

## CROOK WORKS RENT GAME ON WOMAN VICTIM

Gives Worthless Check and  
Gets Change—Hold-up—  
Is Frustrated.

The action of a fraudulent check worker and revival of the hold-up business were high spots on the police slates today.

A man answering the description of one who worked recently in the northeast section of the city, transferred operations to the southwest, and as a result Miss Frida Buechert, 412 W. McCarty St., is out \$20 today.

The man inquired about renting a house. He gave a check for \$55 and she deducted the \$35 rent and gave him the change in cash. She later discovered the check was worthless.

### One Shot Fired

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Showalter, 75 N. Hawthorne Lane, told police they drove up to the John Koehler Pharmacy of Thirtieth St. and Central Ave. Wednesday night. A man came toward the auto, and, holding a revolver, demanded they "Stick 'em up." Showalter told Sgt. Claude Johnson and he and Mrs. Showalter seized the man. He got loose and ran, turned and fired one shot, Showalter said. Koehler told the police a narcotic addict has been loitering about the store.

### Diamond Brooch Gone

Mrs. William T. Meyers, 235 Penway St., reported to police a \$700 diamond brooch, lost or stolen. R. H. Sharp, 430 N. Meridian St., night man at the Southern Style Barbecue, at 470 Massachusetts Ave., told Lieutenant Schubert he stepped out a minute early today and left the dishwasher in charge. The dishwasher and \$110 disappeared, he said.

### Bees Go to Court

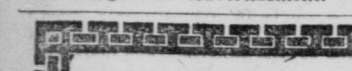
By Times Staff  
GREENCASTLE, Ind., July 10.—Swarms of bees invaded the business district here Wednesday afternoon and settled on the southeast corner of the courthouse. Two local men hived them and took them home.

## MY DAUGHTER WOULD CRY AT EVERYTHING

Nervous and Irritable. By Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Became Entirely Normal.

"My daughter was in a very run-down condition, and was irritable, and would cry at every little thing she was so weak and nervous. As Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had helped me when I was a girl I gave it to her to build her up, and the results were all that we could wish for. I wash that every mother with growing girls would try it for these troubles girls often have. I had taken it myself. I recommend the Vegetable Compound to women and girls and cannot praise it too highly."—Mrs. I. A. Holford, Box 48, Clinton, Wisconsin.

Mothers can depend upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve their daughters of those troubles they so often have. They know from experience the value of the treatment of these complaints and many, like Mrs. Holford, give it to their daughters.—Advertisement.



## 'The Auctioneer' Still Sells Relics in Old Boston Shop

By HAROLD MATSON,  
NEA Service Writer.  
OSTON, July 10.—He came to this country with ambition, knowledge of six languages and two glass bottle knick-knacks.

The knickknacks brought him fame and riches. David Abram Jacobs, immortalized by David Warfield in his famous play, "The Auctioneer," has continued his unobtrusive way despite the fame and despite the riches.

But he still sells gate-leg tables, samovars, brass candlesticks, miniature ships blown in glass bottles, Windsor chairs, gewgaws galore to those who want—and those include notables from all parts of the country.

Henry Ford just stepped in to buy a round-top table. He paid \$11 for it. Jacobs gave him a receipt. Ford went out. If a crowd hadn't gathered outside Jacobs would not have known.

It was the same way when David Warfield came in some time ago. He came again and again. And then one day Jacobs received fare to New York and tickets for "The Auctioneer." Jacobs went and saw himself characterized on the stage selling brass candlesticks, and he went seven times more.

But he returned to his shop "just making a living," he tells you, but one could hardly say that Jacobs passed up any opportunities to make money. In fact, he has proved that his "junk shop" is pretty much of a mint.

With his two bottle antiques, brought over from Poland, he started his career as an antique dealer in 1897. The two antiques he sold for \$5 each.

"Ach, this is a good country," he thought, "to make money so easily." Then he bought 400 cigarettes for \$1 and sold them for \$4.



DAVID ABRAM JACOBS

"Ach, this is a good country beyond a doubt!" So Jacobs bought and sold and bought and sold and became famous for his bargaining.

Yet the shop has remained the same—they call it a "junk shop" along Cambridge St.

In the meantime Jacobs' two sons have completed college courses, he has bought valuable property in Boston, he owns a mansion, he owns a big car.

And he wears his same old black derby and sits in a dark corner of his shop, waiting for the Ford and the Warfields and the Morris Gestes to come for his wares.

The Commoner entered the presidential lists.

Third Time  
For the third time brother Charley took up his post behind the scenes. By this time a small, black leather-covered pocket note book—still up to date and accurate—had reached a workable stage. In it were listed all of the prominent Democrats of the country. At a glance "Brother Charley" could tell whether they were "for or against" us. Adversity for the third time descended on the house of Bryan, and William Jennings was defeated for the presidency.

But the Commoner continued to be published and the management soon rested on Charles' shoulders.

Elected Mayor  
In 1915 Charles Bryan was elected mayor of Lincoln. His campaign was waged against high coal, gas and market prices. Soon after election he threatened to open a municipal gas plant—gas prices dropped. Then he agitated municipal ice production—ice prices dropped and so followed coal.

His popularity became State-wide and swept him into the Governor's office in 1922. From the early title of "Governor Charley" he graduated to "Governor Bryan."

His term has been filled with successful warfare waged against gravel, coal, and gasoline.

Forced Prices Down  
As mayor of Lincoln and Governor of Nebraska he has forced lower prices in coal, gas, gravel and gasoline—always with the club of municipal or State sale held high over the head of the victim.

Charles W. Bryan was born at Salem, Ill., Feb. 10, 1867. He attended the University of Chicago.

While still in his early twenties he journeyed into the West to Nebraska to join his brother, William Jennings Bryan.

Practically his first venture into business made him proprietor of a side street cigar store in Omaha. Soon after he became a traveling salesman for a food extract company in Lincoln.

Private Secretary  
Then came the year of his brother's first run for the presidency in 1896. Charles Bryan became his brother's private secretary.

Against the 1900 presidential campaign of W. J. Bryan his younger brother was private secretary. But more than that Charles had risen to the post of confidential advisor and political strategist.

Once again defeat turned back the Bryans and this time resulted in the inception in 1901 of the "Commoner," edited by W. J. Bryan and managed by Charles W. Bryan.

For seven years the Bryan organ occupied the attention of both brothers. Then for the third time

Contracts for a \$12,000 chapel building for the Fairview Presbyterian Church on Forty-Sixth St. between Capitol and Kenwood Aves. will be awarded July 15, the building committee has announced.

Plans provide for a one-story structure, English Gothic style, half timber and half white stucco exterior. It will contain an auditorium, a kitchen and Sunday school rooms.

VAGRANCY IS CHARGE

Motorist Held With Auto Full of Accessories.

Edgar Taylor, 25, colored, 1019 E. McCarty St., is under arrest today charged with vagrancy. Lieutenant Hudson and squad, said they found him in an auto filled with accessories at Cruise and Daly Sts.

Gone, but Not Forgotten

Automobiles reported stolen belong to W. B. Raikes, stockyards, Overland, from Market St. and Capitol Ave.

Robert H. Hassler, 1535 Naomi St., Ford, from residence.

Frank Jefferies, 1533 E. Washington St., Scripps Booth from Capitol Ave. and Louisiana St.

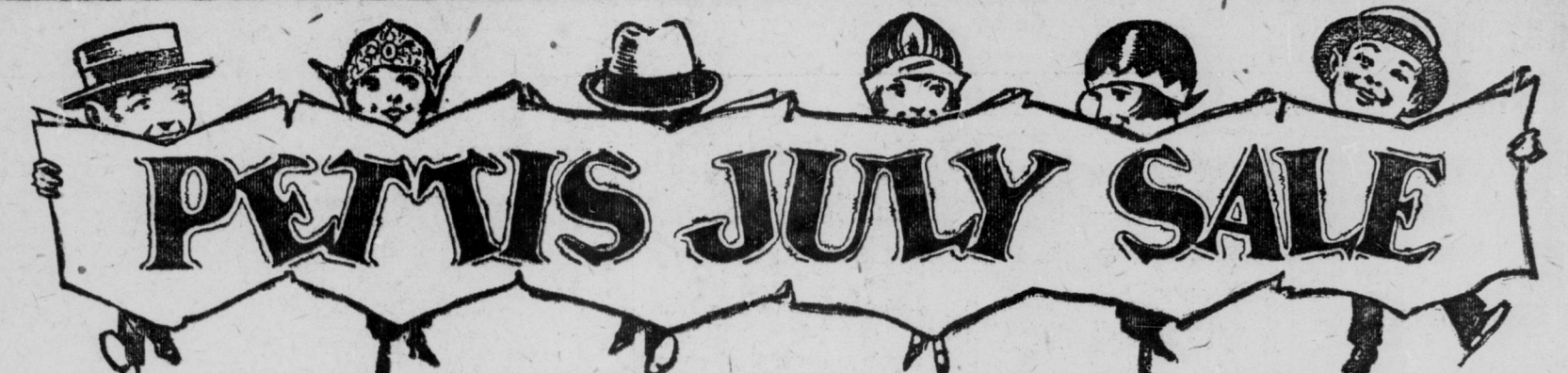
Dan Headford, 436 N. Lincoln Ave., Overland, from Walnut and Noble Sts.

E. E. Taylor, 1923 Woodlawn Ave., Ford, from garage near same address.

BACK HOME AGAIN

Automobiles reported found by police belong to: Aaron Donnals, 449 Highland Ave., Ford, found stricken of parts at School and E. Forty-Second Sts.

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**Ice Tea or Water Set, 77c**  
Colonial pattern, clear finish crystal glass; the pitcher and 12 matching glasses constitute the set. For Friday, 77c. —Pettis, basement.

**Console Sets, Complete for 77c**  
Blue or green-colored glass, set of bowl with stand and two candlesticks to match. The set, 77c. —Pettis, basement.

**Gas Hot Plates, \$2.77**  
2-Burner hot plates, strong and durable for laundry or kitchen use. Friday only, each, \$2.77. —Pettis, basement.

**Cherry Stoners, 77c**  
Removes the pits from cherries without crushing; sanitary, saves time and labor. Friday only, each, 77c. —Pettis, basement.

**Electric Irons, \$3.67**  
Regular household sizes; guaranteed; complete with cord and plug; ready for use. Friday only, \$3.67. —Pettis, basement.

**Lawn Sprays, Each, 77c**  
Round style, throws fountain-like spray. Friday only, each, 77c. —Pettis, basement.

**One-Burner Style Ovens, \$2.87**  
Made of blued steel, perfect bakers. Friday only, each, \$2.87. —Pettis, basement.

**Garden Hose Reels, 87c**  
Made of hardwood, will carry 150-foot of hose. Very special Friday at 87c. —Pettis, basement.

**Serving Trays, Only 77c**  
Mahogany finish frames, beautifully decorated bottom under glass, two strong handles. This is the regular household size and priced for Friday only, each, 77c. —Pettis, basement.

**Table Tumblers, 7c**  
Fine quality, optic clear finish crystal glass. Friday only, each, 7c. —Pettis, basement.

**Walking Sticks for Women, 97c**  
In an assortment of colors, novelty tops with leather tips to carry. Friday, each, 97c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Red and Blue Elk Cut-Out Sandals, \$2.77**  
Good shoes with turn soles. Your opportunity to get a pair of colored shoes at a greatly reduced price. Broken sizes of 4 to 7. Friday, a pair, \$2.77. —Pettis, street floor.

**Sample Neckwear, 87c**  
This assortment includes collars, collar and cuff sets of set and organly, tailored vestees of pique and linen, also vestees of net and organly. Special, each, 87c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Boys' Muslin Night Shirts, 77c**  
Made of fine quality muslin, neatly trimmed and full cut for comfort, in sizes 6 to 18. Each, 77c. —Pettis, third floor.

**\$1.69 Carving or Steak Sets, 97c**  
Silver plated handles and stainless blades. Very special for Friday, the set at 97c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Yankee Girl Hair Nets, 3 for 17c**  
(Regular 10c Nets)  
Specially selected and guaranteed perfect hair nets. All colors, cap or fringe styles, single or double mesh. Special, 3 for 17c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Striped Tub Silks, a Yard, \$1.27**  
This lot also includes broadcloth stripes. Fine quality in very pretty styles on white grounds, 32 and 36 inches wide. Special, a yard, \$1.27. —Pettis, street floor.

**69c Checked Ratine, a Yard, 47c**  
Neat hair line checks in various colors on gray and tan grounds, 36 inches wide, a yard, 47c. —Pettis, street floor.

**25c Printed Percaloes, 17c**  
Choice patterns and stripes on light grounds, a yard wide. Special for Friday, a yard, 17c. —Pettis, street floor.

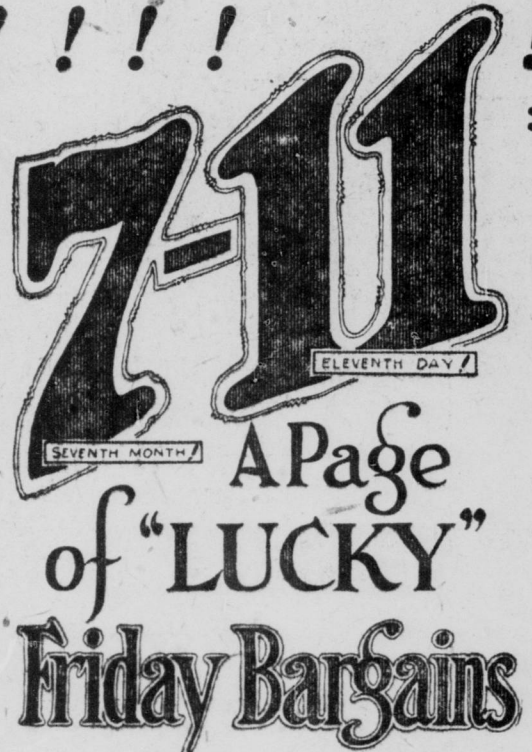
**French Val. Laces, 47c**  
The demand for these laces is greater every day. A large assortment of cream and ocre colors, 1/2 to 1 inch wide, a bolt, 47c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Narrow Trimming Ribbon, 7c**  
Wonderful assortment of almost every needed ribbon tinsel, picot, moire and fancies, a yard, 7c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Ruffled Swiss Curtains, 97c**  
Sheer swiss curtains of neat crossbar pattern with dainty narrow ruffles and tie-back loops to match. A pair, 97c. —Pettis, third floor.

**Drapery Cretonnes, a Yard, 17c**  
36-Inch width, closely woven fabrics of durable quality. Attractive patterns and colorings, suitable for draperies or coverings. Special, a yard, 17c. —Pettis, third floor.

**Ruffled Dotted Grenadine, 37c**  
Mercedized curtain grenadine, various size dots with full, narrow ruffle, a yard, 37c. —Pettis, third floor.



**Sample Neckwear, 47c**  
This lot includes vestees, collars, collar and cuff sets and many other articles, fashioned of lace and net combinations of organly and linen. Special, each, 47c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Leatherette Cushions, 87c**  
Durable Black Leatherette Cushions, suitable for auto, hammock, canoe or porch, each, 87c. —Pettis, third floor.

**Men's Linen Kerchiefs, 17c**  
Our regular 25c kerchief of pure linen with 1/2-inch hemstitched hem. Fine sheer grade of Irish linen. For Friday only, each, 17c. —Pettis, street floor.

**59c Printed Voiles, 37c**  
Choice patterns and colors of fine quality in the season's favorite colors, 44 inches wide. Special, a yard, 37c. —Pettis, street floor.

**29c New England Gingham, 17c**  
Offered in attractive checks, plaids and plain colors, made in New England, 32 inches wide, 2 to 10-yard lengths, cut to suit. Special, a yard, 17c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Printed Silk and Cotton Tub Silks, 47c**  
In pretty foulard patterns and attractive colors, suitable for washable summer dresses, 36 inches wide. A yard, 47c. —Pettis, street floor.

**\$1.25 Real Galaleth Beads, 47c**  
They are unbreakable, light weight and cool for summer wear. 30-inch strands in graduated style and in all good colors. Very special, each, 47c. —Pettis, street floor.

**\$2.95 Solid Beaded Bags, \$1.97**  
In flower combination color designs. Tassel fringe at bottom finishes these bags in an artistic manner. Silk lined. Each, \$1.97. —Pettis, street floor.

**\$1.29 to \$2.98 Slightly Soiled Blouses, 97c**  
This lot of excellent quality dimity, voile and batiste blouses are in all white and white with touches of color. Very special, each, 97c. —Pettis, second floor.

**\$2.98 to \$5.95 Georgette Blouses, 97c**  
Georgette blouses in dark colors trimmed with lace, tucks and embroidered. Very specially priced, each, 97c. —Pettis, second floor.

**\$3.95 Crepe de Chine Blouses, \$1.97**  
Crepe de chine in light and dark colors, a limited number, while they last, very special, each, \$1.97. —Pettis, second floor.

**Brassieres and Confiners, 27c to 67c**  
Built-up and strap models, in sizes 32 to 48, but not all sizes in all models. Very special, priced 27c each on up to 67c each. —Pettis, second floor.

**Good Fiction, 2 for 77c**  
This is excellent, clean stock of good titles by popular writers. Very special for Friday, 2 for 77c. —Pettis, street floor.

**89c All-Linen Suiting, 47c**  
Excellent pre-shrunk quality in several desirable shades, 36 inches wide. A yard, 47c. —Pettis, street floor.

**50c American and Imported Tissue Gingham, 27c**  
Attractively colored woven checks and plaids that are suitable for cool summer dresses; 30 inches wide. Special, a yard, 27c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Black Dress Satins, Yard, \$1.37**  
Durable black dress satins, yarn dyed, all silk for dresses, cushions, etc.; 36 inches wide. Special, a yard, \$1.37. —Pettis, street floor.

**\$2.50 New, Printed Canton Crepes, \$1.47**  
Good quality cotton and silk mixed, in late new designs and color combinations; 40 inches wide. A yard, \$1.47. —Pettis, street floor.

**\$2.00 Amoskeag and French Gingham Dressettes, \$1.11**  
Straight-line models, shirred on hip style. New gingham prints with plain tops, combination trims and figured patterns with pockets. Several models to select from. In colors of pink, blue, brown, green and lavender. Each, \$1.11. —Pettis, second floor.

**Children's and Infants' One-Strap White Kid Slippers, \$2.11**  
Also included are Mary Janes. All high-grade shoes with turn soles. Some are slightly soiled. Regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 shoes. Sizes of infants' No. 3 to children's No. 8 and a pair, \$2.11. —Pettis, street floor.

**Marquisette Curtains, \$1.11**  
Hemstitched border marquisette curtains, trimmed with narrow lace edges; a pair, \$1.11. —Pettis, third floor.

**Spanish Laces, 2 Yards, \$1.11**  
Fine, heavy, lustrous quality laces; splendid for dresses and various other uses; 36 inches wide; black and in colors; special, 2 yards for \$1.11. —Pettis, street floor.

**20c Wall Paper, a Roll, 11c**  
Floral and conventional designs. Sufficient for a large room. 10 rolls of side wall, 7 rolls of ceiling, 20 yards of cut-out border. Room complete, \$2.47. —Pettis, third floor.

**Novelty Silk Kerchiefs, 3 for 11c**  
An attractive lot of novelty silks in about 20 different patterns and variety of colors. Very excellent for a bit of color in the pocket or as a novelty for the kiddies. 3 for 11c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Novelty Kerchiefs, 3 for 11c**  
A large assortment of lawn kerchiefs with embroidered corners, some are plain colors, others white with neat, narrow colored borders. Many different colors and patterns to choose from. 3 for 11c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Men's Kerchiefs, 11c**  
Regular 10c kerchiefs of fine lawn with very neat and attractive borders in blue, green and lavender. Full size. Friday, each, 11c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Cotton Floss, 7 Skeins for 11c**  
All colors of this cotton floss, 6-strand and rope style, also silk rope, 7 skeins for 11c. —Pettis, fifth floor.

**Stamped House Dresses, With Floss to Complete, \$1.11**  
Five different stamped designs to select from, all new. Sufficient amount of floss to complete the dress included at \$1.11. —Pettis, fifth floor.

**3-Piece Stamped Buffet Set and Scarf, \$1.11**  
Hemstitched buffet scarf and 3-piece buffet set stamped in pretty design, complete with D. M. C. floss to complete the works, regularly selling 50c apiece. Very special, the set and scarf, complete with floss, \$1.11. —Pettis, fifth floor.

**About 30 Pieces of Knit Goods, \$7.11**  
Including suits, mandarin and dresses. Garments that have been taken from our regular \$12.50 to \$29.50 stocks for this special day's selling. Each, \$7.11. —Pettis, second floor.

**\$8.95 to \$15.00 Skirts, \$7.11**  
White flannel, silk and wool ratine and basket cloth skirts in the smart wrap-around style, pleated models, and some are artistically embroidered; 26 to 32-inch waist. Very special for Friday, each, \$7.11. —Pettis, second floor.

**All Embroidered Models at \$7.11**  
This lot comprises all embroidered scarf models, pillows, pajamas, gowns, bedspreads, etc. Values up to \$29.50 each, and all are ready for use. Each, \$7.11. —Pettis, fifth floor.

**Three-Piece Vanity Sets, \$2.11**  
Imported three-piece vanity sets, open cut work. Very special, a set, \$2.11. —Pettis, street floor.

**10c Powdered Ammonia, 2 for 11c**  
Large size packages powdered ammonia. Friday, 2 packages for 11c. —Pettis, basement.

**Genuine "Good-Year" Garden Hose, 11c Foot**  
Heavy guaranteed moulded cord, standard size, will cut any desired length. Friday only, a foot, 11c. —Pettis, basement.

**23-Piece China Set, \$4.11**  
Beautiful imported decorated blue "Howo Bird" china—the set consists of teapot, sugar and creamer, 6 tea plates, 4 cups and 6 saucers, an extraordinary big special for Friday, the set, \$4.11. —Pettis, basement.

**Goblets, Set of 6 for \$1.11**  
Beautifully colored crystal goblets, for Friday only, set of 6 for \$1.11. —Pettis, basement.

**100 Dozen White Bath Towels, 11c**  
Excellent quality white bath towels are offered at this very low price, from a 100-dozen lot, 30 inches long, each, 11c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Unbleached Toweling, 11c**  
Soft, spun round thread toweling, will give years of hard service, a yard, 11c. —Pettis, street floor.

**White "Huck" Towels, 11c**  
Fine quality white "Huck" hand towels, pure white bleach, fast selvage. Very special, each, 11c. —Pettis, street floor.

**Five-Piece Bridge Sets, \$1.11**  
Good five-piece bridge sets, white with colored scalloped borders, in rose, gold and blue, set, \$1.11. —Pettis, street floor.

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