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- Fresh Baked Ginger Snaps, 17c
- Florida Grape Fruit, 3 for 10c
- California Lemons, 15c
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- Fancy Ripe Tangerines, doz 19c
- Salted Peanuts, 18c
- Fancy Fard Dates, pound 12c
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### Fancy Maine GORN, 2 cans 25c

### GOOD MEATS

- Fresh Cut Spare Ribs, 10c
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- Pot Roast Beef, 12 1/2c
- Sugar Cured Corned Beef, 12c
- Choice Lamb Chops, 14c
- Breast-Best Veal, 14c
- Corned Spare Ribs, 10c
- Fresh Cut Hamburg, 12c
- Choice Bean Pork, 10c

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### BUTTER, Lb 32c

Price reduced for Friday. Worth a great deal more money on the present market.

### Fresh Butter and Eggs

- PURE LARD, lb 12c
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- Extra Fancy Peanut BUTTER, lb 12c
- Lily Brand Pure BUTTERINE, lb 19c
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### FRIDAY FRESH FISH BARRAINS

- Eric Whitefish, lb 12c
- Salmon Trout, lb 12c
- Yellow Perch, lb 10c
- Fancy Pickorel, lb 11c
- Lake Ciscoes, lb 10c
- Shore Haddock, lb 8c
- Red Salmon Steak, lb 12 1/2c
- Pollock Steak, lb 8c
- Godfish Steaks, lb 12c
- Railroast Steaks, lb 12 1/2c
- Finnan Haddock, lb 8c

### SMOKED AND SALT FISH

- Mackerel, 7 Fish 25c
- Salt Herring, 2 Fish 5c
- Salt Salmon, pound 12c
- Smoked Bloaters, 2 Fish 5c
- Smoked Halibut, pound 25c
- Best Salt Godfish, lb 14c

### Extra Friday Specials

- Fresh Pork Chops, 15c
- lb 15c
- Armour's Star Hams, 15c
- lb 15c
- Fancy Fresh Hams, 14c
- lb 14c
- Fancy Ham Slices, 20c
- lb 20c

# NEWS OF ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY

## ROBBERIES COVER THREE-YEAR PERIOD

MYSTERY OF MANY CRIMES UNRAVELED

## SMUGGLING ALSO CHARGED

Police Believe They Have Key to Chastock Robberies, Burglarism, Chicken Theft, and Fish Dynamiting, Running Back Several Years.

Ogdensburg, March 18.—When Police Officer Sullivan jumped on Barber's rig loaded with loot from a rifter cottage and directed the driver to proceed to the city hall, early Monday morning, he had no idea that he had found the key that was to unlock the mystery enshrouding a long chain of crimes, many of them related to the realm of the forgotten. At first obstinately silent, Barber later made a full statement to Assistant District Attorney Ingram, which, if its authenticity is established, clears up a number of notorious robberies, burglaries, booby-traps, chicken thieving, and fish dynamiting on both sides of the river for a period running back two or three years. Barber implicated his brother Amos in the most of these crimes, but he was quite careful to keep himself out except here and there in the role of the receiver of goods, but the authorities believe that he had a deeper hand than this in these transactions.

Smuggling Charge Also. Not only will the county grand jury listen to the evidence charging him with bringing stolen property into the state, but the federal grand jury will be called upon to consider an indictment for smuggling. Barber has taken the case to the United States Commissioner Kellogg on that charge during the day and was held. The federal authorities may also bring a similar charge against Barber's accomplice, Alfred Blair, who was hiding in a clothes box at his apartment, when the police found him late Tuesday night. The arrest of James Tuttle, who is well known here, caused a stir. He is accused of running a fence for stolen poultry. Tuttle has respectable connections and is regarded as well off. He gave bail for his appearance at Canton, Charles Dufour, or Ovea, charged with receiving stolen property, and Blair, bringing stolen property into the state, were both held for the grand jury. Blair in the case of Barber, Dufour and Blair, are fixed at \$750, but they will not be able to provide it.

Cattle Stolen From Trains. The man mentioned in the confession of Barber, as stealing cattle from moving trains, living at Ogdensburg, he is said to have secured himself until the trains pulled out and then opened the doors and forced animals out on to the right-of-way, to be picked up later and slaughtered and then sold to butchers. The assistant district attorney said he has enough evidence to send a Fourth ward butcher to state prison for chicken thieving. This man has already served a term for the same crime. Barber, Dufour and Blair, all have police records.

Both Men Armed. When Blair was arrested the police found two .22 revolvers on him, while Barber was armed with a .33 pistol. The police did not search Barber and it was not until the assistant district attorney asked him if he had a gun, that Barber turned it over. Mr. Ingram had asked the question in a casual way and the response he got was quite unexpected. Barber told the police that he stole property, which he and Blair brought here late Monday night came from a cottage up the river on the Canadian side near Brockville and he placed the blame on the shoulders of his brother, Amos, as he had been careful to do in his other revelations. These goods are now in the hands of the customs authorities as smuggled goods and will probably be returned to the owner when he turns up and establishes title.

Barber, Blair and Dufour have consented to remain in the city jail for a few days longer, while matters are arranged, after which they will be removed to Canton. The cases will be taken up at the May term of the grand jury and if indictments are found, trials will be set down for the June term of the county court, Judge Craspey presiding.

One at Liberty. Amos Barber, who figures in John Barber's recent confession, broke jail at Canton about two years ago and has been at large ever since. He has been making his headquarters at Brockville and his brother claims that he confederate on that side has been a Canadian, called "English Slim." Barber gave the name of a man on this side who, he said, was implicated in numerous robberies in northern New York. This individual is now thought to be not far away and the police are keeping his name from the public in the hope that they will be able to track him down.

Holland Sworn In. Ogdensburg, March 18.—Collector Henry Holland was sworn into office yesterday morning. The transfer was effected with simple ceremony. The oath was administered to the new collector in the presence of his predecessor, Maj. Daniels, who handed

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Mother has been entertaining Miss Marjorie Place of Canton for a few days.—Mrs. Frances Austin is in Syracuse visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Ackerman, and family.—Mrs. G. J. Pierce of Carthage is spending the week in town, visiting her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Ormsby.—The annual "Every Member" canvass of the First Baptist church will be held Sunday afternoon, March 21, from 2:30 until 5:30 o'clock.—The Woman's Grange Club will hold a business meeting for the week in town, visiting her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Ormsby.—The annual meeting of the First Baptist church will be held March 31.—Mrs. A. G. Smith is entertaining her sister, Mrs. H. A. Miller, of Malone.—George Love of Brate Corners, Mass., spent yesterday in town on business.—St. James' Catholic church society held a St. Patrick's day supper last evening. It was very largely attended. Music was furnished during the supper hour.—Miss Catherine Garvin was called home from Fulton by the death of her little niece, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Koblard of the Somerville road, who was buried yesterday.—E. C. Rogers has sold the C. M. Hale residence in East Main street to Walter M. Grant, the local New York Central station agent who will improve the property and occupy it.

## IS SENT TO JAIL

Potsdam, March 18.—Harry Miller was arraigned before Justice Redway Wednesday afternoon on a charge of public intoxication. Miller, who is about 30 years of age, was arrested at his home in Lawrence street Tuesday evening by Officer Stone. He had succeeded in tearing things up considerably before the police arrived. He was given \$5.00 or 60 days in jail. Being unable to raise the money he was taken to Canton Wednesday afternoon.

## Thinking Up Voids

Potsdam, March 18.—Competition is keen at the local Normal in the contest for the prize offered for the best year for the school. Sixty-seven compositions have been submitted thus far. The committee of class presidents will pass on them this week and the best selections will be voted on by the student body. The writer of the composition selected will receive a prize of \$5.00.

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## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH RALLY

Canton, March 18.—The Presbyterian church is planning for a big rally this week under the leadership of Rev. L. Mackey of New York, synodical superintendent of New York state. A religious meeting will be held at the church on Wednesday evening and a reception and picnic supper will be held on Thursday evening. Mr. Mackey will remain over Sunday and address the congregation on Sunday morning. Mr. Mackey has worked with a number of Presbyterian churches in northern New York.

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