

## POLICE SEEKING CLEWS IN SERIES OF SMALL THEFTS

Loot in Twelve Robberies  
Ranges From \$10 to \$325  
—One Arrest Made.

An arrest solving a robbery committed Saturday night and investigations today into details of twelve other thefts marked police activity today. The loot ranged in value from \$10 to \$325.

A pass key was used to enter the apartment of Michael Lawler, No. 2 of 2449 N. Illinois St. A diamond stick-pin valued at \$100 and clothing at \$125 was taken.

When Roland Hockett, 2423 Carrollton Ave., drove a machine load of young men into a filling station at Thirtieth and Meridian Sts., owned by the Standard Oil Company, they noticed a side window glass was broken. Investigation showed the money drawer was rifled and the office ransacked. Thirty gallons of oil, valued at \$30, were taken.

### Butcher Shop Entered

A butcher shop at 1003 E. Thirtieth St., owned by Charles Wrennick, University Terrace, was entered and 50 cents taken from the cash register. Another glass in the door between the shop and the Standard Grocery, 1247 Cornell Ave., was removed and Everett Canon, manager, 1250 Cornell Ave., reported that \$8 was taken from the register. No estimate as to merchandise could be made until an invoice was received.

James Fletcher, 462 Arnold St., was waiting for a car at Illinois and Washington Sts. His pocket was picked of \$17.

Police Chief Watson of Greenfield has asked local detectives to watch for parties involved in the robbery of a home there. Two coats, two watches and bracelets, besides other jewelry, are missing.

Beatrice Riley, No. 2, of 316 E. North St., reports some one reached in the window of her apartment and took a purse on the table. A ring and \$5 in money was in it.

### Tools Missing

J. W. Pettles, 1228 Lawrence St., reports tools valued at \$18 taken from where he was working at 3500 Carrollton Ave.

Four hens valued at \$10 were taken from the henhouse of E. E. Seig, 1321 Broadway, and thirty hens valued at \$50 from the coop of J. W. Bowden, Greenwood, Ind.

Earl Hamilton, 521 W. New York St., reports his room entered and a suit of clothes valued at \$25 taken.

Nathan Ross, 1012 S. Meridian St., asks police to aid in finding the thieves who took his horse valued at \$25.

Elmer Martin, alias Bert Morris, 228 E. Vermont St., complained to the police that he was robbed of \$25 while at the home of Bee Williams, 35, colored, 624 E. Court St. The Williams woman left her home, but was later arrested by Lieutenant Anderson and Sergeant Hall charged with vagrancy.

## EARL J. BRATTAIN DIES AT HIS HOME

Railroad Man Had Been West Seeking Health.

Earl J. Brattain, 48, died at his home, 5728 College Ave., early Sunday morning. Mr. Brattain had just returned from California, where he had gone for his health.

For eighteen years Mr. Brattain had been employed by the Erie railroad, serving as general agent and controlling agent. For three years he made his home in Dayton, Ohio, where he was engaged as division freight agent.

Mr. Brattain was a member of the Dayton Chamber of Commerce. He was a Mason and a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church. He was a former student of Shortridge high school.

He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Bertha Brattain, and one daughter, Helen Brattain, both of Indianapolis.

Funeral services will be held at the home Tuesday, 2:30 p. m. Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

### Golf vs. Fisher

WELLINGTON, England, May 7.—Rupert May boasts he's a better golfer than his friend, Mackinlay. Is a fisherman. He proved it in a contest in which May used his ball and clubs on a golf course, while Mackinlay tried casting for distance. May won, say the judges.

### Safety for Miners

ASPTORIA, England, May 7.—Danger of explosions in mines may be entirely eliminated if the invention of a miner, here, proves successful. It consists of a liquid which, when sprayed, purifies the air and renders mine explosions almost impossible.

### Thief Takes Dresses

Louis Jackson, 805 W. Twenty-fifth St., and his wife left home Saturday and returned early today. They discovered a thief had ransacked the house, carrying away three dresses valued at \$57.

### Break Jail at Kokomo

Inspector of Detectives John Mulvih today was notified that Ed Asher, 17, and Wilbur Miller, 17, broke out of jail at Kokomo and headed toward Indianapolis.

### Takes Wrong Medicine

Mrs. W. J. Berry, 129 E. Pratt St., is recovering from effects of a small amount of chloroform. She picked the wrong bottle from a medicine cabinet Sunday.

### Organist at Ten

BOSTON, England, May 7.—The Roman Catholic Church here claims the youngest organist in the world. He's Norbert Rouse, aged 10. He has been studying the organ only three years.

## Fly Swatting Time



## SALVATION ARMY OPENS DRIVE FOR CHILDREN'S CAMP

Organization Seeks \$25,000  
to Improve Property  
North of City.

A drive for \$25,000, with which a fresh air camp will be established for crippled and convalescent children and their mothers, was started today by the Salvation Army. Five hundred team workers started an active canvass of Indianapolis homes. Russell J. Ryan is chairman.

The site of the fresh-air camp, fourteen miles out on the Pendleton pike, consisting of eighty acres recently acquired for \$14,000, is being improved. Building is under way.

Governor McCray asked the people of Indiana to cooperate in the drive. "It is with genuine pleasure that I give my unqualified endorsement to the wonderful work that is being done by the Salvation Army for humanity in general," he said. "A more worthy cause does not present itself to the people of the State, and I bespeak for their most bounteous generosity."

Four-minute speakers under the leadership of Charles Rhodes and Eleanor Thoms, visited nearly every rural Sunday school in Marion county Sunday, announcing the Indiana State Sunday School convention which will be held at the Cadle Tabernacle, June 19-21.

Every Sunday school was asked to participate. Over 10,000 delegates are expected from all over the state.

### Ten Held After Raid

Four women and six men, all colored, were under arrest today on statutory charges following a raid made by Lieutenant Corrigan and Sergeant Wilson, on the home of Mollie Darnell, 45, colored, 748 Coulton St. Mollie Darnell was arrested on the charges of operating a blind tiger, keeping a resort and profanity.

### Gyros Plan Dinner

A stag dinner and smoker will be held by the Gyro Club at the Athenaeum, Tuesday, May 15. The new constitution and by-laws of the club will be acted upon.

### 'Twas No Shooting

When police went to 539 Bellefontaine St. Sunday night to investigate a report that a man was shot they found Albert Litz, a roomer, with a cut on his face. He was arrested on complaint he was disorderly.

### Gaming Charge Faced

These colored men were under arrest today on a charge of gaming: Robert Bales, Fernand Pendleton, William Stovall, Albert Beard and John Cambran. They were captured by Sergeant Halstead at 1210 E. Twentieth St.

### Mercator to Elect

New officers of the Mercator Club will be nominated at the weekly luncheon of the Spink-Arms Tuesday. The election will be June 5.

Take  
**CARDUI**  
—THE  
WOMAN'S TONIC

## Girls Lay Bare Boys' Faults

Basing his statements on answers to questionnaires returned by eight high school girls, the Rev. Frank E. Davidson, pastor of the Englewood Christian Church, declared that the young women knew seventy-six high school boys who smoked cigarettes. Four of the girls said they have seen high school boys drink.

The girls replied that it raised a boy in their estimation to see him working his way through school, while it lowered him to hear him call his father "the Old Man."

## ZONING CHANGES ARE CONSIDERED

Planners and Council to Act  
on Amendments.

The city plan commission will hold a joint hearing with council tonight on amendments to the zoning ordinance. Introduced in Council several weeks ago.

Two amendments take care of recent annexations to the city. One zones the territory annexed south of Minnesota and east of State Ave., and the other territory east of the Monon railroad between Maple Rd. and Forty-Fourth St.

Another amendment changes the district at Thirtieth and McPherson Sts. from business to a residence district with the exception of three lots on one corner. Two corners at the intersection of Dearborn and Massachusetts are changed to business from dwelling home districts. Along Northwestern Ave. from Twenty-Third St. to Boulevard Pl. is changed to business from apartment home district.

### BOYCOTT IS INDORSED

Englewood Hustling Hundred Mawes  
Plans to "Get In."

The Englewood Hustling Hundred, a civic organization, planned to join the sugar boycott at a meeting tonight. The principal speaker will be Homer Elliott, United States district attorney, whose subject will be "Law Enforcement." Social features have been arranged.

### Watson Addresses De Molay

The building of national character through the development of the individual was the theme of a patriotic address delivered Sunday by Senator James E. Watson at exercises held at the Masonic Temple by the Indianapolis chapter of De Molay.

### Smoke Evil Is Topic

W. H. Hanley, chief engineer of the Eli Lilly Company, will speak to the Brookside Civic League tonight at the Carnegie Library. Commerce and Newman Aves., on "Smoke Abatement." Miss Florence Keplers will have charge of a musical program.

### Mr. Pitt Passes By

A Sam Comedy by A. A. Milne Downtown Box Office, Merchants Heat and Light Co.

### SKIN TROUBLES

QUICKLY YIELD TO RESINOL

If you are suffering from eczema, ringworm or similar itching, burning, unsightly skin affliction, bathe the irritated spots with Resinol Soap and warm water, then gently apply Resinol Ointment. You will doubtless be astonished to feel how instantly the itching is relieved and healing begins. In most cases the sick skin quickly becomes clear and healthy again, at very little cost.

Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment also help to clear away blotches, redness, roughness and dandruff, restoring health to skin and scalp. Place the Resinol products in your home today. Your druggist sells them.

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## FRANCIS SELVAGE FUNERAL IS HELD

Graduate of Shortridge and  
Wabash Dies.

Francis Selvaage, 25, who died Friday night at his home, 2340 Broadway, after an eight months' illness, was buried in Crown Hill cemetery today, following services at the residence.

Mr. Selvaage had lived in Indianapolis all his life. He was graduated from Shortridge High School in 1918. Following his graduation from Wabash College in 1922, he made a trip to Europe, where his health became impaired.

For three years while he was in college, Mr. Selvaage was editor of The Bachelor, college publication. He was a member of the local chapter of Beta Phi Sigma, and of the Wabash chapter of the Beta Theta Pi fraternity.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Selvaage, one sister, Helen, and one brother, Joseph, all of Indianapolis, survive him.

### Kentucky Boys Disappear

Police have been asked to seek Howard Brown, 12, and Raymond Brown, 9, who disappeared while on their way from Louisville, Ky., to Richmond, Ind.

### Purse Gone In Movie

A pickpocket robbed Joe Sigman of Allensville, Ind., while he was at a movie theater Sunday night. Sigman told police his purse contained \$30.

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THE  
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COMPANY  
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## FISHERMAN SAYS HE SAW YOUTH KILLED BY HAZERS

Identifies Leighton Mount as  
Boy Thrown Into Pier  
by Students.

CHICAGO, May 7.—John A. Strom, a fisherman, told Evanston police he believes he witnessed the slaying of Leighton Mount, Northwestern University freshman, declared to have been killed by hazers.

Strom informed Police Chief Charles W. Leggett that he saw three young men, apparently students, carry a youth he identified as Mount from pictures to the lake, duck him, talk of pouring sand in his mouth and then toss him into a pier a short distance from the one where Mount's skeleton was found.

This, Strom asserted, was on September 21, 1921, the time of Mount's disappearance immediately after the sophomore-freshman class rush. Leggett said he accepted the story with much reservation. The police chief declared, however, that parts of it dovetailed with other evidence and that Strom's story may have a great deal of truth in it.

Other developments in the tangled mystery today include:

1.—Announcement the only copies of a report of an investigation into Mount's disappearance made in 1921 by the Burns Detective Agency were stolen last week from the Burns vault and the home of J. L. Mount, father of the boy.

2.—Chief Justice Michael L. McKinley impelled grand jury and instructs it to probe death. Subpoenas issued for more than 100 students and others to appear before various investigations.

3.—States Attorney Robert E. Crowe declared "mobs are the same whether composed of university students or underworld toughs" and takes personal charge of the probe.

4.—Location of Joseph Allen Mills, missing student at Akron, O. Strom said he went to the lake front about 4 a. m. on the morning he witnessed the hazing. After he had been fishing a while two students approached and asked how long he was going to be there.

"I heard there had been some students ducked and I wanted to stay and see the fellows do them if they had any one back in the woods and they said yes and turned and went back. I followed and they tried to get me to leave."

I went back to my fishing, but they brought a young fellow out to the lake and went in with him. He yelled for help. I yelled to him he didn't need any help, that the others were getting us too, as he was.

"After they sat around a while the young fellows walked to the pier and threw the man that they held captive into it after they pulled up some rotten plank. They put the planks back. I thought it would be easy for the student to crawl out, so I didn't look into the pier."

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**ENGLISH'S** Circle  
3373  
ALL WEEK  
GRAND PLAYERS  
in  
"THE GOLDFISH"

Marjorie Rambeau's Comedy  
Matinee WEDNESDAY, 2:30, 3:30, 5:00  
Each Night, 2:30, 5:00, 7:30  
300 Reserved Seats at 25c

Next Week, "Welcome Stranger"

### PALACE

Continuous, 1:00 to 11:00 P. M.  
**PATSY SHELLY**  
Assisted by ERNY HOLMGREN  
and His  
ENTERTAINERS

### RUSSELL & PIERCE

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## Kidnaped Boy Safe at Last



HERE'S FIRST PHOTO OF VERNIER ALEXANDERSON, SIX-YEAR-OLD VICTIM OF THE "RADIO KIDNAPING." AFTER AUTHORITIES FOUND HIM NEAR THERESA, N. Y., SHOWN HOLDING THE HEAD OF THE "WONDERFUL DOGGIE" GIVEN HIM BY HIS ABDUCTORS. WITH VERNER IS MRS. H. D. GRINNELL OF ALEXANDRIA, N. Y., WHO WAS CARING FOR THE BOY. SHE RECOGNIZED HIM THROUGH A NEWSPAPER CLIPPING AND HAD WRITTEN A LETTER TO HIS PARENTS WHICH SHE WAS ABOUT TO MAIL WHEN DEPUTY SHERIFFS ARRIVED.

### ASK OVERMEYER'S RETURN

Tabernacle Choir Starts Movement  
for Reinstatement.  
Movement to have Joe Overmyer, who recently resigned as leader of the Cadle Tabernacle Gipsy Smith choir reinstated was under way today. About 250 members of the choir made plans at the Park theater Sunday night.

### Thief Takes Tire

A thief took a \$15 tire off of the automobile of Stanley Brook, 4550 Baltimore Ave., he told police.

### "Cohen listens-in on the radio"

Never, since Joe Hayman's "Cohen on the Telephone" three America into convulsions, have you heard anything so strikingly funny as this new burlesque.

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## BRITAIN AND ITALY MAY SEND JOINT NOTE TO GERMANY

Opposition by New Entent to  
France and Belgium Is  
Possibility.

### By United Press

LONDON, May 7.—Possibility of a joint Italo-British note to Germany, differing radically from that sent Sunday by France and Belgium, was discussed by London papers today as the cabinet met to consider the reparations situation.