Dog Bark Foils Robbers' Escape

Postal Inspector at Bluffs Now Confident Prisoners Have Hidden Loot.

After being within four inches of freedom Monday night, Keith Collins and Fred Poffenbarger, held for a second trial in connection with their $3,500,000 mail robbery in Council Bluffs, are farther from liberty Tuesday than they have been for years.

The men had dug their way almost through the walls of the Wyandotte county jail at Kansas City, Kan., when the sheriff, led to the spot by a dog's antics, frustrated the imminent escape.

According to C. H. Glenn, postal inspector at Council Bluffs, the unsuccessful attempt at a jail break may keep the men behind bars for years.

Act Gives Lie.

"They have given the lie to their own story of destroying the loot of the robbery," Glenn said. "This attempt at escape indicates that they have part of the loo hidden in some safe place and that they hope to recover it before it is discovered. They have blackened their own prospects in this second case, which was brought for the purpose of finding the stolen bonds."

Glenn also declared that additional charges of attempted jail break may be filed against the men.

Had Collins and Poffenbarger escaped there would probably have been a wholesale jail delivery, because the five other prisoners occupied the "run around" in which they were being held.

Dig Two and a Half-Foot Hole.

When discovered, the men had dug a hole two and one-half feet square almost through 14 inches of brick and mortar. But four inches of the wall remained and a two-inch hole had already been made in that.

The sheriff and his wife, who live in the jail building, were eating supper when they were attracted by the actions of the dog. He had been left outside the jail and had been playing in the yard.

Suddenly the dog began to leap at the wall of the jail. He began to bark and act strangely. The sheriff went to his pet and looked up the wall which had attracted the dog's attention. Nothing could be seen.

Dig With Scrap Iron.

Not satisfied with that, the sheriff went to the jail block. There he placed all of the prisoners in a "bull pen" on the opposite side of the building and began an investigation.

In the portion of the jail occupied by Collins and Poffenbarger he found the hole. The men had been working with two pieces of old scrap iron which had been left just outside of the cells, out of reach of any prisoner, the sheriff believed.

A large refrigerator in the basement of the jial was being repaired. The prisoners had pounded on the wall at the same time that the workmen pounded on the refrigerator. They attracted no attention and would have escaped had it not been for the dog.

Dog Overlooked.

Just how the prisoners happened to overlook the possibility of the discovery by the dog the sheriff does not know. He declared that he has never made any effort to keep the ability of the dog to watch the jail a secret from the prisoners. The prisoners refused to say whether they had forgotten the dog or had simply thought that they could get through the hole before the dog became aware of their designs.

In the jail besides Collins and Poffenbarger are three demented persons, arrested for safe keeping. Among them an alleged forger and also a government prisoner, charged with violation of the Dyer act.

The attempt by Collins and Poffenbarger came on the eve of their scheduled departure with James Fee, jr., deputy United States marshal, for Council Bluffs, where they are to be tried on five counts of an indictment against them in connection with the mail robbery.

As a result of the attempted jail break Jailer George Flicky of Council Bluffs said Tuesday that the bandits will be placed in inner cells on the second tier in the county jail when they are brought to Council Bluffs.

"They can try digging their way through steel bars," he said.

Collins was convicted in 1920 on six counts and sentenced to serve 15 years on each count, and Poffenbarger was sentenced on the six counts to 18 years each. They were released recently from the penitentiary on a writ of habeas corpus granted by Judge John C. Pollock.

CELLAR LOOTED; "TUCK" LONG HELD

Missouri Valley, Ia., Dec. 23.—"Tuck" Long, a local character, was arrested last week on a complaint filed by William Scharf, charging that on the night of December 10 or 11, Long broke into his cellar and stole a part of the contents, one principal item of which a quantity of home-made beer.

Long has given bond, following a hearing, and it is said the trial will disclose that prior to the alleged burglary, Long and several companions visited the Scharf home and purchased beer, going into the cellar when the beer was sold and locating the supply. That same night, so the story goes, the basement was broken open and all the assortment taken.

BLUFFS SCHOOLS TO CLOSE TODAY

Council Bluffs public schools will close this afternoon for the annual Christmas vocation period, which will terminate on January 5. Parochial schools were closed last Friday and will reopen on the same day that studies are resumed in the public institutions.

Thirty-Fifth Birthday.

Frank Elias, clerk of the criminal division of the municipal court, celebrated his 35th birthday quietly Tuesday.

"College-Looking" Rum Agent Quits Work as Sleuth; Has Orange Grove

Newell Roberts, federal prohibition agent who looked like a "college boy," has quit the service to go back to his orange grove in Florida.

Roberts was instrumental in breaking up a number of liquor rings.

Roberts, in the service almost a year, used his automobile in all of his official work and often worked for 24 hours at a stretch.

"While you boys are freezing trying to get bootleggers I am going to take life easy in Florida," said Rob-Roberts.

He was the best-dressed agent in the prohibition unit of this district, and with a chopped mustache looked more like the prince of Wales or a youth who had just received his "sheepskin" from some university.

Shoeless Waifs Must Have Help

Mother of Four Tries to Make Foot Protection From Cloth.

Think of a mother trying in desperation to make shoes for her children.

A letter received this cold morning, written in lead pencil on rough paper, tells of such a case, as follows:

"I am asking for some shoes for my babies. My husband has been out of work for a long time. Now he has a job but no pay yet and many bills to settle. Our children are Rose, 8; Roy, 6; August, 4, and Nina, 2.

"Rose is wearing a pair of shoes borrowed from a neighbor. I have tried to make some shoes out of heavy cloth but could not do it very well. We need shoes very badly. I hope you will come and see."

These cold days there are scores of children in Omaha without shoes and with no hope of getting any except through the Free Shoe fund, provided by readers of The Omaha Bee.

Christmas will be happy to many children in Omaha if they just get shoes. They can get along without toys but not without shoes.

Checks, cash or money orders should be sent to the Free Shoe fund, care of The Omaha Bee. Checks may be made out to "Free Shoe fund."

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Clara Jane Hopson	1.00
Lillian B. Melmy	1.00
From a Friend, Otoe, Neb.	2.00
M. Allen Keith	1.00
Calvin Schutz, Otoe, Neb.	1.00
Total	$1,257.63

COURT DISSOLVES "HURST MARRIAGE"

The secret marriage last January of Arthur Grotte, broker, 44, and Pauline Kish, nurse, 28, was dissolved Monday by Judge L. B. Day, who awarded the wife a divorce on her cross-petition.

They slipped over to Denison, Ia., on January 12, last, and were married by Justice of the Peace E. T. Cochran. The marriage was termed a wedding "a la Fannie Hurst," because both parties continued to live at their former homes. Grotte resided with his mother, Mrs. Katy Grotte, 70, 717 Park avenue, who since died, and she lived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brader, 3323 Farnam street.

The court restored to Mrs. Grotte her maiden name of Pauline Kish Eberly and granted her $1,000 lump alimony and attorney's fees.

MINISTERS PLAN STREET SONGS

Plans are being formulated by members of the Council Bluffs City Ministerial association, by which groups of carolers from all Protestant churches of the city and the gluee clubs of Abraham Lincoln and Thomas Jefferson High schools will sing carols on the streets of Council Bluffs during Christmas week.

The choice of the carols sung will be left to the church, glee clubs and the high school singers, it was announced Monday. The present plans call for the singers to group at various selected points and fill the air with yuletide songs.

Bank Messenger Robbed.

Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 23.—A bank messenger employed by the Home Savings bank here was robbed today of approximately $7,000 by several men who seized his money bag on a busy downtown street.

Export of Grain for Week Lower

Record for First 11 Months of 1924 Exceeds That of Same Period in 1923.

Washington, Dec. 22.—Grain exports from the United States last week amounted to 5,283,000 bushels compared with 5,344,000 bushels the week before. Commerce department figures today gave the following comparisons between last week's exports and those of the previous week:

Wheat, 3,999,000 bushels against 4,089,000 bushels; corn, 105,000 against 900,000; rye, 372,000 against 197,000; oats, 190,000 against 100,000.

Canadian grain exports from United States ports were 2,363,000 against 1,312,000.

Flour exports were 249,000 barrels against 380,000 barrels the previous week.

For the first 11 months of 1924, the value of grain and grain products exported from the United States amounted to $388,000,000, the department announced, or $97,000,000 more than for the same period in 1923. The gain in quantity and value of the wheat exports accounted for most of the increase since the wheat exports of 1924 to December 1, were valued at $97,488,000, in excess of figures for the same period of 1923.

There were gains in the value of rye, barley and malt exports from the United States during 1924, but the value of corn exports during the 11 months period was $18,731,000 less than in 1923. By quantity, wheat exports during the 11 months ending December 1, were 148,494,000 bushels; barley, 16,989,000 bushels; rye, 34,834,000 bushels; corn, 17,898,000 bushels, and oats, 3,464,000 bushels.

C. OF C. FINANCES ARE IMPROVING

The Chamber of Commerce has made a "decided improvement in its finances" in the year now ending, according to a letter sent to all members Monday by John L. Kennedy, president; Ford E. Hovey, chairman of the executive committee, and Clarke G. Powell, commissioner.

The letter also comments on the "strengthening of activity and an increase of confidence and good will among the members," and says that this condition "gives hope for a happy and prosperous new year."

BOLSHEVIST SLAIN IN COFFEE HOUSE

Rome, Dec. 23.—The Bulgarian nationalist, Dimitri Stephanoff, killed Prof. Peter Tchauleff, a bolshevist and Macedonian chief, in a small coffee house in Milan today.

Stephanoff accused Tchauleff of having paid Moscow bolshevists to ruin the Balkan nation. Tchauleff denied this. Angry words followed and Stephanoff drew a pistol and fired five shots into Tchauleff's body.

COMEDY STAR WEDS AUTHOR

New York, Dec. 23.—Charlotte Greenwood, musical comedy star, and Martin Broones, English author and composer, were married in Jersey City, N. J., yesterday.

Extra Dividend Declared.

New York, Dec. 23.—Directors of the American Can company today declared an extra dividend of $2 on the common stock in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of $1.25, both payable February 16 to stock of record January 31.

Out of the Records

Births and Deaths.

Births.

George and May Nitz, 2102 Sahler St., girl.
Joe and Rose Corrow, 1920 South 15th St., boy.
Floyd and Rachael Pendlay, 5817 North 24th St., boy.
William and Ellen Reich, 5513 Spaulding St., girl.
Eugene and Marie Barney, 2114 South 24th St., boy.
Fred and Gladys Hartman, hospital, girl.
A. P. and Leola Davis, 1866 North 35th St., boy.
George and Lula Hetrick, 2510½ Bristol St., girl.
Henry and Rose Pelsch, 521 South 35th St., boy.
John and Anna Hanighen, hospital, boy.
Lewis and Carrie Stine, hospital, girl.
Harvey and Jenny Morse, hospital, boy.
Clarence and Nora Boyce, hospital, boy.
Harry and Clara Brannian, hospital, girl.
John and Kate Pjontkousky, hospital, girl.
Earl and Marie Elmer, hospital, boy.
Charles and Frieda Mahannah, hospital, girl.
George and Gladys Thummel, hospital, girl.
Leonard and Ruth Newman, hospital, girl.
Bert and Constance Wright, hospital, girl.

Deaths.

Michael J. Sanders, 2108 Sherman Ave., 64 years.
Warren Nichol, 2920 Seward St., 40 years.
Mrs. Anna Boyce, 2715 Jackson St., 70 years.
Henry Bayer, 4657 Brown St., 40 years.
Charles McDuffer, 1029 Park Ave., 32 years.
Bettie Jane Togue, 6826 South 33d St., 3 months.
Sarah Leola Redenbaugh, 2735 Vane St., 41 years.
Frank Earl Myler, 118 South 27th St., 38 years.
Benjamin Briggs, 1736 South 18th St., 82 years.
Ray C. Jordan, 2604 Marcy St., 4 days.
Magnos McBeath, Old People's Home, 80 years.

In Divorce Court.

Petitions.

Harry against Katie Jones, cruelty.
Verna L. against Almon Osborn, cruelty.
Mary Elizabeth against William Henry Clanchey, desertion.
Roy against Marie Barlett, cruelty.

Decrees.

Pauline from Arthur Grotte, cruelty.
Joseph from Francis Leczkowski, cruelty.

Building Permits.

Anton Sorenson 4544 North 40th St., frame dwelling, $3,000.

Real Estate Transfers.

St. Peters church to Anna Laux, 32d St., 90 ft. N. of Pacific St., east side, 40x128	$ 1
Marie Irons to Helen Kusajo, S. E. cor. 39th Ave. and F St., 115x130 ft.	525
H. J. Ayres to Chatrina Jensen, N. W. cor. 54th Ave. and Castelar St., 112x145	1,350
Teresa D. Brick to M. May Hutchinson, N. E. cor. 41st and Corby Sts., 50x120	300
Walter C. Berry and wife to Cecil P. Shopen, Clarkson St., 37½ ft. W. of Walnut St., irregular	3,600
Walter R. Zink and wife to Walter C. Berry, N. W. cor. 15th and Y Sts., 80x130	900
Charles Henning and wife to Mary Gertrude Allen, Lafayette Ave., 150 ft. E. of 51st St., north side, 50x166	9,500
George C. Beals and wife to Frank G. Green, 29th St., 63¾ ft. S. of Charles St., west side, 21.87x100	800
Laurence J. Weir to Hugh H. Harper, P St., 50 ft. W. of 60th St., north side, 100x242	344
Eugene F. Ganahl and wife to Hugh H. Harper, N. W. cor. 57th and Ganahl St., irregular	260
James P. Ellias and wife to board of regents of University of Nebraska, Jackson St., 100 ft. W. of 42d Ave., south side, 50x137½	400
Selma Berry and husband to Myrtle Liston, N. W. Cor. 48th and Pine St., 66x100	600
M. L. Zook to John C. Thompson, Meredith Ave., 500 ft. W. of 42d St., south side, 50x128	50
Benjamin L. Zook et al. to John C. Thompson, Meredith Ave., 500 ft. W. of 42d St., south side, 50x128	300
Charles L. Saunders to George W. Platner, N. W. cor. 30th and Sprague Sts., 252x253	10,000
Byron R. Hastings and wife to Frank Vak and wife, S. W. cor. 56th and Whitmore Sts., 100x578.8	1,460
William A. Loud to Herman J. Ehorn, Charles St., 120 ft. E. of 29th St., north side, 40x127½	1,000
Herman J. Erhorn and wife to Luke Kelly, Charles St., 120 ft. E. of 29th St., north side, 40x127½	1,400
Ashber S. Avery and wife to Leo Fox and wife, S. W. cor. 48th Ave. and Cuming St., 43x93	5,800
Anna Liso to Martin J. Collins and wife, 20th St., 40 ft. S. of O St., west side, 25x120	2,200

RADIO

Program for December 24.
(Courtesy of Radio Digest.)
By Associated Press.

WSB, Atlanta Journal (429), 10:45, Christmas eve frolic.

WEEI, Boston (362), 6, Big Brother club; 6:30, Santa Claus; 6:45, glee club; 7:15, choir; 8:30, choir; 10, organ; 10:30, lyric quartet.

WGR, Buffalo (319), 6, Santa Claus; 7, concert; 9:30, Christmas carols.

KYW, Chicago (536), 6:35, Uncle Bob; 7, concert; 7:30, program; 8, musical; 8:30, stage review; 8:45, musical; 9:05, good roads report; 9:45, review.

WGN, Chicago Tribune (370), 6, organ; 6:30, concert; 8, special; 10, Paulist choir.

WLS, Chicago (345), 6:30, organ; 7, 9:30, music, farm program, book talk, 10-10:40, orchestra, entertainers.

WMAQ, Chicago News (447.5), 6, organ; 6:30, story lady; 8, Christmas music; 8:30, Christmas poems; 9, Dickens' Christmas carol; 9:45, talk.

WTAM, Cleveland (390), 7, concert.

WLW, Cincinnati (423), 8, orchestra, operatic recital; 9, band concert; 12, midnight mass.

WOC, Davenport (484), 8, children; 10, orchestra.

WHO, Des Moines (526), 7:30, soprano, violinist, orchestra.

WCX, Detroit (513), 7:30, musical.

WWJ, Detroit News (513), 6, News orchestra; 9, dance; 10, carol service.

WBAP, Fort Worth Star-Telegram (476), 7:30, concert; 9:30, dance; 12, frolic.

PWX, Havana (400), 7:30, concert.

KNX, Hollywood (337), 8, music; 9, orchestra; 10, features; 12, orchestra.

WDAF, Kansas City Star (411), 6-7, School of the Air; 8-9:15, Christmas program; 11:45-1, Nighthawk frolic.

KHJ, Los Angeles Times (395), 8, concert; 8:30, children; 10, Christmas program; 12, orchestra.

WHAS, Louisville Times (400), 7:30, concert.

WMC, Memphis Commercial Appeal (500), 11, Christmas music.

WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul (417), 6, sports; 7, services; 10:45, services.

WJJD, Mooseheart (278), 6:30, organ; 7:15, philharmonic orchestra, band.

WOR, Newark (405), 7, orchestra; 8, radiologue; 8:30, talk.

WEAF, New York (492), 6, services; 7:15, choir; 8:30 Hawaiian ensemble.

WHN, New York (360), 6, orchestra; 8:30, music; 9, dance; 11, entertainers.

WJZ, New York (455), 7:30, Christmas program; 9:30, orchestra.

WTAY, Oak Park (283), 6:45-7:45, organ; 9-10, pianologues, talk.

WDAR, Philadelphia (395), 6:30, talk; 7, talk; 8, recital; 8:30, concert; 9:05, dance.

WOO, Philadelphia (509), 6:30, orchestra; 7, concert; 8, orchestra; 9:03, recital; 9:30, orchestra.

WCAE, Pittsburgh (462), 6:30, Uncle Kaybee; 6:45, feature; 7:30, concert.

KGW, Portland Oregonian (492), 7, Aunt Nell; 10, string and flute quintet.

WKAQ, Porto Rico (360), 6-7:30, concert.

KPO, San Francisco (423), 6:30, orchestra; 7:30, Big Brother; 10, choir; 11, band.

KFOA, Seattle (455), 8, concert; 8:45, musical; 10:30, concert.

WBZ, Springfield (337), 6:10, story; 6:15, lecture; 7:30, concert; 10, orchestra.

KSD St. Louis Post-Dispatch (546), 6:45, ensemble; 9, choir; 10:30, carols; 12, midnight mass.

WCAP, Washington (469), 7:30, readings; 7:45, Christmas program; 9:30, recital, chimes, organ; 10, Christmas cantata; 11, midnight mass.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Funeral Notices. 1

MAY REGINA WRIGHT, beloved wife of Harwin B. Wright, was born January 26, 1882, departed this life January 22, 1924. She is survived by her husband, one son, Harold E. Wright of Omaha, her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Boylan of Cuervo, Neb., and one brother, Albert Boylan. Services will be held from the home, 2813 North Sixtieth street, Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment at Mount Hope cemetery. Kramer funeral home in charge, 818 North Fortieth street.

ELLIOTT—Benjamin H., age 62 years, died Monday at his home, 2232 Harney. He is survived by his wife, Eva; one brother, two sisters. Funeral Wednesday at 2 p. m. from the residence, Dr. R. L. Wheeler officiating. Burial at Forest Lawn cemetery.

FUNERAL of Diedrick Hillersborg, 48, who was found dead at his apartment, 1020 Douglas street, will be held on Friday at 2:30 p. m. at the Kramer Funeral Home, 818 North Fortieth street. Burial at Springwell cemetery.

Vaults and Monuments. 2

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Cemeteries. 4

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Lodge Notices. 7

ELECTION and installation of officers of Ben Hur court No. 158 at the office, January 22, 1925.
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Personals. 9

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Lost and Found. 10

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