

# Four Soldiers Shot in Club Row in Japan

MP's Cornered by Enlisted Men In Fight Over Which Is 'Tougher'

TOKYO, Jan. 25 (UPI)—Four American soldiers were shot and one was stabbed in a riot at Camp Crawford on Hokkaido Island Sunday night, Allied Headquarters announced today.

The shootings took place at an enlisted men's club when military police, who came to put down the trouble, were cornered and had to shoot their way out.

It was believed the riot broke out when members of the 11th Airborne and the 7th Division argued over which outfit was the "tougher."

The Seventh Division was transferred recently from Korea to Japan to replace the 11th Airborne Division, which is going to the United States.

3 Hurt 'Seriously'

An Allied Headquarters spokesman said three of the soldiers were "seriously" wounded. Another received a cut on the right forearm when he dived out of a window after the shooting started. Another was stabbed shortly afterwards in front of a nearby barracks.

Names of the victims were withheld until their relatives were informed of their condition.

The fracas that preceded the shooting started about 8 p. m. Sunday night when several soldiers started throwing empty cans and bottles and chairs in the club, the spokesman said.

The manager ordered the club closed and requested assistance from military police.

Struck by Bottle

"When military police attempted to move the men out, some of them refused and crowded the military police to a small space."

The military police involved were identified as Pvt. John Juliano of Buffalo, N. Y., and Pvt. Edward R. Eggleston of Minneapolis, Minn.

A board of officers was named to investigate the riot.

## Local Woman Wins Slogan Contest

Mrs. William J. Smith, 2180 N. Talbot Ave., received official notification today that she is the weekly winner of the \$2000 National Kid's Day Slogan Contest conducted on the Jimmy Fidler radio program.

The prize winner, will receive a diamond ring, wrist watch, motion picture camera and equipment, auto tires, radio-phonograph combination, 72-piece set of sterling silver and a four-piece luggage set.

Mrs. Smith said she "didn't sleep a wink Sunday night" when she heard of her selection.

## In Indianapolis

EVENTS TODAY

St. Mark's Altar Society Benefit Card Party—7 p. m. at St. Mark's Church. The Role of the Nurse in Disaster—7 p. m. and 7 p. m. World War Memorial.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

James Hill, 28, 322 Darnell; Louis Holland, 28, Indianapolis; John V. Morris; Mildred Kidwell, 28, Greenwood.

Frances Gion, 27, R. R. 2, Sue Anne D. Miller, 26, 1400 N. Meridian; Oscar Curtis, 52; Alberta Robinson, 49; Anna Lewis, 28, Victoria, Miss.; Margaret Anne Heiderich, 24, 1120 Commercial.

Eliah Perry, 41, Windfall; Mary Jane Hanson, 24, Tipton; Charles J. Chaffey, 22, 1922 W. Market; Mae Dicus, 23, 1922 W. Market; Charles Henry Brooks, 18, Greenwood; Phyllis Moore, 25, 1925 W. Market; Charles F. Rosner, 24, 3225 N. Pennsylvania; Imogene Butler, 25, 4919 Roslyn.

Corinne Gion, 44, 48 W. St. Joseph; Nellie Robert Brown, 22, 2340 College; Patricia Gion, 22, 1922 W. Market.

John R. Jones, 25, 1922 W. Market; Shirley Ford, 18, 1944 Shelby; Phyllis Watson, 25, Greenwood; Marjorie A. Jones, 25, 1922 W. Market; James E. Jones Taylor, 60, Jasper; Edmene Hilde, 54, Milwaukee, Wis.

Edgar R. Tamm, 1000 N. Tremont; Vivian Alexander, 22, 1004 N. Pershing; William Mills, 21, 1818 N. Lindley; William Maynard, 19, 1004 W. 16th; Marie Williams, 18, 8200 W. Washington.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED

Charles vs. Marsha Beard; Corinne Nellie Robert Brown, 22, 2340 College; Patricia Gion, 22, 1922 W. Market.

Jolly; Letha vs. Marold Anderson; McDonald vs. Frederick Eddy; Marguerite vs. Roy Parrish.

BIRTHS

At St. Vincent's—Arne, Mary Jane Andrew; Ruth Book; Frederick Richard; William Raymond; David Martin; John Ruth Lawrie; Melvin Hobart; John Raymond Barbara Osman.

At Methodist—Donald, Mary Gains; John Carl Diversky; Marion, Helen Wallace; Winnie, Patricia.

At St. Francis—Robert, Geraldine Hampton.

At General—Walter, Marie Eila Smith.

At Methodist—Vernon, Virginia Edwards; Charles, William, Carol; Carl; Robert; Robert; James, Lillian Smith; Henry, Annamay Hoffman; Gene, Mary Walker; Robert, Berdine Evans; James, Helen Goss.

At St. Vincent's—Donald, Marge Pritchard; Robert, Mary, Helen, Charles; Ruth, Aubie; Charlie, Harriet, Virginia; Don, Mary, Niewander; James, Barbara Doreen.

At St. Francis—John, Wilma, Hoss; William, Lawrie Kirby; Maurice, Don.

At General—Calvin, Leora, Marlin; Robert, Charlotte Smith; Frank, Delores, Martin.

At Methodist—Ralph, Wilma, Ward; David, Helen, Lydia.

DEATHS

Oral E. Broadbent, 54, at 500 N. Illinois, myocardial infarction.

Fred Clemmons, 55, at Veterans, cardiac.

John Wesley Carr, 76, at 414 W. 10th, myocardial infarction.

Walter James Hughes, 65, at 2023 Central arteriosclerosis.

Clara Bell Howe, 55, at Long, leukemia.

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## Police Nab 14 In Overnight Gaming Raids

### Break Up Game In Rear of Tavern; Pair Arrested

Police arrested 14 men in two gambling raids last night.

In the rear of the Show Bar tavern, 3033 E. Washington St., the raiders said, they saw two men playing cards, with \$15 in cash spread on the table. They arrested Richard Smith, 34, 970 Mills St., and William Huffman, 41, R. R. 5, Greenfield, on charges of visiting a gaming house, and Charles Walker, 25, 214 S. Third St., Beech Grove, on a charge of operating a gaming house.

Investigate Police Report

Taken to the police property room was \$15, cards, a table and six chairs.

Investigating a report that a pool was being operated in 933½ S. Illinois St., police arrested James Cole, 64, of that address, on a charge of keeping a gaming house and advertising a lottery.

Alonzo Wollery, 39, of 933 S. Illinois, was charged with keeping a gaming house and disorderly conduct.

Nine others arrested there were charged with visiting a gaming house and disorderly conduct. Various paraphernalia, including an adding machine and an envelope full of "slip" were confiscated.

## 23 Plead Guilty In Gaming Case

Time State Service

BEDFORD, Jan. 25—Twenty-nine gambling cases were disposed of in wholesale fashion in Lawrence Circuit court yesterday when Attorney R. L. Allen, defense counsel, appeared before Judge Chester A. Davis and entered pleas of guilty for 23 defendants.

Fines and costs totaled \$1806.95, largest amount paid by gambling defendants in one day since the raids on alleged gaming establishments were made by city and state police in 1947 and 1948.

Two defendants, David Torphy and Thomas Gresham, each arrested for operating a gaming house, were fined \$75 and costs and given three month suspended penal farm sentences. The other defendants, six charged with two counts, were fined \$50 and costs on visiting charges.

The 23 defendants were arrested in connection with raids on the rear room of Torphy's tavern. The first raid was staged Aug. 5, 1947, and the second occurred Feb. 28, 1948. In May, 1948, officers again visited the rear room and confiscated gambling equipment and made more arrests.

Prosecutor Thomas Shout said that several gambling cases were still pending in circuit court as result of the raids here. He said the charges were filed against alleged operators and others for keeping a room for gambling purposes.

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