

DANEIKO ASSAULT CASE UP FOR TRIAL

Harry Veras, Charged With the Crime, Tells Different Story From That of Wounded Man.

Whether Harry Veras intentionally shot and wounded Morris Daneiko at the latter's store, 529½ West Michigan street the night of Oct. 7, or whether a murderous assault was made in attempt to rob the merchant, will be put up to a jury in Judge Dancer's division of district court this morning to decide. All of the evidence had been introduced at the hour of adjournment yesterday. Daneiko testified that Veras came into the store and after asking to be shown some underwear, suddenly drew a revolver and with the statement, "It's your money I want, hand it over quick," shot him below the left breast. The merchant said he pursued him a short distance, then returned to his store and dropped in a faint. He did not recover consciousness until the next day, after he had been taken to a hospital.

Veras told a different story. He said he went into Daneiko's place and was negotiating for the purchase of the revolver when it was accidentally exploded, wounding the proprietor. The state offered evidence tending to show that the weapon was bought by Veras several days before at the City Loan office, 522 West Superior street. Arguments to the jury will be made by the attorneys this morning. Mason M. Forbes, first assistant county attorney, appears for the state. Veras is represented by Attorney Dennis Donovan.