

## THREE BANDIT SUSPECTS HELD TO COUNTY JURY

Detectives Claim Two Men, Woman Admit Part in Robberies.

Arraigned before Municipal Judge Dewey E. Myers this morning, two men and a woman, held in connection with recent holdups, waived examination and were bound over to the grand jury.

The fourth man, Albert Birch, 202 North Capitol avenue, has been held since Sunday on vagrancy charges and will appear in court Friday.

William Saunders, 21, of 121 East Twenty-first street, charged with conspiracy, auto banditry and robbery, was bound to the grand jury under \$5,000 bond.

Placed Under \$2,000 Bond

Held on similar charges, Guy Marlette, 1716 North Meridian, and Mrs. Julia Rodocker Knox, 1734 North Meridian street, likewise waived examination and were bound over to the grand jury under \$2,000 bonds.

Detectives said they had obtained statements from each of the four, and that Saunders had admitted a previous petit larceny conviction.

Ten holdups here and two in Kansas City are said to have been committed by Saunders, who implicated Birch in several of the robberies.

Denies Getting \$2,500

Marlette and Mrs. Knox confessed to working with Saunders only in the holdup at the restaurant of John Rodocker. Mrs. Knox's father, at 618 East Walnut street, detectives said.

Although \$2,500 was reported taken from Harry Schubert, who occupied desk space in the restaurant to cash pay checks of factory workers, Saunders said he obtained only \$1,300, detectives said.

Saunders and Mrs. Knox charge that Marlette planned the restaurant holdup and arranged for Saunders to escape in Marlette's car, parked nearby, while Mrs. Knox and Marlette were herded into the basement with customers and restaurant employees.

Robberies Listed

Saunders was arrested yesterday in an alleged attempt to hold up the Williams hotel, Washington street and Senate avenue. Other holdups admitted by Saunders, according to detectives, were at:

Standard grocery, 703 East Fifty-fourth street, Sept. 3; E. M. Dopp pharmacy, 4620 East Michigan street, Sept. 4; Piggy-Wiggly grocery, Forty-second street and College avenue; Kroger grocery, 2304 Central avenue, Sept. 10; Massey pharmacy, 2401 East Tenth street, Oct. 21; City fruit store, 3522 College avenue, Oct. 26; Lee pharmacy, 1058 Fairfield avenue, Oct. 26.

Single-handed, Saunders said he held up the Meeker hotel and obtained \$80 on Oct. 24.

POLITICS BLAMED BY REMY IN CRIME TALK

Universal Club Speaker Pleads for Unhampered Police Force.

No hope exists for a cessation of Indiana's crime wave until there is a separation of politics from police affairs, William H. Remy, former Marion county prosecutor, said at the Universal Club luncheon in the Columbia Club yesterday.

"We select too many policemen because they have been able to carry precincts, and we never are going to catch criminals with such men," Mr. Remy declared.

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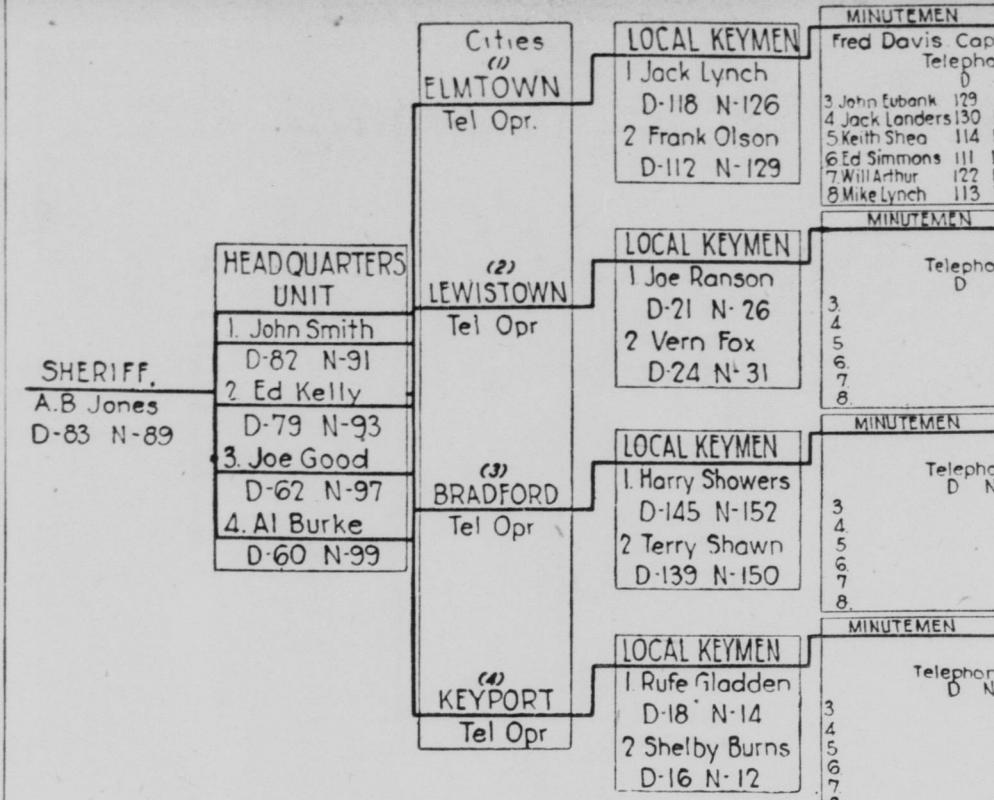
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## VIGILANTE SYSTEM OUTLINED TO CURB CRIME OUTBREAKS



This diagram shows the system worked out by Al Feeney, director of public safety, to call hundreds of volunteers and American Legion members who will function under this plan.

## MONDAY NAMED TAX DEADLINE

75 Per Cent of County Levy Is Due, Says Sexton, County Treasurer.

With Monday the deadline for paying the fall installment of taxes, collections today were less than 25 per cent, County Treasurer Timothy P. Sexton said today, warning of a last minute rush.

Up to today, only \$2,267,784 had been collected, the average fall installment collection being about \$11,000,000. Several additional windows have been provided to speed handling of the inevitable long lines of last minute taxpayers.

MRS. FOLSOM DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Funeral Rites to Be Held at Church.

Mrs. Josephine B. Folsom, 84, died yesterday in her home, 2121 Ringgold avenue. She had been ill four years.

Funeral services will be held in the Wald funeral home at 8:15 Friday morning and at 9 in St. Catherine's Catholic church. Burial will be in Holy Cross cemetery.

Surviving her are two sister, Mrs. A. Miller and Mrs. Lena K. Koritzer, both of Indianapolis.

AUTO LOOTED BY THIEF

Two Overcoats Valued at \$50 Are Reported Stolen.

Breaking the door of an automobile parked at Market and Barnard streets last night, a thief stole two overcoats valued at \$50 and two pairs of gloves valued at \$4. The car was owned by Eugene Fleece, 248 West Forty-second street.

Dramatic Club Formed

Many Cathedral students and alumni are members of "The Barnstormers," a dramatic club, organized by a Cathedral graduate, Robert Maloy, director of the club's productions.

PICKPOCKET GETS \$28

O. L. Webb, 2428 Park avenue, reported to police that his pocket had been picked of \$28 while walking among the Halloween revelers last night between the Claypool and Meridian street.

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"The Communists again," said Gardner Forster of Indianapolis, the American volunteer policeman, laconically.

"I suppose so," said the Englishman, "but here, old chap, finish your drink. One always shoots best after the third drink."

In ten minutes, the city of Shanghai was an armed camp. Two thousand five hundred volunteer policemen in the city had heard the alarm, broadcast by the one-minute telephone ring, as had Mr. Forster and his British companion.

In addition to the volunteers more than five thousand regular policemen were on their way to the scene of trouble or were telephoning their precinct headquarters, for instructions.

Business men joined the special police to protect their homes and property and that of their neighbors. The esprit de corps was splendid," said Mr. Forster.

"If such an organization were formed in Indianapolis it would pay for itself a hundredfold. While the original cost for uniforms and other equipment would be high, the formation of a permanent army of civilian vigilantes, undoubtedly, would bring insurance rates way down and eventually keep bandits and other criminals out of the city entirely."

"In addition to the very effective method of ringing all the telephones in Shanghai for one minute to broadcast an alarm of trouble, was the method pursued by the police following the commission of a crime."

"As soon as police arrived on the scene, all traffic and all pedestrians in the vicinity were ordered to halt. The police then had authority to search every vehicle and every person who might be regarded as suspicious."

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