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Oberkirk wore a diamond ring worth \$1500, a tin worth \$1000 and carried \$400 in his pockets. The woman wore a ring worth \$1000. The suite contained all the paraphernalia required for an opium smoker.

Two more persons said to be associated with the first two came under the attention of the police Friday night, when Charlotte Mathews swore out a warrant for H. M. Warner, charging larceny. Warner, according to the complaint, disappeared from the city with \$5000 and \$1000 diamond ring belonging to the woman.

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New Orleans, La., Sept. 16.—(I. N. S.)—Loss of \$6,000,000 was caused early today by one of the most spectacular fires in the history of New Orleans when the 7000 foot government wharf and a two story shed in front of the United States army supply base on the river front were destroyed.

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Bonus Bill Up to President Harding (Continued From Page One) Finally passed the measure by five to one and the line-up has not changed materially since that time.

How They Voted: Yes—Republicans: Brandegee, Barnhart, Cameron, Capper, Cummings, Curtis, Gooding, Hale, Harrell, Jones (Wash.), Kellogg, Lenroot, McCort, McCreary, He Lester, McNary, Nicholson, Odell, Rawson, Shortridge, Stanford, Sutherland and Willis—24 Democrats: Ashburn, Broome, Fletcher, Harrison, Hefflin, Ransdell, Sheppard, Simmons, Stanley, Trammell, Walsh (Mass.), and Watson (Ga.).

Switch Changes Situation: Those hoping for the bill had claimed prior to Wednesday's action that 34 senators, one more than necessary to sustain the president even if the entire membership was present and voting, pledged against the bill.

Reed College Gains Enrollment at Beginning of Term: Reed college enrollment has mounted 429, an increase of 19 over the number entering on the day of enrollment. Of these, 108 are freshmen, 78 sophomores, 57 juniors and 51 seniors.

Listing for New Phone Directory Is To Close October 1

Notice of the closing on October 1 of the next Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company directory is being distributed by the company to telephone subscribers in the city.

Turn on Phonograph Then Rob Residence

While they ransacked the rooms of N. A. Holliday, Westminister apartments, Sixth and Madison streets, musical burglars Friday afternoon set the alarm by turning on the phonograph.

2 Children Chased By Mysterious Man

Police are searching for a mysterious man who is reported to have chased Marie Larsen, 12, and George Larson, 6, near their home, at No. 1610 Columbia boulevard, Friday evening.

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