



## **PATHFINDER: CHICAGO CRIME HISTORY**

### **ENCYCLOPEDIAS**

Bloodletters and Badmen: A Narrative Encyclopedia of American Criminals From the Pilgrims to the Present (R/364.10922/N251bl; 364.10922/N251bl) UNDER: Name of person (This book includes articles about several Chicago criminals.)

The Encyclopedia of Chicago (R/977.311003/E56; Hist Coll R/977.311003/E56; 977.311003/E56; J/R/977.311003/E56) Check the Index UNDER: Crime

### **REFERENCE BOOKS**

Chicago Days (R/917.7311/C532da; 977.311/C532da) (Although this book also covers many important events in Chicago history that were not crimes, this book includes information about a number of crimes.)

Return to the Scene of the Crime: A Guide to Infamous Places in Chicago (R/917.731104/L735re; 917.731104/L735re)

The Wicked City: Chicago From Kenna to Capone (R/977.311/J66wi; 977.311/J66wi)

### **INTERNET RESOURCES**

<http://www.chipublib.org/cplbooksmovies/cplarchive/chidisasters/index.php>

(In this site, there is information about several major crimes)

<http://homicide.northwestern.edu>

(Homicide in Chicago, 1870-1930)

### **PERIODICAL INDEX**

Readers' Guide to Periodical Literature UNDER: Chicago (Ill.)—Crime; Check, also, under names and other keywords associated with a crime

### **FULL TEXT**

In Chicago Tribune UNDER: name of person associated with a crime; other keywords associated with a crime

In Gale Virtual Reference Library UNDER: name of person associated with a crime; other keywords associated with a crime; Chicago crime history

In Historical Chicago Tribune UNDER: name of person associated with a crime; other keywords associated with a crime

In MasterFILE Premier (some full text) UNDER: name of person associated with a crime; other keywords associated with a crime; Chicago crime history

In WilsonSelectPlus UNDER: name of person associated with a crime; other keywords associated with a crime; Chicago crime history

### **OTHER PATHFINDERS**

You may also want to check some of the following pathfinders: Chicago History; Capone, Al; Haymarket Incident; Leopold and Loeb; 1919 Chicago Race Riots

### **BOOKS**

Online Catalog UNDER: Chicago AND Crime; name associated with a crime; other keywords associated with a crime

Browse the following areas: 364.106; 917.731104; 977.311042

The Niles Library has a number of books that include information about the history of Chicago crime.

Listed below are some examples:

The Bootleggers: the Story of Chicago's Prohibition Era (977.311042/A442bo)

The Chicago Outfit (364.106/B612ch)

The Gangs of Chicago: An Informal History of the Chicago Underworld  
(364.106/A799ga)

Leopold and Loeb: the Crime of the Century (364.1523/H634le)

The Outfit: the Role of Chicago's Underworld in the Shaping of Modern America  
(364.106/R969ou)

Return Again to the Scene of the Crime: A Guide to Even More Infamous Places in Chicago (917.731104/L742ra)

The Untouchables (364.106/N463un)

(If a book is checked out, one of the reference librarians can put it on a waiting list for you.)

### **NOTE**

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