

ANOTHER HOLD UP HERE LAST NIGHT

**Leo Van Ryzin, Aged 19, Held at the Point of a
Revolver while Being Searched Near
Mory Lumber Yards at 12:30
This Morning---Large
Fleshy Person.**

While going home at 12:30 o'clock this morning Leo Van Ryzin, 940 Packard street, aged 19 years, an employee of the Wisconsin Tissue company, was held up at the point of a revolver on Bates street near the Mory lumber yards and robbed of \$2 and a brass check.

Van Ryzin described the hold up man as a large, fleshy person, who wore a dark cap and an overcoat. He is unable to give a more accurate description.

As the young man was hurrying home he was confronted by a person who stepped out from behind a coal wagon just as Van Ryzin reached the spot.

"I'll have to stop you a minute," was the first remark of the hold up.

Van Ryzin thought he wanted tobacco, but the next remark enlightened him as to what he was up against.

"Have you got any change?" was asked.

Replying that he had none the hold

up man informed him that he would have to make a search and pulled him behind the wagon.

He unbuttoned Van Ryzin's coat and placed the muzzle of a revolver against his stomach while he went through the pockets. He found \$2 and a brass check, but overlooked some small change.

Upon finishing his search he asked if Van Ryzin had any tobacco and being informed that he had none he was told to skip.

The matter was reported to the police and Capt. Ed Fox and Officer Fred Morris made a search of the vicinity of the hold up scene, but was unable to locate any one who corresponded to the description given.

There has previously been a couple of hold ups reported, one on South River street and the other in the vicinity of the East Fourth ward, but this is the first attempt of the kind in the vicinity of down town.



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