

ROBBERS SECURE \$2,100 WEEK-END LOOT OVER CITY

Suspect Wounded by Police
—Raider Arrest 174
Men, 20 Women.

One suspected robber was shot and approximately \$2,100 obtained by bandits and burglars in Indianapolis over the week-end, police reports today showed.

While robbers were busy, police raiders were also, and the week-end arrest list totaled 194—174 men and twenty women.

Bullets from guns of officers wounded Arthur Brooks, alias Scarface, Negro, 23, of 324 W. McCarthy St., as he fled from the back steps of the home of Mrs. Ivor N. DePowell, 721 S. Capitol Ave. He was held in the city hospital detention ward, shot in the leg.

Mrs. DePowell called police, reporting a man was attempting to force his way into her home. They found Brooks had broken the front door glass with a bottle and failing to gain entrance had gone to the back door.

Two Bandits Sought

Brooks was shot while police searched for two bandits, who, early Sunday, held up and robbed two Peoples' Motor Coach Company employees at \$817.25.

Smith Bowman, Jr., 1907 N. Illinois St., and Thruwan Barry, 2006 N. Pennsylvania St., delivering the money to a bank, were forced to the curb at Washington and Noble Sts. by two men in a stolen car, covered with revolvers and relieved of the money. The bandits' car was deserted at Fulton and Walnut Sts. It belonged to Dale Winn and J. Hochan, 4218 Baltimore Ave.

\$1,200 Hold-Up

A shot from a bandit's gun stopped the car driven by Clyde Wilson of Tipton near White River on College Ave., Saturday night. Wilson and his companion, Miss Martha Link, 31 N. Senate Ave., were robbed of \$1,200 in jewelry and money, they reported to police. Miss Link's finger was cut when the bandit jerked her diamond ring off her hand.

Frank Bottin, a clerk, reported \$27 taken from the cash register at Louis Beck's soft drink parlor, 372 S. Meridian St., by burglars who entered through a rear transom.

William Medley, Negro, 1957 Al-
wood St., reported \$22 taken from his trousers while he slept in his home.

Police raiding squads swung into

ROAD SYSTEM OF STATE RANKS HIGH

Second Best in U. S. in Percentage of Hard-Surfaced Highways, According to Commission.

Indiana's State highway system, 99.9 per cent of which consists of hard-surfaced—paved, gravel and stone—roads, has the second highest percentage of hard-surfaced roads of any state in the country, according to figures of the State highway commission.

Maryland is first with 100 per cent of its state system hard-surfaced, according to a Department of Agriculture report from Washington today. The report put Massachusetts second with 99.5 per cent, and Indiana third with almost 99 per cent.

State highway commission figures show, however, that Indiana with only 4.1 miles of dirt roads in its system of 8,925 miles, should be listed second, with a percentage of 99.3.

To Take Over More

State highway officers said Indiana will not long retain its high place as the state soon is to take over

action early Saturday afternoon and continued on through Sunday.

Thirty-four men and two women were charged with vagrancy, Claffey said the dice and money were hidden before he could get in.

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Four alleged resorts were raided and their keepers charged. Four women and four men were charged with operating blind tigers.

Twenty-eight men and two women were charged with vagrancy, seven men and two women with assault and battery, and two men and two women with felonies.

Seven men were charged with minor traffic violations.

BOOM GOES MITCHELL

May Be Chosen Head of National Aeronautics Association.

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—A boom for Col. William Mitchell, deposed Army air officer, as head of the National Aeronautics Association has been started with a view to giving him a position from which he could virtually dictate America's air policy.

The association gathers early next month at Philadelphia, and meantime its leaders are campaigning for a bigger Army and Navy air force, with Mitchell's candidacy scarcely veiled in the propaganda put forth.

Twenty-Three Speeders

Twenty-three men were charged with speeding.

Lieutenant Claffey and squad,

raided the Bud Loving poolroom, Indiana Ave., and Blake St., twenty men were charged with vagrancy.

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GROCERY ROBBED AGAIN

Thieves Take Tobacco and Candy From Store Entered Last Week.

Thieves have a liking for tobacco and candy of the Standard Grocery, 303 W. Twenty-First St., it appears. Chaser L. Leimbruber, manager, reported the store entered through rear window and cigars, cigarettes, chewing gum and candy valued at \$75 taken.

Last week the store was entered in the same way and the same kind of goods taken.

SHOOTS AT OFFICER

Police Seek Driver of Machine; Deputy Sheriff Makes Report.

Local police are tracing the ownership of a Ford roadster, license number T-5640, following a report from Deputy Sheriff Loseny of Franklin. Loseny said he tried to stop the machine and that the driver fired two shots at him and fled. Loseny has the auto.

PRISON BURNS; 15 HURT

By United Press

HAVANA, Aug. 9.—Fifteen prisoners were injured in a scuffle with guards when they attempted to break lines as they were marched from the burning city jail here Sunday night. Three prisoners were severely burned and five frenzied overcome in fighting the blaze.

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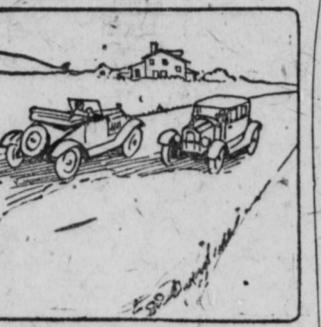
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1. What is wrong with this sketch?



2. Who wrote the Star-Spangled Banner?

3. What three Presidents of the United States were assassinated?

4. How much is 8 times 3 times 3 times 2?

5. How many pecks in a bushel?

6. What State is called the Mother of Presidents?

7. Roughly, what is the diameter of the earth?

8. Who beat Napoleon at the Battle of Waterloo?

9. Write the plural of roof, loaf, axis.

10. What is the subject of this sentence? Why he left nobody knew.

OFFICERS SEEK FIVE

Have No Trace of Insurance Collect-
or Missing Since Aug. 3.

Police today said they had secured no trace of Henry G. Bender, 30, of 263 Caven St., who disappeared Aug. 3, after turning in his money to an insurance office, where he is employed as a collector. His wife could give no reason for his leaving.

He is five feet, nine inches tall, weighs 143 pounds and was wearing a light suit and straw hat when last seen.

Two youths and two other adults also have been reported missing: Kenneth Thompson, 14, of 817 W. New York St., left Saturday noon to go swimming. His mother thinks he is staying out in the open with other boys. Sidney Works, 15, Negro, 2508 Northwestern Ave., went to the show Saturday night and did not return.

Peter Sogol, 28, disappeared from his rooming house at 532 W. North St. Local police have been asked to search for Joe Kern, 58, Danville, Ill., missing since July 14.

BOYCOTT AFFECT HERE

Consul Says Indiana Exporters Will
Feel Mexican Action.

Indiana's exports to Mexico, valued at millions of dollars annually, are threatened with a decrease due to the boycott of luxuries being exercised by Mexican Catholics as a weapon against the new anti-Catholic laws. Russell B. Harrison, Mexican consul in Indiana, declared to-day.

The decrease would affect approximately 100 manufacturers and exporters who are regular shippers to Mexico and several score of others, who are occasional shippers. Harrison said.

The economic slump which started Thursday when the boycott was declared has not yet been felt by the exporters, according to Harrison.

Commenting on the foregoing statement, Benjamin N. Bogue, head

of the House That Hustles

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