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**SHOOTING IN CONGRESS**

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Gunfire in the House of Representatives sends police reinforcements and curious crowds rushing to the Capitol. Dismembered and wild-eyed, a Puerto Rican fanatic -- Raphael Miranda -- is photographed moments after he and a fellow terrorist -- Andres Cordero -- had joined with Lolita Lebaron in pouring more than twenty shots at the crowded House floor. Five Congressmen are wounded in the murderous attack.

Still grimly defiant, the woman is hustled away from the angry, menacing crowd.

Ambulances are rushed to the scene, along with medics from the Bethesda Naval Hospital.

Republican Alvin Bentley of Michigan -- critically wounded -- is carried out while police push cameramen away.

Hit twice -- in the chest and stomach -- Bentley is bleeding badly.

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Clifford Davis, Tennessee Democrat, is struck in the leg.

In the excitement, a Capitol doorkeeper -- William Belcher -- suffers a heart attack.

The witness sees Republican Benjamin Jensen -- shot in the back -- rushed to a hospital.

Several Congressmen escaped death by inches as the fusillade rocked the chamber. Representative Halleck's desk was hit by one of the bullets.

Republican Leslie Arends, majority whip, was hit by splinters from a stray slug.

Representative Van Zandt of Pennsylvania, who helped capture and disarm one of the gunmen, describes the attack:

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Describing the dramatic scene under the Capitol dome, Rep. Bishop of Illinois recalls:

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The Lebaron woman's purse provided a perfect hiding place for the deadly German luger automatic used in the massacre plot. Also recovered is one of the guns used by another of the trio.

Waiting at police headquarters, reporters learn that a fourth member of the team -- Irving Flores -- has been arrested at Washington's Union Station. All are from New York City.

Still defiant, Mrs. Lebron insists "I'm not sorry for what I did."

With her partners, their gunfire wrote the first bloody chapter of gunfire in the history of the House of Representatives.