

## G-Man Says He Heard Plot to Kill Congressmen

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 27.—A Federal agent testified in the sedition trial of 16 men yesterday that he had overheard one defendant say he would "recommend knocking off at least a dozen" Congressmen to show they were wrong in voting to repeal the arms embargo law.

The witness, F. B. I. Agent Leroy Barnhart, said he heard John F. Cassidy make this assertion on November 4, 1939, while he, Barnhart, listened into conversations in the basement bar of the home of Denis A. Healy, a Government informer.

Cassidy, testified Barnhart, said he "couldn't recommend from the platform shooting Congressmen who voted for repeal of the arms embargo law, but among themselves he would recommend knocking off at least a dozen to show them they were on the wrong track, and if they didn't realize it, they were going to have a revolution."

Cassidy also said the agent added, "that they had always wanted control of the Government—physical control."