

AGED MAN BEATEN BY CAMDEN THIEVES

Storekeeper Battles Thugs With Club Until He Falls Under Shower of Blows

VICTIM, 78, IN HOSPITAL

A seventy-eight-year-old Camden man was so badly beaten about the head with a blackjack when he resisted robbers who entered his store that he is in the hospital in a serious condition.

The assault occurred shortly after midnight. Mark Lavallo, the storekeeper, was just closing his general store at the northeast corner of Third and Steven streets.

Two men entered. One engaged Lavalle in conversation. The men raged themselves flanking the aged proprietor, and then asked for the owner of the property. "That's me," Lavallo answered.

"All right," the leader of the band replied. "We want your money, and we want it quickly, without any monkey business."

The two men had neglected the formalities because of the age of their victim-to-be. Taking in the situation at a glance, Lavallo sprang to a counter nearby and got a heavy club from its hiding place there.

Backing into a corner, Lavallo swung the club menacingly and called for help. The men ran off, but gathered himself together and sprang at his assailants with renewed fury.

The battle waged back and forth over the store for fully five more minutes before the blows of that thug began to take effect. Played out by his efforts and the force of the blows showered upon him, the old man finally succumbed to attack and sank to the floor unconscious.

Neighbors had heard his cries for help. They rushed in as the intruders were opening the cash drawer. The men left the money untouched and dashed for the door.

After another stirring give-and-take battle, in which they and the rescuers received several hard blows, the bandits fought their way to the door and escaped.

The store this morning bore evidence of the fight the aged man put up against his assailants. The store was smashed and the interior generally wrecked in the struggle.

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Widow of Y. M. C. A. Worker and Prominent Society Woman

Victim of Heart Disease

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AUTO BREAKS BOY'S LEG

Albert Leech, Ten Years Old, Is Run Down by Motorcar

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Mrs. Winpenny was formerly Miss Ann Gilpin, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Washington H. Gilpin, who resided for many years at 1414 De Lancey place. Her husband was the son of the late Bolton Winpenny. Their marriage took place in Holy Trinity Church July 27, 1918, a few days following the announcement of the engagement.

Recently Mrs. Winpenny was one of the assistants of Mrs. George Fales Baker at her booth in aid of the Abington Hospital at a charity bazaar and garden party given on the lawn of the Huntingdon Valley Country Club at Merion.

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