INVESTIGATION REPORT ELUE SPRINGS POLICE DEPARTMENT BLUE SPRINGS, MISSOURI

COMPLAINT: 90-01111/S DATE: 02-23-90

TYPE LAST NAME FIRST NAME MID NAME DOB
V Middleton Katherine B 03-18-44

DATE RCVD DSPH (TIME) HOW UNIT PSN AREA/DIST DISP LOC 02-13-90 0900 420 334 1 7 56

CHARACTER OF CASE: Homicide

Autopsy witness

At or about 0900 hrs. on 02-13-90, Reporting Officer accompanied Det. R. Vasquez to the office of the Jackson County Medical Examiner, 2301 Holmes, Kansas City, Mo. for the purpose of witnessing the autopsy of Middleton, Katherine B., the victim of homicide, and for the purpose of receiving property of evidentiary value.

The body was identified and presented by John Overman, M.D. I was afforded ample time to photograph the body initially.

I then removed the paper sacks from the hands of the body and scraped the underside of each fingernail by using a fresh instrument. The scrapings and scraping instrument were packaged and marked. The paper sacks which were removed were also marked and packaged.

Two complete sets of fingerprints and palmprints were made , marked, and packaged.

Hair standards were retrieved by use of a fresh comb. The standards and comb were packaged and marked.

I was permitted to take several photographs during the different stages of the autopsy resulting in the exposure of a complete roll of film which was marked and packaged.

I received a vial of blood drawn by Dr. Overman from the body. It was properly marked and packaged.

I received 2 small metal fragments, believed to be part of a bullet, which were retrieved from the brain as the result of examination by Dr. Overman. They were properly marked and packaged.

For details of the autopsy, see Dr. Overman's report.

All evidence was returned to B.S.P.D. and placed in the secured Property Room.

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