

HOLDS RALPH LORITO IN POLICE MURDER

Autopsies Show Bullets of Different Sizes Were Used Against Heaney, Teare, and Rizzo.

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This Is Coroner's View, but Police Think Sciallentano Used Two Pistols—Policeman Teare Buried.

Ralph Lorito of 239 Mulberry Street, the Italian who was arrested by the police after the murder of Policemen Heaney and Teare and the gunman, John Rizzo, was held yesterday by Coroner Feinberg, when it was discovered that bullets of different sizes were used in the shooting. Lorito was sent to the Tombs without bail. The search for Oreste Sciallentano, the young gangster who is wanted by the police for participation in the murders, continued yesterday in all parts of the city.

The autopsy, performed by Coroner's Physician Otto H. Schultz, showed that Policeman Teare was shot three times with .38 calibre bullets. Policeman Heaney was shot once, and the bullet which killed him was .32 calibre. The autopsy performed by Coroner's Physician Albert T. Weston on the body of John Rizzo showed that a .38 calibre bullet killed him.

"Two men must have done the shooting," the Coroner asserted, when these facts were brought to his attention. "I will hold Lorito for the inquest."

The police of the Mulberry Street Station were not inclined to take this view. They pointed out that gunmen often carried two pistols, one of large calibre guaranteed to kill at a distance, and another of smaller size which could be more easily concealed in a coat pocket. Rizzo was killed by the first shot from the gunman's large pistol, the police thought. Then they said he probably fired four shots at Policeman Heaney, three of which took effect. The fourth they thought went wild. This emptied the gunman's large pistol, and they believed he used the smaller weapon to kill Policeman Teare.

Late last night Policeman Rosenfeld of the West Seventeenth Street Station saw a young Italian at Sixth Avenue and Nineteenth Street whom he thought answered the description of Sciallentano.

"Stop where you are!" shouted Rosenfeld as he saw the Italian glide toward the Hudson Tubes.

The man stopped, but all the way to the police station he protested that he was not Sciallentano. He was charged with being a suspicious person. He was unarmed.

An hour after the arrest a dozen detectives arrived at the police station to take a look at the prisoner, who said he was Pedigru Tipaldo, 22 years old, of 131 Sullivan Street. All the detectives agreed that the prisoner bore a striking resemblance to the pictures of the man wanted for the murders, but some of them insisted that Tipaldo was an inch shorter than Sciallentano. It was decided to take him to Police Headquarters and let Commissioner Dougherty see him in the morning. The prisoner's finger prints, it was said, differed from those of the man wanted.

Policeman Teare's funeral was held yesterday from his home at 633 Greenwich Street. Services were held in the Church of St. Veronica and the body was buried in Calvary Cemetery. In the funeral procession, which passed the Mulberry Street Station, where Teare served, were Police Commissioner Waldo, Deputy Commissioner McKay, and 200 policemen in uniform. Teare was buried in his uniform and his coffin was covered with flowers.

After Father J. F. Flannelly, pastor of St. Veronica's Church, had sung a high requiem mass, Police Chaplain Sullivan delivered a eulogy. Chaplain Sullivan expressed the hope that the death of the two policemen might inspire renewed confidence in the police.

"I was with this brave officer," said the chaplain, "when he regained consciousness for a few moments. I bent over him to catch his last words. They were words of solicitude for his brother officer, William Heaney. 'Is he dead?' asked Officer Teare. 'Yes, he's gone,' I told the dying man. 'Brave fellow,' came the reply. Then he said he wished he had been in time to save Officer Heaney's life."

"He died," said Chaplain Sullivan, "leaving to all the young men of the Nation a memory and an example."

All along the route of the funeral procession men stood with heads bared in honor of the murdered policeman. In the Italian quarter, where Teare and Heaney were killed, women and children crossed themselves and prayed as the hearse passed.

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