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## Third Brother Captured WOOD SEARCH FOR BROTHERS LEFT

### Two North Carolina Banks Robbed In Single Day



Garner Briganti, J. L. Alderman has his head bound for injury received when he was pistol-whipped after he refused to lie down on the floor as commanded by a bank robber. The Garner branch of the First Citizens Bank & Trust Co. was looted of over \$112,000 Friday afternoon. The three robbers escaped. (AP Wirephoto).



D. V. Chrym (left) cashier of the Guaranty Bank & Trust Co. at Williamston is shown with other members of the bank staff after two armed men held them up and fled with \$17,326. (AP Wirephoto).



Quintan Strickland, an AWOL Marine, is questioned by an FBI agent after he was identified as one who helped rob the Guaranty Bank & Trust Co. at Williamston of \$17,326 Friday morning. Two brothers of Strickland are also being held in the case. (AP Wirephoto).

### \$300,000 Taken In Two Robberies

RALEIGH—(AP)—Police searched woods near Williamston today for part of the nearly \$300,000 loot taken in two Eastern North Carolina bank robberies yesterday.

At Williamston, about 35 miles east of Raleigh, police reported the arrest of the third of three brothers accused in the holdup of the Guaranty Bank and Trust Co. there. The officers also said they had recovered a small part of the \$17,326 taken from that bank.

But there was still no trace of the three armed bandits who held up another bank at Garner, five miles south of Raleigh.

Williamston Police 12, Charles R. Moore said a bag containing a \$100 bill and an undisclosed amount of silver had been found in woods near Williamston after the FBI and the State Highway Patrol arrested Adril Strickland, 21, early today on a Williamston street. Martin County Sheriff M. W. Holman said he apparently had been contacted by the brothers, who escape from a state automobile.

Reports of someone tampering with cars brought some of the officers into town from their search of a wooded area where the other two brothers were arrested. Five hours after the \$17,326 robbery of the Guaranty Bank and Trust Co. at Williamston, Strickland, 21, an AWOL Marine from Camp Lejeune, pleaded guilty to a bank robbery charge before U. S. Commissioner W. S. Swain at Rocky Mount last night. James Earl Strickland, 18, pleaded not guilty.

Alfred Strickland, 21, was charged with the robbery at Apopka, Fla., were held under \$25,000 bond.

The trio who took \$12,300 from the First Citizens Bank and Trust Co. at Garner about five hours after the Williamston robbery made their getaway by car. Neither the car nor the men were sighted by police last night.

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### Sites Talked For Korean Peace Parley

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. (AP)

South Korea was reported today as favoring San Francisco or Honolulu as the site for the Korean peace conference. An alternate choice would be a city in Latin America, perhaps Rio de Janeiro.

This development came as U. N. delegates waiting for Communist reaction to the General Assembly decision yesterday that its side would be made up of U. N. countries which sent troops to Korea, plus South Korea. The Soviet Union is to be invited if the Communist side desires it.

The U. N. hopes that Red China, North Korea and the Soviet Union will be the Communist representatives. Some sources here pointed out, however, that the Reds have the right to invite other countries besides the Soviet Union. These sources speculated they might undertake to enlarge their side to meet the U. N. representatives nation for nation.

As the special Korean session of the Assembly adjourned yesterday, U. N. Secretary General Dag Hammarskjöld sent his decision regarding the peace parley to Red China and North Korea.

The U. N. promises to limit its representation to nations that fought under its flag in Korea represented a triumph for the United States which had pushed this plan. Many U. N. members had urged the inclusion of India but the New Delhi government bowed out at the last moment and the American proposal won approval 43-5.

No date has been set yet for the conference but under terms of the Korean armistice it should convene before Oct. 28. The United States, which bore chief responsibility for the unified command in the Korean fighting, was asked to consider the interested nations as to time and place for the meeting.

In addition to the reported South Korean choice of San Francisco, the Honolulu, Geneva, Switzerland; Beirut, Lebanon; Stockholm, Sweden; and Ceylon have been suggested as possible sites.

South Korean officials reportedly want the conference held in United States territory in order to keep the Korean question before the American people. They were represented as fearing that if the meeting were conducted in some other country the U. S. public might tend to forget.

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### If They Desire Repatriation

## Reds Promise To Free All Prisoners

BY STAN CARTER

PANMUNJON (AP)—The Communists said today they would return all Allied prisoners, wanting repatriation, to their own country.

The Reds sentenced to jail for offenses allegedly committed during captivity.

The Reds also told the Joint Prisoner of War Repatriation Commission that "more than 300 Koreans and more than 20 work-Koreans" are refusing to be repatriated.

The Reds continued: "Owing to the fact that the operation of repatriation is still going on, our side shall continue to persuade them to be repatriated."

"Therefore, there still will be changes in this number."

At the port of Inchon, a repatriated Brooklyn, N. Y., man, Pfc. John J. McNeill, said he had been told that 22 Americans and one British soldier were among those either refusing or reluctant to be released.

DUE AT KAESONG  
McNeill said he understood that the 23 are expected soon at Kaesong, Red Assembly point near the 38th parallel.

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But in reply to U. N. questions, the Reds told the commission: "Our side will... repatriate all the POWs who insist on repatriation. The repatriation of prisoners of war who insist on repatriation is now approaching the end. All the POWs under our custody who insist on repatriation will be repatriated."

The U. N. considers that this should include persons who have committed offenses in custody," he added.

Tough American sergeants who were separated from their men in the Korean prison camps because of their outspoken resistance to Communism, began coming home Saturday.

Among the 145 Americans freed today at Panmunjon were 35 non-commissioned officers from the sergeants' compound at Camp 3, C. Langston, North Korea.

M. Sgt. James G. Goelzer, 27, of Lewis, Ind., who was captured six days after U. S. ground troops went into action in Korea in July, 1950, said:

"As long as the sergeants were allowed to stay with their men, the Communists had no success preaching their propaganda."

ALLIES RETURNED  
Two Australian officers, three Turks, and 250 South Koreans also were returned. One Australian, a Mustang pilot, was the first Australian airman captured.

The Allies returned 2,400 North Koreans.

The Reds promised to return 116 more Americans Sunday, as well as 250 South Koreans, 25 British, 3 Turks, 5 Filipinos, 3 French and 3 South Africans. A total of 400 men.

Including Saturday's exchange, the 25th day of Operation Big Switch—2,567 Americans have returned to freedom.

The Reds said at the start of the exchange they had 3,313 American prisoners.

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Suspicious Area  
Off Florida

MIAMI (AP)—The Miami Weather Bureau reported that an area of suspicion has developed in the Northeast Florida coast today and a navy hurricane hunter plane has been ordered to fly into it.

The disturbed area is near but closer to shore than the spot where the second hurricane of the summer developed Aug. 12. That storm popped up about 225 miles east of Daytona Beach and raked the Florida coast.

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Union President Margaret Weiss said the new contract provides pay for workers from \$1.50 to \$2 a week; for those who had been getting from \$40 to \$25 weekly.

Strikers in Washington-Maryland and West Virginia and the Midwest states were members of the Communications Workers of America, CIO. The union is negotiating with Bell System firms covering a total of about 130,000 workers.

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### Rail Conductors Union Calls Strike Sept. 10

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa (AP)

The Brotherhood of Railroad Conductors (ORC) has announced it will begin a strike on some railroads at 6 p. m. (local standard time) Sept. 10 but if the mediation clause of the Railway Labor Act is invoked any walkout would be delayed for 60 days.

The strike action was announced in Chicago yesterday by an aide of P. O. Hughes, ORC president, and confirmed by an ORC spokesman here.

The local spokesman said either side car call for mediation and "one side or the other usually does." If this occurs, no walkout would occur until November and then only if settlement is not reached through mediation.

There was no definite indication as to which railroads would be struck first or in what order but officials were instructed to be in readiness in case the Chicago and North Western Railroad is chosen for initial action.

The Hughes' side, James Paddock, said the strike was concerned with rates of pay. Conductors, he said, have lost their "relative position" in the pay rate structure.

"The conductor now finds himself below the fireman, who is paid more than the engineer," Paddock said.

The conductors are seeking a graduated rate of pay. This means that the higher the engine on a train, the more the conductor's pay would be. Engineers and firemen already have such a graduated rate based on the power of locomotives.

When Brady heard the door slam behind the robbers, he wriggle

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### Cops Kill Labor Leader's Slayer; Another Quizzed

NEW YORK (AP)—Detectives in

investigating the slaying of a Bronx union leader today picked up for questioning a former \$2,000-a-month Yonkers Racer "troublemaker."

South District Attorney George B. Deluca said the man, Lawrence (Lar) Lynch was taken into custody at his home in Yonkers, N. Y. home.

He was