

BALTIMORE TRANSIT HEAD IS FOUND SHOT TO DEATH IN KITCHEN

Baltimore, Feb. 1. Claude M. Gray, 55, president of the Baltimore Transit company, and formerly of Chicago, was found shot to death in the kitchen of his home today, police reported.

Police said Gray was shot twice in the breast and his head was in the oven of the kitchen range, where one burner was on and unlighted. A .22 caliber rifle was on the kitchen table.

Business associates said Gray had been in "low spirits" recently. He was general superintendent of equipment for the Chicago Surface Lines from October, 1943, until the fall of 1944, when he returned to St. Louis as general manager of the public service lines. Before going to Chicago he had been with the St. Louis company.