

REPRIEVE AGAIN SAVES SLAYER

'Squealer' Bell Is Granted 30-Day Stay.

CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Frank (The Squealer) Bell, condemned to death in the electric chair at one minute past midnight, today had a thirty-day reprieve through intercession of

a United States government official. Bell, convicted of the murder of a restaurant proprietor, was saved two hours before the scheduled execution by action of Governor Louis L. Emmerson.

Emmerson, who previously had refused a stay, acted after a plea by Murray W. Garsson, special assistant secretary of labor assigned to Chicago for a roundup of deportable aliens. Garsson said his influence was exerted in a private rather than an official capacity.

It was Bell's second last minute escape from death. He was to have died in the electric chair Oct. 16, but thirty-five minutes before the electrocution was planned his at-

torney obtained a writ for an insanity hearing.

The reason for Emmerson's reprieve after he previously had announced he would not intervene in the case was not known definitely. It was believed by prison officials, however, that Garsson hoped to obtain valuable information for his deportation drive from Bell. It was thought probably Bell's aid is desired in rounding up members of the Capone gang, with which he assertedly was connected.

That the plea for the concerned man's life was powerful was shown by the failure of earlier appeals by prison officials and prominent Chicagoans on the grounds that Bell

"tipped off" a dangerous prison break.

Bell, at one time, confessed to driving the automobile in which the slayers of Alfred J. Lingle, Chicago newspaperman, escaped. This confession was regarded as of little credibility at that time. Whether it had a connection with the reprieve was not known.

Meetings Held Secretly

By Times Special

MARION, Ind., Nov. 27.—Officials of utilities serving Marion and members of a special city council committee have opened a series of closed conferences here. Proceedings of the meetings will not be made public for several days.

ESSAY WINNERS NAMED

Three Technical Pupils Will Get Free Tickets to Senior Play.

Arthur Kasting, Gerald Johnson and Pauline Dye won the essay contest recently sponsored by the advertising class which is handling publicity for "A Kiss for Cinderella," senior play of the A-K section of the senior class at Technical high school.

The play will be presented Dec. 4 and 5. Essays were on the subject of World war orphans.

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