

You've got to love a pulp which had the guts--and gusto--to label itself GUN MOLLS. Subtitled "Underworld and Gangster Romances," the combination of gangster and romance motif was briefly popular in the early 1930s. In addition to its title GANG WORLD, even Popular Publications got into the act in November 1931 with the publication of the first issue of UNDERWORLD ROMANCES. Unfortunately for Popular, for once their timing was bad and, after three issues, the title was changed to UNDERWORLD LOVE STORIES in an attempt to save it. The attempt failed; UNDERWORLD LOVE STORIES lasted but a single issue (February 1932).