

CO POLICE DEPT

CONTINUATION/FOLLOW-UP REPORT

1. Time/Date Dictated
5:05P 7-15-82

2. Case Number
82-07-25720

Offense or Incident

4. Location
SPEEGLEVILLE PARK AREA #3

5. Date Offense Reported
7-14-82

MURDER

Victim or Complainant (Last Name First)

FRANKS, KENNETH

Address

6. Description (Size, Color, Model, Style, Material, Condition, Serial No.)

Value Stolen

Value Rcv.

8. Arr. Want Canc

Name (Last, First Middle)

Address

Witr. Susp. Wrrt/Arr. No.

Race Sex Age/DOB Height Weight Hair Eyes Clothing-Distinctive Marks-Other

9. Arr. Want Canc

Name (Last, First, Middle)

Address

Witr. Susp. Wrrt/Arr. No.

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10. Abandoned Used in Offense Parked at PD Year Make

Model Name

Body Type

Color(s)

Stolen Stored Vict's Veh Towed Canc

Lic. Yr-State-Number

V.I.N.

Identifying Marks-Condition-Missing Parts

Owner

Address

DA 07166

Est. Value

I arrived at the scene where the bodies were found at about 7:45P, 7-14-82. I then assisted in crime scene search of the area where the three bodies were found. I also assisted in securing the area. Upon the arrival of the funeral home, I assisted the attendants in the method bodies were removed, and I also marked the location of the bodies as they were removed by the funeral home. I then went to the funeral home where I took fifteen photographs at the funeral home, showing the manner in which the hands were bound and how the knots were tied. Also showing the way the persons had been gagged and the knots on the gags. I also took photographs showing the injuries. At approximately 6:45A, 7-15-82, I returned to the Speegleville Park area #3, where the gate attendant is located. I talked to the gate attendant and his wife, MR. & MRS. KERMIT BRADSHAW. Both MR. & MRS. BRADSHAW stated that there was a heavy amount of traffic in and out of the Speegleville Park area #3, on Tuesday night, 7-14-82. They state they observed nothing unusual about the vehicles coming and going. They heard nothing to indicate any problem whatsoever, in the park area. They state that there were only two permits issued for overnight camping on Tuesday night, 7-14-82. One was for area #16, the other for area #12. The area in which the bodies were located is called Area #15 by the gate attendant and the park rangers. Although the gate attendant is at the entrance to area #3 which would be the overall general location of the place where the bodies were found and where area #15 is located. There was no one staying overnight at the camping area at area #15, near where the bodies were found. Upon my arrival last night, 7-14-82, and again this morning, 7-15-82, I noticed a tent in area #15. Upon arrival at this tent I find that the one white male and two children staying there had arrived approximately 15 minutes prior to the bodies being found, and would have no way of giving any information for this case. I then assisted OFFICER WILCOX. We made a search of the crime scene. I also assisted officer WILCOX with some of his measurements and we then took photographs of the area. I took seven photographs showing where the bodies had laid and also closeups showing the area directly under where the bodies had laid. I took one photograph of some tire impressions that were located at a dirt road intersection near where they body of KENNETH FRANKS was found. Although I had searched this area on the night of the 14th, I did not locate the tire impressions at that time. It is unknown as to whether someone may have passed through this area prior to officers returning Wednesday morning. I then, along with OFFICER WILCOX, took soil samples from the area directly underneath the bodies. The soil samples were taken between 8A and 10:15A, 7-15-82. I have numbered these soil samples #1 through #5. These soil samples will be taken to Dallas for examination. I took four soil samples under the body of KENNETH FRANKS. Sample #1 was taken from the area under the head. Sample #2 of the

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Clerk

Sergeant

Arr. Excep. Cl.

KIDWELL

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RANKS, KENNETH

Address

Qty. Description (Size, Color, Model, Style, Material, Condition, Serial No.)

Value Stolen

Value Rcv

PROPERTY

8. Arr. Want Canc

Name (Last, First Middle)

Address

Witr. Susp. Writ/Arr. No.

Race Sex Age/DOB Height Weight Hair Eyes Clothing-Distinctive Marks-Other

PERSONS

9. Arr. Want Canc

Name (Last, First, Middle)

Address

Witr. Susp. Writ/Arr. No.

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VEHICLE

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area under the left side of the body, near the hands. Sample #3, the right side of the body, near the hands. Sample #4, the area under the body, near the feet. On the next subject will be subject RAYLENE RICE, I took five soil samples from under her body. The sample marked #5 came from under the area of the head, should contain traces of blood as well as stomach contents that were expelled through the mouth. Sample #6 from the area under the body by the hands. Sample #7 would contain blood as well as dirt and grass. Sample #7 was taken of the area under the left leg from hip to foot. Sample #8 from right leg from hip to foot. Sample #9, the area under the body, between the legs. Samples #10, 11 & 12, were taken from the area under where the body of JILL MONTGOMERY was laying. Sample #10 will be that area under where the head was. Sample #11 will be soil samples of area under the body from neck to waist. Sample #12 will be the area under the body from waist to feet. I returned to my office where these samples are locked up and will be until such time as they are taken to the lab. On returning to the building, I stopped at the parking lot where I took soil samples of the Orange Ford Pinto. These also will be locked up in my office and will be taken to Dallas for comparison. I also took two photographs, one showing the right rear fender and wheel area where sample #13 was taken from. I took a photograph of the left front fender and tire area where sample #14 was taken from. I then contacted CAPT. DAN WEYNBURG with the McLennan County S.O. where I met him at the Waco Convention Center parking lot. I went with him in the County's helicopter where I took a number of aerial photographs of the Speegleville Park area, showing the area the bodies were located and also the entrance and roads to and from this area. I also took two photographs of the Koehne Park area. These photographs, along with other photographs taken were turned in to the photo lab for developing.

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JC 10:04P 7-15-82

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