WEEGEE’s STORY

May 6 - July 23, 2003

Note: All works exhibited are vintage gelatin silver prints dating principally from the years 1935–1945. Their sizes range from 14 3/8 x 11 inches (36.4 x 28 cm) to 5 1/2 x 3 7/8 inches (14 x 9.8 cm). In general, the titles derive from Weegee’s original descriptions. The photographs exhibited are offered only as a single collection. Please inquire about certain works not exhibited that are available for sale individually.
63. "Cafeteria on East Broadway"
70. "Don't drop"
126. "In the cab"

18. "Their first murder"
29. "Max, the Bagelman"
31. "Six o'clock in the morning on the Consolidated Edison Company building clock"
53. "Is this an epidemic?"
113. "Self-portrait"
116. "Ambulance driven into East River"
118. "The Nigers Stink"
120. "Singer at Sammy's in the Bowery"
130. "Easter Sunday in Harlem"
133. "Kissing couple at 3-D movie at the Palace Theater"
137. "A New Low in Arrests"
161. "Wife of Major Green is being escorted out of police station"
175. "Harry Maxwell Shot in Car"
197. "Drowning Victim"
4. "Weegee at the Museum of Modern Art"
9. "An early sunbath, Coney Island"
11. "Coney Island"
17. "Murder in Hell's Kitchen"
26. "I cried when I took this picture"
33. "Entering the Opera House"
50. "Leaving at midnight from Police Headquarters on my strange mission"
65. "Simply add boiling water"
115. "Negroes moving to white neighborhood"
127. "Identification squad"
134. "Murder in Hell's Kitchen"
136. "Street lamp with lone pedestrian at night"
139. "President Franklin Delano Roosevelt and Mayor La Guardia of New York"
145. "Summer in the Lower East Side"
146. "Her wounded husband is arrested for killing a relative"
156. "Murder was my business"
221. "Men's legs"
226. "Sing you sinner Sing"

8. "Singer at Sammy's in the Bowery"
14. "Cop-Killer"
12. "Giant Santa Claus in Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade"
20. "Gun shop sign"
25. "US Hotel"
28. "Arrested for bribing basketball players"
69. "Dead gangster"
117. "The Critic"
119. "Mugger's disguise"
121. "The Phantom -Edwin Pennis"
123. "The Cake-Box Murder"
128. "Trying to Keep Warm"
129. "Rooms"
142. "Coney Island at noon Saturday July 5th, 1942"
176. "Children on the Fire-escape"
177. "Five Extra smokes per Pack"
203. "The Consolidated Edison Company building clock showing six o'clock in the morning"
12. "Giant Santa Claus in Macy’s Thanksgiving Day Parade"
15. "Fate’s Little ‘Jokes’: A cop off-duty and going home, was shot and killed in front of a funeral chapel, a casket waits in the doorway"
24. "Joy of Living"
71. "Going to Heaven in a $5000.00 Metal Casket"
131. "Harlem - The Easter Parade"
178. "Pseudo Hermophild"
198. "Sixty Wall Street Tower"
214. "Murder at the Fiesta"

30. "Roosting on a windowsill, waiting for action"
39. "Street"
101. "Self-portrait, working at the trunk of his Chevrolet"
106. "Mail early for delivery before Christmas"
108. "Little Italy Mulbery St. Murder"
220. "Outline of a murder victim"
223. "My headquarters"
19. "One-Way Ride"
21. "One of the Esposito Brothers"
32. "News of the World"
35. "Aftermath of a bar altercation"
51. "The line-up"
59. "The Tragedy of Gandhi"
76. "Protect the genetic future of your country: Give generously to your local sperm bank"
78. "New Year's Eve, Times Square"
80. "Balcony Seats at a Murder"
82. "Mute testimony of a cop's heroism"
86. "Picked-up runaway"
87. "Crying girl"
94. "Corpses covered with newspaper"
99. "Beverly playboy"
114. "Body surrounded by detectives, Chinese laundry, building with spectators in background"
124. "Cop killers on the way to the morning line-up"
141. "Injured woman"
168. "Before: A man is seated on the sidewalk taking it easy..."
169. "After: A passing priest gives the injured man the last rites of the Church."
181. "Call Board"
182. "Funeral of Goodman"
184. "Street scene at the corner of Broadway and W. 49 St."
189. "Killing - East Side. Not Liable for Personal Property"
193. "Hold-Up Gang Arrested"
195. "Checking to see if man is dead by holding match to eyes"
211. "Stripper, Los Angeles"
215. "Line-up"
225. "Murder under the SPOT"

2. "Arrest"
95. "Rescue operation from 85 foot aerial ladder"
97. "Vitamins"
100. "Woman in a restaurant"
102. "At the bar"
140. "The human cop"
143. "Woman rescuing belongings"
154. "Lost Children"
167. "Surprised by Fire"
170. "Women's clinic"
173. "Empire State Building"
199. "Rockefeller Building"
37. "Opera Shot"
52. "Skid Row Concerto. Los Angeles"
83. "Man, disguised as girl, arrested for robbing soldiers and sailors"
92. "Knees"
103. "Girl Watching Lovers on Coney Island Beach at Night"
105. "Rose Hanlon. Only Woman Clown in Circus"
107. "Bus Ride"
179. "Documentary: Men's bathroom door"
180. "Documentary: Women's bathroom door"
185. "Laundry line"

3. "Snow-covered auto"
13. "The End of a Joy Ride"
42. "Sudden death for one...sudden shock for the other"
44. "Recovery from East River"
49. "Carbonized man in a truck"
77. "New York bus crashed into small shop"
111. "Corner of Mott and Pell Streets before gas explosion"
112. "Corner of Mott and Pell Streets after gas explosion"
190. "Car Accident"
212. "The Curious Cat"
216. "Crashed cab"
224. "Ride Victim"
40. "Mystery—how did she get there?"
41. "Cake-box murder"
73. "The Spirits of Saint Louis"
84. "Cooler"
90. "Agnes Johnson the Jewel Thief"
91. "Agnes Johnson, Jewel Thief"
127. "Identification squad"
148. "Bodies taken from burning building, placed on lot of ‘The Smiling Irishman’" 
152. "After the Opera...at Sammy’s Night Club on the Bowery"
160. "Killed while playing Bocci"
187. "I don’t want my picture took!"
188. "...I pressed the remote control switch in my pocket...
209. "Corpse with Glasses"
210. "On a Rooftop"
213. "Dead gangster being finger-printed"

43. "Putting on the Handcuffs"
47. "In the Paddy Wagon"
55. "10 Shots -10 Cents"
56. "Untitled"
60. "D.O.A."
89. "A place to sleep"
149. "Gun shop"
158. "Early morning edition of the Sunday morning newspaper"
217. "The Human Cannon Ball"
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61. "Ventriloquist"
96. "Negro Owned"
155. "Rescued from tenement house fire"
159. "Policeman"
174. "After Death -What?"
186. "We give you peace of mind"
191. "Bowery Mission"
204. "Aimee Sempel McPherson in a House of Prayer"
206. "During Big Harlem Riot Demonstrator Brought to Station House"
227. "After midnight on the bowery"

5. "Norma at Sammy's in the Bowery"
7. "Andy Warhol"
16. "Asleep in front of the music store"
38. "Ann"
45. "Frank Sinatra"
75. "Hollywood Star Veronica Lake"
88. "Gloria Vanderbilt and Friends"
93. "Dylan Thomas"
98. "Louella Parsons -Hollywood columnist"
132. "Concert audience in Harlem"
144. "Blonde at Sammy's"
153. "Bunk Johnson...after a busy Saturday night..."
183. "H. Fonda and Friend"
207. "Jerry Lewis"
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1. "Midgets in robot costumes"
10. "Giant hand in Macy’s Thanksgiving Day Parade"
54. "New York is a friendly town"
66. "Girl being splashed by fire hydrant"
72. "Sleep is where you find it"
74. "Down and Out—Tire Inspection Station"
110. "Harmonica player"
200. "...Even F.D.R. too..."

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48. "The Critic" II
62. "Three in a bed"
79. "Lower East Side, Cherry Street. Policeman from patrol car turns off fire hydrant which children have turned on"
81. "Tired Cowboy"
85. "Cop beside movie poster"
122. "A Friend and Mrs. Rae Goodman at Funeral"
135. "Opening Night at the Met"
147. "After the fire"
150. "V-Day"
157. "Female singers in last minute rehearsal at the Metropolitan Opera"
162. "Victory Day in Chinatown"
163. "New York City...where seven and a half million people live together in loneliness"
165. "Elephant float"
166. "Lovers on the beach"
192. "Stanley Kubrick on the set of Dr. Strangelove"
194. "Spring comes to Coney Island"
196. "New York street with clubs and restaurants at night"
201. "Street scene: William Street at Wall Street"
202. "Night scene"
208. "Night view"
6. "Shot and killed on East Side Street"
22. "The Gay Deceiver"
23. "17 Yr. Old Killer"
34. "The vegetable peddler"
36. "Open Air Canteen Broadway and 47th Street at five in the morning"
46. "Transvestite"
57. "Con Edison Clock"
58. "Los Angeles Drunk Tank"
64. "Hotel Times Square"
67. "Jail Graffiti"
68. "One-way street signs"
104. "Rescue from tenement house fire in N. Y.C."
109. "Carbonized man in Railway Express truck"
151. "Child sleeping in telephone booth"
164. "Santa Claus saved at Fire"
171. "Psycho"
172. "Fireman overcome by smoke, taken to store"
205. "Hairy Ape-Heats On"