

# AN ALLEGED "FENCE"

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Louis Shapiro of St. Paul Arrested on  
a Serious Charge.

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## BURGLARS "PEACHED" ON HIM

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The Prisoner Displays Wonderful  
Ignorance Even as to His  
Own Address.

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Louis Shapiro, a St. Paul pawnbroker, was arraigned in the municipal court this forenoon charged with grand larceny, in the first degree, the complainant being H. C. Strehlo, the tailor, whose store at 115 alleged Smith, Brown and Connors, the colored men arrested by Inspectors Hoy and Lawrence, broke into.

The inspectors allege the pawnbroker received all the goods stolen from the store and that his place has been a "fence" to which the alleged burglars and thieves sent all their goods. The colored men told the police all about Shapiro's place and about his connection with his brother's place in Chicago. Shapiro has assumed entire ignorance in regard to the matter and when questioned last evening he even forgot the number of his store in St. Paul. When arraigned he asked for an examination and it was set for Nov. 18, bail being fixed at \$2,000.

Deputy Sheriff Birols rearrested Shapiro after he had been released on bail this forenoon, on a warrant which charged him with the larceny of two watches from Tillie Dolbec.

On Aug. 14 burglars broke into the Commercial hotel and stole a number of watches from the waitresses. The burglars took them to Shapiro, so it is alleged. The examination in this case was set for the same time, bail being fixed at \$300.

The police say that a number of other complaints are to be made against him, but they will be brought before the grand jury direct.

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Jordan will explain everything in connection with this subject of pelagic hunting, and has provided an exceedingly valuable and interesting collection of screen pictures taken in Alaskan waters, which will be shown during the lecture.

Dr. Jordan is now on his way from Alaska to Washington, D. C., to hand in his official report to the government of the results of the investigations carried on last summer at the Pribilof Islands. The lecture is for the benefit of the Sunday school and Young People's Union of the Church of the Redeemer.

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