

BURGLARS LOOT GROCERY, STEAL YULE Dainties

Gain Entrance by Battering Hole in Partition; Other Crimes Probed.

Burglars who battered a hole through a partition and made off with \$100 in groceries from a delicatessen at 459 Blake-st today, were well prepared for a holiday feast which police hoped to prevent by capturing them.

Herman Housefield, store manager, said the burglars made off with 12 picnic hams, a boagna, canned goods, 35 cartons of cigarettes and 400 pounds of sugar, in addition to holiday candy.

A masked, armed robber attempted to hold up Roy Cook, filling station manager at New York-st and Indiana-av. The robber thrust a pistol through the filling station door. Mr. Cook seized the weapon and wrested it from the robber's hand. The man fled.

Douglas Hall, 41, of 1316 College-av, taxi driver, was robbed of \$5 by a Negro bandit.

Hall told police he picked up the Negro at Union Station. He was directed to drive to 332 N. California-st. When the cab stopped, the man placed something against the driver's head and demanded his money. The robber threatened to take the cab, but yielded when Mr. Hall claimed he was crippled.

Jacob Yanzer, 1833 Lockwood-st, told police he believes one or more of the six shots he fired struck a Negro who looted his parked automobile. Mr. Yanzer, returning from a motor trip to California, had left the car in front of his home. The burglar had removed a suitcase and a portable radio and had gone into an alley when Mr. Yanzer saw him and fired.

Four chickens with heads chopped off, two women's brown coats and a blue workshirt were found by Edward Hudson in the rear yard of 1257 Lawson-st, where they had been abandoned by a thief. The chickens were sent to a relief agency to provide Christmas dinner for the needy.

BANDITS STEAL \$250 FROM GROCERY MANAGER

Two Youths Hold Up Car, Get Away With Day's Receipts.

Police today are searching for two dapper youths who robbed a grocery manager and his clerk of \$250 in cash Saturday night at South and East-sts.

Shortly after Morris Cole, 24, of 1039 Hosbrook-st, store manager, and W. L. Wilkinson, 606 Shelby-st, his clerk, left the grocery at 703 Shelby-st in an automobile to take the receipts to the bank, their automobile was crowded to the curb by one driven by the two youths.

Monitored by a revolver, Mr. Cole turned the cash envelope over to the bandits.

BUTLER GROUP NAMES BLUE KEY DELEGATE

Harrison Miller to Attend National Convention.

Election of Harrison Miller, Ft. Wayne, as delegate to the national convention of Blue Key, national upperclassmen's honorary fraternity, which will be held in Chicago Friday and Saturday, has been announced by the Butler University chapter. Mr. Miller is president of the group on the Fairview campus.

Several members will accompany Mr. Miller to the session. The group includes Edgar Baum, Cecil Ray, Howard Campbell, Karl Sutphin and Prof. C. B. Camp.

Betsy Ross' Great-Grandson Dead

WALLINGFORD, Conn. Dec. 24.

Robert C. Canby, 73, nationally known metallurgist and great-grandson of Betsy Ross, designer of the American flag, died last night.

Gone, But Not Forgotten

Automobiles reported to police as stolen belong to:

William Gibbs, 308 W. Vermont-st, Lincoln sedan, 4-030, from in front of home, from Missouri and Washington-sts.

Richard Gregor, 116 W. Gilmer-st, Chevrolet sedan, from a garage at 452 Carrollton-av.

Clyde Bowers, 4578 Carrollton-av, Ford coupe, 11-380, from a garage at 452 Carrollton-av.

Stewart Fletcher, Plainfield, Ind., Nash coupe, 82-733, from Massachusetts-av and Delaware-av.

Cira Yates, 2330 Martindale-av, Ford truck, from 2417 Martindale-av.

S. C. Culbertson, 211 N. Lyndhurst-dr., Cleveland sedan, 28-435, from Ben Davis-av.

Earl Evans, South Bend, Ind., Studebaker sedan, 489-544, from Liberty and Ohio-av.

Charles Faulkner, 1039 N. Mont-st., Chrysler sedan, 119-845, from 200 W. Michigan-av.

Oldham, 2901 W. Washington-st., Chrysler sedan, from 800 Massachusetts-av.

James Coughlin, 1613 W. Morris-av.

Dodge sedan, 82-728, from 26-st and Central-av.

Max McElroy, 2328 Cornell-av, Ford touring, from 16th-st and Senate-av.

BACK HOME AGAIN

Stolen automobiles recovered by police belong to:

Larry Lynch, R. R. 10, Madison coach, found in Marion-av, and Madison-av.

Edgar Barnard, 24 S. Belle-View-av, Ford sedan, found in front of 737 Ogden-av.

Mrs. R. W. Power, 4820 Washington-blvd., Plymouth coupe, from in front of 3247 N. New Haven-av, stripped of license plates.

Fred Krause, 127 N. Keeling-av, DeSoto coupe, found in rear of 2413 Madison-av, stripped.

Sam L. Evans, 2018 E. 26th-st, Plymouth sedan, found at Arsenal-av and Washington-av.

E. L. Anderson, 3721 Carrollton-av, Ford sedan, found in front of 2634 Guilford-av.

DANCE TONIGHT

Xmas Eve Party
10c Before 8:30

FALLS CITY CASINO

3547 E. Washington St.

CEDAR CLAIR BIG DANCE TONITE

Harry Farley and His Jigolos
3½ Miles East of City Limit
On Nat. Road, E. Wash.

HEADS BUTLER CLUB



AUTHOR'S SON IS HUNTED IN CAR ACCIDENT

Charles Nicholson Is Hunted
After Wrecked Auto
Is Found.

Police today sought Charles L. Nicholson, son of Meredith Nicholson, Minister to Paraguay, to question him about an auto accident yesterday in which a hit-and-run driver collided with two parked cars.

The accident occurred in the 3000 block of N. Pennsylvania-st, and the cars damaged belonged to R. D. Mirza, 2255 N. Pennsylvania-st, and Catherine Marion, 3851 N. Pennsylvania-st.

Police said that, at the scene of the accident, they found a hat bearing the initials C. N. and that later they found a car whose title was issued to Mr. Nicholson, at 4035 N. Pennsylvania-st. The car, they said, was damaged. They could not find the driver.

Thomas Weatherholt, 60, of 1723½ N. West-st, was killed Saturday night when he walked against the side of an auto at 17th and N. West-sts. He was the 129th auto victim in Marion County this year.

Driver Held Blameless

Louis Gamble, 28, of 516 W. Morris-st, driver of the car, was not held. Witnesses said the man apparently walked directly into the car.

Police found an abandoned car yesterday at Sherman-nd and South-eastern-av. Badly damaged and with blood spots inside, it bore a tag issued to Russell C. Fox, 402 N. Grant-st.

Willis Phillips, 86, of 2747 Shelby-st, was taken in a critical condition last night to City Hospital after he was hit by two cars in front of his home.

Radio Patrolmen Theodore McNeil and Carl Somers were parked in the 2900 block of Bluff-nd last night, when, they report, a car hit their car and damaged it considerably. The driver did not stop and, after commanding a car and chasing him for six blocks, the patrolmen arrested him.

He gave his name as Nelson Reed, 22, of 4634 Sheldon-st. Charges of drunken driving and failure to stop after an accident were placed against him.

Driver Falls Asleep

When he went to sleep, while driving last night, J. T. Lepscum's car crashed into the porch of the home of William F. Dickmeyer, 2621 E. New York-st, injuring him and his companion, Mrs. Hazel Kelly, 24, of 1711 E. Ohio-st. Mr. Lepscum is 30 and lives at 5439 Brookville-nd.

Reuel Landers, 24, of 1460 S. Illinois-st, was knocked down by a trackless trolley yesterday and was sent to City Hospital and ordered held on a charge of drunkenness. The accident happened at King-ay and Michigan-nd.

Miss Margaret Clark, 29, of 234 E. Ninth-st, was injured when her car and a taxicab collided yesterday at Illinois and Washington-nd. With Miss Clark in her car was Chester Mann, 35, of 541 N. Gray-st. The cab was driven by George Johnson, 38, of 2147 Adams-st.

TWO SAILORS ON FURLOUGH

Two Indianapolis men are home on furlough for the Christmas holidays from the United States Navy. They are Kenneth Dale Cooper, 1125 Bellefontaine-nd, and Edgar Monroe Miller, 2007 Bellefontaine-nd.

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By United Press

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