Louis "Two Gun" Alterie

Louis "Two Gun" Alterie (August 2, 1886 – July 18, 1935), born Leland A. Varain, and aka "Diamond Jack Alterie", was a Californian who became a notorious hitman for the Chicago North Side Gang during the early years of Prohibition.



Obsessed with the Wild West, Alterie never went without a pair of Colt 45 pistols in holsters at his side, hence his nickname. A thug for Dean O'Banion, the temperamental hitman challenged rival gang members to a shootout on State Street and once punched a horse in the face. He pretended to be insane as a defense, but probably was.

As well as being a top gunman for the North Side Gang, he also formed the Theatrical Janitors' Union and used his position as union president to extort money from theater owners. By 1925 He was making approximately \$14,500 a week and spending it about as fast as he was making it!

The first seven characteristics are the NPC's basic ability mores: Muscle (Mu), Agility (Ag), Observation (Ob), Presence

Pr), Driving (Dr), Luck (Lu) and Hit Points (HP). The eighth Number is the character's level (Lv). The ninth number (Re) is a **Reaction modifier**. This number is added to or subtracted from the NPC's reaction roll when meeting a PC. For example, if a PC meets Two Guns, the judge determines his reaction to the character by rolling 2d10 and subtracting 2 (his reaction modifier). The last **two** numbers are the lowest Mn) and

highest (Mx) reactions the NPC can have to a player character. No minimum figure is given for him, **so his** reaction to a PC can be as low as 2. However, he will never have a better RE reaction than 17. In general terms, this means Luis Might dislike a player character strongly, and will never really like anyone.

Character Stats

| 72 67 56 73 67 29 21 7 -2 0 17 | Mu | Ag | Ob | Pr | Dr | Lu | Нр | Lv | Re | Mn | Мx |
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| | 72 | 67 | 56 | 73 | 67 | 29 | 21 | 7 | -2 | 0 | 17 |

| Skills: Rope tricks | 65% Horseback rid | ling 78% Boxing | 58% Bookmaking 65% |
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| D10 | When encountered he is often doing one of these things. | | | | |
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| 1 | Pitching horseshoes | | | | |
| 2 | Reloading his six shooters | | | | |
| 3 | Carrying a saddle down the street | | | | |
| 4 | Hogtying a person as he shakes them down for protection | | | | |
| 5 | Doing rope tricks | | | | |
| 6 | Attending a western movie | | | | |
| 7 | Singing some cowboys songs | | | | |
| 8 | Attending a vaudeville rodeo show | | | | |
| 9 | Shopping for a new horse | | | | |
| 10 | Serving as Parade Marshall for the Calgary Stampede Parade, riding through town | | | | |
| | alongside the stampede Parade officials. | | | | |

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