

Burglars With Crowbars Loot Three Places

Three Omaha Firms Looted In Night by Yeggmen Who Batter Locks and Combinations.

"Crowbar yeggmen" robbed three places in Omaha Friday night and one the night before. Detectives who have been assigned to the cases say their operations are marked by the battering of locks and safe combinations with heavy crowbars such as are used by railroad section men.

With these, they say, the combination knob of a safe can be pried out almost as easily as a carpet tack can be pulled.

Get Cash and Stamps.

The Heinz Pickle company branch, 1013 North Sixteenth street, and the J. F. Twamley hay exchange, Fourteenth and Iard streets, were victims of the yeggs Friday night.

A cabinet sale in the office of the Heinz company was battered with a crowbar, there blown open with nitroglycerin. The crackersmen obtained \$50 in cash and \$3 worth of stamps. The crowbar burglars gained entrance through a second story door, after leaping across a byway from the top of an adjoining building.

Bertilion Officer Eddie Duda obtained finger prints of the yeggs at the Heinz company office.

Breaking their way into the "wamley" building, the crowbar burglars hammered in the pinion of the combination on the safe, then opened the heavy doors. Every desk in the place was ransacked. Papers were found scattered about the floor in front of the safe yesterday. Nothing but an overcoat was missing.

Just Another Overcoat.

Every office in the Omaha Hay Exchange building, Fourteenth and Nicholas streets, was ransacked by the crowbar burglars during this night. Entrance was gained by breaking open a basement door.

Crowbars were used on the office doors, the burglars first breaking into the office of C. M. Rice, general manager.

The door into the office of F. A. Matthews, secretary, across the hall, also was broken open. Three other offices in the building were ransacked. Nothing of value was missing from the building, but an overcoat belonging to Peter Murray, a member of the exchange.

Cracksmen stole \$285 from a safe in the Sanitary Wet Wash Laundry, 2815 Farnam street, Thursday night. The yeggs used nitroglycerin after moving the safe into a closet and packing it tightly with laundry. Detectives believe the yeggs are out-of-town men.

A subscription to The Bee would make an ideal gift.

Husband and Wife



My husband is training our 5-year-old son to be a prize fighter.—O. M.

WHAT DOES YOUR HUSBAND DO?

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Warmer Weather Coming, Forecast

Temperature Drops to 16 Above, But Rapid Rise Scheduled.

After the slight sample of winter Friday night and yesterday summer is due for a return engagement, the weather bureau announced.

A warm wave is en route in from the west. At Cheyenne the thermometer touched 4 below zero Friday night, but by yesterday had jumped to 22 above.

The lowest temperature here was 16 registered at 8 yesterday. The snow, swept by a 30-mile wind Friday night, "pettered out" with only a quarter of an inch official depth.

The coldest place in the state Friday night was Valentine, with zero. Many homeless men were driven to lodgings in Central police station Friday night by the cold.

Case Against Minister Girl Accuses Continued

A charge of disorderly conduct toward a minor child, filed against Milton H. Long, pastor at the Pentacostal Mission, 937 North Twenty-fourth street, was continued in Central police court yesterday until Tuesday.

The complaint was filed by Elmer Curtis, 210 South Twenty-ninth street, following complaints made to him by his daughter, Bessie.

Bessie and Mrs. C. E. Hesser, 2808 Sahler street, appeared against Long, who entered a general denial of the charges and asked for a continuance. The court room was packed with members of the mission ready to appear as character witnesses for the defendant.

Long was released on a \$250 cash bond furnished by several members of his congregation. He was arrested Friday night.

"Stink Bombs" Placed in Cars In Strike Zone

Passengers Forced to Raise Windows to Rid Trolleys of Fumes—Cold Weather Cut Picketeters.

"Stink bombs" made their appearance for the first time in the packing house workers' strike yesterday, when they were reported placed in street cars carrying packing house employees.

The first was found in a Cross-town car, it is said, by a man who boarded the car at N street. Three West Q street cars were made almost untenable by the smell which arose from the bombs. By opening all the windows the passengers were able to get enough air to continue their journey.

No Arrests Made.

Outside of this the strike situation was extremely quiet. Not a single arrest was made in connection with the strike Friday night.

Bricks were hurled at the home of Nick Fuller, 4920 South Twenty-third street, Friday night. Nick was a striker up until Friday, when he returned to his job at Swift.

The cold weather had a noticeable effect on the strikers' picket lines about the packing houses, which were much thinner than they were during the mild weather.

Gorman to Speak.

Patrick Gorman of Chicago, vice president of the International Union of Packing House Workers, was scheduled to speak at a mass meeting last night in the union hall.

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quickly relieved with our Laced Stocking

NO RUBBER WASHABLE

Open or Swollen Limbs Varicose Veins

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Laces like a legging.

\$2.75 each, two for same \$4.25 limb.

Call or send for measurement Blank No. 35

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DANCE At Kelpine's Dancing Academy

2424 Farnam Street Saturday and Sunday Nights The real place to have a good time.

South Side, and also at a mass meeting today at 2:30 in the same hall. There will be three other meetings of striking workers today.

Complaint Filed Against Dealer in 'Hot Dog' Drive

A complaint charging John F. McLaughlin, a news dealer, with having obscene literature in his possession, was filed yesterday by City Prosecutor Frank Dimeen.

The complaint is the first of a series of similar complaints that will be filed against dealers of the city for selling "Hot Dog," a publication published in the east, but generally circulated in Omaha.

The drive against the publication on the grounds that it is obscene was instituted by the city legal department as a result of several complaints made to Police Commissioner Dunn and Mayor Dahlman by J. G. Masters, principal of the Central High school.

Tag Day for Disabled War Vets Nets \$1,000 by Noon

The tag day for disabled veterans of the late war had netted \$1,000 at noon, Mrs. Margaret Kennedy, in charge of the drive, reported.

The change in weather cut the force of taggers to only 50, though 300 were expected.

The largest contribution was \$100, given by the Women's Overseas Service League. Miss Helen Cornell, the president, presented the check at headquarters early yesterday.

W. E. McMahon, chairman of the Disabled Veterans' association, and women of the L. of E., are behind the appeal not to forget the disabled service men.

Store Bandits Thwarted When Customer Flees

Robbers Hold Up Manager Just as Man Arrives—Highwaymen Escape, Exchanging Shots With Grocer.

Arrival of an early customer at the Basket store at 4108 North Twenty-fourth street at 7 a. m. yesterday prevented the robbery of the place by three unmasked men who "covered" the manager, C. F. Cooch with revolvers just after he opened the place.

When the customer entered the men's attention was diverted. They

called on the customer to halt, but instead, he ran. Cooch dashed to the basement and got a .22 caliber rifle. He returned to the store as the robbers were fleeing. He shot at them. They ran north on Twenty-fourth street and west on Sahler street exchanging shots with the groceryman. They escaped. No one was injured.

Pop Stand Under Fire.

An injunction to close the soft drink saloon of Bondy Ruff in Gretna where Guy Abrell was arrested on a liquor charge was asked in federal court yesterday by United States Attorney Kinsler. Ruff was formerly treasurer of Sarpy county.

U. S. Grand Jury Recalled.

A recall of the federal grand jury to meet January 3, was sent out yesterday by J. C. Kinsler, United States district attorney. Several new cases are ready for indictments.

Green Gables
THE DR. BENJ. F. BAILEY SANATORIUM
Lincoln, Neb.

This institution is the only one in the central west with separate buildings situated in their own grounds, yet entirely distinct, and rendering it possible to classify cases. The one building being fitted for and devoted to the treatment of noncontagious and nonmental diseases, no others being admitted; the other Rest Cottage being designed for and devoted to the exclusive treatment of select mental cases requiring for a time watchful care and special nursing.

Try The Bee Want Ad Column.

HARTMANS

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS OFFERS

BEAUTIFUL, LASTING and PRACTICAL

Library Table

Attractive Designs

Nothing can make the home more cozy on Xmas than a nice library table. This value, with 28x48-inch tops, golden finish, special, at... **\$18.75**

Easy Terms

In Mahogany and Ivory

An opportune special for the little one. Has large tray \$9.85 and a beautiful, at... **\$10.75**

We have concluded to sacrifice than a nice library table. Mahogany or walnut finish. **\$10.75**

The Gift of Gifts!

Beautiful Four-Piece Queen Anne Bedroom Suite!

This suite has a rich walnut finish. Each piece as shown here. Can you picture a greater bargain than this? Very specially priced for Monday.

Complete **\$137.50**

Overstuffed Rocker

Mulberry or Blue Velour

You cannot resist this special bargain offer. The big, comfortable cushion and wing style back. Comfortable roll arms. Real bargains. **\$49.50**

Rare Bargain

Xmas Sale of Tables

You will surely find a table to your liking in rich mahogany finish. Special at... **\$25.50**

Mahogany Finish Windsor Rocker

Very neat appearing and practical. Will harmonize with any surroundings. **\$19.75**

In Rich Velour or Tapestry

Pullman

Mahogany Day Beds!

Very attractive as well as practical. Complete with pillow. Can be converted into a full double sized bed. \$25.00 value. Special **\$69.85**

Three Specials! For Monday Bargain Seekers!

Mahogany Finish

Neatly turned pedestal style with glass ash tray. Only... **\$2.65**

Card Table With Leatherette Top

Regulation size, 28x28 in. Mahogany finish with durable green leatherette top. A bargain offer, at... **\$2.95**

Another Bargain

Loose ash tray and side racks for pipes. Handy drawer. Mahogany or fumed oak finish. **\$3.50**

Table and Four Chairs

Enamel Breakfast Suites!

Values beyond comparison! We have several styles to offer, but our selections are limited to one suite of a kind. Samples only. Special **\$48.50**

Very Neat Writing Desk As Pictured.

Very handy and useful. Has large writing table and roomy pigeon hole arrangement. Full \$12.50 width drawer as shown.... **\$12.50**

Give Her A Sellers Kitchen Cabinet

She will always be grateful for a gift of this type. Saves time, some steps and systematizes her work. No interest and terms of only **\$1 a Week**

Lasting Gifts!

TOYS

BRING the little tots along to Hartman's tomorrow! Their little hearts will leap with glee when they see the many practical toys now on display on our Main Floor—Right!

Little Carpet Sweeper... **29c**

Rubber Tired Doll Carts at... **\$2.25**

Blue Enamel Dish Sets... **49c**

Miniature Ranges... **79c**

Trick Autos... **59c**

Little Red Rockers... **95c**

No. 1 Kiddie Cars... **95c**

Flat Top Desk... **\$2.98**

Wooden Bungalows **98c**

Garage and 2 Autos **79c**

22-inch Teddy Bears at... **\$1.95**

Shoo-Fly... **\$3.25**

Round Table and Chairs at... **\$6.50**

No. 2 Kiddie Cars **\$1.65**

—Real Bargains

Vanity Dresser Walnut Finish

Buy it tomorrow at Hartman's. Rich walnut finish. Queen Anne design. Three drawers on each side. Large mirror. **\$59.75**

Choice Values in Tea Wagons For Monday

A gift which is welcome in any home. Most practical and handy. Choice of walnut or mahogany finish. An exceptional value for Monday at... **\$15.75**

Give Furniture!

GUNN Sectional Bookcases

Why not decide on a sectional bookcase that can be added to from time to time?

Case shown in any finish desired... **\$43**

Three sections with desk section, at... **\$60**

Solid brown mahogany case, Queen Anne... **\$52**

A Sale of Junior Lamps

Very practical—as shown. Mahogany finish base with rose or blue shades. Complete **\$10**

Make Your Xmas Gift A Columbia

You can bring real joy to the hearts of the home folks. Standard in price—and we charge no interest for easy terms.

SPECIAL OFFER!

With each Vitrola or Hartman Regent make phonograph we make you a present of— **12 Records FREE!**

Hartman's

SIXTEENTH—Between Harney and Howard

\$10 Set of Attachments FREE

High grade Torrington make electric vacuum cleaner. Very special— **\$60**

Xmas Rug Gifts

Small rugs are very appropriate as gifts this Xmas. Note these specials.

27x33-inch extra quality Axmies... **\$3.75**

27x33-inch Washable Chenille bath Rugs... **\$4.25**

27x33-inch Royal Wilton Rugs... **\$8.75**

Only Six More Days—

That's all! And they're going fast. When the public is made such a liberal offer it soon takes advantage of it. Think of the prices, terms and special free offers.

Our Fifteenth Annual Christmas Club

Is soon closed for membership. This has indeed been a successful year and, in view of present conditions, our offer must be unusually good, otherwise the public would not have responded so freely.

\$5 Secures one of these Pianos—Players or Phonographs for Christmas Delivery

\$465 Buys the Club Player—a sweet toned Schmolter & Mueller Player with all the latest devices. Compare it with any \$700 instrument on the market.

TERMS: \$2.50 per week. Discount of 50c per month if account is paid in two years.

\$310 Buys the Club Piano, A Schmolter & Mueller Piano, sweet in tone and of the latest design. Compare it with any \$450 Piano on the market.

TERMS: \$1.50 per week. Special discount of 40c per month if account is paid within two years.

\$80 Buys the Club Phonograph, A Schmolter & Mueller Phonograph Supreme. In any finish. Plays all records. Compare it with any \$125 machine on the market.

TERMS: \$1.25 per week. Discount of 25c per month if account is paid in one year.

Clip and Use This Coupon

NOTE—This coupon is worth \$5.00 to every person that purchases a Christmas Club Piano or Player Piano and \$2.50 on purchase of Christmas Club Phonograph. Fill in your name and address, present or mail same to our store and credit will be given at time of purchase.

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Address.....

It is worth \$5.00 to you when applied on any one of these instruments. Present it to our store and we will credit you with that amount.

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