



# LONG AGO

WHAT A difference in styles, as well as personnel, a quarter of a century makes. Members of the Toledo detective bureau posed for this picture June 10, 1922. The cap for formal wear by well-dressed sleuth was on its way out, while the old bowler of the teen decade had disappeared. Left to right, in the top row, are Joseph Fruchey, now head of the bureau; Roy Havens, retired; Michael Rowan, Ernest Raitz, Joseph Swiatecki, Capt. William Carroll (deceased), William Julert (deceased), Fred Langhoff, Bernard Cummings, retired; James Ford, retired; John Mullen, Michael Daly (deceased). Center row, Capt. Fred Buck, retired; John Hodges (deceased), Edward Harris (deceased), William Culver (deceased), Dan Gavin (deceased), John Connors, retired; Stanley Kina, retired; Frank DeLora, Garnet Stevenson, Edward Eaton (deceased); Dick Martin (deceased); Capt. Ralph Van Vorce, retired. Seated,

John Henahan (deceased), William Herman (deceased), Capt. James O'Reilly, retired; Irving Brown (deceased), Albert Hassenzahl (deceased), John Hovey (deceased), Louis Kruse, retired; Stephen Quinn (deceased), Frank Peters (deceased), Charles Mavis, retired; Inspector William Delehanty, later chief of police (deceased); Bert Dobzeniecki (deceased), and Fred Palicki (deceased). Such bureau stalwarts as Capts. Mose McCloskey, Emmet Cairl, Edward Rock (deceased); Capts. Willard Rydman, retired, and George Timiney, now Lucas County sheriff; Inspector Louis Hass, former chief of police, and Arthur Langendorf were not available on that day long ago when this picture was snapped in front of the old police headquarters on Superior St. Only 9 of the 44 men then comprising the bureau are still active in Toledo police work.

# DETECTIVE IS SHOT WHEN PARTNER FALLS ON ICE

## Revolver Is Accidentally Discharged; Hits Sleuth In Back

City Detective William H. Julert was accidentally shot in the back at 1 a. m. on Tuesday by Detective Arthur Langendorf, his partner, and is in St. Vincent's Hospital in a serious condition. His recovery is doubtful.

Julert was shot by a bullet from Langendorf's revolver, which was discharged when Langendorf slipped on the icy sidewalk at Elm-st and Manhattan boulevard. The bullet entered Julert's back near the kidneys. An operation was performed at the hospital and the bullet removed.

Langendorf and Mrs. Julert are at the bedside of the injured detective. Langendorf has not left his partner since the accident happened, except for half an hour when he called at Central Station to make a report of the shooting to Detective Captains McClosky and Rydman. Mrs. Julert arrived at the hospital shortly after her husband was taken there. Captain McClosky sent a speed car to her home at 218 Marion-st to take her to the bedside.

### WAITING FOR BANDITS.

In his report to the detective captains, Langendorf said that, with Detective Julert and Officers Dreyer and Vogel, he went to Elm-st and Manhattan boulevard. They waited there until two men came along. They had been told that two stickup men had been seen in that vicinity

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# Wounded Sleuth And Partner

and all the officers hid so that the men would not see them when they passed.

Langendorf said that he had been told that one of the men was John Andrzejewski, 28, of 342 Lake-st. also known as Andrews, who escaped from St. Vincent's Hospital on Jan. 11 by jumping out of a second-story window in his night clothes.

Andrzejewski had been struck on the head by Patrolman Bedacht when he resisted arrest for carrying a revolver.

## CAPTURE SUSPECTS.

The other man, Langendorf said, was reported to be Frank Walker, 25, of 1502 Summit-st, who is said to have told police he is a bootlegger.

While the officers were in hiding, Langendorf's report continues, the two men came along, walking south on Elm-st. The officers jumped from their hiding place when the men approached and, with drawn revolvers, ordered the two suspects to hold up their hands. They did so.

Vogel and Julert, standing about 16 feet away from Langendorf and Dryer, were searching Walker for weapons while Langendorf and Dryer searched Andrzejewski.

Langendorf found a revolver in one of Andrzejewski's pockets and had some trouble in getting it out. He had just pulled an automatic free of the prisoner's coat pocket when he suddenly slipped. In doing so, Langendorf said, he made a slight turn to the left, his own weapon being discharged at the same time.

The bullet passed between Andrzejewski and Dryer, just missing them.

Julert was standing five feet off the sidewalk in a yard, about 10 feet from Langendorf. The rest were lined up along the sidewalk.

A few seconds after the shot was fired, Julert said he believed he was hit. In another moment he said: "Quick, get me to a hospital."

The officers put their prisoners in the speed car and Julert was taken to St. Vincent's. The two prisoners were held for investigation.

Vogel and Dryer substantiated the story told by Langendorf, Dryer adding that he had the two men covered with a shotgun while they were being searched.

## DAZED BY ACCIDENT.

Langendorf was dazed by the accident. He told other officers that when he got out of the speed car he cocked his revolver, but when he saw the slippery conditions of the sidewalk he stopped and dropped the hammer. He is unable to account for the accident, except that he struck his gun hand on the sidewalk when he fell. The revolver was a .38-caliber of the regular police issue.

Langendorf and Julert were looked upon as one of the most efficient detective teams in the department. Both were popular with their superiors and a real affection existed between them.

Julert joined the police department on April 9, 1917. He spent one year on the vice squad and was detailed as a detective on Nov. 10, 1920. He has two children.

Langendorf joined the force on Sept. 13, 1913. He was detailed as a detective on Aug. 1, 1918.



Detective William H. Julert, above, wounded when a revolver in the hand of his partner, Arthur Langendorf (below), was discharged when Langendorf slipped and fell.

# RECORDS OF PAIR ARRESTED WHEN SLEUTH WAS SHOT



John Andrzejewski.



Frank Walker.

John Andrzejewski and Frank Walker are regarded by police as directly responsible for the death of City Detective William H. Julert, accidentally shot by his partner, Detective Arthur Langendorf while the pair were being searched after their arrest at Manhattan boulevard and Elm-st. early on Tuesday. Alleged suspicious actions caused the arrest.

Andrzejewski has a long police record extending back to April, 1912, when he was arrested for burglary and larceny. He has served time for assault and battery, burglary, carrying concealed weapons and grand larceny. Much of his time during the last 12 years has been spent in

the Ohio Penitentiary, Mansfield Reformatory and the Workhouse. He is being held by police for investigation in connection with recent holdups and is said to have been identified by at least one of his victims.

Walker, whose real name is said to be Gawronski, was first arrested in March, 1915, for assault. In the same year he was indicted twice for stickups and sent to Mansfield Reformatory. He was arrested for a shooting in 1917 and sent back to Mansfield. In 1918 he was convicted of robbery and sent to the Ohio Penitentiary and was paroled in February, 1923. He also is being held for investigation.

# JULERT RITES ON SATURDAY

Police Honor Guard For  
Accident Victim

## BULLET IS FATAL

### Wounded When Partner Slips, Firing Gun

Services for City Detective William H. Julert, 41, who died on Tuesday afternoon in St. Vincent's Hospital, from a bullet wound in the back, received when the revolver of his partner, Detective Arthur Langendorf, was accidentally discharged, will be held from the home, 218 Marion-st., on Saturday at 2 p. m. Burial will be in Forest Cemetery.

Detective Julert is survived by his widow, Edith, two sons, Milton and Herbert, and a daughter, Verlin. His father-in-law, Charles Langhoff, and brother-in-law, Fred Langhoff, are members of the Police Department.

#### GUARD OF POLICE.

The body of the detective was taken from the hospital on Tuesday to the H. H. Birkenkamp Mortuary, 1003 Broadway, and was removed to the home on Wednesday. On arrival there a police guard was established over the casket. Until the body is laid away in the cemetery, it will be continuously in charge of patrolmen.

Pallbearers will be selected from among members of the police department, which will be in charge of the funeral. A platoon of police will be assigned by Police Chief Jennings to accompany the body to the grave.

Detective Langendorf and the widow were at the bedside of Detective Julert when he passed away. Langendorf was grief-stricken. He had been with his partner from the time of the shooting until the end, spending 15 hours almost constantly at the bedside while Julert battled vainly for life.

John Andrzejewski, also known as Andrews, 38, of 342 Lake-st., and Frank Walker, 25, of 1502 Summit-st., who were indirectly the cause of Julert's death, are being held for investigation. It is said by police that both have police records and have served time in penitentiaries.

#### SLIPS ON ICE.

Detective Julert received his death wound when he, with Langendorf and Patrolmen Vogel and Dryer, went to Manhattan boulevard and Elm-st early on Tuesday to look for two suspicious characters. They found Andrzejewski and Walker.

While Langendorf was searching Andrzejewski he slipped on the icy sidewalk. In falling Langendorf's revolver was accidentally discharged. The bullet struck Julert in the back, passing thru the intestine and liver. An operation was performed and the bullet removed, but Julert died 15 hours after he was shot.

Coroner Henzler was notified of the death and gave a verdict of accidental shooting.