

# ROLLMAN HELD AS BOX CAR THIEF

## Stanley McAllister, of Nicotown Station, and Brother Accused at Shore

# THIRD MAN ALSO TAKEN

Stanley McAllister, twenty-six years old, of Sixth street near Indiana avenue, a patrolman of the Nicotown station, was arrested last night at May's Landing, N. J., and held in \$2000 bail for a further hearing with his brother and a third man, all of whom are charged with robbing boxcars on the Atlantic City Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

A gunshot wound of the left arm, said to have been inflicted in eluding Pennsylvania Railroad detectives, led to the rollman's arrest.

The other men held are George McAllister, of Markoe street near Green street, and Joseph Duffy, of Pennycroft street near Forty-third.

According to the police they were systematically robbing boxcars of moving trains between Hampton and Atlantic City. Early on the morning of May 20, Captain K. M. Amos, of the Atlantic City Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad police and several detectives, followed a freight train from Hampton to Philadelphia, by route, the road paralleling the railroad.

They saw two men break the seals on a boxcar and throw out the door to the road where it was picked up by a third man in an automobile.

The train was stopped and the crew and detectives opened fire on the three men. The man in the automobile abandoned it and escaped through a swamp. A second man was "winged" by a bullet from the guns of one of the detectives, but, gliding his pursuers by slipping into a thick swamp.

The third man was arrested and gave the name of Duffy. He was taken to Mays Landing, as was the abandoned automobile.

The next day, George McAllister went to the Peach and Media streets station and reported his automobile had been stolen. When a description of it was sent out, Mays Landing authorities said they had the missing car.

When McAllister went to claim his automobile he was recognized by railroad detectives as the man who had escaped the day before, and he was arrested. Duffy is alleged to have admitted McAllister was one of the three.

McAllister Seeks Aid  
At 7:30 o'clock on the morning of May 20, Stanley McAllister, the patrolman, reported to the dispensary at City Hall and told Dr. Hubley R. Owen, police surgeon, he had been wounded in an encounter with highwaymen, who he said shot him while he was pursuing them. His wound indicated he had been shot from the rear.

Chief of Detectives Souder, when he heard from the Mays Landing authorities, told the patrolman to go there and clear himself of suspicion. When McAllister refused, Captain Souder placed him in custody of a railroad detective and upon his arrival at Mays Landing last evening he was recognized by railroad detectives there, who said he was the third man in the boxcar robbery.

He was immediately arrested and held with his brother and Duffy. At the same time he was suspended, as it was discovered that when he was appointed to the force last January, he made affidavit that he had never been arrested on a serious charge, while his records show he was arrested on the charge of striking and killing a man with his automobile.

**SUITCASES CAUSE ARREST**  
Suspect's Unfamiliarity With Luggage Arouses Detective's Suspicion  
James Jackson, a Negro, carried two suitcases toward the ferry at Kalghin avenue this morning in a manner which indicated that he had never been arrested on a serious charge, while his records show he was arrested on the charge of striking and killing a man with his automobile.



### Engaged

**MISS ROSE BOLEN**  
Whose engagement was recently announced to Morton Greenberg, of this city, by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Bolen, of 2838 Diamond street, where a reception will take place Sunday.

### CALLS SPECIAL ELECTION

**Governor Wants Congressman at Large in Garland's Place**  
Governor Sprout has issued a proclamation calling upon the voters of the State to elect a Congressman at Large to succeed the late Congressman Mahlon M. Garland, who died before the vote re-electing him to office could be counted. A special election will be held on the same date as the September primary.

### CONVENTS VICTIMIZED

**Religious Institutions Say They Were Swindled by Book Agent**  
Nathan H. Wilson, living at the Hotel Walton, waived a hearing in Central Police Court today on a charge of having received money under false pretenses, and was held under \$1500 bail for the Grand Jury. It is charged he victimized convents and parochial schools by taking money for books on religious subjects, which, it is said, he never delivered.

### WARRANT SWORN OUT

The warrant was sworn out by Sister Sylvester, of St. Monica's Convent, Seventeenth and Ritner streets. The arrest was made by Detective Carmody, who testified he had found checks from convents and order books in the man's pockets. Wilson declared he was being railroaded to jail and attempted to raise a religious issue, then changed his mind and waived a hearing.

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There were a half-dozen religions in their habits in the hearing room prepared to testify. Cardinal Dougherty was represented by an attorney, who prosecuted the case.

# THIS BOY IS OUT TO WIN BICYCLE

## Sees Chance to Put Himself Through College in Public Ledger Contest

# HAVE YOU ENTERED YET?

Here's a boy who knows exactly why he wants to win a Black Beauty bicycle. He's going to make money with it and help put himself through college. "Please don't put my name in the paper," this enterprising lad said when he came in to talk about entering the contest for one of the 5000 brand-new completely equipped bikes the PUMLO LEOZOR is going to give away to boys and girls. "I don't want my name in because I would like to surprise my mother."

### SHOTS FIRED IN RUM RAID

**Suspects in Autos Engage Police in Revolver Battle**  
Several barrels of whisky and apparatus for a complete distilling plant were seized by the police last night in a barn at Roosevelt boulevard and Dark Run lane. More than twenty men were in the place when the police arrived. They jumped into four big touring cars, evidently kept for just such an emergency, and escaped after a revolver fight with the police.

### LAWN FETE FOR HOSPITAL

**Baby Show to Be Feature of Three-Day Benefit**  
The annual lawn fete for the benefit of the Misericordia Hospital will be held on the hospital grounds, Fifty-fourth street and Cedar avenue, tomorrow and Saturday. A feature of the event will be a baby show on Saturday afternoon.

### RAG CONTENT

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# FUGITIVE RECOGNIZED WHEN AIDING PRISONER

**Detective's Memory Traps Nervy Suspect Wanted for Bail-Jumping**  
The good memory of Detective McLain, of the District Attorney's office, is responsible for the arrest of Edward Lipkin, charged with shoplifting and jumping bail.

# FIREWORKS BILL UP IN COUNCIL TODAY

## Passage of Ordinance Without Opposition Predicted—Fines Among Provisions

# MAY RESTRICT AWNINGS

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# JERSEY PINES HOLD INITIATION

A class of 200 candidates was initiated into the mysteries of the Order of Jersey Pines last night at Collingswood. The Pines is a higher degree of the Knights' Order of Mutual Protection. The supreme pine, Fred E. Cunningham, of Haddon Heights, was in charge of the ceremonies.

# CONVENTION AT CONVENT EXERCISES

Dennis Cardinal Dougherty, Archbishop of Philadelphia, gave the benediction on the lawn of the Convent of the Sisters of the Assumption, Haven Hill, West School lane, Germantown, at exercises held there this morning in celebration of the feast of Corpus Christi.

# MASS WAS CELEBRATED BY THE REV. JOHN J. BONNER

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