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INVESTIGATOR'S REPORT

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SE # CC90-09	AUTOPSY # 90-11	OTHER MOCO CC1391-90			
REPORT DATE 07/08/90	TIMES	NOTIFIED 1836	DISPATCHED 1845	ARRIVED 1901	LEFT 2022
DECEASED PCSO Dis. Judy Smith	RELATIONSHIP None		HOW Pager-Telephone		
INVESTIGATOR Tim H. Miller	SUSPECTED TYPE OF CASE Homicide				
LOCATION Around Cedar Lake American Aggregates property, 1/4 mile west of Guy Murray Road, southwest of New Paris, in la.					

IDENTIFICATION

NAME Lesia M. Buckley			AGE 20	DOB 09/23/69	
ADDRESS 11624 Pence Shewman Rd.			TEL. 273-2663		
CITY Eldorado			STATE Ohio	ZIP 45321	
SEX Female	RACE White	HGT. 5'5"	WGT. 119	HAIR Brown	EYES Green
DL # PN86149		TYPE Operator	STATE Ohio	ISS 10/27/87	EXP 09/23/91
HAIR Average	TEETH Natural	MUS/BEARD NA	MARITAL Divorced		
OCCUPATION Typist-computer operator		EMPLOYER Cedar Springs Care Center, New Paris			
BIRTHPLACE Toledo, Ohio	FATHER James Buckley	MOTHER Mary			

SCENE

INSURANCE	DATE July 7, 1990	TIME Late P.M.	PLACE Stated location
	July 8, 1990	Early A.M.	
DATE	TIME	PLACE	
July 7, 1990	Late P.M.	Stated location	
July 8, 1990	Early A.M.		
COUNTY Preble	TOWNSHIP Jefferson	CITY NA	
RESOURCES			
WHERE FOUND	<input type="checkbox"/> INSIDE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUTSIDE <input type="checkbox"/> APMT <input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE FAM <input type="checkbox"/> DOUBLE <input type="checkbox"/> BSNB		
OTHER (DESCRIBE)	Abandoned gravel pit, now a lake, on American Aggregates property. Body in 15' north of south bank which was 138 feet north of gravel lane through the subject property.		
LIVING RM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SUBJECT PROPERTY	<input type="checkbox"/> BEDRM	<input type="checkbox"/> KITCHEN <input type="checkbox"/> BATHRM <input type="checkbox"/> BASEMENT
ATTIC	<input type="checkbox"/> GARAGE	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER	
ROOMS	<input type="checkbox"/> ORDERLY	<input type="checkbox"/> UNTIDY	<input type="checkbox"/> DISARRAY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSANITARY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SUSPICIOUS
POSITION	<input type="checkbox"/> FACE UP	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FACE DOWN	<input type="checkbox"/> SIDE <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> R <input type="checkbox"/> SITTING <input type="checkbox"/> LYING
ON	<input type="checkbox"/> CHAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> BED	<input type="checkbox"/> FLOOR <input type="checkbox"/> CAR <input type="checkbox"/> SUSPENDED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER Floating in water 2' deep
DIRECTION	<input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> S <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> E <input type="checkbox"/> W	FEET TOWARD: <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> W	

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UND	DATE 07/08/90	TIME C1815	BY Jerry York
30 E. Eaton Pike, New Paris, Ohio 45347			TEL # 437-1175
DECEASED PRON BY Officer Dennis Scheiding & Deputy Mike Simpson			
POLICE NOTIFIED	DATE 07/08/90	TIME C1831	ARR C1835
FIRST OFFICER	Scheiding & Simpson		LEFT C2022
FIRST ENTRY BY	DEPT. New Paris Police & PCSO		
PERSONS AT SCENE			
() KEY () FORCE () OPN DR () UNLK DR () OPN WIND () UNLK WIND			

EXAMINATION

CONDITION OF BODY	() CLOTHED	(X) PARTIALLY CLOTHED	() NUDE	() DECOMPOSED
OTHER DESCRIPTION	pink & black bra top, pink and black shorts, red & white canvas shoes. Both legs through right leg of shorts.			
BODY HEAT (X) NO () YES	TEMP =	ENV TEMP C85°	WEATHER Partly cloudy	
WOUND	() NONE () SLIGHT (X) FULL () JAW () ARMS () LEGS	DATE 07/08/90	TIME 1904	
ORIF	() NONE () NON FIXED () FIXED () FRONT () BACK () SIDE () OK/POS			
WOUND	() NONE () FRESH () DARK () DRIED (X) SLIGHT AMT () LARGE AMT			
VISION	about left eye			
WOUND	() NONE OBS () GUN () STAB (X) BLUNT FORCE () BURN (X) ASPHYXIATION			
OTHER	See Page 3, Autopsy Pathologic Diagnoses			
WOUND	() NECK (X) CHEST () ABDOMEN () BACK () ARM () HAND () LEG			
WOUND	GUN-BRAND None	TYPE	CALIBER	
WOUND	SER #	O/A LENGTH	BBL LENGTH	BBL/TGR
WOUND	BRAND	SPENT	BRAND	LIVE
WOUND	(DESCRIBE)			
WOUND	LENGTH	BLADE LENGTH	BLADE WIDTH	
WOUND	TYPE WEAPON			
WOUND	() WEAPON NOT FOUND () WEAPON TAKEN BY	DEPT		
WOUND	() DONE AT SCENE () DONE AT HOSPITAL OR ()			
WOUND	DEPT	DATE	TIME	

NUMBER C90-09			
INDICATORS	MAIL DATES	NEWSPAPERS	
LIGHTS	() ON () OFF	TV	() ON () OFF
FOOD		OTHER	
LAST CONTACT BY		RELATIONSHIP	
DATE	TIME	METHOD	
IDENTIFICATION	(X) YES, BY Jerry York, 19, 12/24/70, ██████████, 50 E. Eaton Pike, New Paris		
() NO, TO BE DONE BY			
NEXT OF KIN	NAME James & Mary Buckley	RELATION Parents	
ADDRESS	4532+		TX # 273-2665
NOTIFIED BY Sheriff Larry Green	DATE 07/08/90	TIME 1915	
DRUG USE	() NO () YES (X) UNKNOWN		
MEDICAL INFORMATION	TREATED BY	TX #	
FOR			LAST SEEN
RECENT COMPLAINTS			
MEDICATION FOUND			
RESUSCITATION ATTEMPT	(X) NO () YES, BY		
EVIDENCE COLLECTED	See PCSO Reports		
		BY	
SPECIAL ATTENTION TO			
PROPERTY	JEWELRY DESCRIPTION Yellow ring w/red & white stones (right ring finger), red & blue "Indian" type ring (first finger, right hand), 1987 Natl. Trail HS class ring w/blue stone & "Iesa" (middle finger, left hand), rough yellow ring with white stone (left ring finger), 2 yellow neck chain s. one with charm & clear glass setting.		
CURRENCY	COINS \$5.65	OTHER Wallet & contents (retained by Dennis Scheiding)	
RELEASED TO Mary Buckley			
DATE 07/10/90		TIME	
DECEASED REMOVED	DATE 07/08/90	TIME 2000	BY Brian Barnes & Stanley Arthur
TO Montgomery County Coroner's Office, 361 W. Third St., Dayton, Ohio 45402			
CORONER NOTIFIED	DATE 07/09/90	TIME 0801	AT SCENE (X) NO () YES, AT
EXAMINED	DATE	TIME	AT

7C90-09
BUCKLEY, Lesa M.
07/08/90

Subject his case left her residence, Road, Eldorado, about 1800 Saturday, 07/07/90, with a friend, Chelsea Royer, to attend a party at the American Aggregates property west of Guy Murray Road, southwest of New Paris. The party was being held by Eric Myers who had permission for the property's lessee, Vaughn Riegel, for same. The property was a former gravel pit and includes a large lake.

Riegel went to the party C2230 to check if everything was okay. He observed Buckley subject there at that time.

About 1800 Sunday, 07/08/90, a group of people who were swimming in the lake on the American Aggregates property observed a body floating in the lake approximately 15 feet north of the south bank. They were Jerry York, 19, 12/24/70, SS 451, 50 E. Eaton Pike, New Paris, phone 437-1175, who initially found the subject, Billy Scott, 28, 04/12/62, SS 2, 435 S. Eighth St., Richmond, Ind., no phone, and Donald Sutton, 19, 07/31/70, SS 301 E. Eaton Pike, New Paris, phone 437-5691. Sutton and Scott both attended the party; York did not. Statements were taken by deputies from all three.

After the body was discovered, Sutton drove to New Paris and found Patrolman Dennis Scheiding, accompanied by Deputy Mike Simpson, at Reva's Dairy Bar, 422 S. Washington St., and reported same. The Preble County sheriff's dispatcher was notified at 1831 by Simpson who accompanied Scheiding to the scene approximately one-half mile west of Guy Murray Road. The body was in the water, two feet deep, 15 feet from the south bank which was 138 feet north of the gravel lane which goes through the American Aggregates property.

Undersigned notified at 1836 and was at the scene at 1901. Deputy Simpson showed me the scene. Other officers present included Scheiding, Deputies Tom Doran and George Petitt, and Sheriff Larry Green. Sheriff's Investigator Larry Swihart arrived a short time later.

I pulled subject to bank of lake and photographed same. Subject was removed from the water C1930 upon arrival of Barnes Funeral Home and turned over. She was wearing clothing previously described. Both legs were through the right side of her shorts. She was not wearing any panties. There was a small amount of blood around her left eye. Subject taken to Montgomery County Coroner's Office, 361 W. Third St., Dayton, for an autopsy. The removal was made by Brian Barnes and Stanley Arthur.