

HARRY STONE HELD IN BURGLARY CASE

Man Whose Alias Is Dr. Dippy Arrested for Sheriff Burns by Casper, Wyoming—West Side Bank Break the Charge.

With the arrest at Casper, Wyo., yesterday of Harry S. Stone, alias Dr. Dippy, for several years a familiar character in South side resorts and frequently under police surveillance, it is believed by Sheriff J. P. Burns that the fourth man responsible for the burglarizing of the West Side State bank last August has been apprehended. Stone's arrest follows the detention of Fred Polk, all of whom are suspected of complicity in the looting of the bank and who are either now held in the county jail or at liberty under heavy bonds.

Stone came under suspicion at the time his three alleged accomplices were picked up, but until yesterday a search for him that had been carried into half a dozen states and Canada was without result and it was only by following out the most meager clue and the determination of the Burns force to exhaust every possible source of information that his apprehension was finally accomplished. Stone was in Butte at the time Balcom, Spurrier and Polk were arrested, but he somehow obtained a flash on the suspicion that attached to him and when search was made for him there he was gone. Since then the sheriff has followed a blind trail, purposely made by the fugitive, that led to Winnipeg, Minn., and Lincoln, Neb., but the real lead eventually developed and resulted in his arrest yesterday morning at Casper.

Stone's alias, "Dr. Dippy," is due to the belief that he is addicted to the use of drugs, and certainly he used all the shifty methods customarily credited to the dope fiend in eluding arrest. For the benefit of those who look up the pursuit he left three forwarding addresses when he departed from Butte, but the strictest observance at Winnipeg, Minn., and Lincoln, the places he gave the Butte postoffice as his intended resi-

dence failed to bring him within the reach of an officer. There remained only one clue, and this was a diamond ring that he had pawned in Butte. Sooner or later, it was believed, he would claim his property, and he did. But the circuitous route he used in attempting to throw the officers off the scent was cleverly conceived and except for the determination of the Burns force to overlook no bet might have succeeded.

His plan for recovering the ring first made necessary the writing of a letter to a fictitious cousin, to whom he gave the name of "W. H. Schile." In this letter it was represented that the ring really belonged to the cousin, but that Stone had pawned it in Butte owing to adverse circumstances that overtook him there. The cousin was told by Stone that if he wanted his ring immediately he would have to redeem it himself, but that he would reimburse the owner as soon as he got to work. The letter made it appear that Stone inclosed the pawn ticket, which, with Stone's alleged letter and his order on the pawn dealer, Schile sent to the dealer at Butte, with the request that the ring be forwarded to him at Casper. On the off chance that Stone and Schile were the same person Casper officials were asked to pick up the man who claimed the ring when it arrived there and yesterday Sheriff Burns was notified that Stone was in custody in the Wyoming city.

Extradition papers for Stone were prepared yesterday by County Attorney H. G. Bennett and Deputy Sheriff W. E. Spilan will leave this morning for Casper to return with the prisoner. Vital evidence, it is believed, will be added to that accumulated already when the case against him is developed. Something over \$3000 was obtained by the burglars at the time the robbery was committed.

OFFICER ACQUITTED OF ROBBERY CHARGE

Member of Police of Alberta Was Accused of Holding Up Italian.

Special to The Daily Tribune.
Lethbridge, Alberta, Jan. 22.—Constable L. Richier of the provincial police, who was remanded at the preliminary hearing under \$10,000 bail, has been acquitted after a trial on a charge of highway robbery.

Richier was charged with holding up an Italian, Angelo Avion, at the point of a gun and robbing him of \$125.

The account given by the Italian was that he met Richier at midnight Dec. 31 by the restricted area. Richier told him he was a returned soldier, he testified, and offered him a drink. They then went together into one of the houses, the Italian having at that time \$200 in his pocketbook, according to the account. There they had several drinks, for which Avion said he paid, and the Italian presented Richier with \$15, as the supposed former soldier told him he was broke. The two left the house together at 2:30 in the morning, according to Avion's story. After they had proceeded a little way Richier pulled out a gun, the Italian testified, and made Avion hand him the balance of the money he had in his pocketbook, \$125. He then made Avion go ahead of him down to the river close by, firing five shots at him as he went, according to Avion's tale. At the river Avion was forced to divest himself of his overcoat and jacket and to get across the river, which was partly frozen. While he was doing this he said two more shots were fired at him. He spent the remainder of the night on the other side in a shack close to a mine occupied by the watchman and, having dried his clothes, came to the city and reported the matter to the police.

At the trial, Richier's attorney attacked the reliability of the Italian's statements, contending that he could not have swum the river as he said he did, as the current was rapid.

The court this morning visited the river bottom where the incident narrated is supposed to have taken place.

A witness deposed that he saw Richier at 8 o'clock on the morning of the day after the crime was said to have been committed.

The prosecution maintained that Richier, after the robbery, returned to the house he had left with the Italian and spent the night there, telling the inmates that he had seen the Italian home. This was borne out by the woman in charge of the house.

CUT BANK TO VOTE ON FRANCHISE ISSUE

Council Authorizes Holding of Special Election February 11.

Special to The Daily Tribune.
Cut Bank, Jan. 22.—The city of Cut Bank is now assured of having electric lights, as the council yesterday, at a special meeting, voted to put the question of a franchise before the people on Feb. 11. The man with whom the city would enter into a contract for the installation of the plant states that by July 1 he would be able to furnish the current for the street lighting, as well as domestic use. He will begin immediately to arrange for the shipment of poles and other material.

The organization consists of P. N. Bernard, superintendent of public service and labor chairman; H. C. Durst, F. D. Becker, Mrs. J. P. Voth, of the community labor board; R. B. McKee, representing the Flathead county farm bureau; R. P. McLaughlin and J. D. Warner, supervisors of the national forester; Mrs. J. E. Erickson of the civic league; James E. Condon of the council of defense; J. S. Bernard of the Retail Merchants' association; H. C. Karow of the Montana Lumber Manufacturers' association; Mrs. A. S. Band of the Mothers' club; Jack McCarthy of the United War Veterans; Miss M. E. Ekstein, county superintendent of schools; H. A. Kendall, Knights of Columbus; A. D. Pryke of the Y. M. C. A. and Captain Winter of the Salvation Army.

The general plan is to co-operate through the various associations and societies, the chairman of each keeping in touch with the members and the members reporting to the chairman or representatives where work can be secured or where help is needed. The office of the employment service will be the focal point where reports will be received by the chairman, and a card index will be kept of those needing work as well as applicants for labor.

The appointment of representatives of the U. S. department of labor and public employment in surrounding towns has been made as follows: W. L. Fitzsimmons, Columbia Falls; William Jenkinson, Libby; E. J. Davis, Eureka; E. M. Hutchinson, Whitefish; and L. L. Marsh, Polson, each representative to organize the community. It is believed that through this plan every unemployed man in Flathead and Lincoln counties can be placed. Later a district meeting of all the representatives will be called.

DECISION IN FRANCIS CASE.

Lewistown, Jan. 22.—In the case of A. S. Francis against A. L. Francis and Lillian Francis, the case coming from Moore, the jury yesterday found against the first named defendant for \$1384 and against Lillian Francis for \$145.

GIRLS HOLD FOOD SALE.

Sand Coulee, Jan. 22.—The campfire girls of this place held a food sale in the Commercial store last Saturday afternoon. They netted a considerable sum. These girls are members of the seventh and eighth grades here.

NEW TEACHER ARRIVES.

Sand Coulee, Jan. 22.—Miss King arrived here last week to fill the vacancy of teacher for the fifth grade. She comes from Oregon.

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ANNUAL STATEMENT December 31, 1918

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Home Office Property	\$179,122.06	Capital Stock Paid Up	\$280,296.20
Other Real Estate	4,066.75	Due Re-Insurance Companies	4,310.49
Mortgage Loans	256,868.32	Miscellaneous Liabilities	1,010.35
Liberty Bonds	\$41,864.31		
Montana Power Bonds	7,296.10	RESERVES	
Cash in Banks and Trust Companies	224,219.87	Reserve for Unearned Premiums	250,047.52
Due from Local Agents	\$11,287.76	Reserve for Losses in Process of Adjustment	47,487.24
Due from Other Co's	34,963.22	Reserve for Accrued Taxes and Expenses	1,250.00
County Warrants	2,496.44	Net Surplus	196,241.24
War Savings Stamps	1,174.40		
U. S. Certif. of Indebtedness	10,000.00		
Accrued interest and Rents	7,283.81		
Total	\$780,643.04	Total	\$780,643.04

Net Surplus to Policy Holders \$476,537.44

Comparative Statement From Commencement of Business to December 31, 1918

DATE—	Admitted Assets	Net Surplus	Business in Force (Commenced Business)
January 6, 1913	\$233,373.45	\$ 33,373.45	
December 31, 1913	325,243.13	45,790.09	\$ 1,138,250
December 31, 1914	406,931.11	137,877.34	1,912,050
December 31, 1915	475,954.69	177,793.25	3,621,143
December 31, 1916	509,210.31	180,261.55	5,618,433
December 31, 1917	575,176.75	194,486.21	11,570,368
December 31, 1918	780,643.04	196,241.24	35,214,066

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- Sam Stephenson, President
- T. J. Walsh, W. A. Brown, J. B. Taylor
- John E. Dawson, Vice-President and Manager
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- A. H. Gray, C. H. Williams, W. N. Smith

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Havre Pastor to Head Church Drive in State

Special to The Daily Tribune.
Havre, Jan. 22.—Rev. O. T. Brand, pastor of the First Lutheran church in Havre, has been appointed state chairman and organizer for a \$500,000 reconstruction campaign of the national Lutheran council. The drive is to be conducted all over the United States and Canada, February 16 to 28. The greater portion of the fund is to be used overseas among Lutherans of Finland, Estonia and the Baltic provinces; the remainder to be sent to the other portions of Europe where assistance is needed.

CANDY SPURS EFFORTS.

Special to The Daily Tribune.
Havre, Jan. 22.—O. G. Olson, one of the members of the committee of the First Lutheran church of Havre soliciting for the American relief funds, hit upon a novel plan for aiding the cause. Ten savings banks were distributed among the members who were divided into two teams and a prize of a box of chocolates was given to the winners. Miss Norma Larson's team. The amount thus raised and turned over to the treasurer of the fund was \$36.77.

NEW MACHINE FOR MINE.

Special to The Daily Tribune.
Sand Coulee, Jan. 22.—The mines in Sand Coulee and vicinity generally have been working poorly for several weeks, but the Brown Coal company has been working well the past week. This company is going to install a new chain machine which will arrive in a few days.

OUT OF THE PRISON CAMP AND BOUND FOR THE U. S. A.



American prisoners of war arriving at Berne, Switzerland, on way home. Telling tales of cruelty and barbarism that would be unbelievable did not their condition bear out the stories. American soldiers are being released from German prison camps and hurried to base hospitals or to their homes in the U. S. This photo, just received from Switzerland, shows one group of American prisoners of war released from German camps under the armistice terms, arriving at Berne en route for France. Their joy is apparent.

SAND COULEE

Special to The Daily Tribune.
Sand Coulee, Jan. 22.—George Wilson has been confined to his home for several days with influenza.

Mrs. Mary O'Connor is still very ill in a hospital at Great Falls.

Edward Murray is again confined to his home suffering from a relapse after an attack of influenza.

Miss Helmi Lloyd, formerly of the school here, was visiting friends and relatives here recently. She has been working in Great Falls for several weeks.

Miss Nellie Fairfull from Fields, was visiting here for several days. A birthday party was given in honor of Iva Johnson at her ranch home near this place last Saturday night. A wagon was used for conveyance.

Charges Made Against Chinook Lawyer Taken Up by Judge Bourquin

Helena, Jan. 22.—Judge George M. Bourquin of the federal court today took under advisement disbarment proceedings against O. Kwofe of Chinook. The proceedings are the outcome of alleged irregular practice in connection with a divorce.

On motion of the government, the indictment against George Blinn of Butte was dismissed. Blinn was accused of charging for coal a price in excess of federal regulations.

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