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TIMELINE : Brady shoot out Bangor, Maine, October 12, 1937

1934: John Dillinger Killed, Brady becomes “Public Enemy #1”

1935 – 1937: Brady gang stages over 200 robberies, numerous assaults and 4 murders, including an Indiana state trooper on 27 May 1937.

June 1937: Captured in Indiana but escaped.

Sept 1937: In Maine -- stayed at Auto Park Rest, Carmel. Had a cabin for an unspecified period of time.

21 September: Went to Dakin’s Sporting goods store, bought 3 .45 Colt Semi-automatic pistols, a rifle and ammunition.

The clerk got suspicious, told the manager “Shep” Hurd. Hurd told Bangor police Chief Crowley.

22 September: Two of Brady’s men went into Rice & Miller sporting goods store bought 3 .32 caliber pistols. Manager C.E. Silisbury told Chief Crowley, Crowley now contacted the FBI.

25 September: Brady’s men returned to Dakin’s, bought another rifle, and asked if he stocked Thompson Sub-machine guns. Hurd told them no, but he could get one in a few days.

9 October: Another one of Brady’s men went to Dakin’s and asked when the “Tommy gun” would arrive. Hurd told them to check back later in the week.

15 FBI agents and 15 Indiana and Maine State Troopers arrive in Bangor.

12 October: Brady shoot out, lasted about 4 minutes and agents scored about 60 hits on Brady and his gang. One survived and was taken into custody.

16 October: Brady buried in an unmarked grave at Mount Hope Cemetery.