

Chicago Police Kill 3 Gunmen in Sensational Raid on Apartment House

3 CUT DOWN BY COPPER'S DEADLY AIM

CHICAGO, Dec. 22. (AP)—A band of sharp-shooting policemen, bent on capturing John Dillinger and members of his ring of escaped Indiana convicts, wrote final to the careers of three other gunmen with bullets in a sensational raid on an apartment in the Rogers Park district.

In a short but decisive gun fight the police killed the trio last night, and for two hours afterward believed that their victims were Dillinger and two of his lieutenants, Jack Hamilton and Harry Pierpont.

Bank Looting Suspects

Finger prints taken from the dead men, however, revealed that they were: Louis Katzewitz, 23, and Charles Tuttlebaum 30, alias Chuck Tilden, both of whom were suspected of helping to hold up the Union National Bank of Streator, Ill., and Sam Ginsburg, 33, a parolee convict from the Michigan State prison at Jackson.

A total of \$52,000 was obtained in the bank robbery which occurred May 16, 1932.

Katzewitz and Tuttlebaum had been sought since last June 15 when they escaped from jail at Ottawa, Ill.

Receiving a "tip" from an unidentified informant that the first floor apartment at 1428 Farwell Avenue was a hideout for Dillinger and his men, 19 picked officers, led by supervising Captain John Stege swooped down on the place.

posting men with submachine guns at the rear to cut off escape in that direction.

Capt. Stege, Sgt. Frank Reynolds, Harry Newman and Harry Bingham remained in front with a group of their men. After one policeman had forced open the door to a stair leading to the apartment, Sgt. Reynolds, Detective Jack Dave and Capt. Stege, with several others, crept on. The bell of the apartment was rung and when the door was opened Sgt. Reynolds leaped forward, shouting "we're police officers, surrender."

Has Deadly Aim

Instead of doing so the man at the door fired three times but hit no one. Forcing his way in Reynolds dropped his foe with two shots in the head. The second of the trio of gunmen also fell before Reynolds' deadly aim, as he stood in the living room, with two pistols in his hands. He had blazed away blindly at Reynolds, and Capt. Stege and the other policemen, who by this time, were storming into the place. The third gunman, firing at the policemen as he backed into the kitchenette fell wounded before the police bullets and was finally killed by Sgt. John Daly.

Harlingen Party To Celebrate New Year

(Special to The Herald)

HARLINGEN, Dec. 22.—An open air New Year's party is being planned by Harlingen for citizens of the entire Valley.

There will be a big display of fireworks financed by Harlingen business and professional men. The fireworks have been ordered and are expected momentarily.

R. P. Bledsoe is in charge of arrangements and Joe Lyday will direct the high school band when it plays for the party.

The 45-minute display of fireworks will be free to the public.

REOPENING OF SILVER MINES IS LOOKED TO

DENVER, Dec. 22. (AP)—The government's announced plan to buy newly mined silver produced in the United States, and pay for it 64 1-2 cents an ounce, brings to the "silver men" visions of revived mining camps increased employment, prosperity.

While the new price is still far below the level which made possible the amassing of huge fortunes like that of H. A. W. Tabor and others in days before silver was demonetized, it will make it possible to work many properties at a profit, mine operators said.

Colorado Encouraged

Boosting the price of silver was seen, also, as a move of as much importance in many quarters as the government's decision to buy gold, as a byproduct for the long-dormant mining industry.

Following are comments by mining and business leaders in western silver producing states.

Gov. Ed G. Johnson, Colorado: We regard this as the first step toward renaissance of silver and in this sense it is encouraging to a superlative degree. If the silver price gets to the point where new mines may be opened profitably, Colorado will experience a period of prosperity, such as it never has seen.

Been Waiting For It

J. G. Clark, president of the gold, silver and tungsten production Co., of Boulder, Colo.: It is what Colorado for years has been waiting for. It should mean 500 men will return to work in six months in Boulder county and thousands in the state. Gold mining likewise will be stimulated because of the silver content in gold ore.

C. R. Brazier, secretary of the Montana Silver association: Silver advocates have reason to rejoice in the belief that there is a Santa Claus as a result of the proclamation of the president in establishing a fixity of the white metal. It is not a matter of what it means to the silver producers, but to world commerce. If silver is to be regarded as a commodity, there is not enough demand in the world to make it worth 20 cents an ounce. If we are still going to use it for money, it should be recognized on a parity with gold.

S. R. Morrow, Pioneer Of San Benito, Dies

(Special to The Herald)

SAN BENITO, Dec. 22.—Funeral services were to be held Friday afternoon for S. R. Morrow, pioneer San Benito farmer, who died at the home of his son-in-law, W. C. Barrass, on Pennsylvania Ave., near here Monday.

The body was being held at Mittanck's until time of the services which were to be conducted by Rev. S. C. Dunn, Methodist, followed by interment at Mount Meta.

Survivors include three children, E. Morrow and Mrs. Illene Barrass of San Benito and Mrs. Tennie Up-ton of Nacogdoches.

Spider Bites Woman

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Meddlesome Solons Growing Gentle On Eve of New Session

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22. (AP)—Many issues of historic importance will be considered by the 73rd congress after it convenes January 3, but senate and house democratic leaders now see more hope for a harmonious session that will expedite action on Pres. Roosevelt's legislative program.

A few months ago, these same democratic chiefs anticipated much trouble in the only regular session of this congress. Now they claim that conditions will greatly minimize

Movie Sidelights

CAPITOL

The new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture, "The Women in His Life," opening with a midnight show Saturday night and showing Sunday only at your Capitol theatre brings to the screen the one man who can most colorfully portray the most convincing characterizations of law-years—and that man is Otto Kruger.

Kruger, for many years one of the finest actors of the legitimate stage, appears in this picture as Atty. Kent Marringer, a prominent gentleman of the bar whose memory of the only woman he ever loved almost wrecked his reputation.

Kruger is well supported by an excellent cast which includes the inimitable Una Merkel, who plays the role of the secretary with an unflinching eye on its comic values.

Ben Lyon also scores in his role as Kruger's junior law partner. Fine difficult role of Kruger's sweetheart who is jealous of his memory of a woman is well handled by Isabel Jewell.

QUEEN

"The Mad Game," the new Fox Film production with Spencer Tracy in the stellar role, is showing Sunday only at the Queen Theatre. It is a story dealing with America's most menacing crime—the kidnap racket.

The story concerns itself with an ex-gangster and former bear baron who is doublecrossed by his associates and railroaded to prison for a five-year term. While in prison his former aide in the bear racket turns to kidnapping as a means of livelihood. With an impenetrable disguise and an inside track on how modern racketeers operate, he gains entrance into his former aide's gang.

Claire Trevor has the leading role opposite Tracy and the supporting cast includes Ray M. Morgan, John Miljan, Matt McHugh, Kathleen Burke and others.

RIVOLI—SAN BENITO

Holiday attractions will feature special programs at the Rivoli theatre, San Benito, beginning Saturday and continuing through Christmas day. Showing of "The No Angel," featuring Mae West, will continue Saturday and Sunday with "Mama Loves Papa," slated for the special midnight preview Saturday. Charles Ruggles and Mary Board star in this hilarious comedy. Starting Sunday midnight preview and Monday and Tuesday the Rivoli will present the outstanding musical show of the year, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Going Hollywood" featuring Marion Davies and Bing Crosby and introducing 10 new song hits that you will be humming for quite a time. Make your dates now to attend this special holiday show.

BIBLE STOLEN FROM TURKEY NETS \$500,000

TORONTO, Dec. 22. (AP)—A Toronto professor of archaeology reveals an amazing story of the theft 80 years ago from an obscure Turkish monastery of the "Codex Sinaiticus," which has been sold by the Soviet government to Great Britain for \$500,000.

Prof. G. T. Currelly, director of the Royal Ontario Museum of Archaeology, visited the monastery, near the Sacred Mount of the Law in Sinai, Turkish territory, and got the story from monks there.

Discovers Scripture

A Russian Bible student named Tischendorf, according to the tale told to Prof. Currelly, was given shelter at the monastery in the early 1850's. There he discovered the copy of the scriptures (consisting of a large part of the old testament and the epistles of Barnabas, written in Greek).

The monks in those days, said the professor, were allowed no fire to warm them in winter because the wood of the neighborhood was poisonous and would kill them if they burned it.

Tischendorf complained of the cold at the monastery and asked if he could take the book to Suez, where he could copy it in the home of the Russian consul there. The monks agreed, and assigned one of their number to accompany the Russian.

Library Exits

"When they arrived at the Russian Consul," said Prof. Currelly, "Tischendorf seized the book, stepped across the doorway and declared to the monk: 'I am now on Russian soil. You can do nothing.' The monk was forced to re-

turn to the monastery to tell the tale of the Codex Sinaiticus."

Prof. Currelly said the head of the monastery, a bishop, took the matter up diplomatically with the Russian government. And when it was settled, "The Czar made a present of 50,000 pounds (\$850,000) to the Turkish authorities and the bishop was made an archbishop."

He said the monastery and its library still exist and not a book has been added to the library since the Norman conquest.

MRS. DRUCKER RETURNS
SAN BENITO—Mrs. H. H. Drucker has returned from California where an aunt, Mrs. Alice Dixon, 62, died from injuries suffered in

an auto wreck. She had just completed a tour of the world, visiting many dangerous places such as that part of the wall of China where fighting was taking place and parts of India where yellow fever was raging. Dr. Drucker returned to the Valley in advance of his wife.

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