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Guardian of the Law

By GEORGE C. CHERNISH

THE commissioner said wearily, "Look, Steve, we've got to have action—understand? The crime wave is growing worse by the hour. I know you're busy, but that won't cut ice with the mayor. He's demanded results. Now it's our move."

Police Captain Steve Brant leaped back in his swivel chair. Piles of newspaper clippings and photos of wanted men littered his desk.

"We'll get them," Steve's voice was resolute. "These things take time, you know." Commissioner Drury stiffened. "I agree. But you're taking too long. Far too long."

"It can't be helped. We're not miracle men."

"I don't care what you are. You better do something quick or make room for someone who can."

Steve's retort died on his lips as the commissioner spun on his heel and left. Steve made a mental summary of the case as it stood to date. About a month ago, the two men believed responsible for most, if not all, of the current hold-ups, had



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pulled their first job. Termed the "Black Hoods" by the local press, because of their disguise, the sinister pair had embroiled the entire city. So far, the police hadn't a single clue.

Steve scowled as the phone rang. An irate voice: "This is B. J. Turner, over at the East End Groceries. . . . Say, that new cop you took on sure is a dilly. . . ."

"What's your trouble?"

"That cop's nuts. He takes a notion to pick on me about every other day. . . . I'm getting fed up, captain. . . . The awning in front of my store is a half-inch lower than the by-law allows. . . . He wants to give me a summons. . . ."

Steve suppressed a chuckle. "Don't let him worry you, Turner. I'll have him smarten up."

"You'd better," abruptly, "or I'm seeing the mayor."

When the rookie patrolman came in off the beat that afternoon, Steve rang for him. He came in hesitantly. Steve said sharply, "You'll have to brighten up a bit, Stark. Learn to use your noods." He explained about the complaints.

"But he broke the law, sir!" the rookie insisted.

"Technically—yes," Steve told him. "In the light of everyday common sense—no!"

Steve dismissed the rookie, shook his head dejectedly and called it a day.

A week later Commissioner Drury strode into Steve's office. "The hold-up last night. The Black Hoods again."

Steve remained silent.

"I've just come in from the mayor's office," Drury went on. "He gives you a week to pick them up." He paused a moment. "And that Stark kid. Fire him now. He's just a nuisance."

"He's Dan Stark's boy," Steve shook his head sadly. Dan Stark had been his best friend. And before he cashed in, with a gangster's bullet in his chest, Steve had promised to see that his kid got a break.

As the commissioner left, Steve made up his mind. Let them do their own dirty work. Good cops weren't made overnight. They all had to learn.

He rang for a prowl car brought from the garage. This might be his last day; his last chance to view the city from the seat of a police cruiser. Drury was ruthless. More than one cop had learned that to his regret.

As he prepared to leave the phone rang. The desk sergeant was on the line, bubbling over with excitement.

"The Black Hoods—young Stark caught 'em! He needed help but he gets the credit—later found their weapons, hoods and all!"

"A marvelous piece of work," the commissioner was saying. "Who tipped you off, Stark?"

The rookie shook his head. "No-body, sir," proudly. "I arrested them under Section Five, Sub-section two of the city by-law."

"Thunderation!" Steve gasped. "Section five!"

The commissioner looked puzzled. "What's that cover?"

"Section on the sidewalk," the rookie said.

LOCAL NEWS

—The annual winter roast of the Normal Junior Farmers will be held on Tuesday, September 14, at the home of Bill and Bob Alexander.

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—Come to the 100th Anniversary of Bethel United Church, Drummond, on Sunday, September 15th. Rev. Russell McGillivray, Oakville, will speak at 11 a.m. and Rev. David H. Gallagher, Toronto, at 3 p.m. The Lowville Quartette and Mrs. James J. McDougall will assist the choir. At the Turkey Supper on Tuesday, September 14th, the program will be provided by Mrs. Albert Peters, Oakville, elocutionist; Miss Mona Barnard, Sheridan, soloist; Mr. Fred Davis, Kilbride, elocutionist; and the Sheridan Orchestra. Admission \$1.25, children 12 and under, 75c.

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—The name of Duke "Potay" Burrows was omitted by mistake from last week's account of the ball game between the Monarchs and the Main St. "Old Timers." Potay was catcher for the Old Timers.

PROFESSOR'S WIDOW WAS SISTER OF COL. MASON

Mrs. W. H. Van der Smissen, widow of a former librarian of the University of Toronto, died in Toronto at the age of 90 on Saturday. Eldest daughter of the late J. Herbert Mason, founder of the Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation, she was a half-sister of Col. D. H. C. Mason who formerly resided in this district on the farm now owned by D. R. McLaughlin.

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