

BAND OF THIEVES POSE AS STUDENTS TO ROB LIBRARIES

Pushcart Dealer, With 200 Stolen Volumes, Arrested and Held for Trial.

That a group of young library habitués, who pose as summer students, are a band of book thieves, operating in all probability under some literary...

Just what connection, if any, Kalman Cohen, who was arrested last night with some 200 library books on his pushcart, has with this band will not be disclosed until Cohen is tried on the charge of receiving stolen property.

"People may wonder how any profits are made on our books by the 'fence,' or the person who receives and sells the stolen books," said Mr. Gaillard today.

"No book on a pushcart commands any marked price. Suppose the books are stolen by boys who are educated, like a pickpocket or shoplifter, to take a book from a shelf, jam it in a big pocket and walk out. These unfortunate youths proudly return to their fagin and give up their booty gratis.

"The thief gets little or nothing," the fence said. "From 15 to 50 cents. If 500 of them are sold a month it figures a big loss to the city, because in nearly every instance the book taken has been rebound, which means an additional 75 cents cost to the library."

"No, there's no trend of learning pursued in the line of the books taken. Usually, the relation size book is fished. Big books, which might create suspicion in a pocket, are not disturbed. They steal books on theology as fast as detective stories."

"Cohen was picked up by detectives in Rutgers Square. The 200 books found were identified by women librarians from the Public Library at No. 196 East Broadway, from where they were principally stolen. Many of the books had been soiled and rubbed with mud or clay to give them the appearance of being used. In other instances the fly leaf bearing the library stamp had been torn out so the buyer would not suspect their source. Cohen was selling them for from 10 to 25 cents each, and a crowd about his wagon when the detectives saw him.

Cohen could give no explanation as to where he got the books and his arrest and the seizure of the books were allowed. According to the police, Cohen was arrested a year ago on similar charges and, after having obtained bail, fled to Europe.

GEIDEL OFF TO PRISON TO SERVE LONG TERM.

Bellboy Slayer Will Stay in Sing Sing for at Least Twenty Years.

Paul Geidel, the seventeen-year-old murderer of William H. Jackson at the Hotel Inglewood, was sentenced today for his long term, which must last twenty years, and may last for life. The former bellboy was taken from the Tombs to Police Headquarters at 9 o'clock in a Corrections Department van.

Geidel did not look at the curious persons who watched him in and out of the van. He kept the relation size book in his pocket, which has stayed with him from the day the police traced him out by means of the chloroform bottle which he had left in old Mr. Jackson's room.

When his picture and his Bertillon measurements had been recorded at Headquarters, he was put in the van again, in charge of Deputy Sheriff Brettenbach and Spelman, and taken to the Grand Central Station. Handcuffed to Spelman he was led aboard the 11:30 Croton local.

"BRIDGE BLOWS UP IN EVERY TOWN THAT I HIT"

Peculiar Coincidence Is Blamed by Brakeman for His Arrest at Mt. Vernon.

Because, as Frank Walter, who says he is a brakeman forty-seven years old, of No. 27 West 125th Street, and Eighty-ninth street, puts it "every town I've struck seems to have had a bridge blown up," he is being held today by the Mount Vernon police, with James Johnson, who says he is from Hammond, Pa., N. Y., though the charge is intimidation.

They were arrested by Lieut. Atwell and Detective Clancy of the Mount Vernon police and Detective Stein of the Manhattan, near where the Columbus avenue bridge of the New York, Westchester and Boston road was blown up on Sunday night. They denied that they knew anything about the explosion, and the detectives say they overheard them discussing it and wondering why the perpetrators had not chosen a spot nearer the New Haven tracks.

Such close watch is being kept on the work now that a watchman fired on workmen who were mounting the trestle to go to work Monday. Commissioner Walter Drew of the National Erectors' Association says the investigation into Sunday's outrage will be prosecuted vigorously independent of the police.

GERMANY ACCEPTS TERMS OF FRANCE AND MOROCCO?

Paris Gets News That Snarl Has Been Settled, but Foreign Office Is Silent.

PARIS, Sept. 5.—Advices received here today from Berlin intimate that the German Imperial Chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, has indicated his acceptance of France's proposals, presented last Monday to the German Foreign Minister, Herr von Kiderlen-Waechter, by the French Ambassador, M. Cambon, looking to a settlement of the Moroccan dispute. The French Foreign Office, however, maintains an attitude of reserve regarding the progress of the negotiations.

Despatches, which look as though they would give no explanation as to where he got the books and his arrest and the seizure of the books were allowed. According to the police, Cohen was arrested a year ago on similar charges and, after having obtained bail, fled to Europe.

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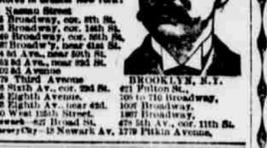
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- Dressmakers' Bust Forms, cloth covered; all sizes; regularly \$1.00; each 39c. Combination Forms, cloth covered bust, with wire skirt; regularly \$2.50; at \$1.69. Silk Hair Nets, all shades; large sizes, regularly 8c; special, 6 for 25c. Embroidered Shirt Waist Ruffles; various styles; regular 39c; each 29c. Shields—special purchase 3,000 prs. of fine dress shields—broken assortments from a representative firm. Values 2 to 4 pairs for 25c. Sewing Silk; full 50 yds., colors and black; 24c doz. "Griffon" Elastic Bows—regularly 15c; 10c. "No Rip" Stocking Protectors—regularly 15c; set, 10c. Cap or Ribbon Wire—regularly 5c; piece, 2c. Ribbon Wire—12 yd. pieces, 10c. Shell Hair Binders—reg. 5c. Miscellaneous: Dress Weights—all sizes, regularly 12c; doz., 90c. Transparent Collar Supporters; regular 5c; 4 sets 10c. Dress Weight Tape—regularly 12c; yard, 7c. "Never Slip" for inside of shoes; regularly 10c; pair, 5c. Linen Tape—all shades, reg. 10c; piece, 5c. "Corduroy" Hair Thread; regularly 10c; pair, 5c. Darning Eggs, with handle; regularly 5c; each, 2c. Leather Insoles—regularly 10c; pair, 5c. Cotton Tape; 24 yd. roll; regular 10c; at 5c.

School Outfitting Sales All This Week

Exactly the Sort of Sale That Is Desired by Prudent Parents Whose Idea of a Bargain Is Worthy Merchandise at Prices Decidedly Lower Than Usual

NOT only a money-saving occasion—it is also an important Fashion event, as it formally introduces the newest Fall Fashions in outer wear for the younger set, from the dainty young girl to the stunning college girl, or the smart young academician. No occasion during the entire year brings such good shopping reasons—new styles, new merchandise, and special low prices.

- Junior "Shoe Top" Suits: All the smartness and distinction of the Suits for grown-ups are seen in these models designed especially for the younger girl. Youthful 8-piece models of durable cheviot in desirable colorings. The dress, a pretty pleated style with kimono sleeve, is trimmed with dainty touches of velvet and buttons; semi-box coat, trimmed to match dress is lined throughout with guaranteed satin. Sizes 10 to 15 years. Value \$25.75, at \$18.75. Girls' Chinchilla Coats at \$10.75: Full length double-breasted box coats with turban collar of velvet; lined throughout with flannel. Shades include navy and gray; in sizes 6 to 16 years. Girls' School Dresses, \$1.00 to \$1.95: Of good grade gingham and percale in a variety of pretty plaids and stripes, made in many dainty tailor-made styles, with high neck; long sleeves; full plaited skirts. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Other styles of Anderson gingham, galatas and serge in dainty, practical styles, range in price from \$2.95 to \$11.75. Misses' and Juniors' Fall Suits: The tricky and dashing new Norfolk Model is one, and the latest ideas in severely tailored models with that youthful swing and jauntness that the young folks desire. It is fashioned of smart diagonal cheviot. The coat 28 inches in length, is well tailored and lined throughout with guaranteed satin. New skirt model. There are also many snappy and dainty trimmed styles made of season's latest textures. Sizes 10 to 18 years. Values to \$21.50. Misses' Afternoon and Dancing Frocks: Exclusive styles, including many direct copies of imported models. Sizes 14 to 16 years. \$16.50 to \$47.50. Boys' School Suits: With Two Pairs of Trousers: THREE splendid assortments of these "double-wear" suits have been purchased and made up expressly for this sale, and present what we believe to be the greatest values ever offered to parents looking for school outfits that will give long satisfaction. Boys' Two-Trouser Suits: Mixtures, in grays, tans, browns and dark effects, shown in either Norfolk jackets, ages 7 to 12, or double-breasted, ages 10 to 17. Two pairs of extra full cut knickers. \$3.50. Boys' High-Grade Suits: A large variety of new Fall Norfolk and double-breasted suits, with one or two pairs of knicker trousers, ranging in prices from \$7.50, \$10.12. Boys' Two-Trouser Suits: Extraordinary values, Norfolk or double-breasted, all wool cloths, exclusive styles and patterns; two pair of peg top knicker trousers, suitable for boys from 8 to 17 years. \$5.50. Suits for Little Fellows, \$3.95: Russian or sailor effects, with sailor or military collar; fancy mixtures or plain blue serge. Sizes 2 1/2 to 10 years. Boys' All Wool Blue Serge Suits, \$4.50: Norfolk jackets, in ages from 7 to 12; double-breasted, in ages from 10 to 17. Strictly all wool, heavy weight, guaranteed fast color navy blue serge.

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