

PRESS, SPEECH ARE CURTAILED BY MUSSOLINI

Even Pope Muzzled If He
Raises Voice Against
the Premier.

This is the seventh article by Webb
Miller on Fascism and Italy.

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ROME, Feb. 10.—Part of the considerable price Italy is paying for the numerous material advantages of Mussolini's strong, purposeful government is curtailment of the nation's liberties—infringement of freedom of the press, freedom of speech and freedom of assembly.

There is not complete freedom of the press in the usual meaning of the term.

This infringement is now accepted voluntarily because of their political and patriotic convictions and others

facile acquiesce for reasons of self-preservation on the part of the great majority of the newspapers.

Fascist newspaper men informed me the press is not permitted to criticize the regime, or form of government, but is permitted a certain amount of latitude in discussion of the government's measures and actions of men in the government except Mussolini.

I saw cardboard slogans on the walls in Fascist offices in Rome reading "Mussolini is always right."

This also applies to the press. Arnaldo Mussolini, brother of the Duce and editor of Popolo d'Italia of Milan, told me that newspapers are free to discuss the government's

Job Is Safe



John J. Coughlin, above, for the last thirty-eight years an alderman in the Chicago city council, has survived every election since 1892 and his only opponent this year dropped out of the race a few days ago.

He is a poet, a race horse owner and is known as "Bathhouse John," once having been a rubber in a Turkish bath.

measures, but not to attack the basis of the regime.

The government press bureau in Rome issues statements to the newspapers often without the source indicated, which are faithfully published. In addition, "suggestions" as to the handling of news are frequently sent to the Sala Stampa, headquarters of journalists, which are implicitly obeyed.

The pope even is muzzled so far as the Italian press is concerned when he says anything displeasing to the government.

Next: Mussolini drives to build great sea power.

BOY EMPLOYE IS SHOT BY THUGS AT GAS STATION

Three Youths Are Being
Held in Connection
With Case.

Leo Gurvitz, 15, of 1406 Montcalm street, Standard Oil filling station attendant at Fourteenth and Rembrandt streets, was wounded slightly in the chest Monday night by one of two bandits who held him up and were about to take him for a ride when the gunmen became alarmed.

Today police said Raymond Small, 21, of 1856 South Pershing avenue, admitted he shot Gurvitz, who, he said, yelled and ran around the corner of the building when he drove into the station to purchase oil. With Small, police are holding Forrest Harrell, 21, of 46 North West street, and Edward Coble, 19, of 325 Bright street.

James Pruitt, 21½, South Illinois street, laundry truck driver, sur-

rendered \$20 to a Negro bandit in the 200 block North Noble street Monday.

Ernest Wheeler, 316 Lockburn street, another laundry truck driver, lost \$50 to a bandit near Hoosier airport; and Ben B. Hurst, 46, R. R. 17, Box 109, also a laundry truck driver, gave up \$45 to a Negro gunman.

O. C. Smith, 6331 West Washington street, Ben Davis merchant policeman, shot at two men he caught smashing a plate glass window in the Lober clothing store there early today. They escaped in a sedan.

Mrs. Katherine Williams, 2249 Broadway, told police a footpad grabbed her purse containing \$35 in the 1000 block North Pennsylvania street Monday night.

Driver Breaks Arm
James Sugrue, 422 North State avenue, sustained a broken arm and Charles Frederick, Toledo, O., was arrested on reckless driving when their automobiles collided at East and Washington streets today.

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By United Press
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BACK HOME AGAIN

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Henry Selloff, 819 College avenue, Graham Page truck, found at Noble and Washington streets.

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