

Q Gave you served time before?

A. Not here.

Q Have you anywhere?

A. No.

Q You say you have never served time for any offense?

A I worked here from the time I got here till the hard times came up.

MR. ROGERS: What else is he charged with?

Mr. CANNON: This man is charged in one case, I think, on a bad check, and another case is a confidence game, whereby the man is charged with going down to a place, with an accomplice, to the lady who owned the house and made her think he was going to rent the house. He gave her a check and got some change. She thought he was the tenant and she gave him \$20 in change, and he dropped out of sight. Properly speaking I think this was a confidence game. There is a bad check charge against him and possibly a forgery; but I am not so sure of the forgery.

THE COURT: Do you want to ask any questions?

MR. ROGERS: No.

EXAMINATION BY THE COURT:

Q Are you a married man?

A. No sir.

Q What have you been doing since you came here?

A Why, I was working till they closed everything down.

Q How long have you been without employment?

A The strike came on. I lost my job. I did not figure I had a right to take anybody else's job. I figured I had belonged to the Union all these years, and I did not feel like I should take another man's job.

Q What has that to do with this crime of burglary?

A Well, that is all right. It is just merely a case of a little hard luck, the same as anyone is liable to have.