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### TOLEDO POLICEMEN'S BAND

The Only Musical Organization of the Kind in the Country So "far as It Is Known.



From the left to right, top row, William Berman, John Louy, William Martin, William Mosher and Peter Deaunes. Second row, Sergeant William Leutz, William Carroll, William Rudd and George Murphy. Third row, H. Swank, W. A. Streeter, Instructor Henry Uhl, J. M. Brossin, J. David and John Tandy Bottom row, A. L. Jackson and John Winker. The other five members of the band-Patrolmen Kujawa, E. Brown, George Tanner, Oscar Bruhl and Joseph Horner were absent at the time the photograph was taken.

So far as statistics show, Toledo is the proud possessor of the only police band in the United States, and the accompanying illustration is a very good picture of the men who comprise this organization. True, it has only been in existence as an organization for a period of about two months, but during that time the members have practiced assiduously and well, and the day is not far distant when their initial appearance will be made in public.

The idea of the organization of a police band had been talked over for several weeks prior to the taking of any active steps in that direction, and finally one day a meeting was called at police headquarters, and Mayor Jones was present to help the project along. The mayor is something of a musician himself, and he at once thought the idea a most excellent one. Then came the ques-

tion of instruments. Mayor Jones said that he knew of several banks in the city where money could be borrowed, and that settled the financial part of it. Next Thursday night at Memorial hall the band boys are to give a grand police bail, and the proceeds are to be used in paying off the note which was given in payment of the instruments. That this will be done is evidenced by the fact that more than \$1,100 has already been realized from the sale of tickets, and the last day has not yet arrived prior to tike big event,

Sergeant William Leutz holds the position of president and manager of this musical organization, and Patrolman A. L. Jackson is the secretary-treasurer. The complete personnel of this unique body is as follows:

W. A. Streeter, piccolo; Valentine Kujawa, E flat tuba; Peter Deaunee, E flat

tuba; William Mosher, baritone, Sergeant William Leutz, solo B flat cornet; George Murphy, solo B flat cornet; William Rudd, 1st B flat cornet; William Carroll, 2d B flat cornet; J. M. Brossia, 1st B flat clarionet; John Tandy, 1st B flat clarionet; H. Swank, 2d B flat clarionet; J. David, 3d B flat clarionet; William Martin, William Herman and Oscar Bruhl, slide trombones; John Louy, Geo-Tanner and Joseph Horner, altos; A. L. Jackson, snare drum; John Winker, bass drum.

Henry Uhl, one of the best leaders and musicians in the city, is permanently engaged as instructor, and two rehearsals are held each week, on Tucsday and Friday afternoons. In addition, the majority of the members take private lessons from various instructors, so that the progress they are making is really quite remarkable.

## HIGHWAYMEN IDENTIFIED

WILLIAM DIXON SAID (TO HAVE ROBBED VICTIM OF TWEN-TY-NINE DOLLARS,

William Dixon, a bartender at the Pearl hotel, was arrested at 3.5 this

morning by Patrolmen Jackson and Herman, and is suspected of being a highway robber. At that hour Dixon came running down Washington street from the alley between Superior and Huron streets, and was stopped by the officers. He claimed he had been mixed up in a fight at Erie and Washington streets, and was being taken back to the place where Dixon alleged the fight took place when the officers met three men, who reported that there had been a hold-up

Dixon was taken to the station and there identified by the victim, Oliver Alexander, of 223 Cherry street. Later the officers found \$23 in bills lying in the snow. It is supposed that Dixon threw the money away.

at the corner of Huron and Monroe

Streets.

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#### 60 ARE TAKEN IN THREE GAMING RAIDS

Sixty men, accused of gambling, were arrested in three raids Sunday. Police Captain Schrader, Sergeant

Wolfe and several patrolmen arrested 12 men with Eddie Hallman, 45, who is charged with keeping a gambling house on Monroe-st.

Detectives Mavis and Basso and patrolmen raided a house at 213 Erie-st, taking 25 men. Peto Boteas, 33, and James Sepeter, 27, are charged with keeping a gambling house there.

On Sunday night Detectives Herman, Henahan, Clark, Coffey and Patrolman Ehrhardt took 23 men from 625 N. St. Clair-st. The case of Ellis Francis, 32, who, with G. W.

Mills, 33, was charged with operating a gambling house and selling liquor without license, was continued on Monday until Feb. 5.

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# BAY CITY GIRLS MAY HAVE BEEN FLUNG IN RIVER

Belief that the two girls from Bay City, Mich., who threatened suicide on Tuesday, met with foul play is the theory police are working on in

the theory police are working on in connection with the tragedy believed to have been perpetrated at the east end of the Pennsylvania R. R. bridge

on Tuesday night.

The girls are Florence Schultz, 15, and Laura Brown, 16. Miss Brown a sister went to the East Side Police Station on Wednesday and said the

woman's brown hair found on the bridge in a pool of blood resembled that of her sister. Laura,

### HAIR LIKE GIRL'S.

The sister could not identify the hair pins or combs. The mother of the Schultz girl

also declared the hair resembled Miss Brown's. Several strands of hair, wire hair-

pins, two plain sidecombs, ail in a pool of blood, were discovered by Charles P. Walker, Pennsylvania detective, early on Wednesday. The articles were found about 100 feet from the east end of the bridge.

After notifying police, Walker returned and found a man's bloodstained sock nearby. In the center of the splotch of blood was the imprint of a man's No. 9 shoe

A trail of blood stains indicated that a body had been dragged about three feet away from the pool of blood and then pitched into the river.

### THINK OF SUICIDE.

Two support beams below the bridge floor were spattered with blood, as if a body had struck on the way down. The water at this point is about 10 feet deep.

The two Bay City girls were in the Police Station on Tuesday evening They said they had written to thei homes that they were despondent and contemplating suicide.

Their letter stated that they would

be at the Interurban Station at 7 o'clock on Tuesday evening waiting for someone to come from Bay (115) Mrs. Schuitz did not arrive until a later hour. A man is said to have enticed the girls from their homes to Toledo.

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## POLICE STILL

DRAG FOR BODY Police are still dragging the river at the east end of the Pennsylvania bridge for the body of a woman thought to have fallen into the river at this point. A Pennsylvania R. R. detective on Wednesday discovered a large blood clot with a woman's hair, hair ping and a side comb on the bridge trestle. Blood stains led along beams to a place where a body could have been dropped into the water. Police believed at first that two

girls who disappeared from their homes in Bay City, Mich., might

Brown and Florence Schultz, in a room at 1825 Ontario-st, with R. A.

have met with foul play. This theory was routed on Wednesday night when Detectives De Lora and Herman located the two girls, Laura

Manns of Bay City.

was to marry the other.

Manns jumped from a window, when Detective De Lora entered the room, but Detective Herman was walting below the window caught Manns. He said he intended marrying one girl and his brother



WHAT A difference in styles, as well as personnel, a quarter of a century makes. Members of the Toledo detective bureau posed for this picture June 10, 1922. The cap for formal wear by well-dressed sleuth was on its way out, while the old bowler of the teen decade had disappeared. Left to right, in the top row, are Joseph Fruchey, now head of the bureau; Roy Havens, retired; Michael Rowan. Ernest Raitz, Joseph Swiatecki, Capt. William Caroll (deceased), William Julert (deceased), Fred Langhoff, Bernard Cummings, retired; James Ford, retired; John Mullen, Michael Daly (deceased). Center row, Capt. Fred Buck, retired; John Hodges (deceased), Edward Harris (deceased), William Culver (deceased), Dan Gavin (deceased), John Connors, retired; Stanley Kina, retired; Frank DeLora, Garnet Stevenson, Edward Eaton (deceased); Dick Martin (deceased); Capt. Ralph Van Vorce, retired. Seated,

John Henahan (deceased), William Herman (deceased), Capt. James O'Reilly, retired; Irving Brown (deceased), Albert Hassenzahl (deceased), John Hovey (deceased), Louis Kruse, retired; Stephen Quinn (deceased), Frank Peters (deceased), Charles Mavis, retired; Inspector William Delehanty, later chief of police (deceased); Bert Dobzeniecki (deceased), and Fred Palicki (deceased). Such bureau stalwarts as Capts. Mose McCloskey, Emmet Cairl, Edward Rock (deceased); Capts. Willard Rydman, retired, and George Timiney, now Lucas County sheriff; Inspector Louis Hass, former chief of police, and Arthur Langendorf were not available on that day long ago when this picture was snapped in iront of the old police headquarters on Superior St. Only 9 of the 44 men then comprising the bureau are still active in Toledo police work.