

Six Burglaries Here Early Sunday Morning

Thieves Entered Four Stores And A Blacksmith Shop And Tried Door Of A Fifth Store Without Success—Value of Loot Was Small

Six robberies or attempted robberies were committed in this city early Sunday morning, all in the First Ward. The City Drug Store and the small store of Billy Williams, diagonally across Water street from it, were both entered, and an attempt was made to break into the establishment of Aydlett Hardware Company, just in front of the drug store. Burglars also broke into the horse shoeing shop of James and Johnnie Barkley on Matthews street; into the Sunshine Grocery, corner of Poindexter and Pearl streets, and into the store of Stewart Rogers on East Cypress street.

Officer Seymour tried the door of the City Drug Store at six o'clock Sunday morning and found it locked. At nine o'clock Henry Cove, who runs a hatmaking establishment on Poindexter street, went to the drug store to make a purchase and found the door wide open. Harold S. Overman, manager of the City Drug Store, arrived half an hour later, and made a general investigation, but found nothing gone. About five dollars in the cash register was left untouched. Mr. Overman thinks that the robbers jimmied open the spring lock on the front door, and were frightened away before they could make a haul. The thief or thieves got into Billy Williams' store across the street by breaking open the back window shutter, smashing a window pane, and removing the small brace which held the window shut. They opened the cash drawer, but secured some 200 pennies which it contained, and proceeded to pry open the metal cash box in the rear of the store. This contained no money, and nothing was taken from the store except a few packages of cigarettes.

The attempt to break into the Aydlett Hardware Company's store on Water street was made with a sharp pointed instrument. The facing of the door was scarred up considerably, but the lock held fast. The scarred door was noticed by Felton Garrett, an employe of the company, Sunday morning.

Police officers said Sunday morning that the shop of James and Johnnie Barkley, on Matthews street, was left open Saturday night. It, also, was entered, the desk in the rear room was forced open and considerably damaged, and two or three automobile spark plugs were taken. Two tempered steel punches used in blacksmithing were taken from the front room, and the Barkleys think that these were used in the other burglaries.

Despite a brilliant street light on the corner, and a light inside the store, the Sunshine Grocery, at the corner of Poindexter and Pearl streets, was entered. The door was secured by two locks, both of which were forced, and \$2.32 in change was taken from the cash register. A dime on top of the register, and a phony quarter inside it were left. So far as could be determined, no merchandise was taken.

At the grocery store of Stewart Rogers on East Cypress street, a front window was broken out, affording easy access to the interior. The money drawer, empty, as it happened, was torn open, and Mr. Rogers believes that a quantity of flour and corned mullets were carried off.

The police point out the fact that merchants in the downtown business section frequently carelessly leave their transoms and upper store windows wide open when they close up at night, and they say that anyone so disposed might readily break into almost any store in town at one time or another, on account of this, with nothing more than a short ladder. The wonder is, they declare, that robberies are not of more frequent occurrence here.

The identity of the Sunday morning marauder or marauders is entirely unknown, though the police are working on clues which may lead to arrests in the next few days. Local merchants are emphatically warn-

LABOR BOARD STILL HAS HOPE

In Formal Announcement Today Urges People To Refrain From Loose Talk And Provocative Language

Chicago, Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—The Railroad Labor Board today announced that it had "reason to hope" that the strike will yet be averted.

In a formal announcement the Board warned the public to "refrain from loose talk and provocative language about either side of the controversy."

Cleveland, Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—In a conference of the Big Four leaders here Sunday the chiefs reiterated their hope that a solution acceptable to the employes might yet be found.

President Lee of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen said that he had received reports from his general chairmen on the International and Great Northern Railroad that practically all of the trainmen had quit the service.

W. G. Lee assumed the duties of President of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, January 1st, 1909, after fifteen years service as a subordinate officer. Mr. Lee entered railroad service in 1879 as brakeman for the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, running out of Emporia, Kansas. He afterward accepted employment on the mountain division of that road at Raton, New Mexico, and while there was promoted to freight conductor in the latter part of 1880. He remained in that position, running between La Junta, Colorado, and Las Vegas, New Mexico, until 1883, when he resigned to accept the position of deputy registrar of deeds for Ford County, Kansas, and served in that position for about three and one half years. At the expiration of that time he re-entered railway service as brakeman and switchman with the Wabash, but after a few months service with that company accepted employment as brakeman with the Missouri Pacific at Kansas City. In 1891 he accepted service as brakeman

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Sounds Like Rain Is Really Coming

Washington, Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—Rain within 26 hours in the South Atlantic States will attend the tropical storm which has its center near the extreme western part of Cuba and is moving northward, the Weather Bureau announced today.

Storm warnings were sent out today to all points expected to be affected.

Unknown Soldier Chosen At Chalons

Chalons-sur-Marne, Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—America's unknown soldier who will be buried at the National Cemetery at Arlington was chosen here today by Sergeant Edward F. Younger of Chicago at a simple ceremony.

Wants Mediation By Senate Committee

Washington, Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—Mediation by a Senate labor and education committee of the 20 year old controversy between the coal miners and operators in West Virginia was proposed today by Philip Murray, vice president of the United Mine Workers as the result of the inquiry by a subcommittee.

ed to take greater precautions in locking up their places of business at night.

THRIFT WINS LIFE'S BATTLES

Over Six Hundred Bestcitians Have Recognized Value Of Saving And Clipped A Thrift Coupon

The new shipment of Liberty Bell banks wired for last Thursday have arrived and those who failed to get theirs last week should do so at once.

Thrift will help win the war, we were told during the days when our boys were overseas.

And it did. Thrift today will help you win in the battles of life.

The Advance has made arrangements to help you be thrifty.

Over six hundred Bestcitians have already taken advantage of the offer.

Present this thrift coupon and fifty cents at the Carolina Banking and Trust Company, the new bank in the Hinton Building which opened its doors for business on Thursday of last week.

The bank will give you a \$1.00 savings account, supplying the additional 50 cents. In addition you will receive a Liberty Bell savings bank.

Three rules govern the offer: One dollar of each account must remain on deposit for one year.

If the second deposit is not made within six months, the 50-cent coupon will be deducted when the account is closed, at which time the Liberty Bell bank must be returned. Only one account may be opened by an individual, but accounts may be opened by every member of a family if desired.

The Carolina Banking & Trust Company is a member of the Federal Reserve System and is under the strict supervision of the United States government and also the State of North Carolina. It pays 4 per cent interest.

Men and women, boys and girls—all are eligible and urged to make use of this opportunity to save.

The Liberty Bell savings bank, which is given to each depositor, can be unlocked only at the bank, so that each penny dropped into it is a penny toward the savings account of the depositor.

Chattanooga Is Welcoming Vets

Chattanooga, Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—The city presented a gala appearance today welcoming the Confederate veterans, arriving for the thirty-second annual reunion which begins officially tomorrow. The social program opened today.

SPECIAL PRICES ON SUITS

All wool suits at long ago prices are featured in a McCabe & Grice ad, on the back page of this issue. Mr. Martin, advertising man at McCabe's, says you can hardly tell them from the \$40.00 suits in his regular line. As there are only fifty of these suits, early purchasing is advised.

OVERCOAT WEEK AT SPENCER'S

It's overcoat week at the Quality Shop and Ed Spencer is taking unusual pride in his overcoat values, this year. He declares that his prices are hardly more than half last year's and invites inspection of his line in a very attractive advertisement on page three.

PASSENGER SERVICE NOT INTERRUPTED

Palestine, Texas, Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—The thirty day strike of trainmen and switchmen on the International and Great Northern Railroad today found passenger service virtually uninterrupted, according to company reports.

MOTHER DIES WHILE BRIDE ON HONEYMOON

While Mr. and Mrs. Will Overman were on their wedding trip in Canada Mrs. Overman received a message that her mother, Mrs. Herman Schmidt of Richmond had died suddenly. The telegram reached Mrs. Overman at Montreal. Mrs. Schmidt died suddenly Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Overman were married in Richmond about two weeks ago.

QUICK ACTION EXPECTED

Montross, Va., Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—Quick action by the grand jury is expected today in the cases of Roger Eastlake and Miss Sarah Knox held in connection with the killing of the former's wife at Colonial Beach on September 30.

Advance Thrift Coupon

WORTH 50 CENTS

The Advance has arranged with the Carolina Banking & Trust Company to help every



Advance reader start a bank account.

This coupon is worth 50 cents to you. Cut out the coupon. Take it with 50 cents to the Carolina Banking & Trust Company tomorrow and you can open a \$1.00 savings account.

Besides being credited with a \$1.00 account, each depositor will be given a Liberty Bell bank. A picture of the bank is inset in this coupon.

Sign your name and address here:

Soy Bean Crop Will Bring Good Returns

S. G. Scott, Prominent Local Broker, Is Encouraged Over Outlook For This Year

Properly marketed the 1921 soy bean crop of Pasquotank County will bring the farmers a substantial return, thinks S. G. Scott of Brock & Scott Produce Company. Mr. Scott is in close touch with the soy bean situation, and he states that, in his opinion, the market will open around \$1.50 per bushel this year.

Locally the soy bean acreage is perhaps 25 per cent larger than in 1920, but the crop will not exceed that of last year, due to the continued dry weather and the fact that many plants shed their blooms on account of several unseasonably cool nights in August.

Approximately 115,000 bushels of soy beans were raised in Pasquotank County in 1920. In that year Pasquotank was the second county in the State in the production of the profitable legume, being exceeded only by Hyde County.

Many uses of the soy bean in manufacturing, recently developed as the result of extensive experiments, have had important influence upon the enhancement of the crop's value in the South as a money crop. In some sections it is now fast displacing cotton, and bids fair soon to take a place beside it as one of the leading money crops of the nation.

Imitation butter, salad oils, varnishes, paints, soaps, foods and food products are among the many manufactured products now made wholly or in part of the soy bean and its valuable oil. Experiments to determine the commercial uses of the bean are still in their initial stages, and it is certain that many other ways in which it can be successfully utilized will be developed in the next few years.

IN COURT MONDAY

Bettie Bell, colored, found guilty in recorder's court Monday morning of retaining liquor, was sentenced to ninety days in jail. She gave notice of appeal, and the bond was fixed at \$150, in default of which she was remanded to jail.

Henry Adams, colored, charged with carrying concealed weapons, was fined ten dollars and costs. George Brothers, colored, found guilty of operating an automobile without the proper lights, was taxed with the costs of a hearing.

Burbie Richardson, charged with having been engaged in a game of chance, was fined \$25 and costs.

WILL MEET TONIGHT

The Young Woman's Club will meet tonight at 7:30 at the Y. M. C. A. All members are requested to be present.

Hungary Must Expel Charles

Says British Government Which Reserves The Right To Support Jugo-Slavia, Czecho-Slovakia, And Rumania In Any Action For Expulsion Of Charles

FOUR KILLED AND SEVEN WOUNDED

In Attempted Arrest Of Negro Moonshiners Sunday—Authorities Expect No Further Trouble Today

Orange, Va., Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—Authorities here today expected no further trouble after the killing yesterday of four and the wounding of seven.

William Bond, sheriff, and Julian Boyer, town sergeant, were killed while attempting to arrest Walter Ware, negro moonshiner, on a farm on the outskirts of the city.

Ware and an unidentified accomplice were burned when a mob fired the barn from which the negroes defied their pursuers.

City Now Has A New Fire Truck

American-LaFrance Pumper Arrived Saturday And Was Accepted Monday

A new \$12,500 fire truck has been added to the equipment of the Elizabeth City Fire Department. It is equipped with 1,200 feet of hose, two 32-foot scaling ladders, and pumps 750 gallons of water per minute. The truck was received Saturday, and was accepted after a try-out test Monday morning. It is an American-LaFrance truck, and has been christened locally "No. 3."

The local Fire Department now has two 750-gallon trucks, the "Virginia" being of this type; in addition to a 500-gallon steam fire engine, and the chemical and hose wagon, "Minnie Lee." It is one of the best-equipped fire departments in any city of this size in North Carolina.

The addition of the new truck to the city's fire-fighting apparatus again brings to attention the law requiring all motorists to stop their cars upon the approach of any fire truck on the way to answer to an alarm.

The new "No. 3" is equipped with a self-starter, and has small electric lights under the hood to facilitate repairs and adjustments at night.

Jennings Case On To Supreme Court

Will Test Right Of Highway Commissions To Invaide Private Property

Following the dissolution of the injunction granted J. M. Jennings and others against the State Highway Commission, the Pasquotank Highway Commission, by Judge J. Lloyd Horton et al. a special hearing here Monday morning, Jennings will appeal to the Supreme Court through his attorney, E. F. Aydlett, of this city.

Employees of the State and County Highway Commission went upon the property of Jennings, just across Knobbs Creek swamp on the Newland Road, without first resorting to condemnation proceedings, to get material for a necessary fill in the swamp, and after Jennings had forbidden them the use of material from his property. He is now bringing suit in the sum of \$4,000 against the above-named defendants.

The fact that condemnation proceedings were not instituted before the land was invaded constitutes the grounds for the appeal to the Supreme Court, and the case thereby becomes a test of the right of highway commissions throughout the State arbitrarily to invade private property to obtain roadbuilding materials, de-

London, Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—It is reported in Vienna that the British High Commissioner declared that the Entente would construe the continued presence of Charles in Hungary as Casus Belli says the Exchange Telegraph Company.

The British government has notified the Hungarian government that the latter must expel Charles, it is learned here today. The British government reserves the right to support Jugo-Slavia, Czecho-Slovakia and Rumania in any action for the expulsion of Charles.

An ultimatum has been sent to the Hungarian government by Czecho-Slovakia giving forty-eight hours for the removal of Charles, says a Vienna dispatch.

An official telegram from Budapest late last night said that the Hungarian premier informed the British minister that Charles' forces had been driven back and fresh troops were arriving to oppose him.

Horthy Flees Budapest

Berlin, Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—Admiral Horthy, Hungarian regent, had fled from Budapest leaving the government in the hands of a provisional directorate of monarchists, says a Teschen dispatch.

Vienna, Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—Charles' military strength is reported increasing.

Belgrade, Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—Jugo-Slav forces are concentrating on the frontier of Hungary.

Paris, Oct. 24 (By The Associated Press)—Charles' forces are closing in on Budapest without meeting much resistance, the Allied Council of Ambassadors was informed today.

REV. STACK'S SON WEDS

News has been received here of the wedding of David L. Stack, of New London, Conn., and Miss Edna May Bartholomew, of Hartford, Conn., in Hartford last Thursday at noon. The groom is the son of Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Stack, of this city, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bartholomew, of Hartford. The couple will make their home at New London.

FIRE ON SATURDAY

The fire company was called Saturday to the building on Poindexter street owned by R. B. White and occupied by E. N. White, where a defective flue had started trouble. The fire was extinguished by chemicals. Damage to the building amounted to \$10 and to furniture and fixtures \$50.

spite the owner's protests and without a resort to condemnation of the property involved.

The temporary injunction, or restraining order, was filed with the Clerk of the Court of Pasquotank County on October 15, and was forwarded to Judge J. Lloyd Horton. It was authorized by Judge Horton, and was returned to the Clerk on Thursday, October 20.