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HUNDREDS HELD IN HOTEL BLAST

Round-Up Suspects as Toll Reaches 100.

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JERUSALEM, July 23.—British police investigating the King David hotel bombing in which about 100 persons are dead or dying today

rounded up hundreds of suspects, found suffering from bullet wounds.

He was hiding not far from the bullet-riddled body of another alleged extremist.

The wounded man and several companions found with him were tentatively identified as having been among the perpetrators of the King David bombing.

The suspects were believed to be members of one of the underground Jewish organizations which have been carrying on a campaign of bombing and assassination against the British.

The arrests were made under a strict curfew in the Jewish section of the old city of Jerusalem.

Search of the old city uncovered considerable quantities of arms.

Rescue workers were still hunting through the debris of the hotel for further victims.

(Exchange Telegraph reported that Dr. Thompson, assistant chief secretary of Palestine, was discovered alive but lodged in the wreckage. He was quoted as telling rescue workers: "There is someone else in here near me. I think he is still alive. I can only see his stomach but it is moving.")

Jewish leaders, horrified by the hotel explosion, expressed fear it may have cost the Jews their last chance of reconciliation with the British government and the release of their chieftains seized in an anti-terrorist campaign a month ago.

54 Known Dead

The toll in the bombing of the King David stood at 54 persons killed, 53 missing, 53 wounded seriously and about 150 injured less seriously. The known dead included 29 Britons and 25 Palestinians, some unidentified.

An ironclad curfew was imposed on Palestine after the bombing. An official announcement said it was being lifted today. The Jewish area was kept under the most rigid control.

Details of the measures verging on martial law which the British expected to enforce were not disclosed immediately. Armed British soldiers smashed through iron shutters into shops along the Jaffa road, Jerusalem's principal Jewish busi-

Their systematic search for the saboteurs was reaching into every possible place of concealment.

An official account of the bombing said a gang of Jewish extremists dressed as Arabs planted the land mines which caused two massive explosions soon after noon yesterday.

They gained admission by bringing milk cans to the kitchen entrance. Their explosives then were carried to a basement restaurant.

In the confusion following the explosions, the saboteurs escaped. A truck and a taxi they used were found abandoned in a neighboring street. Both were loaded with arms and ammunition.

Attlee: 'Insane Act of Terrorism'

LONDON, July 23 (U. P.).—Prime Minister Clement Attlee told the house of commons today that the King David hotel bombing was the worst "of many horrible outrages" in Palestine but that it would not divert the government from a search for a just and final solution of the Palestine problem.

Mr. Attlee made his statement in reply to an inquiry by Former Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden.

He called the explosion which wrecked British headquarters in the Jerusalem hotel "an insane act of terrorism."

Mr. Eden asked for assurances that the government would take all necessary action to provide Palestine authorities with power to deal with the situation. Mr. Attlee said that this was being done.

Tradition Broken



Mrs. Frances Dustin, secretary to Senator Owen Brewster (R. Me.), yesterday became the first woman clerk to enter the senate chamber during a session.

The senate set aside a tradition of 100 years to permit Mrs. Dustin to consult with Senator Brewster in the chamber. Previously, only male clerks have been admitted to the senate.

STRICT TRAFFIC TRIALS PLEDGED

Nominees for Prosecutor Promise Efficiency.

The Indianapolis Safety Council today attempted to make sure of efficient prosecution of traffic violations by obtaining campaign pledges from Democratic and Republican prosecutor nominees for more effective operation of the prosecutor's office.

Urging "complete overhauling" of the prosecutor's procedure in handling traffic cases, the council extracted "If I am elected promises" from Judge Judson L. Stark, Republican nominee, and Arthur J. Sullivan, Democratic candidate.

Both nominees agreed the present quality of traffic law prosecution is "entirely inadequate," but Mr. Stark refused to commit himself entirely to the committee recommendations.

Detailed Study Not Made

Mr. Stark reviewed his record as judge and former prosecutor and refused to be a "candidate of any group, clique or faction."

"I should like to be free to use my own judgment... before a decision is given," Mr. Stark said in his letter to the safety committee.

The G. O. P. nominee said he had made no "detailed study" of the operations of the municipal courts in handling traffic cases or of the prosecutor's office.

"Therefore," he said, "I would rather not bind myself to follow exactly the suggestions of any committee."

Mr. Sullivan promised revision of "the haphazard manner of operation" in the prosecutor's office.

Efficient Men Sought

In concurring with the council's recommendations, Mr. Sullivan said he would find efficient men to handle traffic cases.

In securing statements from both party nominees, Howard W. Fieber, general chairman of the council, stated the council based its recommendations for improving the service of the prosecutor's office on a five-year study of traffic case prosecution.

From this study, the council called for full-time employment of deputies in each municipal court, instruction of policemen by deputies in securing evidence, instruction of all deputies in handling traffic cases and larger budget allotment for prosecution of all traffic cases.

ROBBERS ACCOMMODATED

Times Special

NEW CASTLE, Ind., July 23.—Two men requested William E. Boykin, Mt. Summit tavern operator, to remain open a few minutes past his usual closing time so they could have a drink. Then they proceeded to rob him of \$120 in cash and three checks, escaping in an automobile.

BODY OF MAN FOUND BESIDE RAIL TRACKS

The body of an unidentified man about 50 was found by a railroad section hand near Wabash last night.

State police said the man had been dead about three weeks and did not appear to have been struck by a train, although the body was found beside the tracks.

The only clue to the man's identification was a shoe touched with orange paint.

2 AIRBORNE DIVISIONS SEEK REPLACEMENTS

Replacements are being sought by the war department for vacancies in the 11th and 82d airborne divisions.

The 82d is serving in the U. S. zone of the interior while the 11th division is stationed in the Pacific.

A three-year enlistment gives the soldier a choice of either unit. Enlistment for a two-year period qualifies the enlistee only for airborne service.

Misfortune Still Plagues 'Hard Luck Kid' as Twins Die

ERIE, Pa., July 23 (U. P.).—Mrs. Cevelia Schults is known to her neighbors as the "hard luck kid."

Her rare strokes of luck have always been followed by overpowering misfortune.

In 1937, she won a Legion of Valor medal when she smashed down a door to save her crippled mother and a brother and sister from a gas-filled room.

Then followed an almost unbelievable series of misfortunes—a nervous breakdown, an appendicitis operation, a paralysis of the facial muscles which left her vision impaired.

She suffered two attacks of pneumonia and recurring rheumatism. A can of beans exploded, scalding her face.

Then, for once, fortune smiled. Cevelia got married.

Three weeks ago, twin daughters were born to the "hard luck kid," prematurely, but alive.

A week ago, the father appealed to the Erie housing authority that their home was unsuitable for the children.

Last Friday, housing officials told the Schultzes that a two-bedroom dwelling had been found for them. But the babies died the same day of dysentery. They were buried yesterday.

WRONG SAFE PICKED; BURGLARS TAKE OFF

Burglars who forced a warehouse door to enter the office of the M. A. Delph Co., 517 W. Ray st., last night picked the wrong safe and left penniless.

After sawing the hinges of a small safe in the office and finding no loot, the burglars apparently were frightened off when they had cut half-way through the hinges of the door on a second safe... the one they wanted in the first place.

Before leaving the office, they ransacked it, causing considerable damage, company officials reported to police today.

4-H DEMONSTRATION CHAMPION IS NAMED

Udene Christenbery of Wayne township, is the new county demonstration 4-H champion. She bested a field of 144 girls and two boys yesterday at the Purdue-Marott agricultural center.

Udene will represent Marion county in the district 4-H demonstration contest at Greenfield Aug. 2.

Her subject was an apricot bread. She used the no-knead method for making yeast dough products.

Other winners in the city contest were Grace Black, School 58, first; Madeline Bohn, School 72, second; and Joan Leslie, School 49, third.

CAR HITS ABUTMENT; SHERIDAN YOUTH DIES

SHERIDAN, Ind., July 23 (U. P.).—Bobby McDonald, 13, was killed and his brother, Johnny, 15, injured yesterday when the automobile in which they were riding struck a bridge abutment. They were on an errand for their grandmother, Mrs. Blanche McDonald.

Dobbin Will Have Day at State Fair

OLD DOBBIN will be king for a day at the Indiana state fair... and the old gray mare will rise from comparative obscurity to queen of the stables.

Charles J. Lynn, president of the Indiana Draft Horse and Mule Breeders association, announced premiums of \$5140 in draft horse competition at the fair.

Farm labor conditions are such that many of the plow pullers will have to come to the fair in their work harnesses while others will be toggled out in their Sunday best.

Accommodations for horses entered in the show are among the finest in the country, the association said.

Judging schedule for the horse show are, 4-H club colts, Aug. 31; Gold Medal colts and grade horses, Sept. 2; Percheron breeding class, Sept. 3 and 4, and Belgians, Sept. 5 and 6.

LINSEED OIL SUBSTITUTE

WASHINGTON.—Cod-liver oil as a possible substitute for linseed oil in paints is being investigated in Norway.

BOY, 4, IS KILLED WHEN HIT BY CAR

A 4-year-old boy was dead today and his father seriously injured as a result of an automobile accident occurring seven miles northeast of Lafayette last night.

State police said the dead boy was Clarence Pearson, Delphi. His father is Raymond Pearson, 30.

Standing beside another automobile, they were struck by one driven by James Mahoney, Red Field, Cal.

LUNCHEON TO HONOR STATE FAIR LEADERS

The Antlers hotel will be the scene of the annual joint luncheon of the Indianapolis Kiwanis club and the Chamber of Commerce agricultural committee Aug. 21, officials revealed today.

The luncheon will honor officials of the Indiana state fair. Honored guests will be Governor Gates and Lt. Gov. Richard T. James.

The luncheon was established as an annual custom prior to the war to focus attention on the importance of agriculture to other business.

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Extension table, 13.95

Drop leaf table, 12.50

Chairs, 7.95 ea.

DRESSING TABLES...

Vanity, sketched, 4.50. Others, at 6.95 and 9.98

Vanity stools, 2.50 and 3.50



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MARRIAGE LICENSES

Rubens Guy Anderson, 523 N. Alabama; June Grider, 416 E. New York.
Joseph Anselm, 178 E. Tabor; Pauline Miller, 1789 E. Tabor.
John Anthony, 1030 N. West; Eleanor Bryant, 524 N. Blackford.
George Edward Bastin, 723 Woodlawn; Wilma Irene Long, R. R. 6, Box 484.
Gordon W. Bateman, 58 W. 58th; Luis Mae Moser, Wren, O.
Richard William Blacketer, McCordville; Vera LaVerne Boish, 421 Devon.
Henry F. Byers, 725 Lord; Dorothy May Gully, 521 Stillwell.
Grand Arthur Campbell, 1217 Bates; Mae Bibbe, 1217 Bates.
John Curry, 1154 S. Lyndhurst dr.; Dorothy Olive McConnell, 1418 S. Franklin.
Gene Carl Clements, 2411 N. Delaware; Blanche Kathryn Miller, 1133 N. LeBlanc.
Carl Clements, 1941 S. East; Dorothy Jean Bishop, 948 Church.
John A. Cichanek, 524 Marian; Ruth Elizabeth Norman, 522 Marian.
Orville Dimery, 2221 N. Arsenal; Margaret Ann Green, 1602 Sheldon.
Matthew B. Downey, 1906 Bellefontaine; Mary Frances Cannon, 1906 Bellefontaine.
Harry James Eiden, 624 West dr.; Woodruff Place; Marie G. Bonahan, 3111 Winthrop.
John Paul Evans, 978 N. Concord; Hazel M. Rance, 1021 E. Winthrop.
Kenneth L. Evers, 4344 E. 21st; Margaretta Francis Cunningham, 5046 E. 21st.
Robert L. Grayson, 2418 Central; Frances Hindman, 1649 N. Pleasant.
William L. Hill, 1302 Pleasant; Hazel Perry, 1302 Pleasant.
Dale Williams Hoffman, U. S. N.; Marilyn Joyce Little, Moline, Ill.
John Raymond Hobbs, 5111 E. 42nd; Lawrence; Doris June Thomas, 4513 Franklin rd.; Lawrence.
Roland Henry Kapp, 2828 N. Olney; Helen Helen Kelsay, 1130 N. Dearborn.
William Leroy Kord, 2247 M. Rural; Gladys M. Grundy, 524 N. Oxford.
Fred Johnson, 3001 Field, Illinois; Gladys Cheneau, 215 Perryway.
Tunis E. Johnson, 524 English; Virginia Rose Hutchinson, 623 English.
Charles L. Jones, 2174 E. 113th; Margarette E. Whitley, 2274 Paris.
Henry Paul Jones, 1614 Sheldon; Laura Belle Gardner, 323 Cornell.
Orel Kimble, 615 E. Walnut; Lily May Dale, 415 E. Walnut, No. 3.
Beryl Gale Linn, 128 E. 26th; Katherine C. Neal, 2347 English.
Paul Mandich, South Bend; Rose Solomon, 1416 Roache.
William Mayhew, West Newton; Sarah Mayhew, 127 Glen Arms rd.
Leonard Richard McCampbell, 145 E. Hendon; Glenda Rose Vaughn, 4544 Kingsley.
William Carl Meyer, 919 Elm; Mabel Irene Parsons, 501 Fisher.
Woodrow L. Moore, 1177 N. Talbot; Maria Irene Brown, 2591 N. Alabama.

BIRTHS

Twins

At Methodist—Harold, Marge Floreke, boys.

Girls

At Coleman—Paul, Jane Gray.

At St. Francis—Arthur, Betty Sheldon.

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At Methodist—Alfred, Eva Robinson; Louise, Betty Harper; Charles, Rosemary White; James, Sylvia Vike; Arthur, Georgia Duhamel; Shelia, Mary Carter; and Harold, Alma Weber.

At St. Vincent—Edward, Velma Alexander; Paul, Iona Hughey; Richard, Dorothy Allen; Joseph, Dorothy Westenberg; Rudolph, Virginia Senogio; LeRoy, Sarah Johnson; and Oliver, Patricia Schneiders.

At St. Vincent—Paul, Betty Goff, and John, Arthur Lynch.

Boys

At St. Francis—Charles, Meima Kentwell.

At Coleman—William, Jean Burns.

At Methodist—Robert, Elizabeth Harter; the Rabold; Burley, Betty Cray.

Charles, Gladys Tandy; Lyndon, Norine Foster; and Aled, Iona Marzak.

At St. Vincent—Ray, Bonnie Kelly, and Harold, Betty Nellie.

At Home—James, Dorcas Bible, 534 W. 27th.

DEATHS

Kathryn B. Gill, 45, at 5917 Primrose, carcinoma.

Grace Tabot, 71, at 2811 N. Delaware, cerebral hemorrhage.

Albert E. McClure, 55, at 1347 W. 26th, coronary occlusion.

Loren Thomas Garrity, 5, at St. Vincent, brain abscess.

Mary Alice Hamilton, 87, at 1107 N. Arden, coronary occlusion.

Edward Thompson Woodward, 72, at 14 S. Butler, cardiac vascular renal.

John J. Jones, 31, at Veterans, chronic nephritis.