

SHOOTS TO KILL

Italian Row Results in Street Fight

POOL GAME THE CAUSE

Pietro Tozzo Has His Lungs Pierced by Bullet

HIS ASSAILANT IS CAPTURED

Citizens and Police Chase Jim Candello, Who Fired the Shot, Into Brush on Marquam Hill, Where He is Arrested.

Because he had been beaten in a game of pool, Jim Candello yesterday afternoon shot Pietro Tozzo, near Third and Lincoln streets. Both are Italians. Tozzo, who was shot in the right breast by a bullet puncturing his lungs, walked up Lincoln street, fighting with Candello all the time. When he reached Fourth street he broke away from his assailant. Candello was arrested by the authorities about half an hour after the shooting. Tozzo was taken to Good Samaritan hospital where small hopes are held for his recovery. Both men have been employed on the railroads as section hands. They are men of about 30 years of age.

Sunday morning the two men were playing pool in an Italian saloon, Second and Salmon streets. Tozzo was winning. This angered Candello, who pretends to be an expert at the game, and a fight ensued. Tozzo, who is the stronger of the two, knocked Candello to the floor several times. Finally picking up a billiard cue and breaking over his opponent's head. He also cut him in the left arm with a knife, but the wound was not severe.

Candello Procures Revolver.

Candello, it is said, swore to have revenge and procured a revolver. He started to hunt for Tozzo, but he could not find him until the afternoon. After searching through the Italian quarters he heard that Tozzo had gone down town. He started after him, but met Tozzo walking up Third street in company with Nick Martello, another Italian. He approached them from the rear with his revolver in hand. Tozzo heard a noise behind him and turned to receive a bullet in his right breast.

The two men grappled, the wounded man knocking the revolver from Candello's hand. The two walked up the street fighting. Although he was perhaps fatally wounded, Tozzo had the best of the fight until Fourth street was reached, where Candello pulled a head and slashed his opponent about the head. Tozzo continued to fight to the best of his ability until he toppled over on the sidewalk unconscious. Candello, who had retained his composure, is said to have gone back to the scene of the shooting and procured his revolver, which had been knocked from his hand.

Attempt to Escape.

Then he calmly walked up the street, carrying the revolver in one hand and the pistol in the other. No one attempted to interfere and he went to his room at 37 Sheridan street. After he had been there a few minutes he had wiped the blood from his clothes, he left the house by the back way, going up Marquam Hill. By this time the neighborhood was aroused, the small boy and his brother were on a safe distance. Detectives Weiser and Snow and Balliff John Goltz started in pursuit. The Italian ran into the woods, closely followed by a rapidly increasing throng of people. Candello had plenty of time in which to escape, but after he had been in the woods for a few minutes he decided to show the Italians his determination to hide. He ran into a friend's house on the outskirts of the woods, where he was found by Goltz, who had been searching for the Italian. Candello, because, as a detective thought Candello would sneak back.

Offers No Resistance.

He made no effort to resist the detectives who took him in charge, and tried to look unconcerned. There were no weapons on his person at the time of his arrest. Before the arrival of the patrol wagon the Italian rolled a cigarette and lighted it. When told that Tozzo was seriously injured and about to die he appeared surprised. He admitted that he had been fighting with Tozzo. Candello has only been in the United States for about six months. Tozzo has lived in Portland for several years and is said to have accumulated considerable property. Neither of the men are married. About six months ago Tozzo was arrested and tried on the charge of attempting to kill another Italian on Sheridan street. One night an unknown man shot three shots through the window of the room in which Carmine Perelle slept. Perelle happened to be out of the room at the time of the shooting. Tozzo was accused.

Accused the Mafia.

It is rumored that the shooting of Tozzo has some connection with the Villardo murder in San Francisco, the man whose body was so fearfully mutilated. It is said that Tozzo is a member of the organization over the murder and attributed the crime to the black hand of the Mafia. His friends warned him against expressing an opinion in connection with the murder. It is said, but he seemed to be in no fear of assassination, saying he could take care of himself. At the time the Italians greatly wondered at the stand Tozzo had taken, as they tremble whenever Mafia is mentioned. It is said that the Italians, among themselves, predict that Tozzo will be stricken down. They did not seem surprised over the shooting and would say very little about it. One Italian said he had expected to see Tozzo get into trouble, but would say anything further. The Italians refused to aid in the pursuit of Candello and would not tell the policemen in which direction he had traveled after he had left his room. They said as though they were afraid that they also might be attacked. When anything was said about the Mafia it could be plainly seen that they were badly frightened.

The police, however, place little credence in the Mafia theory. They say the slaying over the pool game was the direct cause of the shooting, but nevertheless they say they will make a thorough investigation of the story that Mafia has had something to do with the shooting of Tozzo.

Exhibit From Clackamas Schools.
OREGON CITY, Or., April 8.—(Special.)—Having been denied funds by the County Court and the general committee that is supervising the making of an exhibit from this county at the Lewis and Clark Fair, the committee that was named to prepare an educational exhibit, of this county had about decided to abandon the project. But at a meeting of this

committee yesterday it was decided to complete the collecting of this exhibit, which will be left at the office of County Superintendent Zinner, in the hope that its worth will suggest to the proper committees the advisability of defraying the cost of its preparation.

NEW MAYOR GOES IN

W. H. King to Preside Over St. Johns Council—Will Make Appointments.

This evening Mayor C. A. Cook, Marshal C. R. Organ, Treasurer Frank Livermore, Recorder C. F. Clark and Councilmen Monahan, Hughes, Beebe, Hamilton, Edwards and Horbart will stop down and give to the incoming Mayor and city officers of St. Johns, who are as follows: Mayor, W. H. King; Recorder, J. W. Hanks; Treasurer, F. Y. Valentine; Councilman—Lester, F. J. Peterson, C. S. Thompson and B. T. Leggett; First Ward, C. D. Edwards and C. A. Lingquist; Second Ward, H. W. Brice and J. H. Shields; City Attorney, Judge S. H. Greene, who will submit his resignation.

Mayor King will have the appointment of a City Engineer, City Attorney and City Marshal or Chief of Police. For City Engineer, J. Frank Smith will likely succeed himself. Judge Greene, who was elected City Attorney without opposition, will probably resign. Mayor King will probably, if desired, resign as Mayor. King would have to go entirely outside of St. Johns to name another man for that office, a thing which he will not likely do. Appointment of Chief of Police is in the air. The names of Marshal C. R. Organ, father and engineer of the Good Government League, which made such a success in the election, in connection with the appointment, Marshal Organ announced before election that he was not out for any office, and Mr. King is under no special obligation to appoint him, although Mr. King derives such a reputation from W. V. Jones, Good Government candidate for Mayor, to win out. Stockton says he is not a candidate for the office and does not intend to run in connection with the appointment. Marshal Organ announced before election that he was not out for any office, and Mr. King is under no special obligation to appoint him, although Mr. King derives such a reputation from W. V. Jones, Good Government candidate for Mayor, to win out. Stockton says he is not a candidate for the office and does not intend to run in connection with the appointment.

The new administration has a large responsibility. St. Johns has a population of more than 500. At the first election, two years ago, only 14 votes were cast, and last Monday 278 votes were cast, and this number is about about 50 of the actual voting population. There are large manufacturing interests in St. Johns, representing investments running up into the millions. The latest is the Wepeheseer Company, the most extensive timber company in the United States, to come into St. Johns. Ground must be purchased and a city hall erected. Streets are to be improved. A public dock is to be erected at the foot of Richmond street, for which plans have been adopted. Fire apparatus must be paid for and housed. Bonds must be issued upward to \$10,000 or \$15,000. St. Johns is sure to be a great industrial center. There are some of the things that the new administration will be called on to handle. The high character of the Mayor and the men elected to the Council give assurance that these important matters will be carefully considered before final action is taken.

Brooklyn Boys Get Off the Earth

"TOOT! TOOT! Ding, dong! KI! YI! GI! out ov de way, youse!" The Brooklyn cavalcade of sport-wagon came down the incline on East Ninth street scattering the fragile-nerved pedestrians to the right and left. The small boy of Brooklyn was out in his glory. So was the Cop, and now the little boys don't coast down East Ninth street.

"De cops ain't got no kids to home," explained the gang as it huddled in dismal dejection on a vacant lot and gazed at the long, smooth incline which had lately been a source of so much delight.

Men's Wear

Extra special offering of new Windsor Ties for men; plaids, stripes and polka dots; all the newest colors in grenadines, Monday flyer at, each **19c**

Handsome new Hosiery, 25c-50c

New "Monarch" and "Cluett" Golf Shirts, each **\$1.00 and \$1.50**

New wide 4-in. bands just in by express.

Sole agents for "Hawes" famous \$3.00 Hats for men, Derbys and soft styles.

New Stetson Hats, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00. Very newest blocks.

Spring weight underwear for men, young men and boys. All grades, all styles and sizes.

Souvenirs

The Exposition in a Nutshell, 22 different views, ready for mailing, great value, **15c**

Lewis and Clark Souvenir Spoons, imprint of the Fair in the bowl, great special value at, **25c**

Lewis and Clark Stationery, 1 quire fine linen paper, envelopes to match, all embossed in gold letters; regular 35c value, for **26c**

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1000 cans of Dr. Graves' Tooth Powder, unequalled for health and beautiful teeth, great bargain at, can **9c**

(Choose from our entire stock of 25c Tooth Brushes Monday and Tuesday at **16c**

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Demonstration and sale of Madam Merrill's toilet preparations. All this week.

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Flesh Food, 75c value, **43c**

Massage Cream, 75c value, **43c**

Face massage taught free.

Pyrography

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BEEF TRUST'S WAR

Big One Openly Attacks the Little Local One.

INADES THE NORTHWEST

Little Trust Learns That the Eastern Combine Has Determined to Get Trade of Three Cities, Portland, Seattle, Spokane.

The slow and systematic working of the Little Beef Trust by the Big Beef Trust has begun. Combat by the three corners of the Little Trust while the Big Trust looks on and laughs and urges the gladiators on; while the retailer claps his hands with glee because, for a time, he has managed a little his own way; while the dear old standard where it has always stood, and pays for the music that goes with the show! The wild beasts of the arena have turned upon each other, and the intended victims cower in a corner, knowing that, though life is permitted for a short time longer, the end will ultimately come.

This is the latest phase of the local beef combine. The Big Trust, which has slowly covered the country, East, West, North and South, with its agencies—the octopus that has clasped the Nation in its tentacles, has at length declared war upon the Little Trust of the Northwest, and it is like the combined forces of Europe against debt-laden Venezuela!

Rumor has it—and rumor in this case is true—that not very long ago the Little Trust began to lose the trade of certain retailers in Portland, in Seattle and in Spokane. The members got together. They knew that not very long ago the same price in all three cities—it was a part of the agreement. They knew that the Portland houses would not transgress upon the trade territory of the houses of Spokane and Seattle; likewise that the houses of those cities would not transgress upon the trade territory of the Portland houses.

Over in one corner of the territory controlled by the Little Trust was a house that had to have the business in order to live. This house learned the price at which the Big Trust offered the retailers with meat. This house sent a representative to the retailers and informed them that beef was listed at such a price—a few points below the price of the Big Trust. The retailer bought. The house did not notify the rest of the houses comprising the Little Trust, for various reasons.

About the same time a house in another corner of the territory controlled by the Little Trust adopted the same plan. This house also failed to notify the remainder of the houses comprising the Little Trust. The Big Trust knew, but held its peace. The future was easily seen by the Big Trust.

There came a day when the house of one corner, in an effort to make up losses caused by the cut in price, saw that it would have to move more meat. It invaded the territory of its neighbor, thinking that its neighbor was not on to the game and was not selling below the figure set by the combine. This house made a sale. The next time the representative of the other house met the retailer he learned that beef was very cheap, and that, furthermore, it was not the Big Trust that set the low price. The cat sprang out of the bag and the war was on.

What Portland Packers Say. The war is still on. Packers in Portland declare through their official organ, the Rural Herald, that they are actually losing thousands of dollars instead of making enormous profits. They attribute their losses to the high prices they have to pay for beef on the hoof; for the low prices at which the retailers compelled them to sell their meat. To the proud and haughty consumer who says he will buy no meat unless he gets it at his own figure. At this thing the Big Trust laughs. If the Little Trust is losing thousands it will soon be out of business and the Big Trust will have things its own way. If there is no money in the meat business it is wonderful to see opposing combines fight for the field for the mere pleasure of losing more money. The trusts are not fighting for the pleasure of the thing; they are fighting for the profits which come from the purses of the consumer. The deduction is obvious.

The Little Trust works overtime to save the business; the Big Trust laughs; the public pays for the overtime and the laugh.

You can't help liking them, they are so very small and their action so perfect. Only one call a dose. Carter's Little Liver Pills. Try them.

251 WASHINGTON ST. PORTLAND OREGON.

MAKER OF MENS CLOTHES

BUSINESS ITEMS.
If Baby Is Cutting Teeth. Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the inflamed gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and diarrhea.

The best showing of Lawn Mowers, Refrigerators, Garden Hose, Ranges and Stoves ever exhibited in the Northwest. The quality of merchandise we offer is equally as good, if not better, than you see elsewhere, and our prices the lowest.

The Meier & Frank Store's

MONDAY BARGAIN NEWS

The following items are taken from our advertisement in Sunday's Oregonian and contains only a small portion of the many reliable bargains that have made the reputation for fair dealing of "Portland's Largest and Best Store."

Women's New Neckwear

Exceptional values for today—"Keiser" Turnovers in white, linen, circular effects, embroidered in assorted designs; sizes 11½ to 13½; great values at low price of **24c**

Long Silk Bandana Windsor, in all the newest colorings, with pointed ends; best \$1.25 values, at this low price **89c**

Venise Lace Stocks, white, cream and ecru, in stole and straight styles; great Monday bargain at **19c**

New Wash Stocks in all the latest ideas. Linen and blind embroidery effects, tailored stocks, Byron effects for children; prices from 35c to \$1.25.

New sheer Lawn Chemisettes, trimmed in Mechin insertion, cuffs included, 50c to \$1.50 each.

Curtains and Couch Covers

Heavy merized Portieres, fringed top and bottom, two-tone effects; all this year's colorings and designs, regular \$7.50 values, pair **\$5.35**

Fringed Window Shades, 3 colors only, old opaque, mounted on good rollers, reg. 65c values, pair **39c**

Double-faced Tapestry Couch covers, green, red or tan, two-tone effects, fringed all around—best \$2.50 val. **\$1.79**

\$3.00 Bagdad stripe Couch Covers, full size, heavy fringe, ea. **\$2.15**

\$4.50 Oriental Couch Covers, in red and green and red and blue, reversible, **\$3.38**

\$6.75 Casban Couch Covers, each **\$4.97**

\$9.75 Saruk Couch Covers, each only **\$6.58**

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Sample Line White Petticoats

\$7.50 to \$10.00 Values at \$5.98

Two great special purchases of Undermuslins that will attract scores of eager buyers—Lot 1: A manufacturer's sample line of high-grade Petticoats; about 300 of them—the handsomest styles made by America's leading manufacturer—elaborately trimmed in the embroidery, flounces, openwork and blind patterns—the Valenciennes laces and insertions. All have full flounces and separate dust ruffles. Every woman wanting a beautiful new white Petticoat for Easter wear will find this the best white skirt bargain she has ever been invited to share in; regular \$7.50 to \$10.00 values on sale at the low price of, each **\$5.98**

\$2.75 to \$3.00 Nightrobes at \$1.98 Each

Sample line of women's fine nainsook, muslin and cambric nightrobes, trimmed in fine laces, embroideries, insertions, tucks and headings, high, round, square and V-shaped necks, long and short sleeves, all the very best styles, selling regularly at \$2.75 and \$3.00 each. This lot of 400 you can take your choice from at the unusually low price of, each **\$1.98**

Just received—Spring line of Shirtwaist Underslips, made of Lawn and India Slips; white, pink, blue and lavender; very pretty pieces at prices from \$1.00 to \$3.00 each—Second Floor.

Women's \$36 to \$38 Suits at \$28.45

For today, Tuesday and Wednesday a high-grade suit bargain for women who want and appreciate something "good" in ready-to-wear apparel—75 of this season's most attractive Tailored Suits in blouse, jacket and tight-fitting box and eon styles—Colors are checks, navy, brown, green, tan and black in serge, Steellians, broadcloths, voiles and fancy worsteds—Skirts are plaited, gored or flared. The style, quality and general get-up of the garments will make them appeal forcibly to Portland's best dressers—\$36.00 and \$38.00 values \$28.45—We are showing an immense line of women's Silk and Alpaca Shirtwaist Suits in all the very newest effects and ideas, at prices ranging from \$7.50 to \$35.00 each.

New shipment of Women's Walking Skirts in Chevots, Granite Cloth, Tweeds, Cashmires, fancy checks, great variety, at prices from \$5.50 to \$20.00.

Immense line of new Tan Covert Coats in all the very newest styles. The greatest showing in town at prices ranging from \$7.50 to \$30.00—Second Floor.

85c Silks at 69c Per Yard

New \$1.00 Checked Silks at 73c Per Yard

Two grand Silk Sales start here today. New, up-to-date Silks, of satisfactory quality and just the styles you want for making up into pretty waists, skirts and shirtwaist suits are marked at greatly reduced prices.

5000 yards of splendid quality Striped Silks for waists and shirtwaist suits; big variety of colorings; best 85c values, on sale at **69c**

5000 yards of the popular Checked Silks for shirtwaist suits; many styles to select from; the very best \$1.00 quality can be bought here at the low price of, yard **73c**

New Mohairs, Steellians, Brilliantines, checks, stripes, colors; yard, \$2.50 to **50c**

\$6.50 Silk Waists \$3.85

A grand offering of fine Silk Waists for Monday shoppers—This big Cloak and Suit Store of ours has been giving you no end of good things of late. You will find this Waist Special equal to the best values of the season—150 of the newest and prettiest Tailor-Made Silk Waists in all sizes, 32 to 44—invisible or shepherd checks and plaids in a great variety of the very newest colorings and combinations. All are splendidly made and finished coming from the best silk waist manufacturer in the land. Every waist in the lot best bona-fide \$6.50 value—your choice **\$3.85**

Mail Orders Will Be Filled While They Last.

Just received, by express, a large shipment of women's "Man-Kind" Golf Shirts, in Percalls, Madras and Damask Cloth; white, tan, white and black stripes and fancy figured effects. Prices are \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 up to \$3.00 each. A practical garment for warm weather wear, golfing, tennis, etc. Cloak Department, Second Floor.

\$1.75 Allover Laces 98c

18c Embroideries 9c Yard

85c Swiss Insertions 63c Yd.

Three great bargain events in the Lacc Store for today, Tuesday and Wednesday. You don't want to miss them.

18-inch black, white and cream Venise and figured Net Allovers, very best styles, values up to \$1.75 a yard, on sale **98c**

at the low price of, yard, **98c**

10,000 yards of Cambrie and Nainsook Embroideries and Insertions, three to five inches wide; very best designs; values up to 18c yard; for low price of, yard, **9c**

Swiss Insertion for shirtwaists, 2 to 3½ inches wide, values up to 85c yard; all this season's newest and most desirable styles, on sale at low price of, yard, **63c**

10-Inch Skirt Embroidery 29c Yd.

2500 yards of handsome 10-inch Skirt Embroidery, great assortment of the prettiest patterns to choose from; 45c values, on sale for three days at this low price, yard **29c**

Our Spring Lace stock is the largest and best in the city.

Phenomenal Rug Bargains

Parties furnishing up for the Fair will find this an unequalled opportunity to buy floor coverings at extremely low prices—Third Floor.

ROOM SIZES—Brussels Rugs, a great special lot in Oriental and floral designs, desirable colorings:

9 ft. x 9 ft., \$14.50 value **\$10.35**

9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in., \$16.50 value **\$11.25**

1000 yards of Novelty Brussels Carpets, reversible, green, red and tan, artistically mottled, cut from the roll at the remarkably low price of, yard, **39c**

500 Kolga Art Rugs, pretty, subdued Oriental effects in a big variety of styles and sizes. Note the great special reductions for one week:

9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in., regular \$18.50 value **\$8.95**

9 ft. x 12 ft., regular \$12.00 value **\$10.20**

10 ft. 6 in. x 12 ft., regular \$14.00 value **\$11.90**

12 ft. x 12 ft., regular \$16.00 value **\$13.60**

12 ft. x 13 ft. 6 in., regular \$18.00 value **\$15.30**

12 ft. x 15 ft., regular \$20.00 value **\$17.00**

Wash-Goods Specials

50c figured French Nets, 20 handsome patterns, one of the season's most desirable fabrics for the Summer dresses, all colors, great value at low price of, yard **32c**

25c and 30c fancy Flaked Voiles, pretty effects in all the leading shades; a popular, serviceable material for shirtwaist suits; exceptional value at this low price, yard **21c**

50c fancy merized white Waists, in Madras, Vofin, Granite, Silk and Satin effects; great variety for your choosing at the special low price of, yard **41c**

25c Mohair effects Cotton Wash Suits, looks like all-wool Mohair, and will make a very serviceable material for Summer suits, waists, skirts, etc., yd **19c**

\$1, \$1.25 Hosiery 73c Pair

Women's fine dress slippers and hosiery priced remarkably low for a few days' selling. Both lots are worthy the careful consideration of the most conservative buyers.

2000 pairs Women's colored lisle Hosiery, fine quality, all the very latest shades in new beaver, wine, gray, mouse, Russian green, with embroidered cloaks; also silk lisle Hose in all the new changeable effects, all sizes; every pair new, this season's Hosiery, bought to sell at \$1.00 and \$1.25 pair, **73c**

\$5, \$6 Slippers at \$2.95 Pair

Women's high-grade fancy Slippers in different styles, all the very best hand-sewed goods, in patent leather and kid, French or Cuban heels, \$5.00 and \$6.00 values, pair **\$2.95**

Special lot of patent leather and kid Slippers, French heel Colonnals, best \$5 values, on sale today at **\$1.75**

Picture Deptn't

2x9 Passepartout Pictures and frames, 19c values for, **9c**

The "Mountain" and "Cowboy Girl," in colors, mounted on red and green mounts, size 8x16 inches; great values, **11c**

Brass Tokens, each, **12c**

New line of Framed and Unframed Pictures just in.

All latest novelties in Posters.

Artistic Picture Framing to your order at the lowest prices—Second Floor.

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For Exposition work. Approved by the Fair Commission and Board of Underwriters. Get our prices.