it means money and that's what makes the wheels go round in the best political circles.

"We could sit here for ten years and just raid speakeasies and there wouldn't be one word about our removal. But when we hit the pocketbooks that's what hurts.

Determined.

"We are determined to close the illegal breweries and alcohol plants in this state even if it takes 200 agents from Pennsylvania in addition to the regular staff to do it. We are not interested in the slightest in the election of any political party—Baird, Moore or anyone else.

"Our sole duty is to enforce the law honestly, justly and legally without favors to any party or persons."

A statement from Senator Davis of Pennsylvania that he was not seeking to "get" Commander Pennington, printed Monday, elicited no comment from the administrators.

Delays in court action against breweries, extending over periods of several months, hindered the work of the department, the commander said, but he declined to comment further on this phase.

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RECOVER PAYROLL OF $3,600

Trentonian and Two From Princeton Are Said to Confess Hold-up At Rocky Hill

REVOLVERS AND CASH FOUND BURIED IN CELLAR

State Police of the Penns Neck Barracks yesterday arrested three men as the bandits who earlier in the day held up a United States mail truck on the Rocky Hill Road and stole $3,600 of a payroll belonging to the Atlantic Terra Cotta Company at Rocky Hill. The troopers recovered the entire payroll and two loaded revolvers buried together in the cellar of the home of one of the prisoners.

The men, who the police say have confessed the hold-up, are Dominick Parrelli, 20 years old, of 618 South Clinton Avenue, Trenton; James Faccatelli, 21 years old, of 421 Alexander Street, Princeton, and Nick Boccaunsusa, 28 years old, of Linden Lane, Princeton. The prisoners are being held at the State Barracks at Penns Neck, and will be turned over to the Federal authorities. Postal Inspectors Ketchel and Walker, of Philadelphia, are now in Princeton and will take charge of the men.

The arrest of Boccaunsusa was brought about through a "tip" furnished Officer Elmer Rodweller, of the Princeton police. The Italian, who is employed as a janitor at Princeton University, asked yesterday morning for a couple of hours off, saying he had some matters to attend to.

The State Police say that he jumped into his automobile, met Parrelli and Faccatelli on the outskirts of the town and drove to a lonely section of the Rocky Hill Road leading to Griggstown.

Authorities say that Boccaunsusa knew that Harley Quick, of Princeton, driver of the mail truck, took the payroll to the terra cotta plant every week from the First National Bank of Princeton.

Quick had $3,600 in a registered envelope yesterday morning when he left Princeton. He had driven through the village of Rocky Hill and as he neared the Griggstown road he saw a small coupe standing at the side of the road. The motor was running and a man was seated at the wheel. As Quick slowed down to pass the car two men appeared, one from each side of the road. One of them brandished a revolver and ordered him to stop. The other men pulled a burlap bag over his head and shoulders and tied his hands fast to the steering wheel. The bandits then reached back of the driver's seat and took the envelope containing the payroll. Then, firing two shots to frighten Quick, they fled in the waiting car.

Quick managed to work his hands loose and hurried to the terra cotta company's office where he reported the hold-up. Penns Neck State Police soon reached the scene and started to scour the roads in the vicinity in a search for the bandits' automobile, but they could not locate it.

Following receipt of the tip the troopers went to Boccaunsusa's home early yesterday afternoon and arrested him. He claims that he had been working all morning, but a check-up showed that he had asked for two

...chased after them, firing several shots. They got away."

Then Judge Avis pronounced sentence.

"There seems to be no discretion that the Court can use in imposing sentence. The Court must abide by the Federal statutes. You have all pleaded guilty to this indictment. The sentence is that you each be confined to the Federal penitentiary at Atlanta for 25 years."

From the rear of the courtroom there came an agonized cry. It was from a young girl, about 15 years old, a relative of one of the bandits.

The girl became hysterical and was led away by friends. Her cries could be heard in the corridor as the three bandits were being taken down stairs to the marshal's office.

The sentences caused Mr. Forman to issue a warning to other persons who might be tempted to banditry.

"My experience has been that crimes run in series," he said. "One breeds another. The reason for this swift action is to serve as a warning against similar offenses. This is my only way of deterring such crimes in the future.

"Honest postal employes, many of them at totally inadequate salaries, slave to maintain the integrity of the United States mail.

"Let those who contemplate violation of this integrity know that at least in New Jersey prosecution will follow swift and sure and that the probabilities are that if they are apprehended in this district during one week-end they will find themselves in the Atlanta Penitentiary facing long prison sentences the following week-end."

The tomb of a vestal virgin was recently opened at Tivoli, and it was found that the body of the vestal was accompanied by a wooden doll decked in golden ornaments.

SUSPECTS IN PAYROLL THEFTS IN JAIL HERE

Dominick Borelli, of Trenton, and James Saccatelli and Nicholas Boccansuso, of Princeton, arrested for the robbery of a $3,600 pay roll at Rocky Hill, have been committed to the Mercer County Jail by United States Commissioner Richard S. Wilson in default of $25,000 bail each. The men will be held in jail pending Federal Grand Jury action and trial in the United States District Court.

According to a confession by one of the men, the trio are the bandits who last Friday stopped a mail truck driven by Harley Quick and stole the payroll of the Atlantic Terra Cotta Company, which Quick was taking from a Princeton bank to the company's plant near Rocky Hill. The men put a sack over Quick's head after leveling a revolver at him. They snatched the money bag and escaped. The money was recovered when the men were apprehended.

...Improvement of the Washington Crossing Bridge Approaches, Mercer County, Pennsylvania, Route 32, Section 1B," considered by the Mercer Penning Board at a public meeting to be held at the office of the Board on [illegible] 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M. Eastern Standard Time.

The Chief Engineer reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, to waive informalities in any proposal received, and to accept the proposal which in his judgment is the most favorable to the interests of the Commonwealth.

Plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, upon payment of $10.00 for each set. These charges will not be refunded.

By order of the Board,
CHARLES H. CAMPBELL,
Chief Engineer.

...Dominick Borelli, of ...and Nicholas Boccansuso and ...Saccatelli, of Princeton. An... prisoner is James Shuter, of ..., who pleaded guilty last week ...king and passing counterfeit $5 ... He will serve five years.

...included in the group are three ...charged with defrauding the ...mont National Bank of sums to... $100,000 in stock purchases. ...ld Kirkbride, former cashier, will ... four years; Fred Mendelsohn, ...mont merchant, will serve two ..., and G. Thomas Flack, Westmont ...gist and former director in the ..., will serve 18 months.

...ames Tammany, of Hudson County, ...arged with transporting stolen au... ...mobiles from one State to another, ...ll serve two years, and David Gold... ...ein, of Passaic, accused of narcotic ...olations, will serve a similar sentence.

Louis Nadel, of New Brunswick, ...harged with using the mails to de... ...fraud, will serve 15 months.

Sentences of a year and a day were ...imposed on four others in the group. They are Peter J. Miller, charged with ...false entries in a South Plainfield ...bank; August Krause, Jersey City, ...charged with sale of narcotics; Morris ...Bernstein, charged with using the ...mails to defraud, and Clyde Brown, ...Negro, convicted on a white slavery ...charge.

Three prisoners will not make the trip because they have appealed their cases to higher courts. They are Captain Paul Meisner and First Mate Charles A. Awalt, of the rum boat "Malbo," who were convicted by a Federal jury here of attempted smuggling of liquor, and George Stoess, former proprietor of an Atlantic City hotel, who was convicted of conspiracy to violate narcotic laws.

...County Will Ask State Board ...

...will be done in subsequent years.

...Dominick Borelli, Jr., rural mail ...ier last Friday at Rocky Hill ...stealing a $3,600 payroll consign... ...a registered letter to the Atlantic ...Cotta Company at Rocky Hill.

Justice moved with swiftness ... case. United States Attorney ... gave the bill to the Federal ... Jury yesterday morning and ... time later they were indicated ... tenced.