

BURGLARS VISIT MANY HOMES--WATCHDOG AMONG LOOT

Eccentric Caller Enters
Woodruff Place Resi-
dences.

An eccentric burglar entering two homes in Woodruff Place early today not only robbed sleeping residents, but stole Jerry, an Irish terrier watchdog, took suspenders from a pair of pants and then escaped as Mrs. Margaret Kenny, 960 W. Drive, gave the alarm.

Activity of burglars was reported to police from all parts of the city.

Mrs. Kenny said a dash of light awakened her at 2:30 a. m.

"When I saw the light a second time, I knew it was a burglar," she said.

"Get out of here," I ordered. "He ran downstairs."

The burglar had ransacked rooms in the lower part of the house. Change amounting to \$1.50, and a watch valued at \$35 were missing from some

Makes Another Call

That the burglar who entered the home of Mrs. Kenny also visited the residence of Walter Carpenter, 926 W. Drive, was not known until later.

Entrance was gained to the Carpenter home on a ladder being used by painters. Carpenter discovered his trousers looted and \$5 missing. A watch in his vest pocket was overlooked. The burglar thoughtfully laid keys and other objects not wanted on the window sill.

Burglars entered the Carton and Doyle grocery store, 343 E. South St., by breaking a glass from the side door early today. The thieves obtained \$6 and a supply of cigarettes, chewing gum and candy valued at \$5.

While the family of Thomas Schram, 910 E. Maple Rd. was away Monday night, a burglar ransacked every room. The thief took \$10, a \$50 opal ring, a \$30 tortoise ring and a \$150 saffron ring.

A thief used a skeleton key to unlock the door of the home of Emma Hiatt, 565½ W. Merrill St., Monday while she was away. The burglar carried away two watches, a gold locket, a Sacred Heart pin, a diamond pin and four or five other articles of jewelry.

Skeleton Key Used

Mrs. Nellie Farr, 919 Massachusetts Ave., today told police she left home Saturday and returned Monday night. While she was gone a thief used a skeleton key to enter her flat. Cloth valuing at \$40 was missing.

Thieves obtained a supply of groceries by forcing a window in the warehouse of the Grocers Supply Company, 214 W. McCarty St. The loot included seventy-five pounds of coffee, seventy-two cakes of soap, two dozen boxes of matches and two dozen cans of milk. A. H. Disher discovered the theft.

A burglar took a \$25 suit of clothes, Herbert Shope, 2405 Northwestern Ave., told police today, while the family was away Monday.

H. O. Hoffman, 452 N. Gray St., left \$60 in the pocket when he sent a coat to a cleaner. The money was missing when the coat came back.

Detectives are investigating disappearance of a \$450 ring owned by Mrs. Arthur Volin, 4420 Central Ave. Volin told the police the ring was either lost or stolen while his wife was in a downtown luncheon Monday. The ring had two one-half karat diamonds and two long blue sapphires.

D. K. Springer, who has offices at the Union Stockyards, today told detectives a thief took two tires, valued at \$60, from his car, parked at the stockyards.

While an automobile owned by Albert Schilling, R. R. P. box 303, was parked on S. Pennsylvania St., near the elevation, a thief took a tire valued at \$15.

MAILERS' UNION HONORS VETERAN MEMBER AT ANNUAL PICNIC



MEMBERS OF THE MAILERS' UNION NO. 10 AND FAMILIES ON ANNUAL PICNIC. CROSS BELOW, CHARLES DAVIS.

MRS. ROGERS HORNSBY FILES SUIT FOR DIVORCE

Wife of St. Louis Cardinals' Second Sacker Alleges General Indignities in Her Complaint.

By United Press

ST. LOUIS, June 12.—Mrs. Sarah E. Hornsby, wife of Rogers Hornsby, star second-sacker of the St. Louis Cardinals, late yesterday filed suit for divorce in the Circuit Court here, charging general Indignities.

Mrs. Hornsby, in her petition, states she was married to Hornsby in Philadelphia, Sept. 23, 1918, and separated from him in St. Louis, Dec. 27, 1922. She also charges her husband was quarrelsome and refused to take her to places of amusement and was indifferent to her. She asks alimony in a lump sum and the custody of their son, Rogers Hornsby, Jr., 2½ years old.

Hornsby entered a general denial.

Mrs. Hornsby went to California five months ago. Immediately after she had "learned what was going on," she said in a recent interview. At the time she intimated her divorce action would be closely associated with the hearing on the divorce case of Mrs. Jeannette Pennington Hine, in which Hornsby's name was mentioned as the author of a love note to Mrs. Hine.

Shortly after the note was made public, Hornsby denied all knowledge of it. He asserted he had nothing

to say in regard to the note, but he would defend himself when the matter was brought up again. The note, which contained endearing terms, and was signed "Roge," was alleged to have been posted at Bradenton, Fla., the spring training camp of the Cardinals.

Explosion Victim Is Expected to Recover



WILLIAM JOHNSON

FIRE LOSS SHOWS LARGE DECREASE UNDER LAST YEAR

Patrolman Fisher Resigns Because Pay Is Too Small.

Fire losses in Indianapolis for May amounted to \$46,142, as compared with \$68,834 for the same month of last year, according to a report submitted today by Fire Chief John J. O'Brien to the board of safety.

Although the loss showed a decrease of \$2,692, there were 296 fires this year against 169 for May, 1922.

Traffic Congestion

Complaints concerning congested traffic conditions at the traction freight terminal, Capitol Ave. on Seventeenth St., between Park and Central Aves., and on Bird St., between New York and Vermont Sts., were received. The complaints will be taken up with Michael Glenn, captain of traffic, and the city council traffic committee.

The resignation of Patrolman E. E. Fisher was accepted. He said he was insufficient.

Greenwood Gets Bill

Francis F. Hamilton, building commission, reported an order issued to Ronald A. Foster to wreck a building at 605 E. Ohio St.

Oscar E. Wise, secretary, reported he had sent a bill to the town of Greenwood, for \$137.50, for a run made by the fire department June 8. This is the first charge made under the new ruling of the board that \$25 an hour would be charged for runs outside the city.

REPUBLICAN POLITICS BUBBLE AT MUNCIE

Eighth District Leader Plan for Campaign.

By United Press

MUNCIE, Ind., June 12.—Politics of the Republican variety, bubbled in Muncie today as party leaders from the Eighth district gathered for the meeting where plans for the coming campaign were to be threshed out.

Guests at the dinner were Senator James E. Watson and Edward Toner, Anderson. All were speakers on the program at the luncheon and spoke during the afternoon. Governor McCay was unable to attend the meeting.

STOCK SALE AUTHORIZED

Power Company Gets Permission to Issue Securities.

The Northern Indiana Gas and Electric Company, operating in a score of northern Indiana cities, was authorized by the public service commission today to issue and sell \$4,000,000 in betterment securities.

The sale will include \$1,000,000 in common capital stock and \$3,000,000 of the company's Class "A" 7 percent preferred stock. Among cities in which the utility operates are Elkhart, W. R. E. Box 220, and Elkhart, Indiana.

Elmore and Minor Bryant, R. R. X. Box 40, were indicted on liquor charges. Roy Steward and Arthur Cranz were charged with pettiness; Joseph H. Bering, failure to stop after an accident, and Harrison Gray, Roy Williams and Preston Wilson, with grand larceny. Two indictments were against fugitives.

Radio Set Stolen

A radio set valued at \$16 has been reported stolen to the police by Ed

PICTURE OPERATORS MAY PICKET SHOWS

Labor Union Denounces Sunday Amusements—Defiance of Ordinance Threatened.

Members of the Motion Picture Operators Union today threatened defiance of the anti-picketing ordinance.

Arthur Lyday, organizer for the Union, following passage of a resolution denouncing Sunday amusements by the Central Labor Union Monday evening, declared the expression was directed against non-union movie houses. The union recently caused the arrest of managers and employees of several non-union theaters on charges of violating the Sunday law.

"Picketing is against the law," said Lyday. "We aim, however, to use pickets Sunday. The men probably will be arrested, but it will look queer to see men arrested for violation of the law in picketing and the owners of the houses not to be arrested for operating their houses on Sunday."

The Central Labor Union voted to

send twenty-five boys to the Riley Hospital benefit game this afternoon.

The proposed action of the county commissioners in lowering the salary of Dr. Harold S. Hatch, head of Sunny-side Tuberculosis Sanitorium, was condemned by the labor body. Work of Dr. Hatch was praised by members of the organization. Several union men have been taken care of at the institution, they pointed out.

Dissatisfaction was expressed on the difficulty of getting patients into the institution by John Smith of the stage hands.

Resulting from his discussion a committee was appointed to interview county commission on the proper way to gain admittance to the sanatorium. The committee: Henry Friedman, chairman; Frank McKamey, John E. Smith, Milton N. McCord, L. A. Barth, secretary of the Central Labor Union.

FROM FAR AND NEAR

William Weatherford, Bloomington, Ill., patrolman, was beaten severely when he attempted to arrest his two brothers on a bootlegging charge.

Governor Blaine, Wisconsin, has signed an anti-daylight savings bill.

Robbers locked C. S. Robison, cashier of the Missoula, Mont., Farmers State Bank, in a vault and escaped with \$4,000 cash.

Missing for more than a year and believed dead, George M. Rogers, telephoned to relatives at Cordelle, Ga., Monday night he was coming home.

Mrs. Malinda Collinot, Chicago widow, was praised by a coroner's jury because she shot and killed Richard Condi, 22, a friend, who attempted to enter her bedroom.

Appointment of a "dictator" for Wall Street to restore confidence among investigators is being considered by the Central Labor Union.

The Farmers' National Stabilization commission says more stringent control of meat packers will be asked of the next Congress.

Monarchs gained seats while the Socialists lost in the Spanish Parliament, according to Monday's election returns.

The Wisconsin Senate will be asked this week to publicly probe reports of "drinking bouts" by legislators.

Three men were injured in a gas explosion in the Lehman and Wilkeson coal mine near Wilkeson, Pa.

A bill to repeal the Georgia bone dry law will be introduced in the next Legislature, Atlanta wet leaders say.

French cabinet officials announce United States will be invited to a general conference of the powers on reparations.

Many persons are reported drowned in floods in the province of Bern in Russia.

J. L. Jacobs, Cook County, Ill., purchasing agent, has prescribed time clocks for jurists and other county employees as an economy measure.

Peggy Marsh announced her engage-

menters' annual picnic. This year the picnic was arranged "over his head" and was held Sunday, several days ahead of time. More than 125 members of Mailer's Union No. 10 from local newspapers and job offices and their families were present at Idlewood Park, near Pendleton. Davis was presented with a watch by members of the union.

Charles Davis, foreman in a local newspaper mailing room for nineteen years will move late this month to California.

Although Davis has been a member of the mailers' union for over thirty years, he says he will take up some other line of work.

In past years he has planned the

POLITICAL WRITER PAIRS RALSTON AND AL SMITH

Harding and Roosevelt Placed on Republican Ticket With Reed and Christensen as Farmer-Labor Candidates.

Political Writer Pairs Ralston and Al Smith

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