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Defense Board Orders Dresses Cut 25 Per Cent

By Associated Press.
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BANDITS HOLD UP DENVER BANK, GET AWAY WITH \$1,500

Six Men Lined Up in Italian Institution by Robbers Who Flee in Stolen Auto.

While a confederate sat calmly at the wheel of a stolen auto, keeping the engine running, in front of the Italian-American bank, a privately owned institution at 2134 Fifteenth street, two young robbers yesterday lined up six men inside the bank and while one menaced the unwilling spectators with a revolver the other looted the cashier's ledge and several drawers of about \$1,500 in gold, silver and bills, after which the holdups backed out the front door, leaped into the rear seat of the waiting auto and made a successful get-away.

The robbery was one of the boldest in the history of the city. The trio, who had stolen the car earlier in the day, rode around the city after the robbery in reckless defiance of three machine loads of officers and mounted patrolmen who were searching for them and finally, abandoning the car near Sixteenth and Boulder streets, made their escape.

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Herman Mapelli, 2551 West Twenty sixth street, a cousin of the Frazzini brothers, owners of the bank, who had set out in his auto in pursuit of the robbers, sighted the trio standing beside the stolen car near Olinger's. Mapelli drove close to the bandits, got out of his machine and started toward them. The holdups ran.

A cordon of plain clothes men was thrown about the section where Mapelli had seen the trio, but the robbers had made good their getaway.

The police secured descriptions of the men who had been lined up inside of the bank and also from two men who had stood outside near by and saw the robbers emerge. Two suspects were taken to police headquarters, but released following failure of the witnesses to identify either of them as a principal in the robbery.

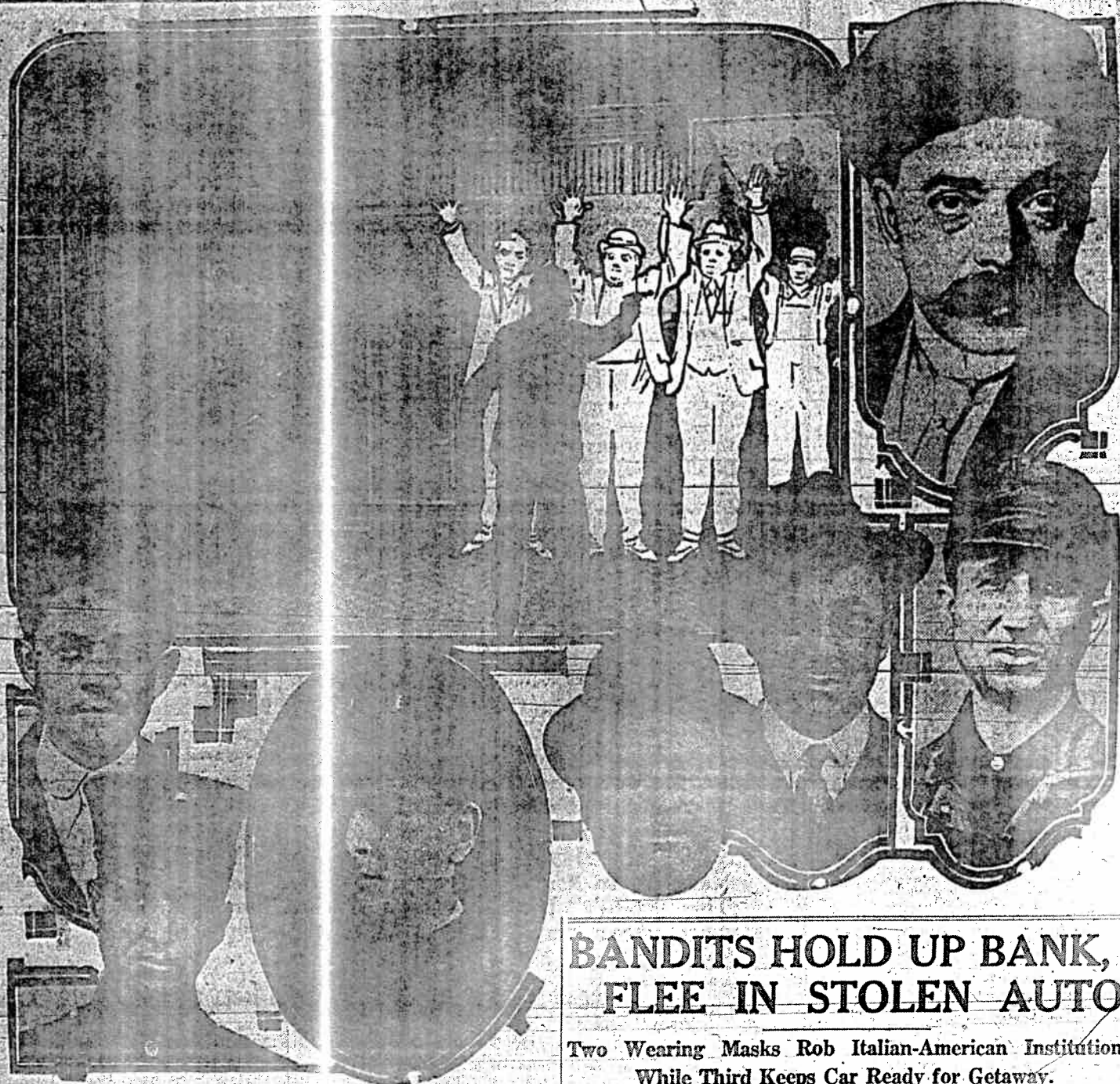
Six Men Lined Up.

While President Prospero Frazzini, Vice President Cesare Frazzini and Assistant Cashier, Giuseppe Mapelli were at lunch only three doors distant two of the robbers, entering the building by way of a grocery next door, tied white handkerchiefs over their faces and forced four men from the grocery and an adjoining soft drink parlor to back thru a connecting hallway into the bank. There the four were lined up with the bank bookkeeper, Carlo Di Iullo, and Dr. R. Alt, a customer.

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HOW BANK WAS HELD UP, AND THE VICTIMS AS THEY LINED UP AGAINST WALL



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The robbers then took the currency and notes from the ledge and drawers at the cashier's window. After warning the men not to move for five minutes the robbers backed out, one covering the retreat of the other. Leaping into the back seat of the car, they sped northward on Fifteenth street.

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Man with blue-steel revolver: Five feet and 9 inches tall, smooth shaven, slender, dark complexion, wore dark coat and cap.

Both men who held up those in the bank are declared by all witnesses to have been young Italians, and it is believed that the driver was also of Italian extraction.

At the top, to the left—Scene in the bank, showing how the robbers worked. At the right—Dr. R. Albi, who chased the bandits; below him, Oreste Cinea, one of the men who was "lined up" in the bank; below him, W. J. Hawthorne, corporal of marines, who saw the robbers come out of the bank; in large circle, Charles E. Behnke, motorcycle policeman, who, while chasing the thieves, was seriously injured; then, left to right, Nick Caruso, Carlo di Iullo and Jerry Ditallo, all of whom were stood up against the wall.

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Numbers Confuse Police.

When the car resumed the chase, Albi mistook auto No. 1508, belonging to Dr. William A. Feist, for the bandits' machine. This car he followed to a point near Berkeley lake, where he lost it.

The car abandoned by the robbers bore plate No. 65,787, the same number which had been noted on the car standing in front of the bank by two spectators, W. J. Hawthorne, a corporal in the marines on recruiting duty, 2514 Champa, and F. R. J. Novak, cashier of the Walker Manufacturing company, 18 Fox street.

The complication resulting from the giving of different numbers by Dr. Albi and Hawthorne and Novak, caused the police considerable confusion and delay.

The stolen car, it developed, belonged to J. Francis Ross, 1245 East Twelfth avenue, who had left it yesterday morning on Champa street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth.

Mounted Patrolman Charles E. Behnke, while racing to the bank from the North Side station, collided with an auto which ran in front of his motorcycle at Fifteenth and Boulder streets and suffered a compound fracture of the right leg, severe shock, and possi-

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Constable Goes To Get Goat, but Goat Gets Him

Constable Clennen of Justice Bray court went to Globeville yesterday to attach Annie Schneider's pet goat. The goat and its owner were in the yard when the officer arrived.

But Clennen didn't get Annie's nannie. Instead, Annie's nannie got him goat—in more ways than one.

As the court officer stood talking to Mrs. Schneider the goat, unknown to him, began to munch the attachment paper that was sticking out of a pocket. Before the constable realized what was taking place the goat had jerked the paper out and with a deft movement of the tongue he whisked the document into its mouth. Placidly it masticated the morsel before the astonished eyes of the officer.

Clennen found himself in the position of being without authority to take the goat, as he had not yet formally served the paper on the owner of the hungry animal.

The officer returned to court, where he related his experience.

"You must serve the paper before you can attach the goat," explained Harry G. Saunders, clerk of the court. "Best thing you can do is to butcher the goat, invite Annie to the feast and then 'serve' her a portion at a time."

BOLD ROBBER KNOCKS OUT BOY IN ORDER TO RANSACK HOUSE

Leo Anderson, a 15-year-old youth residing at 5162 Thompson court, was

showing how the robbers worked. The holdup men. Below, at the left, "lined up" in the bank; below him, to see the robbers come out of the bank, motorcycle policeman, who, while red; then, left to right, Nick Caruso, whom were stood up against the wall.

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Designation of Fighting Units Will Be Made Whenever Conditions Permit.

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Arrival of American troops in France has kept pace with the expectation of the war department. Secretary Baker said tonight in the first statement he has ever authorized in connection with the progress being made in increasing General Pershing's forces. Mr. Baker declined, however, to state the number of troops forwarded or to indicate whether the anticipated delay from the movement of the forces, he said, depended on two elements—the training and equipment of the men, and the availability of ships.
"As fast as they are ready, ships and men will be combined," the secretary said. "As many American troops as possible will be sent overseas at this time."
Mr. Baker indicated that an official statement of the number of American troops in France was not to be expected any time during the war. He caused an inquiry to be made of the military censor, Major General McIntyre, however, which may result in more liberal regulations as to publication of designations of regiments, brigades or companies which are engaged in action on the front from time to time. If there is no sound military reason for suppressing that information, Mr. Baker said, he desired to give it out.
The secretary's attention was called to the fact that the British official statements recently have named at least a geographical designation the troops used in various offensives. Apparently a new policy in this regard has been adopted in London and the war department may do likewise.