

LONE BANDIT ROBS STATION

Neighboring Police Aid In Search For Thug Who Takes \$160

The bandit who robbed the attendant of the Parkside Service station, Martin and Southfield roads of \$160 Monday night is sought by police in nearby cities today.

Entering, immediately after several customers had left the gasoline station, he produced a revolver, backed Austin Peck of Royal Oak, the attendant, against the wall, scooped the money from the cash register and left.

Peck told Serg. Richard Lawler and Patrolman Joseph McGreggor who investigated, he did not know whether the man had an automobile waiting or whether he escaped on foot. The neighborhood was searched but no clues to the bandit were uncovered.

The thug was about 21 years old, police said, six feet tall and weighed 170 pounds. The station is owned by Edward Beck, of 146 Townsend street.

Y. M. C. A. Drive Gets Under Way

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Forty of the 15 group leaders now giving one evening a week to boys' work here have come up through the ranks of the "Y" itself.

Mr. Villet pictured the work of the local Y. M. C. A. as of inestimable value; he said that one of the finest things done in Michigan last year was the raising of funds for a new Community House, and he credited early work of the Y. M. C. A. here with first arousing a community spirit.

Other speakers Monday evening included John B. Howarth, president of the local Y. M. C. A. organization, Mr. L'Hommiedu, and Robert D. Lynd, the latter executive secretary of the "Y".

The captains and members of their teams under Mr. Villet follow:

Captain: George Averill, Chas. Randall, James Taylor, Joseph Huston, George Cook.

Captain: James V. Bayley, Fred Quanton, C. Carter, William Olsen, E. W. Allen, Milton Parks.

Captain: Kenneth Bligham, Walter Moreland, Leslie Wilson.

Lough Smith, B. J. Melrow, F. Burnett.

Captain: John Martin, Charles James, Harry L. Savin, Lawrence Thomas, Francis Bagby, Norman Lytle.

Captain: R. H. Peck, Leland Bunyan, David Anderson, Clarence Warner, Paul Averill, Charles Buck, Ralph Wilson, T. W. Miner, C. G. Jackson.

Captain: G. A. Ziegler, L. J. Shuman, M. Faddis, R. Phillips, E. B. Root, Frank Campbell, H. Wagner, Leo I. Gibbons.

Captain: Howard Tugrey, Eugene Parmenter, Earl Corviant, C. E. Botsford.

The section supervised by Mr. L'Hommiedu includes the following:

Captain: Dr. W. P. Gibson, A. J. Bruce, Joseph Dalley, Louis Hascall, G. F. Johnson, Arthur Peck, E. S. Clark, J. S. Black, Dr. H. P. Roehm.

Captain: O. P. Peterson, R. C. Moudthrop, Morris Cooke, R. A. Lott, C. Hinchman, S. Reese.

Captain: H. F. Klein, H. H. Shuart, L. M. Baker, Warren Pomeroy, Robert H. Shaw, Edward Laird, Bill Story, Jr., Charles Kitchin.

Captain: John Maynard, Edward Hascall, Russell Berger, John Martz, Thomas Ellerby, William DeLoe.

Captain: Robert Peck, William Story, Ray A. Palmer, G. L. Dimmick, Jr., Victor Peck, J. B. Taylor.

Captain: W. W. Raymond, Wilford Atkins, H. N. Davock, Robert Grindley, Farrington Holt, Henry Whiting.

First State Bank 20 Years Old

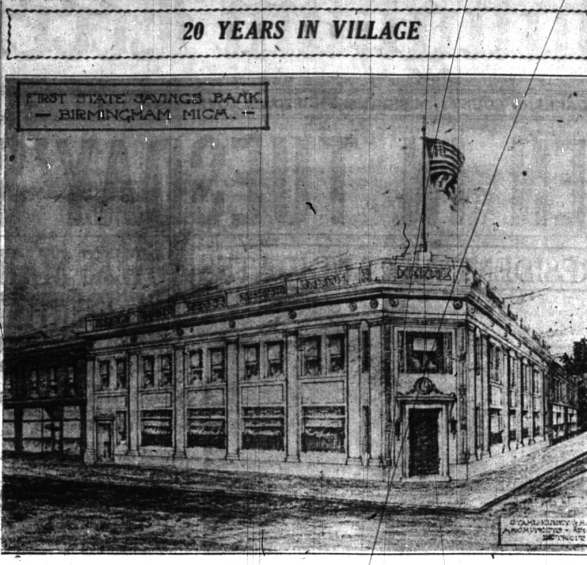
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stairs part of the building is given over to banking.

Mr. Hagerman has lived in Birmingham since 1883 and for eight years was postmaster here. For 30 years he was engaged in the drug and grocery business in the village.

A native of Birmingham, Mr. Cobb, was educated in the public schools and Ferris Institute. In 1921 he was elected vice-president of the bank.

Fourteen persons are now employed in the active force of the bank: Arthur C. Peck, assistant cashier; Robert C. Peck, assistant cashier; Bernard H. Shrock, assistant cashier; Edward G. Smith, teller; Eugene A. Farmer, teller; Irving J. Ziegler, teller; Mrs. Elizabeth Crowe and Miss Marian Wright, stenographers; Miss Gladys Green, Miss Marian Hawkins, Miss Carmine Code and Mrs. Lauretta Lutz, bookkeepers.



SALE OF LAND IS REPORTED

92 Feet Of Woodward Ave. Frontage Goes In Deal; Price Not Revealed

Sale of 92 feet of Woodward avenue frontage adjacent to The Eccentric office between Hamilton and Oakland avenue was completed this week, it has been learned. Purchase price and the identity of the purchaser have not been announced.

It is understood, however, that Joseph Pope, realtor, represented both parties.

The land was owned jointly by Mrs. Robert E. Fisher of east Maple avenue and Morgan Rundel of Florida.

This is one of the largest recent downtown property deals in Birmingham.

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Rev. Floyd E. Logee, pastor of the Presbyterian Church here, conducted the services at the cemetery.



Photo by Arnold Steddie

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HUNTER SHOT ACCIDENTALLY

Southfield Man Gets Charge Of Buckshot In Head; Is Recovering

Artemus Tibbitts, 31 years old, owner of the Rosemond Hills farm in Southfield Township, is reported recovering in Harper hospital, Detroit, today from wounds sustained when a shot gun was discharged by one of a party while hunting last Thursday.

Fear that he will lose an eye as the result of the accident is expressed by doctors. Numerous buck shots were taken from his forehead, right arm and chest and X-ray photographs were taken to determine the extent of the injuries.

The Southfield man was injured when several of the party of hunters shot at a pheasant which arose about 4 p. m. Thursday. Four shots were fired at the bird and it is not known who fired the shot that hit Tibbitts. In the party with him were Ray and Robert McCrumb, Southfield Township brothers-in-law of Tibbitts; Dr. G. F. Weaver, Clifford Hughes and N. Humphries, all of Farmington.

Another party on Tibbitts' farm, the scene of the accident, included Circuit Judge Frank J. Doty, Deputy Sheriff Clayton Stokes, Charles Johnson and John Barker and Floyd Blakeslee, Henry A. Butler and Donald A. Pyrritt, Pontiac attorneys. This group had stopped during a short time before Stokes took the injured man to the Detroit hospital.

RADIO SEEN AS AID IN BRINGING RECORD VOTE EXPECTED TUESDAY

The part that the radio has played in the presidential campaign ending with the election next Tuesday is regarded with interest by many Birmingham people.

The consensus of opinion is that a general enthusiasm and interest has been stirred in the home by the campaign speeches both by the candidates and their supporters. For the first time practically every American family has had the opportunity of hearing the platform speeches, both Republican and Democratic, it is pointed out.

The fact that women are taking an active interest in the selection of a president is credited to the work of the radio, by Robert Y.

Moore, Bloomfield Township clerk. "A record vote, having as one of its most important instigators, the radio should take place Tuesday," Mr. Moore said. "In former times politics were left to the men and scarcely ever did any of them hear the speeches of the candidates. Now, I would say, 60 per cent of the balloting done Tuesday will be by women. Having heard constructive and destructive orations from the mouths of the two party candidates, the White House, they are able to judge for themselves and decide intelligently for whom they will vote."

"Making use of the speeches of both Hoover and Smith, and their supporters, the character of the

candidate, their qualifications and their aims, may be ascertained. In addition, the weaker candidate naturally will fall lower in the public's estimation when placed in comparison, after both men have been heard over the radio."

Charles J. Shain, druggist, contends that although a number of persons take no interest in politics and political speeches and would avoid a speech program on the radio, they probably have heard at least some of the Democratic or Republican statements.

Mr. Shain believes the campaign by air serves to inform the people and creates a desire to vote.

The opinion of George H. Mitchell, coincides with the general belief. "The radio campaigning should bring the people out to the polls," he said. "Everybody has heard from the candidates and knows the policy of each man and the one chosen will be the result of the intelligence of people as to what they are doing."

"Just as much interest was shown in politics in the days of Grover Cleveland as is displayed in the 1928 election," Frank Ide, erman, president of the First State Bank said. "But," he continued, "the radio gives up a great deal of interest in the home. Formerly few heard the candidates. Women went no farther in politics 50 years ago than to discuss it at home. The voting and political activity was left to the men."

Now they have an equal chance to learn about those who aspire to hold office and can mark their preference of the ballot on election day," Mr. Hagerman said.

Phone your news items to The Eccentric. Phones 11 and 12.

Wanted Situations for 19 MAIDS

An unsolicited letter sent by Mrs. L. B. Reid of Chester street informs us that 20 applicants have come to her for a job as maid. She used several ad in last week's paper.


It is evident from this letter that there are still 19 women in Birmingham and vicinity who are seeking positions as maids.

If you are in need of such, we suggest that you use the classified columns of this paper.

Phones 11 and 12

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