

Local People's Kin Is Eye-Witness to Houston Robbery

A nervous gunman who threatened to "kill everybody in the office" robbed a poultry and egg company in Houston recently after walking into the office behind Edgar Zander, an employe of the company.

Zander is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. John Symm of Giddings Route 3.

The bandit got between three and four thousand dollars from the Frederick Poultry and Egg Company. Mr. Frederick and four employes and a customer were in the office when the bandit walked in behind Zander. He was holding a gun against Zander's back. After forcing Mr. Frederick to open the safe the gunman made off with the cash.

Mr. Zander had started home when he remembered he was carrying a key he should have left in the office. He knocked at the door of the office and while he was waiting for it to be opened a man walked up and asked him about a job driving a truck for the company.

The man then pulled a gun on Zander and marched him into the office when the door was opened.