

Average Shoplifter Gets \$3.02--and a Jail Term

Would you risk your future chance of getting a job, the respect of your family and friends, and the possibility of shame to those you love for \$3.02?

That is the average amount taken by a shoplifter, according to national statistics. The subject of shoplifting was discussed recently by representatives of the Southern California Grocers Association and Judge Leo Freund of the Municipal Court, Los Angeles Judicial District. Here are some of Judge Freund's thoughts on the subject.

"Every day throughout the nation many supposedly educated, intelligent, and favored individuals become branded as thieves, their names on public records under the category petty theft, grand theft, or burglary for an average of \$3.02."

"While commonly known as shoplifting, more accurately

it is petty larceny, grand larceny or burglary. But whatever name you apply to it, it is plain stealing and thievery."

WHEN A person goes into a store with the intention of stealing, and this intention can be easily established where the individual has told his or her friends "I'm going to the Blank Department Store to 'lift' a few Christmas presents," that person is legally guilty of burglary. Burglary is punishable by 1 to 15 years in the state penitentiary.

Most of these thieves, however, are prosecuted for petty larceny or petty theft or grand larceny and their punishment in courts is usually a jail sentence. There are a few courts presided over by

judges who have not yet become realistic, where a fine is permitted to be paid.

When you consider the number of shoplifting cases you wonder what has happened to the basic morality of such a large number of people. Does the seventh commandment "Thou shalt not steal" mean nothing? Is our national morality being eroded by a new philosophy of getting something for nothing.

THE LUDICROUS part about all this is that the thief who thinks he gets something for nothing is stealing from himself and every honest citizen. Stores throughout the country cannot take a seven billion dollar loss without adding it on to the consumer. Every time a thoughtless

or stupid individual for moronic petty kicks or because he has more larceny in his heart than the average individual steals \$3.02, every law abiding citizen has to put his hand in his pocket and replace that.

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Navy and Marine personnel stationed at Iwakuni, Japan are acquainted with the social welfare projects conducted by the church he serves. He originated the project that brought the "Hiroshima maidens" to this country for plastic surgery and his activities at the time of the bombing were told in John Hersey's best seller, "Hiroshima." More than 700 youth are enrolled in English classes at Mr. Tanimoto's church.

Following his stay in Southern California Mr. Tanimoto will travel to Emory University, Atlanta, Ga., where he will be the featured speaker on the annual "Ministers Week."



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