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Boys' Acts Photographed



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MATERIAL CONFISCATED BY POLICE AT STRANGE SIGN SHOP
Sex Magazines, Films, Photographs And Records About Young Boys

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version might still be unreported if a 13-year-old boy who knew of the activities at the sign shop, but was not involved, hadn't gotten angry with his younger brother and told their parents of the younger boy's actions with men at the sign shop.

The parents reported the act of sodomy to police and the subsequent investigation mushroomed, Uberta said.

UBERTA SAID there is a strong likelihood that emotional problems may have developed in some of the boys as a result of the relationships with the two men. One 14-year-old boy reportedly has threatened suicide if anything ever happened to one of the two men, Uberta said.

Police yesterday obtained records of the boys involved in the activities which had been kept by Strange.

Uberta said records discovered included the boys' names, ages, addresses, parents' names and the type of sexual activities performed and number of times performed.

HE SAID POLICE will begin today to question individual boys and their parents but said it will be some time before all the facts in the case are gathered.

According to Uberta, Strange said the photographs taken of



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STRANGE SIGN SHOP AT 4619 EAST 10TH STREET
Boys Attracted To Building By Promises Of Magic

the boys were to be sold to a magazine which shows nude boys.

Uberta said Schmidt would admit nothing.

The pair appeared yesterday in Municipal Court, Room 6. Their cases were continued to March 28. Strange remained in the Marion County Jail in lieu of cash bond of \$3,000. Schmidt was freed under \$2,500 bond.