEND—Faking a hold-up story for benefit of the police, Philip Sebel made a dash for liberty with Patrick Lahey, who, he said, had robbed him, but both were captured, after Lahey had been shot in the left arm, and both were fined for intoxication.

TIPTON—Fishing with an imagination caused Ira F. Crail of this city to tell of hooking a winged sea horse in Lake Maxinkuckee and, unable to land the monster, of being dragged into the lake.

ANDERSON—Although women seem determined to take men's places, men still have compassion for women, said Judge Beeler in giving a light sentence of six months suspended term in woman's prison and fine of \$150 to Mrs. Francis Hedge on charge of operating a still.

HUNTINGTON—Forty years continuous membership in the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers resulted in awarding of a gold badge to John J. Cull.

PLYMOUTH—Tin Can Tourists in convention here, which was presided over by D. E. Whipple, State royal can opener, adjourned after selecting Warsaw as the 1923 meeting place.

SOUTH BEND—Freed in city court on a charge of having liquor in his possession, City Councilman Stanley Gutzki was rearrested and must face trial in Superior Court.

TIPTON—Two transfusions of blood from the father, Ben Hobbs of New Lancaster, to son, Virgil Hobbs, 6, have been made in effort to save the boy's life.

LOGANSPOUT—Commemorating the Old Towne battle fought a mile east of Adamsburg on Aug. 7, 1791, on Old Towne marker has been unveiled.

ANDERSON—Bootleggers of foreign birth are not admitted to American citizenship, it was revealed here, two who recently paid fines on bootlegging charges being refused papers.

SOUTH BEND—Why go to Switzerland or California, writes Bishop Hazen White from his summer home at Lake Wawasee, in praising the lakes of northern Indiana.

SOUTH BEND—Hereafter attorneys sitting as special judges who postpone cases in order to run up the amount of fees will not be paid, Judge Chester L. Du Comb has ruled.

COLUMBUS—Expensive fishing tackle worth \$75 has been thrown away by Henry Hinger after he witnessed a barefoot boy with sapling rod and cotton line make forty good catches in Flatrock River to his nose.

BLOOMINGTON—A new way of throwing the bull has been discovered by Barney Miller, a farmhand near Columbus, who when attacked by an enraged animal grasped it by the horns and threw it to the ground, jumping over a fence before the bull could make another charge.

BLOOMINGTON—Old records were not to be found in the corner stone of the Sixth Street A. M. E. Church building, erected in 1846, when the stone was removed because of construction of a new edifice.

KOKOMO—Investigation is being made by the police of poison being mysteriously placed in the ice-box at the home of Steven D. Barnhart.

SOUTH BEND—Bootleggers were placed in the same class with burglars and other criminals by Dan Pyle of the board of safety in discussing prohibition on and who stated he believes they will soon be outlawed by public sentiment.

KOKOMO—Taxi-cabs are not in the jitney class, according to T. R. Gillespie, manager of a local taxi company, who allowed two drivers to be arrested for charging more than 25 cents in the city limits as test cases.

## Peggy's Party Is Invited to Stay Overnight at the Inn

By ZOE BECKLEY

(Continued)

Bobby nearly spoiled Peggy's triumph. In response to Olive's professional dancing, kissing her hands seemed the proper and easy thing to do in an embarrassing situation. In Peggy's case if he did not respond to her strenuous salute he would look foolish. Yet—clean-hearted boy that he was—Bobby's feelings were mixed—and not too pleasantly.

In her own environment in the fresh mood of school-day fooling Peg-



"WELL, CHILDREN, IT'S TIME ALL NICE LITTLE GIRLS WERE IN BED."

sy was delightfully kissable. At 3 in the morning at a roadside inn with the devil born of champagne in her blood and the excitement of rivalry

with a girl of the stage, who was a different and confusing proposition. So Bobby's response was a bungling and laughing affair, vastly different from the spontaneous, gallant kiss he had given Olive.

Olive could well have rested on her laurels. But she herself was young enough to send a sting of resentment through her. Her successful thrust at Bobby in actually kissing him, where Olive only invited in play, decidedly piqued her.

"Well, children," she said, rising with an end-to-the-party manner, "it's time all nice little schoolgirls were in bed. Tomorrow's examination day, you know."

Olive's proposal, practically puncturing the carousal, raised conflicting feelings. Winnie eagerly jumped in support of it. Ted Barker, faithful in his support of Winnie, seconded the motion.

Bobby, wavering between several alternatives, hesitated, seeing how the mood would assert itself. Peggy, taken off her guard, white-hot at Olive's "nice little schoolgirls," said nothing for the moment. The host of Mikado Inn alone protested.

"Why, say, young folk," said he, warring his head, "your party's just commenced. No one counts the hours when there's fun a-going. My cellar's not empty by a good deal."

The host looked around for some one to take his part. Seeing Peggy not in the least eager for adjournment, he appealed to her:

"Won't you get them to stay? The fun is just beginning."

"I can only ask them," said Peggy, coldly. "But they can't resist your asking, like lady." The host was beaming enthusiasm.

"If you're on my side, we win that's all. If it grows a bit late, and any one's tired, there are nice sleeping quarters at the inn. It's sweet out here in the early dawn. I can tell you! What do you say, Miss Peggy, Dean?"

(To Be Continued)

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## EXHIBIT ON DISPLAY

Book Making in All Stages at Central Library.

"From Poplar Log to Popular Book" is the name of an exhibit now on display at Central Library. It is a loan from Grosset & Dunlap, publishers, and covers all the stages in the making of a book from the original popular log to the completed book.

## DO YOU KNOW HIM?

New York Police Seek Identity of 130-Pound Man, Seven Feet Tall.

By United News  
NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—Any man seven feet tall and weighing only 130 pounds might be expected to be his own identification anywhere. But the New York police are unable, for the time being at least, to ascertain the identity of such a man, who was killed in a traffic accident. The man was about 23 years old and apparently was a laborer.

## The Dictionary of the Flapper

SMOKE EATER—A flapper with a strong appetite for cigarettes.

SMUGGER—One who does all the close fitting dance steps.

SNAKE—A wild boy, a regular devil.

SNUGGLE PUPPY—A flapper or flipper who is over-sentimental.

SOAKED WITH THE BAR RAG—Description of a youngster who has had one drink.

SPONGE CAKE—A Sharpe who dodges hat check charges by wearing a cap to a dance and stuffing it in his vest.

SQUIRREL—To hide.

STEPPER—One who really can dance.

STORM AND STRIFE—A married cake eater's way of referring to his wife.

STRIKEBREAKER—A girl put in to take the place of a young man's regular when she is away.

## MINE OPERATION STEP NEAR GOAL

Would Have Decided Effect on Cleveland Conference, McCordle Declares.

"If a substantial quantity of coal is mined under State protection in Clay County, today, a step toward the settlement of difficulties between miners and operators will have been accomplished," John W. McCordle, chairman of the State fuel emergency committee said today. The announcement of such an accomplishment would have a decided effect on the conference in Cleveland, McCordle said.

Troops of the Indiana National Guard that have been in training in Camp Knox, Ky., not summoned for guard duty in the coal fields, have returned to their home posts. Batteries A and C and the service battery of the 139th regiment have returned to Indianapolis. The regimental headquarters battery of Mr. Vernon, the battalion battery of Princeton, Battery C of Noblesville and the medical detachment of Portland have been mustered out of service.

The returning 150th, composed of Battery A of Kokomo, B of Elwood, C of Lafayette, D of Bloomington, E of Madison, F of Evansville, headquarters company of the First battalion of Angola, headquarters company of the Second battalion of Spencer, Third battery of Columbus, medical detachment of Seymour and headquarters battery and service battery of Muncie, have also been mustered out of service.

## Auto Hits Pole

An automobile driven by Harry Griffin, 2157 Ashland Ave., collided with a telephone pole in front of 1152 Massachusetts Ave. The car was owned by Mrs. Helen Ryan of the same address. The machine was badly damaged.

## JACK IS LAID UP

Has Kicking Spell and Gets Slapped With Flat Iron.

Jack McLaughlin, 25, of 516 N. Senate Ave., was sent to the city hospital for repairs after bumping heads with a flat iron last night. Jack is said to have kicked in the front door at the house where he roomed. Ruth Horne, the landlady, called the police. Jack disappeared. After the police were gone Jack returned and went to 518 N. Senate Ave. and kicked the screen door. William T. Larson of the same address, slapped Jack on the head with a flat iron.

## THREE AUTOS STOLEN

Parked Machines Taken Last Night, Police Report.

Three automobiles were stolen last night.

H. C. Ryker, 43 W. Fall Creek Blvd., reported his car stolen from New York and Illinois Sts.; Donald Stanley, 3737 Carrollton Ave., from in front of St. Vincent's Hospital; George W. Jones, 2235 W. Morris St., from in front of his home.

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## 'Bumming' Auto Rides Is Sport for Modern Huckleberry Finns

Young Indianapolis has discovered a new way to see the world, less dangerous and far more comfortable than hopping freight cars. Automobile tramping is the newest vacation sport, according to one of the "tramps" who slid into a reserved seat beside the driver of a car speeding out Washington St.

He was possibly fourteen, red headed and characterized by the frankness of his age and sex. With him were three others about his age, but they permitted "Red" to do all the talking. "Where do you want to go?" inquired the driver. "Oh, just anywhere you say," responded the passenger. "We'll just go as far with you as you go and if that ain't far enough we'll take another lift. Maybe we'll go clear out to Greenfield."

"But what about coming back?" he was asked. "Suppose no one brings you in before evening?"

"Heck, we'll just stay all night, then."

"But what about your parents—won't they worry about you?" "Say, we ain't girls!" he responded, disgustedly. "But girls ain't so bad sometimes, and we're much obliged for the lift," he remarked gallantly as he slid out over the side.

## "Teddy Bears" Stolen

A thief took four silk "teddy bears," a silk jersey and other clothing from the home of Mrs. Mary Keeler, Apartment 24, at 821 N. Pennsylvania St. A watch was also missing. The thief used a key to enter the flat.

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Combination brassiere and hose supporters; cool for summer. Thrift Day—

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Well made, envelope style, of pink or white batiste. Sizes 36 to 46. Thrift Day—

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Beautiful materials, prettily made and daintily lace trimmed. Thrift Day—

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### Boys' Flapper Suits

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Good quality; all regular sizes. Thrift Day only—

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### \$20.00 Seal Plush Coats

Deep silky plush coat with fur collar, good length. Sizes, 16 to 44.

\$10

### \$35.00 Seal Plush Wrap

Caracul trimmed, wrap model, silk lined; a wonder value.

\$19.75

### \$40.00 Seal Plush Coat

Salte seal plush, luxurious salte Coney collar and cuffs.

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