

ROY DICKERSON RABBI QUERIED; MAKES ESCAPE APOLOGY ASKED KILBY PRISON BY JEWRY HEAD

Notorious Bank Robber in Sensational Break—Boot-leg King Also Out—Charged Wire Avoided in Flight—Auto Aids Escape

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Oct. 2.—(AP)—Roy Dickerson, bank robber of notorious reputation and holder of undetermined skill, today was playing his favorite role of fugitive from justice. The convict whose circus aerobatics in prison breaks have gained for him a wide reputation, risked his life under a charged wire at Kilby prison last night and fled in a limousine with two fellow convicts and three outside confederates. True to his often repeated boast that he never had put a man on the spot and never would, there was no bloodshed. A stranger approached A. G. Richards, guard at a strategic corner of the "walls" at dusk last night with word that he had been sent to relieve the guard. Instead of a promised note from the warden, a pistol was shoved at the guard. Two other men overpowered Richards, and adhesive tape was stretched across his eyes and mouth. A rope was thrown over the wall from the outside, and Dickerson with two other convicts, Birmingham bootlegger "king" and convicted of robbery and Frank Cook, alias J. M. Cooley, Alabama burglar, scaled the walls. Flattering to avoid certain death, they squirmed under a high tension wire and joined their confederates in a large closed automobile. They were shot at near Tuskegee, Ala., but evaded detection. Dickerson, who was said to have once been an "escape artist" on the legitimate stage, first gained attention as a bank robber in 1920, when he staged the Phenix City, Ala., robbery of the Phoenix Guard bank with his wife and several companions. Captured in Los Angeles, he crawled through a ventilator to a jail roof and escaped over buildings within 24 hours. A year later he was surprised with the loot obtained in a jewelry robbery at Birmingham, and sent to Kilby prison as an accomplice in the bank robbery. In 1923 Dickerson vanished from Kilby prison by the simple expedient of flattening himself beneath the bed of a wagon used during construction of new Kilby prison and holding on by main strength until he was safely outside the walls. Nearly five years later, December 24, 1927, after having been linked by officers with half a dozen bank robberies from coast to coast, he was captured in the act of looting a Tacoma, Wash., department store. Brought back to Alabama to complete a term of from 20 to 25 years for the Phenix City job, in recent months he had expressed an intention to "quit the racket and go straight," but more recently he had complained of frequent transfer in the prison. Dignified, usually well dressed and highly respectable in appearance, Alabama officers were not surprised when they learned at Tacoma in 1927 that Dickerson was living a life of luxury in the West. Complete golfing paraphernalia was found in his apartments. He had remarried and admitted a fondness for the game "between jobs."

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INDECENT SHOW GETS MAE WEST IN BAD AGAIN

Mayor's Act Called 'Un-speakable Calumny'—Denies Christian Child's Blood Required for Holy Day—Ask Resignation.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—(AP)—The mayor of Massena, N. Y., is called by Louis Marshall, president of the American Jewish committee, either to resign or apologize publicly for what he terms an "unspeakable calumny" against the Jewish race. Mr. Marshall, through the Jewish Telegraph agency, made public a letter to Mayor W. Gilbert Hawes in which he charged that on Sept. 27, two days before Yom Kippur, the mayor "arranged" for the interrogation of a rabbi in Massena by a state trooper after the disappearance of 4-year-old Barbara Griffith "on the intolerable assumption that the Jews required the blood of Christian children for their holy days." The child later was found unharmed in a woods near her home where she explained she had strayed. The letter demanded that Mayor Hawes make an immediate and public written apology to the Jewish people "for this wanton attack upon their religion and upon their honor and for the abuse of your official position in encouraging the circulation of this unspeakable calumny." The letter demanded also that as further evidence of regret he should resign from office. Unless one or the other of these two courses are pursued, Mr. Marshall said, he would institute proceedings for Mayor Hawes' removal from office on the ground of official misconduct. Rumors of ritual murders are frequent in certain sections of Europe just prior to the Jewish holy days, two cases having been reported at the time of the Jewish holidays last month. The most celebrated case of ritual murder rumors was that which led to the arrest and trial of Mendel Beilis in Kiev, Russia, in 1913. He was charged with murdering a man for the purpose of blood for the Passover. Old Jewish documents and books of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries in which the charge of ritual murders was made were introduced as evidence in the trial. Beilis was acquitted.

BANDITS HOLD UP EXAMINER OFFICE, TAKE AWAY \$600
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2.—(AP)—While one bandit leaned over the counter covering Henry Fliddeke, cashier of the circulation department of the San Francisco Examiner and his assistant, Peter Rogers, with a revolver concealed in the crook of his arm, his companion looted the cash drawer and safe early this morning and the pair escaped with \$600. Speaking in low tones the robbers commanded the two men in the office to stand aside while the money was gathered. The man with the loot then walked out of the building, signalled the bandit who was crouching in the rear and the two escaped in a small automobile before an alarm could be spread.

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Mrs. Baker May Wed
NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—(AP)—The New York American says today that many friends of Mrs. Raymond T. Baker, who recently obtained a divorce in Reno, agree she shortly will marry Charles Minot Amory, a member of one of the oldest families in Boston.

'Pleasure Man' Author and Cast Arrested—Bail Is Posted After Several Hours—Broadway Excited—Arrest Condemned

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—(AP)—Miss West, actress and author, who served 10 days in jail last year for taking part in an indecent performance, was again arrested Tuesday after police raided the Broadway premiere of her latest play, "Pleasure Man." Fifty-five men and women comprising the play's cast were loaded in patrol wagons at the close of the evening's performance and taken to a police station a block away, where after several hours they were released on bail. Miss West, who is author of the play but not a member of its cast, was arrested at another theatre, where she is starring in "Diamond Lil." She posted \$500 bail for a hearing. All were charged with producing or taking part in an indecent performance. The raid caused considerable excitement among the crowded Broadway throngs. Traffic was jammed and cheers, boos and hisses greeted the performers on their short ride. Acting on reports from suburban towns, where the play was given preliminary showings, the police department had a half dozen officials in the audience. At 10:30 o'clock, while the play was still in progress, a signal was given to a score of plain clothes men stationed outside and all exits were placed under guard. Patrons, however, were unaware of the police activity until they began to leave the theatre. No effort was made to interfere with them, but at the conclusion of the show the entire cast was confined back stage to await patrol wagons. Audiences from nearby theatres also were leaving at the same time and the streets soon were packed with humanity. The crowd became so dense that police reserves were called out to open the street to traffic. Miss West, after being taken into custody at her theatre, was detained at the police station several hours. After a statement by her had been taken down by a police stenographer she was released under bail furnished by a professional bondman. Bail for the members of the cast was furnished by the Actors' Equity association. Frank Gilmore, secretary of the association, declared the arrest of the cast was a "disgrace."

Oregon Weather
Fair in the west and unsettled with showers in the east portion tonight and Thursday; slightly warmer tonight in the interior. Increasing southerly winds on the coast and probably reaching sale force.

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This group comprises 50 of the latest style dresses, made of good satin and silk, nicely trimmed, well made, all good shades; full assortment of sizes, as a big special for Thursday, each... **\$8.18**

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50 wonderful dresses in this lot, made of splendid materials in satin, silk and velvet combinations; they come in a full line of sizes and colors; as a very special price for our anniversary sale we will offer these Thursday at, each... **\$9.88**

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100 dresses in this group, made of extra fine fabrics in wool, satin and silk; many chic new styles to choose from, in all the rich shades of tans, browns and blues; also black; our anniversary sale price at, each... **\$18.00**

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36-inch Art Taffeta, a suitable material for fancy pillows, bedspreads and drapes, \$1.19 values, **98c** sale price, yard

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Women's novelty cuff fabric gloves, in grey and beige; splendid quality, all sizes; regular price \$1.29. Anniversary sale price, \$1.18 pair

Miller's Satin Girdles

Garter belts and twelve-inch elastic stepin girdles; these garments are well made of a good quality material; cheap at \$1.25. Anniversary sale price, \$1.18 each

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