

**ACID-HURLING PLOT
LAID TO DRUGGIST**

Solomon Miller Sought by City Detectives.

FELONY CHARGE FILED

News Vendor Says He Was Hired to Throw Deadly Fluid in Attorney's Face.

Police detectives last night were conducting a search for Solomon Miller, news vendor and druggist, who, it is charged, employed W. R. Brown, an itinerant news vendor, to hurl a vial of sulphuric acid in the eyes of S. J. Bischoff, a local attorney. A felony complaint against the druggist was filed by Deputy District Attorney Mowry at police headquarters.

Miller, according to the story related to the police and district attorney by Brown, agreed to give the latter \$150 for throwing the deadly acid in the face of the attorney. But Brown, after agreeing to carry out the plot, became frightened and rushed to the police.

Menacing Letters Sent.
Bischoff was attorney for Mrs. Miller during her recent bitterly contested divorce suit against the druggist, which she won about three months ago. From the very outset of the divorce proceedings Miller has been very bitter against Attorney Bischoff, it is asserted, and has on more than one occasion sent him threatening letters. The last of these letters, Mr. Mowry said, is to be turned over to the federal authorities for investigation.

Brown's story to the police was that Miller approached him the fore part of the week on the plan to blind the attorney with the sulphuric acid. It was agreed between them, he said, that he was to meet the druggist at the latter's store on North Third street at 4 P. M. on Wednesday afternoon. But before keeping this engagement Brown went to the police and told them of the pending plot.

Brown kept his appointment Wednesday afternoon, but when he walked into the drug store two city detectives were stationed nearby. They saw Brown approach the druggist. Then they saw Miller pour an acid into a small vial and place it in Brown's outer coat pocket.

As Brown started to leave through the front door the sulphuric acid caught fire and burned his coat. Brown then rushed back into the store, where Miller helped him extinguish the flames. The druggist also cleaned his coat from the sulphuric acid stains as much as possible.

Brown told the police that after this accident Miller pointed to a heavy baseball bat in the rear of the store and asked they would like to give up the acid plan and use a bat on Bischoff's head. Brown said Miller told him they would plan later for Brown to waylay the attorney with the bat.

Murder Threat Made.
According to the police and district attorney, Miller sent a clipping to Attorney Bischoff of the Portland double murder a few months ago and penned a note in which he threatened that the attorney would meet the same fate. The druggist also sent a note in the druggist's handwriting.

The Solomon Miller divorce case attracted considerable attention a few months ago when it was called before Circuit Judge Tazewell. After Mrs. Miller had filed suit on grounds of extreme cruelty her husband retaliated by suing his wife's parents for \$150,000 for alleged alienation of Mrs. Miller's affections. This suit has never come up for trial.

Miller's record in Portland is an extensive one and includes several convictions for illegal gambling, according to the police and district attorney's office.

TOURISTS ROUTED WEST

EASTERN AGENCIES DISCOVER PACIFIC PLAYGROUNDS.

More Travelers Arriving Than in Any Previous Season, Say Passenger Agents.

That the tourist agencies of the east have at last discovered the Pacific northwest as the national playground and are directing flocks of tourists this way is indicated in the heavy railway travel of the moment. During no former season, according to experienced passenger men, have there been so many private cars and other tourist parties from the east sightseeing on this coast.

In the old days, it is recalled, July and August were dull months. This year July proved anything but dull, and August is keeping up the pace, while reservations indicate September will be a heavy tourist month as well.

Any number of dealers are either on the way to or from the coast to car parties under either private auspices or sent out by eastern tourist agencies, and many more are on the railway company books for early arrival here.

Among notables who are coming soon is Colonel T. L. Huston, one of the owners of the New York American, who will arrive in his private car on the morning of August 12, en route to the convention of the Veterans of Foreign Wars at Seattle. He will leave here the same night.

Club Selects Road Committee.

KELSO, Wash., Aug. 3.—(Special.)—Senator Frank G. Barnea, County Commissioner Al Maurer, County Engineer E. A. Middlebrooks, Postmaster John L. Harris, C. A. Peters, G. H. Umbaugh and T. P. Flak have been selected as a committee from the Kelso club to unite with a delegation from Wahkiakum and Pacific counties and a Chehalis committee in presenting the need for the opening of the Ocean Beach highway to the state highway department at Olympia Wednesday, August 3.

stunning with spaghetti
Bluhil
Cheese

Candy Specials—Jelly Beans, Assorted, 19¢ lb.—Fruit Paste, 29¢ lb.—Main Floor

S. & H. Green Trading Stamps Will Be Given on All Charge Accounts if Paid in Full on or Before the 10th of Each Month. Get Your Stamps!



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ANNIVERSARY



—A mighty merchandising event, store-wide in its scope, offering countless opportunities for the thrifty shopper to secure personal and home needs at substantial savings. New items enter the Sale each day—many of them unadvertised. A walk through the store will be time well spent. Watch our advertisements for additional Sale news from day to day. S. & H. Green Trading Stamps given with purchases amounting to 10c or more.

SPECIAL SALE of Hand-made Articles from the Salvation Army Rescue Home.—Aisle Booth—Main Floor.

Olds, Wortman & King
RELIABLE MERCHANDISE — RELIABLE METHODS.
MORRISON, ALDER, WEST PARK, AND TENTH STREETS.

Anniversary Sale Silks And Woolens

—Thousands of yards of high-grade Silks and Dress Goods selected from our regular lines marked to sell at new low prices during the Anniversary Sale. Dressmakers and others should take advantage of this exceptional opportunity to buy for less.

Silks Reduced

—Heavy Silk Crepes—Rhama, Iona and Lenox—in black, white and a full selection of the wanted colors. For **\$2.98** coats, capes, etc. Regular \$3.65 grade—special yard
—Sport Satins, black and colors—\$2.50 and \$3.00 grades **\$1.98**
—\$3 to \$4.25 Wash Cantons and Crepes, special, yard at **\$1.98**

Wool Skirtings

—Regatta Stripes—white with colored stripes in several patterns. 64-inch. \$5.00 grade. Special yard **\$3.75**
—Wool Skirtings—cream Diagonal and Herringbone weaves. 56 inches wide Regular \$5.00 grade—yard **\$3.75**



Anniversary Sale Fancy Art Cretonnes

—A Sale every homemaker will welcome. Over 5000 yards beautiful new Cretonnes will go out at reductions ranging close to half. Cretonnes of finest quality with rich finish and handsome patterns. Colors to harmonize with any decorative scheme you may have in mind. 36 in. wide.
—LOT 1—Art Cretonnes in the best 60c grade—the yard **39c**
—LOT 2—Art Cretonnes in best 75c and 80c grades, yard **54c**

Drapery Department Third Floor

Kayser's Union Suits \$4 Grade—\$2.75

Center Circle, 1st Floor—These are the popular "Lawnette" Union Suits—delightfully cool and comfortable for summer wear. Regulation style, with hemstitched top. Knee **\$2.75** length. Sizes 36 and 38 only. \$4.00 grade—special

\$3.50 Silk Vests \$2.49
—Women's Glove-Silk Vests of a well-known make. Bodice top style. Fancy stripe weave. These sell in the regular way at \$3.50 and are splendid values at that price. All **\$2.49** sizes. In the Anniversary Sale specially priced at **\$2.49**
Center Circle, Main Floor

Women's Silk Dresses
Depleted Lines—Formerly Priced to \$28.50

Garment Salons Second Floor



\$15

Second Floor—Quantity is limited, therefore early choosing is advisable. Attractive, becoming frocks for street, sport, business and afternoon wear. Made up in Canton Crepe, Georgette, Crepe Knit and Taffeta. Black, navy and many light colors. Beaded, embroidered and braided. Dresses selling **\$15** formerly up to \$28.50—reduced to only

Silk Dresses \$25

Second Floor—High-class Dresses in Taffeta, Crepe Knit, Canton Crepe, Georgette and Tricolette. Straightline, basque and novelty styles trimmed with ruffles, laces, embroidery, beads, etc. Lines selling formerly up to \$42.50. Anniversary Sale price **\$25**

Juniors Sport Skirts \$7.00

Second Floor—Fancy stripes, plaids and mixtures. Plaited and tailored styles with deep hem at bottom or fringed. Many smart models in this lot suitable for street wear. Lengths 24 to 27. Skirts selling heretofore **\$7.00** up to \$12.50; now

Girls' Skirts \$3.98

Second Floor—Serge and Prunella Skirts in navy, orchid and gray. Attractive plaited models in solid colors and stripes. Also a few trimmed with plaid. Sizes for girls 6 to 14. On **\$3.98** sale at, special

Outing Suits \$5.98, \$7.98

—Khaki Outing Suits—coat and breeches—in semi-fitted models with tailored collar **\$5.98** lars. Sizes 34 to 44
—Breeches Suits of good grade khaki. Some are trimmed with corduroy. Buttoned **\$7.98** pockets. 36 to 44
—Odd lines Khaki Leggings, Puttees, Corduroy Hats—special **\$1.65**

Tub Skirts Reduced
Second Floor—Women's and misses' white sport Skirts of cotton Gabardine and Surf Satin. Smart tailored models with slit or patch pockets. Just the thing for outing, sport and beach wear. Reduced to **\$2.98** and **\$3.49**. Ask for S. & H. Stamps!

Sport Middies Now \$2.48

Second Floor—White Galatee Middies in light and heavy weights. Self materials or wool collars. Sizes 10 years to 42 bust. Specially priced for this sale **\$2.48**

Bathing Suits At \$4.69

—two-piece wool Bathing Suits in solid colors and novelty striped effects. Round and V necks, with or without shields. Sizes range 32 to 46. Special at **\$4.69**



More of the New Fall Hats

have arrived in the Millinery Salons and will be ready for your inspection this morning.

Duvelyn, Felt, Velvet and Combinations

in captivating modes, most expressive of the new season now at hand. Many beautiful hand-embroidered effects are in the showing. Moderately priced **\$12.50** to **\$30.00**
See Windows



Millinery Salons 2d Floor

Novelty Dress Voiles

—Lines Selling Up to \$1 Yard
Main Floor—You will miss one of the biggest bargains of the season if you fail to see these beautiful fabrics. Great variety of patterns in the most desirable colors. For dresses and blouses. Values to \$1.00. Special **25c** a yard.

Stamped and Made Children's Dresses 50c and \$1

Main Floor—Special assortment from the Art Needlework Section. Children's stamped and made Dresses of excellent quality material. Easy-to-work designs. Sizes for girls 1 and 2 years. Regular to \$1.25 values—priced special at only **50c**
—LOT 2—Stamped and made Dresses of fine quality **\$1.00** batiste. Sizes 2, 4, 8, 10, 12. \$1.50 and \$1.65 values

Children's Rompers \$1.25

—Stamped and made Rompers for little children 2 to 4 years. Made up in good quality material in pink, blue and green. Trimmed with white. On special sale today **\$1.25**

Show Models 1/2 Price
—these are articles of various kinds that have been used as show models in the Artneedle Shop. All are hand-made and beautifully finished, but somewhat soiled and mussed from handling. Dresses, Aprons, Pillows, Gowns, Sets, etc. On sale at 1/2 regular marked prices. **SHOP EARLY IN THE DAY.**
Bargain Circle, Main Floor



Anniversary Sale Silk Underwear

—That silk underwear is the most economical in the long run is a well-established fact. No woman need be without a generous supply of these dainty garments with such a Sale as this in progress. Note the following sale specials:

Women's Camisoles \$1.69

Second Floor—Radium Silk and Wash Satin Camisoles, in a variety of pretty styles. Tailored or trimmed with laces. **\$1.69** Anniversary Sale special

Gowns \$4.95

—Women's Night Gowns of splendid quality Pongee Silk. Attractive styles with V neck. **\$4.95** Limited quantity. Sale

—Silk Bloomers at special low prices

Women's Petticoats \$3.50

Second Floor—Women's Petticoats in neat styles. Made up in genuine shadow-proof tub Silk. Extra heavy grade. Special **\$3.50** Anniversary Sale

Petticoats \$4.95

—White Wash Satin Petticoats lined throughout with scalloped bottom. Also flesh color, with double panel, hemstitched **\$4.95** hem and scallops. Sale



Dept., 2d Floor.

August Furniture Sale

—A few of the many notable bargains in the August Sale of Furniture: \$210.00 Davenport **\$157.50**—\$120.00 Arm Chairs **\$88.75**—\$58.50 Davenport Tables **\$32.50**—\$68.00 Davenport Tables **\$34.00**—\$287.50 Mahogany Bedroom Suite **\$153.00**—\$187.40 Walnut Bedroom Suite **\$113.65**—\$249.50 Quartered Oak Bedroom Suite **\$136.50**—\$301.50 Queen Anne Bedroom Suite **\$213.65**; and many other special offerings—Furniture Department, Fourth Floor.

Linoleums Reduced

—The Anniversary Sale of floor coverings includes several thousand yards of best standard grades Inlaid Linoleums! Our own regular lines—not "seconds."
—\$1.75 Inlaid Linoleums, per square yard **\$1.35**
—\$1.50 Inlaid Linoleums, per square yard **\$1.29**
—\$2.00 Inlaid Linoleums, per square yard **\$1.58**
—\$2.25 Inlaid Linoleums, per square yard **\$1.89**
—\$2.50 Inlaid Linoleums, per square yard **\$1.95**

Rug Department Third Floor

Armour's Star Hams 37c Lb.

—Sugar-cured, tender and sweet. Only choice stock is used for "Star" Hams. 10 to 12 lbs. Priced special, pound **37c**
—Cane Sugar, delivered only with other grocery purchases. **\$1.00** Priced special, 14 lbs.
—Flour—Kerr's or OWK Excellence, made from Blue Stem wheat, per sack **\$2.10**
—Corn Flakes, Jersey, a pkg. **10c**

Dependable Coffee 3-Lb. Size \$1.05

—Vacuum packed, always deliciously fresh. 3-lb. tins only **\$1.05**



Anniversary Sale Men's and Young Men's Quality Suits

\$23

Main Floor—Unquestionably the best suit value in Portland today! Step in and see for yourself! High-class tailoring, dependable fabrics, correct styles. Clothes any man would be proud to own! Single-breasted—2 and 3 buttons—sport models—form-fitting and conservative styles. Worsteds, Cheviots, Cassimeres, Tweeds, etc. Browns, blues, grays, greens, heathers, etc. A few Suits in the Sale that have 2 pairs of trousers. **\$23.00** Specially priced for this sale; only

Anniversary Sale Boys' 2-Pant Suits \$8.95

Main Floor—All-wool 2-Knicker Suits in Tweeds, Homespuns and Cassimeres. Values in this group up to \$16.50. Splendid selection of patterns in all the best colors. Sizes range from **\$8.95** 6 to 18. Priced special for this sale at **\$8.95**

And 2 Big Lots
in boys' Suits of the better grades on sale at big reductions. 2 pairs full lined knickers with each suit. Fit, style and quality unsurpassed. All sizes.
—LOT 1, special **\$16.85**. Lot 2, special **\$18.85**

