

## MUSICIAN SLAIN; YOUTH CONFESSES

Father Wrings Admission  
From R. Hecker.

### LIQUOR DEAL INVOLVED

Driver of Machine in Which Man  
Disappeared, According to  
Brother, Is Arrested.

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were found on the machine an immediate search was started for Hecker. At noon yesterday Hecker went to the office of his attorney, Mr. Ryan, where he was in conference for nearly two hours. Upon his attorney's advice, he surrendered himself to the police, although he was advised to make no statement of any kind.

According to Albert Bowker, brother of the missing man, Hecker went to their house at 266 Stafford street Saturday night, where he contracted to sell Frank Bowker a quantity of bonded liquor. It was arranged that they would go to the liquor cache Sunday night.

Hecker and Bowker met by appointment at Broadway and Stark street at 7 P. M. Sunday. Albert Bowker was with his brother. Hecker previously had borrowed a light touring car from Percy M. Johnson, Chamber of Commerce building, and met the brothers at the appointed place.

According to Albert Bowker's statement to the police and Deputy District Attorney Mowry, Hecker refused to permit both brothers to accompany him to the liquor rendezvous. It was arranged that Albert Bowker would meet the liquor automobile at the intersection of East Eighty-second street and Division streets at 8 P. M.

**\$1400 Carried to Cache.**  
Hecker told him, according to Albert Bowker's story, that the liquor was stored in an automobile in an old barn about one mile south of Eighty-second and Division streets.

Bowker said he went to this meeting place and remained until 11 o'clock at night, but his brother and Hecker failed to keep the appointment. He then went home, but when his brother failed to arrive by daylight he became anxious and notified the police.

Bowker said his brother went to the liquor cache to inspect the liquor. It proved to be a trap set by Hecker, it was planned to purchase about 15 cases, he said. His brother carried about \$1400 in currency with him for the purpose of buying the liquor.

Percy N. Johnson was examined by the deputy district attorney relative to lending his automobile to Hecker.

"I am a business associate with Hecker's brother, and when he met me Sunday night he asked to borrow the machine in order to drive over to the east side," Johnson said. "He was to have returned the car the same night."

**Blood Found in Car.**  
"He failed to do so, and I never saw anything of him until shortly after 9 o'clock this morning, when he stuck his head in the door of my office and said he had parked the car on Pine street, between Second and Third streets. He apologized for not bringing the car on time."

"A few minutes later one of my salesmen, F. A. Mitchell, went for the car to take it into a tire shop. Mitchell noticed there was a car seat cushion and a new rubber mat in front. He then started to investigate and found blood all over the car and on the running boards. It had even seeped through to the mechanism beneath the body of the machine."

"From the tire shop Mitchell called me by telephone and told me there was something wrong and wanted to see me at once. Then, a few minutes later, the detective arrived and told me of the other circumstances."

The automobile, with the blood spots still visible, was taken first to police headquarters and later stored in the police garage. An examination of the blood spots was made by the identification bureau and it was found to be human blood.

Police detectives worked on young Hecker until late last night, but he steadfastly refused to give them information of any kind which might result in locating the missing man. At one time during the afternoon he appeared to be on the verge of a breakdown while Chief of Police Jenkins was questioning him, but he took a fresh grip on his nerve and stopped suddenly.

## JUVENILE ROBE ORDERED

SPOKANE JURY TOLD TO SPARE  
NO ONE AT FAULT.

"Indict All Persons Contributing  
to Delinquency of Minors,"  
Judge Instructs Panel.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 17.—"Indict all persons contributing to the delinquency of minors," Judge A. W. Frater of Seattle instructed the Spokane superior court grand jury, empaneled here today to probe reports of alleged delinquency of students attending Spokane high schools and to investigate the juvenile court.

After being sworn in and receiving instructions the jury consisting of six women and 11 men, recessed for the day. It will begin active investigation tomorrow.

Judge Frater laid stress on the necessity for a thorough probe of the juvenile court. The jury was told to make recommendations for changes should they find "there has been discrimination, lack of kindness or any other lax methods" on the part of the juvenile court.

The original charges of wrong action on the part of high school students were made by Judge R. M. Webster of the juvenile court, who also called the grand jury.

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At top—Automobile in which missing man was last riding is held at police station, covered with blood. Lower—(Left) Frank Bowker, for whom authorities are hunting. (Right) Russell Hecker, driver of machine and last person seen with missing man, who is held on open charge pending investigation. At right—Police Detective Mallett, who is conducting investigation.

## STILL'S RETURN IS ASKED

UNUSUAL CASE IS ARGUED IN  
FEDERAL COURT.

Equipment Belongs to Man Who  
Had Operator Arrested; Evidence  
All That Is Against Accused.

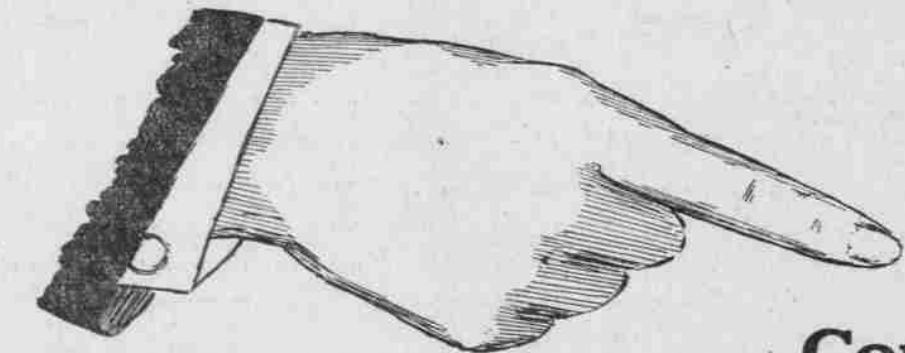
Does a moonshiner's still, seized by federal officers without authorization of a formal search warrant, still belong to the original owner and has he a right to have it returned to him?

This question was argued in federal court yesterday, the fourth and fifth amendments to the United States constitution being quoted in support of the contention. Judge Bean heard arguments and will give his decision this morning.

A somewhat mixed problem has been presented by the unusual claim. Mike Lubich contends he should have his copper kettle and copper coil back from the government. If the authorities do return it, they will be without evidence to convict the man of moonshining, as he is yet to be tried.

If the odd request is denied, however, Assistant United States Attorney Bynon expects the defendant will plead guilty of his own accord, and he so stated to the court yesterday.

Lubich rented a room on a small farm at Middleton, Or., and used the roothouse as a distillery. The owner of the place complained to officers and asked that Lubich be ousted from the property. Lubich, according to the officers, was caught red-handed, making moonshine in the roothouse, where his copper kettle with its cop-



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## 15-CENT SHINE RETURNS

14 MEMBERS ARE REINSTATED  
BY BOOTBLACK UNION.

Ten-Cent Schedule Is Abandoned  
After Two Weeks' Trial—40  
Attend Meeting.

After two weeks' trial of a schedule of 10-cent shoe shines on five days a week, 14 members of the Portland bootblacks' union who withdrew when they adopted the schedule requested reinstatement and announced their return to the 15-cent price at a meeting of the union held last night in the Panama building.

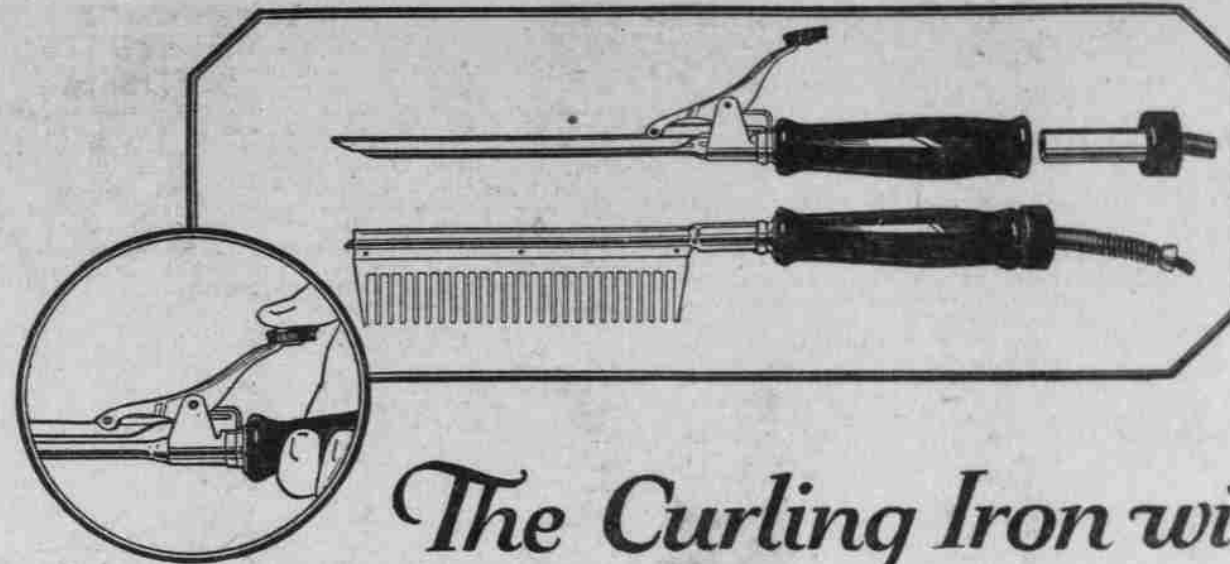
This means that, so far as union members are concerned, the price of shoe shines is back to 15 cents again, although there are a number of non-union stands about the city, mostly in lobbies of office buildings, where the 10-cent shine still holds.

About 40 members of the union attended the meeting, which was presided over by A. Pappas, president. A vote was taken on the request of the 14 for reinstatement and passed on the condition that the 15-cent shine be adhered to.

Members of this faction declared they had found they could not make expenses at the 10-cent rate and laid the blame on their landlords, saying that high rents charged for the shine booths ate up half the money taken in.

This is the third step in the fight for 10-cent shines taken within the past month. The first was when the original break was made, which proved a fluke, and the second was two weeks ago, when members of the union withdrew and inaugurated the five-day schedule for 10-cent shines.

**Woman Hurt in Auto Accident.**  
CANY, Or., April 17.—(Special.)—Mrs. Sam Cox of Oregon City was



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# Hotpoint SERVANTS

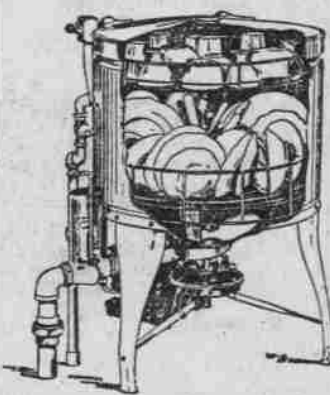
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