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During February, 1965, efforts were made by Chicago top hoodlum Gus Alex to have the Swiss authorities lift a ban which they had interposed against his entry to Switzerland. It was learned in confidence from Swiss authorities that letters in support of Alex's appeal had been received from Senator Dirksen and Congressman Dawson of Illinois. Chicago "Sun Times" reporter developed the information from his sources and learned from Alex and his attorney that the latter had solicited these letters from the Senator and the Congressman. The reporter interviewed Dawson, who reportedly admitted to having written such letter. Senator Dirksen, on the other hand, denied having any knowledge of a letter being written on his behalf and denied knowing Alex. The reporter has prepared a feature article on this situation which is expected will receive considerable publicity at some time in the near future. It is noted Swiss authorities advised June 22, 1967, that the ban has remained in force as a result of information received by the Swiss from Chicago authorities.

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