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4. Location KOEHNE PARK	5. Date Offense Reported 7-13-82

3. Offense or Incident
CAPITAL MURDER

Victim or Complainant (Last Name First)
FRANKS, KENNETH

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On 8-6-82 at 8:10A I contacted a JEANIE WALKER at her place of employment by public service 776-2000 at Huck Manufacturing. She stated that she had heard from her son ERIC WALKER that a BRAD ROBBE sister and her husband had picked up a hitchhiker on Hwy 6th the night of the Murders. I asked her why she had not called the Police before being that I had been trying to contact her for a week or so on this information. She said that she had found put it was a false story passing around. I did ask her if I could call her son at her home at 662-5162 where she told me that I could, that he would still be at home.

I did call ERIC at approx. 8:20AM 8-6-82. He told me that a friend of his, BRAD ROBBE who works for Holiday Ice had said that his sister and husband had picked up a hitchhiker and later had found blood on the back seat of the car. I also had checked on ROBBE who lives at Rt. 6, 662-1083 and found that this was BRAD ROBBE'S mother. She did tell me that she did not know anything about the story being passed around but did not feel that her son would be making stories, especially in trying to get his sister involved. MS. ROBBE did give me the number of her daughter BRENDA SMITH, being 754-5855, employed at 772-9303. I did leave a message for BRENDA to call me back being that she was not at her place of employment at that time.

At 10:15AM BRENDA did call back and said that she and her husband JIM did not know anything of blood being in their car and also they do not ever pick up strangers on the road and she does not have any idea why her brother would be making stories up, matter of fact she did not believe that her brother was putting out this story.

At 11:30AM I received information from JIMMY MORGAN of the Bellmead Police Dept. who told me that he had talked to an informant who had gave him the information of a vehicle that had picked up a hitchhiker near Speegleville that had left blood on the back of the car and that he had traced back three names from his informant and had the information come back to a BECKY CATES who is a personal friend of BRENDA ROBBE who is now BRENDA SMITH and her husband JIM SMITH.

) then did call JIM SMITH at his place of employment which is Lochridge Priest. What he told me is that they do not ever pick up strangers and they had not been out that he knows of on that Tuesday night.

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However, he did tell me that his wife had talked to him about the incident since I had called her that morning and that his wife BRENDA had said that she had heard from a girl named MORIE about this story of the hitchhiker.

I then called BRENDA back and she denied knowledge of the names that JIM had given me. She did become upset after I did question her further where she gave the name of a girl named MELISSA and that she would not give me MELISSA'S phone number but that MELISSA would call me back later.

Approx. 2:00PM I did get a call from MELISSA BLACKWELL who works at Charles McDonalds Law office at 752-9267. MELISSA stated that she does not know anything about a hitchhiker but that she knew that JIM and BRENDA had not been involved in any matter such as this. She then told me that she had heard from another office girl that the information had come from a girl that works at Winns store on Eastgate.

I then checked this story out where it came back again that they had heard the story from BRAD ROBEE. I then called BRENDA SMITH again and related to her that I had checked out two stories about the hitchhiker with blood on the back seat and that it came back that the story originated from BRAD ROBEE. Therefore I have excluded this hitchhiker story from this investigation.

At 9:14AM on 8-6-82 I did talk to MR. WELDON BOUNDS of Bounds Automotive. He stated to me that he knew DANNY SISEMORE and that he had heard that we were looking for him to talk to him about this triple murder. He stated that DANNY SISEMORE had an Uncle who was connected with the Mafia and was a very blood thirsty subject and that he has been in town in Waco at least three to four times in the last three to five years and that he does come from Florida. MR. BOUNDS also stated that a JOY THRASHER who is an ex-girlfriend of DANNY SISEMORE was suppose to have seen DANNY around June of this year. We had found out that DANNY had been dismissed from the service back in April or May of 82. JOY THRASHER is living with her sister at 1401 College Drive 753-8487.

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At 9:30AM I received a call from MR. BOUNDS son DAVID BOUNDS who had given information to SGT. BARRINGTON that the talk around China Springs and Valley Mills was that DANNY SISEMORE had been the subject that committed the Murders. I did ask DAVID BOUNDS specifically how he knew this and he just mentioned that it was talk around the town from the young people, not nothing definite or that anybody had personal knowledge of it happening. He did say that DANNY SISEMORE was capable of doing this type of crime.

DAVID BOUNDS stated that he would keep his ears open and that he would try to get us more information on DANNY SISEMORE as he got it.

At 8:38A 8-9-82 I made a call to Rusk Texas where I talked to DEPUTY KENNETH ACKERS in reference to a Murder where they had found a subject tied up with rope and strangled with a towel where the Suspect was a CHARLES ANTHONY JOHNSTON, a Waco local. The VICTIM was a RODNEY ANTHONY CASS. The detail of the killing was that the subject had been tied with his hands crossed around the front of his chest and then tied to the back across his waist to his feet from behind and then strangled with a towel. There were no wounds on the body whatsoever. DET. ACKERS stated that JOHNSTON had been talking about the Murder of his friend CASS the day before the body was found. After the discussion with ACKERS, I found that this case did not have any similarities to our case.

At 12:05PM 8-9-82 LT. HORTON, SGT. HOLSTIEN, Ranger JOE WILEY and MYSELF went to Dallas Texas where we met with Pathologist DR. GILLILAND on the autopsy of the bodies. Reports had been brought back to Waco and will be attached to the case on the results of the autops.

Also on 8-9-82 a polygraph test had been set for JAMES LUCAS to be questioned about the triple Murders after he had been accused by KEITH PAYNE and DAVID PAYNE of committing the triple Murder at Speegleville Park. I was informed by DET. TRANHAM that after the test was administered that JAMES LUCAS had passed the polygraph and he had no personal knowledge of the Murders. I was informed that he did show strong reaction to the questions that were asked to him about the PAYNE brothers who had previously tried to frame him on the Murders.

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