

BLAMES HIGH COSTS FOR \$140,000 THEFT

Messenger, Accused of Getting Away With Bonds, Tells of Trip to Coast.

"What could a fellow do on \$10 a week these times?" Leon Julofsky, former messenger for the brokerage firm of E. D. Levinson & Co., 52 Broadway, accused of the theft of \$140,000 worth of Liberty bonds from his employers, asked detectives yesterday at Police Headquarters, who sought to have him explain why he stole the bonds. Julofsky admitted that he and his brother, Milton, were "up against it" and found it impossible to live on their incomes.

"The whole thing has been an experience for me," he said. "I think I have profited greatly by it and I feel certain that my going to jail for my escapade will do neither the firm of Levinson nor myself any good."

Julofsky disappeared September 19 last, when his employers had entrusted him with the delivery of the bonds to the office of Maion & Co., brokers, 45 Wall street. The police, throughout the country were furnished with a description of the messenger. He was arrested in a Los Angeles hotel several weeks ago by Detectives Irving O'Hara and James McCoy, who brought him back.

After leaving his employer's office the day of the robbery, Julofsky told the detectives he went up to Sixth avenue and Thirty-eighth street and met his brother, who had heard of a bond broker who was said to be possessed of unusual ability in disposing of large amounts of stolen Government securities; that he and Milton split the bonds "fifty-fifty" and descended upon the establishment of the broker in Madison avenue, and that the broker demanded a commission of \$30,000, which did not please the youths.

Julofsky said the broker obtained two jobs for him, the first as an elevator operator in Teachers College, and later as a dishwasher in the kitchen of the Horace Mann High School, both of which he gave up because he desired to "take a trip." The broker advanced him \$150, he said, and he started in a general westerly direction. In Detroit funds grew low and he sent a code telegram to the broker for more bonds. Julofsky said \$15,000 worth were forwarded by mail.

While in Detroit Julofsky met a convalescent soldier with whom he became friendly and later made him his companion on the trip West. The messenger deposited a \$1,000 bond as security for a loan in a Detroit bank and then he and his soldier friend started for Los Angeles, where they engaged a suite of rooms in the Hotel Rosslyn. Soon after their arrival at the hotel a series of mysterious thefts placed them under suspicion and led eventually to their arrest in another hotel.

Detective O'Hara said Julofsky had \$25,000 in Liberty bonds sewed up in a natty suit of clothes when he was arrested. The detectives have learned the messenger "cleaned up" \$102,000 in Wall Street playing the market on margin. His operations were conducted through a legitimate brokerage firm, a member of which later levied the messenger job for him at Levinson's. An effort is being made by the police to find out what Julofsky did with his stock winnings.

Cabinet Selections Confirmed.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The nominations of Davis E. Easton, now Secretary of Agriculture, to be Secretary of the Treasury, and E. T. Meredith of Des Moines, Iowa, to be Secretary of Agriculture, were confirmed unanimously today by the Senate.

\$100,000 Fire in Whittier Home.
WORCESTER, Mass., Jan. 31.—The palatial residence of G. Marston Whittier in Whittemore was burned to-day, with a loss of about \$100,000. Employees of the Whittier Machine Works saved some of the contents.

Police Department Orders.
The following appointments are ordered:
AN POLICE SURGEONS—TEMPORARILY.
Per 30 days from January 29, 1920:
John J. Loughlin, 157 East Seventy-ninth street, assigned to 7th Surgical Dist. (Rudolph D. Orth, 547 West 158th street, Nelson M. Holden, 271 Quincey street, Brooklyn.)

The following member of the force is relieved and discharged from the police force and service and placed on the roll of the Police Pension Fund and is awarded the following pension:
PATROLMAN.
To take effect 12 P. M. January 31, 1920: Lewis E. Eagleton, No. 6280, 87th Prec., on his own application, at \$600 per annum. Appointed January 8, 1903.

The following transfers and assignments are ordered:
PATROLMEN.
To take effect 8 A. M. February 2, 1920: Henry Baum, Jr., from Headquarters Div., Bureau of Telegraph, Manhattan, to Headquarters Div., Bureau of Telegraph, Manhattan.
Theodore V. O'Neill, Headquarters Div., from Bureau of Telegraph, Manhattan, to Bureau of Telegraph, Brooklyn.
Joseph J. O'Connor, from Headquarters Div., Div. of Transportation, to 17th Prec., assignment as chauffeur discontinued.
From precincts indicated to Headquarters Div., to duty in Health Squad:
Philip P. McCallill, 29, and Harry T. Luddy, Traffic.

TEMPORARY ASSIGNMENTS.
LIEUTENANT.
Frank T. Lane, 14th Prec., assigned in command, from 7:35 A. M. January 23, during absence of lieutenant in command on sick report.
SERGEANT.
Thomas Barry, 17th Prec., assigned to signal monitor duty, for 30 days from 12:45 A. M. February 1.

PATROLMAN.
Charles Robinson, 74th Prec., to Headquarters Div., to duty in Div. of Repairs, for 15 days from 8 A. M. February 1.

RESIGNATIONS.
The following resignations are accepted. To take effect 12 P. M. January 30:
PATROLMEN.
Joseph L. McGinnis, Shield No. 2781, 88th Prec.
Joseph F. Nettleton, Shield No. 8429, 88th Prec.

DEATHS.
The following deaths are reported:
LIEUTENANT.
Delmar J. Ballson, 89th Prec., died at 2:45 A. M. January 30 at his residence, 25 East 14th street, from pneumonia, from natural causes. Funeral from his late residence at 10 A. M. February 1. Interment Cypress Hills Cemetery.
PATROLMAN.
Edward C. Eichstaedt, Shield No. 1107, 86th Prec., died at 1:15 P. M. January 29 at St. Mary's Hospital, Brooklyn, from pneumonia. Funeral from his late residence, 1480 St. Mark's avenue, Brooklyn, at 8:30 A. M. February 2. Interment Holy Cross Cemetery.

WINS FIGHT FOR HUSBAND'S FRIEND

Mrs. Spiker Gains Permission for Emily Knowles and Baby to Enter United States.

Mrs. Cora M. Spiker of Baltimore yesterday won her right to gain at least temporary admittance to America for Miss Emily Knowles and her three-month-old baby, detained at Ellis Island, byron H. Uhl, acting Commissioner of Immigration, announced that he had been directed by the Department of Labor to entrust Miss Knowles and the child to the care of Mr. and Mrs. William Battersby of Fall River, Mass., for ninety days.

Miss Knowles figures in one of the most unusual domestic "triangles." She met Perley R. Spiker at an A. E. P. aviation training camp in England and a romance followed. Mr. Spiker, in affidavits in which he joined with his wife in trying to obtain Miss Knowles' admittance to the country after her arrival on the Lapland on January 15, stated frankly that his attitude in the case was that of a man trying to right a wrong done an innocent girl. Mrs. Spiker, who made the first move to appeal from the ban raised by the immigration authorities, forgave her husband and expressed full belief in the good character of Miss Knowles. Mrs. Spiker is willing to adopt the child, and a brother of Mr. Spiker, Guy S. Spiker, also of Baltimore, is reported ready to marry Miss Knowles, although he never has seen her.

The Spikers are expected to return to this city to arrange bail for Miss Knowles and the child, although the Battersbys, who have known the Knowles family in England for years, have offered to put up the security. Miss Knowles probably will be released to-morrow, to await the next move in the affair. In view of the announced intentions of Guy S. Spiker she may be married immediately on her arrival on Manhattan soil, and in that case the deportation proceedings would be dropped automatically.

It is certain, in case the marriage does not take place, that Mrs. Cora M. Spiker will continue her efforts to have the young woman's admittance to the country made permanent. It is said that it was through Mrs. Spiker's urgings that Miss Knowles decided to come to America after the birth of her child. In her affidavit to the immigration authorities Mrs. Spiker said:

"I know the moral character and tendencies of my husband and I know

them to be beyond reproach. My husband and Miss Knowles formed a friendship which ripened into something more than friendship. Miss Knowles is not immoral under the rules laid down by the immigration laws. She is a lovable, gentle, refined girl. I would welcome her into my home."

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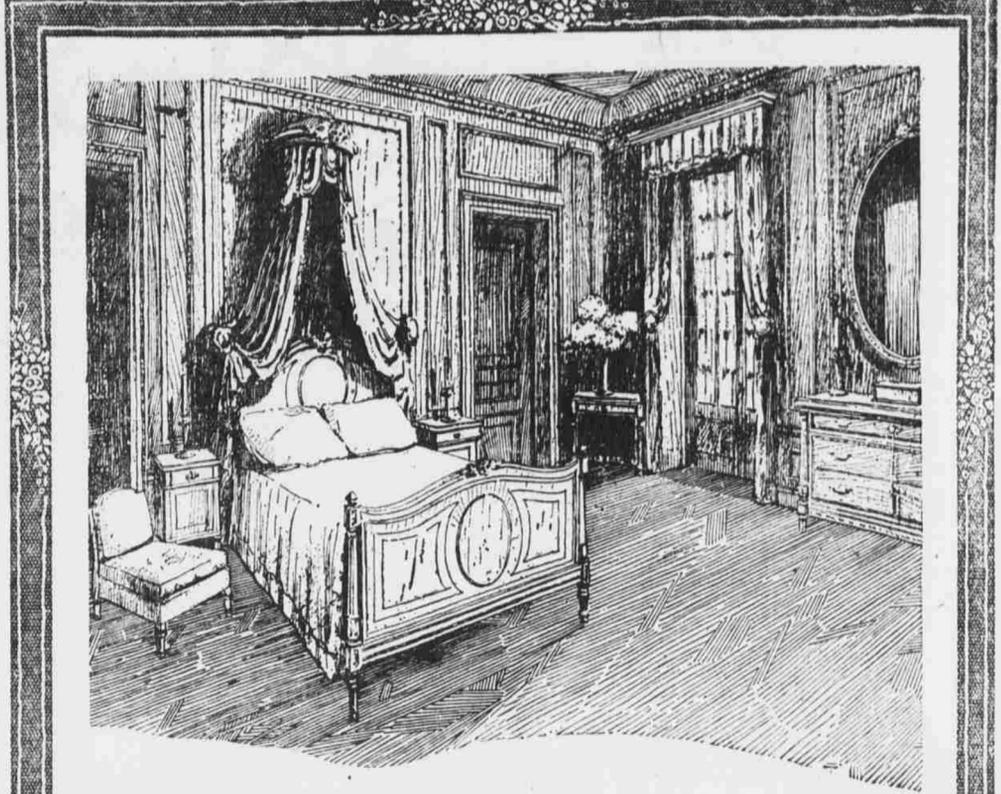
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A superb piece, covered in rich all-wool tapestry with dull brass studs. Regularly \$215. In the Sale at \$165</p> | <p>LUXURIOUS OVERSTUFFED SOFA
A splendid piece for the Living Room, covered in gunmetal and gold silk damask. Regularly \$572. In the Sale at \$470</p> |
| <p>FOR THE GUEST ROOM
A charming Chamber group in hand-decorated, blue glazed enamel. 7 pieces, including full-size bed. Regularly \$758. In the Sale at \$650</p> | <p>DROP-LEAF DESK
Finished in black with quaint English decorations. Regularly \$145. In the Sale at \$128</p> |
| <p>OLD ENGLISH REPECTORY TABLE
A magnificent Oak Table, with hand-hewn top; size 9 ft. long, 3 ft. wide. Regularly \$325. In the Sale at \$240</p> | <p>SOFA AND TABLE
Unusual design in Antique Mahogany. Regularly \$36. In the Sale at \$25</p> |
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An attractive design in the spirit of Queen Anne, suitable for a country house or an apartment, 10 pieces. Regularly \$627. In the Sale at \$490</p> | <p>WILLIAM AND MARY WALNUT TABLE
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