

THUGS, GUNMEN ACTIVE IN CITY; LOOT IS HEAVY

Customer Is Slugged With
Pistol in Holdup of
Pharmacy.

Gunmen, thugs and burglars again were active Monday night and early today, according to police records.

Two white bandits held up Jacob Kline in his grocery at 224 North Davidson street Monday night, taking \$100. Roughly dressed, the bandits made their escape in a light roadster.

A trio accomplished two holdups in a few minutes Monday night, striking first at the E. M. Crawford pharmacy, 313 North Delaware street, where they herded several clerks and customers into the postal substation and escaped with about \$175.

During the robbery H. W. Fahrnow, 2021 North Illinois street, taxi-driver, walked in to buy cigarettes. "Come back here!" a bandit ordered.

"Don't bother me, I'm in a hurry," Fahrnow retorted.

Customer Is Slugged

One gunman slugged him with a pistol, and the other held him by the collar, and the two men fled with the loot was government funds from the postal substation.

While police were investigating this robbery, the same bandits held up a Haug Drug Company store at South and East streets, escaping with \$99.73. They forced the manager and a clerk into the rear of the store and guarded them while the cash drawer was rifled.

A Negro bandit leaped to the running board of an auto driven by Eugene Williams, Negro, 424 Bright street, at Pennsylvania street and Fall Creek boulevard Monday night, and took \$15 and the auto.

Held Up in Military Park

When he saw two men hiding near a fence in the 1000 block West Forty-second street, where he had been sent with an order and change for a \$10 bill, Robert Smith, 24, Negro, 1827 Talbot avenue, delivery boy for a Barnhardt pharmacy, Forty-second street and Boulevard place, drove his motorcycle into a gate, fell off and yelled. "The two men fled."

Walking in Military park Monday night, W. C. Deasy, 1035 West New York street, was accosted by a bandit to whom he surrendered \$1.

Smashing three plate glass windows in Cohen Brothers dry goods store, 2503 Station street, burglars entered and removed seven dresses, two suits and two women's coats. Their value has not been determined.

After report of Blanch Smith, 844 Hadley street, that clothing valued at more than \$100 had been stolen from her home, police arrested Ed Moreland, 626 Blake street, on petit larceny charges.

Yeggs who entered the Frank Powell Coal Company office at 1516 Madison avenue early today blew a safe that had stood empty four or five years.

Probably the same gang entered the Campbell Oil Company filling station, 2003 Madison avenue, and drilled a hole above the combination of the safe. However, they failed to break it open.

Police today held Albert Ray, 35, of 569 Dorman street, and Charles Musser, 17, same address, on vagrancy charges after they are said to have confessed five robberies within two months.

Ugly Pimples

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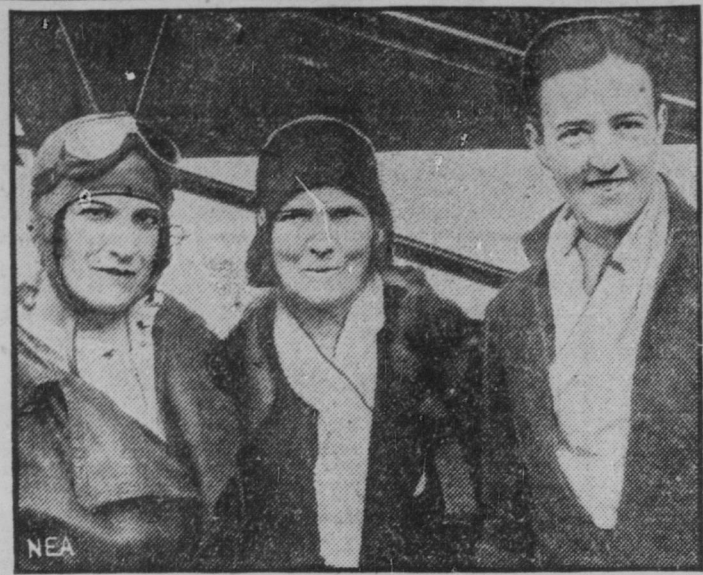
Sunday, Jan. 11
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GREENSBURG 1.25
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BIG FOUR ROUTE

Storm Fails to Daunt Girls in Record Flight



A few moments after this picture had been taken Edna May Cooper and Bobby Trout took to the air over Los Angeles in their plane, Lady Ralph, in an effort to stay aloft several weeks and set an endurance flight record for women that would stand for years to come. This picture shows them as Miss Cooper's mother was bidding them good-by. In the photo are Miss Cooper (at the left), Mrs. Cooper (center) and Miss Trout.

Bobby Trout to Observe Her 25th Birthday With Party in Plane.

By United Press

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 6.—A sudden rainstorm, borne on a fifty-mile gale, failed today to daunt the spirits of two girl aviators seeking to set a new refueling plane record for women that will stand for all time.

The two fliers equalled the world's endurance refueling record for women fliers when they still were aloft at 8:46 a. m. (Pacific standard time) today, after 42 hours 16 minutes in the air.

The previous mark, set by Miss Trout and Elinor Smith last summer, never officially was recognized, but the flight now under way has the sanction of the National Aeronautical Association, and is timed by an official.

Miss Trout planned to celebrate her 25th birthday Wednesday with a party in the tiny cockpit of the Lady Ralph, the plane named for the wife of California's new Governor.

The girls were forced to refuel at the height of the gale, but members of the ground crew said that Miss Cooper, who handled the "leaking" end of the gasoline hose, worked like a veteran. Within ten minutes she had poured seventy-five gallons of gasoline into the tanks and had taken aboard supper—and a highly prized mirror.

A note asking for the mirror be-

cause their noses were shiny was dropped Monday.

The ship flown by the girls is a stock Curtiss-Robin, similar to the St. Louis Robin, in which Dale Jackson and Forrest G. Brine set the world's refueling record last summer.

Miss Cooper suffered burns Monday when the gasoline suddenly overflowed and blew into her face during a refueling. Today she wore a chamois "gas" mask for protection.

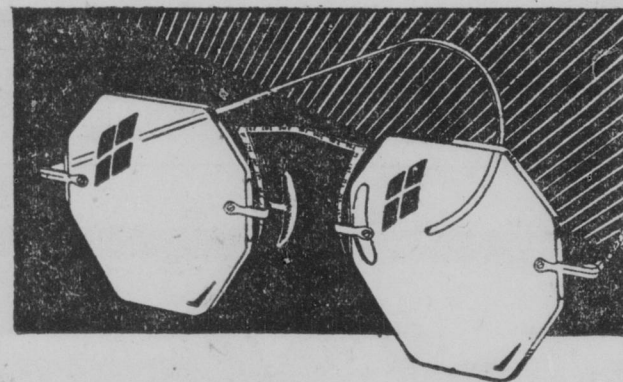
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POLICE PROBE THREATS SENT OWEN YOUNG

Disgruntled Inventor Sought
as Author of Letters
Foretelling Harm.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—A disgruntled inventor, who, police claim, is known to them, was sought today as the author of many threatening letters to Owen D. Young, noted financier.

Police Commissioner Mulrooney admitted Monday that a city detective had been assigned as bodyguard to Young for the last month. The financier has received about twenty-five letters in all, it was said. The inventor claims, according to Mulrooney, that a device invented by him and placed in the custody of a Chicago firm fell into the hands of the Radio Corporation of America, which never has paid him for it. Young is chairman of the board of the Radio Corporation.

The inventor threatened that unless the matter were adjusted he would cause the financier "psychological torture and bodily harm."

Other threatening letters were reported to have been received by Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick, pastor of the Riverside church, the new \$4,000,000 edifice on Riverside drive.

The church, much of which was financed by John D. Rockefeller Jr., was given police protection, although Dr. Fosdick refused any person bodyguard.

Senator Clarence C. Dill of Washington, a staunch opponent of the radio interests, also was reported to have received letters from the same man.

Killer Suspect



Earl Quinn (above), alias Earl Howard, former Missouri convict, is being hunted by police of Blackwell, Okla., for questioning in the murder of Jessie and Zelia Griffith, sisters, who were shot to death near Blackwell while on their way home from a Christmas vacation.

HELD AS BOOTLEGGER

While charities supplied his family with groceries and rent, John Higgs supplied a portion of the world with booze, he admitted to police today, following his arrest on a blind tiger charge in a raid at his home, 1236 West New York street, Monday night. Eight gallons of whiskey and eighty-two quarts of beer were confiscated, police said.

He has a wife and five small children. Police declare he confessed to bootlegging over a period of two months.

STATE DECISION ON TEXT BOOKS TO BE DELAYED

Matter Is Postponed Until
Jan. 19 After Meeting
of Commission.

With savings to school patrons outweighing profits to publishers as the governing factor, adoption of Indiana school textbooks still hung fire today. Governor Harry G. Leslie has taken the leadership in insisting parents' interests shall overshadow those of publishers.

After spending Monday in executive session, while the statehouse corridors swarmed with book salesmen, members of the state board of education, sitting as a textbook commission, emerged with the matter postponed until Jan. 19.

This date originally had been voted as March 27, which would take the adoption out of the hands of Roy P. Wisheart, superintendent of public instruction, who was defeated for re-election and retired March 15. But with Superintendent W. W. Borden of South Bend absent from the room, the date was switched back to Jan. 19, putting the matter again under Wisheart's regime.

Borden was a pioneer in pronouncing for re-adoption of present texts as a saving for parents and also in opposing an attempt of Wisheart to have the whole matter disposed of Monday.

The whole textbook matter may be investigated by the legislature in gathering facts for discussion of free textbooks bills which will be introduced, it was reported today. Before the Jan. 19 meeting, tables

will be prepared showing the saving to parents—if any—by re-adoption of present texts. A committee of the board will report also on possibility of having all texts printed in Indiana.

Meanwhile publishers were to be instructed by Wisheart to keep their salesmen from pestering the commissioners.

The program of President L. N. Hines of the State Teachers' college, Terre Haute, to delay adoption to May and re-advertise in the hope of cutting prices on present texts was voted down.

Texts up for adoption include geography, spelling, English, history and home economics.

BOOZE IS DESTROYED

Eighty-seven gallons of sugar alcohol poured its way into White River from a sewer in the federal building Monday as dry agents destroyed the bulk of evidence seized in two raids Monday.

As a result of the confiscation, Mrs. Ora Atkinson and Lige Carpenter, Negroes, operators of a "soft drink" parlor at 321 West Twenty-eight street, were bound over to the federal grand jury under bonds of \$5,000 and \$3,500, respectively. Edward Carter, Negro, arrested at 2447 Paris avenue, also was bound over under \$5,000 bond.

SCHOOL 81 IN NEW BUILDING

Ceremony Observed as
Pupils Make Change.

Led by the Technical high school band, pupils of School 81 moved from their portable building, Seventeenth and Rural streets, to their new building at Nineteenth street and Brookside parkway today.

Julian Wetzel, chairman of the board of school commissioners, was to lock the old portable and Paul C. Stetson, superintendent of city schools; A. B. Good, business manager, and other school officials were to attend the ceremony.

The new building accommodates 400 pupils and incorporates latest types of school construction. Miss Adelaide McCarty is principal.

Building Permits

Dora Marshall, dwelling, 346 Congress, \$350.
Empire Garage, office portion, 150 East Wabash, \$500.
S. F. Jones, garage, 412-44 West Twenty-ninth, \$225.

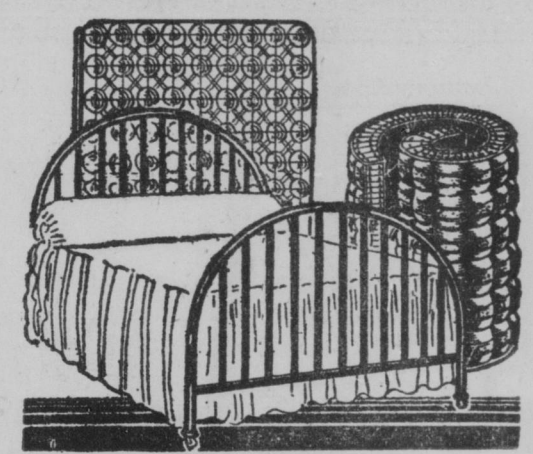
Wednesday Event No. 1 49 To Follow

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Duo-Coil
Spring



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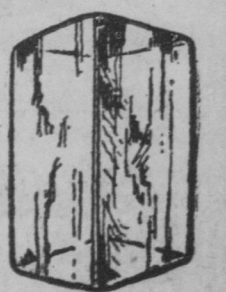
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