

UNREGISTERED ALIEN ENEMY GETS TWO YEARS FOR THEFT

John Gryf Caught By Officer Chapman While Stealing From Second Hand Store

But for the smartness of Constable Chapman, there would be today loose as a menace to the police an alien enemy, who is unregistered.

John Gryf was charged with shop-breaking and in the course of his evidence, the constable said that about 2 o'clock this morning he saw the prisoner loafing around the back of a second-hand store on 161st street owned by R. Robinovitch. Chapman watched the man and when he had broken a pane of glass in the window, seized him as he was in the act of putting his hand through the window. Gryf said that he wanted to get a fur cap which was in the window, but added witness meaningly, there were two revolvers and a quantity of ammunition near the aperture he had made.

In answer to Magistrate Primrose as to what he had to say, the accused said that he had broken the window, but he did not intend to steal anything, but then rather upset this statement by adding that he had no money and thought he could take anything out of the store.

He will now have a couple of years to get another "think coming" to him, for that is the term of imprisonment handed out to him.