

GUN FIGHT STAGED IN CHI STREET

Gangsters Attempt to Slay Enemy Racketeers Under Protection of Police—Street Car Conductor Is Killed By Stray Shot.

CHICAGO, July 2.—(AP)—Gangsters stood in the glare of the bright lights of South State street last night and made an unsuccessful attempt to assassinate Jack Zuta, gangster.

A man was killed. Another was wounded. In the excitement, Zuta and three companions disappeared. The gunmen escaped behind a smoke screen emitted from the exhaust of their car. A police officer emptied his revolver at the gunmen who, however, apparently escaped unhurt.

The man killed was Elbert Lusader, 38 years old, motorman on a street car. A bullet from the pistol of one of the attackers penetrated his neck.

Zuta had been arrested for questioning in connection with the slaying of Jake Lingle, Tribune reporter. His release was ordered last night, but Zuta pleaded with Police Lieutenant George Barker to provide police protection to his home.

"Lieutenant, I'd never get home alive," he said to Barker. "Get me across the loop, won't you?"

The police officer got in the driver's seat. Zuta sat in the tonneau with Albert Bratz and Leon Bernstein. Solly Vision sat in front with Barker. Bratz, Vision and the Bernstein woman had been arrested with Zuta in police raids Monday. All are regarded as connected with the George (Hugs) Moran gang.

Sedan Opens Fire.

Lieut. Barker started from detective headquarters, driving north on State street slowly. The machine had just crossed Quincy street, traveling at a snail's pace behind a street car, when a sedan that had been behind swung from the rear and drew alongside, between the policeman's car and the curb.

A tall fellow stepped to the running board and sent a stream of bullets at the police machine.

Lieut. Barker jammed on the brakes and leaped to the street, pistol in hand. The other car stopped also. By this time a second gunman was firing, leaning from a window of the automobile.

Barker now was standing in the brightly lighted street, exchanging shot for shot. Behind his automobile was a streetcar, unable to proceed because of the police machine. At the controls was the motorman, Lusader, who stared, horrified, as the guns blazed.

Several hundred persons had sought shelter in doorways and behind posts; a few dropped behind refuse boxes on the sidewalk.

Carman Hit.

A bullet from the weapon of the tall man on the running board of the gunman's car struck Lusader in the neck. An aged watchman, Olaf Sventen, was struck in the arm by a bullet.

Lieut. Barker stood firing until his ammunition was exhausted. He leaped back into his machine just as the other automobile pulled away.

The police car was only a few

feet behind the other machine at State and Madison street. It was there that a smoke bomb was dropped by the machine in front, sending up a screen of smoke behind which the gunmen hoped to hide the progress of the car.

Lieut. Barker, however, kept the machine in sight, and had nearly overtaken it at Wabash avenue and Madison street when his own motor sputtered and died—its gasoline exhausted.

SON ARRIVES FOR MR. MRS. LUTHER DEUEL

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Deuel are the parents of "A very small boy with a fine disposition," born this morning at Portland, according to a telegram received today by Mrs. F. K. Deuel.

CHIROPRACTIC LECTURE WILL BE FREE TONIGHT

Announcement was made today of a free public health lecture, "Chiropractic and Medicine," to be given by a speaker of national reputation at the Masonic temple in St. Mark's hall this evening at 7:30. This lecture is being given in connection with the Chiropractic convention now in session.

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to view the elimination of the two right angle turns on East Main street, directly south of the James Owens property, we are pleased to report the following recommendations:

"We find that in changing the alignment of the street, it is necessary to acquire two pieces of right-of-way over the property now in the name of O. V. Myers and Scott Davis.

"We consider the present market price of lot 1, blk. 1, as being worth \$2000. This will purchase the entire lot and after the improvement is made about one-half of the lot can be disposed of. The only party it would be of much value to would be Mr. Davis, as it adjoins his property on the north. However, we consider it worth \$500.

"It is also necessary to acquire a triangular piece of ground off the northwest corner of lot 2, block 1, in the name of Scott Davis approximately 12 feet by 18 feet. There will also be a triangular tract of land available for disposal on the north side of the new street fronting along the property of James Owens, which we value at present at \$100. Should Mr. Davis and Mr. Owens purchase these two parcels of ground, they should be eliminated from any assessments for the opening and improvement of the street.

"As the improvement will not only benefit those people residing east of the Owens place, but will be a benefit to the entire city, we recommend that the cost of the work be prorated on a basis of 50 per cent of the net cost to be paid by the entire city, and the balance or 50 per cent be assessed against all property lying east of the improvement.

"As the estimated cost is \$5534 less \$1000 realized from the sale of the property, giving a total cost of \$4534, \$2767 will be borne by the city in general and \$2767 against the property within the Siskiyou Heights area. This will cost about \$3.50, levied against an average size lot of 50 feet."

NOVEL EFFECTS IN DECORATIONS OF WURTZ SHOP

"Wurtz Gifts"—that will be the name of Medford's newest enterprise which will soon make its debut in business circles of this city.

Wurtz Gifts will be a novel gift shop to be established in the building formerly occupied by McPherson's at the corner of Sixth street and Central avenue and Jack Wurtz, well known Medford artist and decorator, will be its proprietor. Mr. Wurtz was formerly associated with Russell's where his window displays won the enthusiastic approval of southern Oregon shoppers.

That Wurtz Gifts will be an innovation in business houses is putting it very mild and details of the new store now being worked out promise to make it one of the outstanding shops of its kind in Oregon.

Workmen have been busy in the basement, under Jack Wurtz's direction and have transformed that part of the former McPherson store into a model summer home, complete with log cabin walls, wrought iron trimmings and fixtures, rockeries and fountains. Hand made furniture, trimmed

in novel wrought iron, may be found in this novel basement log cabin and Wurtz Gifts will feature this novel furniture in the new store. A giant painting of Crater Lake, behind French windows, and lighted with unusual effects, will make visitors experience the thrill of actually gazing from the windows of a beautiful summer cabin on Southern Oregon's great scenic attraction.

A mezzanine floor is being installed, new display windows will be built and the interior is undergoing a complete transformation. Mr. Wurtz has promised a real surprise for southern Oregon people when his new store has its opening in the near future. As his plans for the new store are entirely original, there will be no store on the Pacific coast similar to Medford's new gift shop.

AIR MAIL PILOT IN LUCKY ESCAPE

CHICAGO, July 2.—(AP)—The second section of the New York-Chicago air mail, with Pilot Robert P. Hopkins at the stick, crashed near Middlebury, Ind., at 5 a. m. today.

National Air Transport offices here learned the plane was flying low and probably struck communication wires, crashing and burning. Plane and 850 pounds of mail were destroyed but the pilot escaped without injury.

Store Closed Friday the Fourth

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Mann's Department Store
"THE STORE FOR EVERYBODY"
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ANNUAL JULY CLEARANCE

These Specials on Sale
Thursday and Saturday

NEW WASH FROCKS
For the Fourth

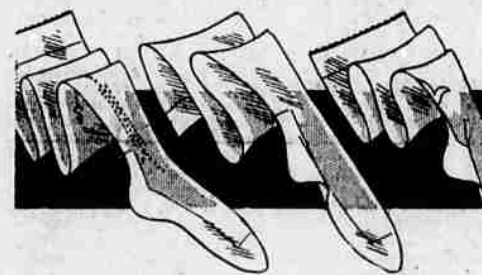
Be cool this fourth in one of Mann's chic wash frocks. These dainty affairs come in voiles, batiste, prints, piques, and combinations of the above fabrics. They are smartly styled and as well made as if you had made them yourself, and guaranteed fast color. All sizes.

\$1.95

Wash Blouses

Smart wash blouses of fast-color prints, batiste, dimity and English broadcloth. The styles feature ruffles, jabots, and tailored effects. Just the blouse for that sweater and skirt ensemble or blouse and skirt for hiking.

\$1.95 Ea.



July Clearance Sale of Silk Hose

Women's and misses' finest quality pure silk hose in chiffon weight. This is a full-fashioned hose with smart clocked patterns on leg and is all silk to top. Regular values are up to \$2.75 pair. Your choice Thursday

\$1.49 Pr.

Print Track Pants

Women's and misses' track-style pants of clever fast-color prints. Many of these cool summer garments have bandeaus to match. All sizes. Regular values up to \$1.25. Choice

49c

Kickernick Shorts

Children's ever popular Kickernick shorts and bloomers. These comfortable summer garments are offered in various styles and of course all sizes. Regular values up to \$1.19. Choice

89c

Jewelry

Last call on this lot of women's costume jewelry. A July clean-up of beads, necklaces, bracelets, pins, earrings, and other novelty pieces. Regular to \$1.95. Out they go at

10c

30-Inch Cotton Plisse Crepe

Our regular 29c value cotton plisse crepe now greatly reduced for Thursday and Saturday. Full 30 inches wide and in white, maize, and Nile shades. Your choice

19c

Get Your Bathing Suits from Mann's
The Famous Jantzen and Columbiaknit

Our Annual Half Price Coat and Dress SALE

The season's foremost fashions are presented at these important reductions. Every spring dress and coat in Mann's great stock is now half price and less. The finest in tailoring, style and fabric are yours at half and less if you take advantage of this great July sale.



The COATS

The coats are grouped in their respective price ranges, selection is easy as every one is marked with its July Clearance sale green ticket. These are dress coats, sport coats, and coats for general wear. Some are fur trimmed, some plain tailored and some in novelty design, but every one a genuine bargain and worth twice what you'll pay at this sale Thursday and Saturday. Buy that coat now!

Our regular \$24.75 Coats, Half Price at.....\$12.38
Our Regular \$29.50 Coats, Half Price at.....\$14.25
Our Regular \$35.00 Coats, Half Price at.....\$17.50
Our Regular \$49.50 Coats, Half Price at.....\$24.75
Our Regular \$55.00 Coats, Half Price at.....\$27.50

The DRESSES

Dozens of smart spring dresses of the season's most popular fabrics await you at Mann's Thursday morning. All are reduced to one-half and less for this final summer clearance. Dresses for every type of woman, dresses for every occasion from long sleeved affairs of fine georgette to the sport frock that is sleeveless. All ready, all sizes, all colors. Come buy that frock now and have a new dress for the fourth.

Our Regular \$29.50 Dresses, Half Price at.....\$14.75
Our Regular \$35.00 Dresses, Half Price at.....\$17.50
Our Regular \$39.50 Dresses, Half Price at.....\$19.75
Our Regular \$45.00 Dresses, Half Price at.....\$22.50
Our Regular \$49.50 Dresses, Half Price at.....\$24.75

New Tub Silk Dresses

A new shipment of clever sport silk frocks tailored from fast-color tub silks such as silk pique, shantung and silk crepe, printed and plain, also georgettes and chiffons in sleeveless, cap sleeve and capes, as well as long sleeve models. Sizes 12½ to 44. Special

\$16.75

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Vacation Hats and Beret's Tams

75c to \$2.95

No summer wardrobe is complete without at least one beret and at least one vacation hat. These we are offering at 75c and \$2.95 are as smart as you could wish and so inexpensive.

Hat Shop Second Floor

Boys' Koveralls

Boys' khaki and blue koveralls in the short or long sleeve style. The sizes are from 6 to 12 and are regular \$1.00 values. These koveralls are also suitable for girls.

10c

Boys' Linen Knicker Suits at \$3.19

Cool linen knicker suits for young boys. These are well tailored from pure linen. The knickers, blouse, and belt match, making a splendid suit for the boy of 6 to 12. Regular \$4.25 values.

Your Favorite Swimming Suit at Clearance Sale Price

Men's and young men's all-wool bathing suits. These are genuine first quality garments made by the most popular maker of swimming suits in the world. They sell regularly the country over for \$6.00; your choice Thursday and Saturday at Mann's \$3.95. They come in assorted colors. Buy now!

\$3.95

(Store Closed Friday, July 4th)

Men's Section Main Floor