

## Restaurant, Bar Are Held Up by Two Men

Police Thursday were looking for holdup men who robbed a restaurant and a bar of a total of \$210.

Officers said from the description given by witnesses in both holdups, the holdup men apparently were the same.

Robbed were:

Irwin's restaurant, 2505 Carondelet, about 11:40 p. m. Wednesday, \$110 and Ruffino's Bar, 626 St. Philip, about 12:20 a. m. Thursday, \$100.

An artist who was a patron at Irwin's saw the holdup without realizing what was going on. He later drew a sketch of one of the holdup men for police.

### PATRONS UNAWARE

Five patrons at Ruffino's did not know at the time that a holdup was in progress.

Officers said the holdup men may have been the same ones who held up Musso's Lounge, 2542 Canal and escaped with \$774 while two couples sipped drinks without realizing a robbery was taking place.

Louis Oseda, 33, 932 Bourbon, owner and operator of Irwin's, told officers a man entered the bar, ordered two aspirin tablets and a glass of water, then announced a holdup.

### ANOTHER BY DOOR

A second man stood in the doorway with a revolver, police added.

Frank Ruffino, 35, 401 Genet, Arabi, operator of Ruffino's, reported that a man entered his place, pointed out the companion standing in the doorway with the gun and demanded money.

One of the men was described as about 25, six feet two, black hair in a "duck" style, 190 pounds, wearing grey pants and a jacket.

The second man was described as about 28 years old, five feet eight inches tall, 190 pounds, a mustache and armed with a long-barrel revolver.



**HERE'S SKETCH** of one of the bandits who held up Irwin's restaurant. An artist who was patronizing the restaurant when the holdup took place sketched this likeness.

District station, Kennedy with illegal possession of barbiturates and Chaoleau with sale and possession of barbiturates.

### INCORRECT ADDRESS REPORTED IN ARREST

Residents of 1232 St. Mary said Thursday that Hazel Norris, 22, booked with soliciting B-drinks, does not live at that address as reported by police.

### PARAPHERNALIA FOUND, IS CHARGE

Tactical squad officers Thursday reported they arrested Matthew Wesley, Negro, 48, 1533 Ursuline, in the 800 block of Dauphine and booked him at the First District station with gambling by acting as a lottery agent and possession of lottery paraphernalia.

### SUSPECT BOOKED AS LOTTERY AGENT

Edward Allen Chase, Negro, 64, 1905 Jackson, was arrested from his address Thursday by Sixth District officers and booked with gambling by operating a lottery and acting as a lottery agent.