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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CARL JOHNSON — Date Jan. 1

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Seashore
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1503 Fifth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	None except Noted on Morgue Record
Age	44 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	W.P.A. Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Double lobar pneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
S Undertaker	John Anderson	Address	To County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937. P

REMARKS:

Admitted to Swedish Hospital December 28, 1936, at 8:30 P.M. Died January 1, 1937, at 4:45 A.M. Attended by Dr. O. A. Olson. Hospital records show that deceased was in an auto accident about two weeks prior to his admission to the hospital and that he had received a slight injury to his left chest. His pain subsided in a few days, but on December 24th he was taken sick with symptoms of vomitting, cough and raising rusty sputum. On account of the injury which deceased claimed he had sustained, Dr. Olson referred the case to the coroner's office and requested that an autopsy be held to determine the extent of the injury. Autopsy revealed no injury.

According to the police report deceased was struck by Oldsmobile sedan driven by C. A. Thompson, 3717 Elliot Avenue South, on December 24th, 1936 at 26th St. & Lyndale Ave., and brought by him to Minneapolis General Hospital. Report on file.

Deceased is said not to have any relatives in this country, but a mother and sister in Sweden. A friend is Carl Graysier, telephone Walnut 6801.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME AUDRA CRENSHAW Date Jan. 1.

Place of Death	Eitel Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	4853 Columbus Ave. So.	Inquest	No
Residence	4953 Columbus Ave. So.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	39 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Texas		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Extensive burns of body due		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	to kerosene explosion while		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~	starting fire in furnace.		
Place of Burial	Gainsville, Texas	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Burr Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS: Admitted Nov. 20, 1936, at 7:30 P.M. Died Jan. first, 1937, at 4:45 P.M. Attended by Dr. Leonard Johnston. The husband, Frank, stated to coroner that deceased and her daughter Jean (12), came home together; that deceased poured kerosene into the furnace to start up the fire quickly. There was an explosion and deceased's clothing caught fire. The daughter helped to put out the fire.

Deceased received severe burns of arms, chest and back. Body viewed at Burr's parlors by Dr. Callerstrom.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FANNIE McNEIL STUBLEFIELD Date Jan. 1.

Place of Death	595 Sixth Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	595 Sixth Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	51 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Lexington, Mo. (Colored)		
Occupation	Housewife.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Neal Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

The husband is Art. Stublefield. Deceased has been ailing for some time. She has been a patient at General and Parkview Hospitals. The husband left home at noon and when he returned at 3:55 P.M. he found her dead in bed. Body emaciated. No evidence of any violence.

Body viewed at home and taken direct to undertakers.

Officer Couch.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THOMAS HANLEY — Date Found Jan. 1.

Place of Death	1827 2½ Street South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1827 2½ Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	58 Sex Male	None except listed on Morgue Record	
Birthplace	Winona, Minn.		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Illuminating gas poisoning		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
Undertaker	John Anderson	Address	To County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937.

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REMARKS:

Deceased was on relief. He has had a room here since December eighth, formerly stayed at Norge Hotel. The landlord John Swanson, came to the door at 8 P.M. and could hear gas sizzling from the jet inside and could smell gas in the hallway. He broke in the door and turned off the gas jet on the wall.

There was a bottle of liquor on the table. Deceased was lying on the bed, clothed except for shoes, partly covered by a blanket. Body is pink as from gas. Others to arrive were John Peterson and Emma Lund of the same address. Deceased was on probation.

Officers Danborg and Casey.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE LINTON — Date Found Jan. 1.

Place of Death	3106 22nd Avenue South	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	22nd Av. S. betw. Lake & 31st Sts.	Inquest	No
Residence	3106 22nd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Key
Age	76 Sex Male	Other effects listed on Morgue Record	
Birthplace	New York State		
Occupation	Foreman - lumber camp		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Intertrochanteric fracture of		
~~Suicide~~	right hip with pulmonary em-		
~~Homicide~~	bolism, probably due to fall.	Clothes sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937. Proceeds to County Treasurer Dec. 17, 1937.	
Place of Burial	Tomah, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	Geo. E. Ferguson, Spec. Adm.
Undertaker	Henry W. Anderson	Address	3032 23rd Avenue South.

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REMARKS:

The deceased was first said to have been struck by a hit-run car while crossing Lake Street. Marshall S. Snyder, 754 Security Building, stated to the deputy coroner, however, that the deceased told him he slipped and fell on a sidewalk between Lake and 31st Streets on 22nd Avenue South, October 12, 1936.

Dr. McMurtrie was called and sent him to St. Mary's Hospital where he was admitted October 19, 1936, at 12:25 P.M. and discharged Dec. 17, 1936. He was treated with a skeletal traction. The above history was furnished by Dr. McMurtrie. The history at St. Mary's Hospital states that the deceased tripped and fell on October 11, 1936, following which he could not bear weight on his right leg. He was getting up and about at home, apparently feeling well. A roomer in the house at the above address stated that the deceased called "Happy New Year" to him through the closed door at about midnight December 31st. He was found dead in bed at 8:00 A.M. by a sister Rachel Ferguson of 3032 23rd Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROBERT JAMES LESLIE

Date January 2

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Calerstrom
Place of Accident	22nd Street & Third Av.So.	Inquest	No
Residence	340 E. 22nd Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	69 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Canada		
Occupation	Laborer, paperhanger & painter.		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ ~~Accident~~ Auto Accident ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~	Fracture of the skull and bruising of brain.	
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital from 22nd Street and Third Avenue South. Admitted December 23rd at 8:52 P.M. unconscious and did not regain consciousness. Died at 6:35 A.M. Jan. 2nd.

Accident occurred at 8:25 P.M. December 23rd. Deceased was on the street at 22nd Street and Third Avenue South when he was struck by a car, Ford coach, going south on Third Avenue and driven by Herbert Laatech, 4453 15th Avenue South. Witnesses were Mrs. Herbert Laatech; Albert Hohn, 2211 Third Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NELS AUGUST WICKLUND

Date Jan. 2

Place of Death	809 12th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	809 12th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	66 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Foreman - City sewer dept.		
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural ~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~	Coronary sclerosis	
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Died in a chair at 10:30 A.M.

Dr. Henry Peterson had seen him two years ago for cardiac trouble.

Body viewed at Anderson Bros.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES EDWARD BERGHOLZ Date Jan. 2

Place of Death	2526 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2425 Garfield Ave. So.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	60 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Stockholm, Sweden		
Occupation	Merchant - General Merchandise		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has been employed at the above address, which is the Madam White Beauty Shop, owned by his son Fred Bergholz of 7304 Lyndale Avenue South, doing odd jobs and taking care of the furnace. He was found dead at 10:00 A.M. Jan. 2, 1937, at the bottom of the basement stairs with his head down on the floor and feet up on the stairs. He was face down. He had been seen only five minutes before.

His son stated that he has complained of a sense of pressure in his chest the past two days. A milkman was said to have noticed that he was not feeling well at 7:00 A.M. when he found him leaning on a broom and feeling poorly. Two years ago he had had a heart attack which kept him in bed for about two months.

Officers McCarthy and Anderson.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PETER HOWARD Date Jan. 3.

Place of Death	658 Madison St. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	658 Madison St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	86 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Carriage Maker		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Washburn McReavy	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased retired last night at 12:30 A.M. as usual and was found dead in bed this morning at 7:30 A.M. Apparently died in his sleep without a struggle. Body viewed at undertakers.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NAZAR CARPENTER Date January 3.

Place of Death	1111 Spring Street N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1111 Spring Street N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	60 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Canada		
Occupation	Boiler maker - helper		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Rainville Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has not been well for some time. He has been very short of breath and tired. Did not work - was on relief. At 10 P.M. deceased and his wife went to the house of Leonard Perkins, 619 Madison St. N.E. The wife states deceased had two drinks of liquor and played the violin for those dancing. He became ill and was taken home and placed in bed at 3 A.M. He was found dead at 8 A.M. Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance doctor called. Body viewed at home.

Officers Benzick and Gustafson.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MIKE VERNARSKY Date January 3

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	32½ Washington Av. S.	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.42 cash; 6 receipts; 1 tie clasp; Central Loan office ticket for watch #18149; 3 Metropolitan receipt books.
Age	48 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Czecho-Slovakia		
Occupation	Laborer		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Carholic acid poisoning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Agnes Saksa, Niece
Undertaker	Stanley Kapala & Co.	Address	517 144th Street East Chicago, Ind.

REMARKS:

Admitted by ambulance from 45 Washington Avenue South January third, at 1:55 A.M. -- Dr. Larson on the ambulance. Admitted by Dr. Whitesell. Died Jan. 3 at 11:15 A.M. Attended by Dr. M. Fridell. First seen by Dr. L. Berman.

Crist Degenich, proprietor of the hotel (Odin) stated that deceased had stayed at his place two days, but he had known him for a long time; that he heard deceased moaning and found him lying across the bed unconscious, and bloody fluid coming out of the mouth. He notified police. Mr. Degenich stated that deceased was drinking a great deal and that he was being treated at the hospital for syphilis.

Dr. Berman stated to coroner that deceased's vomitus had a carbolic acid odor, and that there was a burn on the tongue. There were burns of the lips and gums. Officers Harry Johnson and John Cochrane investigated. Dr. Frank Larson found a three-ounce bottle of carbolic acid about two-thirds full at the foot of the bed in his room.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME AUGUST ROHNEY

Date Found Jan. 3.

Place of Death	Mississippi R. & 5th Av.S.	Autopsy	Dr.. Seashore.
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1704 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$25.63 cash; 3 keys; 1¢ postage stamps; Misc. papers of no value; 1 Lafayette Mutual Life Assn. policy #21094; 1 receipt; 1 Elgin Watch; 2 purses.
Age	71 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	House Painter		
CAUSE OF DEATH (Natural)	Chronic hypertrophy and dilatation of heart and exposure to cold.	Other effects listed on Morgue Record	
CAUSE OF DEATH (~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~)			
Place of Burial	Nevada, Iowa	Effects delivered to	M. McLaughlin, Nevada, Iowa, By order of: John Rohney & Mrs. Van Gundy, Bro. & Sis., of Nevada, Iowa.
S Undertaker	O. H. Oakley	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead about 9 A.M. by John Anderson, 4211 19th Avenue South, watchman for Minneapolis Mill & Water Power Company. When found deceased's lower half of body was in the water, arms resting on the boom in the channel. Body was surrounded by ice. Officers Kevelin, Klopfleich and Tully recovered the body by hooks at 10:30 A.M.

Mrs. F. M. Carlin, 1704 First Avenue South, phone Atlantic 9163, stated deceased was seen in his room at 12:30 P.M. Jan. 2, 1937, by the maid. He was on old age pension.

Deceased was seen intoxicated between five and six P.M. Jan. 2, by Johnson and Walter, first name and address unknown.

He may have fallen into the water from a small railroad bridge which is only a few feet above the water.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM HAYDEN (?)

Date Jan. 4.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Seashore
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	31 Washington Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Harrington & Richardson #143085 Revolver; 1 empty cartridge.
Age	About 45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Unknown		
Occupation	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH (~~Natural~~)	Gun shot wound of head	Other effects listed on Morgue Record	
CAUSE OF DEATH (~~Accidental~~ Probably Suicide ~~Homicide~~)			
Place of Burial	County Farm	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
S Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937. P

REMARKS:

Admitted January third at 7:14 P.M. by Dr. Robert LaBree. Died Jan. 4 at 12:05 A.M. Treated by Dr. Sorenson. Brought in by ambulance No. 1 by Dr. Larsen.

Bullet wound of entrance is 1½ inches in front of the front part of the left ear and 1/4 inches above the level of the upper tip of the ear. A small burned rim around the wound; no powder stains and no singeing of hair. Blood running out of nose and mouth. Body viewed at morgue.

Police reports the following: Officers Sandberg & Connolly went to Denver Hotel, 31 Washington Ave. S., room No. 340. Uniform officers Donahue and Haley and General Hospital ambulance crewwere there when they arrived. Wm. Hayden, 40 to 45 years old, was lying across his bed with a bullet through his head. Beside him was a 32-caliber Harrington-Richards revolver #143085 lying near him with two shells in it, one loaded and one discharged. Jas. Robillard, room 308, heard the shot and reported it to the proprietor, Chas. H. Arnold, residence Edina, phone Walnut 2870W, who reported the case to police.

Deceased rented the room January second at 3:30 P.M. and paid for two days. Officer McClaskey told the coroner that James Robillard together with the clerk of the hotel C. D. Brock, who was on first floor, and the manager Chas. H. Arnold, who was on third floor, unlocked the room of deceased and found him on the bed and the gun on the floor. Both Robillard and Arnold heard the shot. Robillard and day clerk, William Hertz showed coroner the room deceased was in, No. 340 on fourth floor. Robillard, room No. 308, was only three or four doors away. Hertz stated he rented deceased the room and that he checked a box but came back and got it in two hours. Arnold told coroner that when he first opened deceased's door deceased was lying on a bed and the revolver was lying on the floor. He also stated that no one in the hotel seemed to know the deceased.

An examination of records at Washington, D.C., by the Federal Bureau of Investigation revealed no data concerning deceased.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: WILLARD CARDINAL — Date: January 4.

Place of Death	In amb. enroute to Asbury Hosp. fm 10th St.N.E.& Great Nor.tracks	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	10th St.N.E. & Great Nor.Ry.tracks	Inquest	No
Residence	Waverly, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	$.03 cash; knife; spectacle case (only); papers.
Age	19 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Train Accident		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Waverly, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Ervin Cardinal, Waverly, Minn.
R Undertaker	Boyce Funeral Home, Delano, Minn.	Address	By order of Ed Cardinal, father of deceased.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Asbury Hospital by emergency ambulance driven by Henry Olson, from the scene of the accident. Deceased was dead on arrival. Olson says that he was taken from underneath the boiler of the locomotive between the drivers and between the rails. He said witnesses stated that the engine was going at a slow rate of speed. The engine stopped in fifteen feet. His head was toward the cab.

According to the office of the Superintendent of the Great Northern Ry. the deceased was employed as an extra section laborer, and had been cleaning snow from a switch between the rails on the westbound main line just west of 10th St.N.E. He had earlaps on and the wind was blowing toward the engine so he apparently did not hear it until struck.

Witnesses were Sam Stenson, 354 Buchanan St. N.E.; John Elias, 652 4th Ave. N.E.; Frank and Edward Marks, 451 Taylor St. N.E.; John Sucik, 647 Washington St. N.E.

Injuries were as follows: The chest was visibly flattened on the right side and bulging slightly on the left. Several fractured ribs were palpable in the right mid-clavicular line, and also in the left nipple line. There were large superficial abrasions over the anterior chest wall more marked on the right. There was bleeding from both ears and nostrils. There were two deep lacerations of the scalp the first one being four inches long and running posteriorly from a point two inches above the anterior superior margin of the left ear. The second was 1½ inches long and extended posteriorly from a point one inch to the left of the midline and two inches above the left eyebrow. There was ecchymosis of both eyelids.

John Elias and Sam Stenson, witnesses, were interviewed by the deputy coroner January 7, 1937. Stenson stated that he was working with the deceased on

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: JOHN MICHAEL MULLANEY — Date: Jan. 5

Place of Death	Golden Valley Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Golden Valley Township	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	58 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Seneca, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Millwright		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		

Switch No. 9; that he, Stenson, looked up just in time to see the engine looming above him, that he jumped just in time, and shouted to the deceased but he had no time to jump and that the engine struck him from behind, knocked him down between the rails and then it rolled him over and over until stopped by Stenson and other workers who shouted to the engineer. The time of the accident was 4:15 P.M.

E. J. Baxter of 3238 Bloomington Avenue South, the switch foreman, who was also interviewed, says he did not see the accident but that the deceased had been employed only a few days; that the engine stopped about thirty to forty feet from the accident.

The engineer is Axel Forsblad.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLARD CARDINAL

Date January 4.

Place of Death	In amb. enroute to Asbury Hosp. fm 10th St.N.E.& Great Nor.tracks	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	10th St.N.E. & Great Nor.Ry.tracks	Inquest	No
Residence	Waverly, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	$.03 cash; knife; spectacle case (only); papers.
Age	19 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Train Accident		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	Fracture of skull and crushing injuries to chest.		

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN MICHAEL MULLANEY

Date Jan. 5

Place of Death	Golden Valley Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Golden Valley Township	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	58 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Seneca, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Millwright		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. R. S. Andrews was called to deceased's home. He told coroner that deceased had died shortly before he arrived, about 7:15 A.M. He had attended the family before but not the deceased. He said deceased had not been feeling well for a few days, that he had been troubled with chest pains and "asthma" attacks.

Body viewed at Gleason's Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK BUSHBAUM Date January 6.

Place of Death	Brackett Field, 37th Av. So. & 28th St.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	257 Cedar Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	Knife; 2 keys; 9 streetcar tokens; 3 trade coins; 1 mutilated trade coin. 1 St Regis Watch.
Age	65 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Milwaukee, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Machinist - cooper shop		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	George Bushbaum, Brother
R Undertaker	Barney Anderson & Son	Address	4216 32nd Ave. So.

other effects listed in Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased was cleaning the hockey rink with a small hand scraper when he collapsed at 10:30 A.M. A Mr. R. E. Peterson of 4100 E. Lake Street, who was skating, saw him, and together with James Halligan of 2705 Elliot Avenue South, an employee, carried him into the Field House.

The Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance doctor pronounced him dead on arrival.

The park keeper is Ben Healy of 326 E. 18th Street.

Officer M. F. Sorenson.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JACOB GRUBRYN Date Jan. 7.

Place of Death	339 Harrison St. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	339 Harrison St. N.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	339 Harrison St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	$3.33 cash.
Age	54 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Tarmopl, Ukraine		(No clothes)
Occupation	Boiler maker		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Suffocation and third degree burns to entire body due to bedding and clothing on fire.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Helena Smith, Niece) Nearest Myron Grubryn, Nephew) known kin. Mike Grubryn ")
Undertaker	Rainville Funeral Home	Address	2528 38th Avenue South P

REMARKS:

Deceased roomed alone upstairs in this house. Mrs. Emma Anderson, tenant downstairs, states that at 2:15 A.M. deceased came to her door and asked for matches. It appeared that he had been drinking. At 11:45 A.M. today she noted smoke coming from cracks of an upstairs window. She notified neighbors and they called police and fire departments.

Deceased was lying in bed, the mattress and bedding was smoldering in fire and the room was full of smoke. Deceased was clad in underwear.

Deceased smoked cigarettes and it is probable that he was smoking in bed.

Walter Smith, 2528 38th Avenue South, a relative, arrived on the scene, also police officers Strand and Hoitomt.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: FLOYD MEAD — Date Found January 7.

Place of Death	West Hotel, Rm. 524	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1220 11th Avenue North St. Cloud, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$19.78
Age	39 Sex Male		Less .10 spent for telephone call. $19.68, balance.
Birthplace	Galesville, Wis.		Billfold; watch (Hamilton); chain; knife; pencil; notebook; receipt; American Legion pin; 2 Ident. cards; Am. Legion Official membership card #543380; driver's License card 3 A25163; Northland Greyhound Lines return coupon good for one ride Mpls. to St.Cloud, A9547; Northland Greyhound lines hat check; blueprint paper; box with medicine; cards; papers.
Occupation	Well driller		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.	
Place of Burial	St. Cloud, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	Edward J. Daniel, St. Cloud, Minn.
Undertaker	J. M. Gleason Mortuary	Address	By order of Mrs. Floyd Mead, wife.

REMARKS:

Deceased registered at West Hotel, room 524, at 6 P.M. January sixth. He was not seen after that but a Minneapolis Tribune printed at 8 P.M. is on the table. Found dead in bed at 7:15 P.M. January seventh. The chambermaid reported that she could not enter the room. Engineer Michael Straus and Ray Brunswick, clerk, opened the door through the transom. E. W. Byer, Manager, arrived.

Deceased was lying dead in bed, on his left side, one arm on the floor, one leg outside of bed, lying on his face. No evidence of any violence or disturbance in the room. Body weight 240 lbs, height 6 ft. 4 in.

He has been a patient at Earl Clinic, St. Paul. The wife telegraphed and requested that no autopsy be held.

Dr. Geo. Earl stated to Dr. Seashore over the telephone that an electrocardiogram of deceased's heart showed coronary disease.

Officers Schlasey and Aby.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: AUGUSTA CHRISTINA TURNER — Date Jan. 7.

Place of Death	3657 Second Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3657 Second Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	68 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Madison, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arterio-sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Lee Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased's daughter, Mrs. Leonard Eckland, stated to coroner that deceased had lived with her for three years; that deceased was feeble and had almost lost her memory.

Deceased died very suddenly in her presence about 11:30 A.M. Dr. Roan was sent for, but deceased was dead when he arrived. Body viewed at Lee's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FREDRIK JOHN LARSON Date Jan. 8.

Place of Death	1505 Tenth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1505 Tenth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.35 cash; purse; watch (D.H. Blinn & Co.,Hartford,Conn.); chain; knife; spectacles (broken); 5 streetcar tokens; envelope. 3 receipt books (Svenska Amerikanaren with stubs and copies of receipts); misc.letters; papers; receipts; memo of indebtedness, etc; certificate #135 for 25 shares "The Soss Invisible Hinge Co." stock, par value $5.00 each; certificate #349 for 2 shares "The Soss Invisible Hinge Co." stock, par value $5.00 each; Fire insurance policy on household goods,Svea Fire & Life #561486, Chas.J.Hedwall Co.; Acc. ins.policy #142457 Ill. Com.Men's Assn. Chi.,dated Nov. 20,1911;*
Age	65 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Newspaper Agent		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Arnold J. Ryden, by order of 1505 10th Ave. So.
S Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	Nora and Regina Larsson, sisters Sweden.

REMARKS: Deceased has been short of breath for some time. He had been outside and shoveled a little snow; when he came upstairs he started to gasp and in a short time he died. Present at the time were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Ryden with whom he had lived about twelve years, and Viola Dahlgren, a nurse. Deceased was single and no relatives are known in this country. A sister Nora Larsson, lives at Västerud, Varmland, Sweden.

Effects (Cont.) *Deed Chicago Cemetery Assn. to deceased covering S.12 ft. Lot 76, Division 5, Oak Hill Cemetery, Cook County, Ill.; Deedsdated Nov. 22, 1912, from Earl Hostetter, Chicago to deceased covering Lots 22 and 23, block 46 Lakewood Addition No. 2, Dalton Twp., Muskegan Co., Mich; tax receipts for 1932,1933,1934 and 1935 taxes on Lot 24, Block 6, Spring Brook Park, Anoka Co., Minn; agreement dated Oct. 29, 1924, signed by Helmer E. & Edwin Sjoquist; 2 metal boxes; man's old watch; small size watch and chain (Waltham); 2 stick pins; gold tooth crown; medal "1632-1932 Lützen"; printer's metal ruler; metal pencil;match case; 2 trinkets and case; corkscrew; 1 key.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANTON JENSEN Date January 8.

Place of Death	303 Federal Bldg. Third St. & Marquette Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3019 Sheridan Ave. N.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.50 cash; 1 letter.
Age	82 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Denmark		
Occupation	Carpenter		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Emil M. Jensen, Son
C Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	3019 Sheridan Ave. N.

Other effects listed in Morgue Record

REMARKS: Deceased entered the U. S. Immigration Service, room 303 Federal Building at 10:45 A.M. He inquired if this was the right place and sat down in a chair. In about five minutes he bent his head forward and gave a gasp or two and ceased breathing.

Dr. Shoddy, a navy doctor in the same building, arrived. Others present were Leonard L. Adams, 3704 46th Ave. So., Royal H. Storey, 35 W. Langford Place, St. Paul.

Son of deceased is Emil Jensen, a patrolman. Body taken to the county morgue. Officer Russell.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: MARY KAPINOS — Date Found: Jan. 8

Place of Death	2702 E. 25th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2720 18th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Ring
Age	74 Sex Female		
Birthplace	St. Lucas, Iowa		
Occupation	Housework		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Freezing from exposure to cold.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Hugh Harper, 2718 18th Av.S.
S Undertaker	J. M. Gleason	Address	By order of Barbara Sieh, Sister, 2718 18th Avenue South

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead by Alfred Anderson, 2419 26th Avenue South at 5:30 P.M. He notified the proprietor of the saloon, Theodore Klausen, who called police. When coroner arrived police officers were present: Frank Beinapple, P. Olson and George Anderson. Deceased was sitting just inside a partly open door on the floor up against the wall. The body was partly frozen. This room is back of the saloon, has two doors leading out, no heat in the room. Both of these doors were unlocked. She sat near the door opening toward 27th Ave.

Deceased is said to have been confused at times and not mentally bright. While confused she probably went inside the door and sat down. Weather very cold at the time.

Deceased left home at 2 P.M. January seventh to go to the store.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: ERNEST HAROLD OLSEN — Date: January 8.

Place of Death	1311 E. 21st Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1311 E. 21st Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	34 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Fargo, N. Dak.		
Occupation	Typewriter mechanic		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Pulmonary tuberculosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Albinson's Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had been ill for many years, with a cough and expectoration and weight loss. Several years ago he was treated by a chiropracter, name unknown, who told him he had tuberculosis. He did not seek medical attention. He died at 5:00 P.M. January eighth, 1937, in the presence of his family and Rev. John Moseid of 1316 E. 21st Street.

Body viewed at Albinson's Mortuary. Was very emaciated.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: VENDALE FAHLSTROM — Date Found: Jan. 9.

Place of Death	2012 Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2012 Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	62 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Retired dressmaker		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Welander-Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had been supported by her brother, Dr. J. G. Fahlstrom, a dentist, since 1929. She was found dead in her room, No. 8, at 6 P.M. January 9th, by Mrs. A. W. Lundquist and Mrs. Fred Swalm and Mrs. Schroeder of the same address. She was last seen alive in the hallway at 3:00 P.M. January 7, 1937, by Mrs. Swalm, but was thought to have been alive at 10:00 A.M. January 8, 1937, because some linen which was put by her door by Mrs. Lundquist at that time had been taken into her room.

The body was partly clothed, face down, on the floor beside the bed. Rigor and hypostasis present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: WALTER E. ESSLER — Date: January 10.

Place of Death	2023 Lyndale Avenue South	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2425 Colfax Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	2 Keys; comb; spectacles & case; 1 Social security act card acct. No. 472-01-698? Papers.
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Grocery Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Acute alcoholism		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. C. W. Lyon, Sister
C Undertaker	Johnson Undertaking Co.	Address	4900 Emerson Avenue South P

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

Clothes sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937. Proceeds to County Treasurer Dec. 17, 1937

REMARKS:

Mr. Ruther, 2409 Lyndale Avenue South, proprietor of beer saloon at 2023 Lyndale Avenue South, states that deceased entered his place alone at 9:30 P.M., sat down in a booth in the rear part of the saloon. Mrs. Ruther says that at 11 P.M. deceased ordered a sandwich. When she returned deceased was slumped over on the table. She thought him sleeping and did not disturb him. At 11:45 P.M. Mr. Ruther tried to awaken him but could not. Deceased was carried to the outside and police and ambulance called. Present were Leonard Swanson, 1506 Clinton Avenue, C. Hoper, 2421 Dupont Avenue South, police officers McGirr and Mahoney.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES CLAY BEVERLY — Date January 10.

Place of Death	4252 Queen Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4252 QUeen Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	74 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Tolland County, Conn.		
Occupation	Painter & decorator		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Rock Creek, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Lee's Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was living with his daughter, Myrtle Beverly. She heard him fall in the kitchen and he died almost immediately. Dr. Harry Johnson was called. Body viewed at Lee's Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JENS DAHL — Date January 11.

Place of Death	3014 37th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3014 37th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Revolver (Thames Arms Co. No. 1955); 4 cartridges; 1 empty cartridge.
Age	46 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Plumber		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Gun shot wound of head		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Margaret Dahl, Wife
C Undertaker	Henry W. Anderson	Address	3014 37th Avenue South

REMARKS:

The wife states that deceased left the house through the front door shortly after twelve noon and she saw him enter the garage rear of the house. In a half hour she went to the garage to call him for lunch and found him lying on the floor of the garage. Alvin Nelson, 3311 31st Av. S., Ellen Nelson, 3018 37th Avenue So., Anton G. Hanson, 1515 E. Lake St., arrived on the scene, also Officers Kelso and Haus.

Deceased was lying on his back fully clothed, a revolver at the heel of his left foot, his cap at the same place and a couple of pennies on the floor. The bullet entered the meatus of the right ear fracturing the skull. It did not emerge. The gun belonged to deceased.

Mr. Anton G. Hanson, 1515 E. Lake St., states that he talked to deceased at ten minutes to twelve over the phone and said he was coming to the house to audit the books of the Hogna Lodge of which deceased was treasurer. He said that there was a shortage of a few hundred dollars. The event and death occurred at about 12:50 P.M. Body viewed on the scene.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SAMUEL HAUSKINS

Date January 12.

Place of Death	Ft. Snelling Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Ft. Snelling Highway #5	Inquest	No
Residence	32 Royalston Av.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	62 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	W.P.A. Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Auto Accident	Crushing of right leg with		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	hemorrhage.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Case reported to coroner's office by Dr. Mathews of Fort Snelling Hospital. Accident occurred at 4:30 P.M. Jan. 12, 1937. Mr. Willard Henry Fischer driving a truck for the Villaume Lumber Co., Indiana & Walters St., St. Paul, had delivered a load of lumber at the Post Warehouse when deceased and a group of other W.P.A. workers got onto the truck intending to ride closer to the timekeeper's office. At the Riding Hall Junction of Highways 5, 55 and 100, all the men except deceased got off. A little farther down the road opposite the Main Post Exchange, the driver turned another direction which would bring the truck farther away from the timekeeper's office. Deceased, seeing this, jumped off from the truck without giving the driver any warning. The truck ran over the leg of deceased. Mr. Fischer felt the impact and stopped.

A tourniquet was applied and deceased brought by ambulance to Fort Hospital, where the leg was amputated at the lower third of femur. Death occurred at 9:37 P.M. January 12th. There were no actual witnesses to the fall. Those near or arriving on the scene were:

Pvt. Flynn
Sgt. G. H. Forst
Mr. Wickline
Mr. S. Pascal
Tony Dominjano, 1069 26th Av. S.E.
Cprp. Weitz.

Body taken to the Hennepin County Morgue.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES JENKINS

Date Found Jan. 13.

Place of Death	504 Eighth Ave. So.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	504 Eighth Ave. So.	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	65 Sex Male		none except listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Stanton, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Retired laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Stanton, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	C. Jenkins, Brother
C Undertaker	J.H.Cullen, New Richmond, Wis.	Address	Dassel, Minnesota.

REMARKS:

Deceased was on Old Age Pension and has roomed here three weeks. Previously he lived with his sister Mrs. Charles Monroe, 2443 Cedar Ave. He has complained a great deal of pains in his heart and for the last few weeks has appeared very sick. He was last seen alive at 9:30 P.M. January 12th by Gene (16) and Stanley (12) Williams, 633 Franklin, and found dead at 11 A.M. January 13th by the landlady Mrs. G. Rasmusson.

Deceased was clad in underwear. The body was hanging over the foot of an iron bed-stead, feet on the floor and head on the bed. Two flames were burning on the gas stove and the room was very stuffy. Helen Monroe took charge of effects.

Officers Williams and O'Neal.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HELEN KRAFT

Date January 13.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private by General Hospital
Place of Accident	In street outside of 3742 4th St. N.	Inquest	No
Residence	3742 4th St. N.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	63 Sex Femal e		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Fracture of hip due to fall		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~	~~Suicide~~ on icy street.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Swanson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted to Minneapolis General Hospital December 14, 1936, at 7:54 P.M. with diagnosis of intra-capsular fracture of left hip. Referred to hospital by Dr. L. Carlson. Private autopsy by General Hospital - Dr. Lufkin. Died January 13th at 9:05 A.M.

On the afternoon of December 14th deceased slipped on the icy street outside of her home and sustained injuries to her right hip.

Deputy Coroner Callerstrom present at autopsy.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CATHERINE HENRY

Date January 13.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Robbinsdale, Minnesota	Inquest	No
Residence	1678 Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	81 Sex Female		
Birthplace	New York City		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Fracture of hip due to		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~	~~Suicide~~ fall on icy street.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	National Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to the Minneapolis General Hospital December 9th, admitted at 5:57 P.M. Xrays taken and diagnosed intratrochanteric fracture of right hip. Attended by Dr. Hays. Died at 8:40 A.M. January 13th.

On the afternoon of December ninth deceased slipped on the street in Robbinsdale and sustained the above injury.

Body viewed at Minneapolis General Hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: MARY KUSCHNER — Date: January 13.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2010 Second Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 75 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Czechoslovakia		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Bronchopneumonia secondary to exposure.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R. Undertaker	Kapala Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital January 11, 1937, at 2:16 P.M. by police car. Admitted by Dr. LaBree and attended by Dr. Blumstein and Dr. Berman. Died at 4:50 P.M. Jan. 13, 1937.

John Kuschner, a son living at 3300 Morgan Avenue North, stated that he used to stop and see his mother almost every day, that he tried to get her out of the house but she refused. He said he called police January ninth, 1937, and they tried to get her to go also, but she refused. He said she was eating when he was there on that day. His wife went there the morning of January 11, 1937, built a fire and called their family doctor, Dr. P. E. Peterson, but he was out, so Dr. Zaworski was called. He found pneumonia and, as the deceased refused to go to the hospital, he called Mrs. Minnie Staples, policewoman, who had her taken to the hospital in a police car.

Another son, Joe Kuschner, has been sentenced to ninety days on a charge of vagrancy. Minnie Staples, policewoman, stated to the deputy coroner that she was called about noon January 11, 1937, by Dr. Zaworski because the deceased would not go into the hospital; that she went there with two police officers in a squad car and took her to the Minneapolis General Hospital. She says the place was cold although a fire had just been made, that there was ice on the water in a pail and no food in the house. Mrs. Staples also stated that deceased had told both her and Dr. Zaworski that her son Joe had beaten and choked her a number of times to obtain her money.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: CHARLES NELSON — Date: Jan. 13.

Place of Death	118 West 26th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	118 West 26th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	82 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Retired merchant		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 1:45 A.M. His wife and daughter Mrs. E. M. Morgan, were present. Deceased had gradually been failing for the past few weeks.

Dr. Youbert Johnson saw him after death.

Viewed at undertaker's.

Dr. Hobbs had known deceased for many years.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME AGNES ISABELLA RYAN

Date Found January 14.

Place of Death	4613 Washburn Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4613 Washburn Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	63 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Erin Township, Rice County Minnesota		
Occupation	Clerical		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Billman Funeral Chapel	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found by Mrs. A. L. Secor, 4617 Washburn Avenue South, a neighbor, about 8:30 A.M. today. Deceased was heard moving about yesterday morning by Mrs. H. W. Secor, who lives downstairs; was seen by Mrs. Secor Tuesday afternoon January 12th, 1937. She had the "flu" last week. Was known to have high blood pressure. She lived alone.

She was lying on her face on the living-room floor, fully dressed and in rigor mortis.

Viewed at place of death.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HERSCHEL W. NICHOLS

Date January 15.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	43rd & Bryant Av. S.	Inquest	No
Residence	4341 Bryant Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	90 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Ohio		
Occupation	Carpenter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fall off curb - fracture of right hip.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Black River Falls, Wis.	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Welander-Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital November third, 1936, from his home, at 8:01 P.M. by ambulance No. 2. He was referred to the hospital by Dr. Blaustone and attended there by Dr. H. Nelson. He was operated upon November 16, 1936, and a Henderson nail inserted into the head of the femur. The time of the accident was about 8:30 A.M. Nov. 3, 1936, on the corner of 43rd St. & Bryant Av. S.

According to Mrs. A. J. Nichols, daughter-in-law, the deceased had voted and was returning home when he slipped and fell off the curb at the above place. He died at 8:00 A.M. January 15, 1937.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Welander's Mortuary January 15, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193~~7~~ — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HARRY T. BAKER — Date Jan. 15

Place of Death	Butler Bros. 1st Av. N. & 6th St.	Autopsy	Private autopsy.
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	5005 Chowen Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	62 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Indiana		
Occupation	Assistant Merchandise Mgr.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Dissecting aortic aneurism with hemopericardium and generalized arteriosclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 7:55 A.M. January 15. Deceased had just entered the front door of Butler Bros. when he dropped dead. In falling he rubbed against a pillar. Mr. N. W. Johnson, elevator operator, was standing near by. The son, L. H. Baker, 4917 Logan Avenue South, arrived and took charge.

Deceased had been informed in California according to Mr. Frank Baker and others, that he had heart disease, and was advised not to drive his car back from California. He has been attended here by Dr. Percy Ward.

Body viewed at Butler Bros. Death certificate signed by Dr. Percy Ward.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193~~7~~ — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES APPLESTEM — Date Found Jan. 16.

Place of Death	Dayton Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Dayton Township	Effects Taken in Charge	7 Keys
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Farmer		Other effects listed on Morgue Record. Body not brought to Henn. Co. Morgue.
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Champlin, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
R Undertaker	H. Nelson, Osseo, Minn.	Address	To County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937. P

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead sitting in a chair fully dressed at 7:00 A.M. January 16, 1937. Was last seen alive by two Hanson brothers with whom he had been living about 9:00 P.M. January 15, 1937, when they retired. He seemed to be in good health at that time. The above information was obtained from Mr. Dahlheimer of the Nelson Funeral Home at Osseo, where the body was viewed by the deputy coroner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME TRYPHENA M. STONE Date Jan. 16.

Place of Death	2536 Humboldt Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2536 Humboldt Ave. South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	51 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Waukesha, Wis.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased died at 11:30 A.M. today. Deceased was a Christian Scientist attended by practitioner Austin C. Collier, 2302 Fremont Ave. So. Nurse Mrs. Charles Body, 2362 Bourne Ave., St. Paul, was with her when she died. Had been in bed longer than a month.

Body viewed at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MACHEE PRIEBE Date January 16.

Place of Death	2017 Second Street South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2017 Second Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	61 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Ireland		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

This case was referred to the coroner by Dr. O. A. Olson. He was called and arrived after death. The husband, Herman O. Priebe, says deceased had been very sick with anginal symptoms all night and day. He left the room and when he returned at 3 P.M. she had expired. The body was viewed at home.

She was in bed, clad in night gown and there was no evidence of any violence. Body taken direct to Enger's Undertaking parlors.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: ANDREW NELSON — Date: January 16.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital
Place of Accident	Marquette & Washington Aves.
Residence	104 Washington Ave. So.
Age	77 Sex Male
Birthplace	Decorah, Iowa
Occupation	Barber
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ / Auto Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Crushing injuries to chest.
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery
R Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary

Autopsy	No
Inquest	No
Effects Taken in Charge	$6.62 cash; purse; knife; tobacco pouch; letter; Independent order of Odd Fellows Official Certificate #4076; receipt; cards; papers. (Other effects listed on Morgue Record. 1 Coat, 1 Pr. Pants, 1 Vest, 1 U.Suit, 1 pr. Socks, 1 necktie - for burial, delivered to Dwight Thomson.) (1 Key delivered to and property of Otto Hanson, Clerk, Twin City Hotel Annex)
Effects delivered to	H. R. Eide, 5100 35th Ave. So., Mpls, Minn., by order of
Address	O. H. Nelson, Thief River Falls, Brother of deceased.

REMARKS:

Deceased, a pedestrian, was struck at Marquette & Washington Avenues, on January 14, 1937, at 8:50 P.M. by a car driven by Aaron Broeman of 3144 37th Ave. So. He was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital Jan. 14, 1937, at 9:00 P.M. by ambulance No. 1. Dr. LaBree was the admitting physician, and he was attended by Drs. Benton, Sorenson and H. Nelson. Officer Ed Knutson reported the accident, and witnesses were: R. F. Fosdick and Ed. Raush, 1127 5th St. N.E.

Deceased was said to have been crossing Washington Ave. ten to fifteen feet north of the crosswalk at Marquette and the car was going south on Washington. Deceased said to have been struck by the left rear fender. He died at 8:45 P.M. January 16, 1937.

Injuries: Palpable fractures of several ribs in the left anterior axillary line, left clavicle, middle third, severe ecchymosis of both eyelids, and a small bruise over the left knee.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: CECELIA WEST — Date: January 16.

Place of Death	University Hospital
Place of Accident	33rd & Washburn Av. N.
Residence	Arthyde, Minnesota
Age	68 Sex Female
Birthplace	Sweden
Occupation	Housewife
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Intracapsular fracture of neck of right femur due to fall in street, with bronchopneumonia.
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery
R Undertaker	Sundseth Funeral Home

Autopsy	No
Inquest	No
Effects Taken in Charge	None
Effects delivered to	
Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to University Hospital December 31, 1936 by Smith ambulance, sent in by Dr. C. M. Larson, and died January 16, 1937, at 10:25 A.M. Was under the care of Dr. Geo. S. Bergh at the hospital. She fell in the middle of the street of Washburn Ave. N. at 33rd, after having gotten off a bus at 6:00 P.M.

Her son, Edward West, stated to deputy coroner, that she had told him that she was completely out of the bus and that the bus had started away when she fell; that she fell in the middle of the street but dragged herself to the curb. The bus driver, F. J. Schroeder, 321 Bates Avenue, St. Paul, Minn., did not see her fall and continued to the end of the line, which is three blocks away. On the return trip he saw her, stopped and carried her into a house where Dr. C. M. Larson was called, who sent her into the University Hospital.

Coroner's office notified January 19.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES MORSON — Date Jan. 17.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	21st & Riverside	Inquest	No
Residence	97 21st Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.02 cash; purse; billfold; watch (Uncle Sam); chain; knife; 2 keys on chain; 2 trinkets; 3 rings; spectacles & case; Mpls. Gen. Hosp out-patient dept. card #E07511; Workers Alliance of Am. membership card; United Relief Workers Assn. of Hennepin County membership book; Townsend Club certificate of membership; cards.
Age	53 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Plumber		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Auto Accident	Fracture of the skull	
	~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
R Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	Proceeds to County Treas. 12/17/37 P

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital January 16, 1937, at 7:44 P.M. from 21st Ave. South & Riverside by ambulance No. 1. Admitted by Dr. LaBree and attended by Drs. Miller and Sorenson. He died at 12:25 A.M. January 17. Was bleeding from the ears, nose and mouth. According to police, the deceased was a pedestrian crossing the intersection and was struck by a car driven by Cecile Campbell, 2829 9th St. So., age 22. Campbell was going northwest on Riverside and the deceased was crossing from south to north. Officers Thomas and Burnsted.

Injuries: Blood in nose, mouth and ears. Severe ecchymosis both eyelids. Laceration 3/4 inch long extending upwards from innermargin of left eyelid. A small laceration 1/2 in. long in center of forehead and an abrasion 1-1/2 inches long extending horizontally at the hairline on the forehead. Abrasion over the anterior left chest, region of first rib, three inches long. Edema of scalp over the frontal area, and a palpable fracture of the left frontal bone, with crepitation or grating on palpation.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LOUIS SEEMAN — Date Jan. 17.

Place of Death	Eden Prairie Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Princeton, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	75 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Retired farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural	Chronic myocarditis	
	~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Wm. Strobeck, Hopkins	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. F. J. Kucera of Hopkins was called but did not arrive until after deceased had expired. Dr. Kucera stated to coroner that deceased sat in a chair and died. He stated that his opinion was that deceased died from myocardial disease. Mr. Strobeck removed the body directly to his parlors. Body not viewed by coroner. Time of death was 9:45 A.M.

Deceased was living with his daughter, Mrs. Louis Larson.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES HALVORSON

Date January 17.

Place of Death	117 Fourth St. S.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	117 Fourth St. S.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	1443 Breda Street, St. Paul	Effects Taken in Charge	$10.36 cash; billfold; comb (broken) 2 Amalgamated Ass'n of St., Electric & Motor Coach employes of America, Div. 1005 working permits #432 and 97; papers.
Age	30 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Clarkfield, Minn.		
Occupation	Student Motorman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Fall down stairwell -		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Clarkfield, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Selmer J. Halvorson, Brother
R Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	1443 Breda St., St. Paul, Minn.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased had been to a dance on the third floor of the above address, which is the Eagles' Hall, given by the Laundry Workers' Union, Local #183. According to witnesses, the deceased was coming down the stairs quite rapidly. When he was between the second and third floors, two steps below the landing, he appeared to try to straddle the railing as though to slide down, but lost his balance and fell to the basement through the stairwell, a distance of about 33 feet. He was dead on arrival of the General Hospital ambulance.

Witnesses were Edwin Cament, of 117 E. 15th St., who was about 14 feet from him when he fell; Clarence Mathers, May Nelson of 2301 Portland Ave., and Caroline Stroh of 728 South Fifth St.

The railings were inspected by the deputy coroner and found to be intact. The rail was 33½ inches high. The body was lying on the basement floor when the deputy coroner arrived. A large amount of blood, approximately a liter of blood, was on the floor by him.

Injuries were as follows: A jagged laceration extending upwards from the outer canthus of the left eye surrounded by a bruised area 1/2 inch in diameter. Both eyelids show ecchymosis. There was bleeding from the nose, mouth and left ear. An abrasion of the right shin, middle third, about two inches long and one of the left shin, middle third, about three inches long.

Time of accident 12:55 A.M.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE M. KERSTEN

Date Jan. 18.

Place of Death	315 W. Minnehaha Pkwy.	Autopsy	Dr. Seashore
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	315 W. Minnehaha Pkwy.	Effects Taken in Charge	$8.50 cash; card case; watch (Illinois); chain and charm; receipts.
Age	82 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Green Bay, Wis.		
Occupation	Retired Mpls. fireman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Robert C. Kersten, Nephew
S Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	315 W. Minnehaha Parkway.

REMARKS:

Deceased had been living with his nephew Robert Kersten for about one year. Previous to that time he had roomed at the Elks Club for a number of years. Deceased was receiving a pension of $50.00 a month from the Fire Department. He had never been married. Has some sisters and a brother living.

Deceased had not been feeling well for some days. About 10:30 P.M. Jan. 17th his nephew heard him fall in the bathroom when he sustained a bruise in the right forehead. He helped him to his room. At 1:05 A.M. January 18th he heard him fall in his room. His nephew then found him on the floor unconscious, and deceased soon died. Dr. L. A. Stelter was called and he notified coroner. Deceased died about 1:20 A.M.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SANFRED J. JOHNSON Date January 18.

Place of Death	1220 LaSalle Avenue	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident	1220 LaSalle Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	3432 Garfield Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$46.38 cash; purse; billfold; 4 streetcar tokens; button; identification card.
Age	69 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Checker - freight dept. R.R.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Fracture of skull with subdural hemorrhage due to fall down stairs.	other effects listed in Morgue Record.	
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	Mrs. S. J. Johnson, Wife
H Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	3432 Garfield Ave. So.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found at 1 P.M. today by fireman Ernest Simonson who went down into the boiler room to look after the furnace. At the foot of the stairs he stumbled over deceased who apparently drunk had fallen down the stairs, striking a faucet in the thousand-gallon hot water tank and breaking it off. Simonson dragged deceased across the boiler room into a large coal bin, then hurried for help and tried to shut off the water. Shortly afterward Officers Jacobson and Galchutt came and found deceased almost submerged in water. Mr. Simonson states that deceased was breathing heavily when he first found him.

A pint whisky bottle was found at the foot of the stairs. Firemen were called, who used the inhalator on deceased.

Deceased was identified by his wife at the Hennepin County morgue.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ISIDOR LONGINI Date January 18.

Place of Death	4715 Harriet Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4715 Harriet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	84 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Strasburg, France		
Occupation	Merchant		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural / ~~Accident~~ / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Coronary sclerosis		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Burd P. Johnson	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 1 A.M. today at the home. His wife and daughter Helen were with him. Deceased had been ill about one month and in bed for a few days, since his speech had become impaired. Robert Moser, Christian Science practitioner had attended him. Body viewed at undertakers.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EMMA AMELIA CHATER

Date January 19.

Place of Death	Star of Bethlehem Home St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2086 Temple Court, St. Paul	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	73 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife.		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Carcinoma of uterus		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Oakland Cemetery, St. Paul	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Listoe & Wold, St. Paul	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted November 23rd, 1936. Died about 3:00 P.M. January 19th. Was attended by Henry Knoche, Christian Science healer, of St. Paul.

Dr. Gerald Roskilly of Minneapolis had examined her in October, 1936, and made a diagnosis of either a fibroid or carcinoma of uterus. He so stated to the coroner.

Body not viewed by coroner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NELLIE A. LEIB

Date January 19.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	812 East 17th Street	Inquest	No
Residence	812 East 17th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	69 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Upper Jay, N.Y.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Fracture of hip with broncho-		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~	pneumonia, due to fall on floor.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has been almost bedridden for some time, poor eyesight, and injured in an automobile accident one year ago.

In the evening of January 17th deceased stepped out of bed and fell on the floor injuring the left hip. She was taken to the Minneapolis General Hospital, admitted 8:43 P.M. January 18th. Xrays were taken and case diagnosed intra-trochanteric fracture of left hip and bronchopneumonia. Died at 11:15 A.M. January 19th. Attended by Dr. Derifield. Body viewed at Davies' Undertaking Parlors. Husband interviewed.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BETTY L. PECHAU Date January 19.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs	
Place of Accident	919 West Lake Street	Inquest	No	
Residence	919 West Lake Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$79.20 cash 3.55 spent for telephone calls $75.65 balance.	
Age	60 Sex Female		2 Postal Savings cert.$200.00 each; 3 postal savings cert. $500.00 each; 1 Postal Savings cert.$100.00; N.W.Natl.Bk. (5th N.W.) checking acct bank book; Mpls. Natl. Bk. (1920) book #22308, H.Bk.#2626; North River Ins. policy #D5079 (fire & lightning); 12 foreign coins; 5 mutilated coins; 3 souvenirs; 3 misc. coins (no value); 3¢ postage stamp; lady's wrist watch & bracelet (15-Jewel Swiss Movement); lady's watch (Crescent) with pin; locket; 2 chains; beads; trinkets; bracelet; 10 rings; 2 necklaces; 31 brooches; 3 cufflinks; key; 2 pictures; 2 trading stamps; receipt; letters; chamois bag; box for jewels.	
Birthplace	Northwood, Iowa	Effects delivered to	S. H. Kahm, Special Administrator.	
Occupation	Housewife	Address	907 West Franklin	
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis & cardiac			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	decompensation, with severe			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	burns of face and hands from			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	hot grease on roasting turkey.			
Place of Burial	Lake Mills, Iowa			
H Undertaker	Welander Mortuary			

REMARKS: Admitted January 14, 1937, at 12:29 A.M. by Dr. Whitesell. Interne Dr. Gilsdorf attended her, also Drs. Sweitzer and Winer. Died at 4:40 P.M. today. Was brought to the hospital from her apartment in a partly unconscious condition. A friend, Frank Ederer, 919 W. Lake St., called at deceased's apartment because the day before she had been ill. He found her lying on the bathroom floor by the bathtub. He said her face showed bruising and burns. A piece of hose was found in the tub of water. Ederer called Miss Engberg also of the same address. Police came in their patrol and then called emergency ambulance.

Minneapolis General Hospital notified coroner's office January 20th because of burns. History given at hospital as to cause of burns is as follows: Deceased fell while carrying a roasting turkey December 27, 1936, and burned the skin on her face and hands with hot grease. She is said to have received some burns on her hands since that time. At times while at the hospital she was irrational and talked incoherently.

Efforts are being made to locate relatives in Iowa. The owner of the apartment building, S. H. Kahm, 907 West Franklin Avenue, has known deceased many years. On January 21st deputy coroner examined papers in the apartment and found the address of a sister in Hanlontown, Iowa. Contact by phone with a banker elicited no definite information as to relatives. After persistent efforts the County Morgue Superintendent was able to contact relatives, on January 25, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ARTHUR I. PETERSON Date January 20.

Place of Death	U. S. Veterans Hospital	Autopsy	Private by Veterans' Hospital
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Spring Valley, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	44 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Carver, Minn.		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Cancer of stomach with		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~	general metastasis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	Contributory: Incised wounds		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~	of neck and wrists.		
Place of Burial	Spring Valley, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has been a patient at Veterans' Hospital since December 27, 1936. Referred by Dr. N. H. Anderson of Spring Valley. Diagnosed cancer of stomach with generalized carcinomatosis. Body is very much emaciated and he has been so weak he could hardly lift his hands. Today the case was considered critical and death expected. For this reason the orderly, Mr. Watkins, watched him closely. Mr. Watkins attended him at 8:30 A.M. and when he returned at 8:45 A.M. deceased had cut both sides of his neck and both wrists with a safety razor blade. Dr. M. Cajigas and nurse Kelly arrived. They state there were only a few spots of blood on the bedding, possibly from one pint or less of blood.

Deceased was asked why he attempted suicide and he said he wanted to end it all. Wounds were sutured by Dr. Conroy. Death occurred at 10:20 A.M. The wife was interviewed.

Autopsy was held by Veterans' Hospital doctors. They report that the wounds were only through the skin and did not sever any large blood vessels.

Deputy coroner Dr. Callerstrom viewed the body at the hospital and investigated the case. Dr. Colton was interviewed and death certificate signed by him.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE W. ANDERSON Date January 20.

Place of Death	1413 E. 22nd Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3235 Oliver Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$.92 cash; knife; spectacles; watch (Illinois); chain; Mpls. Gen. Elect. bill; notebook.
Age	52 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Stillwater, Minn.		
Occupation	Salesman - fruit company		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	~~X~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	~~X~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	~~X~~		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Josie E. Anderson, Wife
R Undertaker	Sundseth Funeral Home	Address	3235 Oliver Avenue North

REMARKS:

Deceased has roomed at the above address for the past three months. He was last seen alive at 10:30 A.M. January 20, 1937, by Mrs. Edith Reveir. Mrs. Laura Von Doll, sister of the landlady, stated that she talked with the deceased about 3:30 P.M. through the register and he said he was going to do something to himself. He attempted suicide ten days ago by turning on the gas and was saved by Mrs. Reveir. He had been very despondent lately, according to Mrs. Reveir, mostly because of financial reasons. He was found dead in a second floor room lying face down on the floor, with a gas tube to his mouth, at about 7:45 P.M. by police officers Sid Anderson and John McCarthy.

Being unable to get a response when she called deceased, and detecting the odor of gas, Mrs. Reveir had called Laura Von Doll, who in turn notified police.

General Hospital ambulance and fire department had been there.

A suicide note had been left in a notebook.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PERCY ARNOLD REDPATH Date January 21.

Place of Death	62nd & Brookview Ave. Edina Village	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	62nd & Brookview Ave. Edina Village	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minn.		
Occupation	Night patrolman - Edina Vill.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Influenza		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	~~X~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	~~X~~		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Case referred to coroner's office by Dr. L. M. Campbell. Death occurred before his arrival and deceased had been attended by no doctor. His daughter, Irene, was interviewed and states they are nine in the family and they have all been down with the "flu". Deceased came home sick five days ago and has been in bed with fever and general symptoms of "flu". He was up out of bed at 1:30 A.M. January 21, and found dead in bed by the wife at 8 A.M.

The wife requested that no autopsy be held. Body viewed at Gills Undertaking parlors.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARGARET E. SCRANTON — Date January 22.

Place of Death	920 E. 19th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	920 East 19th St.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	54 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Neenah, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Stenographer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Pulmonary hemorrhage following		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident ~~x~~	pulmonary tuberculosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide ~~x~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide ~~x~~			
Place of Burial	St. Anthony Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Gill Brothers	Address	

REMARKS: Deceased has been living alone in this apartment for a number of years. She was an alcoholic and ten years ago was a patient at Walker Tubercolosis Sanatorium. She has been failing rapidly of late and the last few days has been very sick; appeared to have a severe cold and pains in the chest. At 6:20 P.M. she was seized with a severe cough and spit up several clots of blood and expired.

Officer Neary, a nephew of deceased, arrived and took charge of the body and effects. Mrs. Captain Forby is an aunt.

Those present at the time of death were: J. V. McClod, 1512 Second Ave. So., and Mr. Scholl, 920 19th St. E.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HARRY HAYDEN PETERSON — Date January 23.

Place of Death	1007 Sixth Avenue North	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	506 Girard Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$.10
Age	42 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Meade, Kansas		
Occupation	Barber		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident ~~x~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide ~~x~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	Gun shot wound of chest.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Helen Peterson, Wife
C Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	506 Girard Avenue No. P

other effects listed on Morgue Record.

Clothes sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937. Proceeds to County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937.

REMARKS:

Deceased was in a saloon at 1007 Sixth Avenue North. The proprietor, Joseph Taylor (61), a negro, declares that deceased was raising a disturbance and in the scuffle threatened him. Taylor then drew a gun and shot. This was at 11:50 P.M. January 22nd. Death occurred in the presence of police officer Paul Kriesel at 12:05 A.M. January 23rd.

When deputy coroner arrived the body was on the floor near the rear kitchen, head near the booth and feet extended to the furnace register on the floor, fully clothed, overcoat, etc. In one pocket was a pint one-half full of gin; in another pocket a quart bottle containing lime rickey. There was no blood on the floor or clothing. The bullet could not be found.

Witnesses: William Weiner, 1114 Irving Avenue North
Alfred Brandon, 1112 Glenwood Ave.
Andrew Branson, 918 Glenwood,
and several negroes.

The grand jury indicted Mr. Taylor for second degree murder, but he was later acquitted.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN A. PAULSON Date January 23.

Place of Death	1113 E. 22nd Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1113 E. 22nd Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	76 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Steam fitter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Stanley Peterson, saw deceased following death and notified coroner's office. History of repeated attacks of chest pain and for past six days has been suffering repeated attacks of pain. He cranked his automobile January 18th and over-exerted himself. Died at 12:55 P.M. today. A daughter Mrs. Myrtle Wellck is informant and was present with her mother when deceased died.

Viewed at undertakers'.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK MORRISSEY Date Found January 24.

Place of Death	926 19th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	926 19th Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	926 19th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	6 keys; knife.
Age	63 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Iowa		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Occupation	Stone Cutter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Margaret Morrissey, wife.
R Undertaker	Billman Funeral Chapel	Address	722 26th Avenue South

REMARKS:

Deceased was found by police officers Danborg and Casey at 7:05 P.M. January 24, 1937, when they broke in after having been called by an Art Jenson of 2000 E. 22nd Street, who smelled gas when trying to get in the door. The oven gas jet of the stove in the kitchen was open. The oven door and broiler door of the stove were open. A Saturday paper (1-23-37) had not been taken in from outside. Jenson says that he thinks he saw Morrissey January 23, 1937, but is not sure.

Deceased was lying in the bedroom, clad only in his underwear, and covered by bedclothes. His feet were touching the floor at one side of the bed, and his body lying across the bed.

In the kitchen of the home, where the gas stove was, another man was lying dead, named Frank R. Haines. (For details see next case.)

An empty whisky bottle stood in the sink and two whisky glasses were near by.

Relatives of Haines who live at 406 E. Franklin Ave., said that they gave him some money and told him to stay in a hotel for a few days because of the illness of his mother. This was on January 21, 1937. He apparently went to stay with Morrissey and used the money to buy whisky.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: FRANK R. HAINES — Date Found: January 24.

Place of Death	926 19th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	926 19th Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	406 E. Franklin Ave.	Effects Taken in Charge	Folder; notebook; 1936 Indiv. fishing license; Mpls. Gen. Hosp. out-patient dept. card #E02973; Social Security Act card acct. #470-03-2748; letters; cards; U.S. Dept. of Labor applicant's ident. card HMB 10509 Ident. #2789-95185; 2 lenses for glasses.
Age	About 63 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Birthplace	Illinois		
Occupation	Printer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
R Undertaker	Billman Funeral Chapel	Address	To County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937. P

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead lying on a cot in the kitchen. He was clad in shirt and underwear. His artificial limb was alongside the cot.

(For other details see preceding case.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: ARTHUR BURNAUGH — Date Found: January 24.

Place of Death	642 Sixth Ave. N. (Apt. 3)	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Same	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	43 Sex Male (colored)		
Birthplace	Mount Pleasant, Iowa		
Occupation	Porter		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Mount Pleasant, Iowa	Effects delivered to	
R* Undertaker	Woodard Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

– Deceased was found dead by his brother Ralph Burnaugh of 516 Lyndale Avenue North, at 11:30 A.M. January 24, 1937. He was lying fully clothed on a couch.

He was last seen alive at 7:30 P.M. January 21, 1937, by his employer Swan Johnson, 1404 Chicago Avenue. He had been in good health as far as known except for a slight cold recently.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN JESKO

Date January 24

Place of Death	Pioneer Hotel 8 South Secord St.
Place of Accident	
Residence	Pioneer Hotel
Age	37 Sex Male
Birthplace	Poland
Occupation	(On relief)
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota
R Undertaker	John A. Anderson

Autopsy	No
Inquest	No
Effects Taken in Charge	Bill fold; City Coffee Shop, 10 2nd St. S., commutation ticket; Div. of Relief, Men's Bureau, meal order #32942; Workers Alliance of America, membership card Unit Local #320.
	Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Effects delivered to	Sold at Auction Dec. 15, 1937;
Address	To County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937. P

REMARKS:

Fred Jelbert, room clerk at the Pioneer Hotel, said that the deceased had apparently been out all night, as he came in the lobby at 5:55 A.M. January 24, 1937, sat in a chair and suddenly slumped over and died in a few minutes. He was dead on arrival of the Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance.

Chas. H. Arnold, proprietor of hotel, said he came in just before deceased died.

The ankles of the deceased were edematous.

Deceased has a police record. Officer Prochaska present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MILDRED A. GLESSNER

Date January 24

Place of Death	Greyhound Bus in front of 1616 Lyndale Avenue North
Place of Accident	
Residence	3209 Hennepin Avenue
Age	45 Sex Female
Birthplace	Granite Falls, Minn.
Occupation	Milliner
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	x
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	
Place of Burial	Bemidji, Minnesota
R Undertaker	R. F. Burr

Autopsy	No
Inquest	No
Effects Taken in Charge	$.23 cash; 2 streetcar tokens; hand purse; key; comb; nail file; wrist watch (Lancet) with ribbon; ring; eraser for pencil; compact; handkerchief; letters; papers.
	Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Effects delivered to	John A. Glessner, Father
Address	3209 Hennepin Avenue.

REMARKS:

Deceased was sitting in the third aisle seat from the front of the bus bound for Bemidji. She was accompanied by W. F. Marcum, 1213 Lake Boulevard, Bemidji, a brother-in-law, but he was sitting in a rear seat. He said that he suddenly noticed that the deceased's head had slumped forward and that the woman in the adjoining seat was looking around as though something had happened, so he got up and felt her pulse when he realized that she was dead.

The driver of the bus, N. H. Haagenson, 3612 13th Avenue South, stopped the bus immediately. The time was 10:37 A.M.

Marcum stated that she had been feeling perfectly all right and as far as he knew had never had any heart trouble. The bus did not hit any bumps or have any accident on the way.

Witnesses were: Mrs. C. H. Brands, 810 Hennepin Ave. and daughter Gladys Brands, same address, and Mrs. Joe Stecher, 4236 Abbott Avenue South.

The bus is No. 334. Officers Wickenburg and Schalen present. The Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance with Dr. Neary found her dead on arrival.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD CHARLES WOODING

Date January 25.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3215 Cedar Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	38 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota		
Occupation	Mail Carrier		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Gun shot wound of head		
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital at 1:58 A.M. January 25, 1937, by ambulance No. 1 from his home. Dr. Neary was on the ambulance. Dr. Whitesell admitted him, and he was attended by Dr. Fridell. He died at 7:50 A.M. January 25, 1937.

A sister of the deceased, Mrs. Everett Levi, of 3215 Cedar Avenue, said that the deceased has been quite despondent since the death of his mother three years ago, but has been quite bad for the past seven or eight months. He left home at noon January 23rd, 1937, and did not return until the afternoon of January 24, when she saw that he had been drinking. She asked him not to go out again, but he said he wanted to get a book and went again. She saw that he had a girl in his car, an Alice Carlson of 5225 11th Avenue South. At about 1:00 A.M. January 25, 1937, Miss Carlson came up to the house in a taxicab and said that the deceased had pushed her out of his car on Lake Street, and that he had a gun which he had purchased that afternoon in a Washington Avenue pawnshop, saying he wanted it for squirrel hunting.

After he pushed her out of the car, she got a cab and proceeded to his home. In about five minutes, or 1:05 A.M. the deceased drove up into the backyard, got out and shot himself through the head.

The body was viewed at the General Hospital. There is a gunshot wound one inch in front of the upper margin of the right ear, and ecchymosis of the right eyelid. No wound of exit.

Miss Carlson, on being interviewed over the telephone, corroborated the above story. She said she did not know why she had been pushed out of the car. She said that the deceased had had some beer during the day.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES EDWARD ZAHNER

Date January 25

Place of Death	Plymouth Township Minneapolis City Workhouse	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Foster Hotel, 25 2nd St. So.	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Certificate of Discharge from Civilian Conservation Corps.
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Occupation	Glass Setter		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
~~Accident~~ x			
~~Suicide~~ x			
~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. B. H. Holt, Sister
C Undertaker	McDivitt Funeral Home	Address	3024 14th Avenue South, Mpls.

REMARKS:

Died at 8:00 A.M. January 25. Deceased was a prisoner at the Minneapolis City Workhouse. He had been put in for "drunk" January 15th. Had been on relief. Deceased and nineteen other prisoners were out on the prison farm when deceased suddenly slumped dead to the ground. He complained of chest pains and placed his hand over his heart as though in agony. Dr. Tingdale arrived ten minutes after death.

Body taken to Hennepin County Mortuary and examined. A sister is Mrs. Holt, 3024 14th Avenue South.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LEONARD M. KROGFUS — Date January 25.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Willmar, Minnesota.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	39 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sacred Heart, Minnesota		
Occupation	Brakeman - G.N. Railroad.		
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural: Probably acute alcoholism		
	~~Accident~~		
	~~Suicide~~		
	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS: Admitted 11:23 A.M. today by Dr. Egil Hanson. Died at 9:33 P.M. today. Attended by Drs. Berman and Blumstein. Police Department has no record of this case. Miss Ruby Johnson in receiving ward when deceased was admitted, stated to deputy coroner that two police officers brought him in a police car from a store at Third & Hennepin. She heard the officers say that the policeman on the beat at Third & Hennepin helped deceased into the store because he had abdominal pain, then called the police. These officers also said he appeared to be drunk but they didn't want to bring a charge against him, hence there was apparently no report made to headquarters.

Dr. Berman told deputy coroner that much fluid removed from the stomach had the odor of alcohol. Headquarters have a record about deceased that on January 17, 1937, he was in court and received a sentence of ninety days which was suspended on his promise not to get drunk.

A brother-in-law C. B. Swisher, lives in Anoka, Minnesota.

Sheriff's office reports that on call from C. B. Swisher at 10 P.M. Jan. 23, they arrested deceased at Champlin for drinking denatured alcohol. They state that he had been an inmate at a Willmar hospital. They took him to the County Jail. Jan. 25, 1937, he was brought before Justice of Peace Earl Maxwell, who did not sentence him but told him to get out of town.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PHILLIP J. CHRISTOPHERSON — Date January 26.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	188 Glenwood Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	328 Gramercy Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	33 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Duluth, Minnesota		
Occupation	Filling Station Manager		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~		
	Accident: 2nd & 3rd degree burns of body		
	~~Suicide~~		
	~~Homicide~~ caused by gasoline vapors ignited by spark.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS: Admitted January 25 at 5:26 P.M. by Dr. LaBree. Brought to hospital by private car from 188 Glenwood Avenue, filling station. Died today at 4:05 A.M. Officers Little and Dickson were called.

Detective Hagen stated to Dr. Hobbs that as Kenneth Cox, 413 W. 32nd St., entered the station, the station heating plant "let loose", exploded. Cox didn't know just where deceased was, nor just how the explosion occurred. Cox ran out, his clothes ablaze, and was helped by Wm. C. Johnson, 510 Emerson Avenue North, and Milton Hersh, 1009 Morgan Avenue North; another witness was Corb Salmey, 241 Humboldt Avenue North.

Remains viewed at Minneapolis General Hospital. Entire body is badly burned, especially the head and face.

Fire Marshall Spottswood stated to Dr. Hobbs, deputy coroner, over the telephone February 2, 1937, that the explosion was caused by gasoline vapors ignited by spark either from static friction or spark from the motor in the plant.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: BERNARD J. ERICKSON — Date: January 27.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	2206 North Fourth Street	Inquest	No
Residence	2206 North Fourth Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	56 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Plumber		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of skull with bruising		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~ of brain from falling down stairs.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Thomson - Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Mr. Kermit Magnuson of 2206 North Fourth Street, owner of the house in which the deceased roomed, stated that the deceased was accustomed to getting drunk every pay day, and as January 26th was pay day, he assumed that deceased had come home drunk. He said he was awakened by a noise about 11:00 P.M. January 26th, and on investigating found the deceased at the bottom of the basement stairs, bleeding from ears and mouth. He called the Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance.

Deceased was admitted to the hospital at 11:43 P.M. by Dr. Whitesell and died at 8:45 A.M. January 27th, 1937. He was attended by Drs. Benton and Sorenson.

Police officers were present when ambulance arrived.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: EARL JACKSON — Date Found: Jan. 28

Place of Death	Greenwood Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Rockford, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.21 cash ~~Less .41 spent for telegram~~ ~~Bal. .80~~ Billfold; key; watch (Waltham); chain; ring.
Age	About 46 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Iowa		
Occupation	Farm Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Lobar pneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			Other effects noted in Morgue Record Check $13.45 received Feb. 16, 1937. Less .15 exchange $13.30
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
R Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer Dec.17,1937. P

REMARKS:

Deceased was last seen alive at 7:00 P.M. January 27th by J. W. Thompson, farmer, at whose farm the deceased had been working. He had complained of feeling ill all that day, and had remained in bed, saying he had a cold. He was found dead at 8:45 A.M. January 28th by J. W. Thompson, Sam Thompson, undertaker at Rockford, Minn., and R. J. Dixon of Loretto, Minn. He was dressed in underwear and was in bed, according to John Anderson, Superintendent of Hennepin County Morgue, and rigor mortis was present.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Hennepin County Morgue.

(Check dated Feb. 13, 1937, No. 163, on the State Bank of Loretto, Loretto, Minnesota, in the amount of $13.45 received from J. W. Thompson, Rockford, Minn., for wages due deceased, received Feb. 16 and cashed and entered, less exchange fee, as cash in estate as above.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: AGNES MEDDAUGH — Date: January 28

Place of Death	Star of Bethlehem Home St. Louis Park Village.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	West Hope, N. Dak.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	65 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Ontario, Canada		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Diabetes Mellitus		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	West Hope, N. Dak.	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Burd P. Johnston Co.	Address	

REMARKS: Deceased was admitted to the Home January 22nd. Died January 28th at 2:00 A.M. Deceased had been treated by Christian Science practitioner, Mrs. Merchant (Ken. 5141). Deceased had suffered from diabetes a long time. Body viewed at Johnston's.

There was a partial dry gangrene of the left foot.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: LOUIS L. BERKUVITZ — Date: January 29.

Place of Death	3013 Salem Ave., St.Louis Pk.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3013 Salem Ave., St.Louis Pk.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	60 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Roumania		
Occupation	Grocer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Minneapolis Jewish Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Hodroff Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased died suddenly at 12:20 A.M. January 29th, 1937. He had gone into the bathroom and his wife heard him gasping. She called in a neighbor, Mr. Hartman, and they put him to bed and called Dr. Ellison, who found him dead on arrival at 12:45 A.M. The wife said he had ceased breating at 12:20 A.M.

Dr. Ellison reported that the wife told him that he had been having pain in his heart recently.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN FREDRICK JUST — Date January 29th.

Place of Death	1808 Stevens Ave. Apt. 6	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1808 Stevens Avenue, Apt. 6	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	48 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Rapidan, Minn.		
Occupation	Postal Clerk		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	M. H. McDivitt, Mpls.	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred about 5:30 A.M. today. Deceased retired at midnight and two of his boys slept with him, John F., Jr., and Floyd. Floyd was awakened by a sound which was like a gurgling in deceased's throat. General Hospital ambulance was called. Officers Wetherill and A. J. Olson were present.

Deceased has complained occasionally of chest pain; has never had a doctor. Lately he has been selling "Star" insurance. Today the family were to leave the apartment. The mother of six children died two years ago. Mrs. A. H. Belden is the landlady.

Viewed at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME RUTH G. YOUNGGREN — Date January 30.

Place of Death	2300 Girard Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1841 Laurel Ave., St. Paul	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Ring; razor blade; case with leads; papers.
Age	46 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Appleton, Minnesota		
Occupation	Psychiatrist - social welfare		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Cut throat by razor blade.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Dr. Jane F. Kennedy, by order of
H Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Company	Address	Mrs. Josephine Sorenson, Mother of dec. 1841 Laurel Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead at 1:30 P.M. today by Stanley Volman, 603 38th Avenue N.E., who was helping the janitor, G. H. Archambault, 2222 Girard Ave. So. He found her lying on her face in a corner of the laundry room in the basement. She was fully dressed and had on her cloak. Clotted blood, lots of it, was on the floor about her head and body. A two-inch laceration was found on the left side of the throat, deep, apparently made by a Probak razor blade found near the body.

Dr. Jane Kennedy told deputy coroner that deceased came to her apartment, No. 8, 2300 Girard Ave. So., the evening of Jan. 25th, 1937, for rest and observation, that deceased had been a patient of hers for years, that she knew the family well, and that deceased's father had had a nervous breakdown years ago. When Dr. Kennedy was about to leave the apartment at 8:30 A.M. today she found that deceased was not in her room. Efforts were made to locate her, and the police were asked to broadcast for her.

Dr. Kennedy assumed the responsibility of notifying the mother in St. Paul.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALBERT F. SCHRAMM Date January 30

Place of Death	3627 Central Avenue N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1013 28th Avenue N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Saginaw, Mich.		
Occupation	Boiler maker		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	R. F. Burr Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was visiting a Mrs. Lucille Fischer at the above address, in company with his two nieces. At 10:30 P.M. he said he would go out and start the car, so went out. A few minutes later, they found him lying dead on the porch. Dr. Good was called and found him dead on arrival. Dr. Mach had been attending him almost daily for hypertension and heart trouble, but was out of the city on January 30th, 1937.

Deceased had had a stroke eight months before and had frequent attacks of pain in the chest.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SARAH H. HUGHES Date January 30.

Place of Death	Plymouth Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Plymouth Township	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	85 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Milo, Maine		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Apoplexy		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide?			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Parkers Lake, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

In an interview in the coroner's office February 2, 1937, Geo. Hughes, Aitkin, Minn., son of deceased, stated that deceased has made her home with a daughter, Mrs. Eunice Eastman; that she has been spry and mentally alert, and has not complained of pain. That Sunday, January 24th, she had a "stroke" after which her limbs were numb. That she had been confined to bed since that time until Saturday, January 30th, at 9:30 A.M. when she apparently suffered another stroke and lapsed into unconsciousness. She died at 9:10 P.M. in the presence of the son and daughter mentioned above.

Case reported to coroner February 2, 1937, by undertaker. Body not viewed by coroner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SARAH FALES — Date January 30

Place of Death	2303 Aldrich Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2303 Aldrich Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	85 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Ireland		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Cerebral Arteriosclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased died January 30th, 1937, at 5:45 P.M. in the presence of a daughter, Caroline Fales, of the same address, and Mrs. T. Quealy, 2306 Irving Avenue North. She had been in bed for the past six months and once was attended by Dr. Weiner of the Minneapolis General Hospital. She was said by Dr. Weiner to have had arteriosclerosis, and the past few months had become irrational.

Case reported to coroner by undertaker February 2, 1937, and body viewed by deputy coroner at Knaeble's Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANNA RUDD — Date January 31.

Place of Death	Parkview Sanatorium	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	1516 Sixth Street South	Inquest	No
Residence	1516 Sixth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of left hip with		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~	bronchopneumonia and bedsores.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Miss Kurtz of Parkview Hospital gave coroner the following information: Deceased is said to have fallen in her own home and fracturedher left hip on October first, 1936. She was admitted to Minneapolis General Hospital October 21st and transferred to Parkview January 5, 1937. Died Jan. 31st at 9:35 A.M. Treated at Parkview by Dr. Lindbloom.

Body viewed at Enger's. Very much emaciated -- large deep bedsores of the crests and trochanters of both ilia.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BERTHA C. CLAUSEN Date Feb. 1

Place of Death	3111 Queen Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3111 Queen Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	87 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	National Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was staying with her son Ivar Clausen. Dr. Rucker was called but deceased was dead when he arrived. Deceased had been sick and confined to bed for a few days.

Body viewed by Dr. Callerstrom at National Funeral Home.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PETER MC LAUGHLIN Date Feb. 2

Place of Death	3857 Pleasant Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3857 Pleasant Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	80 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Policeman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Janesville, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Stapleton Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred about 9 A.M. today.

Deceased had been in the basement to care for the furnace, came up, lighted his pipe, sat down and died.

His step-sister Winnie Lang was with him. Marcella Sullivan, 4325 Grand Avenue, is a granddaughter. Minneapolis General Hospital physician, Dr. Larson, notified coroner's office. History of dizzy spells and headaches.

Body viewed at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LOUIS J. WEINBERG Date February 2

Place of Death	249 Plymouth Avenue	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	249 Plymouth Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	52 Sex Male			
Birthplace	Russia (Jewish)			
Occupation	Electrician			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis.			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	United Brotherhood Cemetery	Effects delivered to		
C Undertaker	Zeesman Mortuary.	Address		

REMARKS:

Deceased had a room in the rear of his electric store and lived there alone. The wife is separated from him and lives at 1127 Humboldt Avenue North.

He has been having anginal symptoms for some time. Was at Minneapolis General Hospital out-patient department August 14th and 24th. Mr. M. Karch, tailor next door, heard deceased pound on the wall and came to see him. Deceased was having severe pains in his chest and difficulty in breathing. He asked that the General Hospital doctor be called. This was at 10 A.M. Officer Pritchard arrived at the same time and deceased was complaining a great deal.

At 11 A.M. when Mr. Karch again came in death had taken place. Deceased was lying on the cot, fully dressed. No evidence of violence. Mr. Paul Kaufman, a son-in-law, arrived and took charge of the body and effects. Body taken directly to undertakers.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY L. BROWER Date Feb. 4.

Place of Death	15th Avenue S.E. near 8th St.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	946 15th Avenue S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	67 Sex Female			
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.			
Occupation	Housewife			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis.			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to		
H Undertaker	Sullivan Mortuary	Address		

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital in the automobile of E. E. Thrall, 347 0 St. N.E. at 8:37 P.M. today. She was seen lying on her face at 15th Ave. & 8th St. S.E. on the east side of the street by W. D. Oliver, 1033 15th Avenue S.E., who was walking by the place. He stopped Mr. Thrall and they put her into the auto. Both men think she was dead at the time.

In her purse was found the name of Mrs. Richter with whom deceased lived, and the address and phone number, 946 15th Avenue S.E., Gladstone 1564. Mrs. Richter gave the daughter's name and address, Mrs. Esther Anderson, 703 14th Ave. S.E., Gladstone 7669. Mrs. Anderson was paged and found at the Minneapolis Symphony concert on the University campus and she came to General Hospital at once, about 9:30 P.M.

She told deputy coroner that her mother had had dinner with her at her apartment at 703 13th Ave. S.E. and that she accompanied deceased toward home as far as 15th Ave. S.E. & 7th St., where she left her. The time was then between 8:15 and 8:30 P.M. Mrs. Anderson said her mother had had several dizzy spells the past week.

Detective Adam Smith investigated the case for the Police Department.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALFRED JOHN TESSMER — Date February 5

Place of Death	St. Andrews Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Salisbury-Satterlee Co. 201 Main Street S.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	2542 Stinson Blvd.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	43 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Shakopee, Minnesota		
Occupation	Foreman - spring unit dept. Salisbury-Satterlee Bedding		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Cellulitis, septicaemia following abrasion to finger		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	Contributory: Bronchopneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Chanhassen Township	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Buchinger Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased worked for the Salisbury-Satterlee Bedding Company, 201 Main St. S.E. His work had to do with bed springs and metals. He made statements to Dr. C. Strunk and his wife that on December tenth, 1936, at about 2 P.M. he sustained a small bruise from a piece of metal to the dorsal side of the right index finger. He gave it no attention. The next day he complained of pain in the arm and general disability. Did not go to work. On December 12th more general symptoms and pain in arm and arm pit developed.

Dr. Strunk first attended on December 15th. Deceased then had a temperature of 102° and a marked swelling of the right arm.

He was brought to St. Andrews Hospital by ambulance December 16th. Deceased has had multiple abscesses which have been opened and his condition has been septic. Death occurred at 1:30 A.M. February 5, 1937.

Autopsy held at Buchinger's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALBERT LAUTENSLAGER — Date February 5.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	East Hennepin & Wilder Street	Inquest	No
Residence	64 East Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.50; 1 key; 1 knife; spectacles and case; 2 letters.
Age	About 50 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Chicago, Illinois		
Occupation	Butcher, & salesman in industrial home.		Other effects listed on Morgue Records.
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Streetcar Crushing injuries of chest and		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x	rupture of left kidney.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
R Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	To County Treasurer Dec. 17, 1937. P

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital at 7:42 P.M. February 4, 1937, by ambulance #1 from East Hennepin and Wilder Street. He was admitted by Dr. Miller. He died at 7:45 A.M. February 5, 1937.

Police stated that he was crossing East Hennepin at Wilder Street and was struck by a streetcar driven by Paul C. Janke of 3236 40th Avenue South, at 7:27 P.M. February 4, 1937. Officers Mather, Bolin, Brock and Olson.

Paul C. Janke stated to the coroner that the car which struck deceased was a northeast-bound Nicollet & Second Street; that the accident occurred fifteen feet beyond the far crosswalk. Another streetcar was passing in the opposite direction and may also have hit deceased. It is thought the motorman of the other car did not see the deceased.

Eleanor Fredin, 23 East Hennepin Avenue, is a witness.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OSCAR ANDERSON

Date February 6.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	44th Street & Minnehaha Ave.	Inquest	No
Residence	4331 Minnehaha Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	71 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Janitor & carpenter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ / Accident	Automobile — Fracture of legs and lobar pneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance, and admitted at 9:03 P.M. December 11, 1936. He was attended by Dr. LaBree and Dr. H. F. Nelson. Died at 11:15 A.M. February sixth.

On December 11th, deceased had stepped off a streetcar and was on the street at 44th Street South and Minnehaha, when he was struck by a car, Ford Coach B596440 going north on Minnehaha. The car was owned and driven by F. O. Book, 5329 47th Avenue South.

Witnesses: Andrew Olson, 4350 43rd Avenue South
Rudolph Strom, 4411 Minnehaha Avenue.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANDREW P. JACKSON

Date February 6.

Place of Death	4400 Wentworth Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4626 Wentworth Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.75 cash; purse; knife; spectacles & case; pencil; 2 plates of teeth; billfold.
Age	83 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Retired farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lund, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	Otto E. Jackson, Son
S Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	Aberdeen, S. Dak.

other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead on the sidewalk in front of 4400 Wentworth Avenue by T. and G. H. Whissel, 4401 Wentworth.

Deceased's daughter, Mrs. Paul Bryngelson, stated to coroner over the telephone that deceased left his home at 8:30 A.M. to go to the barber shop in the 4300 block. He was found shortly afterward. Deceased was lying on his back, head south, feet north. The sidewalk was not slippery and the marks on the snow made it appear as if he had sagged down and not slipped.

Deceased had been troubled with shortness of breath. Deceased was living with three of his daughters. About two years ago he was told he had diabetes.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM EARL CLARK

Date February 6.

Place of Death	McDivitt's Funeral Home 2825 E. Lake Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4334 Snelling Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$52.31 cash; 6 keys; watch; chain; watch charm; billfold; knife.
Age	54 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Alden, Minnesota		
Occupation	Brakeman - N.P. Railroad		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Acacia Park	Effects delivered to	Roy E. Clark, Brother
H Undertaker	McDivitt Funeral Home	Address	119 St. Paul Avenue Duluth, Minnesota.

REMARKS:

Deceased died at the undertaking parlors while attending his mother's funeral, about 2:40 P.M. today. History of illness over a long period of time, with two paralytic strokes, the last one about four years ago. A brother, Roy E. Clark, lives in Duluth, Minnesota, 119 St. Paul Avenue.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN H. SANDER

Date February 7.

Place of Death	2617 Garfield Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2617 Garfield Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	61 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Henderson, Minnesota		
Occupation	General Merchant.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Benesh was called at 10 A.M. and notified deputy coroner. Deceased's wife and son J. Sander found deceased dead in bed about 9:30 A.M. They were of the opinion that he may have died about 3 A.M. today. He had been ill with the "flu" for two weeks and previously became easily tired.

Body not viewed.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MATHIAS HAEHN

Date February 8.

Place of Death	718 Glenwood Avenue Munsingwear Corp.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	15 West 22nd St., Apt. 1	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	72 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Common laborer - Munsingwear		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Heinrich Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was working on eighth floor of Munsingwear Manufacturing Co. At 11:30 A.M. some of the other workers noticed that deceased was seated on a large box leaning backward against the wall in a slumped position.

Manager O. C. Jackson, Jennie Munson, Martin Johnson and F. E. Nielsen arrived on the scene, also the wife.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at the place and taken directly to Heinrich's. Wife took charge of body and effects.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CLARA E. DARROW

Date February 8.

Place of Death	Fairview Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1609 Fourth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	42 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Moberly, Mo. (Colored)		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Carbolic acid poisoning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Neal Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted 7 P.M., treated by Dr. Annis and interne Dr. Elmer Paulson. Dr. Paulson stated he gave deceased gastric lavage. The washings smelled very strongly of carbolic acid. She was unconscious on admittance. Died 10:10 P.M.

Frederick V. Darrow who was rooming with deceased, stated to coroner that he came home at 6 P.M. and found deceased was lying on the floor screaming, was conscious and asked him to get a doctor for her. Beside her was a glass which still contained a few drops of carbolic acid solution. Darrow said deceased had been drinking for a few days and was very despondent.

Body viewed at Neal's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OLE HANSON — Date Found February 9.

Place of Death	Plymouth Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Union City Mission Farm Mpls, Hyland Sta. No. 7,	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	52 Sex Male		None except listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Freezing from exposure to cold, with left hemiplegia		
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Peter Hanson, Brother
R Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	Sacred Heart, Minn.

REMARKS:

Deceased had a paralytic stroke some years ago, since which time his left side has been partially paralyzed so that he walked with a shuffle. He had been out to the farm for several days. After eating his supper February 8, 1937, he said he was going to walk across the lake to camp No. 4 a distance of about 1½ miles. He left at 5:10 P.M. He was found half way across the lake at 9:00 A.M. February 9, 1937, by Oscar Juhlstrom, another resident of the farm. He was brought back to the farm by Adolph Lidstrom, Edward Tayne, Gilbert Heen and James Ogee, who say that he was alive when they first picked him up. He was dead on arrival at the farm, however, according to the nurse, Mrs. Hageman. Death was also pronounced by Dr. Arthur Johnson.

He had several shallow abrasions of the face, both hands were frozen, and his legs were frozen solid almost to the hips.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALVIN AMUNDSON — Date February 9.

Place of Death	1314 Fourth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1314 Fourth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Army discharge paper in the name of William Amundson
Age	39 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Birthplace	Waseca, Minnesota		
Occupation	Common Laborer - WPA		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / ~~Accident~~ / Suicide / ~~Homicide~~	Illuminating gas poisoning		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Clara Bowden, Sister
C Undertaker	Sundseth's Funeral Home	Address	1001 West Broadway

REMARKS:

Deceased and Frederick Kelly (16) have had a two-room apartment here since September 13, 1936. Deceased has been sick and treated at Minneapolis General Hospital, and was on relief.

Mrs. Ragnar Anderson, landlady, saw deceased at 6 A.M. February 9. Deceased was then walking around a rear garage. At 9 A.M. she heard a sound of some sort from upstairs. This evening she smelled gas and her husband Ragnar Anderson broke in the door. All five burners on the gas stove were turned on. He turned them off. Lights were not lit. All windows and doors were closed. There was no evidence of any disturbance in the rooms. Deceased and his room mate, Frederick Kelly (16) were lying dead on the kitchen floor. Deceased was clad in underwear, pants and bathrobe. They were lying on bed quilts and pillow taken from the bed, and also overcoats.

The bodies are pink as from gas poisoning.

Found dead at 6:30 P.M. as in the case of Frederick Kelly.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FREDERICK KELLY Date February 9

Place of Death	1314 Fourth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1314 Fourth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	15 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Little Falls, Minnesota		None except listed on Morgue Record (No value)
Occupation	Student - Wendell Phillips		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Woodlawn Cemetery, Winona, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Clothes destroyed 12/1/37
C Undertaker	Welander Company	Address	By John Anderson, Morgue Supt.

REMARKS:

The circumstances of this case are the same as those of previous case, Alvin Amundson.

Deceased's father was interviewed and says that deceased has lived with Amundson since May, 1936. He last saw deceased at 8 P.M. February 8th. Mother of deceased is dead. Mr. Kelly had remarried. The Superintendent of the Wendell-Phillips School says that deceased was absent February fifth, eighth and ninth, and twelve days during January.

It appears that deceased had taken his place on the floor beside Amundson without resistance and had died from the gas without any struggle. He was clad in underwear and pants. Found dead as in case of Amundson at 6:30 P.M.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN ELMER ANDERSON Date February 9.

Place of Death	3501 32nd Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	3501 32nd Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	3501 32nd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$7.39 cash; billfold; watch; knife; fountain pen; notebook; papers.
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Carpenter		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Hemorrhage from laceration of right arm due to breaking of windows in doors.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Florence Anderson, Wife
H Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	3501 32nd Avenue South

REMARKS: Deceased was found dead today between six and 6:30 P.M. by his wife upon her return home from work. Deceased was on the bathroom floor in a sitting position, his feet partly drawn under his body. His head was against the side of the small radiator, his overcoat was along the lower part of his back, a scarf over his shoulders, rubbers and spats were on. His hat was on the side of the washbowl; a large wet and bloody turkish towel was in the bowl; considerable blood was in the toilet; blood was all over the bathroom floor, on the walls, doors, toilet, washbowl, bathtub edge, radiator; much of this blood was dry, clotted.

The glass in the back door and storm door is splintered. Dry blood is on the floor inside the back entry-way and dry drops of blood can be traced through the kitchen, dining-room, sitting-room, entry-way to bathroom and in bathroom. Deceased's extensor surface of right arm is extensively and irregularly and deeply cut, beginning at the wrist and extending back two-thirds of the way toward the elbow. Deceased may have stumbled down the five steps in the back entry-way, have become stiff-armed to save himself, and put his hand and arm through both glass windows of back door and storm door.

He has been a diabetic since 1927, formerly under the care of Dr. Dunlap. He has not seen a doctor in a long time, but gave himself insulin. Occasionally he had reactions and would faint, or almost faint, until he could be fed carbohydrates. Perhaps he had an attack this time and fell forward.

He has not worked since late in the fall when he was employed by M. M. Myers, City Engineering Foreman, 3953 30th Avenue South. Mrs. Anderson works for Max Erandson, tailor, 10 South Third Street. Deceased was up when she left at 7:30 A.M. today. A sister, Jennie Allen, lives at 3436 32nd Avenue South. Dr. Brutsch was called and notified the coroner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: WILLIAM FAUE — Date: February 10.

Place of Death	Golden Valley Village	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Hub Schuller's Nite Club Hyland Sta. Route #7.	Effects Taken in Charge	$22.35 cash; check $5.00; billfold; 2 knives; watch (Elm City); chain; pencil; 5 keys; screw driver; identification card; 2 Telephone Pioneers' Dance, Coliseum, Lexington & Univ. Aves., Tickets 6212 & 6213; receipts; papers.
Age	68 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Cook		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	Walter B. Faue, Son
R Undertaker	Heinrich's Funeral Home	Address	3300 Girard Avenue South

REMARKS:

Deceased had been a cook at Hub Schuller's Nite Club, but lately just stayed there in a room upstairs. He had complained for some time of heart trouble and pain in his chest, and was thought to have consulted Dr. Rosenwald recently.

He was last seen alive at 12:20 A.M. Feb. 10, 1937, by Everett Frandsen and a Ray Ewald and was feeling well then. He was found dead in bed at 9:30 A.M. by Marvin Schuller of Golden Valley.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: MYRTLE BILLSTROM — Date: February 10.

Place of Death	Fairview Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	337 E. 18th St.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	24 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Baudette, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	General peritonitis following		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	self-induced abortion.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

The husband of the deceased, Wallace Billstrom of 337 E. 18th Street, stated to the deputy coroner that his wife was about six weeks pregnant, that when he returned from work February first, 1937, she told him that she had used some elm bark to cause an abortion.

On February 4th, 1937, she was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital at 7:27 A.M. under the care of Dr. Gates. The history at the Hospital corroborates the husband's story. She was transferred to Fairview Hospital by ambulance on February 8, 1937, where she was admitted at 6:35 P.M. under the care of Dr. Henry Lysne. She died at 1:33 P.M. February 10, 1937.

In a statement made and signed at Fairview Hospital, she admitted having performed the operation on herself.

Diagnoses at the General and Fairview Hospitals were general peritonitis following self-induced abortion.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME IRVING W. CLEMENSON

Date February 10.

Place of Death	3233 Fremont Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3233 Fremont Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	35 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Bayport, Minnesota		
Occupation	Salesman - men's furnishings.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Burr Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased's son James, 11 years old, found his father dead about 3:30 P.M. today when he came home from school. He was astride a kitchen chair in front of the gas range, his head over the burners. James turned off the gas, then telephoned his aunt, Mrs. Frank Browning, 3805 Harriet Avenue, who came over at once and called the police department. Firemen came, used the pulmotor in vain. General Hospital ambulance was called. Mrs. Clemenson, the wife, had gone to St. Paul earlier in the day, and could not be notified of the situation before she got home.

Deceased came home at 4 A.M. today. He had been drinking and gambling all night; told his wife he had lost his salary and a diamond ring.

Dependent parts of body were pigmented a bright pink. Firemen had placed deceased on the floor, before deputy coroner arrived.

Officers Atchison and Gerity were present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SHERMAN BARNES

Date Found February 12.

Place of Death	1219 Lincoln St. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	107 Nicollet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.05 cash; billfold; 5 street-car tokens; knife; spectacles & case; watch (Elgin); 2 chains (one watch chain and 1 key chain);4 keys; 1 pencil; notebook; 5 Pass Time Cafe meal tickets; cards.
Age	68 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Engineer Milwaukee Railroad.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Acute alcoholism		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. M. S. Delplain, daughter
C Undertaker	Barney Anderson & Son	Address	5205 39th Avenue South

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased and Geo. Elg, 1719 Pierce Street, N.E., came to the home of Frank McCarthy at 6 P.M. February 12th. They had a bottle of whisky and drank. Deceased went to bed and was heard by Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy singing and acting intoxicated after nine P.M. This morning Mrs. McCarthy tried to arouse him at about 9 A.M. and found him dead in bed.

Deceased was on Old Age Pension. Body was taken to Hennepin County morgue.

Officers Storm and Karpinsky.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EWALD BUHROW Date Feb. 12.

Place of Death	On way from Medicine Lake, Plymouth Twp., to Eitel Hosp.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3009 Emerson Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Butcher		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was at his summer home at Medicine Lake. He was out shoveling snow and had been pushing on a truck assisting a man who was stuck with his truck. The truck was a Palmer Ice Company truck driven by Richard M. Illi, 1315 Clinton Avenue. Deceased became exhausted, his face turned red and then blue, and he breathed deeply.

Present were his sons Paul (11), Willis (15) and a nephew Harold (14). Deceased was placed in the rear seat of his car and Mr. Illi started for Eitel Hospital. As they came onto the highway about 1½ miles from Medicine Lake the deep breathing ceased. Arriving at Eitel Hospital at 6:30 P.M. death was declared by Dr. Mitchel, house physician. Deceased has not been to any doctor, but the wife states he has not been well and has had heart symptoms for some months.

The wife requested that an autopsy be held.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM C. WICKMAN Date Feb. 12.

Place of Death	Union City Mission	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	18 Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	Cash 3¢; purse; knife; spectacles & case; spectacles (broken); trinket; division of relief Men's Bur. lodging order No. 29540; division of relief men's Bur. meal order No. 34629.
Age	59 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Michigan		
Occupation	Machinist		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12/15/37
S Undertaker	John A. Anderson, Mpls.	Address	To County Treasurer 12/17/37 P

REMARKS:

Deceased was on relief, had at one time worked at Union City Mission. He came into the lunchroom in the basement. While sitting on a chair he became sick. While waiting an hour for the ambulance, Lester Schuler, clerk, took care of him. He was gasping for breath until he died. Death occurred just as the ambulance arrived.

Officer Hallan present. John Anderson, Supt. of Morgue, removed body to the morgue. Sister, Mrs. Chas. Valois, Flint, Michigan, notified.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BETTY BURG. Date February 12.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Minneapolis General Hospital	Inquest	No
Residence	2408 Penn Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	78 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Fall on floor - fracture of		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	right hip with broncho-		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~	pneumonia.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted January 16 at 7:12 P.M. for bronchopneumonia by Dr. LaBree. Attended by Dr. Berlin and Dr. Giesen. Died 2:05 P.M. February 12.

Fell in Minneapolis General Hospital February tenth on the way to the bathroom and fractured her right hip. Deceased had improved from her broncho-pneumonia at the time of the accident.

Body viewed at Welander's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ARNOLD A. ROMAN Date February 13.

Place of Death	39½ & Major Aves. Robbinsdale, Minn.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	44th & "D" Street, Robbinsdale, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$6.00 cash; 1 Marquette Natl. Bank Bank book checking account; 2 resident fishing licenses, A. A. Roman and Eleanor Roman; 1 Bank check book with check blanks; 1 Driver's license card #1M03610; cards; receipts; papers.
Age	51 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Litchfield, Minn.		
Occupation	Foreman - Northland Creamery		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	Eleanor Roman, Wife,
Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	44th Ave. & "D" St., Robbinsdale.

REMARKS:

A Mr. H. J. Barnett of 4138 Major Avenue, Robbinsdale, stated that just before 6:00 P.M. Feb. 13, 1937, he was driving behind the car of the deceased, when suddenly the car swerved into the snow at the side of the road and stopped. He proceeded to his home a short distance away, and then saw that the car was still stationary, so he went back and saw that the deceased was dead. A Mr. Leckner of 3860 Major Avenue, came up then and turned off the ignition switch. He stated that the motor was not running then and that there was no perceptible odor of gas in the car, which was a Willys-Overland No. B-6337.

Police and a Dr. Kostick were called, and Dr. Kostick pronounced him dead. The time of death was approximately 6:00 P.M.

Mrs. Roman told the deputy coroner over the telephone that her husband had been having pains in the upper part of his abdomen and chest, which he attributed to gas. He had not been to a physician for about a year and she did not know who the physician was. When the deputy coroner arrived the deceased was sitting slumped over the wheel of the car, which was just off the road in the snow.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES ERNEST WINSOR

Date February 13.

Place of Death	Chi.,Milw.,St.P. & Pac. R.R. tracks near Franklin & Cedar Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	2657 13th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$18.50 Cash; 1 key; 2 notebooks.
Age	27 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record (No value)
Occupation	Truck Driver		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Train Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Crushing injuries to chest and multiple fractures		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Catherine Winsor, Wife
R Undertaker	McDivitt Funeral Home	Address	2657 13th Avenue South

REMARKS: Deceased was found at 10:00 P.M. by Milton Eckberg, of 2120 11th Avenue So., lying alongside the east rail of the main east bound track, with his head facing north, and eight paces from the west crosswalk. A friend of his, Robert Gerdes of 917 13th Ave. So., told deputy coroner John Anderson that he had been with him up to 9:00 P.M. Feb. 13, 1937, at which time he left him at Hinth Street & 15th Ave. So. after having had three glasses of beer together.

Officers Anderson, Morford and Neary.

A. E. Ward, Claim Agent of the Milwaukee Railroad states that no report of the above accident has been made by any train crew. Investigation will be continued.

Multiple fractures of the right tibia and fibula with a compound fracture in the middle third tibia, with a laceration two inches long on the inner aspect of the tibia in the middle third with the fractured proximal end of the tibia protruding. There were multiple fractures of the left tibia and fibula with a laceration 4x2 inches just below the knee and on the posterior-inner surface. Another laceration was two inches below the preceding and one inch long. On the right thigh was a lacera- 3 inches long, parallel to and four inches below Poupart's ligament. A large, deep laceration was present on the inner aspect of the right thigh at the junction with the pelvis and extending up into the pelvis, involving the scrotum and penis, which was denuded.

There was a fracture of the left femur at the junction of the middle and distal thirds. A large abrasion was present on the left side, extending from just above the knee on the outer surface to the twelfth rib and about six inches wide. The right hand was almost torn off and mangled, with multiple fractures of the radius and ulna. There was a fracture of the right humerus near the shoulder, with a lacera- tion one inch long near the right shoulder, and another laceration one inch long just be- low the right clavicle. There was a laceration two inches long in the right temporal region, 3 inches above the right ear, extending backwards. Multiple small lacerations and abrasions over nose and upper lip. An abrasion covered the left side of the face and forehead. There were palpable fractures of almost all the ribs anteriorly, with a concave deformity of the chest.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE SAGEN, Jr.

Date Feb. 14.

Place of Death	Orono Township, near Hwy #212	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Orono Township, near Hwy #212	Inquest	No
Residence	1325 W. 27th St.	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	14 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Grand Forks, N. Dak.		None except listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	School		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / Unintentional Homicide	Gunshot wound in head.		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Ernest B. Hammer, 2217 Nicollet Avenue, by order of Geo Sagen, father of deceased.
H Undertaker	Lee Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS: Accident occurred about 11:40 A.M. today in a large open space south from highway No. 212 near Milton Budde's resort in Orono Township. George Sagen, Sr., father of deceased, took his boy and five other boys out for target practice, leav- ing Minneapolis about 7:30 A.M. today. These boys are: Harry Dahl, 1465 W. 33rd St., Richard Cavanaugh, 3007 Irving Ave. So., Bert Elwood, 4226 Upton Ave. So., John Iverson, 2717 Girard Ave. So., and Wm. Gray, 518 W. 32nd St.

They gathered firewood, took turns shooting with .22 rifles at targets, and made their lunch. Harry Dahl was taking his turn at shooting. He stood back of a fair-sized tree, rested his rifle against the tree and aimed at a target. The other five boys had all been over by the log fire. Just as Dahl pulled the trigger deceased was passing in front of the line of fire. The bullet entered the right side of his head, two inches forward from his ear, in the edge of the hair, and in a line even with the top of his ear. The skin was blackened and the skin and hair singed. Two or three of the boys ran for help but death must have been immediate.

Deputy Sheriffs Schutta and Archie Buck responded for the Sheriff's office. Mr. Budde telephoned for Mr. Sagen, who came out and took the five boys home. Deputy Coroner Hobbs talked with Mr. Sagen in his home, then was shown the home of Harry Dahl. Harry's mother knew nothing of the accident even though her boy, Cavanaugh and Elwood had been home since the shooting. These three boys went to Cavanaugh's home and did not tell of the accident, then went to a movie. Dr. Hobbs sent for them and got their stories at Mr. C. C. Cavanaugh's home. Bill Gray agreed with these boys that Dahl's line of vision was obstructed by the tree, also that deceased passed very close by the end of the rifle barrel.

Viewed at place of death.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HAROLD W. STENE Date Feb. 15.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	Swedish Hospital	Inquest	No
Residence	235 Lowry Ave. N.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	24 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Albertville, Wis.		
Occupation	Laborer - Live Bait Shop		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Probably anesthesia by		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	cyclopropane during herniotomy.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Swedish Hospital at 9:00 P.M. February 14, 1937, and died on the operating table at 10:00 A.M. February 15, 1937. The attending physician who was performing an operation for bilateral inguinal hernia was Dr. Oliver H. Peterson, the assistant was Dr. Nordahl Peterson, the anesthetist C. Nicols. Internes Jaeck and Goike helped with artificial respiration.

The operation began at 9:20 A.M. The patient ceased breathing at 10:00 A.M. Artificial respiration was continued until twelve noon.

Morphine Sulph. gr. 1/6 and Atropin Sulph. gr. 1/150 were administered at 8:40 A.M. After respirations ceased Lobelin, Adrenalin, Coramine and Strychnine were administered.

The left side had been completed and was sutured and the right side had almost been completed except for suturing the skin.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LEO FAY CIPPERLY Date Feb. 16.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Brook Park, Minnesota	Inquest	No
Residence	333 East 18th St.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	37 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Monroe Center, Ill.		
Occupation	Cab driver - Yellowcab		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Septicaemia following gunshot		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	wound of leg - accidental		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~	discharge of gun.		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Connolly Undertaking Co.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to Minneapolis General Hospital October 25, 1936, at 9:05 P.M., with a gun shot wound in the left knee. Sepsis developed and on December 7, 1936, the leg was amputated above the knee by Dr. Emil Robitchek. A general septicaemia developed and he was given numerous transfusions and was under an anaesthetic numerous times for debridement and treatment.

Died at 6:45 P.M. Feb. 16, 1937. Body viewed at Minneapolis General Hospital.

Accident occurred at about 6 P.M. October 25, 1936, in the farm home of Harry Hardie near Brook Park, Minn., about ten miles from Mora. The party had been hunting and were breaking their guns preparing to leave when the gun held by Harold Trumble, 1401 W. 32nd St., accidentally discharged. Deceased, lying on a bed six feet away, was struck in the left knee by shot gun bullets. Hemorrhage was profuse. Dr. Peterson of Mora gave first aid. Others in the house at the time were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hoffman, Francis Busse, Harry Hardie and wife, Mrs. Ada Hardie, Frank Hardie, 1401 West 32nd St. Mr. Harold Trumble is a brother-in-law of deceased.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILHELMINA ERICKSON Date Feb. 17.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	St. Paul, Minn. (Ice Carnival	Inquest	No
Residence	426 W. Franklin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	75 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Terminal bronchopneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~	following fracture of left		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~	femur due to a fall on street.		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Bostrom Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted at 9 P.M. February 14, 1937, to the care of Dr. Hamlin Matson. Died today at 9:54 P.M.

On February 5, 1937, deceased slipped and fell on the ice while attending the Ice Carnival in St. Paul. She broke her left femur, was carried on a toboggan to Bethesda Hospital in St. Paul and then later transferred to Swedish Hospital. Four years ago she was operated for carcinoma of bladder. Now she developed a partial obstruction and bronchopneumonia.

Viewed at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANNA LEE SLAYTON Date February 17.

Place of Death	2715 Columbus Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2715 Columbus Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 75 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Burr Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 10:30 A.M. today. Deceased had been confined to bed since Thanksgiving time at which time she had a paralytic stroke. She was cared for by Mrs. Gertrude Morrow, Christian Science practitioner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM DAVID TRIDEN Date February 17.

Place of Death	3455 Alabama Avenue St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	3455 Alabama Avenue St. Louis Park, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	3455 Alabama Avenue St. Louis Park, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	none except listed on Morgue Record
Age	1 mo. 15 days Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident	Probably suffocation from bedclothes.		
~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	M. E. Triden, Father,
Undertaker	M. H. McDivitt Co.	Address	3455 Alabama Avenue St. Louis Park, Minn.

REMARKS:

Dr. Robert Cranston reported this case, stating that he examined the baby in his office as a routine examination on February 16, 1937, and pronounced the baby normal. On Feb. 17, 1937, he was called to the house and found the baby dead. The father, Mr. Maurice Triden, stated that he had covered the baby at 7:30 A.M. when it was whimpering a little and when he went into the baby's room at 10:00 A.M. he found it dead. It was lying on its side, he said.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NIELS PETERSEN Date February 17.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	251 E. Island Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	251 East Island Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.80 cash; 1 purse; 1 knife; 4 keys; 1 Watch (Waltham) with leather strap.
Age	67 Sex Male		(No clothes)
Birthplace	Denmark		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Probably Accident	Illuminating gas poisoning		
~~Suicide~~ x / ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Spencer, Iowa	~~Effects delivered to~~	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
R Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	~~Address~~	Cash & proceeds to County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937. P

REMARKS: Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital at 10:30 A.M. February 17, 1937, by emergency ambulance from 251 E. Island Avenue, and died at 9:12 P.M. February 17, 1937. He was admitted by Dr. Hanssen and attended by Dr. Blumstein and Dr. Rick. The diagnosis was illuminating gas poisoning.

The landlady, Mrs. Jules Robichon, same address, stated that she opened his door with her key about 9:35 A.M. after smelling gas and knocking on the door without response. She states that both gas burners of a two-burner gas plate were turned on with a coffee pot one-half full of coffee over one. She stated there was an empty moonshine bottle in the room and another bottle two-thirds full, and that he had been drinking heavily. No notes were found. Had lived there 1½ years.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CAROLINE OHME — Date Feb. 18.

Place of Death	132 E. 34th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	132 E. 34th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	53 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Chicago, Illinois		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	B. Anderson & Son	Address	

REMARKS:

Walter Ohme, husband, returned home at 7:45 P.M. today and found deceased dead lying on the kitchen floor. He turned off the five gas burners, opened the doors, then went next door to the home of R. T. Rasmusson, 128 E. 34th St., who notified the coroner. Cracks and keyholes in all the doors opening into the kitchen were calked up with rags. A cushion was on the floor in front of the gas range; deceased lay on her back, fully dressed, left leg on a kitchen chair, not far from the gas range. She was im rigor mortis and dependent parts showed the bright pink pigmentation.

Deceased had talked by telephone at 11 A.M. with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Engberg, 5124 Abbott Avenue South, at which time she was very unhappy. Mr. Ohme left the house before 7 A.M. today. Body viewed at place of death.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JACOB S. WEILER — Date Feb. 19.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident	215 First Street North	Inquest	No
Residence	1502 Laurel Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$13.55 cash; 3 streetcar tokens; 1 purse; billfold; 8 keys; 1 knife; mirror; spectacles (broken); Wagon peddler license tag No. 66; auto registration card for 1937; driver's license card M50448; Wagon peddler license No. 14487; Food license No. 14488; certificate in lieu of lost or destroyed discharge cert. army serial No. 2855875; receipts; papers.
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	St. Cloud, Minnesota		
Occupation	Common laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Fracture of skull with bruising of brain due to a fall over railing.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Frank Weiler, Brother
Undertaker	Gill Bros. Mortuary	Address	1502 Laurel Avenue

other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Admitted February 18, 1937, at 9:22 P.M. by Dr. Egil Hansen. Brought in ambulance No. 1 driven by Bob Green and accompanied by Dr. Gordon. Died at 12:40 A.M. today. Attended by Dr. Uhley. Was bleeding from nose, mouth, and left ear when picked up at 215 First Street North, on second floor, by Officers Holcombe and Michaelson.

An old man by the name of Andrew Miller is being held in City Jail. These two men were pals and were apparently helping eachother up the stairway to third floor, when both fell, deceased falling over the railing eighteen feet to second floor, and Miller falling down the stairs. Both men were drunk. Officer Van Rickley investigated the case.

Deceased was identified by Frank Weiler, 1502 Laurel Avenue, a brother.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ELIZABETH QUINN

Date February 19.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	215 Broadway St. N.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	215 Broadway St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None.
Age	84 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Galena, Illinois		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Bronchopneumonia following fracture of left femur due to fall from wheelchair.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Anthony Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Billman Funeral Chapel	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted February 12, 1937, at 2:03 P.M. by Dr. Egil Hansen. Dr. LaPierre sent her to Minneapolis General Hospital from 215 Broadway St. N.E. She died at 6:30 A.M. today.

Sister Mary, with Little Sisters of the Poor, told deputy coroner that on February 6, 1937, deceased tried to get out of her wheelchair while the attendant was out of the room. She slipped and fell, breaking her left hip, being weak from the "flu". Efforts were made to take care of her at the Home, but it was found necessary to transfer her to Minneapolis General Hospital. A son lives at 202 W. Faribault St., Duluth, Minnesota, H. B. Quinn. He was here recently and made arrangements with a funeral director.

Body viewed at Minneapolis General Hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOSEPH HALL

Date February 19.

Place of Death	Basement of Union City Mission	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Union City Mission	Effects Taken in Charge	Notebook cover; Mpls. Gen. Hosp. out-patient dept. card No. 34423; Div. of Relief, Men's Bureau, meal order #36333; Division of Relief, men's Bur. lodging order #30834; cards; papers; key.
Age	59 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Troy, N.Y.		
Occupation	Janitor - laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12/15/37
Undertaker	John Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12/17/37

Other effects noted on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased had lived at the Mission since November, 1936, and was on city relief. On this occasion he started to walk up the stairs from the basement about 2 P.M. when he collapsed while halfway up and fell. He was picked up by James McGee of Western Hotel, L. E. Schlelier, Union City Mission, and carried to a bench downstairs where he died at 2:15 P.M. before the arrival of the Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance. He had had dyspnoea and precordial pain for some time.

Officer Haley.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: WILLIAM SIERSDORFER — Date: February 19.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	12th Ave. S. & Washington	Inquest	No
Residence	214 7th Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Postal card; receipt; letters; papers. (No clothes)
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Indiana		
Occupation	Candy Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ / Automobile Accident	Fracture of skull with laceration of brain		
~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	North Madison, Ind.	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
R Undertaker	Billman Funeral Home	Address	To County Treasurer 12-10-38

REMARKS: Deceased was brought to the Minneapolis General Hospital at 10:50 P.M. by Emergency Ambulance No. 1 from 12th Ave. So. & Washington. There he was seen by Dr. Whitesell and sent to the Swedish Hospital where he was admitted at 11:30 P.M. February 18, 1937, and died at 8:15 P.M. February 19th. He was under the care of Dr. Fred Richardson.

According to the police report, deceased was crossing Washington Avenue at 12th Avenue South and struck by a hit-run car at 10:30 P.M. February 18, 1937. Motorman No. 1719 of Loop car No. 1561 gave the license number of the car as B29-379 (1936), which car was traced to a J. L. Denson of 3617 Bloomington Avenue and reported stolen.

John Anderson went to deceased's room but did not find anything of any value; took three letters and a notation of an accident insurance policy, The Independence Insurance Company, Louisville, Ky, No. 12789.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: JAMES FLEMING WALLACE — Date: February 19.

Place of Death	Bunge Elevator, 13th and Brooks Aves. S.E.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	1004 16th Ave. S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.97 cash; Watch (Illinois Watch); spectacles (broken); Flour, Feed, Cereal & Elevator Workers Local #19152, membership card #1241; Minn. Hosp. Service Ass'n card contract #17, group 857; Flour Feed Cereal & Elev. Workers Union #19152 permit; billfold; knife; 5 keys; 2 pant guards; shoe horn; trinket; receipts.
Age	70 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Shipman, Illinois		
Occupation	Grocer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ / Accident	Fell from "man-lift".		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Crushing injuries to chest and broken back.		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Helen Mary Wallace, Daughter
R Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Mortuary	Address	3516 Colfax Avenue South.

REMARKS: Deceased was found dead at 11:15 P.M. February 19, 1937, on the sixth floor of the above grain elevator, lying on the floor alongside the man-lift, which is a sort of conveyor belt to carry men up through the floors. He was found at 11:15 P.M. by M. O. Thorkildson and his son Lloyd of 5237 Elliot Avenue South, employees who were called by the A.D.T. System when the deceased made four "pulls" and no more. He was seen alive also by Thorkildson in the office adjoining the elevator at 10:55 P.M. Feb. 19, 1937. Mr. Gardner of 3823 E. 42nd St. of the A.D.T. System was present. The Superintendent of the plant, Mr. P. L. Konopatzki of 2110 Fairmont Ave., St. Paul, was also present when the coroner arrived.

From the location of the body, it appears as though the deceased fell from the man-lift somewhere between sixth and seventh floors.

Officers Benzick and Hubbard.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LOURELLE H. EVERTS Date February 20.

Place of Death	127 Fifth St. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	22 Fifth Street N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.20 cash; 1 key; purse; check for $3.20.
Age	76 Sex Male		
Birthplace	New York		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Occupation	Bedding Mfr.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			Clothes sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937. To County Treasurer Dec. 17, 1937.
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cem. (vault)	Effects delivered to	William H. Everts, Son
H Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	4451 Arthur Str. N.E.

REMARKS:

Death occurred about noon today. Outside the address above, Reliable Auction Furniture Mart, deceased was taken ill and carried into the building, and in two or three minutes died. He was identified by Oscar Stoner, 202 Glenwood Avenue, who had known him thirty years.

Officer Karpinsky was present. Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was there. History of weak spells and chest pain.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD C. KROEGER Date February 20.

Place of Death	Masonic Home Bloomington Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Masonic Home Bloomington Township RFD #4	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	68 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Hoboken, N. J.		
Occupation	Retired Merchant.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Bullet wounds in temple and		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	chest.		
Place of Burial	Fairview Cemetery, Stillwater	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Simonet Funeral Home, Stillwater	Address	

REMARKS: Case reported by Mr. Sunne, Assistant Manager Masonic Home. Deceased had been an inmate of Masonic Home since March, 1933. There are no known relatives in this country. He had an advanced cancer of the bowel and has been a patient at University Hospital and has been depressed and said it was no use to live. The nurse Mary Strouse attended him at 7:45 P.M. and at 7:50 P.M. found he had left his bed and gone to the trunk room.

Deceased was seated on his own trunk, slumped against another trunk, dead. Keys were in the trunk. Deceased was clad in his pajamas.

Dr. F. H. Buck of Shakopee arrived and reports to coroner that he found the body on the trunk, a revolver in his right hand, a bullet wound with powder marks two inches below the right nipple, another bullet hole two inches above the right ear, and bleeding from both ears.

Dr. Buck signed the death certificate which was O.K.'d by Deputy Coroner Callerstrom. The undertaker brought the body to Minneapolis on the way to Stillwater. (Body not viewed by coroner.) Burial in charge of Stillwater Masonic Lodge.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DOUGALD STEWART POND Date February 20.

Place of Death	Bloomington Township		Autopsy	No
Place of Accident			Inquest	No
Residence	Nicollet & 104th		Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	73	Sex Male		
Birthplace	Bloomington Township			
Occupation	Farming			
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~ X			
Place of Burial	Bloomington Cemetery		Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Davies Mortuary		Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has been attended by Dr. Drake and was last seen by him Sunday February seventh. The wife was in bed with deceased and spoke to him at 11 P.M. At 11:50 A.M. she awoke and found he had expired. Body viewed at Davies.

Dr. Drake is out of town and this case was referred to the coroner by Dr. Proshek.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOSEPH A. HOLZHEU Date February 21.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital		Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	First Ave. & Seventh St. N.		Inquest	No
Residence	227 Xerxes Ave. N.		Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	25	Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany			
Occupation	Shipping Clerk - Hall Hdwe.			
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ X			
	Accident	Motorcycle - bus Fracture of skull.		
	~~Suicide~~ X			
	~~Homicide~~ X			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery		Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary		Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance, admitted at 1:31 P.M. February 21st. He was unconscious and did not regain consciousness. He died at 4:35 P.M. Attended by Drs. Hanssen, Lindbloom and Sorrenson. Body viewed at Knaeble's Mortuary.

There is extensive ecchymosis of both eyes, bruising of forehead, open wound 1-1/2 in. long at hair line over right eye - skull is visible. Bruises of both knees.

Deceased was riding a motorcycle and collided head-on with a Greyhound Bus. The bus had just left the station and had swung out of the Seventh Street exit of the station on Seventh Street, going north, when the motorcycle struck the left front side of the bus and deceased was knocked to the pavement. Accident occurred at 1:15 P.M.

The bus was driven by J. B. Ryan, 1218 21st Avenue South.
Witnesses: E. C. Bahneman, 1706 Stevens Avenue; Esther Dahlquist, Oak Terrace, Minn.; Mrs. C. R. Parcielis, Duluth, Minn.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GRACE A. FOSTER — Date February 21.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	1st Ave. & 28th St. So.	Inquest	No
Residence	2810 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None except listed on Morgue Record
Age	58 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Wadena, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ / Automobile Accident / ~~Suicide~~ x / ~~Homicide~~ — Fracture of skull.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	D. I. Foster, Son
C Undertaker	Welander-Mortuary	Address	2810 1st Ave. So.

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital, admitted 8:26 P.M. February 21; died in "Receiving" at 8:28 P.M. Attended by Drs. Friedell and Gordon. The body was taken to Hennepin County morgue and was unidentified for several hours. Accident occurred at 8:00 P.M. Deceased was on 28th Street at First Avenue South when struck by a car going west on 28th Street, driven by L. P. Converse, 4343 Fourth Avenue South. Mr. Converse came to an immediate stop and the body was still lying in front of the car when police arrived.

The body was examined at the morgue. The face is bruised over the forehead, nose and malar regions. There is a deep dark bruise one inch in diameter at the hair line over the left eye. The scalp is not open, but edges of a depressed fracture of the skull bones are notable at this region.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM OLEKSIUCH — Date February 21.

Place of Death	43rd & Webber Pkwy.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	43rd & Webber Pkwy.	Inquest	No
Residence	4917 Logan Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$28.11 cash; 1 streetcar token; 5 purses; 3 keys; 2 spectacles & 2 cases; 2 pencils; 1 notebook; Int'l Hod Carriers' Bldg. & Com. Lab. Union of Am. membership book #23; St. Mary's Russian Orthodox Church Memo. book; Camden Park State Bank Savings Dept. Bank book #11808 showing balance of $200.00; receipts; cards; papers. Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Age	63 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Austria		
Occupation	Stationary fireman - City of Mpls.		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ / Automobile Accident / ~~Suicide~~ x / ~~Homicide~~ — Fracture of skull and legs.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	By mark X Anna Oleksiuch, Wife
C Undertaker	Stanley Kapala Mortuary	Address	4917 Logan Ave. No.

REMARKS: Accident occurred at 2:21 A.M. February 21st. Deceased was walking on the north side of Webber Parkway toward the west when he was struck by an automobile, a Plymouth going west and driven by Wm. F. Hart, 1425 LaSalle. In his car was also Irene Johnson, 5326 Fremont Avenue North.

When deputy coroner Callerstrom arrived the body was lying close up alongside of a snowbank on the north side of the Parkway. There was a pool of blood one foot in diameter on the snowbank. The street is somewhat icy. The right headlight of Hart's car was smashed and bent backward. The body was about ten feet east of the street sign outside of the house, No. 4375 and a church. Body taken to Hennepin County Mortuary.

There is an open cut across the entire left eyebrow; laceration one-half inch long at the hair line; extensive scraping bruise of entire left face, cut on chin, both lips and bridge of nose cut. The right malar bones are depressed and fractured. Both bones of both legs (tibia and fibula) are fractured at lower third.

Witness: Clarice Anderson, 3910 Girard Avenue North.
Officers: Green, Joyce, Brennan and Strand.

Mr. Adam Oleksiuch, a son, states that he brought deceased and a Mr. William Shai in his car to Camden at about eight P.M. and does not know whereabouts of deceased after that. Deceased had not worked at the Crematory for several days, and was not working that night.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THOMAS HENRY O'CONNOR

Date February 22.

Place of Death	2542 Hiawatha Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2542 Hiawatha, Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.01 cash; trade coin; letter; 1 U.S. Dept. of Labor applicant's ident. card, ident #2788-86791; cards; papers.
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Teamster		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Elizabeth Reilly, Sister
H Undertaker	M. H. McDivitt Co.	Address	745 E. 17th St.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was seen about 7 A.M. today by the proprietor of the restaurant at the above address, L. E. Burns, when he went outside. He was found dead in bed about 10:20 A.M. today by another roomer, Joe Collon. He was in his underwear and apparently died quietly. Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was there. Police officers Howard and Geo. Anderson were present.

A brother Frank O'Connor, an engineer for C. M. & St. P. Railroad is to be notified.

Deceased has not been feeling well for a long time.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN ALFRED EKBERG

Date February 22.

Place of Death	Crown Iron Works 1229 Tyler St. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2707 Eighth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	55 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Checker - iron works foundry		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Milton Ekberg, Son, 2120 11th Ave. So., by order of Anna Ekberg, wife.
C Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

(None except listed on Morgue Record)

REMARKS:

Death occurred suddenly at 11:45 A.M. February 22nd. Deceased was in the factory of Crown Iron Works working as usual. Mr. Carl Nelson, 1705 Polk St. N.E., came up to him and was talking to him, when deceased suddenly slumped to the earthen floor and was dead. Mr. Nelson tried to support him as he was sagging. There were no others present.

Others to arrive on the scene were Dr. Lundgren, Herman Johnson, 2215 McKinley St. N.E., Clifford Anderson, 611 6th Ave. S.E., & A.J.Anderson, 2743 Hayes.

The body was taken to Hennepin County Mortuary. The family requested that no autopsy be held. They state deceased has been short of breath and complaining of his chest for some time.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALLEN A. BEAL

Date February 22.

Place of Death	5001 34th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	5047 42nd Ave. So. Minneapolis, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$53.84 cash; 1 purse; folder; 3 keys; knife; watch (Crown); 1st Natl. Bank & Trust Co. Savings Dept. Bank Book #188297 showing balance of $100.75; Farmers Natl. Bk. Aitkin, cert. of deposit #15950 for $5000.00; 1st Natl. Bk. Aitkin cert. of deposit #41144 for $2500.00; 1 paid note for $100.00; 1st Natl. Bk. & Trust Mpls. collection dept. statement; Lampert Lumber Co. statement of account; 7 receipts; papers.
Age	62 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	South Dakota		Clothes delivered to Paul Beal, Son, Aitkin, Minn.
Occupation	Retired farmer	Effects delivered to	Henry D. McNeil, Adm. of Estate,
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic myocarditis with	Address	Aitkin County Aitkin, Minnesota.
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x	hypertension		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakeview Cemetery, Aitkin		
Undertaker	R. D. Hartman, Aitkin		

REMARKS: Deceased had roomed at 5047 42nd Avenue South, since August, 1936. At 4:10 P.M. deceased came to 5001 34th Avenue South, a cafe and beer parlor, and was just in the act of sitting down in a booth when he sagged to the floor and died.

Witnesses: Jack Krall, 5008 34th Ave. So., A. J. McCarthy, 1990 8th Ave, St. Paul, Minn.

Daughter Helen Beal and Ruth Collard of 5047 42nd Avenue South, stated to coroner that deceased had dinner at home about 2:30 or 3 P.M. and then left the house.

Officers Seebick and C. A. Johnson present. Body removed to County Morgue by John Anderson, deputy coroner,

Dr. Rolla Stewart was called to place and found deceased dead. He reported the case to the coroner. Body viewed at the morgue.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE CHARLAND

Date February 23

Place of Death	Northwestern Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy
Place of Accident	30th & Salem St. Louis Park, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	513 Meadow Lane, Golden Valley Rt. 7 Hyland Sta.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	36 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota		
Occupation	Truck driver - watchman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~	Lobar pneumonia with general		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	septicemia following infected		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	burn on face.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

- Admitted on February 16, 1937, between ten and eleven A.M. to the care of Dr. George Dunn. Died at 8:15 A.M. today. On February 14, 1937, deceased was employed by Fielding & Shepley in St. Louis Park, at the new Belt Highway, keeping up the fires. A live coke coal flew up striking his lower lip. Within 48 hours deceased showed signs of infection and was told to go to Northwestern Hospital. He went by himself. The infected burn was opened. He gradually became worse.

Body viewed at Undertakers.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BUSTER NELSON — Date February 23.

Place of Death	In ambulance going through Wayzata on Highway	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Montrose, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	Montrose, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	20 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Canada		
Occupation	WPA Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ Automobile Accident ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~	Crushing injuries to chest and fracture of femur.		
Place of Burial	Montrose, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Boyce Funeral Home, Delano	Address	

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 5:30 P.M. February 23, on Highway 25, three miles south of Montrose. Deceased was a passenger in an automobile owned by Victor Peterson, 4245 42nd Avenue South, and driven by Peter Peterson (38), 4219 Snelling Avenue. The car collided with another automobile. John Salonek placed deceased in his car and brought him to the office of Dr. O. J. Grundset, Montrose, and from there he was placed in a Smith ambulance and taken to University Hospital. Dr. Grundset was in the ambulance, and states that death occurred at 7:35 P.M. as the ambulance was passing through Wayzata on the highway. The body arrived at University Hospital at 8 P.M. and was examined in the hospital morgue.

There is an evident crushed chest, numerous fractured ribs and sternum, and punctured lung. The tissues of the chest and back are markedly emphysematous, both eyes are ecchymosed, the face is swollen, there is bleeding from the nose and mouth, a one-inch sutured wound on the forehead, and the left femur is completely fractured at the upper third.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES HENRY FALLON — Date Feb. 24

Place of Death	1517 4th St. So.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1517 4th St. So.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	62 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Unemployed		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased's niece, Miss Evelyn Fallon, found deceased dead in bed at 6 A.M. today. She heard him moaning about 4 A.M. today. He was an invalid for many years.

Body viewed at undertakers.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GUST E. CARLSON

Date February 24.

Place of Death	1029 Washington Ave. So.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1029 Washington Ave. So.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	50 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Lake City, Minnesota		
Occupation	Railroad Switchman		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Perforated gastric ulcer		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~	with acute peritonitis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lake City, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Buchinger Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has been staying at this place, third floor, for about two weeks. He slept on a mattress on the kitchen floor in the apartment of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hennesen. Mrs. Hennesen and also the landlady Mrs. Pete Swanson say deceased has been acting sick all the time; he groaned a good deal and could not eat. He drank liquor and was always taking soda. He has been around, and since coming here has had no doctor. This evening he appeared very sick but refused to go to the hospital.

After midnight Mrs. Hennesen called police and he died in their presence at 12:20 A.M. Minneapolis General Hospital doctor arrived and reported the case to the coroner. Deceased's wife from whom he was separated, living at 1305 Seventh St. So., arrived on the scene and ordered that the body be taken directly to the undertaker.

Police report that on December 13, 1936, at 7 P.M. deceased was struck by an automobile and taken to the Minneapolis General Hospital. Xrays showed a fracture of bones of the left knee. He was discharged to his home December 14, 1936. The driver of the car was Jane Irvine, 500 Essex St. S.E.

Later he went to Veterans Hospital. Dr. L. M. Maguire reports that xrays taken at Veterans Hospital revealed a fracture through the base of the right thumb and a fracture involving both sides of the upper end of the tibia. No stomach observations were made.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LEO WILFORD SCHREINER

Date Found Feb. 24.

Place of Death	Bloomington Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	5241 Ewing Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	Billfold; key; pencil; comb; drivers license card M41757; Pure Oil Company credit card; Pure Oil Co. original invoice 447-11; paper; cards.
Age	40 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Forest City, Minn.		
Occupation	Overcoat cutter.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide	Carbon monoxide poisoning		Clothes sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937. To County Treasurer Dec. 17, 1937.
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~	from automobile exhaust.		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Irene Schreiner, Wife
Undertaker	Goggins Funeral Home	Address	5241 Ewing Avenue South

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead, his body frozen, in his automobile at 8:30 A.M. today by Herbert and Hillard Nelson, Hopkins, Route #1. The Chrysler Sedan, 1930, was headed west, drawn up to the side of the road. The ignition, when the car was found, was open. Constable Miller from Eden Prairie turned it off. The gasoline can was empty. A long piece of rubber hose was attached to the exhaust, then carried through the right rear window, which was opened a bit, and a robe was tucked into the opening. Deceased was sitting behind the wheel, frozen solid. Words were written on cards found in his lap suggestive of suicide motive.

The car was headed west, standing at the side of the road east of the poor Farm Road at the intersection of County Poor Farm Road and the Eden Prairie-Bloomington Road.

Deputy sheriffs Hurley & Sullivan were present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LAWRENCE H. DEUTSCH Date Feb. 24.

	Place of Death	Northwestern Hospital	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident	Wabasha, Minn.	Inquest	No
	Residence	Boyd, Wisconsin	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	35 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Boyd, Wisconsin		
	Occupation	Pile driver operator		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Septicemia following amputation		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~	of right thigh due to injury		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~	from falling rail off ice maker.		
	Place of Burial	Boyd, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
R	Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Feeney who was the attending physician, informed the deputy coroner that the deceased, who was working for the J. P. Haley Company as a pile driver at Wabasha, Minnesota, was injured November 20, 1936, when a rail fell off an ice maker, fracturing his right leg. Gas gangrene set in and an amputation was performed high up on the thigh. He was transferred to Northwestern Hospital where he was admitted January 29th, 1937, and died at 7:35 A.M. February 24th, 1937.

He had multiple abscesses over the chest, left arm, back and left thigh. The body was viewed at Welander Funeral Home.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE WILFORD ALLAN Date February 24.

	Place of Death	600 E. 15th St.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	600 E. 15th St.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	58 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Fairmont, Minnesota		
	Occupation	Caretaker - apartment bldg.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R	Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Mrs. H. E. Punt of 2651 Logan Avenue North, a relative of the deceased, informed the deputy coroner that the deceased had had a number of attacks of pain in his chest which he attributed to gas. On this occasion he had considerable pain beginning about 9 P.M. Feb. 24, causing him to walk the floor. Dr. Rosenwald and other physicians were called but they could not reach any of them. The Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance arrived after death which is said to have occurred at 9:30 P.M. The body was viewed at Quist's Funeral parlors.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD LEE CLARK Date February 24.

Place of Death	3100 Dupont Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	3100 Dupont Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	3100 Dupont Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	70 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Jaynesville, Iowa		
Occupation	Traveling Shoe Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Carbon monoxide poisoning from		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	automobile exhaust.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Burd Johnston Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Corbitt reported the case to the coroner, stating that he had attended deceased from February 22nd to February 24th and that in his opinion deceased died from carbon monoxide poisoning due to auto exhaust. He stated the wife of deceased refused to give permission for post-mortem examination.

Deceased's wife stated to coroner over the telephone that deceased was working on the engine of his automobile in his garage; that the wind was blowing the smoke into the garage and finally blew the garage doors shut. Deceased was partly overcome by the gas, but was able to get out of the garage. His son-in-law Frank DeWitz assisted him into the house at 11:35 A.M. February 22nd. Deceased's wife objected to a coroner's post and stated to coroner that under no condition would she consent to a post-mortem examination.

Dr. Corbitt signed the certificate and the coroner countersigned it.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWIN S. DEMAREST Date February 25.

Place of Death	1924 Colfax Avenue South	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1924 Colfax Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.00 cash; billfold; 2 Brotherhood of Railway & Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express & Sta. Employes membership cards #33, Lodge #2061, 1936 and 1937; Dahlberg Bros. Hopkins, new car order; Railway Express due bill; 2 receipts.
Age	56 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Clerk - Am. Ry. Exp. Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Clara and Sadye Demarest, Sisters
Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	2615 Park Avenue

Other effects listed on Morgue Record (No value)

Clothes delivered to Sadye Demarest, Sister 2615 Park Avenue

REMARKS:

Someone from the office where deceased was employed, called up to find out why he hadn't come to work. Mrs. J. Rosso, landlady, went to deceased's room and found him dead in bed about 6:30 A.M. today. He was seen at 2 A.M. today by Mrs. Rosso's son.

He was known to have hypertension. Is said to have two sisters living in Minneapolis but hasn't seen them in years. Has lived here twenty years.

Clara and Sadye Demarest, sisters, were located and they requested the autopsy.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JULIA HOLM Date February 27.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	8th St. & Chicago Ave.	Inquest	No
Residence	519 Ninth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	58 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Septicemia following fracture		
CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide	of right hip due to fall in		
CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide	street.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Heinrich Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased fell in the street at the above location after getting off a streetcar December 5, 1936. She was taken to Swedish Hospital by ambulance and admitted there at 5:00 P.M. December 5, 1936, under the care of Drs. Peter Schultz and Vernon Hart. A cast was first applied, and on December 12, 1936, a Smith-Peterson nail was inserted, followed in another week or so by abscess formation. She was discharged from the Swedish Hospital February 2nd, 1937, and readmitted February 27, 1937, at 9:00 A.M. and died at 2:07 P.M. the same day. Dr. Hart stated that she was in a weakened condition from the septicemia and a new abscess which was opened on Feb. 27, 1937, and that she had been very toxic.

Body viewed at Heinrich's Funeral Home.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROBERT CARL PIEPHO Date February 27.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy
Place of Accident	Pine City, Minnesota	Inquest	No
Residence	Pine City, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Faribault, Minn.		
Occupation	Pharmacist		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Pulmonary embolism following		
CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide	bruising of gluteal muscles due		
CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide	to fall down stairs.		
Place of Burial	Pine City, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Goodrich Undertaking Co., Pine City	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted February 26th at 11 P.M. Treated by Drs. R. Lindquist and Arvidson at the hospital. Died February 27th at 3:30 P.M.

Dr. Arvidson gave coroner the following information: that deceased came home from a party in the night of February 20th-21st. That he fell down stairs and bruised himself, especially the buttocks and the end of his spine. That on February 25th he became very sick and was attended by Drs. Alf. Stratte and Stemsrud of Pine City. That they sent him in to the Swedish Hospital. Coroner Seashore saw most of the post-mortem examination at the Swedish Hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: MIRIAM ANN ELLIOTT — Date: February 27.

Place of Death	Minneapolis City Jail	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Excelsior, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	$.15 cash; purse; letter; papers.
Age	21 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Student		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	By hanging	Other effects listed on Morgue Record	Clothes delivered to F. T. Elliott, Father Excelsior, Minn.
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Vaulted - Excelsior, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Rev. Elliott D. Marston, Cousin
R Undertaker	E. E. Bardwell, Excelsior.	Address	Excelsior, Minnesota.

REMARKS:

The deceased was admitted to the City Jail at 3:30 P.M. February 27, 1937, under a charge of shoplifting at Donaldson's, by a Donaldson police woman, Mrs. Andrew Stonestrom. She was jailed by Cliff Smith. She was said to have taken $19.50 worth of merchandise. At 4:30 P.M. Miss B. Wheelock, custodian, changed her from one cell block to another, and at 5:00 P.M. she states that she went in and talked to her for a few minutes. Miss Wheelock found her hanging by the neck from a scarf belonging to the deceased, and tied around the upper part of the door frame of her cell, the door of which was open, at 5:20 P.M. She called for Cliff Smith, who cut the scarf.

Dr. D. L. Berman of the Minneapolis General Hospital was called and the Fire Department rescue squad who attempted resuscitation for forty-five minutes.

There was a suicide note left on a bench nearby.

Mrs. Andrew Stonestrom stated to coroner that she caught deceased stealing a dress listed at $19.75 at Donaldson's. Deceased admitted stealing hosiery and other things at previous times. Mrs. Stonestrom has charge of the Protective Department, and is a deputized police officer.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: ANDREW MILLER — Date Found: Feb. 27.

Place of Death	Near Union City Mission Chapel Medicine Lake, Plymouth Twp.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Union City Mission Camp Hyland Sta. #7, Mpls, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	43 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Denmark		
Occupation	Laborer -(Farm)	None except listed on Morgue Record	(No value)
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Freezing from exposure to cold,		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	and acute alcoholism.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	County Farm	Effects delivered to	Clothes destroyed 12/1/37
R Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	By John Anderson, Morgue Supt.

REMARKS:

Deceased disappeared from the camp the night of February sixth, 1937. He left with two others, Arthur Anderson and Pat Malone. They were said to have gone to some beer parlor and become intoxicated. Arthur Anderson returned to the camp the night of February sixth, 1937, slept for about an hour or two and went out to look for the deceased, but could not find him. Pat Malone returned so drunk that he was not normal until February ninth.

The deceased was found dead, frozen and partially covered with snow, at 7:15 P.M. by Carl Hofer, a resident of the camp. When found he was without an overcoat and sweater in which he was said to have been clad when he disappeared.

Informant was Wm. Kephirth, Commissary Clerk.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JACOB RUNDQUIST

Date February 28.

Place of Death	Bethany Covenant Home 2309 Hayes St. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2309 Hayes St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	88 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Retired farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Diabetes Mellitus		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Starbuck, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had been suffering from diabetes for some time and was getting insulin once a day. He was up and ate his supper. Shortly afterwards he lay down on top of his bed, where his room mate Ole Larson found him breathing deeply. Larson called the cook, Mrs. Minnie Taylor, who reported to coroner that deceased died almost immediately after she came to his room. Died at 7:30 P.M.

The nurse stated to coroner that deceased has been getting 1 cc or twenty units of insulin once a day until two days before death. During the last two days he was getting 1 cc. or twenty units twice a day because he was gradually getting weaker. She said his urine was never sugar-free.

Body viewed at Albinson's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DENNIS COURTNEY

Date February 28.

Place of Death	Front of 1329 Harmon Place	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	73 North 15th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$12.85 cash; trade coin; Purse; comb; pencil.
Age	58 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Upholsterer - Clark Box Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull with bruising of brain and crushing injuries of chest.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
		Other effects listed on Morgue Record	1 Coat, 1 Vest, 1 pr. Pants delivered to E.J.Davy, Gill Bros., to be used for burial.
Place of Burial	St. Thomas, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Catherine F. Gavin, Sister
R Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	Kilkenny, Minnesota.

REMARKS:

Deceased was apparently struck on the east crosswalk of Harmon and 14th as he was crossing Harmon. The time of the accident was 2:44 A.M. February 28, 1937. The driver of the car was Phillip B. Harris of 2449 Pillsbury Avenue. Officers Miller and Jacobson informed the coroner when he arrived that one shoe of the deceased was lying on the crosswalk and that his hat was more in the center of the street. The body was lying 22 paces east of the crosswalk and four paces from the curb.

There were no direct witnesses, according to police, but two people heard the crash, Cameron Watson, 32 Spruce Place and Brows Ancker of 1308 Harmon Place.

Officers Green and Joyce of the accident squad arrived.

Deceased was identified by fingerprints.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SVEN G. OFTEDAL — Date March 1.

Place of Death	130 W. 44th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	130 W. 44th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	61 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Electrician		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Oberg was called between three and four A.M. today. Reached the home about 6 A.M. and found deceased dead. He had complained of severe pain in the upper abdomen and in left chest. His wife was with him. Dr. Oberg notified the coroner after 8 A.M.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PETER POULIN — Date Found March 2

Place of Death	601 Main St. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	601 Main St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	64 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Canada		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Leo Rainville	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased lived with his mother. He has had a paralyzed right arm since childhood. Lately he has been short of breath and not feeling so good. He was last seen alive at 9 P.M. March first by the mother when he retired. Found dead by the mother at 8 A.M. March second. Deceased was lying in bed under the covers and had apparently expired without a struggle.

Body viewed at the home.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LOUIS OSGAR — Date March 2

Place of Death	2809 26th Avenue South	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2809 26th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	33 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Laundry worker		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Miliary tuberculosis of lungs -		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~	Fatty degeneration of liver		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Stanley Kapala Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

At 9:30 P.M. deceased was seized with a severe chill lasting fifteen minutes. He was better at 10 P.M. and his wife fell asleep. When she awoke at 11:10 P.M. deceased was seated in a chair in a slumped position and dead. She called Richard Nelson's from another apartment and Dr. M. Baken.

Deceased was examined by Dr. Peterson once a year ago, but has seen no other doctor. He has had several sick spells, coughed a great deal and drank liquor every day for several years. Worked in the laundry all day March second.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES WAGNER — Date March 2

Place of Death	2507 First Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2507 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	81 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Retired farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	LaCrosse, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	J. M. Gleason	Address	

REMARKS:

Carl Wagner, son, found deceased dead at 7:45 A.M. today. He had sat up with him until 4 A.M. today. He had been complaining of pain in the upper abdomen and chest.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NELLIE STEPHEN

Date March 2

Place of Death	411 West Franklin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	411 West Franklin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	63 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Gill Bros. Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred about 10:30 A.M. today at the home of a daughter Mrs. Wm. Walker. Deceased had been in bed because of heart trouble. She had seen a doctor in St. Paul a year ago. There is a definite history of cardiac disease.

Body viewed at Gill's.

(Case reported to coroner March 3, 1937, by undertaker.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME Alonzo Quinlan

Date March 2.

Place of Death	260 Cedar Avenue	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	260 Cedar Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 44 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	(Veteran)		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Spontaneous cerebral hemorrhage and encephalomalacia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Gill Bros. Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has roomed at this place since September 5, 1936. Landlord is Fred C. Coyle. Miss May Coyle states that at about 1:20 P.M. March 2nd deceased came to the door of her room and was very sick, pale, and sweat poured from his face and brow. He complained of severe pains in the neck and head. Deceased remarked, "I can't stand it any longer." He was conducted to his room and in about ten minutes or at 10:30 P.M. he was dead. Dr. Smicek and Dr. Robitchek arrived after death.

Mr. Gill of the Gill Mortuary stated that Mr. Emmons L. Abeles, attorney, 1054 McKnight Building, representing himself as guardian for the deceased, called and directed them to get the body. Mr. Abeles states that he has been guardian for the deceased several years, and also states that deceased has been mentally deficient for some time. Deceased has been examined at Veterans Hospital at intervals. Mr. Abeles says he has contacted relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Coyle and Miss May Coyle state that deceased has not been mentally normal. Dr. Dumas of Veterans Hospital reports that on November 12th, 1936, deceased was examined and a diagnosis made of dementia precox, paranoid form.

(Case reported to coroner March third, 1937, by Dr. Robitchek.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN B. McDERMOTT Date March 3.

Place of Death	Mpls.Northfield & Southern Ry. 7th St. & Holden N.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	6008 Fourth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$4.80 cash; purse; billfold; 8 keys; watch (Hamilton); chain; 4 lead pencils; 4 electric bulbs; Indiv. resident fishing lic. 1936; identification card; RR employes' Nat'l Pension Assn.card; Chi.Rock Isl. & Pac. Ry.pass 18648 1937; C M & St.P. 1937-38 pass 79424; M.N.& S.Ry.-Minn.Western Ry. 1937-38 pass A164; 3 Mpls. St.P. & S.Ste.Marie Ry cert. of examination; 2 M.N.& S.Ry. time inspection service employes certificates; Sears Roebuck & Co. battery card #772253; Kindy Opt.Co.special disc. card #25; Kunz Oil app. for tire guarantee; receipts; papers. Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Age	54 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Renville County, Minn.		
Occupation	Railway switchman		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Railroad Accident; ~~Suicide~~; ~~Homicide~~		
	Fracture of skull.		
Place of Burial	Savage, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Wm. P. Meyers, 5715 Pillsbury Av.
C Undertaker	Flynn-Wagner Mortuary	Address	By order of Mrs. John B.McDermott, wife of deceased.

REMARKS:

Deceased was a conductor for Minneapolis Northfield & Southern Railway. They were switching box cars in the yard at the warehouse. The cars were moving north. Deceased stepped off from the loading platform onto an embankment of ice and snow between the railroad and platform. He attempted to mount the box car but slipped and struck his head against the rear trucks of boxcar, and died immediately. The car did not run over the body. Accident and death occurred at 12:45 A.M.

E. J. Reubish, 2510 Buchanan St. N.E., a switchman, was an eye witness. Another switchman was R. O. Bostwick, 1907 Lyndale Avenue South, and the engineer E. R. Murray, 3319 Knox Avenue North.

The body was taken to the Hennepin County Mortuary. The face is covered with blood. There is a wide open skull wound 3 in. x 2½ in. over the left eye. Considerable brain tissue is issuing through this wound. The face is crushed and malar bones fractured; lips and nose lacerated. There is a laceration six inches long back of the right ear with a skull fracture visible. There is bleeding from the right ear.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN COOL Date March 3.

Place of Death	Chicago Ave. near 40th St.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	4000 Oakland Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.81 cash; purse; billfold; 3 streetcar tokens; crucifix; key; 2 knives; watch (Illinois) crystal broken; chain; spectacles & case; 2 lead pencils; 1932 fishing license; receipt; box anacin; razor blades; papers.
Age	60 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Flour Packer & Retail Confectioner.		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Automobile Accident; ~~Suicide~~; Homicide x		
	Crushing injuries to chest.		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	C. F. Cool, Brother.
H Undertaker	J. M. Gleason	Address	3807 North Third St.

REMARKS:

Accident occurred about 8:14 P.M. today on Chicago Avenue in front of 3953 Chicago Avenue. Deceased was crossing Chicago Avenue east at a point about 54 ft. from the intersection of Chicago and 40th St. He was hit by a Pontiac car headed north driven by Walter Hopf, 4921 Elliot Avenue, who was passing two automobiles. Deceased lay on his back, head pointed south, 27 paces north from where he was hit.

Officers Schaaf and Boike were present. Police squad took driver to police headquarters. Witnesses: R. Jones, 4048 Chicago Avenue; Bob Fosdick, 4417 Stevens Avenue; Franklin Swank, 4415 Fourth Ave. So.; J. C. Jensen, 4001 Chicago Avenue.

The radiator of the automobile on the right side was badly bent. The hood on the right was partly buckled. Blood was on the right lens.

Injuries: The right tibia and fibula were fragmented just below the knee and protruded through a long laceration. The left tibia and fibula were fragmented, the tibia showing through a three-inch laceration at the middle of the leg. The right humerus, lower third, was fragmented, compound fracture, laceration one inch long. Two abrasions were found below the right elbow. The ribs of the entire right side along the axillary line were crushed; splashing of blood elicited, and emphysema present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MATHILDA FREY

Date March 4.

Place of Death	2010 Dupont Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2010 Dupont Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	85 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Michael	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had made her home with a daughter, Mrs. Fanny Solberg, for the past five years. Mrs. Solberg stated that the deceased had gradually been getting weaker and had been in bed for two days with a slight cold and difficulty in breathing. She died at 7:45 P.M. March fourth.

(Case reported to coroner March 6, 1937, by Knaeble)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GUSTAF E. JOHNSON

Date Found March 4.

Place of Death	East Hennepin & University Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	65 27th Avenue S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	$19.98 cash; 11 Rexall Drug Store tickets; American Federation of Labor membership book; Flour, Feed, Cereal and Elevator Workers Local No. 19152 membership card 1936-37 #549; Purse; Letter.
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Miller		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ Automobile Accident	Crushing injuries to chest.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Ernest L. Johnson, Son
R Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	1525 LaSalle Ave., Apt. 304.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead lying in the street at the above location at 12:55 A.M. March fourth, 1937, by officer Mattison who reported that as he was making rounds of the stores nearby, a man came up to him and reported a man in the street. He did not obtain the informant's name, but stated that he was one of the following who were grouped about the body when he arrived:

Merle Pengrove, 116 Oak Grove St. (Ma.9161)
Edward Holder, 126 South 12th Street
John L. Kiffe, 1408 Adams St. N.E.

The Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was called but found him dead on arrival. Deceased was thought to have attended a meeting of the Flour, Feed, Cereal & Elevator Workers' Union and to be on his way home. When found he was lying face down, head north, four paces south of north crosswalk and almost in the center of University Avenue. His false teeth and glasses were about six feet east of the body.

Injuries: a huge laceration of the scalp beginning one inch above the middle of the left eyebrow, running backwards to a point midway between the anterior margins of the ears, then laterally to one inch above the right ear, then to the left and posteriorly to a point three inches behind the left ear and thence anteriorly to join the first part of the laceration. Extensive ecchymosis about the right eye and slightly about left eye. Abrasion and discoloration of the left cheek and a fracture of the left mandible. The left chest was crushed and several ribs on the right fractured, with subcutaneous emphysema over the right chest anteriorly. Abrasions over the dorsum of the left hand, right deltoid region and right shoulder. No marks or bruises on legs or feet.

The office of the Flour, Feed, Cereal & Elevator Workers' Union reported that the deceased attended a union meeting the evening of March 3d, and left in the company of Frank J. White, 404 12th Ave.N., and Emil F. Anderson, and separated from them to go home at 11:45 P.M. A Jas. W. Stewart of 1055 17th Ave. S.E., also left the meeting with him and separated about the same time.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FREDERICK D. GRAHAM Date March 4.

Place of Death	1378 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	Private autopsy
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1378 Nicollet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	48 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Portage, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis &		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~	thrombosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased, a retired army captain, had lived at the above address, which is the Kenesaw Hotel, apartment No. 107 for the past two months. He had been in the Veterans' Hospital for three months prior to that for heart trouble. He had frequent attacks of dyspnoea, according to the statement of a friend Mr. L. T. Rucker of the same address.

He was found dead in bed at 12:15 P.M. by Mr. Rucker. Was clad in pajamas. He was last seen alive at 6:30 A.M. March fourth by O. Werner, janitor, who reported finding him in the hallway on the floor. He carried him to his bed and offered to call a doctor which the deceased refused. He was conscious at that time but too weak to walk. He had been to the hall bathroom and was on his way to his room when he collapsed.

(Death certificate signed by L. E. Nolan, M.D., of Veterans' Hospital.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SIGURD F. OMAN Date March 5.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	In front of 117 E. Hennepin Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	251 East Island Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	57 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Painter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile Fracture of ribs -		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	bronchopneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	O. E. Larson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was injured in an automobile accident at 1:12 A.M. February 27, 1927. He was on East Hennepin in front of #117, between intersections, when struck by an automobile going west and driven by Carl Nelson, 3526 Lyndale Avenue North.

Deceased was taken by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital and after treatment in "Receiving" was taken by Mr. Carl Nelson in his car to deceased's home. The next day, February 28th, deceased was brought back by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital. Admitted 4:34 P.M. Attended at home by Dr. Foster, and at the hospital by Drs. Whitesell and Randall Derifield. Died at 11:55 A.M. March 5, 1937.

Witness: Signa Ogren, 3425 Longfellow Avenue.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OVE B. ROAN

Date March 5.

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy
Place of Accident	In front of 3326 Bloomington Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	3401 16th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	27 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Streetcar & auto Ruptured liver and diaphragm.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of ribs and arm.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was driver of a car that collided head-on with a streetcar at Bloomington Avenue and Thirty-third Street at 11:30 P.M. March fourth, 1937. The automobile was badly wrecked and caught fire. Deceased was brought to the Deaconess Hospital by ambulance and attended by his father, Dr. C. M. Roan and Dr. Frank Anderson. Dr. Larson was on the ambulance. He died at 6:25 P.M. March 5, 1937.

Private autopsy held, deputy coroner Callerstrom present, at Deaconess Hospital.

Mr. Lewis J. Rock, 323 Johnson St. N.E., operator of Bloomington Streetcar, states that accident occurred outside of or near 3321 Bloomington. The streetcar was going north on Bloomington and deceased driving a Chevrolet coach was going south. Mr. Rock says he saw deceased's auto advancing and that suddenly as though driver had lost all control of his car, it came at almost right angles toward the streetcar and struck the front left end breaking the glass. The automobile bounded back to the west curb. He assisted pulling deceased out of the burning and wrecked automobile.

Witnesses: Paul Behrens, 1031 23rd Avenue N.E.
Mrs. C. Searles, 500 Third Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GUSTAVE MALMQUIST

Date March sixth.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	31st & Nicollet Ave.	Inquest	No
Residence	4544 Pleasant Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	81 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Retired florist		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile Fracture of skull with bruising of brain		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased, a pedestrian, was crossing Nicollet Avenue west to east, when he was struck by a car going north, driven by Lester Barr of 4050 Nicollet Avenue. He was picked up by Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance No. 1 and admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital at 7:44 P.M. March fourth, 1937, by Dr. Egil Hannsen. He died at 4:35 A.M. March sixth, 1937. The accident occurred at 7:20 P.M. March fourth, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HARRY CAMBERN

Date Found March 6.

Place of Death	M. & St. L. Railroad tracks at 16th & Chestnut.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	2700 Grand Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Milbank, S. Dak.		
Occupation	Laborer.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Railroad Accident	Decapitation by train.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Claud M. Cambern, Brother
C Undertaker	Joe Billman	Address	410 16th Avenue South

None except listed on Morgue Record (No value)

REMARKS:

The body of deceased was found at 12:15 A.M. March sixth, 1937. It was lying between the rails, the decapitated head by one rail and the feet by the other, on the eastbound main line of the M. & St. L. Railroad at a place opposite the Luger Furniture Company. A piece of skull bone was found fifty feet west of the body and more skull bones and brain tissue ten paces.

Mr. T. J. Fagan, 2882 Humboldt Avenue North, and T. J. Shields standing on the rear platform of a loose switch engine going east on this track, noted the body after the engine had passed over. They notified Tony Monchan, engineer, and William Iran, the fireman. A freight train going east passed over the track and also made a stop at this place at 11 P.M. Mr. Vane Skolad, 1465 W. 31st St., found blood on the front end of this engine after it had reached the roundhouse. A few boxcars of this train were left standing on another track near the scene. Deputy Coroner Callerstrom, Mr. Skolad and Joe Frohneur, 3547 Morgan Avenue North, noted blood on the wheel and axle on the back end of one of these boxcars. In all probability this is the train that ran over the body.

A cap found several tracks south of the body was identified by Mr. and Mrs. Clemmer and Oliver Walby, 2700 Grand Avenue, as that of deceased. The body was identified by Alex Clemmer, 2700 Grand Avenue. They say deceased left home at 8:30 A.M. March fifth, 1937, and that he was a hard drinker.

The train crew of the eleven-o'clock train were: Engineer Peter Rasmussen, 228 Russell So., Fireman Oscar Blankenhagen, 319 Aldrich Avenue South, A.E.Reno, foreman, 419 Knox Ave. No., J. H. Dineen, switchman, 643 Polk St. N.E. and O. V. Hagstrom, switchman, 3726 26th Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM B. SEFFINGA

Date March 6.

Place of Death	Asbury Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy (head only)
Place of Accident	30th & James Avenue North	Inquest	No
Residence	2938 Irving Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	22 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Lunchroom janitor - North H.S.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Automobile Accident	Fell from running board - fracture of skull.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted March third at 10:45 A.M. unconscious. Treated by Dr. R. Pennington. Operated (decompression) by Dr. Peyton March fifth. Died 3:30 P.M. March sixth.

Deceased was coming home from a Hi-Y meeting held at North Side High. He was riding on the running board of a truck, and brakes are said to have been applied suddenly and deceased fell from the truck at 30th & James Ave. N. According to the statement of stepfather, Mr. Eberhart, deceased was brought home between nine and ten P.M. March second unconscious. Otto Hauser, Lowry & Emerson Aves. N., is the owner of the delivery truck which was driven by his son, Donald Hauser. There were four boys in the truck besides the driver and deceased.

Body viewed at Quist's. There is a sutured wound above and in front of left ear, also a sutured autopsy wound of the head. Autopsy of head had been performed. (Private post).

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD ELLINGSEN Date March 7.

Place of Death	Brooklyn Center Village	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Hwy. #152 near 51st Ave. N.	Inquest	No
Residence	Camden Station R.R.#6.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.21 cash; purse; watch (Biltmore); 1 Dept. of Pub. Welfare Div. of Relief ass't and ident. card #HMB 150; Div. of Pub. Relief certification of physical exam. File No.HMB 150
Age 61 Sex Male			
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Plumber helper		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile Fracture of skull, ribs and legs.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Mound at Brooklyn Center	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
Undertaker	Swanson Mortuary	Address	To County Treasurer Dec. 17, 1937 P

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Accident occurred between eight and nine P.M. on Highway No. 152 in Brooklyn Center Village near 51st Ave. N. Deceased was walking north on the highway and was struck by an automobile going south driven by Wayne Morgan, 25 years old, Camden Station R. R. #5. Deceased was living with Robert Cahlander on a farm about one and one-half miles north of the city. The body was lying on the west side of the road when the coroner arrived. Deputy Sheriff F. D. Hamilton showed the coroner where deceased was lying before he was moved. This was almost in the center of the road, and there was a pool of blood present. There were also some pieces of glass around the pool on the road, also some in his clothes. One large piece had a whisky label.

Oslo Houchins and Jack Gorman, Camden Station #6, had seen deceased on the road shortly before the accident when he was walking all over the road. Besides Hamilton, Deputy Sheriffs Finnegan and Theis investigated the case. Body viewed at place of accident, also at Swanson's parlors.

Injuries: blood running out of both ears. Laceration across chin. Left side of face (malar bone pushed in). Lower jaw fractured. Nose fractured. Several ribs fractured, and crepitate right side in nipple line. Compound comminuted fracture of right leg from knee down to junction of middle and lower third. Comminuted fracture of left leg from knee down to middle third. Both legs more or less crushed. Abrasions over the crest of the ilium and outside of right thigh. Dislocation of right shoulder.

A brother is Gilbert Ellingsen, 4544 Morgan Avenue North.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WALTER ALLEN GIFFIN Date March 7.

Place of Death	714 Tenth Street South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	714 Tenth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age 67 Sex Male			
Birthplace	New Hampshire		
Occupation	Bookkeeper		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had not been having heart trouble until March seventh, when he stayed home because of a pain in his chest. About 1:30 P.M. he told his wife he was going to lie down because of the pain. When she went in to see him at 1:50 P.M. he was dead. Dr. Sharp was called but found him dead on arrival.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALFRED SATTERSTROM Date March 8.

Place of Death	Richfield Village 6538 Fremont Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Richfield Village 6538 Fremont Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$3.18 cash; match case; thimble; Cartridge; empty cartridge.
Age	34 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Plasterer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Gunshot wound of head.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Grasston, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Al. Pearson, Administrator
Undertaker	Moore Funeral Home	Address	6538 Fremont Avenue South

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead a 6:30 P.M. March eighth in an unfinished garage of his brother-in-law, Albert Pearson, 6538 Fremont Avenue South, with his left hand grasping the barrel of a 22-caliber Winchester one-shot rifle. The butt of the gun was below the right knee. Pearson came home from work with his wife and found the garage door locked. As he opened the door he found deceased. He called Harvey Ring, 6535 Fremont Avenue South, who notified Geo. Breming, Richfield constable. Breming called the Sheriff's office. Molander and Theis came.

Pearson stated deceased worked for him in a tailor shop. At 7:45 A.M. Pearson and his wife left for the tailor shop. Deceased would not go along because he said he did not feel well. Saturday, March sixth, deceased was very despondent because he was unable to find any work as plaster tender. He did not like to work at the tailor shop. The gun belonged to Pearson who had bought it a year ago. It was kept in the garage.

Body was removed by Superintendent of the County Morgue, John Anderson. As Deputy Coroner he investigated this case and secured the above information. Body viewed at the morgue by the coroner.

Gunshot wound of entrance was small and 1-1/2 inch directly above the right ear. There was a ring of burning of the flesh around the wound. There was no wound of exit.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MELVINA JOLICOEUR Date March 9.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	1838 Polk Street N.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	1838 Polk Street N. E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	78 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Canada		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Fracture of femur - broncho-		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	pneumonia, due to fall		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~	on floor.		
Place of Burial	Waverly, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	National Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

On December 19th, 1936, deceased fell on the floor in her home and sustained a fracture of the right hip. She was brought to the Swedish Hospital by ambulance and attended by Drs. Johnson and Gronvall. Xrays were taken. Death occurred March ninth. Body viewed at National Funeral Home.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HOKEN JOHNSON Date March 9.

Place of Death	Front of 301 Nicollet Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	243 2nd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.32 cash; billfold; knife; papers; watch (Elgin 19 Jewel); chain; notebook; spectacles; card case;2 pictures; Ident. card; Christiania Lunch meal ticket #419; California Wine House card; Dept. of Public Welfare- Div. of Relief ass't & ident. card #HMB 5082.
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
		Effects delivered to	1 Key delivered to and property of J. F. Rowley Company By Frank Wigren, Mgr.
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery		
R Undertaker	Kenneth Simpson	Address	Mrs. August Kroon, Niece (To apply to part of funeral expense) 2607 Morgan Avenue North.

REMARKS:

The deceased suddenly dropped to the sidewalk at the above address, foamed slightly at the mouth and died at 8:35 A.M. March ninth, 1937. Police were called by Robert M. McKercher, a witness. Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance found him dead on arrival.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD FORTIER Date March 9.

Place of Death	~~302~~ North Lyndale Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	302 North Lyndale Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	71 Sex Male		
Birthplace	New York State		
Occupation	Flour sampler		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead at 1:15 P.M. March ninth by Mrs. R. G. Brown, owner of the apartment house. He was slumped to the floor against the door, which was slightly ajar. She called police and the son, Mr. Charles E. Fortier, Hopkins Route #3. The Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance arrived and the doctor pronounced him dead on arrival.

The son gave a history of a stroke four and one-half years ago and attacks of pain in the chest, aggravated by exertion.

He was last seen alive about 10 A.M. March ninth by Mrs. Brown.

Officers Zane and Nehring.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME RACHAEL MACKENZIE Date March 9,

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	On street near 715 Douglas Av.	Inquest	No
Residence	715 Douglas Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	64 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Fracture of left femur with		
CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide x	bronchopneumonia following		
CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide	fall on ice		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted February 27, 1937, at 12:07 P.M. by Dr. LaBree. Died at 4:15 A.M. today. Attended by Drs. Regnier and H. M. Nelson.

John Mackenzie, husband, states that deceased was returning home with a Mrs. McLaughlin and when in front of her apartment she slipped on the ice. A police car happened to drive by just then, police helped her and called the Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ARTHUR NICHOLS NELSON Date March 9.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3037 Clinton Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	41 Sex Male		
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minnesota		
Occupation	Bookkeeper - department store.		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident x			
CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide	Bichloride of mercury		
CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide	poisoning.		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Clifford Peterson	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted at 3:14 P.M. on March 7th, 1937, by Dr. LaBree. Died at 1:25 P.M. today. Dr. William Bessesen was called to the address above about noon on March 7th. He was told by Mrs. Nelson that her husband had taken bichloride of mercury tablets shortly before she called the doctor. Efforts were made to counteract the poison; then the doctor sent for the Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance.

Jos. Burns, detective, made an investigation for the police department and states that the house detective, Joe Thordurn, for Dayton's told him that he went to the home of the deceased on March 7th about 11 A.M. to talk over a matter of checks which deceased was suspected of having forged. He told him to dress and they would go to the office to discuss the matter. Deceased went to the bathroom; suddenly the wife yelled out that "Art" had taken poison. She gave him salt or something, then called the doctor. Dr. Bessesen told deputy coroner that he found a small bottle labeled "bichloride of mercury" about half-emptied. He was employed by Dayton's a short time as watchman.

Body viewed at undertakers.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PEARL HORGAN

Date Found March 10.

Place of Death	1206 Chestnut Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1206 Chestnut Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	52 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Rockford, Illinois		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

The deceased was found dead at 8:00 A.M. March 10, 1937, lying on the cot in her room by Mrs. Harold Stanley a resident of the same address. Mrs. Stanley says she was on her way to the bathroom when she smelled gas and opened the door which was unlocked. She called police who found both burners of a two-burner gas plate turned on.

The Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance had been to the house the evening of March 9th, 1937, to take her to the hospital and she refused. She was last seen alive at that time, 8:30 P.M. She was thought to have been a drug addict and had Tabes Dorsalis.

The Fire Department rescue squad had been attempting resuscitation.

Officers Ryan and Olson.

Husband is Thos. Horgan, 140 North 10th St., and a sister is Mrs. John Anderson, 2425 Dupont Avenue North.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THORA GOLIE

Date March 10.

Place of Death	1404 Radisson Hotel	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Granite Falls, Minnesota.	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	44 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Granite Falls, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Granite Falls, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Orville Golie, Husband,
C Undertaker	H. A. Hamre & Son, Granite Falls	Address	Granite Falls, Minn.

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REMARKS:

Deceased registered at the Radisson Hotel for room 1404 at 5:30 P.M. March ninth. Her sister Mrs. H. L. Starr, 1000 41st Ave. N.E., and Mrs. B. T. Nelson of Granite Falls occupied the same room. They all retired. Deceased was up several times and complained of distress in the chest. At 2 A.M. she suddenly expired, and as she dropped the body fell into the tub in the bathroom. She frothed slightly at the mouth, but there was no sign of life.

J. H. Tinson, house detective, Jessie Leffler and Bob March, bellboys, and also Carl Levi, guest in another room, arrived on the scene. Dr. T. L. Stebbins was called.

When deputy coroner arrived the body was lying on its back in the bathtub, clad in night gown. Pillows had been placed under her head. There was no evidence of any violence. The three ladies had been at the Nankin for supper and had come from Granite Falls by automobile in the afternoon. On the way deceased complained of distress.

The husband, Mr. O. E. Golie, states that deceased has been attended by Dr. M. S. Nelson at Granite Falls, and has been taking medicine every day for the past year. Her case was diagnosed gallstones, obesity and heart disease. Dr. Nelson had informed Mr. Golie that sudden death might be expected.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WALTER JULIK

Date March tenth.

Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Cambridge, Minnesota	Inquest	No
Residence	Cambridge, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	18 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Farm Hand		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~		
	Accident		
	~~Suicide~~		
	~~Homicide~~		
	Cyclopropane anesthesia while repairing laceration of right arm from circular saw.		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Stanley Kapala & Co.	Address	

REMARKS:

The deceased was helping his father cut wood with a circular saw and suffered a laceration of the right arm, almost severing it at the wrist. The time of the accident was 6:10 P.M. March tenth, 1937. He was seen by Dr. Douglas Johnson of Cambridge and sent to the University Hospital where he was admitted directly to the operating room for repair of the tendons and laceration. The surgeon was Dr. Dennis and the assistant Dr. Hall. The anesthetist was Miss Kenny.

The anesthetic was begun at 8:05 P.M. and the deceased died suddenly at 11:47 P.M. while he was being given cyclopropane gas. Morphine sulphate gr.1/4 and atrophine sulphate gr. 1/150 were administered at 7:30 P.M.

Examination disclosed a sutured laceration of the right wrist almost encircling the arm. There was fairly marked cyanosis of the face and neck. The father objected to a post-mortem examination.

The saw which caused the injury was the property of the father of deceased, Anthony Julik.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARTHA FENDEL BAKER

Date March 10

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Sheridan Hotel	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	50 Sex Female		
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~		
	~~Accident~~		
	Suicide		
	~~Homicide~~		
	Amytal poisoning		
Place of Burial	Calvary Cemetery, St. Paul	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Lee Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was taken to Dr. Woodward's Rest Home, 3020 Lyndale Avenue South, February fifth. She was under the care of Dr. Allan Rubridge.

Dr. Rubridge stated to the coroner that deceased had attempted suicide at different times. At one time she had turned on the gas jets. Another time she had taken 40 amytal tablets and six allonal tablets, but she recovered. March tenth she went to sleep in the afternoon between three and four P.M. at the Rest Home. She could not be aroused. A box of amytal tablets was found empty which is supposed to have contained twenty-four tablets. Dr. Creighton and Dr. Allan Rubridge were sent for. She was admitted to Minneapolis General Hospital 9:34 P.M. by ambulance, Dr. Larson on the ambulance. She died at 10:05 P.M. Attended at the hospital by Drs. LaBree and Gilsdorf.

Deceased is said to have been despondent because of domestic troubles.

Body viewed at Lee's Mortuary.

Husband is Cyrus B. Baker, 608 Nicollet Avenue.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN BAKER

Date March 11.

Place of Death	1814 Washington Avenue South	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	1307 Second Street South	Effects Taken in Charge		
Age	54 Sex Male		None except Notes on Morgue Record	
Birthplace	Portage County, Wisconsin			
Occupation	Laborer - grain elevator			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis.			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Peter Baker, Son	
C Undertaker	Walter A. Anderson	Address	1307 Second Street South	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead on the floor in the toilet of this saloom by Matt Profant, 1917 Second Street South. He had evidently fallen forward from the toilet seat, coat, vest and overcoat on a nail. He had come into the saloon a few minutes before. Was found dead at 1:20 P.M. The proprietor is Frank Dody.

Deceased has been on "Relief".

The two sons arrived.

Officer Seburg.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANDREW SAWYER

Date Found March 12.

Place of Death	51 Eastman Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	51 Eastman Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None.
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Retired - saw mills.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Billman Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased and his brother Charles, 85, have lived here seventeen years. Deceased occupied a room by himself. John Dufour, 23 East Hennepin Ave., came here to visit at 2:30 P.M. and found him dead in bed. Deceased has been lying quiet in bed since March tenth and the brother says he did not speak to him since, and does not know when he died.

Dave Mayville, nephew, arrived.

Body taken directly to undertakers.

Officers Bernath and Ahr.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CLIFFORD M. HANSON Date March 12.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	29th & Hennepin	Inquest	No
Residence	2647 Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	22 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Clinton, Iowa		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident: Automobile / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Rupture of liver and spleen with hemorrhage.		
Place of Burial	Barron, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought by ambulance from 29th & Hennepin. Admitted unconscious at 8:35 P.M. March 12th. Died at 10:40 P.M. Attended by Dr. Thysell.

Deceased was on Hennepin at 29th Street when he was struck by an automobile a Hudson coach, going south on Hennepin, owned and driven by L. C. Sarles, 5316 Abbott Avenue South. Mr. Earl H. Johnson, 2841 Lincoln Street N.E., motorman on a streetcar going toward the loop on Hennepin, had just passed Lagoon Avenue, saw deceased on the street as he was struck and could see the body go rolling off to the side. Mr. Sarles did not stop but continued going toward Lake Street, and according to police, collided with three other cars after striking deceased.

The other cars were driven by R. C. Anderson,
Harold Eddans, 2715 Harriet Avenue
Albert Chester, Highland Station.

Others to witness the accident were:
L. C. Espe, State Highway Police
P. R. Saunders
N. A. Holmer, 1721 West Broadway
R. J. O'Connor and wife
W. Childs
C. E. Munson,
Alfred Schleith, 3123 Hennepin Avenue.

Leon Sarles later convicted.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OTTO GEORGE MILLER Date March 13.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	RUSSELL HOTEL	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	56 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Meat Dealer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / ~~Accident~~ / Suicide / ~~Homicide~~	Gunshot wound of head		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Burd P. Johnston	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital at 4:07 P.M. March 12th, 1937, by ambulance No. 1 from the Russell Hotel, on 4th St. between Hennepin & Nicollet. He died at 8:00 P.M. March 13th. Was attended by Dr. Uhley and Dr. Thysell.

James J. Boyd of 2006 Dupont Avenue South, stated to deputy coroner that the deceased had been despondent for some time.

He was found at 3:53 P.M. March 12th by the maid. Was lying on the bathroom floor and the pistol was in the washbowl. According to Capt. Paradeau of the Detective Bureau, two suicide notes were found and are held by the Detective Bureau. (Later turned over to coroner's office.)

Injuries: Wound of entrance one inch in front of and one inch above the right ear, with powder burns surrounding. The wound of exit was one inch to the left of the midline of the skull, and a little in front of a line drawn between the anterior margin of the ears. There was a jagged laceration 1-1/2 inch long around the wound of exit.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CLARENCE EARL GARDINER Date March 13.

Place of Death	16 Grove Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	16 Grove Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$.66 cash; 2 Streetcar tokens; knife; spectacles (broken) and case; driver's license card Y63578 (duplicate); Mpls. Gen. Hosp. out-patient dept. card No. D 4507; receipt; postal card; paper; ring; key.
Age	51 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Green Island, Iowa		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
R Undertaker	John Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer Dec. 17, 1937 P

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead at 6:20 P.M. March 13th, 1937, by J. B. Pyles who roomed with him. Pyles saw him alive at 5:30 P.M. when he left to get groceries. He had had heart trouble for years and had been at the Minneapolis General Hospital cardiac clinic March eighth, 1937.

When found he was sitting slumped over on the couch. He had had severe dyspnoea and edema of the ankles recently.

Officers Holtomt and Strand.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN PAUL AHRENS Date March 14.

Place of Death	Independence Twp. Hwy #12, .2 mi. west of Maple Plain	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	3013 Portland Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.95 cash; 1 Bulova wrist watch; 1 purse; 3 keys; 1 comb; Miscellaneous papers.
Age	20 Sex Male		
Birthplace	New Prague, Minn.		
Occupation	Mechanic		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Automobile - Fracture of skull with bruising of brain.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	New Prague, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Mary Ahrens, Mother
R Undertaker	Thomas Simmer	Address	Prior Lake, Minnesota.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

The deceased was riding as a passenger in the car driven by Earl Otto Blanck of Delano, Minnesota, going east on Highway No. 12, .2 mi. west of Maple Plain. Blanck turned out to pass a tractor-trailer loaded with hay, and driven by Wm. Wiechman, age 29, of St. Paul Park. Blanck who was driving a Chevrolet Coach No. B419-092, apparently did not turn out far enough and crashed into the overhanging part of the trailer body, in the left rear corner, crushing in the right side of the Chevrolet. The time of the accident was about 1:00 A.M. March 14, 1937.

Blanck had been removed to a hospital on arrival of the deputy coroner. Ahrens was pronounced dead by Dr. A. E. Phillip of Delano, on arrival.

Wm. Wiechman, the driver of the truck, stated that he was going east up a slight grade at the point of the accident at a speed of about 25 miles per hour, when he felt a terrific impact and stopped. When he got out the right side of the Chevrolet was wedged underneath the truck so he pulled up ahead to separate them and went back. Wm. Wiechman Sr. was also riding in the truck.

Injuries: Blood in both ears and nostrils. Superficial abrasions outer surface right arm. Abrasion and discoloration above and below right clavicle. There was a palpable fracture of the right clavicle and right second rib. There was a laceration two inches long under the chin. A contused area one inch in dismeter over the right mastoid. Profuse hemorrhage at the scene of the accident.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EARL OTTO BLANCK Date March 14.

Place of Death	St. Barnabas Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Hobbs
Place of Accident	Hwy. #12. .2 mi. west of Maple Plain, Independence Twp.	Inquest	No
Residence	Delano, Minnesota.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	20 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Waiter and bus boy in hotels.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural; Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide; Homicide	Bruising of brain and hemorrhage from rupture of liver, right lung and right kidney.		
Place of Burial	Delano, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Boyce Funeral Home, Delano	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted at 3:20 A.M. today to the care of Dr. Geo. Schmidt. Died at 12:45 P.M. today.

Accident occurred under same circumstances as were present in previous case #173, John Paul Ahrens (which see). Deceased received care first from Dr. A.E. Phillip of Delano, Minn. Was brought to hospital in a Smith Ambulance. Deceased was driving his car going east. With him was John Paul Ahrens, 3013 Portland Avenue. He turned out to pass a truck driven by Wm. Weichman of St. Paul Park, Minn., but apparently didn't turn out far enough. His car was crushed under the overhanging part of the truck body.

Deceased lived with A. Schimmelpfennig in Delano, Minn.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME RAYMOND A. KEELEY Date March 15.

Place of Death	3439 43rd Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3439 43rd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	43 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Eau Galle, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Locomotive engineer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural; Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide; Homicide	Gunshot wound of chest.		
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Fox-Sullivan Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Police were called at 3:05 P.M. today. Mrs. Keeley told deputy coroner that deceased had not been well for a long time, that he was called to work, had dressed, then asked her to go to a neighbor's, Mrs. Vera Bergreen, 3435 43rd Avenue South, and have her come right over because he was ill and about to die. She was gone only a few minutes, hurrying back because she was afraid something would happen. She found deceased dead lying on his back across the bed, a 20-gauge Remington gun lying on the floor by the bedside. Her brother-in-law Arthur Johnson of Maple Plain came. Dr. Frank Anderson was the first one called.

Officers Walter Swenson and Geo. Ford arrived. Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance came.

Deceased had on his clothes except coat and shoes. A huge wound was present in his left chest wall, two inches in diameter. The ribs above the wound were broken. The opening was below the left nipple and to the right. Much blood was on the bed. The skin was powder marked.

Deceased was a hunter and his gun was kept in a gun cabinet in the bedroom where he died. A stick used for cleaning the barrel was alongside the gun and a small piece of cloth was secured to the end. Apparently deceased was seated on the edge of the bed, the butt of the gun against the leg of a sewing machine. He probably pushed the trigger with the stick.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: ALICE BLANKENSHIP — Date: March 15.

Place of Death	In ambulance on way to University Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Mora, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	29 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Mora, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Septicemia following self-		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	induced abortion.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Mora, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Andrew Erickson, Mora	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased died just before reaching the hospital at 9:15 P.M. today. Dr. W. S. Nordeman of Mora, Minn., saw deceased at 3 P.M. and advised removal to Minneapolis to University Hospital. Ross Blankenship, husband, told coroner and deputy coroner that on Saturday March 13th, 1937, deceased told him that she had introduced a catheter several times with the purpose of aborting herself. She didn't tell when she first did it. Her last period was in December, 1936. Early in January she menstruated a little for one day. She passed something at eleven last night. Her body became yellowish, noticeably so today. No doctor had been called until today.

Body viewed at University Hospital by deputy coroner, Dr. Hobbs, and certificate signed there.

Mr. Blankenship is a linotype operator.

Deceased was brought to the hospital by her husband and Andrew Erickson. Her husband was with her in the ambulance at the time she died.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: FRANK L. WALKER — Date: March 15th.

Place of Death	215 First Street North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	215 First Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	$8.35 cash; watch (Waltham); 1 Chain and charm. 1 32-cal. automatic Colt Pistol #38959 bought at 20 So. Washington 3/6/37; 7 bullets in clip; 4 letters; 1 ring; 7 keys; 2 army discharge papers R957305 and ASN-957-305.
Age	41 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Pendleton, S. Car. (Colored)		
Occupation	(Disabled veteran)		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Pulmonary hemorrhage -		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~	tuberculosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Anderson, S. Car.	Effects delivered to	Wm. T. Kroll, Spec. Adm.
Undertaker	Woodard Funeral Home	Address	3852 Chicago Avenue.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased was a disabled veteran with pulmonary tuberculosis. He has roomed here one year. Landlady Velma Prouty says that at 4:15 P.M. she found deceased at the top of the stairs, calling for salt and he was bleeding profusely from the mouth. He had also been bleeding in the bathroom. Joe Miller, colored, of the same address, conducted deceased to his room where he expired shortly after 4:15 P.M. before Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and doctors arrived. He has been a patient at the Veterans Hospital.

Mr. Wm. T. Kroll at the State Capitol is his guardian, according to his friends.

Officer Craig.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NELS OSTLUND

Date March 16.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	2326 Fremont Avenue North	Inquest	No
Residence	2326 Fremont Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	70 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Checker - flour mill.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Fracture of femur due to fall		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	on floor - bronchopneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Heinrich Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had a fall on the floor at his home on January 17th, 1937, was brought to the General Hospital on January 23rd, and died March 16th, 1937 at 11:08 P.M.

Body viewed at Minneapolis General Hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME AUGUST HEIMKE

Date Found March 17.

Place of Death	3611 Alabama Avenue St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3611 Alabama Avenue St. Louis Park, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.09 cash; card; paper; key.
Age	70 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Milwaukee, Wisconsin		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Common Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Grand View Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec.15, 1937
Undertaker	R. F. Burr	Address	Deposited with County Treas.12/17/1937

REMARKS:

Bill Christianson of St. Louis Park found deceased dead about 11 A.M. today, lying in bed fully dressed except a coat. He was seen at 4 P.M. yesterday. He has lived in St. Louis Park for many years. He has complained of chest pain, and has been a chronic alcoholic.

Officer L. McGary was present. He has recently received Old Age Pension.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANNA G. SZCZEH (SCZEH) Date March 17.

	Place of Death	1403 Fourth St. N.E.	Autopsy	No	
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
	Residence	1403 Fourth St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
	Age	47 Sex Female			
	Birthplace	Dodge, Wisconsin			
	Occupation	Housewife			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis.			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~				
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~ xx				
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~				
	Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to		
C	Undertaker	Stanley Kapala & Co.	Address		

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead in bed at 10:30 A.M. March 17th, by the husband Anthony and a daughter. They state that they talked to her at 9 P.M. last night and that they heard her breathing as late as 9 A.M. today. They thought her sleeping.

She has had no doctor for many years. Dr. Earl Crowe told her she had high blood pressure. She has not been feeling well though able to get around and do her work.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME RUBEN NOODLEMAN Date March 17.

	Place of Death	Streetcar at Plymouth and Girard Avenues North	Autopsy	No	
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
	Residence	1229 James Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
	Age	About 62 Sex Male			
	Birthplace	Russia			
	Occupation	Tailor			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~				
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~				
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~				
	Place of Burial	United Brotherhood Cemetery	Effects delivered to		
R	Undertaker	Geo. Zeesman	Address		

REMARKS:

Deceased got on the streetcar which was a Minnehaha-Plymouth No. 1621 at Emerson & Plymouth Avenues, about 7:18 P.M. going west on Plymouth. It was a one-man car operated by James Oberg of 3008 21st Avenue South. Deceased was seated on one of the long benches at the front of the car on the right side. On Girard a passenger named Joe Zimmerman of 34 Washington Avenue South, called to him to stop because a man had fainted. Oberg stopped and called the Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance which arrived and the deceased was pronounced dead. Oberg then proceeded with the car to the end of the line at Plymouth and Sheridan.

J. A. Stenborg of 1420 Russell Avenue North, was sitting a short distance from him and said he saw him suddenly slump over as if he had fainted.
Other witnesses were: Arthur Maiditch, 1119 Humboldt Ave. N.
S. Lander, 1245 Oliver.

Police: J. L. James and Swanson.

There was no evidence of bruising or other injuries, and there is a history of difficulty in breathing, according to H. B. Goodman of 1210 Upton Ave. N., a son-in-law.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN HAUSER

Date March 18.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Hobbs
Place of Accident	On street near 21 15th St. N.	Inquest	
Residence	21 15th St. N.	Effects Taken in Charge	No
Age	About 65 Sex Male		None
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Salesmen - advertising.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Cerebral hemorrhage with broncho-		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x	pneumonia following fracture of		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	right humerus due to fall on ice.		
Place of Burial	St. Anthony Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Gill Bros. Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted March 6th, 1937, at 11:03 A.M. by Dr. LaBree. Was brought in the hospital ambulance from the home address. Deceased said he had slipped and fallen on the ice near the address above. He became irrational after he had been in the hospital two days, but not unconscious, according to Dr. A. Lindbloom. He died at 2:50 P.M. today.

Autopsy showed a comparatively old cerebral hemorrhage, but Dr. Lindbloom said there was no paralysis or other symptom of cerebral pathology. Deceased has been on relief since June 18, 1936. A sister Mrs. Katherine D. Hawkins, lives at 1032 South Sheridan Ave., Los Angeles. A nephew Raymond Hawkins is thought to live in St. Louis Park.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN WETTLER

Date March 19.

Place of Death	Minneapolis Brewing Co. 1215 Marshall St. N.E.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Minneapolis Brewing Co. 1215 Marshall St. N.E.	Inquest	
Residence	2924 Fremont Avenue No.	Effects Taken in Charge	No
Age	69 Sex Male		$.81 cash; purse; billfold; knife; 7 keys; identification card; driver's license card V24764; 2 Mpls. Brewing Co. passes to buffet; Intl. Bro. of Stationary Firemen and Oilers button; spectacles.
Birthplace	Berne, Switzerland		
Occupation	Engineer - Mpls. Brewing Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Crushing injuries to head, chest and abdomen, due probably to squeezing in elevator shaft.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Ella Wettler Brubaker, Daughter
Undertaker	Flynn & Wagner	Address	3220 Garfield Avenue South

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased worked for the Minneapolis Brewing Company. At 10:25 A.M. deceased was on the engine floor and notified Ed. Knoll, 1527 Second St. N., Chief Engineer, that he was going down into the basement. Mr. Knoll saw him go down the stairs and could see him hooking up a hose attachment.

Five minutes later Mike S. Skavnak, 1529 Bryant Avenue North, found deceased lying on the bottom of the elevator shaft. When the body was found the elevator was standing at second floor and does not go down farther than to first floor. There was no actual witness to the accident and no one saw deceased after he left the hose work five minutes before he was found dead. A theory is that he got caught between the elevator and walls of the shaft, squeezed, rolled and dropped down as the elevator was running.

Others to arrive on the scene were L. Kent, Engineer, 2943 Pierce St. N.E. L. A. Keen, 4147 Washington St. N.E.

Officers Lillejord and Bissonette.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: UNKNOWN BABY GIRL

Date Found: March 19.

Place of Death	East end of Long Meadow Bridge Bloomington Township.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Unknown	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	New born Sex Female		
Birthplace	Unknown		
Occupation	Infant		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	Fracture of skull.		
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	John Anderson	Address	

REMARKS:

This body was found under the Long Meadow Bridge near the end of Cedar Avenue, Bloomington Township, by Truman and Jim Doten, 230 South Exchange St., South St. Paul. The body was wrapped in a Star newspaper dated March 16th. The placenta was in another package one foot from the body. The autopsy reveals a new born baby, had been alive and had a fractured skull.

Deputy Sheriffs Eckdahl, Finnegan and McGuire.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: JOSEPH HART

Date: March 19.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Callerstrom
Place of Accident	39 East Hennepin Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	21 Eastman Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Glaiser - Ford-McNutt Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile Fracture of spine and ribs.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Rainville Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 2:15 A.M. February 28th. Deceased was on East Hennepin outside of No. 39, when struck by a Pontiac car driven by Blair Stiles, 926 Sixth Avenue South, going west on East Hennepin.

Witnessed by Henry Johnson, 2644 12th Avenue South.

He was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital and admitted at 2:25 A.M. Died at 5:36 P.M. March 19th. Attended by Dr. LaBree.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM L. BALDWIN Date March 20.

Place of Death	3020 Lyndale Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3020 Lyndale Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Iowa		
Occupation	Christian Science Reader		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Bronchopneumonia following influenza.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 6 A.M. today. Miss Abigail Thompson, Christian Science Practitioner, Leamington Hotel, reported the case to coroner. Deceased had been an invalid four years because of mental trouble. The past few days he had a heavy cold and pneumonia ensued.

A nephew T. M. Robertson lives in Excelsior; his phone is Excel. 377.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LAURA DOROTHY KRUSE Date March 20.

Place of Death	Found 5125 14th Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Seashore.
Place of ~~Accident~~ Tragedy	Probably 5101 14th Ave. So.	Inquest	Yes
Residence	5100 14th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$3.36 cash; 4 streetcar tokens; purse; wrist watch (Ingraham Wrist-Fit); ring; class pin; 2 keys; 2 handkerchiefs; 12¢ postage stamps; mirror; nail file; fountain pen; 3 lead pencils; cosmetic bag; powder puff; comb; compact; rouge; 3 lipsticks; small brush; bottle nail polish; 2 notebooks; 1 box aspirin; pkg. of gum; 2 hair nets; time cards; pictures; emery board; safety pins; buttons; hair pins; papers; (1 hand purse held - not delivered)
Age	18 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Pine City, Minn.		
Occupation	Student - beauty culture.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide x			

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM L. BALDWIN Date March 20.

Place of Death	3020 Lyndale Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3020 Lyndale Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Iowa		
Occupation	Christian Science Reader		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Bronchopneumonia following		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~	influenza.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			

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LAURA DOROTHY KRUSE

Deceased March 20, 1937.

ground on the south side of the house at 5101 14th Avenue South.

The coroner examined this place also. There was blood in the snow about twelve to eighteen inches in diameter where Sivertsen said he found the afore-mentioned articles belonging to deceased.

Officers present: Capt. Neitzel, C. Bettinger, Joseph Bungert, Smith, Duffy, Harrington, Capt. Paradeau and others.

The autopsy showed that deceased had been criminally assaulted. Deceased had been attending a party at her school, 806 Nicollet Avenue, De Guile School of Beauty Culture. She was last seen alive as she got off the streetcar at Bloomington and 51st Street, about 12:30 A.M. March 20th by the motorman Rasmus Hansen.

A specimen of blood taken from the pool of blood at 5101 14th Avenue South (where various articles belonging to deceased were found), and a specimen of blood from the body of deceased were examined by Dr. W. P. Larson, University of Minnesota bacteriologist, and were both found to belong to group four.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LAURA DOROTHY KRUSE Date March 20.

Place of Death	Found 5125 14th Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Seashore.
Place of Accident	Tragedy Probably 5101 14th Ave. So.	Inquest	Yes
Residence	5100 14th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$3.36 cash; 4 streetcar tokens; purse; wrist watch (Ingraham Wrist-Fit); ring; class pin; 2 keys; 2 handkerchiefs; 12¢ postage stamps; mirror; nail file; fountain pen; 3 lead pencils; cosmetic bag; powder puff; comb; compact; rouge; 3 lipsticks; small brush; bottle nail polish; 2 notebooks; 1 box aspirin; pkg. of gum; 2 hair nets; time cards; pictures; emery board; safety pins; buttons; hair pins; papers; (1 hand purse held - not delivered)
Age	18 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Pine City, Minn.		
Occupation	Student - beauty culture.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	Suffocation by strangulation.	Other effects listed on Morgue Record	
Place of Burial	Pine City, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Alfred Kruse; Brother
Undertaker	Swanson Mortuary, Pine City	Address	Pine City, Minnesota.

REMARKS: Deceased was identified by Alfred Kruse, brother, and C. R. Turner from Pine City, at 3:30 P.M. March 20th at the Hennepin County Morgue. W. C. Wallen, 5100 14th Avenue South, at whose home deceased was rooming, identified the body at 5125 14th Avenue South before it was removed.

Deceased was found dead about 7:50 A.M. March 20th by F. W. Perlich, 5129 14th Avenue South, who notified police. The coroner arrived between 8:30 and 8:45 A.M. Deceased's body was lying at the southeast corner of the vacant house, head north and feet south. She was lying partly on her right side and stomach, face down. A sheet was covering the body. Officer Bungert had placed a sheet over the body. Removing the sheet the buttocks and thighs were bare. Both coat and dress were pulled up. There was fresh blood running down her thighs from the vagina. The bloomers were torn completely off the left leg and partly off the right. The anterior garter from her corselet to the left stocking was torn off and was lying beside the body. The posterior garter to the left stocking was intact, and so were both garters to the right stocking. Both shoes were on her feet. The left glove was off her hand and just clinging to her fingers. The right glove was partly off. Her white undergarment was torn in front up near the neck. Two buttonholes in her coat were slit out. A ring was on her finger and her wrist watch was on her wrist.

Turning the body on its back, there was blood on her face. There were three fresh very distinct marks and bruises on her neck, two in midline and one slightly to the right. There were several other smaller marks and abrasions on the neck. There was considerable blood about the vulva and in the pubic hair, also some over the lower abdomen.

Beside the body was her white collar, bloody and dirty. About her neck was her brown collar. Detective Adam Smith gave coroner a red handbag with several articles in it, a housekey, brown hat, and a paper box containing ice cream and cake. These articles he said were found by M. T. Sivertsen, 5105 14th Avenue South, on the

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SWAN OLSON

Date March 20.

Place of Death	C.M. & St.P. R.R. Tracks 10th Ave. So. & Third St.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	923 Washington Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$32.93 cash; billfold; ~~key;~~ key; knife; spectacles and case; watch (Westclox Dax); picture; Midland Natl. Bk. & Trust Co. Savings Dept; bank book No. 17388 showing balance of $2190.01.
Age	About 73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Unknown		
Occupation	Railroad employee		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Railroad Mangling of body.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	C. F. Hellstrom Administrator By G. E. Elauson,
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	1777 Colfax Avenue South

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

The accident occurred at 11:18 A.M. Fireman Gus. Adamson, 3237 24th Ave. South, saw deceased walking toward the "Hiawatha" engine No. 3A and thought he would wait. Adamson called to engineer O'Meara, 2439 Bloomington Avenue, to stop the engine, but the first and second trucks of the left side of the engine passed over deceased's body.

John Person, 2302 11th Avenue South, was waiting for the engine to go by and with S. H. Johnson, 60 22nd Avenue S.E., witnessed the accident. The engine was backing up on the westbound main track. Deceased was walking south. His body lay north of the track twenty feet three inches from the edge of the sidewalk, and fourteen feet from where blood first appears on the north rail.

Officers Pasch and McGurr, Lappnor and Smith, were present. Deceased's body was almost completely cut in two, disemboweled. The left arm was nearly amputated above the elbow.

Deceased is said to have been quite deaf. He was identified by Ingebret Loebeck of 923 Washington Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME RAYMOND H. GRAY

Date March 20

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Front of 4133 Bryant Ave.So.	Inquest	No
Residence	4133 Bryant Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	53 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	School instructor - Marshall H.S.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Automobile Fracture of skull		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Elk River, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Dare's, Elk River	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance No. 1 from the scene of the accident at 11:15 P.M. March 20th, and died at 11:45 P.M. March 20th, 1937. He was admitted by Dr. Whitesell and attended by Dr. Lloyd Richardson.

The deceased together with his wife had been riding in a car driven by Elmer M. Johnson of 2842 Garfield St. N.E. Johnson stopped the car across the street from the Gray's home, the Grays got out on the curb side and went around the car to cross the street when they were struck by the side of a car driven by Lieut. Joseph C. Goergen of the Bryant Avenue Station. Lieut. Goergen was driving his own car and was on his way from his home at 4317 Columbus Avenue South, to the station, driving north on Bryant at the time of the accident (10:45 P.M.)

The deceased was said to have been struck in the head by the door handle. Injuries: Profuse bleeding from the ears. A laceration 3/4 in. long at the outer superior angle of the right orbit. Bony crepitation under the laceration and of the zygoma. A triangular abrasion middle of right leg, outer surface. Two abrasions of the medial surface of the left leg. Fracture of the left tibia and fibula at the junction of the middle and lower thirds.

Lieut. Joseph C. Goergen stated to coroner Seashore that he was driving west on 43rd Street and made a right turn on Bryant. At 42nd Street he stopped to allow a car to cross Bryant going east. Then he proceeded north and met two cars traveling south on Bryant. When about in front of 4133 Bryant, suddenly he saw a man and woman rushing towards the left side of his car. The man apparently stumbled when close to the car and his head struck on top of the hood about 5 inches from the windshield and then he fell to the pavement. Goergen stopped the car immediately, got out of the car and called for help. The man was lying north of the woman. They were about five feet apart. Their heads were about in the center of the northbound car tracks.

Relatives preferred that no autopsy be held.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: CHRISTINA PERIUS — Date Found: March 21.

Place of Death	211½ Washington Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Grand Forks, N. Dak.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.25
Age	36 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Langdon, N. Dak.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Clothes for burial only delivered to Quist Undertaking.
R Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	Eleanore Perius, Daughter 407½ North Eighth St., Grand Fks.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased has been living at the above address with a Mr. Ray Pearce since February 27th, 1937. He last saw her at 8 A.M. March 20th at which time he said she returned to the room after being out all night, and he left. A Mrs. Gilbertson, a neighbor, says she saw the deceased at 3 P.M. March 20th in the hallway. She was found dead at 2:30 A.M. March 21, 1937, by Pearce who said he climbed up to look through the transom when he couldn't open the door. The bed had been pulled up to the two-burner gas plate, and the hose had been pulled off the pipe to permit escape of the gas.

Mrs. Gilbertson said she was sober when she saw her at 3 P.M.

Officers Salmon and Boemer.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: MARTIN R. KNUTSON — Date: March 22.

Place of Death	402 Sixth Street S.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	402 Sixth Street S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	52 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Bartender		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Apoplexy		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Sundseth's Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

The wife states that deceased retired as usual at 10 P.M. At 3 A.M. March 22nd he awoke and complained of pains in his chest and his face was very red. She gave him a hot drink and at 4 o'clock he said he felt O.K. At seven o'clock this morning she awoke and noticed deceased was breathing deeply, blowing his breath, his face was red and body very limp. In ten minutes he expired. He was obese, weight 265 lbs.

Minneapolis General Hospital doctors arrived after death. Body viewed at home.

Officers Stone and Nord.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MAY A. SMITH

Date March 22.

Place of Death	340 E. 22nd Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	340 E. 22nd Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	69 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Canada		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Mrs. Bridget Snell, manager, found deceased dead in bed at 1:50 P.M. today. At 9:30 A.M. today another tenant, Mrs. V. Compton, talked with deceased who said she felt ill and was troubled with diarrhoea. Last January she was attended by Dr. P.M. Holl because of 'flu. She had lived in this building for over thirty years.

A niece, Mary North, lives at 703 Laurel Avenue. (Atl. 4017)

Deceased had complained of being unable to get back her strength since her acute illness in January.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME IDA MAY SWARTS

Date March 22.

Place of Death	3025 James Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3025 James Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Altoona, Penn.		
Occupation	Housework		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide X			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Forest Home Cemetery Cook Co., Illinois	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

This case was reported by Dr. Alexander March 24th at 11 A.M. He states he was called but death had occurred when he arrived. Deceased was preparing a bath when seized and expired seated on the stool in the bathroom.

Body viewed at Davies Mortuary. Geo. J. Swarts, brother, interviewed over the telephone.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME TUBERT EVANS Date March 23.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Russeth
Place of Accident	1353 Nicollet Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	1604 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	46 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Huntington, W. Va.		
Occupation	Millwright		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
	Fracture of skull with secondary bronchopneumonia.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	R. F. Burr.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance No. 1, at 2:32 A.M. March 21, 1937, from Nicollet and E. 14th Street. He was admitted by Dr. Lloyd Whitesell and attended by Dr. Harlan Nelson. He died at 8:02 A.M.

The deceased, a pedestrian, was crossing Nicollet from west to east in front of 1353 Nicollet when he was struck by a car driven by S. W. Brace of 1505 Mount Curve Avenue. The time of the accident was 2:20 A.M., according to the police report.

Witnesses: Mr. Armstrong, 1519 Linden Avenue North.
Henry Radlok, 1358 LaSalle Avenue
Officers Thomas and Burnsted.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARGARET M. MOHR Date March 25.

Place of Death	84 Willow Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	84 Willow Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	70 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Natural		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
	Coronary sclerosis.		
Place of Burial	Valley City, N. Dak.	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Bostrom Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

H. R. Kirkeby, son-in-law of deceased, 84 Willow Street, gave coroner the following information. Deceased had been suffering from asthma for some time. She had consulted Dr. W. F. Widen a couple of times. About 5 A.M. deceased was seized with an attack of difficult breathing and died in a few minutes. Dr. Robert Williams arrived shortly after her death and notified the coroner of his findings. Both the husband, Vincent Mohr, and Mr. Kirkeby were present at the time of death.

Body viewed at Bostrom's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HILDA C. CARLSON Date March 26.

Place of Death	1323 Russell Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1323 Russell Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Dressmaker		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was single and occupied the house with Mrs. Hilda Peterson. Mrs. Peterson left home at 8:10 A.M. Deceased was then in bed and said she was going to get up soon. Mrs. Laura Frank from upstairs came down at 9:00 A.M. to use the telephone and found deceased dead on the bathroom floor, fully dressed, hair down, comb in hand. She called Dr. Pennington who notified the coroner.

Body viewed at home. Deceased had previously been attended by Drs. A. E. Johnson and Gronvall for heart disease.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HELEN BERRUM Date March 26.

Place of Death	1403 E. 24th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2645 Stevens Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	45 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Winona, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic endocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Winona, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Sundseth Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

The husband, Harry M. Berrum, stated to coroner that he, together with deceased left home about 12:30 P.M. to go to visit their friend, John Nelson at 1403 E. 24th Street. Ten minutes after their arrival, deceased was taken with an attack of pain and difficult breathing, and before the arrival of Dr. Frank Larson she was dead.

Dr. Grant Christenson had attended her about a year ago. He stated to coroner that at that time she had a double mitral lesion and was suffering from a congestive heart failure. Her husband stated she improved and has not been under medical care since that time.

Body viewed at Sundseth's Funeral Home by deputy coroner Russeth.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THOMAS KING Date March 26.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	414 Irving Avenue North	Inquest	No
Residence	414 Irving Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	80 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Independence, Iowa		
Occupation	Laborer - ice company		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Septicaemia following dog bite.		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

On March 13th, 1937, deceased was patting the ears of his own dog at his home when the dog snapped, causing an open wound on the back of his right hand with considerable hemorrhage. He was treated in "Receiving" at Minneapolis General Hospital at once and returned home. He came back to the hospital March 19th and was admitted. General septicaemia developed. He died at 7:05 P.M. March 26th.

Body viewed at Knaeble's. The son, George, interviewed.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DENNIS CASEY Date March 26.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	37 13th Street South	Inquest	No
Residence	37 13th Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Ripon, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Proprietor gasoline station.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Fracture of hip due to fall on icy walk.		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Gill Bros. Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

On February 14th, 1937, deceased fell on the icy sidewalk at his home, 37 13th Street South. He was taken to Minneapolis General Hospital and the condition diagnosed fracture of left hip. He died at 7:40 P.M. March 26th.

Body viewed at Gill's.

There is an open infected wound on the left tibia due to osteomyelitis of eight years' standing.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CAROL ANN TILDEN

Date Found March 27.

Place of Death	910 East Minnehaha Parkway	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	910 East Minnehaha Parkway	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	1 year Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Bronchopneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

At 7 A.M. today deceased was found dead in bed by the nurse girl, Marjory Johnson, 4925 33rd Avenue South. She lay on her abdomen, her face to the left, her nose free from the bed; some rigor mortis present. Dr. Robert Wilder was called, who notified the coroner's office and waited at the home until deputy coroner came.

Marjory Johnson changed the child at 10 P.M. last night, at which time she was all right. For two days deceased had showed slight symptoms of a head cold with coryza.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Tilden, the parents, had gone to Chicago. Dr. Wilder phoned them.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CARRIE M. MARR

Date Mar. 27.

Place of Death	4408 Harriet Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4408 Harriet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	72 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Iowa City, Iowa		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Corning, Iowa	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Werness Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has made her home with her son Irving Marr since October, 1936. She got up the morning of March 27th and seemed to be feeling all right until about 10 A.M. when she sat down in a chair, saying she did not feel well. Dr. A. E. McDonald was called and found her dead on arrival. The time of death was about 10:15 A.M.

Body viewed by Dr. Hobbs, deputy coroner, at Werness Bros.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: GUST SWANSON — Date: March 27.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Third Ave. So. & 15th St.	Inquest	No
Residence	904 E. 18th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	34 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Russell, Minnesota		
Occupation	Roofer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Russell, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted to the hospital March 22nd at 5:00 P.M. by ambulance. First attended by Dr. Wm. C. Siegmann, afterwards by Dr. Robert Johnson. Body viewed by coroner at Enger's.

There are a couple of abrasions over the right knee; a few abrasions around the ankles of both legs; discolored area inside of left elbow; small abrasion about 1 inch long in post-axillary line about four inches from top of axilla. Bruise and swelling in back of head about three inches above posterior part of right ear; depression in scalp in center of swelling.

Dr. Siegmann stated to coroner that he treated deceased about 6 P.M. March 22nd. At that time he had a bleeding from the right ear, large hematoma in back of head, and bruise in back of right chest. There was a distinct odor of alcohol from the breath.

Dr. Robert Johnson stated to coroner that he had attended deceased from 9:30 P.M. March 22nd until his death about 4:20 A.M. March 27th; that deceased was unconscious during all this time, but very noisy. That there was a great deal of bleeding from the right ear, hematoma back of head, an abrasion in back of thorax, post-axillary line. Spinal fluid was bloody and that his diagnosis was a basal fracture of the skull. He also stated that there was an odor of alcohol from deceased when he first attended him.

Deceased's wife requested coroner not to conduct an autopsy. Deceased was working for John Drew of Twin City Roofing Co.

According to police, accident occurred at Third Avenue South & 15th Street. Deceased was struck by car driven by H. Beckgren, 1010 W. 26th Street. According to police, witness and driver stated that deceased staggered out into the street and into the right side of the car and hit his head on the windshield and broke the glass.

Witness: J. H. Raymond, 329 E. Franklin Ave.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: WILLIAM R. UHRICH — Date: March 29.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Russeth
Place of Accident	Front of 3127 Washington Av. N.	Inquest	No
Residence	3101 First Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	21 Sex Male		
Birthplace	McEachern, Sask., Can.		None except listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Baker		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	Fracture of skull with bruising of brain from blows received in a fight.		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Adolph Uhrich, Brother
R Undertaker	Billman (N.E.)	Address	3101 First Street North

REMARKS:

The deceased had been drinking beer in a beer parlor at 3129 Washington Avenue North, together with Steve Banas of 236 27th Avenue North. About 7:15 P.M. the two got in an argument which Banas, who was interviewed by the deputy coroner at the City Jail, says was started by Uhrich. The two went outside and began to fight in front of a meat market next door. Banas says Uhrich struck him first, that he retaliated with three blows, two light ones and a hard blow after which Uhrich went down and struck his head and became unconscious. Banas stated that Uhrich was carried into the beer parlor and the Minneapolis General Hospital called. He was admitted to the hospital by ambulance #1 at 8:24 P.M. March 28th by Dr. LaBree and attended by Dr. Thysell. He died at 5:20 A.M. March 29th, 1937.

Police received the call from the beer parlor at 7:50 P.M. Officers Wickenburg and Sjolander. Detectives Nealey and Colston. Owners of beer parlor are Ethel Powell and her father Frank Powell.

Witnesses: Clayton Folstad, 2128 Girard Avenue North
Anthony Batkiewicz, 3021 Third St. N.
LeRoy Ashmore, 3129 Washington N.

Banas stated that although they had had quite a few beers, they were not intoxicated, and that he had known the deceased for eight or ten years.

Joe Budney, 2751 Randolph St. N.E., stated to coroner that he worked with deceased until 3 P.M. and was with deceased until 4:30 P.M. when he left him at Marquette & Washington when deceased was to take a streetcar to go home. Budney stated that they had not been drinking up to that time. Brothers of deceased, Edward, Emanuel and Adolph, 3101 1st St. N., and his uncle, Fred Renn, 5337 44th Avenue South talked to Coroner.

Grand jury investigated but did not return an indictment.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THORVALD A. PETERSEN

Date March 29.

Place of Death	7th Floor, Donaldson Bldg.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3051 Pillsbury Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Denmark		
Occupation	Painter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Spontaneous cerebral hemorrhage.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased died at 11:45 A.M. March 29th, 1937, just after getting off the elevator on the 7th Floor of the Donaldson Building. He was employed in the Donaldson shop which is located just across Marquette from Donaldson's. About 11:30 he stated that he was going to lunch and left the shop. He seemed to be feeling all right then.

He was pronounced dead by the attending nurse and house physician. Dr. John A. Dahl had examined him about a year previously and stated that he had a severe hypertension.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME STANLEY KWATERA (STANY KURTARA)

Date March 29.

Place of Death	Minneapolis City Jail	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	18 Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.15 cash; purse; billfold; watch (Jockey); New Nicollet Cafe commutation ticket; identification card.
Age	52 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Poland		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Acute alcoholism		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Sofie Fort, Sister.
H Undertaker	Stanley Kapala & Co.	Address	646 Quincy Street N.E.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead at 7 P.M. today by jailer Frank Dwyer. He was in his cell, sitting on the bunk, slumped, with head forward, in slight rigor mortis. About an hour before he was seen to be breathing hard by Geo. Archer, another prisoner in the same cell.

He was admitted today at 10:30 A.M., having been brought from #18 Hennepin Avenue charged with being drunk. Arrested by Officers Serg. Tersch and Bymark and Morin. He had been in jail before.

He was pronounced dead by Dr. Boquist who accompanied General Hospital ambulance.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LEONARD C. ANDERSON Date March 30.

Place of Death	About 1 mi. east of Hwy #169 on Hwy. #5, Eden Prairie Twp.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	239 Baker Street, St. Paul, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$53.05 cash; billfold; wrist watch (Gruen) with bracelet; key; ring; pencil; cardcase; comb; 2 cigars; 18¢ postage; identification card; driver's license card S33089; 1937 Auto reg. card; LeMire & Marrier Motor Co. order for used car; receipts; cards; papers; trinkets.
Age	29 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Bismarck, N. Dak.		
Occupation	Proprietor - cigar stand		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	Crushing injuries of skull.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Paul, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Lucille Anderson, Wife
H Undertaker	Listoe & Wold, St. Paul	Address	239 Baker Street St. Paul, Minnesota.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS: Accident occurred between 3:00 and 3:15 A.M. today on Highway #5 about 1 mile east from the junction of #5 and #169. Anestas Urbanski, 25 years old, of Tracy, Minn., was driving a truck to South St. Paul, owned by the C. E. Star & Sons Co. of Tracy, Minn. The truck was loaded with twenty hogs and seven cattle. Urbanski told deputy coroner that he saw no car ahead of him until he struck this Dodge sedan; that there were no lights on the Dodge; that he was traveling as fast as his truck could travel, thirty miles per hour; that his headlights were good, having been tested recently in Tracy. He said he was not sleepy, although he had left Tracy at 8:00 P.M. last night. His wife was with him.

He hardly realized what happened, for his truck was overturned landing on its roof. He and his wife got out of the truck through one door, neither being seriously hurt. Urbanski saw two young men standing near his overturned truck, Axel Anderson, 239 Baker St., St. Paul and Gregory Galvin, 975 Galvin Ave., St. Paul. These boys and deceased had been pushing the Dodge sedan up a slight hill, because the clutch wasn't holding.

In the car were three women, Dorothy Allen, 762 Seminole St., St. Paul; Mabel Sauers, 165 E. Hurley St., West St. Paul, and Mildred Medeinach, 338 Belview Street, St. Paul. None of them was injured badly. This Dodge car left the highway, and on its own impetus and because of natural slope, went 325 feet before it stopped south of the highway.

Deceased lay beneath the overturned truck on his face. Mechanics from Shakopee freed him by pulling the truck away. His skull was fragmented, multiple abrasions were present on the right side of the face, nose, forehead, neck, back of right hand, both chests, abdomen, both knees, and inner side of left maleolus. There was a small amount of emphysema in upper left chest. Three small lacerations were found on the left temple.

The truck traveled 51 feet from the point where it hit the Dodge sedan. Police patrolmen J. A. Campbell and V. D. Neville from Hopkins, R. A. Reed and E. Cummings from Fort Snelling were present, also Deputy Sheriffs Primeau and Eckdahl.

One girl, Mabel Sauers, is at Swedish Hospital injured enough to be under the care of Dr. Beckman. The other two boys and two girls were examined, then permitted to leave the Swedish Hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MAE OWENS Date March 30.

Place of Death	408 14th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	408 14th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	48 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Fort Dodge, Ia. (Colored)		
Occupation	Housewife.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Carbolic acid poisoning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Neal Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was home alone. Her husband, Christopher Columbus Owens (colored) left at 6:20 A.M. Deceased was then up and around. She was seen outside at 7:30 A.M. by Dave Harmon and Nancy Adams (both colored). When the husband arrived at 3:30 P.M. the door was locked and he could see deceased on the bed through the window. He notified Eddie Blackman and Patella Webster and police. Deceased was lying fully dressed across the bed. On the table in the other room was a one-ounce bottle having contained carbolic acid. The bottle has a new label from J. O. Peterson Drug Co., Cedar Avenue.

On the table also was a suicide note. Under her bed was a medicine glass containing carbolic crystals. Mr. Owens had been married to her two years, but had lived with her six years previously. Deceased had been sick and ailing a great deal and the right side was crippled from paralysis.

Body taken directly to undertaker's.

Officers Coffman and Williams.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: CARL E. EKMAN — Date: March 31.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of ~~Accident~~ Injury	2127 Minnehaha Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	2428 23rd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Accountant		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	Gunshot wounds of thigh with diffuse suppuration.		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

On March 17th, 1937, at 9:00 P.M. deceased was present as a customer in a grocery store of Max Weingarden, 2127 Minnehaha Avenue. A Negro bandit, identified later as Sam Allen, 140 Rondo Street, St. Paul, entered the store and after making a few purchases, oranges, cigarets and cakes, drew a gun and ordered "hands up". Deceased was slow in response and the bandit shot. The bullet entered the middle of the right thigh.

Deceased was taken to Minneapolis General Hospital and his wound treated by Dr. Lundblad in "Receiving". Deceased then went to his home. The next day he was brought back to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance and admitted at 12:57 P.M. March 18th. He developed general sepsis. Operated March 26th by Drs. Hayes and Thysell -- drainage established. Died at 3:39 P.M. Xrays taken March 17, 1937, showed numerous fragments of lead along the path of the bullet in the leg. Some were removed by Dr. Lundblad in "Receiving"; others were recovered at the post-mortem examination. Dr. Lundblad states the part of the bullet which he removed was on the posterior thigh. He cut the skin to remove it and sutured the wound. Dr. Lundblad states the wound of entrance was at the anterior middle thigh. He turned the bullet over to police.

Mr. Allen, the bandit, was captured by police.

According to the history at the Minneapolis General Hospital, patient had osteomyelitis in the right leg and thigh eight years ago, and tuberculosis of the right hip at age nine. He has also had erysipelas and scarlet fever and the left lower extremity has always been smaller after that time.

Due to some confusion deceased was registered in Xray Department at General Hospital under the name of Charles Aikman.

Sam Allen convicted of 3rd degree murder.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: JOHN AHO — Date Found: April 1.

Place of Death	111 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Union City Mission	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Board of Public Welfare Div. of Relief, application for medical relief; 2 Div. of Public Relief Dept. of Pub. Welfare authorization to examine bank accounts; 2 Div. of Relief Dept. of Public Welfare authorization to examine insurance contracts. Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Age	About 59 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Finland		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
R Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937. P

REMARKS:

Deceased has been on city relief. Last evening he attended a gospel meeting at the above address, which is the Gateway Gospel Mission. He was last seen alive at 10 P.M. by Magnus Hansen, the night manager.

He slept on the floor together with a number of others who found him dead at 5:45 A.M. April first, 1937, and reported it to Magnus Hansen. The names of the men reporting it are not known since they had left when the deputy coroner arrived.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARTIN FREDERICK LUND — Date April 3.

Place of Death	3438 Knox Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3438 Knox Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	56 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Denmark		
Occupation	Watchman - Lawrence Laundry		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Apoplexy		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Walbridge & Engelbert, Hastings	Address	

REMARKS:

Case reported by Dr. Pennington. He was called but arrived after death. Deceased was at Northwestern Hospital and operated 2½ years ago for hernia. At that time his blood pressure was 170. Today he was in the basement repairing the sewer. His wife was down there and saw him at 10:25 A.M. About five minutes later she and her son Walter (20) heard a scraping sound and moaning. They found deceased lying on the basement floor unconscious, breathing deeply. A setpladder deceased had evidently seized as he was falling, lay on top of the body. There are no marks or evidence of violence on the body.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Rose and Iver Danielson arrived and carried the body upstairs. He ceased breathing at 11 A.M. Body viewed by deputy coroner at home; family requested that no autopsy be held.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MILTON P. RONEY — Date April 4.

Place of Death	2420 First Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2420 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	59 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Mass.		
Occupation	Apartment manager.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Barney Anderson & Son	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has had pains in his chest and has not been feeling well for some time, but has had no medical care. Deceased died suddenly sitting in his chair. His mother, Mrs. Florence P. Roney, was present at the time of his death, about 10:45 A.M.

Dr. Hedback arrived after deceased's death and was present when coroner arrived. Others present were Mrs. K. M. Murphy, 3201 Pillsbury, and Mrs. R. P. Rutherford, 2416 First Avenue South. Deceased has one son, Harlan Roney, a student at Cleveland, Ohio.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ARNE PEDERSON Date April 5.

Place of Death	Eitel Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	Alley near 808 Nicollet Ave.	Inquest	No
Residence	734 E. 18th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	37 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Window Washer		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Crushing injuries of chest & abdomen from falling 4 stories while washing windows.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was an employee of the Acme Window Washing Company and was washing windows of the Riggs Optical Company in a building owned by Schute Realty Company at 808 Nicollet Avenue when he fell four floors to the alley and lit on his pail, according to Dr. Harvey Nelson and the Acme Company. The accident happened at about 3 P.M. April fifth. According to the Acme Company a hook in his safety belt broke causing his fall. He was admitted to the Eitel Hospital at 3:30 P.M. April fifth, 1937, by emergency ambulance and died at 8:22 P.M. The attending physicians were Dr. Harvey Nelson and Dr. Hannah, consultant.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SARAH BECKER Date April 6.

Place of Death	1816 Fifth Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1816 Fifth Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	71 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

The case was reported by Dr. Andrews. He saw her about a year ago. She then had hypertension and myocardial insufficiency.

Her daughter saw her alive in bed at 8 A.M. today and later found her dead -- apparently without a struggle.

Body viewed at undertaker's by Dr. Russeth, deputy coroner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GURINE SOLBERG

Date April 6.

Place of Death	4345 Aldrich Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4345 Aldrich Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	73 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Highlandsville, Iowa		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

About 6:30 P.M. deceased died suddenly in the bedroom. Her daughter, Mrs. Marie Jensen, was with her at the time. Shortly before she died she complained of a pain in her shoulder. Deceased was dead when Dr. Donald McCarthy arrived. He had attended her two years ago. He was present when coroner arrived.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD J. CAVANAUGH

Date Found April 10.

Place of Death	827 15th Avenue S.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	827 15th Avenue S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	8 keys.
Age	69 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Birthplace	Ireland		
Occupation	Retired tower man - railway.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Dexterville, Wis.	Effects delivered to	John Cavanaugh, Brother
Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Co.	Address	Dexterville, Wisconsin

REMARKS:

Deceased owned the house in which he lived and occupied a room upstairs. The tenants, O. L. Aune and family, saw deceased alive Thursday evening, April 8th. Friday he was not seen. Mr. Aune noticed that Friday's Tribune was left in the hall and investigated. He called Officer Bullock.

The door was locked. Deceased was clad in underwear lying on the floor against the wall. He had vomited and evidently had been in distress. He was found at 7:30 A.M. April tenth.

A brother John lives at Dexterville, Wisconsin.

Deceased had been at Dr. E. L. Baker's office several times for treatments, and has had chest pains and has been failing rapidly.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: JOHN FLABIAN TISCHER — Date: April 10.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Nicollet Ave. between 73rd & 74th Sts., Richfield Vill.	Inquest	No
Residence	7300 Stevens Avenue, Richfield.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	5 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull, right arm		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	and of both legs.		
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Lee Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Wallace Beckman stated deceased was brought to his office at 5748 Nicollet Avenue, at 11:50 A.M. by John Bertelson, 3403 Blaisdell Avenue, who had struck deceased with a grocery truck. Dr. Beckman sent deceased to the hospital where he was admitted about 12:15 P.M. and died 12:50 P.M.

The father of deceased expressed a desire that a post-mortem examination not be held. According to the sheriff's report, deceased was crossing the road from the mailbox when hit by the truck owned by Joseph Fisher, 3351 Nicollet Avenue, driven by John Bertelson, age 16.

The body was viewed at Lee's. There is a laceration of the scalp one inch long about one inch back of the hair line beginning at the midline extending to the right. There is an abraded area of the right forehead two inches in diameter, like a friction burn. There is an abraded area one inch wide beginning at the chin and extending along the border of the lower jaw to within 1½ inches from the right ear. Small abrasions all over the face. Blood coming out of both ears. Fracture of right humerus about two inches from the lower end, of right femur at the midpoint, of the right tibia and fibula about two inches above the ankle, of the left femur at the junction of middle and lower third. Laceration three inches long outside of left knee, also an abrasion three inches above the laceration. Abrasion back of left shoulder and back of right thigh.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: LUCIAN U. COMBS — Date: April 10.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2819 Elliot Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	27 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Corinth, Miss. (Colored)		
Occupation	Checker - club.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Compound fracture of skull caused by leap from window.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Corinth, Miss.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Neal Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS: The deceased was sent into the Minneapolis General Hospital by Dr. Brown, where he was admitted April second, 1937, at 8:48 A.M. to the nervous and mental department, and kept for observation in station H. According to his history, and Dr. Blumstein, the resident physician in charge, he had been quite normal until about six weeks before admission when he began to develop some peculiar ideas to the effect that any remarks people made were directed at him, and the same in reference to newspaper or radio comments. He also developed some peculiar ideas about his girl friend. At no time did he exhibit any suicidal or homicidal tendencies.

He was kept in the unlocked ward until April eighth when the nurse in charge, Miss Noble, ordered him into the locked ward because he showed more agitation than previously. He was allowed in the unlocked ward to mop floors, serve meals, etc., however. On this occasion, Dr. Blumstein, the internes and nurses were making their rounds. Dr. Blumstein says he was the last one through the door of the locked ward and that he did not lock the door. The deceased was in the locked ward at that time.

While Dr. Blumstein and the others were in a room interviewing a patient, the deceased apparently slipped out the door and into a small room used for consultation. There is one window in this room with the lower pane barred, the upper pane being five feet above the floor. The deceased stood on a chair and dove through the window, landing about thirty feet below in a window well. Miss Noble saw his heels as he fell, after she heard the crash. The time was 1:05 P.M. April 10, 1937. He was picked up, transferred to Station E where he died at 1:45 P.M. April 10th, 1937.

Injuries: Compound fracture of the right temporal and frontal bones with a laceration three inches long beginning one inch above the inner margin of the right eyebrow, and extending to just above the anterior margin of the right ear. Brain substance protruded from the laceration. Two lacerations of the dorsal surface of the right forearm just above the wrist, one being two inches by 1/2 inch, and the other just above the first 2xl inches. An abrasion of the outer surface of the right knee 2xl inches. Ecchymosis of left eye. Abrasions of the right shoulder and back.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME VIRGINIA WARREN Date April 10.

Place of Death	Fairview Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	954 43rd Ave.N.E.,Col.Hts.,	Inquest	No
Residence	954 43rd Ave. N.E., Columbia Heights.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	6 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	1st, 2nd & 3rd degree burns		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x	of body and limbs -- clothes		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~	caught fire from burning grass.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Werness Bros.	Address	

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REMARKS:

Deceased was being taken care of at a private boarding home owned by Mrs. Alma Gronerud. Edward Farmer, age 13, was burning grass in his yard. When deceased's clothes caught fire Tom LeBontillier, 907 43rd Ave. N.E., a neighbor, came and helped put out the fire about noon time.

Deceased was admitted to the hospital at 2 P.M. and expired at 6:45 P.M. Attended by Dr. H. D. Good.

Deceased was a ward of the Board of Control, but under the supervision of the Lutheran Welfare Society. Bernice Larson, welfare worker (tel. Re.1126) gave coroner this information.

Body viewed at Werness Bros. First, second and third degree burns of both body and limbs. Burns extended over a wide area.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MOSE A. SAVAGE Date April 11.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	1543 E. 33rd Street	Inquest	No
Residence	1543 E. 33rd Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	92 Sex Male		
Birthplace	New York		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Fall in home - fracture of		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x	right arm with secondary		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~	bronchopneumonia.		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	National Funeral Home	Address	

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REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the hospital April fourth, 1937, at 9:23 P.M. was admitted by Dr. Hanssen and attended by Dr. H. F. Nelson. He died at 5:53 A.M. April 11th, 1937.

The accident occurred on April 4th, 1937, at 3 P.M. when he slipped and fell in his home.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: CONRAD E. JORGENSON — Date: April 11.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	33rd Street & Bloomington Ave	Inquest	No
Residence	3313 Bloomington Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	77 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Air brake inspector, M.& St.L.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ / Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Multiple fractures of bones		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	of body.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 8:40 P.M. Deceased was admitted at 9:01 P.M. on April tenth, 1937, by Egil Hanson in ambulance from 33rd Street & Bloomington. Attended by Drs. L. Nelson and H. Nelson. Died today at 2:10 P.M.

Injuries: extensive bruising of right leg and some on left below knees; bruising on back of right hand and wrist; extensive bruising of right shoulder; hematoma of both eyelids; bruising of right temple; comminuted fractures of both tibias and fibulas at middle of leg; fracture of right clavicle; fractures of several ribs on both sides.

Deceased was struck by an automobile driven by Myles H. Johns, 796 Summitt Avenue, St. Paul, as he left the curb to hail a streetcar. Johns was driving north on Bloomington Avenue. Deceased ran from the west to east on the north crosswalk hitting the left front fender, and was thrown to the street.

Witnesses: Libby Ann Dols, 3248 Bloomington Avenue
Geo. Kenny, 3220 Chicago Avenue
Mrs. A. R. Carlson, 3608 14th Avenue South.

Officers Thomas and Burnsted investigated case for police department.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Enger's Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: JOHN F. KELLY — Date: April 12.

Place of Death	St. Mary's Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs.
Place of Accident	4th Ave. So. & Lake St.	Inquest	No
Residence	3711 Harriet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	74 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Lakeville, Minn.		
Occupation	Inspector of sidewalks, City of Minneapolis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ / Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of skull.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakeville, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Flynn-Wagner Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital in General Hospital ambulance from Fourth Avenue South & Lake Street, and admitted April 10, 1937, at 8:13 P.M. by Dr. Egil Hanson. He was immediately transferred to St. Mary's Hospital and admitted there at 9:30 P.M. April tenth, to the care of Dr. Regnier. Died at 6 A.M. today.

Deceased was struck by an automobile going west on Lake Street, driven by Mrs. Clifford Flynn, 3810 Upton Avenue South. Deceased was running north across Lake Street on the west side of Fourth Avenue South, and ran into the side of the automobile driven by Mrs. Flynn, hitting it near the front of the car. Accident occurred at 7:56 P.M.

Officers Znacke and Pespishil investigated for police department.

Witness: Charles C. Musgrove, 2700 Vincent Avenue North.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN ALLEN WILSON

Date Found April 12.

Place of Death	Excelsior Township	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Route 1 Excelsior Township	Effects Taken in Charge	$24.97 cash; purse; 2 knives; 3 keys; watch (Elgin Natl. Watch Co.); spectacles; 1937 auto registration card; driver's license card M52561; Lyman Lumber & Coal Co. Excelsior, Minn., delivery slip; receipts; papers.
Age	72 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Ann Arbor, Mich.		
Occupation	Manager - Lumber yard.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Carbon monoxide poisoning from burning of mattress, probably ignited by lighted cigar, with coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Ethel Kranhold, Daughter,
R Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	Groton, S. Dak.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

A. H. Anderson, a neighbor, stated that the deceased had made his home with him all winter, up until April eighth, 1937, when he moved into his own house where he lived alone. Anderson saw him alive April tenth in the morning. At 8 A.M. April 12th Anderson came over to see why the lights were still on and saw the deceased through the window lying on the floor. He called the constable, John P. Tracy who called Dr. Seifert and went out to the farm getting in through a window. When found the deceased was lying on the floor, fully clothed, and between the bedroom and kitchen.

He had a scorched area on the back of his head and his left hand. The mattress on the bed was all burned away, and on the bed was a wash basin. It appeared as though the deceased had awakened with the bed on fire and had attempted to put it out when he died. Anderson stated that he was in the habit of smoking in bed.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LOUISE LORCH

Date April 13.

Place of Death	Abbott Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy
Place of Accident	3310 Girard Avenue N.	Inquest	No
Residence	3310 Girard Avenue N.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	33 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Acute sub-dural hemorrhage		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	due to fall on floor in home.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Earl Boehme, the attending physician, stated that he was called to attend the deceased on April tenth in the morning, found her suffering from some obvious intra-cranial lesion, and sent her to Abbott Hospital. He stated he had previously attended her for epilepsy.

The history he obtained was that on the evening of April ninth, 1937, she went to answer the doorbell in her home, slipped and fell, striking her head on the floor. She got up, sat on the davenport and after about one-half hour complained of feeling dizzy and went to sleep. Members of the family thought that it was probably due to her epilepsy, etc., and put her to bed until the morning of April tenth when Dr. Boehme was called.

Dr. Burton Grimes saw the patient in consultation at Abbott Hospital April tenth, 1937. She died at 9:55 A.M. April 13th. A private autopsy was conducted at Abbott Hospital April 13th, by Drs. Boehme and Baggenstoss.

The body was viewed by the deputy coroner at Quist's undertaking parlors April 15, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME TORVAL DIDRICKSON Date April 13.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	1st Street & 7th Ave. So.	Inquest	No
Residence	Harbor Hotel 105 Second Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.06 cash; billfold; 2 WPA form 402 reassignment slips - identification No. 2788-19797; 1 fork.
Age	About 57 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Fracture of skull probably due to fall off railway trestle.		
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937.

REMARKS:

Deceased was referred to Minneapolis General Hospital by police. Brought in by ambulance and Dr. Hay; attended by Dr. LaBree. Admitted 12:37 P.M. April 13th and died at 9: 10 P.M. April 13th. He was unconscious on admission and did not regain consciousness.

Deceased was discovered at 11:58 A.M. April 13th by Ernest Fisher, 2529 Third Street North, and Jerome O'Neal, 268 12th Avenue North. He was then lying under a railway trestle fifty feet east of the Old Palisade Mill at 7th Avenue & 1st St. So. T here was blood on a stone eight feet from the body. The top of the trestle is ten feet up. These men stated to police officers Mahner and Kevilin that they had seen deceased under the influence of liquor the day previous and that deceased would drink denatured alcohol. Deceased was on relief and he reported to them that he had no known relatives in this country. No one witnessed the accident, but the supposition is that he fell off the railway trestle to the ground below.

Body taken to Hennepin County Mortuary. Weight 200, large full red face, and stocky build. There is bleeding from the left ear; an open wound one inch long at the bridge of nose; extensive discoloration to the top of left hand and left forearm.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM RAICHE Date April 14.

Place of Death	St. Mary's Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	29th & Toledo Ave. St. Louis Park	Inquest	No
Residence	310 Seventh Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	$2.15 cash; 6 streetcar tokens and holder; 2 keys; watch (Waltham).
Age	61 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Automobile - Run over by auto-truck Fracture of spine with crushing injuries of chest.		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Charles A. Raiche, Uncle
Undertaker	Billman Mortuary	Address	Princeton, Minn.

REMARKS: Deceased was brought to St. Mary's Hospital by ambulance and admitted at 11:45 A.M. April 13th. Died at 5 A.M. April 14th. Attended by Dr. F. C. March who reports that deceased had a crushed chest with numerous fractured ribs, fractured spine and fractures of both scapula. Xrays were taken at St. Mary's Hospital.

According to information from Relief Department, deceased was born April 26, 1876 in Minnesota and gave names of no relatives. St. Mary's Hospital wired a Chas. Raiche, Princeton, Minn., supposed to be an uncle. Deceased was a Homeless Bureau Case No. 1085 working on P.W.A. Belt Line project No. 4010.

Accident occurred on a gravel dump ground at 29th & Toledo Ave., St. Louis Park, 11:15 A.M. Boles Karbowniczek, 2428 Fifth St. N.E., owner and driver of a Chevrolet truck was about to unload gravel from the truck. Deceased was to assist and had given the usual signal by a shovel placed in the ground aside of truck for truck to back, when he stepped back into the path of the truckand was run over and pushed back two feet before the truck stopped.

Actual witnesses were: H. D. Allen, 812 Tenth St. So.
Axel Rundquist, 1314 28th St. W.
They yelled out a warning, but too late. Maurice Ring, 2712 Colfax Avenue South, foreman arrived on the scene. H. A. Tracy, Supt. P.W.A., interviewed.

The body was brought to the Hennepin County Mortuary and examined. There are eight or nine ribs fractured on both sides of spine, the spine is fractured. Both shoulder blades are shattered by fractures.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: EDWARD PITHEON — Date Found: April 16.

Place of Death	Glenwood Hotel 11 Washington Avenue N.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Glenwood Hotel 11 Washington Avenue N.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.83 cash; knife; 1 key; ring; 2 purses; Misc. cards of no value; out-patient M.G.H. card; Mpls. Gas. Light cert. of deposit #55635 $5.00; brass check; Mpls. Gen. Elec. cert. of deposit #58585 $5.00; 1 $50.00 note by Walter Pitheon; 1 Revolver Forehand Arms Co. F.& W. #71056; 39 cartridges; 1 empty cartridge.
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Belleplaine, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Barber		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Gunshot wound of head.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Viola Niles, Daughter
C Undertaker	Buching er Funeral Home	Address	642 Polk Street N.E.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased has roomed here about two weeks. He did not stay with his family. He was on Old Age Pension. He was last seen alive at 2:30 P.M. April 15th by Anders Hanson, who saw deceased trying to place the key in his door, but deceased was so intoxicated that he could not do so. About 3 P.M. April 15th Hanson heard the report of a gun and remarked about it to other roomers.

at 11 A.M.

Today when the maid, Anna Spencer, opened the door which was locked, she found deceased dead and notified M. Beckstrom, janitor. Officers Henzler, Nichols and Harrington arrived. The body was lying across the bed with feet on the floor, fully dressed; a revolver lay on the floor under the right knee.

Deceased was sickly and had been drinking a great deal. The body was taken to the Hennepin County morgue. Bullet entered head 3/4 in. above the tip of the right ear and emerged 1-1/2 in. above the left ear, 1/2 in. to the front. There were powder marks around the wound of entrance and the exit wound is ragged.

Police report that Max Efron, 42 Washington Avenue South, sold this revolver to Ed. Pitheon, April 15th, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: AAGE HUMLE — Date Found: April 16.

Place of Death	Gayety Annex Hotel 107 Washington Avenue No.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Gayety Annex Hotel 107 Washington Avenue No.	Effects Taken in Charge	$11.86 cash; 3 streetcar tokens; billfold; watch (Waltham); chain with nailclip; 2 fountain pens; comb; check of $15.00; promissory note of $5.00; Social Security Act card account #468-05-2869; Certificate of naturalization; Honorable discharge from army of U.S.; National Burial Ins. policy #3692 class 25; paid note of $45.00; letter; receipts; papers; ring; notebook.
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Denmark		
Occupation	Bartender		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	By hanging.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	W. F. Hintz, Spec. Adm.
C Undertaker	Billman Mortuary	Address	107 Washington Ave. N.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was a bartender for W. F. Hintz, 107 Washington Avenue N., and has roomed here two years. The landlady Florence Clark saw him last alive at 3 P.M. April 15th. She brought him food in his room. He was then fully dressed and intoxicated. For some time deceased has been mentally deficient. He wandered about the hall and talked to himself. At 11:30 A.M. April 16th he was found dead by Florence Clark, Roy Briggs, Jean Barlow and Fred Rudins. Officer Nichols arrived.

The body was clad in underwear lying on the floor beside the bed. A necktie was tied to the bedstead and around his neck. The necktie had been cut by Fred Rudin.

On a burial insurance policy deceased mentioned Massie Edgell, 3855 Penn Avenue North, as a friend. She stated by phone that she saw deceased last week and that he was very despondent. Deceased had lost his job and was drinking.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HENRIETTA HERRIN

Date April 17

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Charles & Western, St. Paul	Inquest	No
Residence	812 Lyndale Place No.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	64 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Mount Pleasant, Iowa		
Occupation	Housewife (Colored)		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of right femur due to fall on sidewalk -- struck by child's sled.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Oakland Cemetery, St. Paul	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	McGavock Mortuary, St. Paul	Address	

REMARKS:

The admitting diagnosis was "intracapsular fracture of right femur due to fall on ice February 13, 1937." She was first taken to Ancker Hospital, St. Paul and then transferred to Minneapolis General Hospital. Operated reduction of fracture March 4, 1937 by Dr. Regnier. Developed a pneumonia about April 14. Died April 17, 12:04 A.M. Body viewed at Minneapolis General Hospital.

The undertaker stated that on February 13th while walking on the sidewalk at Charles and Western Avenue, St. Paul, she was struck by children on a sled and fell.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GUST ADOLPH RUIKKA

Date April 17.

Place of Death	In street opposite about 3024 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	New York Mills, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$5.04 cash; Elgin watch and chain; 2 purses; 1 key; 1 driver's lic. No. 2A.25326.
Age	61 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Finland		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	New York Mills, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Harley Persons, Daughter
Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	341 North Snelling Av., St. Paul.

REMARKS:

Death occurred about 4 P.M. today. Deceased was with his daughter, Mrs. Harley Persons, 341 North Snelling Avenue, St. Paul. He was in the automobile parked along the curb by the baseball park on Nicollet Avenue, and collapsed. He had just come from Dr. Y. T. Johnson's office at Nicollet and Lake Street. Dr. Johnson told deputy coroner that deceased's trouble was coronary disease; that he had just examined him and he and his daughter had just left his office. Dr. Johnson went to the automobile and pronounced deceased dead.

Officers Lyons and Thos. Murphy were present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HARRY JAMES TANSEY

Date April 18.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	Marquette Ave. betw. Washington & Third Street.	Inquest	No
Residence	207 University Ave. S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.12 cash; papers.
Age	32 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	W.P.A. Worker		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Streetcar Accident		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
	Fracture of skull with bruising of brain		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Rosella Tansey, Wife
Undertaker	Rainville Funeral Home	Address	207 University Ave. S.E.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital at 12:44 A.M. April 18, 1937, by ambulance No. 1, from scene of accident, and died in Receiving at 12:46 A.M. April 18th. The accident occurred at 12:35 A.M. April 18th. Police stated that he is said to have walked into the side of a streetcar, which was a Nicollet-Second St. N.E. car. The motorman was John Kaale of 1305 South Seventh Street.

Witness: A. H. Crombie, 3753 Nicollet Avenue.

Motorman John Kaale called at Coroner's office and gave a statement which is on file.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME UNKNOWN BABY BOY

Date Found April 18.

Place of Death	Found at 2210 Lyndale Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	--	Inquest	No
Residence	Unknown	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	Newborn Sex Male		
Birthplace	Unknown		
Occupation	--		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Probably stillborn (5 months gestation) Too decomposed for autopsy.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Cremation	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	John Anderson, Mpls.	Address	

REMARKS:

This case was referred to coroner by police officers Bravik and Zane. Some children playing on a lot in the rear of 2210 Lyndale Avenue South, stumbled onto a paper package. It tore open and contained the body of a baby. The body was taken to Hennepin County Mortuary by assistant morgue-keeper Person and examined by deputy coroner Callerstrom.

It is a male and measures fourteen inches long, macerated and too decomposed for autopsy. There is no placenta present and the cord is not tied. Apparently this is a miscarriage of about five months gestation.

The paper wrapping was a Minneapolis Tribune of December 6, 1936. The children finding the body were: Edith Carey, 2209 Aldrich Ave. So. Clarence Eldridge, 2201 Aldrich Ave. So., and Donald Jamesgaard, 2300 Lyndale Ave. South.

The body was found at 2:15 P.M. April 18th, 1937.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193____ Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME Date

Place of Death		Autopsy	
Place of Accident		Inquest	
Residence		Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	Sex		
Birthplace			
Occupation			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial		Effects delivered to	
Undertaker		Address	

REMARKS:

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES KERR Date April 18.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	E. Hennepin & Wilder Street	Inquest	No
Residence	116 Third Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	80 Sex Male		
Birthplace	New Brunswick, Can.		
Occupation	Race Horse Trainer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull with secondary bronchopneumonia, and hypertrophy of prostate with cystitis and pyelitis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	National Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

The deceased was struck by a car at 5:25 P.M. February second, 1937, at Wilder Street and E. Hennepin Avenue. According to police, Kerr was crossing East Hennepin Avenue from east to west and the car, driven by Nels Wald of 3020 Fourth Street North, was going north on East Hennepin.

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance No. 1, February second, 1937, at 5:43 P.M. from East Hennepin and Wilder Street and died at 5:15 A.M. April 18th, 1937.

Witnesses: Ted Clard, 1017 LaSalle Avenue

S. R. Fredericks, 4142 North Queen Avenue.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD JOSEPH CHOUINARD

Date April 18.

Place of Death	4432 Logan Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4432 Logan Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	41 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota		
Occupation	Mail Carrier		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

The wife of the deceased, Josephine, of the same address, stated that about a year ago her husband had complained of pain in his chest but had not mentioned it to her since. He told his mother, however, about two weeks ago that he was having pain over his heart.

On the evening of April 17th, 1937, he had been out with his wife and had a few glasses of beer, retiring at 3 A.M. April 18th. At 4:10 A.M. he got up, complaining of severe precordial pain and dyspnoea. Dr. Stanley Roberts was called and found him dead on arrival. The time of death was 4:30 A.M. April 18th, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EMIL J. JOHNSON

Date April 18.

Place of Death	2946 36th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2946 36th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Shoe repair		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Henry Peterson notified Dr. Hobbs, deputy coroner, that he received a call to the address above about 8 A.M. today. Mrs. Johnson, widow, told him that at 3 A.M. today deceased asked her for aspirin; that at 7:15 A.M. she found him dead in bed. Dr. Peterson saw deceased five years ago, not since. The history indicated cardiac trouble.

Viewed at Enger's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANTON CACKA

Date April 18.

Place of Death	3552 Taylor St. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3552 Taylor St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	74 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Austria		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / ~~Accident~~ / Suicide / ~~Homicide~~	Strychnine poisoning		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	R. F. Burr	Address	

REMARKS:

Case reported to coroner by Dr. Eich. Deceased has been mentally deficient due to senility for some time and has repeatedly talked of ending his life. He had his dinner at around noon today and was next seen upstairs by the daughter Emma and son Joe. They state deceased was then lying on the floor upstairs. He was jerking in all limbs and had convulsions. They mentioned calling a doctor and deceased said "No, I don't want any doctor; I have taken poison." In a few minutes, at 1 P.M., he was dead. The body was very rigid when Dr. Eich arrived.

Deputy coroner found a cup on the window sill in the kitchen, the bottom of which is covered with a white crystalline substance appearing like strychnine. Beside the cup was a paper package torn open, and a dirty tobacco bag. He had evidently carried the substance around in his pocket.

Body taken directly to undertakers. Joe Walquist, 3497 Polk Street N.E., and wife arrived on the scene. No police officers.

Cup, spoon and contents were taken by deputy coroner for examination.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FLORENCE D. ROSS

Date April 19.

Place of Death	Brooklyn Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Camden Sta., Mpls. R.R.#6	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	76 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural / ~~Accident~~ / ~~Suicide~~ x / ~~Homicide~~	Chronic myocarditis.		
Place of Burial	Fond du Lac, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Harvey Nelson, Osseo, Minn.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has been sick off and on for several years with heart attacks. She was living with her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Thorfmanson, who was with deceased at the time of death, 4:30 P.M.

Funeral director Nelson brought the body to his place and reported case to coroner and gave information to coroner.

Body not viewed.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DOROTHY CHRISTOFFERSON

Date April 19.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy by Mpls. Gen. Hosp.
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	808 26th Avenue N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	17 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Student - Edison Highschool.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Acute septic sore throat; primary peritonitis; septicaemia; acute glomerular nephritis and uraemia.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Fox-Sullivan Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital, admitted April 14th at 8:56 P.M. Referred to the hospital by Dr. Hawkinson. Her temperature was 103° and she complained of a sore throat, chills, had vomited and had loose stools. There was a slight vaginal discharge. She stated to Dr. Miller that she menstruated April ninth. On April 19th she stated to Nurse Margaret Anderson that she had been pregnant but was not now and that she had done "what other women do". Miss Anderson says now that she is of the opinion that deceased was delirious and not responsible.

Drs. Urenn and Sadler suspected possibility of an induced abortion and referred the case to the coroner for investigation. The father, Fritz C. Christofferson, gave General Hospital permission to hold autopsy. Dr. Callerstrom, deputy coroner, was present at the autopsy. The autopsy revealed no pregnancy, no infected uterus or tubes or anything suggestive of an induced abortion.

(Death certificate signed by General Hospital doctors.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK B. KENT.

Date April 20.

Place of Death	1810 Third Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1810 Third Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None.
Age	53 Sex Male		
Birthplace	New York		
Occupation	Hotel Clerk		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	O. H. Oakley	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased came home from work about 2 A.M. He was tending bar at the Radisson Hotel. About 8:30 A.M. he started to cough and had difficulty in breathing. In a short time he died.

His wife stated that Dr. C. B. Wright had attended him about one week ago for a bronchial condition. She said he had complained of some pain in his chest.

Officers Jacobson and Miller present when coroner arrived.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES BADER Date April 20.

Place of Death	828 Sixth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	828 Sixth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$28.00; purse; 3 keys.
Age	74 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Ohio		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	To apply on funeral expenses. Albinson Mortuary Co.
Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	O. F. Albinson 1705 Chicago Avenue

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased has been on Relief since 1931. He gave the names of no relatives to them. He was single and at one time kept a rooming house. He was an alcoholic and was always drinking. The landlady, Mrs. Steinke, says that for several days he has been having "sinking spells" and appeared very sick. She called in Lilly Hall, 819 Rainey Street, St. Paul, to help care for him. He died at 6:30 P.M. Minneapolis General Hospital doctor arrived after death.

Deceased once served a term in the workhouse for drunkenness. He has been a patient at Parkview and General Hospital. $28.00 was in his purse under his pillow. A friend is Eugene Moe, 920 Fourth Avenue South.

Officers: Martin Little and Eklund.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HENRY E. ANDERSON Date April 21.

Place of Death	On street between 3rd & 4th Street & Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	Milner Hotel, 408 Nicollet Av.	Effects Taken in Charge	$11.55 cash.
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Salesman musical supplies, and musician.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	Crushing injuries of chest and abdomen		

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES BADER

Date April 20.

Place of Death	828 Sixth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	828 Sixth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$28.00; purse; 3 keys.
Age	74 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Ohio		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

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HENRY E. ANDERSON (Continued)

April 21, 1937.

Length five feet, eight inches, weight 180 lbs, no hair on head. Compound fracture of right arm at lower third, open wound one inch long at elbow. Scraping bruises to vertex and left temporal regions of scalp. Numerous ribs fractured at multiple places along both sides of spine and in axillary regions, possibly a fracture of spine, blood in abdomen, small bruise on left wrist.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HENRY E. ANDERSON

Date April 21.

Place of Death	On street between 3rd & 4th Street & Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	Milner Hotel, 408 Nicollet Av.	Effects Taken in Charge	$11.55 cash.
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Salesman musical supplies, and musician.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	Crushing injuries of chest and abdomen		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Charles J. Anderson, Brother
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	125 South Maple Ave., Beverly Hills, Calif.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased has been on "Relief" since June 19, 1933, roomed at Milner Hotel 1½ years, is single, has brothers in Chicago. Deceased was seen leaving Milner Hotel by Herman Kohn, taxi driver, at 12:30 A.M. April 21st. Deceased carried his overcoat on his arm and said he was going out for a walk before retiring. At 1 A.M. he was on Hennepin Avenue, north side, outside of No. 320, when struck by an automobile going west, owned by Ferdinand Krause and driven by Francis B. Krause, 3022 32nd Avenue South, a Ford V-8.

The radiator of the car was badly staved in. Mr. Krause continued and turned north on Fourth Street and in the middle of the block struck another car and turned his car around on Fourth Street to face Hennepin Avenue.

The body was thrown against a parked Chrysler car, 458-356, and lay alongside of this car, head toward Third Street, deceased's coat on fender of this car, his hat and his toupee by his side. The parked car belonged to Mr. Kalinski, 344 16th Avenue South. The body was first identified by Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Allen, 3238 25th Avenue South, at the scene.

Witnesses: R. W. Benedict, 1225 Hawthorne
Paul Lindell, 911 25th Avenue North
Emmet Bonley, 615 Fourth St. S.E.
R. V. Cooper, Stanley Hotel.

According to the statement of Mr. Krause to police, he had previous to the accident during the evening, visited various bars and had drinks of whisky and beer. Mr. Krause tends bar at the Lowry Hotel, St. Paul, and left there at 5:30 P.M. April 21st. He also states he did not see deceased until at the moment he struck him.

Officers Bymark, Redding and Berlamoes.

The body was taken to the Hennepin County Mortuary and examined.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BABY BOY MANKOWSKI

Date April 21.

Place of Death	507 Marshall St. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	507 Marshall Street N. E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	4 months Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Infant		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Suffocation caused by a brother lying across the face during sleep.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Stenley Kapala & Co.	Address	

REMARKS:

The mother of the deceased, Irma Mankowski, stated that she last saw the baby alive at 12:30 A.M. April 21st, 1937, when she fed him. She says he was perfectly normal at that time. She says that she was sleeping on one side of the bed, the baby in the middle and Ronnie, another son aged 1½ years, on the other side. When she awoke at 7:30 she said Ronnie was lying across the face of the baby but she just lifted him off and thought no more about it until after she got up and moved the baby into another room to dress it, when she discovered it was dead.

The time was 8:30 A.M. The father's name is Stanley and his occupation is a painter.

Baby on examination disclosed mottled purplish discoloration of the right side of the face and head. The mouth was open. There was no evidence of bruises about the neck.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY ALICE HILL

Date April 22.

Place of Death	2201 Bryant Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2201 Bryant Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	84 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Fort Wayne, Indiana		
Occupation	Retired school teacher.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Casselton, N. Dak.	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Co.	Address	

REMARKS:

Case referred to Coroner by Dr. Moorhead. Body viewed at Washburn's. Death had occurred before Dr. Moorhead arrived. She had been getting weaker and failing in health for some time.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROBERT HERMAN MOESER

Date April 22.

Place of Death	St. Andrews Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy
Place of Accident	American Excelsior Corp. 3200 East Hennepin Ave.	Inquest	No
Residence	4322 Girard Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Oiler		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Traumatic amputation of right arm and mangling of left arm caused by being caught in the drive gears of a tow brake machine.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hinckley, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	M.D. Folsom, Hinckley, Minn.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was injured while at work in the American Excelsior Corporation, at 10:45 A.M. April 20th, 1937. He was employed there as an oiler and had worked there for many years. He was caught in the drive gears of a tow brake machine, according to the superintendent. He was admitted to St. Andrews Hospital at 11:25 A.M. April 20th, 1937, and died at 3:25 P.M. April 22nd, 1937. He was under the care of Dr. Weisman.

Diagnoses were: traumatic amputation of right arm and maceration of the left arm, which was subsequently amputated at the hospital.

The body was viewed by Dr. Callerstrom at Washburn-McReavy Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN HAMMER

Date Found April 22.

Place of Death	Village of Osseo, Minn.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Osseo, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	79 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Clock repairman.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Spontaneous cerebral hemorrhage.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide X			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Maple Grove Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Nelson Mortuary, Osseo	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased who lived alone at above address, was last seen alive in a store in Osseo known as Olson's Confectionery in the afternoon of April 21st. He was found dead at 7:30 P.M. April 22nd by a son, Albert Hammer, of 1136 Humboldt Avenue North, Minneapolis, who called Dr. Hammerstedt of Osseo, who found him dead on arrival. He was sitting on a bench, slumped over a trunk and fully clothed. Rigor had set in.

He had had a stroke two years ago which kept him in bed six weeks, and a history of high blood pressure.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM C. M. PYKE Date April 23.

Place of Death	1918 Humboldt Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1918 Humboldt Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Ireland		
Occupation	Department store executive.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 9 A.M. today following a period of invalidism. Since April fifth, 1937, deceased had been confined to bed. Had complained of shortness of breath for the past year or longer.

Mrs. David Reid, Christian Science practitioner, had attended him for the past two weeks. Mrs. Pyke was with him.

Body viewed at the home.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK E. POMEROY Date April 23.

Place of Death	400 Tenth Street South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3328 Blaisdell Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	60 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Cedar Rapids, Iowa		
Occupation	Cashier -Kellogg Grain & Elev.Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had been visiting friends during the evening at 224 Tenth Street South. In company with Harry Constans, 224 Tenth Street South, he left the party and went to a restaurant at 400 Tenth Street South. They had just entered when deceased suddenly dropped dead to the floor at 11 P.M. The wife arrived and took charge of the effects. The body was brought directly to Davies Undertaking parlors by John Anderson, Morgue Supt.

The wife states that deceased has had trouble with his heart for some time. The last doctor consulted was Dr. S. M. White.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANDERS GUSTAF ERIKSSON Date April 23.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	816 13th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Carpenter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural / Accident / Suicide / Homicide	Undetermined - autopsy held and toxicological examination made.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was single and lived with his brother, Albert Eriksson. He has had tuberculosis and has not worked for about ten years. Albert Eriksson, the brother, interviewed by telephone, stated that he left the house and saw deceased last alive at 6:20 A.M. April 23rd. When he returned at 5:45 P.M. he found deceased lying on the kitchen floor unconscious and breathing very deeply, vomitus on the floor and clothing. An ambulance with Dr. Neary brought him to Minneapolis General Hospital.

He was admitted to the hospital 6:21 P.M. and died at 8:25 P.M. He was attended by Dr. S. W. Lundblad. The stomach was lavaged in "Receiving". Albert Eriksson gave Minneapolis General Hospital permission to hold autopsy. Dr. Neary stated that he found two notes evidently written by deceased, the one was on the table, the other near the body. The notes refer something to disposition of property but are mostly illegible. The notes were handed to coroner by police detective Higgins.

A sister, Mrs. Adolph Peterson, 2301 Tenth Avenue South, found liver juice in a glass bowl and ground liver in an aluminum kettle in a wooden icebox with no ice in the box. This liver and juice seemed to be spoiled and decomposed. Deceased was in the habit of taking liver and liver juice because he was anaemic. When found unconscious he had vomitted a great deal and most of this vomitus was this decomposed liver and liver juice, according to the statement of his sister. She also found a letter written to his brother in Sweden not yet mailed in which plans were outlined for a summer at the lake.

Sister of deceased also procured for coroner a 12-oz. medicine bottle purchased from Croydon Drug Store, 400 2nd Ave.So., marked prescription No. 5102B by Dr. CS. "One tsp. to be taken four times daily". Upon checking with Croydon Drug Store the pharmacist, D. R. Sweeney, stated that he had prescribed this formula which contained the following ingredients, and which preparation was sometimes called Vitalex and was supplied to them by Walgreen Drug Company:

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HILDA CORCORAN Date April 23.

Place of Death	St. Mary's Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy.
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3032 21st Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	47 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Estherville, Iowa		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x / Probably Accident	Phenobarbital poisoning with secondary bronchopneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			

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CORONER'S RECORD

ANDERS GUSTAF ERIKSSON Deceased April 23, 1937

15% Alcohol solution
Extracts and vegetable herbs such as Cascara, Ginger, Rhubarb, Gentian; Juniper, Buchu, Uva Ursi, Licorice, flaxseed, dandelion, stillingia, Sarsaparilla
Trace of nux vomica
With important vitamins added
2 drams of chloral hydrate (in 12-oz. bottle)

Deceased had had the above prescription filled repeatedly.

(Toxicological report dated May 18, 1937, on file.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANDERS GUSTAF ERIKSSON Date April 23.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	816 13th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Carpenter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Undetermined - autopsy held and toxicological examination made.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HILDA CORCORAN Date April 23.

Place of Death	St. Mary's Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy.
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3032 21st Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	47 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Estherville, Iowa		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Probably Accident	Phenobarbital poisoning with secondary bronchopneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	McDivitt Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

The husband, William P. Corcoran, states that his wife has been very nervous for some time; that she came home late the evening of April 20th and that she had been drinking. On April 21st she went to sleep about five P.M. and did not have supper. Thursday morning she was still asleep when her husband left home at eight A.M. When he returned at 9:30 A.M. she was still asleep and he was unable to get her awake. He found a few phenobarbital tablets (Gr.1½) on the floor, also a bottle (size 100 tablets) of phenobarbital on the floor beside her bed.

He called a Dr. Duff, who sent deceased to St. Mary's Hospital. He also gave Dr. Duff the bottle, who stated to the coroner that there were 46 tablets left in the bottle.

The patient was unconscious until she died. A private autopsy was conducted by Drs. Koucky and Duff.

The husband stated to coroner that deceased may have been intoxicated when she took the sleeping tablets. He stated that she had never threatened to commit suicide at any time. The tablets were bought at Walgreen's Drug Store.

The deceased was admitted to the hospital April 22, 1937, at 12:30 P.M. and died April 23rd at 9:34 P.M. She was attended by Dr. Duff.

Deceased used to sleep alone because the husband works nights.

Body viewed by Coroner at McDivitt's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CARRIE M. NYE

Date April 23.

Place of Death	St. Andrews Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	4348 Glen Place, St.Louis Pk.	Inquest	No
Residence	4500 W. 44th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	79 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Tipton, Indiana		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of left hip due to fall on floor, with coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	River Falls, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

On March 5, 1937, while visiting a friend, Mrs. McNaught at 4348 Glen Place, St. Louis Park, the deceased slipped and fell on the floor. She was taken to St. Andrews Hospital where she was attended by a Dr. Harry Johnson of 3900 Sunnyside Avenue.

She died at 7:15 P.M. April 23rd, 1937. Case reported to coroner April 26th, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MATHIS OLSON GIMMESTAD

Date April 25

Place of Death	2722 Chicago Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2722 Chicago Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	78 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Retired Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Belview, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	A.W.Hubbard, Redwood Falls, Minn.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has previously been living with a daughter at Redwood Falls but for some time has made his home with a daughter, Mrs. Arthur Preiss at the above address. Two months ago deceased suffered a heart attack with gasping for breath, which lasted half a day. Today he started gasping for breath and died almost immediately at 11:40 A.M. before the arrival of Dr. Yoerg, who reported to the coroner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BERNICE LOTTA JOHNSON

Date April 25.

Place of Death	Asbury Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Anoka, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	27 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Anoka, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x	Perforation of uterus with intra-abdominal hemorrhage due to attempted criminal abortion.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Anoka, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Thurston & Son, Anoka	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to Asbury Hospital April 25, 1937, at 12:15 A.M. by Emergency Ambulance from her home, 1305 Monroe St. N.E., Minneapolis; was attended by Dr. Bratrud and Dr. Whitney (interne), and died at 6:46 A.M. April 25th.

The husband of the deceased, Elmer W. Johnson, of the same address, was interviewed at the County Morgue and later in the office of the Captain of Detectives on April 25th and made the following statements: He and his deceased wife had been married for eight years, and have one child aged 22 months. They lived in Anoka until the latter part of March, 1937, when they moved to the present address. That he is an employee of the Minneapolis Brewing Company. Having heard from a friend in Anoka that there was a Dr. Berger in Minneapolis who performed abortions, they decided to look him up, as Mrs. Johnson's last menstrual period was January 15th or January 20th, 1937, and they thought she was about 2½ months pregnant. She had been in excellent health otherwise except for a slight cold last fall. On approximately April 2nd, 1937, Johnson and his wife went to the office of Dr. Alex Berger of 2003 Fourth Avenue South, having found that in the phone book. He refused to perform an abortion, but mentioned having heard of a Dr. Berger in the Loeb Arcade. Johnson and his wife then went to the Loeb Arcade, learned from a newsboy and elevator operator that there was a Dr. Berger in the office of the "Loring Foot Specialists" at 415 or 457 Loeb Arcade. They went to see him and he said he thought he could arrange it. Johnson called him by phone the next day and arranged an appointment for 4:30 P.M. that day. He then went down and talked it over with Drs. May and Berger. He took his wife down to the office on about April 14th, where Dr. Otto Berger and a man called Dr. Clayton, now known as Clayton May, examined his wife. They pronounced her 2½ months pregnant and otherwise physically fit. Financial arrangements were made and his wife paid Dr. Clayton May five dollars on April sixteenth. On April 17th, 1937, at about 6 P.M. Johnson and wife went down again and Dr. Clayton May inserted a pack in Mrs. Johnson to induce an abortion, and told Johnson to take it out in from 24 to 48 hours or sooner if any chills occurred. Johnson removed the pack in 23 hours but except for very slight bloody show, nothing occurred.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOSEPH McINERNEY

Date April 25.

Place of Death	119 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4135 Fremont Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$4.65 cash; trade coin; knife; toilet case; razor; scissors; tooth brush; razor strop; hone; N.S.P.So. safety rules book; 2 letters; receipt; cards; papers; U.S.Dept. of Labor applicant's ident. # 2788-89071 HMB 37573; 2 Men's Bureau, 204 N. Co. 2nd St. #37573 investigator cards.
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Dayton, Minnesota		
Occupation	Lineman Northern States Power		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

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He talked with Dr. Berger over the telephone several times and finally arrangements were made to repeat the procedure on April 24th. A balance of $45.00 had been paid to Dr. May at the time of the first attempt, April 17th.

On April 24th, 1937, at 4:30 P.M., Johnson and his wife went to the same office as before, and Dr. May and Dr. Berger put in another pack. Johnson said that when she came from the inner office she had a pained look on her face, and said it was very painful. She became dizzy on the streetcar on the way home so he took her off the car, found a cab and took her home. After arriving home she had a dizzy spell at 6:40 P.M. so he put her to bed and began to call Dr. Clayton May and Berger, who arrived at about 10 P.M. and gave her whiskey and shots of adrenalin. They also called some physician who drove up to the house where Dr. Berger or May talked to him, but he refused to take the case. Finally the Emergency Ambulance was called and the deceased was taken to Asbury Hospital where she died.

A roomer, Harry Moen, in Johnson's house, saw Dr. Berger and Dr. Clayton May.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BERNICE LOTTA JOHNSON

Date April 25.

Place of Death	Asbury Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Anoka, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	27 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Anoka, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural ~~Natural~~	x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide ~~Suicide~~	x Perforation of uterus with intra-		

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOSEPH McINERNEY

Date April 25.

Place of Death	119 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4135 Fremont Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$4.65 cash; trade coin; knife; toilet case; razor; scissors; tooth brush; razor strop; hone; N.S.P.So. safety rules book; 2 letters; receipt; cards; papers; U.S.Dept. of Labor applicant's ident. # 2788-89071 HMB 37573; 2 Men's Bureau, 204 N. Co. 2nd St. #37573 investigator cards.
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Dayton, Minnesota		
Occupation	Lineman Northern States Power		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide ~~Homicide~~			Clo.Soldat public auction Dec. 15, 1937. Proceeds to County Treasurer Dec. 17, 1937.
Place of Burial	St. Anthony Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mary McInerney, Daughter
R Undertaker	Thos. Goggins	Address	4135 Fremont Avenue North P

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

August Minnick, who roomed across the hall from the deceased, said that the deceased came out of his room about 8:00, said he felt sick and was going for a doctor. Minnick saw that he was weak, so took him by the arm to help him downstairs. The deceased became weaker and collapsed as they reached the second floor. He died about 8:05 P.M. April 25, 1937.

Officer Hallam investigated for police department.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NELLIE E. KINNEY

Date Found April 26.

Place of Death	816 Ninth Avenue South	Autopsy	Private autopsy by Dr. Sather
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	816 Ninth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	71 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Dodgeville, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary thrombosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Colfax, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was last seen alive at 10:30 P.M. April25, 1937, by her husband, Edward, when she retired. He found her dead in bed at 7:00 A.M. April 26th. The General Hospital ambulance arrived and pronounced death. Deceased has been in fair health, but has been taking treatments for a varicose ulcer at the Minneapolis General Hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALEXANDRIA E. OLSON

Date April 27th.

Place of Death	In ambulance on way to Mpls. General Hosp. from St. Anthony Twp.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident	St. Anthony Township	Inquest	No
Residence	3216 Cedar Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.76 cash; 1 streetcar token; 6 2¢ postage stamps; key; wrist watch (Julgar); with bracelet; necklace; lipstick; powder puff; bottle of perfume; compact; 5 gloves; 3 handkerchiefs; handbag; Harrington & Richards Revolver No. 503557; 1 pr. spectacles & case.
Age	45 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Stenographer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Gunshot wound of head.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	H. E. Sandahl, Brother-in-law, 4824 15th Avenue South
H Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	By order of Olof J. Olson, Father of deceased.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS: At 5:35 P.M. deceased was taken from the ambulance into the Minneapolis General Hospital receiving ward, dead. She was taken from an automobile in front of the south side of Armour Golf Course, on St. Anthony Boulevard, unconscious. She was found here sitting on the right side of the front seat, by Park Police Hornlein and Taplin, about 5 P.M. Detectives Boldt and Sistock were assigned to the case, but finding that the car was parked outside the city, Deputy Sheriffs Baisner and Lord continued the investigation. A 32-caliber Harrington-Richards revolver was in her hand, (bearing No. 503557 bought April 27, 1937, by a man who gave his name as John Pederson 384 14th Street So., at Dolinger's, 129 Nicollet Avenue.) Earlier, about 3:15 P.M. today, Chas. H. Preston, 2629 Pleasant Avenue, appeared at a tool house on University Golf Course at Larpenteur Avenue & Ramsey County Road "A" and was bleeding from a wounded right arm. He told Harry Anderson, 2514 Emerson Avenue South, that he had been shot by a woman who had been riding with him in his car. She had fled in the car after shooting him.

Preston was taken to Midway Hospital in St. Paul, by Dr. N. P. Bentley of St. Paul. He stated to St. Paul police that Miss Olson stepped out of the automobile onto the running board, produced a revolver and began shooting. Then he got out of the car, went around back of the automobile. Miss Olson called out to him and he heard a fourth revolver report, but didn't look back. Mr. Preston told deputy coroner that he and deceased had sat in the car talking a very few minutes, when she suddenly pulled the revolver out from her handbag. Dr. Bentley says that Preston asked him to telephone Chief Forestal to look for a woman who had shot herself.

History of case reveals that six months ago deceased threatened to kill Preston and herself; that she was temperamental; that for six months past the two had not been together. Mr. Preston positively says no third party could have killed her and that he thinks she committed suicide.

Deceased was identified by a brother-in-law, Harold E. Sandahl, 4824 15th Avenue South.

The gun used by deceased was later found to have been bought by Stanley Stokke, 51 Tenth St. N., for Miss Olson, who told him she needed a gun because she feared mashers. Stokke was employed on the parking space where deceased often left her car.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY FRITZ

Date April 27.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy at Gen. Hosp.
Place of Accident	1219 25th Avenue North	Inquest	No
Residence	1219 25th Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	80 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of skull probably		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x	due to fall downstairs.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Heinrich's Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital April 23rd, 1937, at 1:57 P.M. by ambulance No. 2 from her home. She was admitted by Dr. Bodesky and treated by him. She died at 7:53 P.M. April 27th, 1937. A private autopsy was performed due to a previous diagnosis of spontaneous cerebral hemorrhage, and a fracture of the skull was found.

A history of the injury was obtained from Mrs. Mollie Burke, daughter, who lived upstairs in the same house as deceased. She stated that she helped put the deceased to bed at 10 P.M. April 22nd, 1937, and then went upstairs. Joseph Fritz, a son of the deceased, who lived with her, returned home about 11:45 P.M. April 22nd and because their dog was acting peculiarly, he flashed a light into his mother's room and found it empty. Noticing that the basement door was open, he investigated and saw his mother at the bottom of the stairs. He called Mrs. Burke and they helped her up to bed. Dr. T. C. McDonald was called the next morning and referred her to the Minneapolis General Hospital.

Dr. McDonald stated that the deceased has been mentally unbalanced for several years.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOYCE MARIE OJALA

Date April 28.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Jenny Lind School, 52nd & Camden.	Inquest	No
Residence	4852 Sixth Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	9 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.		
Occupation	School girl.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Tetanus following abrasion of skin of right leg due to fall on school playground.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Cokato, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Billman Funeral Chapel	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted April 26th, 1937, at 3:06 A.M. by Dr. Egil Hanson, and attended by Drs. Hofflin, Conklin and Plateau. She was brought from her home by ambulance. Dr. E. H. Dunlap referred her to the General Hospital. He saw her the morning of April 25th when she complained of a small amount of pain in the back. He was called after midnight again, then sent her to Minneapolis General Hospital.

On April 16th, 1937, about noon, deceased fell while playing outside at the Jenny Lind School, 52nd & Camden, North, and scraped her right leg below the knee. She attended school all last week. Monday, April 26, 1937, she was absent from school and the school nurse made efforts to learn why she wasn't at school. No report of an accident had been made to anyone, according to Mrs. Amy Barse, school principal.

Dr. Dunlap expressed the opinion that probably the tetanus symptoms started Saturday, April 24th. Convulsions appeared some hours before death. Tetanus antitoxin, 110,000 units, was given deceased at Minneapolis General Hospital.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Billman's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PEDER ROLSETH

Date April 29.

Place of Death	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	15 Eastman Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$12.51 cash, less $1.26 spent for telegram, balance $11.25; 4 streetcar tokens; billfold; key; 2 knives; watch (Hampden); chain & charm; 2 rings; 2 chains; Farmers & Mechanics Savings Bank Book #120877 showing balance of $3317.87; T.C.Bldg.& Loan Assn. pass book #B1873 showing paid; T.C.Bldg. & Loan Assn. pass book #B225 showing paid; T.C. Fed.Savings & Loan Assn. optional savings share acct. book #5729 showing $813.40 share credits; T.C.Fed.Savings & Loan optional savings share acct. book #7961 - 10 shares showing $1018.71 share credits; Beneficial Participation Cert.#71 issued by Marquette Natl. Bk.; Fann Motor Co. certificate #17244 for ten shares (cont.below)
Age	60 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Grave digger		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident ~~x~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide ~~x~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide x~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Harry Eberhardt, Spec. Adm.
C Undertaker	Sundseth's Funeral Home	Address	136 Melbourne Ave. S.E.

(Other effects listed in Morgue Record)

REMARKS: Deceased has worked for the Crystal Lake Cemetery Association at intervals for many years. Deceased and Ed. Franzen, 2946 Queen Avenue North, had just completed filling up a grave and were walking toward the tool house in the cemetery when at 5:10 P.M. deceased suddenly dropped to the ground dead. The body was lying face down a few feet off the driveway near the tombstone of "Kraemer", the west side of section 2. Edward Gleason, 814 Fifth St. N., a cemetery truck driver, came along and notified M. E. Joss, 2128 Dupont Avenue North, Assistant Superintendent. General Hospital ambulance arrived.

Deceased was seen at about 4 P.M. by Walter Johnson, foreman, and Mr. Franzen, his co-worker at the grave, stated to Mr. Joss that deceased complained as he was working of pain which deceased attributed to the stomach. At twenty-five minutes to five deceased came to Mr. Willner, another grave digger and complained of a terrible pain in the chest and said he had been very sick last night and should not have gone to work today.

Officers Didrickson and Hagglund.

(Effects continued) Crystal Lake Cemetery Assn. certificate #763½ for five shares; Crystal Lake Cemetery Assn. balance sheet 12/31/35; declaration of intention paper; notebook in folder; Norwegian birth certificate; vaccination certificate and other Norwegian papers; Marquette Trust Co. temporary receipt dated February 9, 1932, pictures; letters; receipts.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JACOB SILVER

Date April 30.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	On Plymouth Ave. between Logan & Knox Aves. N.	Inquest	No
Residence	1336 Sheridan Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 61 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Roumania		
Occupation	Barber		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural x~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Automobile - Fractures of both tibias and fibulas.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide ~~x~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	United Brotherhood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Zeesman Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted April 28th, 1937, at 8:41 P.M. by Dr. Egil Hanson. Brought to Hospital in private conveyance from the scene of the accident, at Logan & Plymouth Avenues North. Attended by Dr. H. F. Nelson. Died at 2 A.M. today.

Deceased stepped out from between parked cars in front of 1719 Plymouth Avenue and was struck by a Cadillac sedan owned and driven by Sam Weiner, 1114 Irving Avenue North, who was going east on Plymouth Avenue. Deceased was dragged fifteen feet. The accident occurred about thirty-five feet east of the intersection of Logan Avenue & seven feet out from the south curb.

Injuries: Open fracture of left tibia and fibula; an irregular two-inch long laceration is present in lower third of left lower leg in front; a short laceration is over the lower third of the right leg; right tibia and fibula are fractured but not compound. Multiple scratches and bruises are on the right side of the face.

Body viewed at Minneapolis General Hospital. Officers Hagen, Swanson and Burnsted investigated for police department.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ARTHUR JAMES DONOHUE Date May 2.

Place of Death	1523 Monroe St. N. E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1523 Monroe St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	44 Sex Male		
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minnesota		
Occupation	Railroad engineer - N.P. Ry.		
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural: Coronary sclerosis.		
	~~Accident~~:		
	~~Suicide~~: x		
	~~Homicide~~:		
Place of Burial	Calvary Cemetery, St. Paul, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Buchinger Funeral Home.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was a railway freight engineer and came in on a run from Staples to the North Town N. P. Station at five A.M. His wife met him with a car and brought him home. They ate lunch and deceased retired. After a while he came down and said he was having pains in his chest and left arm and asked for a drink of soda. He retired again and his wife sat down on the edge of the bed. Suddenly he appeared in great agony and ceased breathing at 7:30 A.M. Dr. Neary arrived, also deputy coroner Callerstrom.

Body taken directly to undertakers.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MAGNUS OLSON Date May 2.

Place of Death	Front of 605 Washington Ave. So.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	111 19th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.10 cash; 1 letter.
Age	54 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~:		
	Accident: Automobile		
	~~Suicide~~:		
	~~Homicide~~: Fracture of skull and rupture of liver.		
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins.	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
Undertaker	John Anderson	Address	To County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Police were called at 2:00 A.M. May 2nd, 1937, by a person named Oscar Peterson, 2107 Harriet Avenue, who apparently witnessed the accident and said that a car hit two men at the above place, stopped and looked at them and drove away.

The body of the deceased was 48 feet, 3 inches, south of the south crosswalk of Sixth Avenue South and nine feet six inches from the west curb on Washington. The point of impact as evidenced by glass in the street was twelve feet from the above crosswalk. The body was lying diagonally with the head toward the street and feet toward the curb.

Deceased was identified by John Anderson, morgue superintendent, through fingerprints.

Officers Mehner and Kevlin investigated for police department.

Witnesses: S. M. Street, 2900 University Ave. S.E.
Oscar Peterson, 2107 Harriet Avenue
Reuben Wallace, 16 E. 16th Street
Michael Weiner, 610 Nicollet Avenue.

The driver of the car, Harry Anderson, 712 Fourteenth Avenue South, subsequently gave himself up to police.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME UNKNOWN BABY GIRL

Date Found May 2.

	Place of Death	Found Golden Valley Village	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	Unknown	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	Premature Sex Female		
	Birthplace	Unknown		
	Occupation	--		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Probably stillborn.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Cremation	Effects delivered to	
S	Undertaker	John Anderson, Mpls.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found about fifteen feet north of Glenwood Avenue and one block west of Madeline Avenue, by Raymond Olson and Harold Sand, living near Glenwood & Madeline, when they were on their way home from Sundayschool.

Deputy Sheriffs Meyrowitz and J. Timmers investigated the case and notified John Person, Assistant Morguekeeper, who brought deceased to the morgue. Deceased measured 15½ inches long; cord not severed and placenta was attached, -- premature baby. Body viewed at morgue. No evidence of any bruising. Body wrapped in a Minneapolis Tribune dated April 30th, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES JOHN NELSON

Date May 3.

	Place of Death	Rear - 105 Washington Ave. So.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	3321 Third Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	Billfold; identification card; key; Minneapolis Gen. Elect. bill paid.
	Age	76 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Stockholm, Sweden		
	Occupation	Lumber scaler - mill.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Acute alcoholism and coronary sclerosis.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mayme Johnson, Daughter
H	Undertaker	Knoeble Company	Address	2655 California St. N.E.

other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found by William Peterson, 105 Washington Avenue South, about 8:15 P.M. today. He was lying on his back at the rear of 105 Washington Avenue South. Was examined by Minneapolis General Hospital doctor.

Officers Holcomb & Berkmoes were present.

Body identified at the Hennepin County Morgue by his son, Clarence Nelson, 3321 Third Street North.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE SYLVESTER TIDD

Date May 3, 1937.

Place of Death	#8 South Second Street	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	Transient	Effects Taken in Charge		
Age	50 Sex Male			
Birthplace	Frankfort, Kansas			
Occupation	Common Laborer			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Missouri Valley, Iowa	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.	
R Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	To Treasurer Dec. 17, 1937.	P

None except items on Morgue Records

REMARKS:

According to Larry Doyle, clerk at the above address which is the Pioneer Hotel, the deceased occasionally came in there, stayed a while and left. On this occasion he came about 10:30 A.M., lay down on one of the beds in a large room. L. H. Patrick, a roomer, noticed about 12:00 noon that he was dead and called another roomer, John Blaine. The clerk called police. Officer Hallam.

Deceased's son, Elijah Sylvester Tidd, aged 13, is under the care of the Children's Protective Society at a boarding home, 3407 Fremont Avenue North.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK E. NORTON

Date May 3.

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of ~~Accident~~ Tragedy	1807 W. 49th Street	Inquest	No
Residence	1807 W. 49th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	58 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Michigan		
Occupation	Attorney		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Gunshot wound of head.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted about 6:30 A.M. March 31, 1937, to the care of Dr. Dady, who was called to deceased's home at 6 A.M. that day. Deceased is reported as having been financially worried. Remains were viewed at Welander's.

Wounds: (1) right side of head, a large infected wound, 1½ in. forward from ear and one inch above ear; 2½ in. long, 1½ in. wide at center, irregular edges and tissues sloughing beneath edges; stitches are present. (2) A small opening, perhaps the wound of exit 1/2 in. over left eyebrow; strips of gauze present in both wounds.

Died May 3, 1937, at 11:55 P.M.

Deceased's wife found deceased unconscious in bed in his bedroom shortly before 6 A.M. He was bleeding from two gunshot wounds in the head and from his nose. The bullet was found on the floor by one of the sons and given to Austin Norton, a son, who gave the same to Captain Paradeau. The shell was also found. The children, Austin, Frank, Doris and Douglas were all home at the time of the tragedy. The wife found the gun on the bed beside the deceased. Insurance policies and will were found on top of his desk the next day. No notes were found.

Capt. Paradeau stated that the gun was a Colt Automatic No. 32. He was unable to trace the gun.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN NEUMAN

Date May 4.

Place of Death	Eden Prairie Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Hopkins, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.30 cash; 1 watch (Westclox).
Age	70 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Farm hand		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	J. F. Neuman, son
Undertaker	Walter A. Anderson	Address	3925 27th Avenue South

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REMARKS:

Deceased worked as a farm laborer for Mrs. Anna Haberman. She says deceased has appeared tired and exhausted but has not complained. At 11:30 A.M. deceased was plowing a garden spot one-half mile east of the junction of highways 5 and 169 in Eden Prairie Township on a farm adjoining Mrs. Haberman's and belonging to R. J. Long. Oscar Anderson, a neighbor, was leading the horses when suddenly deceased called out "Whoa" and then dropped to the ground. In a few minutes he was dead. Dr. Buck of Shakopee arrived.

The body was brought to Hennepin County Morgue by John Anderson, Morgue Superintendent, at 1:30 P.M. May 4th and identified by the son, John Neuman, a police officer, 3925 27th Avenue South, at 2:30 P.M. A wife lives at 2022 Riverside Avenue. Deceased did not live with her.

Body viewed at County Morgue by Deputy Coroner Callerstrom.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWIN JERNBERG ~~UNKNOWN-MAN-JOHN-DOE-#59-~~

Date May 4.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	2115 E. 24th Street	Inquest	No
Residence	2812 27th Avenue South ~~Unknown~~	Effects Taken in Charge	~~None~~ $.15 cash; 3 streetcar tokens; 1 Bank Book #17978 Minnehaha Natl., balance $56.54; Copy of inventory Johanna Jernberg estate; Deed to Chicago Cemetery lot; 7 receipts; 2 letters; Deed to Oak Woods Cem. #6838; American watch; chain; Naturalization papers for Andren Jernberg; Cook County letters of Testamentary; 1 key; Will dated Apr.18,1925; Fire Ins. policy #249627 Northern Insurance Co.; 2 Memo for agreement extension of loan.
Age	63 ~~About 50~~ Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Birthplace	~~Unknown~~ Chicago, Ill.		
Occupation	~~Unknown~~ Recorder - office		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Hemorrhage from jugular vein --		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	Cut by glass in falling on to		Above effects delivered to Lillian J. Weber, Daughter, 1065 W. Market, Lima, Ohio.
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	a window.		
Place of Burial	Chicago, Illinois ~~University of Minnesota~~	~~Effects~~ delivered to	4 keys found in possession of deceased Selma Erickson, 2812 27th Ave. So., belonging to her.
Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary ~~John A. Anderson~~	Address	C/o. for burial to Albinson Mortuary.

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REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance from 2200 East 24th Street. Dr. Larson was on the ambulance. Admitted 9:28 P.M. Attended by Dr. Hays. Died at 10:30 P.M. May 4th. Dr. Hays states that deceased was moribund from hemorrhage on admittance. Admitting diagnosis was multiple lacerations of the neck. Dr. Larson says that the odor of alcohol was very strong.

The body was taken to the Hennepin County Morgue and examined. Deceased is large featured, has large round, ruddy face, weighs 200 lbs., height six feet, blue eyes, dark hair slightly grey, has a good deal of gold work on his teeth. Police have no previous record of fingerprints.

There are numerous lacerations about the face and neck; wound three inches long from chin to right; wound two inches long, very deep on left neck, this wound cuts the jugular; wound on chin 3/4 in.; wound over right eye 1 x 1/2 in.; wound back of left ear 3/4 in. x 1/2 in. deep; small wound on right ear; bruises 1 x 3/4 on left knee; three bruises of right elbow.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Neider, 2200 E. 24th Street, saw deceased walkingwest on the opposite side of the street from their home on 24th Street. He staggered as though intoxicated. Outside of a corner grocery store at 2115 E. 24th Street, he stumbled and fell striking his head on and through a window pane on a small basement window below the large window of the store. The window pane was about 12 x 16 inches and one of three of that window. He bled profusely and pieces of glass were taken out of the store by Chas. Turnball, 3253 35th Ave. So. Deceased was alone on the sidewalk when he fell. Mrs. Margaret E. Sullivan and Miss Florence Riley were inside the store and heard the crash. Deceased mumbled something and said, "Call Charley Carlson."

Deceased was identified May 17, 1937, by Dr. Stanley Holmes, 2954 Chicago Avenue, or 3825 35th Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN M. FREK, also known as FERECK — Date Found May 5,

Place of Death	1401 Main Street N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1401 Main Street N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Poland		
Occupation	Cement Worker		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	R. P. Bertch	Address	

REMARKS:

Case reported by Dr. Polzak. Body viewed at home. The wife states that deceased came home at about nine P.M. May fourth. He ate a very heavy meal and had been drinking. He appeared sick and lay down on the bed without removing his overcoat or clothing. This morning at six A.M. the wife found him dead in bed. On April 17th deceased had an attack of asthma or difficult breathing and very severe pains in the chest. He then started to drink and has kept it up since. Dr. Lapierre, Sr., attended him then.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROBERT J. HENDERSON — Date May 5

Place of Death	City Jail	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	45 Washington Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Watch (Bull's Eye); 1 pr. Spectacles & case.
Age	51 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Iowa		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Dickens, Iowa	~~Effects~~ delivered to	Clothes Mrs. Fred F. Christensen, Sister
Undertaker	Amor,& Co.	Address	301 Lincoln St. Austin, Minn.

Other effects Rites on Morgue Record

Effects sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937. Proceeds to County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead in his cell, No. 1, at 8:15 P.M. May 5, 1937, by Jailer C. W. Smith, who states that he last saw him presumably alive, lying on his cot, at 6:30 P.M. He was arrested at 3:00 A.M. May 5, 1937, at No. 8 South Second Street, by Oscar Larson and Russell, with a charge of being drunk. He was taken to court the morning of May fifth, 1937, but had to be taken back to his cell because of illness. He had been arrested six times previously, the first time being in 1930.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HERBERT GILMAN

Date May sixth.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	4448 41st Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	4448 41st Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	85 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Cleveland, Ohio		
Occupation	Retired (Old Age Pension)		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of the right condyle of the mandible due to fall on floor, with chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Other effects sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
R Undertaker	Barney Anderson & Son	Address	To County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937. P

none except listed in Morgue Record

Unionsuit & 1 pr. stockings to undertaker for burial.

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought into the Minneapolis General Hospital by Social Service Car at 11:30 A.M. April 29th, 1937. Admitted by Dr. LaBree, attended by Drs. H. P. Nelson and Bodesky. He died at 9:55 A.M. May sixth, 1937.

Mrs. Fanny E. Richards, who operates the boarding home in which he stayed, stated that he had not been away from the house for some time; that he frequently fell down, and that about a week before he went to the hospital she found him with his head on the floor and his feet up onthe bed, having apparently fallen out of bed. A fractured right condyle of the mandible was diagnosed at the hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HENRI GASTON DESOMBRE

Date May 7.

Place of Death	#6 Grove Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	#6 Grove Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	69 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Calais, France		
Occupation	Cabinet Maker		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Joe Billman Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased lived with his daughter, Mrs. John Boxendale. He had had attacks of difficult breathing for some time. This evening he came in and sat down in a chair in another attack. He expired at 6:20 P.M.

Body viewed at Joe Billman's by deputy coroner.

City Hospital doctors arrived after death.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MABEL ARNELIA ANDERSON Date Found May 8.

Place of Death	Golden Valley Village	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Golden Valley Village, R.F.D., St. Louis Park, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	1 ring.
Age	39 Sex Female		to Herbert L. Anderson, Husband by Louis Virginia Anderson, Daughter St. Louis Park, Rt.#9
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Carbon monoxide poisoning from		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	automobile exhaust.		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Herbert L. Anderson, Husband
Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	St. Louis Park, Minn.

REMARKS:

Deceased lived with her family, husband and six children. The baby was born in January, 1937. Since that time she has been very despondent, and yesterday inquired of the son, Herbert, Jr., if an automobile engine running would continue to run until all gas was gone.

This morning at six A.M. Herbert, Jr. (14) went to the automobile parked in the yard in the rear of the home and found deceased slumped down beside the rear seat and the engine in the car running. There was a garden hose attached to the exhaust pipe and conducted into the window of the car. A coupling made of an inner tube and sewed with string connected the exhaust pipe with the hose. Newspaper was stuffed in the cracks around the windows of the car. Herbert notified his father, Herbert, Sr., who after eating some breakfast brought the body in the car to Third Avenue and the Minneapolis Court house and called police. Police turned the case over to Deputy Sheriff Lofgren and the body was taken in the same car to the Hennepin County Mortuary.

She was last seen alive by the family at ten P.M. May seventh. When found she was clad in a house dress and evening slippers. The body is very pink as from gas poisoning.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES KENNETH WILLIAMS Date May 8.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	2224 Fremont Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	20 South 11th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	25 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Gilcrist, Illinois		
Occupation	Student - N.W. Bible School		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of skull due to		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	fall off ladders.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary Co.	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted May sixth, 1937 at 10:35 A.M. by Dr. Egil Hansen. Brought in ambulance #1 from 2224 Fremont Avenue South, where deceased was washing windows and putting on screens. Deceased was working for Mrs. Cora Brown, 2224 Fremont Avenue South. A crash was heard about ten A.M. May sixth by a neighbor, A. C. Austin, 2300 Fremont Avenue South. He ran out to investigate and found deceased lying unconscious on the ground south of 2224 Fremont Avenue South. He called Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance. There were no witnesses to the accident itself. Two parts of a ladder had fallen. One of the projecting ends at each end of the smaller ladder was broken. It is possible that the hooks at the lower end of the smaller ladder were not secured to the larger ladder, and as the ladder slipped deceased lost his balance and fell approximately ten or twelve feet.

Injuries: Much bleeding from the right ear; severe contusion of right shoulder; fracture of right clavicle; swollen and bruised area about the left hip.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at the Minneapolis General Hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALICE MILLER — Date May eighth

Place of Death	3201 Irving Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2403 Lyndale Ave. So.	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.55 cash;
Age	67 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Industry, Illinois		
Occupation	Bakery Owner		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
		Other effects listed in Morgue Record	
Place of Burial	Industry, Illinois	Effects delivered to	Clo. Mrs. Nannie Sherbin, Sister Macomb, Illinois
Undertaker	T. F. Saholt, Minneapolis	Address	Noah Hickman, Nephew Macomb, Illinois

REMARKS:

The deceased was employed as a maid or housekeeper at the above address by Mr. W. O. Hawkins and his wife. They stated that they had obtained her through a Unity Center religious organization and that she had just come there the night before. She suddenly collapsed while mashing potatoes in the kitchen at 7:00 P.M. on the above date and died shortly after.

Dr. W. King of 800 Physicians & Surgeon's Building, pronounced her dead.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALBERT JOHN CHATTERTON — Date May 9.

Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1205 W. Myrtle Street Stillwater, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	66 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Canada		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~	Acute hemorrhagic inflammation		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	of gastro-intestinal tract due to		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	ammonia water - undetermined		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	as to accident or suicide.		
Place of Burial	Stillwater, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Simonet Funeral Home, Stillwater	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to University Hospital and admitted at 10 A.M. today. He died at 10:15 A.M. Attended by Dr. Mattison. Following the autopsy Dr. E. T. Bell notified the coroner. About 1:30 A.M. today deceased's daughter Gertrude heard moaning and found her father in collapse on the stairway. He vomited blood, was taken to a hospital in Stillwater and attended by Dr. Josewski, who referred him to the University Hospital in Minneapolis.

As far as is known, deceased was in good health and was planning to work in his garden today. Information received from Mrs. Mary Chatterton, widow, through Simonet Funeral Home, Stillwater, indicates that deceased had been well and that for three days last week he used ammonia water in cleaning windows. That on May eighth he asked his wife to use something else because he disliked the odor of ammonia. That the bottle containing ammonia was placed on a high shelf and untouched since May 7th. Correspondence on file.

Body viewed by Deputy Coroner at University Hospital and certificate signed there.

Toxicological report dated May 18th, 1937, on file.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARVIN BROWN

Date May 9.

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3440 22nd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	25 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Assembly line - Ford Motor Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Strychnine poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Braham, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Julius Sloan saw deceased at the address above shortly before 10 A.M. today and sent for an ambulance. Deceased was admitted to Deaconess Hospital about 10:30 A.M., and died at 10: 50 A.M. today. Dr. Sloan said deceased had a convulsion at the house which he saw; in the ambulance he was said to have had convulsions and died in a convulsion.

Mrs. J. H. Farkell, 3440 22nd Avenue South, told deputy coroner that deceased was in bed all day yesterday and complained of dizziness; that she was awakened at 5:30 A.M. today by his screaming; that she got him an electric pad, urged him to have a doctor, but he didn't want one. Finally Dr. Sloan was called. Deceased complained of no pain, chiefly dizziness. Dr. Youbert Johnson in the past had attended him and states that deceased was very neurotic and had insomnia. Drs. Julius Johnson and Witham and other doctors had attended him.

Portions of tissue and stomach contents are to be examined by pharmacology department at University of Minnesota for strychnine. Mrs. Ellen Olson, mother of deceased, lives in Braham, Minnesota. An uncle, Albert Wicklund, lives at 5245 Beard Avenue South (Wa. 1670).

After some investigation and questioning a letter was finally turned over to the coroner by Albert Wicklund on June 15, 1937, which gives motive for suicide. (Copy of letter on file, also correspondence with mother).

Toxicologist, Dr. Brown, reports that he found strychnine present in the stomach contents and tissues which he examined.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BABY JEAN FUHRMAN

Date May 10.

Place of Death	Vocational Hospital, 5511 Lyndale Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1034 Fourth Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	7 months Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Infant		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Congenital hydrocephalus.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

The child was born October fifth, 1936, to Martha Fuhrman, 1034 Fourth St. No. Hennepin County Welfare Board has been looking after this case and brought the child to the Vocational Hospital on May eighth, 1937 at 11 A.M. for care. Its serious condition was recognized and death was expected. Superintendent of hospital, Miss H. B. Brown is the informant.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at embalmer's.

On May eighth, 1937 deceased was referred by Dr. Desmond Thysell, General Hospital physician at Clinic to Vocational Hospital. Dr. John Silver accompanied the ambulance in answer to a call from Vocational Hospital on May 10th, 1937, but deceased was dead when he reached the hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN P. O'BRIEN Date May 10.

Place of Death	224 Fremont Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	10½ Fifth Street N.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.03 cash; billfold; watch (Elgin); chain; Minneapolis General Hospital out-patient dept. card for 1936; Leader, Inc. sales slip; WPA form #02 notice to report for work on project, ident. #2788-8456, case #18290; receipts; letters; paper.
Age	About 50 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Distributor - advertising.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic morphine poisoning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Unionsuit, day shirt, tie, coat, vest, pants - delivered to Knaeble Company - (to be used for burial.)
R Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	James O'Brien, Brother 1617 North Fifth Street

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Mrs. Alvin H. Mesalk, resident of the above address, said she had known the deceased for about six or eight years, and that he was addicted to morphine. She said that he came to the house the evening of May sixth, 1937, and asked if he could stay there for a while in order to break his habit. She agreed and so he returned the next evening with his clothes. On May eighth, 1937, he was very weak and stayed in bed. He was last seen alive shortly after midnight on May tenth, 1937, by Mrs. Mesalk who said he was breathing heavily. He was found dead by her at 7:00 A.M.

Deceased had his last hypo of morphine on May eighth, 1937, when according to Mrs. Mesalk he dissolved the last of his supply and injected it into his vein with an eyedropper which he had converted into a syringe.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES J. GRIFFIN Date May 10.

Place of Death	52½ East Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	52½ East Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.63 cash; billfold; spectacles and case; key; letter; Men's Bureau, 204 North 2nd St., investigator card No. 2414.
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Lawler, Iowa		
Occupation	Shipping room helper - whol. fruit.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Pulmonary tuberculosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Nell T. Griffin, Sister
C Undertaker	J. M. Gleason	Address	2322 Garfield Avenue South

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased was on old age pension. He formerly lived at Salvation Army. Has roomed here about three months. He has been sick, coughed a great deal and would have hemorrhages from his mouth. The body is quite emaciated. He was seen today at 9 A.M. by Bill Riley and Joseph J. Piccard, and found dead in bed at 12:30 P.M. by Charles Monseth. The body is lying in bed fully clad. Blood is on the floor and in a pail by his bed. A sister, Nell T. Griffin, lives at 2322 Garfield Avenue South.

Officers Weinert and Mattison.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HERBERT SHARP, SR. Date May 10.

Place of Death	3901 Upton Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3901 Upton Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Toronto, Canada		
Occupation	Potato Buyer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had been working in the yard of his house at the above address with his daughter, Mrs. G. Roos of the same address, when he suddenly collapsed at about 2:55 P.M. and died about 3 P.M.

According to Mrs. Roos and the wife of the deceased, he had been very dyspnoeic for some time and had an edema of the ankles. Around noon the day of his death he had had to come into the house because of severe dyspnoea. He had had a period of illness in October, 1936, which the family thought was a slight stroke, but no doctor attended him.

Dr. S. Samuelson of 3126 Penn Avenue North pronounced death.

Officers Didrickson and Haglund.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY A. McARDLE Date May 11.

Place of Death	Northwestern Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs.
Place of Accident	On Franklin Avenue between Garfield & Lyndale Ave. S.	Inquest	No
Residence	2012 Garfield Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	69 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Frazee, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~	Terminal lobar pneumonia following fracture of left femur due to fall on icy sidewalk		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted March 12, 1937, at 9:15 A.M. to the care of Drs. Robert Rizer and Fritzell. Dr. Myron Henry was called as consultant. She died today at 2:20 P.M.

Deceased fell on Franklin Avenue between Garfield Avenue and Lyndale Avenue South on March 12th, 1937, slipping on ice. Dr. Henry operated deceased on March 29th, 1937, to remove head of left femur.

Deceased was alone when she fell, part way up the hill. Eldridge S. Chase, son-in-law, 1820 Stevens Avenue, Apartment 30, is informant.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALFRED WHITE Date May 11th.

Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy
Place of Accident	Northfield, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	Northfield, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	England		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Kicked by horse -		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of left femur with		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~	empyema		
Place of Burial	Northfield, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Wm. P. Bierman, Northfield	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted to University Hospital at 7:45 P.M. on March 27th, 1937. Attended by Drs. Wangensteen, Bergh and Koschnitzke. Died at 9:50 P.M. today. Was kicked on his left hip by a horse on his own farm at 5 P.M. March 27th. Dr. Wilson of Northfield applied temporary splints and sent him to University Hospital, Minneapolis.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at University Hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME UNKNOWN MAN, JOHN DOE No. 59 Date May 12.

Place of Death	On street 301 Washington Avenue North	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	Unknown	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Hamilton watch; 1 Elgin watch; 1 Knife; chain. Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Age	About 50 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Unknown		
Occupation	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Probably struck by automobile Crushing injuries of chest with		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~	hemorrhage, and compound fracture		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~	of left leg.		
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937.

REMARKS:

Some people on Washington Avenue North noticed the body of deceased lying on street outside of 301 Washington Avenue North and called police at 12:08 A.M. May 12th. When deputy coroner arrived, the body was still on the street, lying face and stomach down, feet on the outer (west) rail of the southbound streetcar track, body at an angle toward south. Apparently death had been instant. There was a small pool of blood three feet from the rail beneath the head of deceased.

Ole Grudt, 2852 21st Avenue South, streetcar operator of a Minnehaha Plymouth northbound car, stated to police that as he stood still waiting for passengers on the south crossing of Third Avenue he noticed a man walking across Washington Avenue from the east. Mr. Grudt stated he drove his streetcar on a block north, or to the bridge, and then stopped and came back to the scene. No eyewitness to the accident appeared. Autopsy did not reveal any odor of alcohol. Officers Mehner and Kevelin investigated for police department.

Ole Grudt stated to coroner that he had worked for the streetcar company for nineteen years. That about 12:02 A.M. on May 12th he saw a man crossing Washington Avenue about twenty-five feet ahead of him, going from east to west. Shortly after he had passed him he saw an automobile going south and he heard a noise or an impact. He stopped his car at Fourth Avenue N. opposite a gas filling station. He looked back and saw the man lying on the street about one hundred feet from Third Avenue on the west side of the south bound track. He said he had four passengers on the car. He states positively that his car did not strike the man.

Description: Height 5ft. 9 in.; weight 160 lbs.; dark brown hair, partly bald; blue eyes; medium complexion; medium build; poor teeth; straight nose; wore grey shirt label J.C. Penny; brown cap label Columbia Haberdashery, 104 Washington Av. S.; dark coat with grey and red stripe, no label; dark blue vest with grey pencil stripe; dark blue pants; black knit tie; blue handkerchief; black heavy work shoes with full rubber heel; had Union Leader tobacco sack.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NYRIL C. MALLON Date May 12.

Place of Death	Star of Bethlehem Home, St. Louis Park	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3745 Bryant Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	45 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Aurora, Illinois		
Occupation	Radio artist		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Mitral stenosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted to Star of Bethlehem Home May ninth, 1937, and was attended by Mrs. Alice Travis, 5132 Aldrich Avenue South, Christian Science practitioner. She died at 3 P.M. today.

Deceased had previously been a patient of Dr. Donald McCarthy who diagnosed her trouble mitral stenosis. He had not attended her, however, since January. Body viewed by coroner at Enger's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALPHONSE SEURER Date May 13.

Place of Death	Eitel Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Hobbs
Place of Accident	1 mile west from New Prague, Minn., Hwy #19.	Inquest	No
Residence	New Market, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	27 Sex Male		
Birthplace	New Market Township, Scott Co., Minnesota		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of neck with severing of spinal cord.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	New Market, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	T. M. Simmer, New Prague, Minn.	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted at 3:45 A.M. on May 12th, 1937 to the care of Drs. George Eitel and Archa Wilcox. He was referred to Eitel Hospital by Dr. Mertz of New Prague, Minn. Died at 12:15 A.M. today. The accident occurred about 2 A.M. on May 12th on state highway No. 19, one mile west from New Prague. Deceased and his two sisters were on their way home after having visited his fiance. Dr. Eitel has a version of the accident from the sisters who say that they were on the proper side of the road. A farmer, driving in the opposite direction on the wrong side of the highway, collided head-on with deceased's car.

Letter 5-25-37 on file from H. A. Irwin, County Attorney of Scott County, States that Frank H. Bastyr who lives on Trunk Highway #13, 1½ miles north of New Prague, was driving west on trunk highway #19 when he collided with the car driven by deceased going in the opposite direction. He further states that the surface of the road was 33 ft. wide and marks showed that the cars collided seven feet from the south edge of the road; that left front fenders, headlights, and wheels of both cars were damaged almost identically.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROBERT HUTCHCROFT, JR. Date May 13.

Place of Death	In automobile on Lyndale Ave. So. at about 54th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Dr. Gustave Schwyzer's farm, Dakota County, Minnesota.	Inquest	No
Residence	Lamoni, Iowa	Effects Taken in Charge	$30.03 cash; billfold; key; identification card; Social Security act card acct #483-01-7127; Chauffeur's license, State of Ia. #C-280; Chauffeur's License State of Iowa #C-8280; receipts.
Age	37 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sperry, DesMoines, Iowa.		
Occupation	Tractor operator on farm		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	-- Caterpillar tractor. Crushing injuries to chest.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lamoni, Iowa	Effects delivered to	Rollin S. White, Lamoni, Iowa, By order of
H Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	Lucy E. Hutchcroft, Mother of Deceased.

Other effects listed on Morgue Records

REMARKS:

Dr. P.J. Schultz notified deputy coroner that he saw deceased in Manning's Drug Store at 54th & Lyndale Avenue South about 2:20 P.M. today, and that he was dead. Lee Baird, foreman of farm hands for Dr. Gustav Schwyzer, brought deceased in his automobile from Dr. Schwyzer's farm and stopped at 54th & Lyndale Avenue South to see a doctor.

About 1:30 P.M. deceased was backing a tractor to a loading platform, a job he had been working at a few days, when he went too far and too fast and was caught between the loading platform and the steering bar of the tractor. One witness, Alfred Sanford, called for help and three other farm hands responded, foreman Lee Baird, Albert Engel and Walter Anderson.

Deceased was taken to the Hennepin County Morgue. Injuries: lower portion of sternum fractured, and also ribs to the right of lower sternum.

Dr. G. Schwyzer's farm is across the Minnesota River in Dakota County.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM GREEHLING Date May 13.

Place of Death	Greenwood Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Greenwood Township	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	43 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Greenwood Township, Minn.		
Occupation	Farming		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	By hanging		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Greenwood Township, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Peterson, Buffalo, Minn.	Address	

REMARKS:

The father of the deceased, August Greehling, who owns the farm on which the deceased was staying, stated that the deceased has been having "nervous" trouble, and has been unable to sleep. About a month ago he attempted to commit suicide by Lysol poisoning following which he was placed in the Homewood Hospital for a rest for about a week. He was also examined at the Veterans' Hospital as he was a veteran, and the family was advised to place him in the Government Hospital at St. Cloud, Minn., and papers for that purpose were being prepared.

August Greehling was with the deceased all morning and at noon working around the farm. He last saw him about 1:30 P.M. and went to look for him about 2:30 P.M. when he found him hanging in the barn. Deceased had fastened a rope around a rafter and placed the noose around his neck. The father climbed up and released the noose.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GUY S. AMADON

Date May 14.

Place of Death	10 Washington Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	10 Washington Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$.30 cash; Farmers' & Mechanics Savings Bank book #3070 showing balance of $60.25; Honorable Discharge from U.S. Army 486112; Div. of Public Relief certification of physical examination - file #HMB 3231 status 82-1
Age	About 59 Sex Male		
Birthplace	New York State		
Occupation	Barber		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Hemorrhage from gastric ulcer.	Other effects Notes re Morgue Record	(To be destroyed by order of sister)
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Lawrence S. Clark, Niece 1125 Washburn Ave. So.,
R Undertaker	Burd P. Johnston	Address	By order of Mrs. Villette A. Stoddard Sister, Glendale, Ohio.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead about 6:00 A.M. May 14, 1937, by the landlady, Mrs. Ethel Litherland, who went down the hall to light the gas in the bathroom and saw the open door with the deceased lying across the bed, his feet on the floor. He was last seen alive at 3:00 A.M. by Abe Huntinger of the same address. Huntinger told police that the deceased had fallen out of bed and that he helped him in bed and gave him water.

He had been having treatments at the Minneapolis General Hospital for a stomach ulcer. There was a profuse amount of "coffee-ground" bloody vomitus in the room.

Officer Tulley.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK C. SMALL

Date May 14.

Place of Death	3517 Third Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3517 Third Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	80 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway, Maine		
Occupation	Building Contractor		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Norway, Maine	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Burd P. Johnston	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. E. L. Meyer gave coroner the information that deceased had been under his care, but not since last fall. This morning deceased started to go to the bathroom but died suddenly on the way. His wife called Dr. Meyer about seven A.M. but deceased was dead when he arrived.

Body viewed at Burd Johnston's.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN NELSON

Date May 14.

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	4530 35th Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	4530 35th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Shipping clerk - Chase Bag Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of left femur due to fall on floor following cerebral thrombosis with right hemiplegia.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted May 11th, 1937, at 9 P.M. to the care of Dr. W. F. Widen. Died at 12:45 P.M. today.

On May 11th, 1937, deceased slipped and fell in his own home. History of several attacks of hemiplegia. Dr. Widen had attended him previously.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANNA A. COOK

Date May 14.

Place of Death	3033 Second Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3033 Second Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	70 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Keokuk, Iowa		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Burd Johnston	Address	

REMARKS:

Information from Orren H. Cook, son, 124 W. 33rd Street. Dr. Robert Williams notified the coroner. Deceased had an apartment downstairs and had been seen in the forenoon. This afternoon other people in the house found her dead. She was seated, slumped in a rocker, fully clothed, and had apparently expired without a struggle.

Body viewed at Burd Johnston's Undertaking parlors.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY JANE PETRIE

Date May 15.

Place of Death	801 E. 32nd Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	801 E. 32nd Street	Inquest	No
Residence	801 E. 32nd Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	83 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Buffalo, New York		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Fracture of hip due to fall on		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~	floor - Generalized arterio		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~	sclerosis - Senility		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Johnson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased lived with her daughter, Mrs. Stella Smith. She has been poorly for some time and the body is quite emaciated. Ten weeks ago she fell on the floor at home and fractured her right hip. She died May 15, 1937 at 7 A.M.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at undertakers.

She had been attended by Dr. J. R. Sturre, who was interviewed by telephone.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD GUILBERT ROBINSON

Date May 15.

Place of Death	4001 Queen Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4001 Queen Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	70 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Dubuque, Iowa		
Occupation	Christian Science practitioner.		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Arterio sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Miss Abigail Thompson, Christian Science healer, stated that deceased had been ill and confined to bed since April 20th but he has been failing in health for some time. He was under Miss Thompson's treatment since April 20th. He died at 6:35 A.M.

Body viewed at Thomson-Nelson's Funeral home.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BENJAMIN CRAIG Date May 16.

	Place of Death	534 Girard Avenue North	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	534 Girard Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None except listed on Morgue Record (No value)
	Age	52 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Germany		
	Occupation	Station agent - Luce Lines		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Clothes destroyed 12/1/37
R	Undertaker	Gill Bros. Mortuary	Address	By John Anderson, Morgue Keeper.

REMARKS:

The wife of the deceased, Lillian Craig of the same address, stated that the deceased had been in good health. At 10:30 P.M. May 15th, 1937, he turned on the gas water heater which is in the kitchen and which has no vent attached.

At midnight, Mrs. Craig and her son Robert began to feel ill and to vomit and she said that there was an odor of gas in the house so the heater was turned off. At 3:30 A.M. the deceased also became ill and tried to vomit. She talked to him last about 5:15 A.M. and then went into another room. When she returned at 5:30 he was apparently dead and did not respond.

The son Robert called the fire department who in turn called the Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and police.

Mrs. A. J. Harris, who lives upstairs, says she was called by the son at 5:45 A.M. and that when she came down she detected an odor of gas.

Officers Alsager and Sjolander.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THOMAS ARNETT Date May 16.

	Place of Death	Found Main & 2nd Ave. N.E.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident	100 ft. east of viaduct at 2nd St. N.E. & Great Northern tracks	Inquest	No
	Residence	Unknown	Effects Taken in Charge	$.40 cash; 1 knife. Less .20 telephone charges Bal. $.20 Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Age	About 51 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Iowa		
	Occupation	Laborer		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Train Accident	Mangling of body		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	County Farm	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction Dec. 15, 1937.
R	Undertaker	John Anderson	Address	To County Treas. Dec. 17, 1937. P

REMARKS:

According to police, Brakeman R. A. Gurney who was on the train, saw the deceased attempt to climb on the train but apparently slipped and fell underneath, one hundred feet east of the viaduct at Second Street N.E. and Great Northern tracks. He was dragged to Main Street and Second Avenue N.E., a distance of about five hundred feet.

The train was an Omaha freight with about 65 cars, No. 190, engine 412. Engineer Ginther, Conductor Thale, Fireman Rahun. Another brakeman was Skidmore. Special agent, W. L. Krusell of 914 Union Street, St. Paul, was present when the coroner arrived. The train was travelling west. The accident occurred at 8:50 A.M.

Officers Nord and Mattison.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ERLAND JOHN CARLSON Date May 16.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Soderville, Highway #65 Anoka County, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	Soderville, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	4 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Burnett County, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull and leg.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Anoka, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	C. B. Thurston, Anoka	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Swedish Hospital by private car and admitted at 2 P.M. May 16th. Attended by Dr. Geo. H. Schlesselman of Anoka, house physician Dr. Flink and Dr. Koiker.

Sheriff Olson of Anoka made the statement to hospital attendants and the father John Carlson to deputy coroner, that at 10:30 A.M. May 16th deceased was on the highway No. 65 on Cambridge and Braham road, at a place 300 ft. from the father's confectionery store at Soderville, Minn., when he was struck by a car coming toward Minneapolis driven by Ward DePew, 4401 Zenith Ave. So., Minneapolis. Mr. DePew in attempting to avoid accident, drove into the ditch and turned over. Deceased was rendered unconscious and did not regain. Death occurred at 10:19 P.M. May 16th. Body viewed at Swedish Hospital shortly after death. There is a sutured laceration extending from the forehead and across the head to occiput, a ragged laceration to forehead, wide scraping abrasions to both malar regions of face. The fibula and tibia of right leg are fractured at the middle, and right knee bruised.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME VALENTINE HANDZEL, also known as WILLIAM HANSELL Date May 16.

Place of Death	119 Third Avenue N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	119 Third Avenue N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Poland		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Kapala Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS: Deceased was on relief. He has roomed here two years or more. The landlady, Mrs. Piersak, who was interviewed, says that deceased has complained of pains in the chest several days and she wanted to call a doctor but he refused. This morning at 4:20 A.M. deceased was on his way to the bathroom when he dropped dead on the floor. She called Mr. Kapala, undertaker, who came and brought the body to his place and did not notify the coroner until noon May 16th. Body was viewed at undertaker's May 17th by deputy coroner.

Dr. Neary of General Hospital ambulance saw the body after death. Deceased was taking medicine from a box from General Hospital, prescription No. 601843 and labeled cardiac 4 - Dr. Gates, but the hospital has no record of anyone by his name. His brother-in-law, E. Obeznt, lives at 334 16th Avenue N.E.

Mrs. Piersak says she has been paying premium for deceased on a $240.00 Metropolitan Life Insurance policy.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THOMAS HANLEY

Date Found May 17.

Place of Death	Found 6th Ave.S.E. and Mississippi River	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Union City Mission	Effects Taken in Charge	$8.00 cash; knife.
Age	78 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Shieldsville, Minnesota.		Other effects listed in Morgue Record (No value)
Occupation	Teamster		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	By drowning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Shieldsville, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	Martin Hanley, Brother
Undertaker	Frank McCarthy Faribault, Minn.	Address	Kilkenny, Minn.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead today at 3:45 P.M. by George Du Charm, 3837 35th Avenue South, employee of Northern States Power Company. He saw an object caught before the racks at St. Anthony Falls lower dam plant Water Power Company. Officers P. R. Brock and R. J. Olson were present. Deceased was identified at the County Morgue by David Sutter, Union City Mission and August Anderson, 121 Nicollet Avenue. Deceased was missing since May 11th. George Claus, 22 Grove St., reported to police that on May 11th, 1937, at 6:40 A.M. he saw a man jump from the Hennepin Avenue bridge, old and bald. Deceased is that man. Officers Kevelin and Mehner investigated at that time.

A brother, Martin Hanley, lives near Faribault, Minnesota.

Deceased was fully dressed, was bald. The skin had peeled off the head. An open skull fracture was seen at the top of the head in the left frontal-parietal region.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EARL K. BLOMBERG

Date May 16.

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Near Nicols, Dakota County, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	4546 15th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	31 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Superior, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Oil Station Attendant		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Gun shot wound of left chest		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	and left arm		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted 9:40 P.M. treated by Dr. Joe Neal; died 11:15 P.M. E. A. Marshall deceased's father-in-law, stated to coroner that deceased had a day's vacation; that deceased left home at one P.M. to go out hunting and practice-shooting. He took his Winchester pump gun along. Hunting was his hobby and he generally used to go to Minnesota River bottoms.

At about 7 P.M. Chas. G. Callan, prop. of Callan Meadows Club, stated to coroner that he heard two shots about ten minutes apart; that shortly after James Scott telephoned Mr. Callan that a Mrs. Brown had heard shots fired and shortly after that heard a man moaning. Mr. Callan sent his bartender, H. B. Stute, to look for the man. He said he found an automobile on Cedar Avenue. In it was an empty gun case. He did not find the moaning man and returned to the club. When he returned the moaning could be heard at the club, so he together with some others went down in the bottoms and found deceased about four or five hundred feet from the parked car. Deceased was bleeding profusely and unable to speak. The gun was lying near his body. He was placed in Norman car; Jim McCrank was with him in the rear seat; H. B. Stude on the running board. He recovered consciousness partly and said a few words in the car.

Accident occurred in Egan Township, Dakota County. Chas. E. Wallace, Dakota County deputy sheriff investigated accident (Cedar 1324). Deceased was found at about 8:30 P.M. Officers Foard and Swenson, squad car No. 63, met deceased at city limits and escorted private car to hospital. Night supervisor Palma Sivesind stated to coroner that coromine and adrenalin were given deceased, which revived him so he could give his own telephone number, also told her in the presence of Drs. Hursh and Haveland that he stumbled and fell and shot himself when falling.

Body viewed at Welander's. Powder-stained wound of left breast, about 6 in. long and 4 in. wide beginning two inches from midline, nipple gone; fracture of rib could be felt in wound. Another wound in left arm about seven inches long by 4 in. In this wound were wadding and buck shot. Muscles were lacerated and torn.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOEL CHARLES BURRINGTON Date May 19.

Place of Death	2423 28th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	2423 28th Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	2423 28th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	22 days Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	--		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Suffocation from bedclothes		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Prochek told coroner that he had attended the child at birth, that he was called to the home and the mother told him she took the little baby out of the crib at six A.M. to nurse it. She left it in bed with her. She went to sleep and when she woke up shortly afterward, she found the baby dead beside her. Her husband, the child's father, George Burrington, was sleeping in the same bed.

Body viewed at Albinson's. No marks of violence could be seen.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM J. DUNLEAVY Date May 19.

Place of Death	Lowry & Fillmore Str. N.E.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Lowry & Fillmore Str. N.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	1322 Lowry Avenue N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Ring
Age	32 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Surveyor - Henn. Co. Hwy Dept.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Automobile Fracture of skull.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Wm. J. Dunleavy, Wife
Undertaker	Stanley Kapala & Co.	Address	1322 Lowry Ave. N.E.

REMARKS:

Police were called at 4:35 A.M. Deceased riding alone, driving his own car going north on Fillmore Street, collided with a car going east on Lowry Avenue driven by R. C. Pasch, 4542 Dupont Avenue North. The car of deceased struck the front fender of the Pasch car and then turned around and struck a tree on the curb at the northeast corner. The body was thrown out of the car and death was immediate. Lowry is a through street, but Mr. Pasch states that deceased did not stop and was driving at a high speed.

The wife arrived on the scene and stated that deceased left home at 8:30 P.M. May 18th and did not come back. She was up ironing clothes and heard a crash at 4:33 A.M.

The autopsy did not reveal any alcohol.

The accident was witnessed by Wm. Scofield, 2528 Pierce St. N.E.

Officers Strand and West.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OLOF S. FLOREEN

Date Found May 19.

Place of Death	Lenox Hotel, 4th Ave.So. & Washington	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Lenox Hotel 403 Washington Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	83 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Contractor and builder		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

The daughter of deceased, Mrs. O. D. Anderson, 921 E. 24th Street, stated to coroner that her mother and father lived at Lenox Hotel, but occasionally she would take her mother out to her home for a few days. She brought her to her home May 14th and when she brought her back May 19th at 6 P.M. they found her father dead on the davenport. Beside him was a May 18th evening Tribune. Doors were all locked.

He was seen alive by the landlady Mrs. Archie Smith, on May 18th. Deceased had apparently been well. Mrs. Anderson expressed a wish that an autopsy not be held, as she was satisfied that death was due to natural causes.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MAGDALENE C. PATTISON

Date May 19.

Place of Death	2104 Fremont Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2104 Fremont Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	82 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Scotland		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x		
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS: Deceased died at 11:38 P.M. She was attended by Christian Science practitioner Mrs. Emma Leighton, West Hotel. Mrs. Bertha Tinnes was the attending nurse and stated to coroner that she was with deceased when she died, and had been with her constantly for two weeks. Deceased had difficulty in breathing especially when lying down.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: CHARLES L. STEWART — Date: May 19.

Place of Death	4115 21st Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Lake Mills, Iowa	Effects Taken in Charge	$15.25 cash; 1 United Brotherhood of Maintenance Card #24398; receipt; spectacles; Hamilton watch; 2 purses; 13 keys; 1 Chicago N.W. Railway pass #29650; 1 tire gauge.
Age	61 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Vermont		
Occupation	Painter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lake Mills, Iowa	Effects delivered to	Lloyd Stewart, Son
R Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	4920 Nokomis Avenue

REMARKS:

Deceased had arrived at his son Charles' residence, 4920 Nokomis Avenue, from his home, on May 18, 1937, for a visit. He was cutting the grass in the front yard of 4115 21st Avenue South when he suddenly collapsed at 6:20 P.M. May 19th, 1937. He had complained of pain in his chest after he had arrived on May 18th, 1937. He was dead on arrival of the General Hospital ambulance.

Officers Bongert and Bettinger.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: WALTER YUNDAK — Date: May 19.

Place of Death	5335 38th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	5335 38th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	31 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Canada		
Occupation	Printer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Joe Billman	Address	

REMARKS:

The wife of the deceased, Adeline, stated that she left the house at 6:00 P.M. May 19th, 1937, to go to a movie, leaving her husband and the two-year-old baby in the house. When she returned at 9:15 P.M. she smelled gas. She went down into the basement and found her husband face down on the floor, his face resting in a hat into which a tube from a gas pipe was leading, the gas being turned on. She shut off the gas and called the Minneapolis General Hospital who sent the fire department rescue squad. They attempted resuscitation but failed. Dr. Neary of the Minneapolis General Hospital pronounced death.

The wife stated that he had been very despondent and nervous since he lost his job six weeksago, and that on May 16th, 1937, she had found him attempting the same thing.

There was the characteristic pink color on the posterior surface of the body.

Officers C. A. Johnson and Clyde Seebock.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN HOLLAND

Date May 20.

Place of Death	1526 Adams Street N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1526 Adams Street N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 44 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Clarkfield, Minn.		
Occupation	Glazier - Smith-Wyman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	O. E. Larson	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was last seen alive at 8:45 A.M. by his sisters Olive and Anna. He was then in bed although he had been up for breakfast. When Olive returned at 10:15 A.M. she found the apartment (upstairs) full of gas. Deceased was lying dead on the floor of the bathroom, the gas jet on the wall turned on and a rubber tube six feet long attached to the jet led to his face. This tube had been kept in the attic. The jet opens very hard, and a claw hammer which had not been there before was on the stand below the jet, probably having been used for turning the jet.

Deceased was clothed in underwear pants and bedroom slippers. The body is pink as from gas poisoning. Miss Smith, next door, arrived and shut off the gas. Dr. Neary arrived, also Erick Anderson and Carl Forslund.

Deceased has not been well since injured in the war and this morning word came from the General Hospital that his father was critically ill. He has also been unhappy over a love affair and had made remarks along that line to his friend Carl Forslund.

The body was taken directly to the undertakers. No police officer present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN ALFRED McGUIRE

Date May 21.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	115 Washington Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	3213 East Lake Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	42 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Stationary Fireman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Fracture of ribs due to fall		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x	over stair railing.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	McDivitt Company	Address	

REMARKS: Deceased was brought by ambulance and Dr. Larson to Minneapolis General Hospital and admitted 12:34 A.M. May 15th, 1937. Dr. Larson states deceased was lying on the side of the stairway on second floor and he understood from the people there that deceased had fallen over the railing from third floor, though no one actually witnessed the fall. He was unconscious and made the statement as recorded on the hospital chart that he was in a fight and was hit on the back of his neck, and then knows nothing more. He died at 8:37 A.M. May 21, 1937. Officer Ralph Russell.

William Griffin, clerk, reports that Leo Rostratter, the night clerk, stood at his desk and saw deceased come past him a few moments before the fall. Deceased had registered May 13th for Room 93 on fourth floor and paid $6.00 for three weeks' rent. May 14th deceased was in his room drinking according to Mr. Griffin. Mr. E. Deakle, room 81, was sitting on the bed in his room next to the stairway and heard the fall and was immediately on the scene shortly after twelve midnight. Mike Aylard, room 83, also arrived. They heard no scuffling or fight of any kind. Deceased was on his way up to his room. His bed was made up and had not been disturbed. Deceased came in alone.

The body was lying beside the stairway on second floor. Deceased had apparently fallen over the railing from either third or fourth floor.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME IDA PARADIS Date May 22.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	1818 Third Street North	Inquest	No
Residence	1818 Third Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	47 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Waconia, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	2nd & 3rd degree burns of entire body due to explosion of kerosene while attempting to start fire in coal heater.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Sundseth Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance. She was unconscious. Admitted May 21, 1937 at 12:15 P.M.; died 3:50 A.M. May 22nd.

Prior to admission deceased tried to ignite a fire in the heating stove by pouring on kerosene from a can. The can exploded and blew out the bottom as the kerosene caught fire. Deceased with clothing on fire, ran downstairs and was met by Viola Muse on first floor and Charles Hughes, 1816½ Third St. No., who immediately rendered assistance.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Minneapolis General Hospital.

Officer Wenell reported details to coroner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY HEGGE Date May 22.

Place of Death	701 West Lake Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	LaCrosse, Wisconsin	Effects Taken in Charge	$13.37 cash; 3 pencils; 1 perfume bottle; 1 2¢ postage stamp; handbag; nail file; false teeth; 2 spectacles; 1 ring; 1 purse.
Age	66 Sex Female		
Birthplace	LaCrosse, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ xx			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	LaCrosse, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	W. E. Bennett, Son-in-law, 3220 Lyndale Avenue South by order of Mae Bennett, Daughter.
Undertaker	R. F. Burr	Address	

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Death occurred about 8:50 A.M. today. Deceased was about to use the telephone at Sanger's Cut Rate Drug Store when she collapsed. A clerk, Herbert Roufs, heard a noise behind the prescription counter and found deceased.

Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance came and Officer F. C. Michaelson was present. Late in the afternoon of the same day deceased was identified by a son-in-law, W. E. Bennett, 3220 Lyndale Avenue South, who told deputy coroner that deceased had left his home shortly before she died to go to Dr. Colds in Robbinsdale; that she had diabetes, hypertension and a weak heart; that she had complained of a pain in the left chest.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BERTHA BRECK Date May 22.

Place of Death	5540 15th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Waseca, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	81 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Housework		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Waseca, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Wallace Peterson, Waseca, Minn.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased came yesterday to visit Mrs. Nina Anderson, 5540 15th Avenue South, with the idea of seeking admission to the Ebenezer Home. She had dinner, complained of being ill, vomited, then sat down in chair and immediately collapsed. Dr. W. H. Ford was called, but arrived following the death of deceased and notified deputy coroner. Body was removed to Henry Anderson's undertaking parlors, where it was viewed by deputy coroner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WINNEFRED MATTESON Date May 22.

Place of Death	Ambulance enroute to Mpls. General Hosp. from 2548 Pleasant Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1517 Aldrich Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	66 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Maine		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had been staying at 2548 Pleasant Avenue, which is the Sunshine Rest Home, about one year. The owner of the rest home, Mrs. Breves, stated that she had been in fair health, that about midnight May 21st she suddenly became dyspnoeic and comatose. The General Hospital ambulance was called and arrived at 12:28 A.M. May 22nd. When the ambulance arrived at the hospital at 12:47 A.M. she was dead. Dr. Neary was on the ambulance.

Mrs. Rose Matteson, 1517 Aldrich Avenue North, daughter-in-law, stated that she was called by Mrs. Breves at 12:40 A.M. May 22nd and informed that she was ill. Otherwise she had thought her to be in fair health.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BETTY EISENBERG

Date May 23.

Place of Death	In auto in front of 2917 Lyndale Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3548 Portland Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	63 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Roumania		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Adath Jeshurun	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Hodroff Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was in the back seat of an automobile driven by her daughter-in-law Mrs. Wm. Eisenberg, 3449 Garfield. Jeanette Sanders, Mrs. Eisenberg's daughter, was also in the car. They were going north on Lyndale Avenue South when near Lake Street deceased uttered a peculiar sound, then slumped forward. Mrs. Eisenberg stopped the car in front of 2917 Lyndale Avenue South and Dr. E. E. Grove, veterinarian, pronounced her dead. Dr. Grove was in the office of Dr. Prouse at 2917 Lyndale Ave. So.

Deceased had been attended by Dr. Willard Peterson, who states that she had definite coronary disease.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NELS LOVELY

Date May 23.

Place of Death	600 West 32nd Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	600 West 32nd Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$.28 cash; ring; knife; chain; Mpls. Gen. Hosp out-patient dept. card # 96830; warranty deed; mortgage deed; contract for deed; assignment of contract for deed; tax receipt; letter; papers.
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased came to the above address July 9th, 1936, being sent from the Minneapolis General Hospital where he had been treated for a heart ailment He attended the clinic at the General Hospital for heart treatments. He had been in a coma all day on the 23rd until he expired at 5:30 P.M.

Officers Beard and LaMeltry.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALBERT ERLANDSON

Date May 23.

Place of Death	Eitel Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Eitel Hospital	Inquest	No
Residence	Barrett, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	52 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Grant County, Minnesota		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Multiple fractures and crushing injuries to chest due to leap from fourth story window to cement driveway.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Barrett, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to Eitel Hospital May 22nd, 1937, for observation under the care of Dr. S. Marx White. He had given no hint of any suicidal tendencies according to Dr. White, but had had a "nervous breakdown" two years previously. He was placed in room 403, which is a double room but unoccupied except for himself.

Miss Mildred Swenson, night supervisor, stated that she was in to see him during her rounds at 7:30 P.M. and that he said he did not feel well. She noticed that he seemed despondent. As she went out to the desk on the floor she met Dr. White and mentioned the above to him so they both went back in the room and talked to him. He seemed to be in good spirits when they left, according to Dr. White, who also stated that the window was closed and the patient in bed. Approximately five minutes after they had left the room, at 7:45 P.M. the deceased was seen to leap from the window which he had opened, to the driveway in the rear. He was carried back to his room where he died at 8:26 P.M.

Injuries: Compound fracture of right tibia and fibula at the junction of upper and middle thirds; laceration of skin over fracture two inches long. A large, deep triangular laceration of bottom of right foot 1½ x 3 x 1/2 in. Fracture of one or more tarsal bones; fracture of the lower end of the left humerus with a laceration 1/2 in. long over elbow. Abrasions over left chest in mid-axillary line and over left thigh. Emphysema (subcutaneous) present over left chest wall. Palpable fracture of several ribs on left.

The window of the room in which the deceased was staying is about two feet from the floor.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LAWRENCE E. MILLER

Date May 23.

Place of Death	New Hope Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	36 & Ridgewood Avenues Robbinsdale, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	78 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Faribault, Minn.		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Faribault, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Knaeble Company	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased, owner of the farm, lived there with his daughter, her husband Mr. Wesley Nelson, and their three children. The Nelson's left the farm at 2:30 P.M. May 23rd, 1937, and last saw the deceased at that time. When they returned Nelson looked for him and found him lying dead on the floor of the barn.

He apparently had just milked the cow as a pail of milk was set down near him. Nelson said that the deceased has been very dyspnoeic for some time and had a severe edema of the ankles four years ago which disappeared after treatment by a doctor.

Deputy Sheriffs Finnegan and Archambeau.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ABRAHAM ISAAC HASKELL Date May 24.

	Place of Death	1316 Dupont Avenue North	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	1316 Dupont Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	48 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Sweden		
	Occupation	Traveling clothing salesman		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Chessed Shel Emis	Effects delivered to	
H	Undertaker	Geo. Zeesman	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. A. N. Bessesen notified coroner that he was called to the address above; that deceased had been unattended; that the history indicated coronary disease. Dr. Bessesen saw him about 7:15 P.M. today.

Body viewed at Zeesman's Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PHILLIP USOW Date May 24.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident	Tragedy 501 Tenth Avenue South	Inquest	No
	Residence	CC Transient Camp, Mendota	Effects Taken in Charge	$.81 cash; knife; key; letter; papers.
	Age	About 43 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Russia		
	Occupation	Laborer		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Gunshot wound of head.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
C	Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance, admitted 12:19 P.M. May 24th from 501 Tenth Avenue South. He was unconscious and died at 1:55 P.M. Dr. Richard Neary was on the ambulance; Robert Greene, the driver. When they arrived, deceased was lying fully clothed crosswise on a bed upstairs, and by his side was Elizabeth Batoshe. A revolver lay on the bed between them. Elizabeth Batoshe was also shot and unconscious.

Police report that the gun was purchased May 15th from Joe Zimmerman, 34 Washington Avenue South, by a man who gave his name as Paul Petrowsky, 42, and answers the description of deceased, address Mendota.

Juel McKay, 69, landlady at 501 Tenth Avenue South, made the statement to police and deputy coroner that deceased and Elizabeth Batoshe have been together at her house several times. He came this morning and together they went to a room upstairs. At about 11:30 A.M. as she was talking to Ivan B. Noggle, 117 E. 15th St., her insurance collector, they heard a report of a shot and a few minutes later another report and then groans. Police and ambulance were called and arrived. After death at General Hospital the body was taken to Hennepin County morgue and examined. The bullet entered the forehead at the normal hair line, three inches over the left eye. There is a dark, smoky charred powder-burn two inches in diameter surrounding a ragged bullet wound. The bullet did not emerge.

The body was identified by H. J. Steinhagen, camp manager for Natural Parks, Mendota. Deceased has been at various CCC camps. According to their record, deceased was born in Russia, July 15th, 1893 and gave names of no relatives in this country.

(Section of skin and subcutaneous tissue from forehead examined by University of Minnesota pathologist. Report on file.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ELIZABETH BATOSHE Date May 24.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident Tragedy	501 Tenth Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	736 16th Street E.	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Key; 1 Prudential Insurance Co. policy No. M-4-621-670; 1 Prudential Ins. Co. premium receipt book.
Age	27 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Greenbush, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housework.		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide	Gunshot wound of head.		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Pat Batoshe, Father,
Undertaker	Flynn-Wagner Mortuary	Address	Greenbush, Minnesota.

REMARKS: Deceased was brought from 501 Tenth Avenue South, the same place and at the same time as Phillip Usow, first thought to be Paul Petrowsky, by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital and admitted 12:25 P.M. May 24th. She was unconscious and died at 3:40 P.M.

Mrs. Juel McKay makes the statement that deceased would come to her house and receive men. Among them was also Phillip Usow, who came to her house this morning and went with deceased to her upstairs room. As Mrs. McKay was talking to Ivan B. Noggle, 117 E. 15th Street, they heard the report of a gun and a few minutes later the report of another and then some groans. Police and ambulance arrived. Deceased when they arrived, was lying crosswise, fully clothed, on the bed upstairs. By her side was Phillip Usow who was also shot and unconscious.

Deceased has had a room at 736 E. 16th Street, room 21, for the past year. The landlady Marguerite Tourangeau, says deceased went by the name of Leona Davis. Helen Haywood, 607 Sixth Avenue North, says she was a friend of deceased and had known her for two years. She says deceased was a "sporting girl". Deceased had said to her that she had broken a date with Phillip Usow and that Usow was very jealous.

After death the body was taken to Hennepin County Mortuary. Bullet entered the lower left eyelid near the outer edge of the eye. Wound is ragged, and numerous scattered powder burns, in diameter three inches around the wound. Both eyes are ecchymosed and there is blood in the mouth. She is five feet 2 inches, weight 100 lbs., has very dark hair and body. No wound of exit was found.

Mrs. McKay was arrested for keeping a disorderly house.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANCES MARY deWINTER Date May 25.

Place of Death	2527 Second Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident Tragedy	2527 Second Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	4630 Edgebrook Place Edina Village	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	25 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Omaha, Nebr.		
Occupation	Art Student		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide	By hanging		
CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide			
Place of Burial	Omaha, Nebr.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Lee Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS: Deceased was admitted to Rest Home at 2527 Second Avenue South at 4:20 P.M. May 16th; attended by Dr. Alfred Baker.

Deceased, according to Dr. Baker's statement was suffering from mannic depressive insanity. Deceased was found dead at 4:45 P.M. by June Casey, stenographer, who reported the case to nurses Ruth Johnson and Helen Kolbi.

Deceased had taken her dress belt and tied it to the top of the head of the bedstead, and then around her neck. The belt had been removed when the coroner arrived but the marks around her neck could be seen and her face was almost purple.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES LUNAN Date May 25.

Place of Death	Garage in rear of 3105 Fourth Avenue South	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Husseth.
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	3101 Fourth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$3.09 cash; 6 trade coins; 1 free play coin; 1 ring; 5 keys; purse; billfold; Minn. Loan & Trust bank book - running account; N.W. Natl. Bank running account - book; check book with check blanks; Natl. Assn. of Power Engineers official membership card 4006; Natl. Assn. of Power Engineers official membership card 13962; U.S.Rubber Prod. inc. special warranty cert. OE-#999856; paid note of $100.00; paid note of $200.00; statement of real estate taxes for the year 1935 - 2nd half; Minn. Mortgage Loan Co. credit card #209; Aetna Automobile Insurance service certificate #Policy 37 MV1647, expires 6-3-37; Retail used car buyers order; memo. as to disposition of property; receipts; letters; cards; papers.
Age	71 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Scotland		
Occupation	Salesman - Campbell Coal Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Carbon monoxide poisoning from auto exhaust		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide x			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	5 keys delivered to Mrs. Kate Lunan, wife 3101 Fourth Avenue South
R Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Company	Address	Mrs. Catherine Lunan, Adm. Estate of De 3101 Fourth Avenue South

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead by Mrs. James Lunan, his wife, at 8:00 A.M. May 25th, 1937, when she went out to the garage. She called a neighbor, Harvey Anderson , 3103 Fourth Avenue South, saying there was something wrong in the garage. Anderson opened the car doors and found deceased sitting in front seat with engine of car running. He shut off the engine and called police. The fire department rescue squad shoved the car out of the garage and attempted resuscitation. Dr. Neary on the General Hospital ambulance pronounced death.

Deceased had told his wife the night before that he had a slight pain in his chest but did not want a physician, saying it was not severe enough. The wife of deceased states that the sliding garage door was open sixteen to eighteen inches, and the car doors closed, the engine running. Police stated that neighbors had informed them that the deceased often was in the garage for some time before he took the car out, and thought that he had had trouble starting the car. No motive for suicide could be ascertained as he was not in financial difficulties or in ill health as far as is known.

Mrs. Lunan stated that deceased and she retired at about 10:30 P.M. May 24th in separate bedrooms. She does not know when he went out but he was in the habit of going out for a walk before breakfast. When he did not come in for breakfast she went out to look around and saw him through the garage door seated in the car and called neighbors. Lewis Derby, 2316 West 54th Street, stated that there was a pair of pliers on the right side of the front seat cushion.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NINA GREEN RICE Date May 26.

Place of Death	623 Sixth Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	623 Sixth Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	42 (colored) Sex Female		
Birthplace	Green Bay, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Waitress		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	Green Bay, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Woodard Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

According to the son of the deceased, Arthur Green of the same address, the deceased has been in good health as far as he knew. On this occasion she had been talking to other members of the household about noon on the above date and then at 1:40 P.M. she said she was going to take a nap before going to work and told her daughter-in-law, Freda Green to wake her at 2:45 P.M. When Freda Green came to wake her at that time she found her dead. Dr. Brown of 638 Sixth Avenue North, was called and pronounced her dead. The family refused an autopsy.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NESTOR PELTOLA

Date May 26.

Place of Death	Minneapolis Workhouse Plymouth Township	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	
Residence	3615 Stevens Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	No
Age	54 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Finland		
Occupation	Carpenter-painter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Spontaneous cerebral hemorrhage		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Crosby, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Elma Brown, daughter
Undertaker	Connelly Undertaking Co.	Address	3615 Stevens Avenue

None except listed on Morgue Record

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REMARKS:

Deceased was a prisoner at Minneapolis Workhouse since May 22nd, 1937, offense, drunk -- sentence thirty days. He is a widower with six children. The daughter is Mrs. J. L. Brown, 3615 Stevens Avenue South. Deceased has had thirteen prior convictions.

On May 26th, at 3 P.M. while out on the workhouse field, he suddenly collapsed and became unconscious, vomited and appeared in convulsions. He was carried to the Workhouse First Aid Station where he expired in twenty-five minutes.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANDREW L. EWING

Date May 27.

Place of Death	2817 Pleasant Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2817 Pleasant Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	62 Sex Male		
Birthplace	England		
Occupation	Claim manager, Butler Bros.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

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REMARKS:

Dr. Chas. Pettit made a call for Dr. Buzzell about 10:45 A.M. today, at the above address. A daughter of deceased, Mrs. J. R. Hawley, same address, told deputy coroner that her father came upstairs about 10 A.M., complained that he felt ill, tried to vomit in the bathroom, groaned and died. His wife was with him.

Viewed at the home.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DOUGLAS N. TURNBULL Date May 28.

Place of Death	Enroute on Soo Line train betw. Regal & Paynesville, Minn.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Calgary, Canada	Inquest	No
Residence	203 Eighth Avenue East Calgary, Canada	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	20 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Calgary, Canada		
Occupation	Laborer - saw mills		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Foreign body in esophagus due to swallowing a partial tooth plate with prongs.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Calgary, Canada	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Last Sunday, May 23rd, at 11 A.M. deceased was lying in bed and swallowed a partial tooth plate with prongs. Attempts were made to remove it on Sunday and also Monday. On Wednesday evening he was placed on a Soo Line train enroute to Mayo Clinic at Rochester. Accompanying him was Mrs. Catherine Turnbull, a sister-in-law and trained nurse. She says death occurred at 4:10 A.M. just as the train was leaving Regal, Minnesota, and that death was quiet and almost without a struggle. He had been perspiring a good deal and extremities were cold and clammy.

He had been attended at Calgary by Dr. Pettes and Xrayed by Dr. W. S. Quint. The father's name is Robert Turnbull. Mr. F. W. Hess, a family friend, chanced to be on the train also. The body was in the stateroom and arrived at the Milwaukee Railroad station at 7:25 A.M. Taken direct to Davies Undertaking parlors.

Officer Knutson.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARIA LOUISE LINDSTROM Date May 28.

Place of Death	2724 Clinton Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2724 Clinton Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	86 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Rush City, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Frank Hanson, Rush City	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred about 9 A.M. today. At 2:30 A.M. today deceased complained to her daughter, Mrs. F. J. Boyce, that she felt very weak. History of continued and increasing weakness over a long period of time.

Dr. Geo. E. Thomas notified coroner's office.

Body viewed at residence.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HIRAM LOUIS RANEY

Date May 28.

	Place of Death	Northern Pacific Railway at 19th & Main St. N.E.	Autopsy	No	
	Place of Accident	Same.	Inquest	No	
	Residence	3939 Thomas Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	Check $79.39; $37.20 cash; fountain pen; 12 receipts; letter; statement from Second N.W. Bank; spectacles; watch; chain; 3 order for "Secret Work"; 3 purses; knife; 12 keys; pencil; 13 identification cards.	
	Age	62 Sex Male			
	Birthplace	Minnesota		Other effects listed in Morgue Record (No value)	
	Occupation	Switchman			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural				
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Body severed in two by railway train.			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide				
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			Clothes destroyed 12/1/37 - By John Anderson, Morgue Keeper.	
	Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Lucille Whittenberg, Daughter	
C	Undertaker	Rainville Company	Address	606 Ridgewood	

REMARKS:

Deceased was a Northern Pacific Railway switchman working on railroad tracks along Main Street N.E. He was last seen alive at about 9:50 A.M. by Engineer T. O. Ostgarden, 112 South Third Street. Deceased was then standing on the main track giving signals to Ostgarden and then was seen to walk west over a grassy field toward the train he had signaled. On account of a bend in the railway it was necessary for deceased to go to this other track so his signaling could be seen. The distance from the main track to the so-called "house track" on which was his train, is about 100 feet. The train was made up of fifteen freight cars and one caboose. They were backing slowly south and it is possible that as deceased attempted to board a freight car he fell between the cars and was run over.

He was first missed when a few blocks farther south the train stopped waiting for deceased to turn the switch. As he did not come, the train was run forward again to investigate and the body found. Deceased's watch was damaged and had stopped at 10:03. This establishes the exact time of death in the forenoon. The body was severed in two at the level of the lower ribs. The head and torso were on the outside of the east rail of the track. The head was farthest away and the body close to the rail. The legs and abdomen were six feet south from the other part of the body, lying on stomach, his feet to the north. There are no marks or abrasions on the head, trunk or limbs of the body.

Members of the railway crew were Engineer T. O. Ostgarden, 112 Third St. So., Fireman W. R. Wilkey, 811 15th Ave. N., H. Bernstrom, Switchman, 3716 Central Avenue; A. J. Heim, 4604 Upton Avenue South; C. C. Price, yardmaster, arrived on the scene. There was blood on the railway cars.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME AVON GLEN TOOMBS

Date May 28.

	Place of Death	333 Second St. N.E.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	626 St. Peter St., St. Paul.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	18 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Dawson, Minn.		
	Occupation	Pin setter - bowling alley.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic endocarditis.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
	Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C	Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Co.	Address	

REMARKS:

The mother of deceased is divorced and lives here on second floor. Her name is Mrs. Jake Jedlicka now. She locked her apartment, No. 8, left at 7 A.M. She was home again at 3 P.M. and left again. Returned at 6 P.M. and found deceased lying on the floor of the basement dead. He had entered the basement from an outside stairway. Police were called.

When deputy coroner arrived the body was lying on the basement floor on the face and stomach, both arms bent at elbow and out from body. He was clothed in overalls and shoes, etc. There are no marks of violence on the body and no evidence of any disturbance around the body. He had apparently dropped forward dead without any struggle.

Deceased was seen at 11 A.M. trying to get into the house by Mrs. M. Joachim, next door.

Minneapolis General Hospital records state that deceased was a patient there from June 4th, 1933, to June 20th, 1933. He had then been found unconscious in a railway yard. There was no evidence of any injury and xrays of the head were negative. At this time hospital doctors discovered a large palpable mass diagnosed as a large spleen and some variety of leukemia suspected. The blood findings were, however, negative of leukemia at this time. The mother states deceased has been a patient since then at Anchor Hospital. Record department of Anchor report that deceased was a patient there from August fifth, 1935, to August 31st. At that time he had edema of penis and scrotum, etc., and final diagnosis was "old rheumatic heart".

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDGAR DENTON RUSSELL

Date May 28.

	Place of Death	36th Ave. N. & Oakwood Crystal Village	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	36th Ave. N. & Oakwood, Crystal Village, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	46 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Durand, Wisconsin		
	Occupation	Auto mechanic		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Sarcoma of left thigh with metastasis into left abdomen.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
S	Undertaker	Lee Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was being attended by Berta E. Cunningham, Christian Science practitioner of Leamington Hotel. Dr. R. E. Hultkranz stated to coroner that he had operated on deceased at Northwestern Hospital a little over a year ago for a tumor in the left thigh. The growth, probably a neuro-sarcoma, recurred, also metastasis in the abdomen. Mrs. Merle Kerr, sister-in-law, gave coroner information as to Christian Science treatment. (Operated on in 1935 by Drs. Harvey Nelson & Hultkrans.)

Time of death 7 P.M. Body viewed by coroner at Lee Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLOTTE A. LINDMARK

Date May 29.

	Place of Death	825 Eighth Street South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	825 Eighth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	42 Sex Female		
	Birthplace	Owatonna, Minn.		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Owatonna, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
S	Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Quist was called, but deceased was dead when doctor arrived. The husband, Knute Lindmark, and deceased were married April 24th, 1937. Mrs. Marie Holden, 825 Eighth Street South, was with deceased at the time of death, which was about 4:20 P.M. She said deceased sat on a chair eating a dish of sauce when she suddenly slumped and fell on the floor. Deceased has been suffering with heart trouble and has been treated some time ago by Dr. Undine as well as at out-patient department in the Minneapolis General Hospital. She has been short of breath for a long time. She weighed 270 lbs.

There was a small bruise on the left forehead probably due to a fall on the floor.

Officers Morford and Anderson were called.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE VEBLEN

Date May 29.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy by Dr. Johnsrud.
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	608 E. 22nd Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	31 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Faribault, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Caretaker - residence.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Acute and chronic alcoholism		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Kenyon, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Thomson - Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance; admitted 7:53 A.M.; died 10:30 A.M. The wife, interviewed by telephone, stated that deceased drank a great deal and the last ten days has been intoxicated every day.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CALVIN C. BLACKWOOD

Date May 29.

Place of Death	Orono Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Orono Township	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	41 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Hastings, Minnesota		
Occupation	Filling station proprietor		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Flynn & Wagner	Address	

REMARKS:

About 4 P.M. today deceased complained to Fred Danielson living nearby that he was sick, short of breath and that he had a tightness in his chest. Mr. Danielson took him to Dr. Wilkinson in Mound, Minn., who sent them home again stating that deceased had only a short time to live. He died at 5:40 P.M. today. A brother-in-law E. W. Ledin of Mound, Minn., told deputy coroner that deceased was examined last fall at Veterans Hospital and seemed normal. The widow said deceased had chest pain occasionally.

Viewed at place of death.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CLARA MINDER Date May 30.

Place of Death	Found dead in auto at 11th St. near Chestnut Avenue	Autopsy	Dr. Seashore
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1903 13th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	Purse; hand purse; key; 2 rings; chain; necklace; part of a Rosary; nail file; tweezer; 2 powder puffs; lipstick; box of rouge; picture; 2 fishing licenses; 2 handkerchiefs; part of comb; cards; trinkets; papers.
Age	47 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Corcoran, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Acute and chronic alcoholism.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Carl Minder, husband
S Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	1903 13th Avenue South

[illegible] effects listed in Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased's husband lives at 1903 13th Avenue South. She had lived for nine months with William Murdock now at 1100 Chestnut Avenue, Apartment 6, who works for Electric Construction Company, West Broadway, Minneapolis. Emil Morton, 1813 Elliot Avenue South, shoemaker, had been with Murdock and deceased out to the airport in the afternoon.

Officers Ryan and Olson were present with the coroner when Murdock and Morton were questioned. A. R. Shaw, caretaker, 63 North 11th Street, said deceased and Murdock had been noisy in their apartment, No. 6, during the night of May 29-30th.

Dr. Paul Preston called Coroner Seashore about 8 P.M. stating he had been called to 1100 Chestnut by Mr. Murdock and that he found a woman dead in Murdock's automobile. When coroner arrived Murdock and Morton stated that they and deceased had been out to the airport and the two had gone up in an airplane. When they returned they found deceased either very sick or dead. They were both too intoxicated to give coroner any reliable information. They were both taken to the jail by officers Ryan and Olson.

Deceased was lying in the front seat of the coupe, head behind the wheel, body to the right on the seat, no hat, otherwise fully dressed. Officer Ray Harrington took pictures of the position of the body in the auto. Coroner took the hand purse which was lying on the top back of the seat. (Police report on file).

Deceased was not living with her husband and there is a history of her drinking excessively.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ELLEN MARIE WEISS Date May 30.

Place of Death	3224 Second Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3224 Second Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	57 Sex Female		
Birthplace	St. Peter, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Tracy, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Gill Bros. Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Arthur E. Weiss, husband, stated that deceased died about 12:15 A.M. Dr. A. E. McDonald arrived after deceased's death and notified the coroner. The husband stated to coroner that she used to have pain in her left arm and chest and was troubled with indigestion.

The husband retired about ten P.M. While deceased was ironing and sewing, about midnight, she awakened him and said she felt badly. She vomited and then suddenly died.

Body viewed by coroner at Gill's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GERALD MACKIE SMITH — Date Found May 30.

Place of Death	Found in Cedar Lake opposite 3403 W. 28th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Cedar Lake	Inquest	No
Residence	2740 Pillsbury Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$6.64 cash; billfold; 10 keys; Watch (Henry Birks & Sons); chain (broken) Spectacles & case; collar clasp; 4¢ postage; notebook; driver's license card Y07007; 1937 fishing license; 2 Paramount Hollywood Studios merchandise orders; Minn. Hosp. Serv. Assn. card contract No. 7, group 295; Mpls. Municipal Hiking Club 1936 membership card #130; Figure Skating Club of Mpls. senior member 1936-1937 season card #26; Farmers Automobile Inter-Ins. Exch. form 105, policy No. 2361828; letter; cards; papers; coat; 1 pr. pants; Day shirt; 1 pr. stockings; 1 hat; 1 pr. shoes; 1 necktie; handbag; bathrobe; towel; unionsuit.
Age	44 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Toronto, Ont., Canada		
Occupation	Accountant		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Drowning while bathing.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	Blanche Smith, Sister, Vancouver, B.C., and
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	Lena K. Smith, mother, Gresham, Oregon.

REMARKS:

Deceased lived at the home of W. E. Kruzen. At 5:30 P.M. May 28th he left home to go to Deephaven and said that on his way home he was to take a swim in Cedar Lake. Failing to return home during the night, B. F. Kruzen went to Cedar Lake at 5:30 A.M. on May 29th to look for deceased. He found deceased's car on the shore of Cedar Lake. Park Officer Ryan was notified. Dragging for the deceased was started by Park Police.

Officer Ryan with coroner's permission brought car to Sutorius Garage, 14th & Stevens Avenue about 6 P.M. Coroner was present when the car was brought in and effects were taken by the coroner. Officer Ryan stated that the bathrobe and towel were lying on the ground beside the car. The clothes were inside of the car. The car was found two blocks west of the M. & St. L. Railroad crossing on the lake side of the boulevard facing west.

Deceased was to have married Shirley White at River Falls, Wisconsin, on the afternoon of May 29th,

Deceased was found dead at 11:30 A.M. May 30th three hundred feet from shore in about twenty-five feet of water, by park police Hartzell and Mueller, two blocks west from the bathing beach. He wore a bathing suit.

Blanche Smith, sister, Vancouver, B.C., ordered the body to Davies Mortuary and body was viewed there by the coroner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES N. LUND — Date Found June 1.

Place of Death	Denver Hotel 31 Washington Ave. So.	Autopsy	Too decomposed for autopsy
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	31 Washington Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.10 cash.
Age	55 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Denmark		
Occupation	Dishwasher		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased has had a room here two months. He was seen up and around May 30th. May 31st the door was locked and the bedmaker could not get into the room. June first the bedmaker, Daniel Corbett, found him dead in bed at 9 A.M. He was entirely nude but no evidence of any violence. Body is decomposing and bloating badly.

Two weeks ago he fainted in the bathroom and was taken to Minneapolis General Hospital and treated for contusions and bruises of forehead and arms. He was unconscious. He has not worked since. At that time he was treated by Dr. Schubert.

Wm. Hirtz, clerk, and officer Lutsey arrived.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLOTTE HARROP Date Found June 1.

Place of Death	452 Newton Avenue South	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Hobbs
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	452 Newton Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	54 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Menomonie, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Menomonie, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

The husband, B. A. Harrop, returned home from a business trip to Milwaukee at 9 A.M. today. He found the house full of gas fumes and deceased lying on the kitchen floor on her face, fully dressed, in front of the gas range, dead. He closed the one open gas burner. No note was found. Her skin was decidedly pink. Mr. Harrop left home on Friday, May 28th, 1937. The Minneapolis Journal, Saturday, Sunday and Monday issues he found on the porch. A chair was near the range. All kitchen doors and windows were closed. Deceased had been very depressed because Mr. Harrop had sold his home.

Mr. Harrop called the coroner's office direct and this office notified the police department. Officers R. A. Stevenson and A. E. Anderson were present.

The husband of deceased stated to coroner that deceased had threatened before to commit suicide. Mrs. Jennie Long, sister, 4248 Nokomis Avenue, stated to coroner that deceased left Long's home at 10 P.M. May 28th. Mrs. Long stated she was convinced that deceased had committed suicide. "She would often say when mad, 'I will kill myself'."

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD BURSETH Date Found June 1.

Place of Death	Mississippi River 200 yards south of west end of Franklin Ave. Bridge.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2011 4th Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.82 cash; 12 keys; spectacles and case; tweezer; receipt; 2 cards.
Age	65 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Occupation	Barber		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	By drowning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Edwin Burseth, Son
R Undertaker	Walter A. Anderson	Address	2011 Fourth Street South.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found floating in the river at 2:05 P.M. June first, 1937, near the west bank, two hundred yards south of the Franklin Avenue Bridge by a George Melowsky, who lives in a river flats houseboat and was collecting wood when he found him. Park Policeman K. W. Taplin was called and the Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and fire department who brought the deceased out on a bank.

He was last seen alive by his son Edwin and his wife of the seme address at 9:30 P.M. May 31st, 1937, when they retired. Edwin says that he arose at 5:30 A.M. June first, 1937, and found the front door wide open. He then looked in his father's room and found him gone. He stated that his father has been despondent for a long time, but especially so since the death of his wife March 17, 1937. He has also been concerned over the fact that he has beenlosing his eyesight and has not been able to work. When found he was dressed in ordinary clothing. No bruises were found. The son, Edwin, stated that his father has often threatened to jump off a bridge and end it all.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JEHU SPRAY PEARSON

Date June 1.

Place of Death	3144 Fourth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3144 Fourth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	82 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Monvovia, Indiana		
Occupation	Contractor		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Paralysis agitans		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased's son-in-law, Rev. A. E. Hall of Kerkhoven, Minnesota, stated to coroner that deceased has been sick with shaking palsy and was gradually getting weaker. He died at 3:40 P.M. Both Rev. A. E. Hall and his wife, the daughter of deceased, were present when he died. Deceased had not been attended by any physician for some time.

Body viewed by coroner at Albinson's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN BREDEMUS

Date June 1.

Place of Death	Eitel Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4041 Fifth St.N.E., Col.Hts.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	48 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Machinist - Washburn Crosby.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Cerebral hemorrhage - spontaneous		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Buchinger Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Case referred to coroner by Dr. Sessions. He reports that deceased was working as usual at Washburn-Crosby Company mills when he suddenly became sick, vomited and went to the toilet where he became semi-conscious and collapsed. Deceased was taken by ambulance to Eitel Hospital at 4:10 P.M. June first, and died at 11 P.M. Autopsy held at Buchinger's revealed a spontaneous cerebral hemorrhage, and also a coronary sclerosis.

He was found in the toilet seated on the stool by Victor Carlson. P. J. Harder, personnel supervisor, the nurse and others arrived on the scene. Mr. P. J. Harder was interviewed by telephone.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: GUST MICKELSON

Date found: June 2.

Place of Death	923 Washington Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	923 Washington Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$7.03 cash; Mexican coin; purse; billfold; 5 keys; 2 knives; 1 scissor; ring; watch (Ingraham Vogue); watch (Westclox Pocket Ben - crystal missing); spectacles and case; 3 receipts; N.W.Natl. Bk. savings Dept. Book #95567 showing balance of $1040.82; 1st Natl. Bk. & Trust Co. Savings book #180871 showing balance of $500.00; Farmers & Mechanics Savings bank book No. 106269 showing balance of $200.00.
Age	75 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Landscape gardener		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
		Other effects listed in Morgue Record	
		Clothes sold to W.C. Tomlinson - 11-10-38 - by order of J.S. Molstad, Adm.	
Place of Burial	West Salem, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	Harold R. Taylor, 1035 1st Natl. Soo Line Bldg., attorney for J. S. Molstad, administrator.
Undertaker	Werness Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

About noon today C. M. Bishop, proprietor of rooming-house at the address above, with police officer Morford, entered deceased's room through a window opening onto a porch. Deceased lay dead across the bed in his underwear, covered with a quilt. He had not been seen since Sunday, May 30th, as far as is known. Mr. Bishop said he was a man of good habits and had not complained of being ill. He had not been employed.

No marks were found on the body, slight rigor only present.

Telegram received from a niece, Mrs. Abel Jostad in West Salem, Wisconsin.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: MORRIS PETERSON

Date: June 2.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	Nicollet & Washington	Inquest	No
Residence	235 Nicollet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 50 Sex Male		
Birthplace			
Occupation	Porter		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull with sub-arachnoid hemorrhage, and compound fracture of left tibia and fibula with secondary bronchopneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Glenville, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Billman Funeral Chapel	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital May 2nd, 1937, at 2:26 A.M. by ambulance No. 1 from Nicollet and Washington Avenues; was admitted by Dr. Whitesell and attended by Dr. H. F. Nelson. He died at 3:03 P.M. June 2nd.

Police Russell and Klopfleisch reported that he was struck at 2:05 A.M. May 2nd, 1937, at Washington & Nicollet by a car driven by an Emil Slusar of Warren, Minnesota, then staying at 711 St. Peter Street, St.Paul. Witnesses: Nick Jubery, 1607 Clinton Avenue, and C. H. Schilliger, 218 Third Avenue N.E. Officers Klopfleisch and Russell report also that the car was going south on Washington Avenue and hit two pedestrians who were crossing Washington from west to east. Police found Peterson lying with his head on the inside rail of the first streetcar track and his feet on the outer rail.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD H. NELSON

Date June 3.

Place of Death	Northwestern Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	56th & Columbus	Inquest	No
Residence	3121 Pleasant Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	31 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Brandon, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Foreman - W.P.A.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	Crushing injuries to abdomen		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	with perforation of the bowel and secondary peritonitis.		
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to Northwestern Hospital June first, 1937, at 12:30 P.M. from 56th & Columbus Avenue South. He was attended by Drs. Harvey Nelson and Hultkranz. He died at 12:45 A.M. June third, 1937.

Mr. Tracy of the W.P.A. department reports that the deceased was helping unload a dump truck on a W.P.A. project at 56th and Columbus when he was caught between the truck he was unloading and a second truck which backed in.

A witness was Gordon Cameron of 1428 Washington Avenue South; another Martin Schiller of 5114 Finley Place.

Officers Mather and Bolin.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ELIZABETH CAMPBELL FOSTER

Date June 3.

Place of Death	2718 First Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2718 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	75 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Cornwall, N.Y.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arterio-sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Lee Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased died at 1:35 A.M. She was under the care of Mrs. Lena Meyer 2718 First Avenue South, Christian Science Practitioner. She was examined by Dr. Gerald Roskilly about three weeks ago. She stated to coroner that she was suffering from a general arterio-sclerosis with hypertension.

Body viewed by coroner at Lee Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BERNARD SCHILLING

Date June 3.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident	1146 Fremont Avenue North	Inquest	No
	Residence	1146 Fremont Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	24 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	St. Cloud, Minnesota.		
	Occupation	Day Laborer		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	2nd & 3rd degree burns of body		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~	following explosion of blowpipe		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H	Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital today at 10:38 A.M. by Dr. Egil Hanson. Died at 5:20 P.M. He was brought in by General Hospital ambulance from his home. Deceased had been working on his automobile when suddenly the blow-pipe exploded, igniting his clothes. Efforts to help him were made by his mother, Mrs. Ellen Schilling, and Sam Levin, 619 Eighth Avenue North, and Tony Iannazzo, 1203 Fremont Avenue North. At General Hospital he was attended by Drs. Phillip Johnson and Uhley.

Burns are extensive over entire body; on lower abdomen and thighs third degree burns are found.

Body viewed at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME AUGUST THEODORE BERG

Date Found June 4.

Place of Death	3841 37th Avenue South	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident	3841 37th Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	3841 37th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.57 cash; 1 coin; spectacles; 11 keys; 1 billfold; cards; papers.
Age	59 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Plumber		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Probably Carbon monoxide poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide	from automobile exhaust.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BERNARD SCHILLING

Date June 3.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	1146 Fremont Avenue North	Inquest	No
Residence	1146 Fremont Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	24 Sex Male		
Birthplace	St. Cloud, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Day Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	2nd & 3rd degree burns of body		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	following explosion of blowpipe		

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AUGUST THEODORE BERG Found June 4, 1937.

some big plumbing jobs. On June third he had worked on a plumbing job for Arne Rakstad, 4109 45th Avenue South. Mrs. Rakstad stated that he worked there three or four hours in the morning, came back after supper and worked fifteen or twenty minutes turning on the water and capping some pipes.

Dr. Rudell stated that deceased would drink liquor occasionally.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME AUGUST THEODORE BERG

Date Found June 4.

Place of Death	3841 37th Avenue South	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident	3841 37th Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	3841 37th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.57 cash; 1 coin; spectacles; 11 keys; 1 billfold; cards; papers.
Age	59 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Plumber		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Probably Carbon monoxide poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~ from automobile exhaust.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. A. T. Berg, Wife
Undertaker	Barney Anderson & Son	Address	3841 37th Avenue South

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead in the automobile in the garage about eight A.M. today by his son Roy. Roy called his physician Dr. Rudell who reached the house after nine A.M. and notified the coroner's office between ten and ten-thirty A.M.

Roy states that the small door of the garage was closed but not locked as were also the double doors which were hooked closed. Roy didn't notice the ignition, but says the motor was not running. Dr. Rudell says that the ignition was turned off. The gasoline tank was about one-quarter full.

Deputy coroner found deceased seated behind the wheel, left foot on running board, left door open. He was in rigor mortis, and dependent parts of body were very pink. Odor of carbon monoxide in garage was still very strong. Deceased's hands were dirty - blackened. No tools were visible.

Deceased's son Roy said that deceased had dinner last night with the family; that he went outside about 8 P.M. not stating where he was going; that his business as plumber took him away from the house night or day and he seldom told his plans. He slept downstairs and often came home after others had retired. Roy came downstairs this morning and found deceased's bed had not been used. He went out to the garage and touched his father and found that he was stiff.

Roy says that the Chevrolet has leaked gas a long time and he has noticed often the odor of gas in the garage. He says that his father often has had sinking spells, dizziness, so bad that he couldn't work, and that his heart was bad for many years. Dr. Rudell confirms this statement. He has known deceased many years and has expected him to die suddenly; has attended him for years and has carried him through heart attacks.

Roy says that deceased ate a very heavy meal their last dinner together. Roy stated to coroner that he knew of no motive for his father committing suicide; stated that his finances were better than they used to be; that he had just secured

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK D. ADAIR Date June 6.

Place of Death	3635 Blaisdell Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3635 Blaisdell Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	77 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Monroe, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: x Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cremation	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Burd Johnston Undertaking Co.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has been living with daughter and son-in-law, Mr. F. B. Gage at the above address. He was in fair health until the evening of June 5, 1937, when he began to get dyspnoeic and complained of precordial pain. He became worse the morning of June sixth, 1937, snd died at 9:30 A.M. just before the arrival of a physician, Dr. Homer Smith.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GORDON ANGELOFF Date June 6.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	Front of 4800 Old Jefferson Hwy Crystal Village	Inquest	No
Residence	Market Hotel, 30 North 1st St.	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Bulgaria		
Occupation	Common laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Fracture of skull and		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	bruising of brain, cause of		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	injuries unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
R Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

None except Notes on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to the Minneapolis General Hospital by Robbinsdale police car June fifth, 1937, at 11:09 P.M. Admitted by Dr. Whitesell and attended by Dr. H. Nelson and Fridell. He died at 5:15 P.M. June sixth. Officer Max Spurzem of the Robbinsdale police reported that he was called at 10:40 P.M. June fifth by an Adolph Miller, mayor of Crystal Village, and told that a man was lying on the road at the above place. He went to the scene and took the man who was unconscious to the General Hospital. The cause of the injuries is not known.

Deceased has served time in the workhouse seven times for intoxication and burglary - was released May 26th, 1937. Employer of deceased, Elai Altanasoff, R. Rt. Box 93, Camden Station, stated to John Anderson, County morgue superintendent, that he had given deceased $3.00 on June fifth and asked him to go to town and find another helper for work on the farm. In the evening of June sixth Altanasoff saw deceased together with a friend of deceased at Adolph's bar and paid for deceased's beer. He left him at 10:30 because deceased refused to go with him home. Altanasoff then brought his family home and came back to get deceased at 11 P.M. but could not find him.

Merton Sackreiter employed at Adolph's Bar, 4011 Perry Avenue, Robbinsdale, states that he saw deceased with two other men and that he had a large roll of bills, at 10:30 P.M.

Deceased had checked out of Market Hotel two weeks ago.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: EVEN WOLLAN ~~UNKNOWN MAN - JOHN DOE NO. 80~~

Date: Found June 7.

Place of Death	Mississippi River & 6th Av.So.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	245 22nd Avenue North ~~Unknown~~	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	58 ~~About 65~~ Sex Male		None except listed on Morgue Record (no value)
Birthplace	~~Unknown~~ Norway		
Occupation	~~Unknown~~ Painter		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Probably Drowning		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery 7/2/37 ~~County Farm, Potters~~ 6/22/37	Effects delivered to	Clothes destroyed 12/1/37
R Undertaker	Sundseth Funeral Home ~~John A. Anderson, Dale.~~	Address	By John Anderson, Morgue Keeper.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead, floating in the river, at 7:00 A.M. June 7, 1937, by John Anderson of 4211 19th Avenue South, a watchman for the mills. He called police and Officer Redding and Tim Berkmoes were present.

Height 5 ft. 11 in; weight 190 lbs.; hair light brown and grey, medium complexion; large build; no scars. Clothes: dark mackinaw; black pants with grey stripe; green shirt, label Kingston; cotton unionsuit, label Merit; black zipper overshoes, no dress shoes or stockings.

No record of fingerprints.

Deceased was identified June 29th, 1937, by Mrs. Henry Wallis, who lives on 2nd floor, rear of 245 22nd Avenue North, and by a brother of deceased, Louis Wollan, 2910 Fourth Street North, by means of clothing and pictures. Deceased was last seen alive by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wallis about June fourth. He had been attended at Minneapolis General Hospital for cancer of the foot.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: JULIUS PETER DOERFLER

Date: June 7.

Place of Death	In field near 78th St. & Pleasant Richfield Village.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	116 West 78th St. Richfield Village	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	26 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Richfield Village, Minn.		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	- Tractor - Crushing injuries to chest.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Assumption Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Knaeble Company	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found about 8:30 A.M. today by Charles Reimer, Bloomington Township, and David Fischer, who saw the left heavy tractor wheel spinning without the tractor moving forward. Deceased lay beneath the differential, partly on his right side. The distance between the tractor and the ground wasn't over four or five inches. The tractor was lifted enough so that the deceased could be pulled out. The tractor weighs about 6600 lbs.

Deceased started to plough about 8 A.M. and had made a few rounds. No one knows what occurred; perhaps deceased cranked the tractor while it was in gear when the tractor started forward knocking him down and it was stopped by his body. The big wheel had worked into the ground a foot or more. Priest P. Schmidt and M. T. Knapp and others from the vicinity all assisted in trying to rescue deceased.

Deputy Sheriffs Kittredge and Hurley were present -- they received the call by telephone at 8:45 A.M.

Several ribs of upper left chest anteriorly were fractured; emphysema present over left side; slight amount of blood was in the nostrils and mouth; much hypostasis present in face and neck.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ESTHER JEANETTE FLYEN

Date June 7.

Place of Death	Asbury Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2501 Portland Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None except listed on Morgue Report (no value)
Age	39 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Vermont		
Occupation	Housewife & Saleswoman - Holland Furnace Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Carcinoma of breast with metastasis of brain and other organs		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sandstone, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Clothes destroyed 12/1/37
Undertaker	P. W. Goodrich, Pine City, Minn.	Address	By John Anderson, Morgue Supt.

REMARKS:

Case referred to coroner by Dr. H. F. Wiese.

Deceased worked as a solicitor for the Holland Furnace Company. She had reported to them that while at work for them at 659 Jackson Street N.E. on April 30th, 1937, she had been injured by being struck by the opening of a door by the proprietor of the house, Mrs. Peter Tabaika. On May 22nd, Dr. Wiese was called to attend her at her home. Deceased made the statement to him that on May 19th, 1937, she had been struck by a door and sat down heavily on the porch. Since then she had been suffering with headache and general weakness. She remained in bed until June fifth when she was taken to Asbury Hospital by ambulance. Died at 9:15 A.M. June 7, 1937.

Deceased had been operated for cancer of left breast on April 12, 1934, again on October 27, 1934, and on January third, 1935.

Mrs. Tabaika and daughter Mayme (22), 659 Jackson St. N.E., were interviewed by deputy coroner. They state they did not see deceased fall or know of any accident to her.

Body taken to Hennepin County Morgue and autopsy held. Dr. Wiese was present at the autopsy.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN NATHAN GREER

Date June 8.

Place of Death	4100 Sunnyside Road Edina Village	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4100 Sunnyside Road Edina Village	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	78 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Scott County, Iowa		
Occupation	Principal - Mpls. Highschools		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cremation	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead in bed at 3 A.M. by his wife. E. R. Greer, son, 4828 Queen Avenue South, says that his father has apparently been very well; that last night he worked in the garden and retired early saying that he felt as if he had a cold started.

He was a Christian Science reader.

Body not viewed by deputy coroner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WARREN FOLEY Date June 8.

Place of Death	CCC camp No. 787, Glenwood Pk. Golden Valley Village	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Strong, Kansas.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	26 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Coffee County, Kansas		
Occupation	CCC camp		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ ~~Accident~~ Suicide ~~Homicide~~	Hanging		
Place of Burial	Neosho, Kansas	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Billman Funeral Chapel	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had been a member of this CCC camp since October, 1936. He had a defect in speech, stuttered and was shy at conversing with anyone, always appeared morose and sullen. He was last seen alive at about 1 A.M. by his bunkmates George Throne, Salina, Kans., and Lawrence Webb, Jamestown, Kansas. They came in at that time and say that deceased was seated in bed smoking a cigaret. Deceased did not say anything.

Body was found at 4:40 A.M. June 8 by Everett Mongerson, Abolene, Kansas. Body was in coalroom hanging by a hay wire twisted around the neck and around a board on the coal bin. Mr. Mongerson notified Lt. Ira C. Peterson, who again notified Adj. Paul E. Arneson at Fort Snelling and received instructions to call Billman's undertakers, and have body removed. Mr. Dan Billman cut the wire with pliers and called the coroner.

Others arriving on the scene were H. Buehler, Merl Schiller, D. Gibbon, foreman of work crew.

Sister is Mrs. Clara Horton, Neosho Rapids, Kansas.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MATHILDA KNUDSON Date June 8.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	3325 Fifth Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	3325 Fifth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	81 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ Accident ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~	Fracture of ribs due to fall down stairs.		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was referred to General Hospital by Dr. A. N. Bessesen. She was brought to the hospital from her house by ambulance, admitted 4:24 P.M. May 30th. Died at 11 P.M. June 8th. Xrays taken showed fractures of 7th, 8th, and 9th ribs on the right side.

The husband, Adolph Knudson interviewed, states that deceased fell down a full flight of stairs from second to first floor.

Body viewed at Minneapolis General Hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES ODIN MIKKELSON Date June 8.

Place of Death	614 Cedar Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2542 11th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None $1.00 cash.
Age	74 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Cooper		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	R. C. Mikkelson, Son,
C Undertaker	Albinson's Mortuary	Address	2542 11th Avenue South

REMARKS:

Deceased was present as a guest at a party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Carlson, 3119 28th Avenue South, when at 8 P.M. he suddenly collapsed and died at 8:55 P.M. The wife and many others were present. The party was in a Salvation Army hall at 614 Cedar Avenue. General Hospital ambulance doctor arrived.

Body was taken directly to Albinson Funeral Chapel. Deceased had been failing in strength for some time and had been under the care of Dr. Widen.

Officers O'Neil and Williams.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARIE KJERSTAD Date June 9.

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	2545 Portland Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	Ebenezer Home 2545 Portland Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	84 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Compressed fracture of 11th		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x	dorsal vertebra due to fall		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x	on floor.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted April 19th at 2:30 P.M. from Ebenezer Old People's Home. Treated by Dr. Iver Selleseth. Died at 4:15 A.M. June ninth. Accident occurred at the Ebenezer Home April 18th. Dr. Selleseth stated to coroner that she either slipped or fell on the floor and sustained a compressed fracture of the 11th dorsal vertebra. Xray examination revealed the fracture

Body viewed by coroner at Enger's.

A very extensive bedsore was present over the sacral region.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLARD MEAD

Date June 10.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	6th Ave.S.E. & Main St.	Inquest	No
Residence	1518 Sixth St. S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	12 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Hutchinson, Minn.		
Occupation	Schoolboy		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Railroad Mangling of left leg and right foot.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hutchinson, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Amour & Company	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted at 7:23 P.M. today by Dr. Robert LaBree. Died at 9:05 P.M. today. Deceased was brought in ambulance No. 1 from Sixth Ave. S.E. & Main Street, where he was struck by a Great Northern passenger train eastbound, at 6:58 P.M. today.

Engineer Fred Escher, 2130 Como Avenue, St. Paul, did not see him.

Perley Mead is the father.

Drs. Anthony Berlin and Carlisle Tingdale attended deceased.

Deceased was walking east alongside the railroad track. His attention was directed to the train by Phil. Gonier, an engineer for Great Northern Railroad, 630 Van Buren St. N. E., who was in his cab three hundred feet away. Deceased jumped but didn't clear the track. Mr. Gonier told someone to call the ambulance. The dispatcher's office was called.

Injuries: Left leg almost amputated, both tibia and fibula fragmented; tissues of left foot scraped off; bones of foot and ankle fractured; laceration occipital region.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at undertakers.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JESSIE CURRY

Date June 11.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	1819 Portland Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	1819 Portland Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Illinois		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Foreign body (chicken bone) in esophagus with perforation and with edema of soft tissues of neck.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Salem, Illinois	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted June ninth, 1937, at 5:16 P.M. by Dr. Reuben Berman. Died at 12:06 A.M. today.

Deceased swallowed a chicken bone at dinner on the day of admittance which stuck in her throat producing pain. On June tenth Dr. Kerkhoff did an esophagoscopy, but did not locate the bone. Marked edema of the neck developed. Dr. Kerkhoff incised neck tissues.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JERRY LOGAN

Date Found June 11.

Place of Death	112 South Washington Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	112 South Washington Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	2 Spectacles and 2 cases; prayer book; notebook; Al's Dakota Lunch, 112 Wash. Ave. So. meal ticket No. 108; 2 letters. 2 keys.
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Chester, Pa.		
Occupation	Cook		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Stewartville, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Mary Murphy, Sister
H Undertaker	Flynn-Wagner Company	Address	Spooner, Wisconsin

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Found today at 6:30 A.M. by Lewis Johnson and Charley Smith, other roomers. He lay, dressed, on his back in the hallway dead on third floor. He had lived here several months and did some janitor work about the hotel. He was on old age pension. General Hospital ambulance called. Officer Luskey present.

Lewis Johnson told deputy coroner that he saw deceased three or four days ago.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHRIST LUDWIG MUNDAHL, also known as CHRIST J. MUNDAHL

Date June 11.

Place of Death	2709 Fifth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2709 Fifth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None.
Age	50 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Fairfax, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Auto mechanic		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deputy coroner notified at 4:30 A.M. today by undertaker. Permission given to remove remains.

Mrs. Mundahl was awakened by deceased about 3:45 A.M. complaining of pain in his chest. Dr. Roan was called but arrived after death. He had been examined a month ago by a doctor who told him he had heart trouble.

Body viewed at Gleason's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SHELDON JULIAN BERMAN Date June 11.

Place of Death	1230 Knox Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1230 Knox Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	19 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota		
Occupation	Student - U. of Minn.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Probably status lymphaticus		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	United Brotherhood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Zeesman Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has been living with his grandmother Mrs. Sarah Berman since infancy. He was a student at the University and had final examinations this forenoon. He was up at 4 A.M. studying. He came home at noon and after a lunch lay down fully dressed on a bed in the dining room. Shortly before 5 P.M. he was lying reading the "Star" and made some remarks. His grandmother stepped outside and was gone five or ten minutes. When she returned death had occurred.

The fire department and pulmotor arrived, also General Hospital ambulance and Dr. Goldman. The body is undernourished, receding chin and appears to be a "pituitary type". He has always been frail. The student Health Service report that he was examined there September, 1935, and found normal. He has never been examined by any other doctors nor has he complained of being ill, only would tire very easily. There is no evidence of any violence.

The family refused an autopsy. The uncle, Dr. Berman of Canada, stated to coroner that both parents and grandparents pleaded that an autopsy not be held.

Officers Caldwell and Peterson.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FAY EDGAR ORTON Date June 12.

Place of Death	6154 Fourth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	6154 Fourth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	53 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Iowa		
Occupation	Miller		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Henry Anderson	Address	

REMARKS:

Henry Anderson, undertaker, notified deputy coroner Sunday, June 13th that he had the remains at his place. Death occurred at 10:45 P.M. June 12th at the home of deceased.

Dr. Eitel saw him last March; deceased had cardiac decompensation and Dr. Eitel suggested that he go to Minneapolis General Hospital, but he refused to go. He had been in bed since January, 1937.

Body viewed at embalmer's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN DEMKO ~~-UNKNOWN MAN; JOHN DOE No. 61-~~ Date Found June 12.

Place of Death	Mississippi River at W. Broadway Bridge.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	~~Unknown~~ 639 Washington St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	$3.25 cash; billfold; knife; watch (Columbus); chain & charm; spectacles and case.
Age	~~About 70~~ 72 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record. (No value)
Birthplace	~~Unknown~~ Austria		
Occupation	~~Unknown~~ Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Probably Accident	Drowning		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery ~~University of Minnesota~~	Effects delivered to	Carrie Joseph, Daughter,
C Undertaker	Gill Bros. ~~John A. Anderson, Mpls.~~	Address	642 L'Orient St., St. Paul, Minn.

REMARKS:

An unknown person called police at 5:03 A.M. and notified them of a body floating in the Mississippi River below the Broadway bridge. The body was forty feet from a pier near the west river bank. Officers Storm Didrickson, Hoglund towed the body from a boat to the east shore of the river. No identification on body, fully clothed in working clothes, not decomposing. Tattoo "J.P." inside left forearm; half circle scar in front of right ear three inches long.

Height five ft. seven in.; weight 185 lbs.; partly bald and grey short hair; blue eyes; medium complexion; stout build. No record of fingerprints.

On July 23rd, 1937, at 5:30 P.M. deceased was identified by means of a picture, by his daughter Carrie Joseph, 642 L'Orient St., St. Paul, and by Michael Dugan, 639 Washington St. N.E., who states deceased lived with him, and he last saw him June 11, 1937. Deceased was a drinker and served a term in the workhouse for drunk. The body is being taken from the University for burial.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MAURICE EDWARD HAUGEN Date June 12.

Place of Death	2nd Ave. S.E. & 2nd St.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	2nd Ave. S.E. & 2nd St.	Inquest	No
Residence	2513 East 22nd Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$.30 cash; watch (Westclox Dax); pencil; papers;
Age	37 Sex Male		1 Time book belonging to Mpls. Sewer Dept. delivered to Mpls. Sewer Dept. Milton T. Riley, 2131 North Girard.
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record. (No value)
Occupation	Concrete foreman - City Sewer construction.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Fracture of spine and compound fracture of left leg due to fall down manhole under construction.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			Clothes destroyed 12/1/37 by John Anderson, Morgue Supt.
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Maurice Haugen, Wife,
R Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	2513 East 22nd Street.

REMARKS:

Deceased was Concrete Foreman for the city and was employed in the construction of an interceptor sewer at the above address. He was found dead at the bottom of the manhole, ninety feet down, at 10:00 A.M. by A. W. Johnson of 4322 Second Avenue South, when he went down to start the pumps. Alfred Enger, Superintendent of Construction, said the deceased was not due to work until ten A.M. but often went down at odd hours to inspect. He was not seen going into the hole. No one had been down there since about 10 P.M. June 11th.

The fire department had brought the deceased up to the thirty-foot level when the deputy coroner arrived. The General Hospital ambulance physician pronounced death.

Officers Brock and Olson on duty.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOSERIUS HANSWICK

Date June 12.

Place of Death	4115 Chicago Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1518 Third Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.50 cash; trade coin; amusement coin; billfold; spectacles & case; letter; 2 notebooks; receipt; Industrial Commission of Minn. division of painting standards card J-213 for 1937; cards; papers.
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Painter-Paperhanger		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.	Coat, pants, shirt, unionsuit, necktie, and socks for burial purposes, delivered to A. H. Anderson.
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
S Undertaker	Sundseth's Funeral Home	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

REMARKS:

At 1:30 P.M. deceased was out in the yard in an automobile with Einar Westin 4115 Chicago Avenue, getting ready to go to St. Paul. Westin had to use the telephone. Shortly afterward deceased came into the house and stated to Westin to wait a while until he could get his breath. He sat down on the davenport and shortly afterward he asked Westin to get a doctor as he was sick. Dr. Quello came but deceased died in a few minutes, about 2:20 P.M.

Above information obtained by John Anderson, superintendent of morgue, who brought the body to the morgue where it was viewed by Dr. Seashore, coroner.

Dr. Quello stated to coroner that deceased had difficulty in breathing that he gave him an injection of adrenalin, but deceased died in a few minutes.

Deceased lived with Mabel Miller, 1518 Third Avenue South, Woonsocket Hotel, Atl. 8161). Distant relative is Paul Anderson, Vesta, Minnesota. Deceased's wife is dead and buried at Crystal Lake. Both Mabel Miller and Westin stated to John Anderson that deceased had no money, car or other property except that he had $40.00 coming from Westin who was his employer.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALPHONSE KOERNER

Date June 13.

Place of Death	614 E. 18th St.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	614 E. 18th St.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	34 Sex Male		
Birthplace	St. Cloud, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Bookkeeper - farm machinery		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ xx			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Cloud, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Joe Billman	Address	

REMARKS:

The wife of the deceased, same address, says that he had been in good health, had gone to church in the morning and after arriving home had walked around the yard a while, then came in and went to the bathroom. Shortly after she heard him moaning and looked inside to find him lying unconscious on the floor. She called a neighbor, Mr. Geo. M. Ross, Apt. 2, same address, who attempted to revive him, and several doctors were called. Drs. O'Donnell and Moulton finally both arrived to pronounce death.

The wife was advised to permit an autopsy on the deceased by the deputy coroner, but refused her consent.

Time of death 10:45 A.M.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES H. LOCKERMAN Date June 13.

Place of Death	15th St. & LaSalle Ave.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	909 West Franklin	Effects Taken in Charge	$13.92 cash; foreign coin; Good Luck coin; folder; billfold; watch (Elgin); knife; fountain pen; pencil; ring; comb; nail file; notebook; Old Line Life Ins. Co. premium notice; Wisconsin Conservation Com. resident rod and reel lic. #170119 for 1937-8; Social Security Act card acct #473-10-4362; Loring Renovators, 1364 Nic. claim check #1444; identification card; driver's lic. M55265; Interim receipt for Adjusted Service Bonds surrendered for payment bond numbers 18461149, 18461150-1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9; Hon. discharge from U.S. Army. *Old Line Life Insurance 20-payment life policy #62530; Divorce decree #339932; (Continued below)
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Milwaukee, Wis.		
Occupation	Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	Eagle River, Wisconsin	Effects & clo. delivered to	Mrs. P. W. Lange, Mother.
R Undertaker	O. H. Oakley	Address	Manitowish, Wisconsin

Other effects listed in Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Witnesses stated that the deceased who was driving his car, had waited for a stop-go sign on 15th & LaSalle, and started up his car. After crossing 15th St. going north, his car suddenly swerved and went up over the west curbing and into a wire fence across the sidewalk. He was found dead behind the wheel on arrival of the General Hospital ambulance. The time was 4:50 P.M.

Officers Giegesberg and Jacobson.

Effects (Continued) 1 paid note of $330.00; paid note of $300.00; paid note of $540.00 paid note of $22.86; conditional sale contract - Oldsmobile; Old Line Life Ins. Co. policy loan agreement, agreement cancelled by increased loan date 10/7/35; conditional sale contract - Oldsmobile; Tiffany Motor Co. Milwaukee car invoice #2293; 5 Wisconsin DeLuxe Doll & Dress Co. sale slips order #12463,13000,13254,132528 & 133554; Pla-Mour Amusements, Inc., certificate No. 1 for 3 shares; Conditional Sales Contract for Motor vehicle; pictures; receipts; cards; letters; papers; folder for valuable papers; 11 keys.

1 New Car order (Loring Motor Co.) dated 5/29/37 signed by McKinney and 1 1937 registration card covering Chev. #T-36449 1936 model - delivered to Stanley S. Cohen, Pres. Loring Motor Co., 2015 Irving Avenue South.

* Old Line Life policy #62530 mailed to Mrs. Isabel Lockerman Koch, 426 Ceape St., Oshkosh, Wisconsin, Beneficiary.

** Honorable Discharge from U.S. Army delivered to O. H. Oakley, undertaker, by order of Mother.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SOPHIA JOSEPHINE HARDING Date June 13.

Place of Death	3420 Aldrich Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3420 Aldrich Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	72 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harding, son and daughter-in-law of deceased, gave coroner the following information:

Deceased was sitting in a chair when her daughter, Russie Harding, and Mrs. Ray Harding saw deceased suddenly slump down and heard her give a gurgling noise. This was about 7:15 P.M.

When Dr. E. T. Boquist arrived he pronounced her dead. Deceased had been suffering from diabetes more or less for fifteen years, but had not been treated for it for some time.

Body viewed at Gill's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGIANNA L. SHARROT Date June 14.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Russeth
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	5309 Columbus Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	67 Sex Female		
	Birthplace	New York City		
	Occupation	Policewoman		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Acute gangrenous cholecystitis; encephalomalacia; and probably by fracture of left fibula due to auto accident.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R	Undertaker	The Johnson Undertaking Co.	Address	

REMARKS:

The deceased was struck by a taxi driven by C. T. Sagle of 202 Lowry Avenue North at 9:15 P.M. January 31, 1937, at Lyndale and Franklin Avenues. She was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital January 31 at 9:55 P.M. and died there June 14th, 1937 at 5:45 A.M. She was attended by Drs. Pollard and Blumstein, and admitted by Dr. Whitesell.

Approximately three weeks after admission to the hospital she had a stroke.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOSEPH HUSBANDS Date June 14.

	Place of Death	2009 Lyndale Ave. N. Apt. 6.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	2009 Lyndale Ave. N. Apt. 6	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	76 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Pennsylvania		
	Occupation	Restaurant owner		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R	Undertaker	Heimrich's Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had lived with his son, Earl Husband, and wife, since October, 1936. Earl stated that the deceased had had hardening of the arteries for ten years. He also stated that he had had attacks of pain in his chest and spells of dyspnoea. On this occasion he had been lying down and got up to go to the bathroom. His daughter-in-law looked through the open door of the bathroom just a few minutes after he had gone in and found him lying on the floor.

Dr. Oppen of 700 West Broadway arrived and pronounced him dead. The time was 5 P.M.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CLYDE LE ROY OLSON

Date June 15.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Hobbs
Place of Accident	Glencoe, Minnesota.	Inquest	No
Residence	225 Eighth Avenue S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	34 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Hatton, N. Dak.		
Occupation	Auto mechanic		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Probably railroad Accident; ~~Suicide~~ x; ~~Homicide~~ x		
	Fracture of skull and brusing of brain.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	

REMARKS: Admitted June 11th at 4:21 P.M. by Dr. LaBree; died at 6:28 A.M. today. He was unconscious all the time. Was brought from Glencoe, Minn., by his brother Frank Olson, 5353 Nokomis Avenue. This brother was notified by Dr. W. R. Schmidt of Glencoe that deceased, identified by the finding of his name, was brought to his office early on the morning of June 11th. A C. M. & St. P. passenger train crew eastbound, saw a man three or four miles west of Glencoe, lying alongside the railroad track. At Glencoe this was reported by the crew; a train was sent out, picked him up and returned to Glencoe taking deceased to the office of Dr. W. R. Schmidt.

In the evening of June 10th, 1937, deceased was known to have left Minneapolis to go to Portland, Oregon, to look for work. The supposition is that he was beating his way and fell off the train. Information given deputy coroner by Frank Olson and the personal injury department of C. M. St. Paul Railroad office.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOSEPH LEIBLI

Date June 15.

Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy by Univ. Hosp.
Place of Accident	Near LeRoy (Mower County)	Inquest	No
Residence	LeRoy, Minnesota.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	12 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Alliance, Nebr.		
Occupation	School child		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ x; Automobile Accident; ~~Suicide~~ x; ~~Homicide~~ x		
	Multiple bruises of brain.		
Place of Burial	LeRoy, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Oakley Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS: Admitted to University Hospital at 7 P.M. June 14th, 1937; died at 6:20 A.M. June 15. Referred to University Hospital by Dr. M. P. Morse, LeRoy, Minn.

Deceased's step-father, Harry Osborn, stated to coroner over the telephone that deceased was struck by a car Sunday, June 13th, about four P.M. on a road going out of LeRoy in a northeasterly direction, at the southeast end of a bridge 1/2 mile out of town. With him was a little girl twelve years old by the name of Dorothy. Across the creek about two hundred yards away was deceased's brother Loran Leibli, age 17. It appears that deceased was going out of town and the car coming toward town. Both Dorothy and Loran stated that he was struck by a brown car. Dorothy said there were four young men in the car, that the driver looked back after the accident but did not stop. Deceased lived about two hundred yards from where the accident occurred. Dorothy called, so Loran came and picked him up.

Deceased was picked up unconscious and did not regain consciousness. A double trephine decompression operation was performed at 10 P.M. June 14th by Drs. Peyton and Lind. Private autopsy by Dr. A. A. Nelson, deputy coroner Callerstrom present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD KUPHAL Date June 15.

Place of Death	Excelsior Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Excelsior Township	Inquest	No
Residence	4029 Aldrich Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	59 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Credit & office manager - Mack Truck Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Gunshot wound of head.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide x			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Werness Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead by his daughter Josephine about 3:30 P.M. today. He was lying on his left side in clothes closet, a 22 rifle lay across his legs. There were five bullets in the rifle. A small bullet wound was present in the right temple one inch above the ear and two inches forward from the ear. The skin was burned and blackened about the wound. Rigor mortis was moderate.

History of nervous breakdown four or five years ago, and deceased had threatened to commit suicide. Had been under Dr. Hannah's care. At Dr. Hannah's advice the family bought the 2½-acre place where he died about one mile south from Excelsior, two years ago. The family were all together over Sunday June 13th.

Information given deputy coroner by family. Neighbors who had just come to their cottage next door, name not secured, saw deceased shortly after 1 P M. today.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN KOCH Date June 15.

Place of Death	Eitel Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Chaska, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	Carver, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.00 cash; Tobacco pouch.
Age	65 Sex Male		Effects mailed to Mrs. John Koch, Wife Chaska, Minnesota.
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Carpenter		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			Other effects listed on Morgue Record
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Cellulitis of left arm and		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide x	leg, following a fall.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	Chaska, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	Clo. to Edel & Pearson (for burial)
Undertaker	Pearson, Chaska, Minn.	Address	Chaska, Minnesota.

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Eitel Hospital by Dr. Habieson in his automobile, admitted June 15th at 10:30 A.M. Died at 5:31 P.M. June 15th. Attended by Dr. Archie Wilcox. History obtained from Dr. Habieson. Deceased was a carpenter employed by the Thomas Construction Company on the roof of a new building at Chaska, Minn., According to the statement of deceased to Dr. Habieson he turned and fell about two feet on the roof at 1 P.M. June 11th. He struck on his left elbow and leg and felt pain, but kept on working. That evening he had a chill and was nauseated and pains in his arm and leg continued. He worked all Saturday forenoon, June 12th, but was in bed Saturday afternoon and all day Sunday. Called Dr. Habieson at 9 P.M. Sunday. The arm was then swollen, red and painful, also the left leg. Temperature 104°; temp. Monday June 14, 103°; temp. Tuesday, June 15, 101°. There was no abrasion noticeable. The wife had stated that the left trouser leg was torn when he came home. Shortly after arriving at Eitel, deceased became delirious and did not regain.

Body taken to Hennepin County Mortuary and autopsy held.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OSCAR NELSON

Date June 16.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	105 Glenwood Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	39 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Shoe Repairer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Acute and Chronic alcoholism		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Sundseth's Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought into the Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance No. 1 and admitted at 6:01 A.M. June 16th, 1937. He was admitted by Dr. Whitesell and attended by Dr. Giessen. He died at 4:35 P.M.

Robert Lindy, proprietor of the rooming house in which the deceased lived, stated to the deputy coroner that the deceased was a severe alcoholic, that he had been drunk most of the four or five months that he had lived there. Charles Small, another resident of the rooming house, said that at 4:00 A.M. June 16th he found the deceased wandering around outside the house apparently in a daze and he thought he was drunk so he brought him inside. When his condition did not improve police were called.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DONALD B. SMITH

Date June 18.

Place of Death	In yard in front of 3143 Bloomington Avenue	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs.
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	1815 East 35th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$4.60 cash; check $4.29; Billfold; Wrist Watch; 1937 fishing license
Age	23 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Distributor - Mpls. Tribune		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	x		Other effects listed on Morgue Record (No value)
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	C. A. Smith, Father
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	1815 East 35th Street

REMARKS:

Police department got the call at 1:10 A.M. today. Accident occurred just before. Gordon Lundquist and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Schultz, all of 3157 15th Avenue South, were just driving into Lundquist's garage, when they saw a hub cap rolling on the street and heard a crash. They went over to the scene of the accident, and probably are the ones who put in the call for police.

Deceased lay alongside the Ford coach on his right side, his feet still in the auto. His head was crushed, pieces of skull and brain substance and blood were scattered. The auto was up in the yard of the above address, 3143 Bloomington Avenue, badly wrecked and all tires were flat. The driver apparently was headed south. Tracks show that the car left the pavement in front of 3137 Bloomington Avenue South, went up over the curb diagonally, up a four or five-foot yard embankment, struck a tree, then the cement steps at 3143 Bloomington Avenue.

Officers J. B. Anderson, Howard and Casey were present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN P. PETERSON

Date June 18.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	44th Avenue and Lake Street	Inquest	No
Residence	Sherburne, Minnesota.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	66 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Farmer - retired		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile Accident		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
	Compound fracture of both legs		
	Concussion of brain		
Place of Burial	Dunnell, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

admitted 7:07 P.M.

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance, unconscious and unknown. He was later identified by Rev. Henry Nelson of Sherburne, Minn. Attended by Dr. Nelson. Died at 8:40 P.M.

The body was brought to the County Morgue and examined. There is a severe wide open compound fracture of tibia and fibula, at proximal third of both legs. Bruises over left eye, left forehead, nose and chin, over right malar region, left arm and wrist. Forefinger lacerated; discoloration of right wrist and elbow. Body is thin and weighs about 140 lbs.

On June 18th, 1937, at 6:15 P.M., deceased was crossing the street from south to north at 44th Avenue South & Lake Street, when he was struck by a car going west on Lake Street. The automobile was owned by Dora Wiggins, Mora, Minn., and driven by Florence M. Murphy, Mora, Minn. According to police report, witnesses stated that it appeared that deceased was confused with the traffic as he was on the street, and jumped backward and forward several times and that several other cars almost struck him. The driver stated deceased jumped in front of her car, and although she swung to the right she could not avoid him.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME KAROLYN KOHLER

Date Found June 19th

Place of Death	5104 16th Avenue South	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	5104 16th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	4 Months Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Natural		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
	Congenital heart disease and broncho pneumonia		
	Mongolianism		
Place of Burial	Frazee, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Barney Anderson,	Address	

REMARKS:

Police were called to this address at 12:50 A.M. June 19th. Mr. John Heimkes, 5100 16th Avenue South, hearing a commotion next door called police. Officer Henry Menth and Leslie B. Howard arrived two minutes later. They found the entire Kohler family on the front porch. Mr. Clarence E. Kohler was holding deceased on a pillow in his lap. Mrs. Kohler was on one corner of the porch end by her side her son John (7½) and Virginia (6). The fire department arrived at 12:58 A.M. and applied the inhalator to deceased and the others.

Capt. Duff of the Fire department is not certain if there was life present in deceased or not. Dr. W. H. Ford arrived and says there was no life then. Mrs. Kohler says she took deceased from her crib at around midnight and placed her in bed between her and husband. They went to sleep and later heard Virginia (6) in the bathroom. Mrs. Kohler went to her aid, and then Mr. Kohler went to the bathroom and found both Mrs. Kohler and Virginia on the floor. They were very dizzy and overcome. Suspecting gas poisoning they opened the windows, telephoned the fire department and carried the children out onto the porch. They do not recall shutting off any gas jets. Mrs. Kohler heated some bath water at 9 P.M. They were all in bed after ten P.M.

Police found no gas jets open. The gas company mechanic arrived but found no leak and the gas connections in good condition. When deputy coroner arrived shortly after two A.M. there was no odor of gas in the house.

Deceased was fully dressed in shirt, slip, stockings, dress, diaper and a knit jacket. Deceased was born February 18th, 1937. Dr. Ford had made a diagnosis of congenital heart disease and Mongolianism.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES RICHARD TAYLOR

Date Found June 20.

Place of Death	64 Seventh Avenue N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	523 Colfax Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$6.34 cash; billfold; knife; 20 keys; ring; watch (Elgin) with strap; F.W.S. Local 544 Membership card 1937 number 1828; Central Loan Office ticket #19162; spectacles and case; receipts; WPA form 402 notice to report for work on project - identification No.2788-895 case #8219; Municipal Court, City of Mpls, summons & complaint - dated June 15, 1937.
Age	54 Sex Male (Negro)		
Birthplace	Virginia		
Occupation	P.W.A. Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Acute and chronic alcoholism		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Zelma Yancie (Yancey) 533 North Fremont, - by order of Mrs. Ina Myrtle Taylor, wife of deceased.
Undertaker	Neal Mortuary	Address	

other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

The deceased went to visit a friend, Rudolph Kosak, of 64 7th Ave. N.E. at about 2:30 P.M. June 19th, 1937. They obtained a pint of gin and some whisky which they drank, and went for more at 4:30 P.M., according to Kosak. Kosak stated that the deceased drank most of it and became intoxicated.

Kosak said that he then went out and bought some groceries which he brought home and then went out again, returning at about 11:00 P.M. He said the deceased was sitting at the kitchen table when he came in, that they talked a few minutes and then he, Kosak, went to bed. He says he woke up at 5:30 A.M. June 20th and found the deceased lying on the kitchen floor alongside the chair on which he had been sitting. Kosak then called police.

Officers Karpinsky and Dougherty.

Mr. C. J. Lenander, Superintendent of a project at Morningside and employer of the deceased, stated that another employee, Thomas Brown of 613 6th Avenue South, had told him that the deceased had had several heart attacks.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ADELINE STELLA ESTENSON THIELMAN

Date June 20.

Place of Death	Fairview Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Seashore
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Buhl and St. Cloud, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	20 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Petersburg, N. Dak.		
Occupation	Student		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Acute endometritis, peritonitis,		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	and perforation of uterus due		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	to criminal abortion.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS: Mr. and Mrs. Emil Estenson, deceased's parents, formerly lived at Buhl, Minnesota, but moved to Estherville, Iowa, June eighth. Mrs. Estenson stated to coroner that deceased graduated from Teachers' College at St. Cloud June fourth, 1937. Deceased came to Minneapolis on June fourth and stayed with Kilbourne's, at 255 Stevens, St. Paul. Deceased told her mother that she was 1½ months pregnant; that she had an abortion performed on Sunday and Monday, June 13th and 14th; that she stayed at the place Sunday night and Monday and was brought to the Curtis Hotel on Tuesday, June 15th, by the party who had performed the abortion.

Deceased was admitted to Fairview Hospital on June 15th at 8 P.M. and treated by Dr. Looe Baker.

Fred Thielman stated to coroner that deceased told him Sunday afternoon, June 13th, when she left him at Seven Corners that she was going to a certain place to have an abortion performed. She thought it would be done that evening. Tuesday afternoon she called his home at D. G. DuBe's, 2417 29th Avenue South, and asked that he come to Curtis Hotel right away. He came to Curtis Hotel about six or six-thirty P.M. and found deceased very sick. He sent for the house doctor, Dr. Looe Baker, who immediately sent her to Fairview Hospital where she remained until she died, June 20th, at 9 P.M.

She registered as Adeline Estenson and she was married to Fred Thielman on June 18th at the hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN TICHANOVICH (PIECHANOVIC) Date June 21.

Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	4020 Main Street N.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	3709 2½ Street N.E., Col. Hts.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 63 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Russia		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Perforated bowel following		
CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide	kick to abdomen by a cow		
CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide	Contrib: Peritonitis.		
Place of Burial	St. Mery's Russian Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Stanley Kapala & Co.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has lived, and worked at odd jobs, at the home of Isadore Smoka, 3709 2½ Street, for many years. Stanley Garbocz is a nephew and the only known relative in this country.

Deceased was brought to University Hospital June 20th, admitted at 9:30 A.M., operated June 20th by Dr. Charles Rea who found a perforation of the lower ileum. There was also an incarcerated left indirect hernia of long standing. Peritonitis developed and death occurred at 7:32 A.M. June 21, 1937.

On June 16th at the farm home of John Therres, 4020 Main St. N.E., deceased was assisting Stanley Smoka and Mr. Therres attending a cow belonging to Isadore Smoka when deceased was crowded by the cow onto a fence and then kicked in the abdomen by a front leg of the cow, at 6:30 P.M. Deceased was immediately ceased with abdominal pain and taken to the office of Dr. Eich. The days following deceased vomited and suffered pain until on June 20th he was taken by automobile to University Hospital.

Body viewed at Kapala Undertaking parlors.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME STEPHEN HAUTZINGER Date Found June 21.

Place of Death	27th Avenue North & Mississippi R.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident	27 th Ave.No. & Mississippi R.	Inquest	No
Residence	1713 Washington Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	29 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Denver, Colo.		
Occupation	Acetylene torch cutter - scrap iron.		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Drowning while bathing in river.		
CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

The body was recovered about 8:20 P.M. today by Officers T. Williams and Thomas Mehan. Yesterday morning deceased went into the Mississippi River to bathe. F. Mike Stieger, living in shack by river, and Orville O'Brien, 201 37th Avenue North, heard him shout for help and tried to rescue him. Efforts to locate deceased were continued till about 8 P.M. today when the body appeared on the surface about twenty-five feet from the shore. He was actually brought to shore by Wm. Williamson, 237 21st Avenue North.

Identified by his mother, Mrs. Mary Hautzinger.

Records at the Police Department show that he had been in jail twenty-seven times for drunkenness.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HATTIE R. NELSON

Date June 21.

Place of Death	2650 Knox Avenue North	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	2650 Knox Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	50 Sex Female			
Birthplace	Welch, Minnesota			
Occupation	Housewife			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to		
H Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address		

REMARKS:

Olaf Nelson, husband, came home about 11:30 tonight and found his wife dead lying on the bedroom floor. The hall light was on; deceased apparently was about to put on her night gown when she collapsed. She was lying on her back undressed, a night gown was spread over her body. Her clothes were on a chair nearby. Her skin was slightly warm and rigor mortis had not set in.

Twice within ten days Dr. Oppen had been called to see her; he found blood pressure to be 240 systolic and higher the second call. Definite history of hypertension extending over many years. Neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Peavey, 2654 Knox Avenue North, talked with deceased after eight P.M. tonight.

Officers V. J. DeJarlais and T. P. Flaherty were present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MATHIAS ROEHL

Date June 22.

Place of Death	U. S. Veterans Hospital	Autopsy	Private by Veterans' Hospital	
Place of Accident	Wayzata Blvd., Minnetonka Twp.	Inquest	No	
Residence	Hopkins, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	45 Sex Male			
Birthplace	Minnesota			
Occupation	Farm Laborer			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Automobile			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	Contusion of brain, fracture of ribs and rupture of spleen			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Hopkins, Minnesota	Effects delivered to		
C Undertaker	Wm. Strobeck	Address		

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 12:30 A.M. June 22nd, 1937. Deceased was walking on Wayzata Blvd., one block west of Sunset Hill in Minnetonka Township, when he was struck by an automobile going west driven by Clarence Warring (24), and owned by Pete DeGrote, both of Clara City, Minnesota.

Deceased was picked up unconscious and brought by emergency ambulance to U. S. Veterans' Hospital, admitted 1:15 A.M. June 22nd and died at 6:05 P.M. June 22nd. In the ambulance was also Eldor Linschied and the driver Norman King. Dr. L. E. Nolan was given permission to hold autopsy. Deputy Coroner Callerstrom was present.

Dr. L. M. Maguire, Chief Medical Officer at Veterans' Hospital, signed the death certificate.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: ANNA PETERS

Date: June 23.

Place of Death	3012 Third Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3012 Third Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	55 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Chanhassen, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~	with arteriosclerosis		
Place of Burial	Wabasha, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	R. F. Burr	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was last seen alive as she retired at 1:00 A.M. June 23rd by her son Joseph Peters, same address. She was found dead in bed at 9:00 A.M. June 23rd, 1937.

She had been seen by Dr. H. S. Trueman of 3500 Chicago Avenue, several months ago for high blood pressure and dyspnoea. Joseph Peters stated that she often had difficulty breathing. Dr. Trueman pronounced death and later signed the death certificate.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: JOHN FRANK JOHNSON

Date: June 23.

Place of Death	Municipal Bathing Beach Wayzata, Minnesota	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Municipal Bathing Beach Wayzata, Minnesota	Inquest	No
Residence	Parkers Lake, Wayzata, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	46 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Forreston, Illinois		
Occupation	Banking employee		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Drowning while bathing.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Parkers Lake, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	S. Rettinger, Wayzata, Minn.	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. W. W. Rieke reported the following to Coroner Seashore: Deceased, his wife and son Roy Johnson (about 18), were in the water bathing and swimming. Roy Johnson told Dr. Rieke that he swam out to the swimming or diving tower; when half-way back he became exhausted and got weak and started to call for help. He went down a couple of times, finally help came to him and he was rescued. His mother then began to look for her husband, but could not find him. Search was made for him. Some boys finally found him in about five feet of water, halfway between the swimming tower and the short boat dock. Dr. Rieke worked with deceased for forty-five minutes trying to revive him.

Dr. Rieke told coroner that both deceased's wife and son were satisfied that the death was accidental and requested that Rettinger be permitted to take charge of the body. Permission was given by the coroner and the body was taken directly to Rettinger's Funeral Home. Body not viewed by coroner.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES McKAY Date June 24.

Place of Death	1209 West 22nd Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1209 West 22nd Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 50 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Glasgow, Scotland		
Occupation	Engineer		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Burd Johnston Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased died at 4:55 A.M. June 24th while lying in bed, according to his wife Louise McKay, who was with him. She stated that he had complained of pain in his chest at intervals. He seemed to be feeling all right June 23rd up until midnight when he again complained of chest pain and a feeling of indigestion and once coughed up a little blood. As he and his wife were Christian Scientists no physician was called until after death when Dr. Adam Smith was called and pronounced him dead.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CARL OLSON, also known as CHARLES OLSON Date June 24.

Place of Death	In ambulance on way to Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	311 20th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	71 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Patch-paver		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Pulmonary hemorrhage probably from unresolved double pneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Henry Lysne has been attending deceased because of double lobar pneumonia and sent him to Minneapolis General Hospital. He died before Dr. Neary in ambulance reached the hospital, at 8:16 P.M. tonight. Dr. Lysne told deputy coroner that the pneumonia was unresolved.

Body viewed at embalmer's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CECELIA LUND

Date Found June 25

Place of Death	505 Tenth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	505 Tenth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.00 cash; *4 keys; 5 brooches; Div. of Relief order #371841; Div. of Relief ice coupon #371841; Norwegian letters & papers; other papers.
Age	65 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Office cleaner - office bldgs.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record (No value)
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
			* 1 key delivered to Mrs. G. Frostad, Niece 3620 South 45th Avenue.
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Gunnar Frostad, Niece
H Undertaker	Sundseth's Funeral Home	Address	3620 South 45th Avenue To apply on funeral expenses.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead at 9:45 A.M. today by her niece, Mrs. G. Frostad, 3620 45th Avenue South, who called to take deceased to Relief offices. Mrs. Frostad saw her alive on June 22nd, 1937, and Mrs. Andrew Draheim, caretaker, saw her June 23rd. On June 22nd she was ill in bed. A General Hospital prescription box with pills bears the word "cardiac".

Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was called and officers David Anderson and Morford were present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MATHILDA BREVIG

Date June 27.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident	Stairway rear of 1024 Hennepin Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	1502 Laurel Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	51 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Elbow Lake, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Fall downstairs -		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted to the hospital June 27th, 1937, at 1:23 A.M. by Dr. Whitesell. Died at 3 A.M. today. She was brought to the hospital in General Hospital ambulance No. 1. Deceased fell down head first, twelve steps at the rear of 1024 Hennepin Avenue, to the basement floor. Her sister, Mrs. Nina Bailey, 1122 Chestnut Street, had been talking with Henry Palmer, 1024 Hennepin Avenue. They started north and deceased turned at the rear of the building too soon and fell down the stairs. She stated that deceased was not intoxicated. Deceased lived with her son Norman at 1502 Laurel Avenue.

Detectives Burns and Walter Bryant investigated the case for the police department. Deputy coroner inspected scene of accident.

Body viewed and autopsy held at Enger's Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CLARENCE M. WILHELM, JR. Date June 27.

Place of Death	Thomas Avenue Beach, Lake Calhoun	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	4024 Ewing Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	8 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	School boy.		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~		
	Accident — Drowning while bathing.		
	~~Suicide~~		
	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Billman Funeral Chapel	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found about 2:20 P.M. today by Gloria Lohmar, 12, 3517 Pillsbury Avenue, who stepped on him. Efforts to resuscitate were continued more than 1½ hours by Capt. Roy Williams, Station 27, at 46th & Nicollet. General Hospital ambulance with Dr. Silver, arrived. F. A. Husk, 920 Nicollet Avenue, administered Schaffer method until fire department arrived. Park Officer M. F. Sorenson present.

Clarence Wilhelm, father, said that the boy left the house about noon, not saying where he was going. No one knows how long he was in the water.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOSEPH KRAJNAK (KRAYNAK) Date Found June 28.

Place of Death	Found at 6th Ave. So. in Mississippi R.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1020 42nd Ave.N.E., Col. Hts.	Effects Taken in Charge	None except listed on Morgue Record (No value)
Age	46 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Czechoslovakia		
Occupation	Common Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~		
	~~Accident~~		
	Suicide — by Drowning		
	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Mary Kraynak her X mark Wife
R Undertaker	Stanley Kapala Company	Address	1020 42nd Ave. N.E.

REMARKS:

Police officers received a call at 7:40 A.M. June 28th, by a person, name unknown, who saw him floating in the river under the Hennepin Avenue Bridge.

He was identified by his wife June 29th. The wife stated to John Anderson, morgue keeper, that he had been drinking heavily and that they had had many quarrels during the past year and a half. He would often leave home for a day or two after their quarrels. She last saw him alive at about 9:00 A.M. June 26th, 1937, at which time he said he was going to work and collect a check due him at the Northern States Power Company, where he had been employed as fireman. Mr. Anderson called the Northern States Company and was informed that the deceased had been discharged for drunkenness on June fifth, 1937, and had no money coming. The wife of deceased did not know this as her husband had not told her.

She admitted to Mr. Anderson that suicide was the probable cause of death.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ELLEN NELSON Date June 28.

Place of Death	3223 37th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	3223 37th Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	Isanti, Minnesota.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	71 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Varmland, Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Fall down stairs -		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Isanti, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Edwin L. Peterson, Isanti.	Address	

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REMARKS:

Deceased and her husband were visiting their son Leonard Nelson. Deceased and her husband had been to church. They went into the house from the rear. The husband went ahead to turn on the light switch in the kitchen. Deceased followed him but turned and fell down the stairs into the basement. Dr. O. H. Fernstrom was called. Accident occurred about 10:30 P.M. June 27th and she died about 3:00 A.M. June 28th. Dr. Fernstrom stayed with deceased about three hours. Dr. Fernstrom stated she died from fracture of the skull. The son Leonard also gave history to coroner.

Body not viewed by coroner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARGARET McDONELL Date June 28.

Place of Death	1516 Seventh Street N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4236 33rd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	94 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Glengarry, Canada		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	National Funeral Home	Address	

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REMARKS:

Death occurred about five P.M. today at the home of a daughter, Mrs. P. N. Summers, where deceased had been staying the past month. There had been no complaints of illness, but a gradual failing in health. A son, A. F. McDonell, lives at 4236 33rd Avenue South, the place deceased considered her home.

Dr. Edmund Murphy saw deceased after death. Case reported to coroner's office June 30th, 1937.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at 4236 33rd Avenue South.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN KUCEK, also known as JOHN KUZEK and KUECK

Date June 30.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	7th Avenue N. & Girard	Inquest	No
Residence	722 Girard Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$65.12 cash; pouch; watch (Illinois); chain; 4 keys in case; Hotel Radisson Co. certificate No. A585 for 25 shares; Equitable Life Assurance Society of U.S. individual certificate (Life) #1821-170; Hotel Radisson Co. rider to be attached to Equitable Life certificate.
Age	About 70 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Russia		
Occupation	Dishwasher		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Auto Accident ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~ Fracture of skull	Other effects listed on Morgue Record.	
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Peter J. Kozlak, Special Adm.
C Undertaker	Kozlak Funeral Home	Address	1918 University Ave. N.E.

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance, admitted 6:47 P.M. June 29th, died at 12:05 A.M. June 30th. On admission deceased was unconscious and there was bleeding from both ears.

Body brought to Morgue and examined. There is very profuse bleeding from the left ear. Accident occurred at 6:32 P.M. June 29th at 7th Ave. N. & Girard. Max Pinsky, 722 Girard North, was driving north on Girard Avenue, when deceased jumped onto the running board as it moved up to the curb. Deceased lost his balance and fell backwards, striking his head on the pavement. Deceased lived with Mr. Pinsky and was perhaps going to ask him about something as he boarded the car.

Witnesses: Arvo Lepisto, 711 Girard Avenue North
David Kimelman, 721 Girard Avenue North.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROBERT JOHNSTON, also known as ROBERT HURLEY

Date June 30.

Place of Death	619 Tenth Street South	Autopsy	Dr. Seashore
Place of Accident	619 Tenth Street South	Inquest	No
Residence	811½ Seventh Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	Fountain pen; ring; button; hand book; picture; papers.
Age	16 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Morris, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Student		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ ~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ Unintentional Homicide Gun shot wound of chest.	Other effects listed on Morgue Record. C/o. deld to Mrs. John Hurley, Mother, 1319 - 5 Ave. So. - By Austin Voyer.	
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Effects sold at auction 12-14-38
S Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

REMARKS: Deceased was found dead by Dr. Frank Larson and Nick Polucci, driver, who came out with the ambulance. General Hospital received the call at 1:19 P.M. Police received the call at 1:22 P.M. Officers Tappan and Olson, Squad car No. 18 were the first officers to arrive after the ambulance.

Deceased was found dead sitting in a large chair with a bullet wound in his left chest. This apartment, No. 15, was occupied by Jesse Stevenson and his sons Roy and Ronald. Mrs. Agnes Burns, second floor, is said to have heard a struggle shortly before. Isabel Hoar, a young girl, said she saw Ronald use the telephone shortly before the ambulance arrived. Deputy Coroner Callerstrom, John Anderson, and Officer Ray Harrington were present when Coroner Seashore arrived. Pictures were being taken; the body had not been moved.

Ronald F. Stevenson came to police headquarters and gave a statement to Captain Mullen about 2:45 P.M. He admits shooting deceased, but claims it was accidental. He stated that Byron Hurley had left a gun in the apartment and Ronald and deceased were examining it, removing the cartridges and putting them back again. While Ronald was holding the gun "the hammer slipped and it went off". Statement of Ronald Stevenson and Byron Hurley are on file.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ARVO HOLMES

Date June 30.

Place of Death	Oak Knoll, Minnetonka Twp.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Oak Knoll, Rt. #10, Mpls.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.52 cash; purse; revolver, Savage No. 1984481; papers.
Age	35 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Finland		
Occupation	Car oiler - Great Northern Ry.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Gunshot wound of head.		
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Arvo Holmes, Wife
R Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	Route 10, Box 121B, Mpls, Minn.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead on his bed by a neighbor Olof Hertell, who noticed his car by the house and investigated as he knew the deceased should have been at work. He found him lying dead at 7:45 P.M. June 30th, 1937. He called Deputy Sheriffs F. J. Sramek and Emmett Primeau. Hertell stated that he had been nervous and has not acted like himself lately.

Cliff Sampson of 4812 12th Avenue South, stated that he had been told by a mutual friend, Ray Dupree, Oak Knoll, that Dupree and deceased had been fishing on June 28th, 1937, and that the deceased had tried to drown himself.

When found he was alone, as his wife Ellen was employed in town. He was lying fully clothed on the bed. An automatic .38 cal. Savage pistol was clenched in his right hand. The wound of entrance was one inch anterior and one inch above the right ear and was surrounded by a powder burn. The wound of exit was on the left side of the head 1½ inches above the left ear. The bullet had passed into a pillow on the bed.

He was last seen alive by a nephew, Victor Holmes, at 1:30 P.M. June 30th.

He left a suicide note giving financial reasons for his act.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANDREW DERBIS

Date July 1.

Place of Death	In ambulance on way to Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	N.P. Railroad track at Calif. St.& 22nd Ave. N.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	2115 Marshall Street N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	16 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota		
Occupation	School boy		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Railroad Accident	Probable skull fracture		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Bertch Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased died in ambulance attended by Dr. Silver. The ambulance arrived at the Minneapolis General Hospital at 7:38 P.M. Dr. Silver told deputy coroner that deceased was barely breathing when he first saw him at the place of accident. Dr. L. Johnsrud was in the receiving ward.

Deceased was on his way to Bottineau Field. He stopped on the Northern Pacific Railroad track at California Street and 22nd Avenue N.E. and was hit by an incoming passenger train. H. E. Boyer in the superintendent's office of the Northern Pacific Railroad, says that B. E. Wildes, 3890 Lyndale Avenue North, was engineer and Harold Laughlin, 1505 St. Clair Street, St. Paul, was fireman of the passenger train which was coming into Minneapolis. Mr. Wildes saw deceased just as he stepped on to the railroad track. The boy apparently was looking at a freight train going in the opposite direction. How fast the train was moving or how far deceased was thrown was not determined. Mr. Wildes also stated to policemen, Karpinsky and Storm who investigated the accident for the police department, that automatic signals were working and that he saw deceased cross the south-bound track and turn to look at his train but did not step back from the track far enough.

Witnesses: Tom Hofstead, 3011 California Street N.E.
Henry Matcoko, 1707 Grand St. N.E.
Bob Irmen, 1649 Marshall Street N.E.
Bernard Guenther, 52 18th Ave. N.E.

The family opposed an autopsy.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GUST ANDERSON — Date July 2.

Place of Death	Highway #169 Eden Prairie Twp	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	Hopkins, Route #1	Effects Taken in Charge	$10.00 cash, less .70 spent for telegram Balance 9.30 Billfold; folder; knife; watch (Waltham); chain; notebook; pipe; driver's license card 1 M60092; Auto registration card for 1937; papers. Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Age	64 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Finland		
Occupation	Laborer - carpenter		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Automobile Accident ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~ Crushed chest with rupture of aorta.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Frank J. Klotz, Spec. Adm.
C Undertaker	McDivitt Company	Address	3040 30th Avenue South

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 11:30 P.M. July second on Highway 169, Eden Prairie Township, about seventeen miles from Minneapolis, two miles west of the junction of 169 and No. 5. According to witnesses, deceased was crossing the highway from south to north when he was struck by a car going west driven by Marvin Hermanson, 2617 Harriet Avenue, car owned by Karl Bruscke, Good Thunder, Minnesota. In the car was also Mrs. F. W. Bruscke and her two daughters Ruth and Dolores. The grill of the radiator of Hermanson's car was staved in but the radiator not damaged. Death was immediate.

When coroner arrived deceased was lying on the edge of the pavement on his right side, in his right hand he was clutching a filled unopen bottle of beer. At the same instant as deceased was struck Gordon Martz (29), of Marshall, Minnesota, driving east on Highway 169 was to pass the Hermanson car and saw deceased also and almost struck him. The lights of the cars blinded the drivers. Deceased's car was parked aside the highway about one-fourth mile away from the accident, toward Minneapolis and was heading toward Shakopee. His car had a right rear tire flat. There were no tools for changing tires in the car, only a hammer and one wrench.

The body was taken to the Hennepin County morgue. It shows numerous bruises to the hands, arms and face; fractures of leg and numerous ribs, and the chest is caved in by the injuries. There is no odor of alcohol noticeable. The body is pale and internal hemorrhage apparent. (Autopsy held July 6, 1937)

Deputy Sheriffs F. E. Lyman, James Finnegan and others investigated.

Records at the Police Department show that he was drunk May 16, 1936.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANDREW KORMAN — Date July 2.

Place of Death	1518 Third Street North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1518 Third Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	56 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Russia		
Occupation	Coach Cleaner		
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural Coronary sclerosis ~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 6:30 P.M. July second. Deceased was seated in a chair in the kitchen and suddenly slumped over dead. The wife and family were present. Deceased has been ailing for many years. He was a patient at the Minneapolis General Hospital June 18th, 1924, diagnosed by Dr. Botchner as coronary arteriosclerosis, old coronary thrombosis and mitral insufficiency with stenosis.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PETER ANDERSON Date July 2.

Place of Death	Deephaven	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Wayzata, Minn. R.R. #2	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	69 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Caretaker		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Groveland Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Strobeck Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. M. H. Seifert of Excelsior, Minnesota, stated to coroner that he was called to deceased's home about 8 P.M. When he arrived deceased was dead. He had attended deceased about three years ago for cardiac decompensation. He said deceased died suddenly and his opinion was that the cause of death was coronary disease.

Mr. Strobeck stated that deceased died suddenly while he was talking to two of his neighbors on the porch, Charley Weatherwax and Albert Fisher.

Body not viewed by coroner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MAURICE JAMES ROSCOE Date July 3.

Place of Death	Lake Minnetonka - Casco Point Orono Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	Navarre, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	21 Sex Male		
Occupation	Salesman, water softening equipment.		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Drowning while diving.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	J. M. Gleason Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

According to Mrs. E. S. Story, who lives near the beach at which deceased drowned, he left the cottage at 9:00 A.M. July third, 1937, to go swimming with Lucille Saracen, aged 21, Phyllis Roscoe, age 14, and Helen Story, age 12. Mrs. Story said the children returned about 10:30 or 10:45 and said they couldn't find Maurice, that he had been diving but now they could not see him. Mrs. Story ran down to the beach and got some swimmers to dive for him, and one of them, Foster Merrill of Casco Point, found him and brought him in.

Dr. Wilkinson of Wayzata and the pulmotor from Wayzata, worked on him and Dr. Wilkinson pronounced death.

He had a small laceration 1/2 inch long at the outer border of the right eyebrow.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MAE M. BERGMAN

Date July 3.

Place of Death	3258 Ulysses Street N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3237 Nicollet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	48 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Saginaw, Mich.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Superior, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Billman Funeral Chapel	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was of the Christian Science faith and has never been treated or examined by any doctor. Attended by Miss Ada Day, a Christian Science Practitioner.

She has been ailing for some time, general debility, and at 4 A.M. she began having difficult respiration and gradually expired at 11:30 A.M. She was at the home of her parents, John J. Beck.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN J. MAZDON

Date July 3.

Place of Death	Crystal Lake, 40th & Beard Av., Robbinsdale.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	720 Adams Street N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	24 Sex Male		None except listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Glove cutter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Drowning while diving.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
Undertaker	Bertch Mortuary	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38

REMARKS:

Lifeguard Ralph LaBarge of 4167 Zane Avenue, Robbinsdale, says he was in the bathhouse watching the beach, that he saw deceased run out on the board to dive, then slip or falter as he was diving so that he hit the board. He went out to the place immediately together with others, and the body was recovered about 5:25 P.M. by Peter Ruffenach of Robbinsdale, a volunteer lifeguard, in about eighteen feet of water fifty feet from shore. The deceased had made the last dive at about 5:20 P.M. and had been at the beach only about fifteen minutes.

Dr. Colp, Jr., and Dr. Hawkinson of Robbinsdale, worked on him and pronounced death. Minneapolis Fire Department station No. 5 used the pulmotor on him for fifty minutes.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OTTO A. WILSON Date July 3.

	Place of Death	736 E, 16th Street	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	736 E. 16th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	46 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Kansas City, Mo.		
	Occupation	Guard at Post Office		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Clothes Destroyed 12-1-38
R	Undertaker	John M. Gleason	Address	By John Anderson, Morgue Supt.

None except listed on Morgue Record No value

REMARKS:

Mr. Jay Donoghue of 1706 E. 27th Street, says that he came to the room of the deceased to visit him at 9:00 P.M. July third. The deceased opened the door to admit him, made the customary salutations and sat down on the bed, remarking that he felt fine. Donoghue then started to sit down when he looked over toward the bed and saw the deceased slump over on his side. He called a neighbor, E. J. Tourangeau, who called police.

Dr. Silver of the General Hospital pronounced death, which is said to have occurred at 9:10 P.M.

Officers Martin Ecklund and Dave Little investigated.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OLUF A. SORUM Date July 3.

	Place of Death	Asbury Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy (Dr. Noran)
	Place of Accident	Sauk Center, Minnesota.	Inquest	No
	Residence	Hillsboro, N. Dak.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	70 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Waukon, Iowa		
	Occupation	Merchant - groceries.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile Fracture of right leg, and hemorrhage of brain with bronchopneumonia.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Hillsboro, N. Dak.	Effects delivered to	
S	Undertaker	Lee Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

According to report given by Asbury Hospital to coroner, deceased was admitted June 17th, 6:30 P.M. He died July third at 10:45 P.M. On June 14th at Sauk Center deceased was riding in the back seat of a car when a rear tire blew out. The car swerved and struck another car in front of it. Deceased became unconscious immediately and remained so for two days, and was disorientated until his death. The hospital stated that he had a laceration of the scalp, fracture of right leg at the junction of the middle with the distal third, also a fracture of neck of fibula, contusion of right hand and laceration of right forearm. He was treated by Dr. R. C. Webb.

Body viewed by coroner at Lee Mortuary. Both right tibia and fibula fractured at junction of middle and lower third; wound at the site of the fracture - appeared to be compound fracture.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HARRIET D. CUSHING Date July 3.

Place of Death	3224 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	3224 Nicollet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	94 Sex Female			
Birthplace	North Yarmouth, Maine			
Occupation	Housewife			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerosis			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to		
S Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address		

REMARKS:

Deceased had been under the care of Abigail Thompson, Christian Science practitioner. She being away, F. W. Hewitt, Northwestern Bank Bldg., attended her the last day and reported the case to the coroner.

He stated the deceased had gradually failed and had gradually become weaker until she died, at about 7:30 P.M.

Body viewed by coroner at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SHIRLEY HAWKINSON Date July 4.

Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident	Alvarado, Minnesota	Inquest	No	
Residence	Alvarado, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	1 year Sex Female			
Birthplace	Oslo, Minnesota			
Occupation	Infant			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Foreign bodies (pieces of eggshell) in trachea and bronchi, with edema of glottis.			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Warren, Minnesota	Effects delivered to		
S Undertaker	O. H. Oakley	Address		

REMARKS:

Admitted July 4th at 2 A.M. Died 8:05 P.M. Accident occurred July third. Deceased had gotten pieces of eggshell into trachea and bronchi. Dr. H. M. Blegan of Warren, Minnesota, sent her into the hospital. Dr. Hurd treated her at the hospital. He made both a bronchoscopy and tracheotomy before she died.

Body not viewed by coroner.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: DEAN ISENBERG

Date: July 4.

Place of Death	Eitel Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	3/4 mile east of Paynesville, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	Atwater, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	2 years Sex Male		
Birthplace	Atwater, Minn.		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Railroad & auto - Fracture of skull and left arm.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Atwater Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Bernhard A. Holm, Atwater, Minnesota.	Address	

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REMARKS:

Admitted at 10:30 P.M.; died at 10:35 P.M. Deceased was brought in to 42nd and Camden North, from Paynesville, Minnesota, by a Soo Line train, and from there brought by ambulance to the hospital. Died shortly after being admitted. Drs. U. S. Anderson and Harper pronounced deceased dead.

The car in which deceased was riding was struck by a Soo Line train at Paynesville at 6:00 P.M. Four were killed and Mr. & Mrs. Ernest Harris were injured and brought to Eitel Hospital with deceased. Accident occurred on a private road into a farm house in Stevens County, 3/4 mile east of Paynesville. The mother, Mrs. Lois Isenberg, lives at Atwater.

Body viewed by coroner at county morgue. Fracture of left arm at midpoint; abrasions on back, on top of both feet, on both legs anteriorly, on both lips; severe abrasions and friction burns over left forehead, left side of head (parietal region) in forehead slightly to right of midline. Severe bruise with discoloration and swelling back of right ear extending backward about three inches and upward about 3½ inches. A depressed area in middle about two inches in diameter; fracture of skull at this place -- no bleeding from nose or ears.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: ALBERT CARLSON

Date Found: July 5.

Place of Death	Great Northern Power house near 1st St. N. & Mississippi River	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	202 Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	57 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Acute alcoholism		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
Undertaker	John A. Anderson, Mpls.	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38

None except listed on Morgue Record

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REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead by Albin Lofgren, 220 Hennepin Avenue, about 2 A.M. Lofgren was intoxicated so was unable to give very much information. Officers Hays and Olson were first on the scene, later Eisenkraemer arrived.

Deceased was lying next to a pile of lumber (sills), about two or three feet high. Transients are in the habit of sleeping on the ground in this vicinity, both colored and white. Two men were present, one Grover Harlan, Tama, Iowa, also Robert Palmer, Seattle, Washington. Deceased was lying on his back, head south and feet north. Near him were two empty pint bottles. One gave the odor of whiskey or alcohol. The other one was a round bottle marked "denatured alcohol - poison - Island Drug Company, 35 East Hennepin." Deceased had several abrasions on the nose, forehead and left temple, probably received while rolling on the ground. No bruises or injuries visible. Rigor mortis just starting in when examined about 3 A.M.

Tattoo "H" back of left hand at base of thumb and a little toward the inside.
Figure "1" back of index finger
"S" or "5" back of ring finger
"O" back of little finger.

Relief records show that deceased was born June 19, 1880; has been on relief since February, 1929, came to this country in 1907 and to Minneapolis in 1913. He was a very heavy drinker; has no relatives in this country but a brother John in Sweden. Police records show that he had been in the workhouse fifteen times since May 19, 1928.

Identified July 6th, 1937, by Carl Johnson, no permanent address, who has known him for twenty years, also by Christopher Strand, 119 Nicollet Avenue.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SOREN UDBYE

Date July 5.

Place of Death	66th Street & 12th Ave. So. Richfield Village	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	66th Street & 12th Ave. So. Richfield Village	Effects Taken in Charge	1934 12 keys; auto registration card; driver's license card M58244; Standard Emp. Co. order #452; Marquette National Bank savings department bank book #9570 showing balance of $21.61.
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Denmark		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Oakhill Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Gudrun Udbye, Daughter, 5230 33rd Avenue South, and Lilyan Udbye, Daughter, Fairview Hospital.
S Undertaker	Barney Anderson & Son	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was rooming and boarding with E. C. Peterson, same address, from whom he was renting some land.

Deceased had not been feeling well yesterday. This morning he had severe pain radiating down his left arm and also precordial pain. Dr. L. A. Stelter was sent for. When he arrived deceased was dead. Dr. Stelter gave coroner the information. C. E. Martin, Assistant Superintendent of the Morgue, brought the body to the morgue where the coroner viewed the same.

Deceased is divorced; has a daughter Lilyan Udbye, a nurse in training at Fairview Hospital. He was born April 27, 1888.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WALLACE J. BAUER

Date July 6

Place of Death	Crystal Village	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Crystal Village	Inquest	No
Residence	5136 Lyndale Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$6.52 cash; 46¢ postage stamps; billfold; key; spectacle case; ring; watch case (wrist) with strap; comb; knife; driver's license card X15072; used car guarantee; 6 snap shots; Social Security Act card Acct #427-01-0252; papers.
Age	20 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Aldrich, Minnesota		
Occupation	Clerical Work		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
CAUSE OF DEATH — Automobile Accident	Crushing of skull		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Leo N. J. Bauer, Father
H Undertaker	Flynn-Wagner Mortuary	Address	5136 Lyndale Avenue South

REMARKS:

Accident occurred about 1:30 A.M. today, four miles north of Minneapolis and one-half mile north of Robbinsdale on Highway No. 52. A Greyhound bus and a Ford Roadster collided. A. P. Ditter, 4843 Dupont Avenue North, driver of the bus, told deputy coroner that he was north bound for Winnepeg with twenty-four passengers. He was on the crown of the high viaduct when he saw the lights of an automobile turn to his side of the highway and a head-on collision resulted about 45 feet north from the bridge. No one on the bus was injured. The left front of the bus was badly damaged.

Mr. Ditter turned toward the outer hip of the highway as far as he dared, to avoid oncoming car. The Ford was thrown north, landing at least eighteen paces from the point of the collision. Deceased was thrown out of the car into the middle of the highway and his body was moved by deputy sheriffs to the west side of the highway before deputy coroner arrived.

Injuries: skull badly crushed, multiple lacerations of face and upper lip, compound fracture of left humerus, fracture of mandible, multiple abrasions of both hands and dorsum of left forearm, both knees and top of left foot.

Deputy Sheriffs Eckdahl and Primeau investigated the case for the sheriff's office.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANNA SOPHIA ROSLUND

Date July 6.

Place of Death	2501 Bryant Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2501 Bryant Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	82 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Swanson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was last seen alive at 11:30 A.M. by another roomer, Cora Reddick, who states that the deceased was in her room talking to her and left the room at that time. Lunch was prepared and when the deceased did not appear, Miss Reddick searched for her, opened the bathroom door and saw her sitting on the toilet and apparently dead. Dr. Cutts was called and pronounced death.

When seen by deputy coroner she was still sitting on the stool, leaning backward and to the side against the wall. The history shows progressive weakness in recent months.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SHIRLEY EVELYN HODGEMAN

Date July 6.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Cedar Ave. outside of 2112.	Inquest	No
Residence	2103 Cedar Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	4 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Auto Accident	Fracture of skull and pelvis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Accident occurred on Cedar Avenue outside of 2112 at 12:05 P.M. Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital in a private car; admitted 12:22 P.M. and died at 12:40 P.M.

According to police, deceased ran west across Cedar Avenue and on to the rear wheel of the truck. The truck was going south on Cedar Avenue driven by Clifford Aagaard, 4109 31st Avenue South, owned by S. J. Groves & Sons, 509 Wesley Temple Building.

Witnesses: Ed Cole, 1301 40th St. N.
Henry Nelson, 1335 LaSalle, Apartment A
Dave Hart, 412 Sixth Street South
Ben Cox, 2113 Cedar Avenue
Kenneth Aagaard, 4109 31st Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LESTER GEORGE OLSON Date July 6.

Place of Death	3537 20th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3537 20th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	39 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Maiden Rock, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Cafe Owner		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Maiden Rock, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Gill Brothers	Address	

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REMARKS:

Deceased was seated on a couch on the front porch of his home with his son Jackie (10) when at 3:30 he suddenly fell forward dead, off the couch and on to the porch floor. Arriving on the scene were Mrs. O. R. Rolfson, 3533 20th Avenue South, Mr. H. Barker, 3528 20th Avenue South, and others.

Deceased had just come from the office of Dr. Salt, LaSalle Building, who stated that he had seen deceased only this one time. He diagnosed the case as chronic myocardial disease with an acute decompensation.

There is considerable edema of feet and ankles. About six years ago deceased was let out from railroad service on account of a heart condition. He has been quite sick the last two weeks spitting blood, dyspnea, and losing weight.

Officers Howard and Anderson present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BERNARD O. KJELLESVIG Date July 7.

Place of Death	Front of 4000 Minnehaha	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4024 37th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	61 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Stationary engineer - Laundry		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Apoplexy		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	

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REMARKS:

Deceased worked as a janitor at Dargavel's Pharmacy, 4000 Minnehaha. He had been down to the basement to get a hose and had just attached it to the faucet in front to sprinkle the sidewalk when he suddenly collapsed and died. A Mr. Frank Boike of 3948 39th Avenue South, was passing by in his car and saw him, stopped and ran to him and called for aid.

A son of the deceased, Sigurd Kjellesvig of 4024 37th Avenue South, stated that the deceased had a stroke about two years ago from which he was partially paralyzed. The son refused autopsy.

The time of death was about 9:15 A.M. Dr. J. W. Olson of 4012 Minnehaha pronounced death. Officers Hall and Boike present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MIKE YURIK

Date July 7.

Place of Death	Plymouth Township - Medicine Lake	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	116 21st Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Ring None except listed on Morgue Record
Age	13 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota		
Occupation	Schoolboy		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Drowning while swimming		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	John Yurik, Father
R Undertaker	Walter A. Anderson	Address	116 21st Avenue South

REMARKS:

Deceased was a Boy Scout, staying at the Children's Gospel Mission Scout camp at the Mission Grove Farm at Medicine Lake. The matron of the camp is Miss Matie Volstad.

Assistant Scoutmaster Roy Angove of 5345 15th Avenue South, said that he took the boys swimming at the beach which is near Bowman's store on the west side of the lake, about 9:00 A.M. He said that he warned the deceased against going out into deep water, but he went out anyway. At 9:55 A.M. he went down, called for help. Donald Myers, age 14, who was with him, attempted rescue, but was pulled under himself, and was rescued by Ralph Bowman, age 13.

The body of deceased was recovered at 10:15 A.M. 75 feet from shore in six feet of water, by Tom Milner of Medicine Lake. The Minneapolis Fire Department attempted resuscitation, and Dr. Warham pronounced death.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HATTIE LINDAHL

Date July 7.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Monroe & Lowry N.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	1607 Jefferson St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	66 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Center City, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident (Automobile) / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Subdural hemorrhage and fracture of ribs.		
Place of Burial	Harris, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 3:25 P.M. July 5th, 1937, at Monroe and Lowry N.E. Deceased was a passenger inan automobile owned and driven by her husband, Magnus Lindahl. Mr. Lindahl was attempting to drive across Lowry on Monroe, driving south, when he was struck on the left side by a car, Buick coupe, going west on Lowry driven by Evelyn Marie Holton, 2203 Johnson Street N.E., and owned by Mrs. John Holton. Mr. Lindahl and deceased were thrown out of their car.

Deceased was taken by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital and transferred from there July sixth to Swedish Hospital. Mr. Lindahl was taken by ambulance to Swedish Hospital direct. Deceased expired at 10:13 P.M. July 7th.

Mr. Lindahl states that he was driving south on Monroe. He stopped for the "through street" signal at Lowry. There were two cars stopped in front of his car. As they moved forward he also moved along with his car in second speed when struck.

Officer Sorrenson reports that he witnessed the accident. He was on his way to the East Side Station and going east on Lowry. As the accident occurred he says he was sixty feet from the west intersection of Monroe. The Lindahl car came in front of the other car and had not stopped for the through street on Lowry. The officer wrote out a tag for Lindahl and says he handed it to Officer Bolin of the accident squad. Sorrenson did not see any cars precede the Lindahl car.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN CHRISTOPHER McCORMICK Date Found July 9.

Place of Death	1923 Hillside Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1923 Hillside Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	64 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Canada		
Occupation	Sawyer, Sash & Door Factory		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic endocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Anthony Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was last seen alive when he retired at 9 P.M. July eighth, 1937. He was found dead at 7:00 A.M. July ninth, lying in bed. His wife, same address, says he had arthritis a number of years ago which Dr. Leonard, the family physician, told them had affected the heart. He had not had medical attention for about two years. He had complained of pain in his heart all day July eighth.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE BARTOSH Date July 9.

Place of Death	#8 South Second Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	#8 South Second Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$.02 cash; notebook; knife; billfold; misc. cards
Age	60 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Common laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Acute and chronic alcoholism		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Helen M. Bartosh, Daughter,
H Undertaker	Heinrich's Funeral Home	Address	2210 Oliver Avenue North

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

About 5:15 P.M. today deceased was found dead lying dressed on his bed, by clerk Larry Doyle. Mr. Doyle saw him alive at 1 A.M. today. Officer H. J. Todd was present. General Hospital ambulance was not called.

Mr. Doyle stated that deceased had been drinking heavily. Deceased was in rigor mortis, apparently had not moved after lying down.

Daughter Helen Bartosh, 2210 Oliver Avenue North, notified.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM JAMES STAPLETON

Date July 10.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3520 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	69 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Funeral Director		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Broncho pneumonia and carcinoma of tongue with metastasis of cervical glands, and bruising of brain, cause of injury unknown - probably accidental.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Stapleton Co (by M. C. Moore)	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital by emergency ambulance; admitted 2:59 A.M. June 5, 1937, by Dr. Whitesell. Dr. Whitesell and the receiving nurse, Alice Turner, state that there was an odor of alcohol to the breath. He was examined by Dr. Tingdale, house physician, who records that he found a small swelling of the left forehead; lacerated supra-orbital ridge (two sutures taken); laceration of left upper lip; bruised right elbow and swollen knee. Deceased remained semi-conscious for several days and could not say, at first, what had happened to him or how he came to be injured. He was attended by Drs. Tingdale and Phillip Sorrenson. No Xrays were taken. During the later days at the hospital deceased developed a temperature with bronchopneumonia.

No report of accident involving deceased had been made to police department before his death.

Mr. Howard Sherbin and Norman King, ambulance drivers for Emergency Ambulance Company, stated that at 2:43 A.M. June fifth, as they were driving out of their garage at 322 Sixth Street South, they noticed an object lying on the street at the northwest corner of Fourth Avenue and Sixth Street South. They found the object to be a man, lying on his back, feet and part of body out on the streetcar tracks, and head outside of outer rail toward the northwest corner of the sidewalk and curb. Deceased was unconscious and bleeding from his lip. They placed him in their ambulance and brought him to Minneapolis General Hospital. They state an unidentified man about forty years old appeared on the scene at the same time as they. He was asked if he saw what happened and the man stated he was walking north on Sixth Street between Fourth and Fifth Avenue when it appeared to him that deceased was thrown out of a car going down Sixth Street and turning left on Third Avenue. There was a streetcar standing at Fourth Avenue & Sixth St. So. ready to turn and go north on Sixth Street. The streetcar operator did not come out of the car.

Dr. Phillip Sorenson stated to coroner that deceased at first was unable to state what had happened to him. Later, however, he said he had been struck by an auto. Dr. Sorenson also stated that deceased was given paraldehyde because he thought deceased was suffering more or less from delirium, also stated that there was a laceration

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK SMITH

Date July 11.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	East Island & E. Hennepin Ave.	Inquest	No
Residence	30 Eastman Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	76 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Caretaker - Park Board		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile Fracture of skull		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			

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about two inches long over the right elbow, which later became infected (bursitis), and also some lacerations of the face and scalp.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM JAMES STAPLETON

Date July 10.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3520 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	69 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Funeral Director		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Broncho pneumonia and carcinoma of tongue with metastasis of cervical glands, and bruising of brain, cause of injury unknown - probably accidental.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK SMITH

Date July 11.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	East Island & E. Hennepin Ave.	Inquest	No
Residence	30 Eastman Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	76 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Caretaker - Park Board		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile Fracture of skull		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Chicago, Illinois	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted July 9th, 1937, at 2:01 P.M. by Dr. LaBree; attended by Drs. Johnsrud and L. C. Gilman. Died at 7:26 A.M. today. Deceased was hit by an Overland driven west on East Hennepin Avenue by Roy Pach, 2201 Hayes Street N.E. Deceased became confused in traffic and stepped out in front of the automobile. Mr. Pach drove to the side of the street to avoid him.

Officers Albro and Bezick investigated the case for the police department.

Xray showed an extensive fissure fracture involving the frontal bone on the right side; also fracture of left fibula; a large hematoma of scalp right side, and also of both right eyelids were present.

Witnesses: Shirley Ginter, 2201 Hayes St. N.E.
Ben Flork, 206 Second Avenue N.
Frank Boutch, Arcadia, Minn.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Minneapolis General Hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GERHARD NORVOLD ROISUM Date July 11.

Place of Death	Fish Lake, Maple Grove Twp.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Fish Lake, Maple Grove Twp.	Inquest	No
Residence	2714 Second Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	35 Sex Male		None except listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Willmar, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Laborer - Plumbing.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Drowning while bathing.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. G. Roisum, Wife
H Undertaker	Memorial Funeral Home	Address	2714 Second Street North

REMARKS:

Accident occurred about 7 A.M. today. Deceased was out about thirty feet from shore and near Victoria Kistler, 3909 44th Avenue South, when he suddenly grabbed at her bathing suit, shouted for help and disappeared beneath the water. A sudden drop-off is at this point and the depth is about twenty feet. The body was recovered at 8:15 A.M. today by Deputy Sheriffs Primeau and Sramek, who brought him up with the hook.

Deceased could not swim. Among those in the water nearby were:

Victor Schellen, 1131 Emerson Avenue North
Mrs. Laura Toyer, 3842 Xerxes Avenue North
Mr. & Mrs. Hall, 1112 Eighth Avenue North
R. J. Wouohn, 324 16th Avenue North
Ed. Knox, 1112 Eighth Avenue North.

Ed. Knox helped recover the body. The call for sheriffs office was made by L. Troy, farmer, whose farm adjoins Fish Lake.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HENRY BRADFORD Date July 11.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	5338 40th Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	5338 40th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	85 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sacramento, Calif.		
Occupation	Stationery Engineer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Terminal broncho-pneumonia following fracture of right femur from fall due to paralytic stroke.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted July fifth, 1937, at 2:27 P.M. by Dr. Egil Hanson. Attended by Dr. Bud Agaard. Died at 3:05 P.M. today.

Deceased had a paralytic stroke in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Grace Hoas. She called Dr. M. L. Cable, who referred deceased to Minneapolis General Hospital. Xray showed fractured right femur. Terminal bronchial pneumonia developed. History of a light stroke in 1932.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HARRIS F. ATWOOD

Date July 11.

Place of Death	3712 Blaisdell Avenue	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	3712 Blaisdell Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	81 Sex Male			
Birthplace	Wisconsin			
Occupation	Farmer			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	LeRoy, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to		
H Undertaker	Werness Bros.	Address		

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 7:30 P.M. today in deceased's home in the presence of his wife. History of cardiac trouble for years. Deceased has been under the care of Mary L. Ross, Christian Science practitioner.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM WEIR DUNN, JR.

Date July 13.

Place of Death	5415 43rd Avenue South	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	5415 43rd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	20 Sex Male			
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.			
Occupation	Student			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Carbon monoxide poisoning from automobile exhaust.			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to		
C Undertaker	Joe Billman	Address		

REMARKS:

Deceased lived with his parents. When they left home at 6:30 A.M. he was still in bed. When the father arrived home at 3:50 P.M. he found deceased seated in the front seat of the automobile in the garage. The engine was not running but the garage was full of gas. A piece of garden hose was connected to the exhaust pipe and led into the right rear window of the car, and an old quilt packed into the opening of the window. The hose was connected to the exhaust pipe by adhesive tape and an extra piece of pipe.

The body is very pink as from gas poisoning. Fire department and General Hospital attendants arrived, also Officers Patrick and Franklin.

About six months ago deceased attempted to take his life by jumping off from a bridge near Soldiers' Home. He was injured and laid up at General Hospital two months. Deceased has been melancholy and depressed for some time.

Body taken directly to undertaker's.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANCIS WILLIAM HUCH Date July 13.

Place of Death	Wolsfeld Lake, Medina Twp.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Wolsfeld Lake, Medina Twp.	Inquest	No
Residence	1119 Dupont Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$.10 cash; billfold; key; ring; comb; N.W.Natl.Bk. & Trust Co. North American office savings department bank book #38427 showing balance of $1.00; papers.
Age	39 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Baker-Delivery		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Drowning while bathing		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Hospital	Effects delivered to	Winnifred Anna Huch, Sister
S Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	1418 Fremont Avenue North

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

Delivered to
Anna C. Raths, Sister,
1116 Dupont Avenue North.

REMARKS:

Joe Gemlo, 633 Taylor St. N.E., Oscar Olson, 2101 22nd Avenue N., and Carl Larson, 719, 14th Avenue North, picked up deceased at Third & Plymouth Avenue North shortly after 9 A.M. Deceased went bathing in the lake about 11:15 A.M. and drowned immediately. The body was recovered in thirty feet of water at 3:15 P.M. by Wayzata Fire Department, and brought to the County Morgue by John Anderson, where it was viewed by the coroner.

Deputy Sheriffs G. Timmers and O. C. Thompson investigated the case.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DONALD THOMAS DE LAITTRE Date July 13.

Place of Death	Abbott Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Rear of 1821 1st Ave. So.	Inquest	No
Residence	1816 Stevens Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	5 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Auto Accident	Rupture of liver with intra-		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	abdominal hemorrhage		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	McDivitt Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to Abbott Hospital by Emergency ambulance at 4:34 P.M. July tenth, 1937, from his home, under the care of Drs. E. D. Anderson and Archa Wilcox. According to the police, the deceased was struck by a car driven by Mrs. K. R. Cochrane of 1821 First Avenue South, Apartment 6, as she was backing out of her driveway. The time of the accident was 4:00 P.M. July tenth.

On July 12th an operation was performed by Dr. Wilcox, according to the hospital resident Dr. S. E. Pratt, and a ruptured liver with intra-abdominal hemorrhage was found. He died at 4:00 P.M. July 13th.

On examination, injuries were found to consist of a superficial abrasion of the left thigh, multiple superficial abrasions of the back, and an abrasion of the left elbow, also a sutured operative wound of the upper abdomen.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES WILLIAM DORAN

Date Found July 14.

Place of Death	Y.M.C.A., 9th & LaSalle Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	213 W. 5th St., St. Paul, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	47 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Gunshot wound of head.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Calvary Cemetery, St. Paul	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Charles Godbout & Son, St. Paul, Minnesota.	Address	

REMARKS:

The manager of the Y.M.C.A., Mr. C. M. Jahndreau of 5353 James Avenue South, said that when the maids knocked on the door of the deceased's room the afternoon of July 13th, 1937, he answered saying he did not want to be disturbed. The last time was 4:30 P.M. July 13th. He was found dead at 11:00 A.M. July 14th, 1937, by a maid, Sylvia Walker, lying in bed in his room.

A brother of the deceased, George Doran of 3744 46th Avenue South, said that he last saw him alive at 4:00 A.M. 13, 1937, at Lake & Nicollet, where they separated after having been together. He stated that the deceased was a heavy drinker and had been in rather poor health from arthritis. He stated, however, that the deceased had never threatened suicide.

He had stayed at the Y.M.C.A. about three weeks, previous to which he lived in St. Paul.

When found he was lying in bed, clad in his underwear, a .25 caliber Fabrique-Darmes Automatic Pistol clenched in his right hand. The wound of entrance is one inch in front of the upper part of the right ear surrounded by powder burns. There was no wound of exit, but the bullet and shattered bone were palpable in the left temporal region one inch in front of the left ear.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SOPHIA SILVER

Date July 14.

Place of Death	1336 Sheridan Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1336 Sheridan Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 62 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Rumania		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Apoplexy		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	United Brotherhood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Zeesman Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased died at 11:30 P.M. July 14, 1937, in the presence of her brother, Mr. Mendel Leibowitz who was visiting her from New York, and some of her children. She had been in fair health until two weeks ago at which time Dr. Geo. Cutts had been called to the house because she had a pain in her chest, which was called a "cold". She recovered from that and seemed to feel well until 11:10 P.M. at which time she "fainted" or collapsed following a minor family argument, and did not recover consciousness.

Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was called. Officers Heglund and Didrickson present.

When seen by deputy coroner, the face was drawn over to the left, indicating a probable stroke.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK HUOTTE

Date July 14.

Place of Death	Interlachen Park region Edina Village	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3425 E. 54th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$.05 cash; knife; key.
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Well driller		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Margaret Huotte, Wife
Undertaker	Bostrom Mortuary	Address	3425 E. 54th Street.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

(No value)

REMARKS:

Mrs. H. L. Schaefer, Hopkins, R.R., stated to coroner that deceased, together with Stanley Eckberg, 2722 Pleasant Avenue South, was working at her home installing a pump in a well. He had worked all day when late in the afternoon he became sick with a pain in the chest and difficulty in breathing. He asked for some soda. Dr. Kucera of Hopkins was sent for, but deceased was dead when he arrived.

He told coroner that deceased had complained of symptoms of coronary disease. The ambulance came out from Minneapolis. Permission was given the ambulance attendants to bring the body to the morgue.

Deceased was working for the Hemple Well Company, 5815 Nicollet Avenue. Schaefer's home is near the Interlachen Park in the Mirror Lake Region. The body was brought to the morgue at 5 P.M. by R. P. Zimmersheid and Melvin Kost of the Harry Smith ambulance service. Deceased died about 3:50 P.M.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GILBERT BRABANT

Date Found July 15.

Place of Death	1307 East River Road	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1307 East River Road	Effects Taken in Charge	Revolver, Harrington & Richardson Arms Co. #228084; 6 cartridges; 1 empty cartridge.
Age	62 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Henderson, Minn.		
Occupation	Truck Driver - Swain-Farmer Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Gunshot wound in head		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	and property of Jens Jorgenson
Undertaker	Rainville Company	Address	1307 E. River Road.

REMARKS:

Deceased was a widower and lived with a step-son Jens Jorgensen. The Jorgensen's last saw deceased alive at 8:30 P.M. July 14th. He was then in bed in his room. He was found dead this morning at 6:45 A.M. by Mr. Jorgensen. Deceased was in a basement toilet room slumped to one side on the seat. By his side was a revolver, one cartridge discharged.

The bullet entered the right temple, one inch above the right ear. The wound is charred and powder-marked. The bullet did not emerge.

Deceased has had cancer of the rectum for one year. Has been a patient at the General Hospital and at Deaconess Hospital. He suffered a great deal of pain.

The revolver belonged to Jorgensen and has been kept in deceased's trunk for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Cameron, nephew, 801 15th Avenue North, arrived on the scene.

Body viewed at home and taken direct to undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: CLARA ANNA CHARLES — Date: July 15.

Place of Death	3210 Knox Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	3210 Knox Avenue North	Inquest	No
Residence	3210 Knox Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	42 Sex Female		
Birthplace	New Ulm, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / ~~Accident~~ / Suicide / ~~Homicide~~	Illuminating gas poisoning		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Kenneth Charles, twenty-year-old son of the deceased, returned home about 6:30 P.M. today. He smelled gas when he stood by the door. He had no housekey, but went into the basement through a south window. He found his mother dead lying near the north wall of the basement. Gas was escaping through a tube pulled through a small hole in a five-inch basin, and this basin was near her nose. The other end of this 3/8-inch hose, four feet long, was attached to the main intake gas pipe. She lay on a blanket, her head on a pillow and a comforter was over her body. She was dressed in her pajamas.

Kenneth turned off the gas, phoned for Dr. Noonan, who called the police department. Efforts at resuscitation were made by fire department. General Hospital ambulance was there.

Dr. Noonan, family physician, told deputy coroner that he had known deceased many years as doctor and friend, and that many times she had threatened to kill herself. He stated that he called on her yesterday. Mental instability had been noticed for nearly fifteen years.

The husband, Wilbur Charles, moved away from his family to 1332 Nicollet Avenue, six weeks ago.

Officers Diedrickson and Heglund were present. Remains were removed to Gill Bros. funeral directors.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: ALBERT K. HANSON — Date: July 17.

Place of Death	Univ. Ave. S.E. near 2425	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Univ. Ave. S.E. near 2425	Inquest	No
Residence	229 Cedar Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$156.40 cash; billfold; card case; knife; 2 keys; spectacles (broken) and case; wrist watch (Elgin) with bracelet; Chi. Milw. St.P. & P. R.R. button; notebook; picture; receipts; papers.
Age	57 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Clerk of stores - C.M. & St.P.R.R.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Auto Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Crushing injuries of chest.		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Milton Hanson, Administrator
H Undertaker	M. H. McDivitt Co.	Address	2526 37th Avenue South

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 6:40 A.M. today on University Ave. S.E. not far from 25th Avenue S.E. A Plymouth car came east on Washington Avenue S.E. at a terrible rate of speed, according to Officer C. A. Lent who was at Oak Street and Washington Avenue when the car passed him, headed east. At the junction of Washington and University Avenues, the automobile jumped the east curb and in twenty paces struck the wide cement steps of the B. W. & Leo Harris Company. The blocks of cement were crumbled and thrown some distance by the impact. The car was demolished and the motor head telescoped.

One witness, Otto Mayer, 4217 27th Avenue South, reported to police department that he was coming east on Washington Avenue S.E. and heard an automobile roaring behind him. It passed him and he was a block behind when the crash occurred. He estimated the speed was 70 to 75 miles per hour.

A son Milton, 2526 37th Avenue South, says that deceased and his mother are divorced; that his father has been employed continuously; that he occasionally drinks; and that his health is good.

Injuries: fracture of left femur above knee; lacerations over left patella, right knee; abrasions of right leg, backs of both hands; multiple fractures of ribs of both sides and upper right chest; laceration of right upper eyelid and bridge of nose with fractures of bones of nose; abrasions of upper chest, beneath both clavicles and across upper abdomen, top of head; laceration of upper lip; petechial hemorrhages of right eyelids; bruising of left ear.

Other witnesses: R. E. Stitha, 4508 Nicollet Avenue
W. M. Lewis, 1411 Washburn Avenue North.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JANE J. FARRELL

Date July 17.

Place of Death	3108 Second Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1700 Hawthorne Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	81 Sex Female		
Birthplace	New York		
Occupation	Housekeeper		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was single. She has been a patient at the Kline Rest Home a year and a half and has had no doctor in attendance for a long time. She died quietly in bed at 7:55 A.M. July 17th.

Leone Singleton is a niece.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EVA KATHERINE DOORIAN

Date July 17.

Place of Death	Plaza Hotel	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Plaza Hotel, Minneapolis	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	52 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minnesota		None except Items on Morgue Record (No value)
Occupation	Stenographer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Spontaneous cerebral hemorrhage.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. E. L. Moreau, Daughter,
R Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	Princeton, Minnesota.

REMARKS:

Deceased had been staying at the Plaza Hotel for about three weeks together with her sister Mrs. Charles Campbell of Billings, Montana. Mrs. Campbell said the deceased had been in fair health until about 5:00 P.M. July 17th, 1937, at which time Mrs. Campbell returned from a walk and found her sitting on the bathroom floor, acting very peculiarly and hardly able to talk. She assisted her to bed and was with her until about 8:00 P.M. when she called the elevator boy, Vernon Schaeffer, into the room. He said he thought she was drunk. Later Mrs. Campbell became alarmed over her condition and the house physician, Dr. McGandy, was called. He arrived just after death, at 11:55 P.M.

Officers Kraemer and Nelson.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOSEPH F. ELIAS Date July 18

	Place of Death	St. Mary's Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	3020 Monterey Avenue St. Louis Park	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	50 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Austria-Hungary		
	Occupation	Foreman of glass plant - Ford Motor		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Accident			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide	Hemorrhage due to stab wound of spleen.		
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C	Undertaker	Lee Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to St. Mary's Hospital by Smith ambulance. Admitted at 2 A.M. July 18th; operated between seven and ten P.M. July 18th. The spleen was removed. Deceased died at 10:45 P.M. July 18th, 1937. Attended by Dr. E. P. Murphy and Dr. Edw. Regnier. Dr. Murphy states that deceased rallied during the day July 18th but began to show symptoms of internal hemorrhage, and an operation indicated. According to Dr. Murphy there was found at the operation, two or three quarts of blood in the abdominal cavity and a through and through perforation of the spleen at the upper pole.

Dr. Murphy stated that he arrived at the home of deceased shortly after midnight and found deceased, entirely nude, seated in a chair in the kitchen. He was covered with a sheet. The wife clad in a nightgown, paced the floor hysterically. There were bloody newspapers on the floor and blood on the stairway. A clean (not bloody) pair of scissors were on the table. The wife and deceased said to Dr. Murphy that they had had an altercation and that the wife had stabbed deceased with the scissors.

The autopsy revealed four stab wounds to the body of deceased. Deceased made a statement to Sister Theresa Regis and county officials before he died. The wife in her statement claims self-defense.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GERTRUDE N. JOHNSON Date July 19.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
	Place of Accident	Superior Blvd., Minnetonka Twp.	Inquest	No
	Residence	3728 Van Buren St. N.E., Columbia Heights.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	22 Sex Female		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Looper - Knitting mill.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Automobile Traumatic sub-dural hemorrhage.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide			
	Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
R	Undertaker	R. F. Burr	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital at 2:40 A.M. July 18th, 1937, by ambulance No. 1. Admitting physician was Dr. Whitesell, and attending physicians Drs. Johnsrud and Tanner. The sheriff's office report the time of the accident as 2:35 (?) A.M. July 18th, 1937, 3/4 mile west of Sunset Hill on Superior Boulevard in Minnetonka Township.

Deceased was riding in a car driven by Roy L. Johnson of 610 14th Avenue South, toward Minneapolis when they were involved in a collision with another car driven by George Topper of 3740 Cedar Avenue, going west on Superior Blvd.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE JEFFERS

Date July 19, 1937.

Place of Death	30 First Street North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	514 Eleventh Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	$6.56 cash; purse; 8 keys; knife; notebook; comb; spectacles & case; watch (Ingraham); Revolver Harrington & Richardson Arms Co. #343469; cartridge; empty cartridge; billfold; 6 receipts; WPA form 402 reassignment slip, ident. #2788-68903 - case #HMB 903.
Age	66 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Alexandria, Minn.		
Occupation	Laborer - road grading.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~		Other effects listed on Morgue Record	Delivered to Chas. E. Jeffers, Brother, 1701 Park Avenue.
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Gunshot wound of head.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Charles E. Jeffers, Brother
H Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	629 East 14th Street.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead about three P.M. today by Louis Johnson, a roomer at Market Hotel, address above. Johnson went down stairs to the washroom, which is next to the store-room. He noticed a light in the store-room, looked in, and saw deceased lying on his face.

Officers Schlong, and Miles, responded from the Police Department.

Deceased formerly roomed here; he came in at 11:45 A.M. today and after talking with other roomers, he said he wanted to get his package which was in the store-room.

He lay on his face in a pool of blood. A .32 revolver was under the right side of the body, near the right hand. A bullet wound of entrance was in the center of the forehead about two inches above the eyes, powder marked, and the skin was slightly burned. No wound of exit was found.

Message sent to a brother, Thomas Jeffers, Farmington, Minn.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWIN ARNOLD BOM

Date July 20.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Carver, Minnesota	Inquest	No
Residence	Carver, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	32 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Carver, Minnesota		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Hemorrhage from severing of right femoral vein & fracture of right hip -- crushed between tongue of hay rake and tree in a run-away		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Carver, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Oscar E. Johnson, Carver, Minn.	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted at 12:50 P.M. July 20th. Brought in by Dr. George Schimelpfenig from Chaska, Minn., who had administered first aid. Attended at Swedish Hospital by Dr. Schimelpfenig. He pronounced deceased dead at 2:00 P.M.

Deceased was working on his father, Herman Bom's farm at Carver, Minn. At about 11:45 A.M. today deceased jumped in front of a team of run-away horses in an attempt to stop them and was caught on the tongue of the hayrake. The horses ran on to a tree and deceased suffered a fractured right femur and severed right femoral vein. Deceased was in shock on admission to hospital.

Body was viewed by coroner at Swedish Hospital. There is a deep laceration in the right groin about 3½ inches long and 2½ inches wide.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: NELS N. EWALD — Date Found: July 20.

Place of Death	Mississippi River near 43rd St. South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	3223 22nd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	Driver's license M90633; M.W.A. Receipt book; 3 receipts; purse.
Age	58 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Denmark		
Occupation	Club house attendant - Minneapolis Park Board.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			Other effects listed on Morgue Record. No value
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Drowning, probably following		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide x	fall into Mississippi River.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Ralph N. Ewald, Son
H Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	2912 19th Avenue North.

REMARKS: A W.P.A. worker, Alexander Morrison, 3800 48th Avenue South, found deceased about 1:30 P.M. today. He noticed that an automobile was still parked today at a point where he had seen it yesterday, and thinking of possibility of an accident he started looking along the river bank. He notified the police department.

Deceased lay face down in the water, at the foot of a 12-foot embankment. His feet were about one foot from the shore line. The path at the place where he apparently lost his footing is very close to the edge of the embankment. A severe hematoma of the left eye could have been due to his striking a rock on the way down.

Fire station No. 21, Lieut. Quist in charge, recovered the body. Deceased was an employe of the City Park Board. His family report that he was in good health, employed, and conditions in the home were excellent. The automobile was parked off the West River Drive near 43rd Street. Deceased left home in the forenoon of yesterday, not stating his plans.

Officers P. A. Armstrong and A. Dahlin were present.

Apparently the last one to see deceased was E. Lind, 5954 Clinton Avenue, about 9 A.M. yesterday, when Lind rode with him a short distance on the running board.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: JOSEPH PATWARA — Date Found: July 21.

Place of Death	Found in Mississippi River at 4th Ave. N.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	
Residence	425½ Washington Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	No None
Age	51 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Poland		
Occupation	Common Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural x Probably			None except listed on Morgue Record (No value)
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Drowning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide x			
Place of Burial	County Farm	Effects delivered to	Clothing destroyed for sanitary reasons.
C Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	

REMARKS:

An unknown passerby noticed the body in the river and mentioned it to L. T. McIntosh, 780 E. 4th St., St. Paul, who notified police. The body was out in the river ten feet from the west shore, fully clothed, no shoes. Police reached the body with a pike pole. The body is quite bloated and the skin slips - decomposing.

Cards in his pocket indicate he is homeless and working on W.P.A.

Officers Redding, O. F. Johnson, and A. L. Williams.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OSCAR T. ANDERSON

Date Found July 22.

Place of Death	22nd Avenue South underneath Washington Avenue Bridge.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	739 Eighth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Receipt.
Age	52 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Fort Dodge, Iowa.		
Occupation	Laborer	Other effects listed on Morgue Record	(No value)
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Multiple fractures of bones of body probably due to leap from bridge.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Fort Dodge, Iowa	Effects delivered to	A. E. Anderson, Brother
R Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	726 Avenue C., Fort Dodge, Iowa

REMARKS: Deceased was found dead about 4:30 A.M. by J. J. Considine of 4133 Grand Avenue South, watchman for the river terminal. He notified police. Deceased was lying face down on the cement driveway leading to the terminal and underneath the bridge, a drop of about eighty-five feet. The only articles in his pockets were a receipt and a slip of paper giving his name and requesting that a Mr. Anderson of Fort Dodge, Iowa, be notified. Detectives George Kramer and Frank Nelson.

Injuries: compound fractures right tibia and fibula at ankle with laceration 2 in. x 1 in.; fracture of left tibia and fibula at ankle and fracture of bones of foot with a laceration 1½ in. long of the plantar surface; laceration two inches long of the right side of scrotum with right testes protruding. Fracture of left humerus just above the elbow; abrasions over left eye and at left elbow. Back was apparently broken as his head appeared as though it were seated between his shoulders.

John Anderson, morgue keeper, states that he was told by Mathilda Brucker, 236 Eighth Avenue South, landlady of the deceased, that she last saw him alive at 10 P.M. July 22nd, 1937, in his room, and that he appeared to be writing something. She said he had been acting very peculiarly for some time. He was discharged from W. P. A. about Christmas, 1936, and had been on direct relief since.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ELIZABETH MOILNER

Date July 22.

Place of Death	3336 Fourth Street North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3336 Fourth Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	85 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Austria		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Heinrich's Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Mrs. Mary Hennes, daughter of the deceased, with whom she made her home, stated that she had been in poor health for a long time, and has been senile mentally. She died suddenly at 8:00 A.M. July 22nd, 1937, while in bed and in the presence of Mrs. Hennes.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Heinrich's Funeral Home.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FREDRICK REIKEN

Date July 22.

Place of Death	115 South Washington Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	115 South Washington Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$11.95 cash; purse; Social Security Act card acct. No. 709-12-7319; 2 Chi., Milw. St. Paul & Pac. ident. tickets F44006 and F44058; papers.
Age	50 (about) Sex Male		
Birthplace	Unknown		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Heat prostration with enteritis.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
Undertaker	John A. Anderson, Mpls.	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38

H P

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead lying across the lower steps of a stairway on second floor of the address above, by Charles Balow, a roomer, about 10:15 P.M. today. At 9:30 P.M. the hotel clerk, Leo Rostratter, talked with him. Earlier in the evening a Dr. Fjellman called and prescribed for him. Deceased told Mr. Rostratter that he had been working in Wisconsin and the heat was too much for him.

Officer P. E. Hallem was present.

Deceased registered at this address, which is the Warwick Hotel, July 20th, 1937.

Dr. Fjellman (Atl. 3778) states to deputy coroner that deceased told him he had diarrhea for three or four days.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CARL OLSON

Date Found July 23.

Place of Death	Pioneer Hotel 1328 Fifth Street South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1328 Fifth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	$15.11 cash Less .55 spent for telegram $14.56 balance. Foreign coin; purse; billfold; card case; 5 keys; watch (Elgin); 2 old watches (one crystal missing); chain ; pencil; O.A.A. application No. 5258; Cedar Lake Ice & Fuel Co. ticket No. 16145; cards; papers.
Age	82 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Upholsterer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38

H P

REMARKS:

Found at 8:15 A.M. today by T. S. Crabtree, proprietor. Mr. Crabtree talked with deceased at 6:30 last night and suggested calling a doctor. Deceased had hardly left his room for months because he was so weak. He was lying across the bed on his back, clothed in unionsuit. Rigor mortis moderate.

Old Age Pension office reports that he has a daughter, Mrs. W. A. Werring living in Appleton, Wisconsin. A message sent to her was undelivered.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193~~7~~ — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE PHILIP DAHL — Date July 23.

Place of Death	Parade Grounds	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Parade Grounds	Inquest	No
Residence	2526 Lincoln St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None except listed on Morgue Record
Age	20 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Spokane, Washington		
Occupation	Porter, Dayton Company		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Subarachnoid hemorrhage - traumatic, due to collision with another player in a ball game.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	Julius Dahl, Father,
C Undertaker	O. E. Larson Mortuary	Address	2526 Lincoln St. N.E.

REMARKS:

Deceased was playing diamond ball at the Parade Grounds near Kenwood Avenue. Deceased was playing right field and Jack Stewart, 1722 Russell Avenue North, playing on second base. They both ran for a batted ball and collided with an impact. Both went down. Deceased was rendered unconscious and carried off the field. He lived twenty-five minutes, but was dead when Dr. Neary of the ambulance arrived.

Some of the witnesses were: W. E. Lauritzen, 1110 Adams St. N.E.
Ted Kilby, Coach, 3715 Oakland Ave.
Earl Crummy, Manager of team
Paul K. Enghauser, 4101 So.Tyrol Trail.
J. C. Jacques, 3734 Dupont Ave.No.
Geo. Besnoh, umpire.

Deceased was a member of the Dayton Team who were playing against the Investors Syndicate team. Accident occurred at 7:45 P.M. and death at 8:10 P.M. Deceased left home by streetcar with Joe Bernek, 2539 Lincoln St. N.E., at 5 P.M. The game started at 6:30 P.M. and they were playing the last half of the sixth inning.

Officers Sorrenson and H. W. Johnson.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193~~7~~ — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD TELLETT — Date July 25.

Place of Death	2020 Penn Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Albert Lea, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	75 Sex Minn.		
Birthplace	Fond du Lac, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Real Estate business		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Albert Lea, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Lee Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased and his wife were visiting with their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. A. Theo. Nelson. In the afternoon they were out for a ride to Hastings. While taking a walk over a hill he got suddenly sick. After a while he felt better and they all returned home to his daughter's place. In the evening he became worse and suffered from chest pains and stomach disorders.

When Dr. Fleming arrived deceased was dead. Dr. Fleming stated to coroner that the symptoms were those of coronary disease.

Body viewed at Lee's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALLEN B. CURRIER Date July 26.

Place of Death	1821 Elliot Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1821 Elliott Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	65 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Owatonna, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Salesman - Real estate		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had been to his brother's place July 25th for dinner (K. G. Currier, 629 E. Franklin). The brother told coroner that just before having dinner deceased became sick and took a teaspoonful of soda. He had pains in his chest, in front and in back. He ate part of his dinner and later on in theafternoon he went home not feeling well. Mrs. Nubbe, 1819 Elliot Avenue, old friend of deceased, stated that she saw him in the evening about eight P.M. when he felt badly. She sent out for parts to his fountain syringe so he could take an enema. She looked in his room several times during the night. About 8:05 A.M. July 26th Mrs. Dorothy Gibson in the same building saw deceased in the hall going into the bathroom.

Mrs. Nubbe found him dead in the bathroom about 9:10 A.M. Coroner found deceased lying on the floor in the bathroom, the fountain syringe was on the floor beside him. He had on his trousers. Officers Jacobson and Kohler present.

His wife, with whom he was not living but not divorced, requested that Thomson-Nelson get the body.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME KENDALL BOYN Date July 26.

Place of Death	Enroute to Minneapolis General Hospital from 79th & Lyndale	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	Brooklyn Center Vill. Hwy 169	Inquest	No
Residence	Princeton, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.45 cash; 1 key.
Age	22 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Automobile Traumatic cerebral hemorrhage		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Princeton, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Lloyd Boyn, Father
R Undertaker	Sierene, Princeton	Address	Princeton, Minn.

Other effects listed in Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was found lying on the ground five feet in front of the automobile in which he had been riding, at 4:20 A.M., by a farmer, name unknown. He called deputy sheriffs and told them he thought the accident happened about 4:00 A.M. The car was lying on its side in a field on the west side of the west river road (highway 169) at 79th Avenue North, at a point where there is a thirty-degree curve.

He was placed in a General Hospital ambulance in which he died enroute to the hospital.

The owner and driver of the car is John Gagen of Princeton.

The time of arrival at the General Hospital where his death was discovered, was 4:55 A.M. Dr. Whitesell pronounced death.

Deputy sheriffs Hal. Lawrence and E. R. Primeau.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ARTHUR L. JONES Date July 27.

Place of Death	Rear of 4089 Hubbard Ave., Robbinsdal	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4089 Hubbard Ave., Robbinsdale	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	66 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Madison, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Lawyer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Gunshot wound through head.		
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Brooklyn-Crystal Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Robbinsdale, Minn. Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

John Jones, brother of the deceased, stated that Arthur L. Jones had been a patient in the U. S. Government Hospital for about ten days for a "nervous breakdown". On July 27th he obtained a pass to visit home for the day and to return to the hospital at 8:30 P.M. John called for him at the hospital about 10:30 A.M. and drove him home where they arrived about 11:00 A.M. They sat and talked with the wife of deceased for a while and then Arthur Jones said he was going upstairs for a moment. He returned shortly, put his head in the door and said he was going out in back for a minute. When he did not return in about ten minutes his wife went to look for him, and found him in the tool house, lying on the floor. She called deceased's brother, John, who saw that he was shot.

He called Drs. Lillehei and Rosenwald of Robbinsdale, and they applied first aid and left him there. He was found at 11:55 A.M. and died at 1:25 P.M.

The wound of entrance was 1½ inches in front of, and slightly above the level of the right ear, and surrounded by powder burns. The wound of exit was in the same location on the left side. The gun had been removed by police when the deputy coroner arrived. Police Officer M. H. Sperzem reported that it was a .38 caliber Smith-Wesson, and had been found on a ledge, or work-bench in the shed. As there was also blood there, he apparently was standing when he fired the shot, and the gun fell out of his hand on to the bench. John Jones, brother of deceased, reported that the deceased kept the gun in his room upstairs.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JENNIE JENSON STEVENS Date July 27.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of ~~Accident~~ Tragedy	301 Washington Ave. N.	Inquest	No
Residence	229 Washington Avenue N.	Effects Taken in Charge	None except 1 Ring
Age	50 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Blanchertville, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
Homicide	Cerebral hemorrhage with bruising of brain due to blows on head.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	W.J. Stephens, Husband
Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	229 Washington Ave. North

REMARKS: Admitted July 26th at 10:30 P.M. by emergency ambulance from 229 Washington Avenue North. She died July 27th at 5:30 A.M. Admitted to the service of Dr. P.E. Peterson, but Dr. Peterson did not see deceased before death. Deceased is the wife of W. J. Stevens, proprietor of saloon and cafeteria at 301 Washington Avenue North.

Oscar Gilbertson, 126½ Washington Avenue North, stated to coroner that he relieved Mr. Stevens Saturday night, July 24th. He said Mr. Stevens was in the saloon and was intoxicated. Mrs. Stevens was there also and was drinking. At 11:40 P.M. Mrs. Stevens told Gilbertson he could leave and she would take care of the place. Gilbertson returned the next morning to clean up the place. Mr. Stevens threw the keys out the window at 229 Washington Ave. N., so Gilbertson could open the saloon. At 1 P.M. Gilbertson went to 229 Washington to return the keys to Stevens. Both Mr. and Mrs. Stevens were in bed. He did not see whether Mrs. Stevens was injured or not. Gilbertson came back to the saloon Monday about 7 P.M. Bartender Hugh Johnson told him to wake Stevens who was sleeping at a table, at 8 P.M. and tell him to go home and take care of his wife. He woke him, but he did not leave so two waitresses, Mary and Mabel, went. They returned and said they were unable to wake Mrs. Stevens. Gilbertson then went to the apartment and found Mrs. Stevens unconscious. He called Dr. McPheeters who came. Emergency ambulance was called and brought deceased to the hospital.

When Gilbertson returned to the saloon Sunday morning, the 25th, he found evidence of some disturbance in the place, two broken glasses, two chairs down on the floor, and a large pool of blood. Two whiskey bottles were standing on the counter.

Ed. Berry, 301 Washington Avenue North, stated to police that he was in the saloon about midnight on Saturday, July 25th. Besides him were Mr. and Mrs. Stevens and a Frank Karpen or Karpis, a filling station employe. They were drinking. He stated Frank "hauled off and smacked Mrs. Stevens in the nose". Berry stated that he later struck Frank -- and Mr. Stevens asked Berry to leave.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES WEBB Date July 27.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Callerstrom
	Place of Accident	Unknown	Inquest	No
	Residence	720 Fifth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	$4.47 cash Less 1.20 spent for telephone call. 3.27 balance; billfold; spectacles & case; 2 receipts; 1 identification card (moose Lodge); postal card; 7 letters; certificate of marriage; Continental Health & accident policy #4830455; Benefit Ass'n of Ry. Employees accident & illness policy #760429; 3 keys.
	Age	71 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Janitor - Conklin-Zonne-Loomis		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	Cellulitis of left arm from infection of wounds of fingers and hand.		Other effects Notes on Morgue Record.
	Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Edna Berg, Spec. Adm.
C	Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy	Address	By E. J. Maxwell, her atty. 736 McKnight Building.

REMARKS:

Deceased has roomed at 720 Fifth Street South four years. The landlord is Floyd Sutton (47). No relatives known. Mr. Sutton states he last saw deceased at 6 P.M. July 20th. Deceased said he was going to Snyder's Cafe, 38 Sixth Street South. Mr. Nick Super, bartender at this place, saw him in there at 8 P.M. July 20th. On July 21st at about noon some children saw deceased lying on the yard at 613 Cedar Lake Road and called police. He was arrested and brought to jail charged with being drunk. He appeared doped or intoxicated to the police. His left hand was injured and he was takento Minneapolis General Hospital. He was brought back to jail over night. The next day he was brought back to General Hospital, admitted at 10:25 A.M. July 22nd. He was attended there by Drs. Johnsrud, Sorrenson, Hays and Tenner. He died at 9:30 P.M. July 27th.

In a signed statement to police deceased claimed that outside of Snyder's Cafe he was approached by two men who forced him to drink something from a bottle he thought was gin. After that he knows nothing until found by police. Deceased stated that he had on his left hand two valuable rings, a watch and $25.00 cash, all of which were missing. His thought, as stated to Dr. Johnsrud and in his statement to police, was that these men had poured acid on his hand and robbed him. Dr. Johnsrud and the other doctors say that deceased was very hazy and uncertain about what had happened.

Police report that in their search of the grounds around where the body was found, there was no bottle or vial of any sort. Their investigation also verified that deceased had about two years ago purchased the missing ring and watch.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HAZEL O. INGVALSON Date July 27.

	Place of Death	3457 Snelling Avenue	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	3457 Snelling Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	31 Sex Female		
	Birthplace	Crookston, Minnesota		
	Occupation	Bookkeeper & General Office work		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Undetermined.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
	Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
C	Undertaker	M. H. McDivitt	Address	

REMARKS:

Case referred to coroner for investigation by Dr. Dunlap. Death was sudden and he was unable to diagnose the cause. Autopsy held at McDivitt's Undertaking establishment at 4 P.M.

Deceased has been well two years. Before that she did take treatments for an ulcer of the stomach. She and her people attended a prayer meeting the evening of July 26th. She slept all night with Christine Peterson, who states that deceased awoke at 6 A.M. and complained of acute pain in the lower abdomen. She was up to the bathroom several times. Dr. Dunlap was called, who arrived at 11 A.M. He gave her a hypodermic of morphine (1/6) and atrophine (1/150). She became drowsy but the pains continued. Dr. Dunlap ordered an ambulance to take her to Swedish Hospital but when the ambulance arrived death had occurred, at 1:25 P.M.

About ten minutes previous to death deceased said she was dying and called for her folks. She had been at a Lake resort the past week and had not appeared sick or made any complaint. Dr. Dunlap says her temperature was 99° and she had a slight chill. Mentally she was alert and conscious almost to the last.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BRUCE BROOKS Date July 29.

Place of Death	2804 12th Avenue South	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	2804 12th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	1 Month Sex Male			
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.			
Occupation	Infant			
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Broncho-pneumonia			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to		
H Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address		

REMARKS:

Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brooks, both work. Margaret Rush (21), 2912 14th Avenue South, has been caring for the child yesterday and today. She gave the baby the bottle at 10 A.M. and noticed he was breathing slightly hard and fast; he took part of the feeding. She was in and out of the room where he slept on the day bed. He was lying on his back. About 12:30 P.M. she noticed he wasn't breathing; she called a neighbor who called Minneapolis General Hospital and city physician came. The child was dead. Officers Atchison and Boike were present. Both parents were sent for and arrived before deputy coroner left.

Mrs. Brooks said that the baby had been constipated for a few days, and that two or three nights ago he became blue toward morning. Dr. Wall attended her confinement and told deputy coroner it was normal. He had not seen the child since leaving Deaconess Hospital.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at home.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ABBIE U. STEIN Date July 29.

Place of Death	Leamington Hotel	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	Leamington Hotel	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	89 Sex Female			
Birthplace	Maine			
Occupation	Housewife			
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Arterio-sclerosis			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects delivered to		
S Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address		

REMARKS:

Deceased has been under Abigail Thompson's Christian Science care for some time. Miss Thompson told coroner that deceased gradually grew weaker until she died about 5:10 P.M.

Body viewed by coroner at Thomson-Nelson's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES E. OSBORN

Date July 29.

Place of Death	Nicollet Ball Park (about 3021 Blaisdell Ave.)	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	3038 Blaisdell Ave.	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.12 cash	
Age	44 Sex Male			
Birthplace	Grand Rapids, Mich.			
Occupation	Salesman			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Clo. Jack Osborn, Son, by order of wife.	
S Undertaker	R. F. Burr	Address	3038 Blaisdell Avenue.	

Name changed from Morgue Record

Effects delivered to Mrs. Chas. E. Osborn, 3038 Blaisdell Ave.

REMARKS:

Deceased died suddenly in the bleachers of Nicollet Ball Park about 9:30 P.M. He was standing on the platform at the head of the stairway when he suddenly slumped over and died. F. E. Reisewitz and Ward Hoag were with him when he died. Officers A. J. Hommel and W. B. Dillen present.

Deceased has been at Minneapolis General Hospital from June 25th to July 2nd, 1937; diagnosis, aortic stenosis.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GERTRUDE M. ANDERSON

Date July 29.

Place of Death	Near Oak Knoll Minnetonka Township	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	Minneapolis, Minn., Route #10	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	50 Sex Female			
Birthplace	Minnesota			
Occupation	Housewife			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	By hanging.			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to		
H Undertaker	Wm. Strobeck, Hopkins	Address		

REMARKS:

Deceased was found at 7:30 P.M. today by her son Carl who returned from work and went to the barn to milk the cow. The barn door was closed and he suspected something wrong. Deceased was suspended by a 1/4 inch rope from the tope of the hay-mow ladder and was alongside the barn partition, her feet about eight inches above the floor. The rope cut deeply into the skin of the neck. Rigor mortis was present. She has been at home for a year following committment to Rochester for 1½ years, four years ago. Dr. Blake of Hopkins had attended her.

Her husband, A. F. Anderson, said she had been very melancholic. Mr. Anderson left home at 11 A.M. today. His wife prepared his meal.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY KOLODZIEJ

Date July 30.

	Place of Death	Barn, rear of 1500 Marshall St. N.E.	Autopsy	No	
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
	Residence	1701 University Avenue, or 602 Marshall Street N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	2 Streetcar tokens; 1 key	
	Age	About 45 Sex Female		(no clothes)	
	Birthplace	Poland			
	Occupation	Unknown			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~				
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	2nd and 3rd degree burns of body due to conflagration			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~				
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~		9-14-37-1 Key deld to and property of Wm W. Cunningham, 1428 NE 2nd St		
	Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-37	
H	Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-37	P

REMARKS:

Fire broke out at the address above about 1:40 A.M. today in a small barn, in a hayloft, at the rear of 1500 Marshall Street N.E., where Mrs. Mary Soban lives. Martin Schultz, 3200 Washburn Avenue North, was with deceased in the hayloft. They had a kerosene lamp. At 9 P.M. she had asked Mrs. Soban to let her sleep in her house, but she was refused.

Fire Station No. 2 and No. 4 trucks were there. Officers J. R. Hayes and C. P. Brown were present.

George Megula, address not secured, was first to hear the yell of "fire".

Third degree burns involved left hand, arm, face and head.

Second degree burns involved right arm, chest and neck.

Deceased has a police record. Son Stanley in Reformatory, St. Cloud, and four other children.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN GABRIEL SCHULER

Date July 30.

	Place of Death	4529 17th Avenue South	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom	
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
	Residence	4529 17th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
	Age	5 Months Sex Male			
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.			
	Occupation	Infant			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Suppurative meningitis (non-contagious);			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~	otitis media;			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	with broncho-pneumonia			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~				
	Place of Burial		Effects delivered to		
C	Undertaker	Gill Brothers.	Address		

REMARKS:

Deceased was born out of wedlock and was under the care of a Catholic Welfare Association. He had been placed by them in the home of Mrs. Marie Coleman who states that the baby had a slight cold with slight fever yesterday; bowels moved loosely several times, and he refused nourishment. She attended the child at 2 A.M. and again at 3 A.M. Found the baby dead in the crib at 6 A.M. and called Dr. Richdorf.

The baby was lying a little on the right side and had apparently expired without a struggle. No evidence of any violence.

Body viewed at the home and Miss Bagan of Catholic Welfare interviewed.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ERNEST PARSONS

Date August 1.

Place of Death	Northwestern Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of ~~Accident~~ Tragedy	4210 Alden Drive	Inquest	No
Residence	4210 Alden Drive	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	19 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Art Student - University.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Gunshot wound of head.		
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted about 2:15 A.M. today to the care of Dr. Wm. A. Hanson. Died at 3:10 A.M. today. A small gunshot wound is found in the right temple about 2½ inches forward from the top of the right ear and just forward from the hair line. The edges are inverted, the skin is burned and blackened. Crepitus of left parietal bone is present at the point opposite wound. Both lids of right eye show hematomas. The right cheek is swollen, apparently due to subcutaneous hemorrhage.

E. Dudley Parsons and Mrs. Parsons, parents, told deputy coroner that Mrs. Parsons was awake until nearly 2 A.M. waiting for deceased to return home. Several young people had been at the home during the evening and Ernest took his girl friend to her home. Mrs. Parsons heard him return, then soon she heard a report which she thought might be a door slamming. She went upstairs to his room and when she opened the door she called to her husband, saying he was needed. Deceased lay on the bed, dressed, moaning, unconscious and a .22 rifle lay on the floor by the bed.

Dr. W. A. Hanson was called, who later told deputy coroner the circumstances. He called an ambulance. Ernest was attending the University, had been working hard this summer, losing sleep, and had met some opposition in his plans to be married.

Body viewed at embalmer's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ERNEST DILLE

Date August 1.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Robbinsdale - 40th Ave. N. & Highway No. 52.	Inquest	No
Residence	74 Spruce Place	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	29 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Litchfield, Minnesota		
Occupation	Oil Station Attendant.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Automobile		
	Fracture of skull		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS: Deputy Sheriffs Eckdahl and Primeau report that the deceased was injured in an automobile accident at 1:30 A.M. August first at 40th Avenue North & Highway No. 52, Robbinsdale. He was riding in a car driven by Richard Delvin of 1402 Spruce Place, going north, and collided with a car driven by George Beauchine of 3638 Third Street North, going south.

He was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital at 2:17 A.M. August 1, by private ambulance, admitted by Dr. Whitesell and attended by Drs. Gilman and Johnsrud. He died at 8:07 A.M. August 1, 1937.

Injuries were as follows: shallow laceration 1½ in. long lower part of right arm, multiple abrasions of lower part of right arm; multiple abrasions of chest anteriorly; shallow laceration one inch long under point of chin; multiple small lacerations of lips; severe ecchymosis around both eyes; discolored area just behind and below left ear 1 in. x 1 in.; large deep laceration of scalp over left occipital region, 2½ inches long. Blood in both ears and in mouth. Small laceration of left thumb.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: UNKNOWN BABY GIRL — Date: Found Aug. 1.

Place of Death	Found at 221 16th Ave. No.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Unknown	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	Newborn Sex Female		
Birthplace	Unknown		
Occupation	Infant		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	Strangulation		
Place of Burial	Cremation	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	

REMARKS:

The body of this baby was found in a vacant house, 221 16th Ave. N. at 12:45 P.M. August first. The shack is tumble-down, and windows knocked out. Bernard Donovan (29), 219 16th Ave. N. entered the house to mix cement for some work he was going to do today. He noticed the package and opened it. He then notified S. H. Preston, 1524 Washington Avenue South, who called police.

The body was wrapped in many newspapers, the latest a July 29th Tribune, and tied up with a fishing cord. The body is fresh, and likely has been born but a few hours.

Officers Larson, Jenson and Colston.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: DOMINIC STANCEKWIEC — Date: August 1.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	64 East Hennepin Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	64 East Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None except listed on Morgue Record
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Poland		
Occupation	Tailor		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of right hip due to fall on floor, with secondary bronchopneumonia.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
R Undertaker	Gill Bros. Mortuary	Address	to County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital July first, 1937, at 10:20 A.M. by Salvation Army truck. Admitted by Dr. H. F. Nelson, and attended by Dr. Aagard. He died at 5:15 P.M. August first. He is said to have a wife and two children (whereabouts unknown).

Special Officer Tom Monroe of the Salvation Army says he took him to the hospital and investigated. He determined that the deceased had been drinking heavily the night before (June 30, 1937) and fell down on the concrete floor about 8:30 P.M. He was put to bed and his injury was not noticed until the next morning when he was taken to the hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DELIA ELVIRA DUNTLEY — Date August 1.

	Place of Death	735 E. 27th Street	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	735 E. 27th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	72 Sex Female		
	Birthplace	Stockbridge, Wisconsin		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Cancer of Breast		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Hutchinson, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
C	Undertaker	Joe Billman	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 8:45 P.M. August first. Deceased was a patient at Minneapolis General Hospital October 14th and 15th, 1935, -- diagnosis carcinoma of right breast with metastasis. The breast was removed by operation. She was attended by Drs. Berman and Mahle.

Dr. P. E. Peterson attended her once in private practise about a month ago.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME REDNER LA MERE — Date August 2

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy
	Place of Accident	2219 17th Avenue South	Inquest	No
	Residence	2219 17th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	36 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Laborer		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of 3rd cervical vertebra due to 15-foot fall from veranda.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C	Undertaker	McDivitt Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Accident occurred July 24th. Deceased was brought by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital; admitted 11:38 A.M. July 25th; died August 2nd at 5:35 A.M. Attended by Drs. Sorrenson and Schroechenstein. Deceased was referred to the hospital by Dr. Lawn, city physician. The wife gave General Hospital doctor permission for autopsy. Deputy coroner Callerstrom was present.

At about midnight July 24-25th Mr. and Mrs. Andrew O'Neil, 2219 17th Avenue South, found deceased lying outside their rear door on the ground below a second story veranda. He was unconscious, and there was a strong odor of alcohol. They did not suspect any injury but thought him intoxicated and summoned a man from 2303 17th Avenue South and Mrs. Mildred Lease to help carry him upstairs to bed. The wife came home at 4 A.M. At 9 A.M. deceased and his wife noticed that his lower limbs were paralyzed, and the city physician was called.

No one actually saw the fall but it is evident that deceased fell over the railing on second floor outside the veranda, to the ground below. The scene of the accident was visited and parties interviewed by deputy coroner.

Death certificate was signed by Dr. N. J. Jensen.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHRISTINA JOHNSON

Date Aug. 2.

Place of Death	3023 Chicago Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3023 Chicago Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	76 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Ternstrom reported the case to coroner's office. He was called to the address above and found deceased dead, about 2 P.M. Deputy Coroner talked with a daughter, Mrs. Oscar Larson, who found deceased dead. There has been occasional complaint of distress in the left chest and epigastric pain.

She had been working in the garden in the sun and had just taken a bath. Body viewed by deputy coroner at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SPURGEON E. ODELL

Date Found August 2.

Place of Death	Lake Calhoun	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Lake Calhoun	Inquest	No
Residence	Lennox Hotel, 403 Washington Sq.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.05 cash; billfold; knife; 2 keys; comb; picture; Social Security Act card - acct. #472-07-7798; 2 Mpls. Trib. statement of earnings and deductions; Mpls Printing Pressmen & Asst's Union #30 working card #16267; 4 N.W.Publications, Inc. St. Paul, check stubs - #4646, 5537, 6086 & 6433; receipt; notebook; papers. Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Age	30 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Pressman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Drowning while swimming.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Dorothy Odell, Wife
R Undertaker	Flynn-Wagner Mortuary	Address	325 Washington Street Hibbing, Minnesota.

REMARKS:

The deceased rented a locker at Lake Calhoun on July eighth, 1937, and went swimming at a point at which swimming is forbidden because of a drop-off, at 2:10 P.M. He was seen to swim out about 150 feet and disappear. His body has been sought ever since. The body was found about 5:30 P.M. August 2, 1937, by a person, name unknown, who called for help. Tom Buckman of 3837 Pillsbury, Archie Kaplin, 1119 Aldrich Avenue North, and Robert Peterson, 2616 30th Avenue South, brought him in. He was 150 feet from shore, and said to be about fifty feet from where he disappeared. Around his ankle was tied locker key No. A-26 which was listed to Odell July eighth.

Carl Jensen, 4404 16th Avenue South, manager of the Field House, said that he was told by several fellow workmen of the deceased, that the deceased was intoxicated when he went in swimming.

Officer Taplin.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE LOUIS FOLEY

Date Found Aug. 3.

Place of Death	Parking Place 10th Street & Hawthorne Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	134 North Tenth Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$.23 cash
Age	69 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Underhill Center, Vermont		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Teamster		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Mary Lovejoy, Daughter
Undertaker	Knaeble Company	Address	534 Girard Avenue North

REMARKS:

The body of deceased was found at 5:30 A.M. August third by a newspaper boy, Harold Knight, 112 West 14th Street. He notified A. J. Norton, 44 North 11th Street, who called police. The body was found on the ground in a parking place owned by "Larry's Motor".

He was not identified until 6 P.M. August third by a daughter, Mrs. Mary Lovejoy, 534 Girard Avenue North. Deceased has been rooming with Mr. Hendler who says that deceased left there at 9:30 P.M. August 2nd saying he was going out to get tobacco. His front trousers were unbuttoned when found.

He had been a patient at the Minneapolis General Hospital February 8th to 18th, 1936, for urinary trouble. The daughter says he has been failing and very weak for some time.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME VICTOR E. HUFFER

Date Found Aug. 3

Place of Death	1316 Fourth St. S.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1316 Fourth St. S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	56 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Lisbon, Iowa		
Occupation	Promoting circulation & advertising manager.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Co.	Address	

REMARKS:

C. Luebkeman, clerk, found deceased dead, sitting in a chair in a night-gown by the bed dead, at 9 A.M. today. He was seen at 11P.M. last night by the same clerk, outside the building. Mrs. L. D. Kennedy, daughter, told deputy coroner that her father had his meals with her at 1225 Fifth Street S.E., and that she saw him last night at dinner, and that for several days he had complained of dizziness, chest discomfort and uncertainty in walking.

History of hypertension recognized for several years.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALBERT H. SCALLEN

Date August 3.

Place of Death	2546 Cedar Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2546 Cedar Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	57 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Insurance Agent		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Gunshot wound of head		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	St Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	J. M. Gleason Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Lynch was called about 1:15 P.M. today to the home and notified the coroner's office. Eugene Scallen, a brother, of the same address, told deputy coroner that he and deceased were together during the forenoon riding, looking after business matters, that they came back home about 1 P.M. and deceased went to the bathroom. Shortly after Eugene and his wife heard a report or noise and he went upstairs to investigate. Deceased was slumped on the bathroom floor in front of a small mirror. Blood was on the end of the bathtub and floor. They carried deceased to the bedroom and called Dr. Lynch. History of worry and mental depression for many months.

Bullet wound is in right temple two inches forward from the ear and one inch above the ear. The skin is burned and powder-marked. The revolver used was a .32. The family did not know he had a gun.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LEONARD C. BLACKWELL

Date Found Aug. 3.

Place of Death	4456 18th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1705 46th Street East	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	46 Sex Male		
Birthplace	England		
Occupation	Building contractor		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Carbon monoxide poisoning from automobile exhaust.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	Andover, S. Dak.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has kept his car for a number of years at the rear of 4456 18th Avenue South, in a double garage owned by B. J. Alrick. The garage is one room and no partition between the cars. Mrs. Alrick says that when they drove their car in at 10 P.M. August second, the car of deceased was not there. The wife states deceased left in his car from the garage at 6 P.M. August second saying he was going to a business meeting at 130 Tenth Street South. When at 1:50 P.M. August third Arline Alrick (17) came to the garage to get her car, she found deceased lying on the garage floor at the rear of the car. She says the doors of the garage were all closed and latched shut, and that in her fright she left the door open and ran into the house.

Deceased was lying on his left side, his head directly under the exhaust. His left arm was under his body and his right arm and hand near his face. The police state the body had not been moved before deputy coroner arrived. The ignition key of the car was turned on and there was one-quarter tank of gas left. The engine was not running. Police state that his hat and coat were in the car. The coat had been removed by police to cover the body.

The body is very pink as from gas poisoning. Automobile is an Oldsmobile. Officers Casey and Howard investigated for police department.

Body taken directly to Welander-Quists.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: WILLIAM JOSEPH BINFORD

Date: August 3.

Place of Death	Cedar Lake (N.W. corner)	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Northwest corner of Cedar Lake	Inquest	No
Residence	28 15th Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	8 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Watertown , S. Dak.		None except listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	School boy.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Drowning while bathing.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Watertown , S. Dak.	Effects delivered to	Benard Gearty, Gill Bros.
Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	by order of C. W. Binford, Father 28 15th Street North

REMARKS:

Deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Binford. Deceased and his brother John, Robert Westberg, 72 North Lyndale, and Reinhold Theisen, 28 15th St. N., were bathing in the northwest corner of Cedar Lake, outside of 1918 West Cedar Lake Road. At 4:30 P.M. about twenty feet from shore deceased fell off a floating log. He came up once and then disappeared.

Witnessed from shore by Mrs. E. J. Halloran, 1001 Thomas Avenue North, her father, D. C. Beardsley, and the other boys. Body recovered in eighteen feet of water by lifeguard A. Nelson, 2509 Hennepin Avenue, by using a diving helmet. The body was taken to Hennepin County Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: HENRY NITTA, also known as NITTA SHOGA

Date: August 3.

Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	Private at University Hospital
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	515 15th Avenue S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.23 cash; knife; watch (Elgin); chain; 3 keys; letter; telegram; University of Minn. library card #5353; schedule of studies; "I owe you" statement; University State Bank Savings Dept. book (savings) showing balance of $513.93; First National Bank Savings Dept. book #162046 no balance; renewal certificate of Hawaiian birth #243 with picture; Matson Navigation Co. ident. check serial #2378; Certificate of Citizenship-Hawaiian Islands 9318 with picture.
Age	25 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Hawaii		
Occupation	Student - University		Minor effects listed on Morgue Record
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Merthiolate poisoning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	Contributory: acute miliary tuberculosis.		
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation) Ashes to be shipped to Hawaii.	Effects delivered to	John J. Gill, Spec. Adm.
Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	Laurel Ave., Mpls, Minn.

REMARKS:

Deceased was doing post-graduate work in the Engineering Department of the University. Admitted to Health Service May 17th, was attended by Dr. Watson. Dr. Andresen reported to coroner that deceased injured his finger slightly in the electric fan. The nurse brought some merthiolate to apply to the abrasion. The deceased took the merthiolate and swallowed one and one-half ounce. He told the nurse he took it with suicidal intent. This happened at 8:30 P.M.

Dr. Andresen washed out the stomach and gave antidotes for the poison. He died at 9:15 P.M. He had been attended at the Health Service for lupus erythematosus. Autopsy disclosed that he was also suffering from acute miliary tuberculosis.

Body viewed by coroner at the morgue. Merthiolate discoloration was on the face, hands and chest.

(Cablegram ordering body cremated and granting autopsy, signed by Morizo Nitta filed in correspondence file.)

Home is said to be at Waipaha, Hawaiian Islands.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CARMAN L. O'DELL Date August 4.

Place of Death	Lake Calhoun opposite 3030 West Calhoun Blvd.	Autopsy	Private Autopsy
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2909 Sunset Boulevard	Effects Taken in Charge	3 rings with diamond settings; 1 ring with black settings.
Age	56 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Wells, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	By drowning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mr. S. V. Reedy, Spec. Adm.
H Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	2737 Ewing Avenue South.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record. (No Value -- Destroyed 12-1-38) By John Anderson, Morgue Supt.

REMARKS:

Tom Sweeney, 145 E. Lake Street, saw deceased floating in Lake Calhoun about 8:45 A.M. today, fifty feet out from shore. He called William Johnson, 3027 Bryant Avenue South, superintendent of the bath houses at Calhoun beach, who waded out and brought deceased to shore.

Deceased left her home about 7 A.M. today. She has been under the care of Drs. Rizer, Hannah, Doxey and Dr. Shouse, osteopath, a mental patient. The nurse in attendance was Mrs. Margaret Curtis. A daughter, Mrs. S. V. Reedy, lives at 2737 Ewing Avenue South. Deceased had on a house dress.

Officers Armstrong and Carlson were present. Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance came. Efforts were made to resuscitate her for more than one-half hour. The husband died two years ago.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PETER MOQUIST Date Aug. 4.

Place of Death	11 North Washington Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1235 French Street Santa Ann, California	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Janitor and caretaker		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

John Johnson, desk clerk at the above address, which is the Glenwood Hotel, states that the deceased was sitting in a chair directly across the lobby from him, and that he suddenly slumped in his chair and turned pale. Johnson carried him to a bed and called police who called the General Hospital. The doctor with the ambulance pronounced death.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANNA LUCRECIA LAYTON Date August 4.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	1125 Fremont Avenue North	Inquest	No
Residence	1125 Fremont Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	73 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Dayton, Ohio		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of hip due to fall on floor.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased fell on the floor of her home July 31st. She was taken to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance at once and attended by Dr. Hanssen. Diagnosed "Intratrochanteric fracture of right hip". Developed a bronchopneumonia and died at 1:38 A.M. August 4th.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Minneapolis General Hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANDREW BERTHILSON Date Aug. 4.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Russeth.
Place of Accident	28th Ave. So. & Lake St.	Inquest	No
Residence	3209 40th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	74 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Watchman - court house		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x	Fracture of skull with bruising of brain and sub-dural hemorrhage.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Barney Anderson & Son	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Swedish Hospital by private ambulance, and admitted at 11:30 A.M. He was attended by Dr. Peter Holl.

According to police, the deceased was going across Lake Street to get on a streetcar when he was struck by a car driven by Wilbur Nystrom of 2337 Ellis St., St. Paul, at 28th Avenue South & Lake Street. Time of the accident was 11:15 A.M. Deceased had come from the south curb to catch a Selby-Lake car going east on Lake Street. Nystrom was also going east.

Witnesses: John Ortman, motorman No. 2017
Conductor, Axel Anderson
James Gleason, 3117 36th Avenue South
Mrs. Steven Boutell, 2912 E. 32nd Street.

Officers Mather and Bolin.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JEROME ARNOLD HUTCHINSON

Date August 4.

Place of Death	110 Malcolm Ave. S.E.	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	110 Malcolm Ave. S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	28 Sex Male			
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.			
Occupation	Salesman			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to		
C Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address		

REMARKS:

Deceased was seen to drive into the yard of his home at 3:30 P.M. August fourth and enter the house. When the wife came home at 6 P.M. she found him lying dead on the kitchen floor. Five burners on the gas range were turned on, a rug and a rag packed at the base of the door, all the windows and doors shut, curtains drawn.

The wife states that deceased brought her to the court house where she is employed in the Health Department, this morning. He has worried a great deal over his financial affairs and also his sickness. He has been attended by Dr. Gilles. The wife says they had decided to break up housekeeping and live separate, and had concluded plans yesterday.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THEA JORGENSEN

Date August 6,

Place of Death	1101 E. 22nd Street	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	1101 E. 22nd Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	75 Sex Female			
Birthplace	Norway			
Occupation	Housewife			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis.			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to		
H Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address		

REMARKS:

Died at 6:10 P.M. Dr. Henry Peterson was called and notified deputy coroner. Mrs. Olson, a daughter, was in the next room at the time of death. Deceased had been working in the yard, came in and took a bath, then collapsed. History of shortness of breath and precordial pain.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE NORMAN Date August 7.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	First Ave. N. & Washington	Inquest	No
Residence	126½ Washington Ave. N.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	80 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ / Auto Accident	Subtrochanteric fracture of left femur due to automobile accident, with arteriosclerosis and gangrene of both feet.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Heinrich Funeral Home.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital January 21, 1937, from the scene of the accident, by ambulance No. 1 at 6:40 P.M. He was admitted by Dr. Hannsen and attended by Dr. Gaviser. He died at 8:16 P.M. Aug. 7. He had had an intermittent fever since March 30, 1937, at which time a gangrenous process developed in his left foot and later began in the right foot.

The driver of the car was William Ekstein of 1604 Park Avenue. He was going south on Washington Avenue and struck the deceased as he was crossing the street.

According to the police report, a witness Leonard Johnson of 311 Washington Avenue North, stated that the deceased walked into the right rear fender of the car and was knocked down.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME INGRID JOHNSON Date August 7.

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	3104 21st Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	3104 21st Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	72 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Traumatic cerebral hemorrhage and fracture of left wrist due to fall downstairs.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Henry W. Anderson	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to Deaconess Hospital by emergency ambulance from her home at 5:10 P.M. August sixth, 1937. Was attended by Drs. Witham and Julius Johnson. She died at 1:40 A.M. August 7th.

A daughter, Esther Johnson, same address, stated that the deceased was home alone, and was found at the bottom of the basement stairs, unconscious, by her husband at 4:20 P.M. August sixth when he returned from work. She stated that the deceased had had several dizzy spells in which she would fall down.

Injuries: laceration of left temporal region 1½ inches long, one inch above the outer margin of the left eye; bruise just above left eye; fracture of the left radius at the wrist.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD LAWRENCE BERQUAM Date August 7.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy at General Hosp.
Place of Accident	Bridge Square Cafe 209 Nicollet Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	30 First Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	46 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~	Acute and chronic alcoholism;		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~	2nd degree burns to hand, back,		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide x	and thigh due to clothing on fire		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~	from alcohol.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	National Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

The wife interviewed states that she is 38 years old and has eight children by a former husband from whom she is divorced. She has been married to deceased seven months. She says deceased and she were seated at a table in a saloon at 8 P.M. August third, at 209 Nicollet Avenue. Deceased lit a cigaret for Arlene Jensen and tossed the match over his shoulder. Immediately there was fire in deceased's clothing and he was rolled on the floor to extinguish it. He brushed fire with his hand and burned it. Deceased and his wife then walked home and the next day, August fourth, deceased walked to General Hospital for treatment. He developed symptoms of delirium tremens at the hospital, and also acute gonorrhea. The burn wounds were apparently healing nicely.

Deceased expired at 11:10 A.M. August 7th. Deputy Coroner Callerstrom was present at the autopsy. Deceased had stated to Dr. Schubert that he had in his hip pocket at the time of the accident a bottle of "cleaning fluid". The wife says it was some kind of alcohol. This had evidently spilled and soaked the clothing, which accounts for the quick conflagration.

Mr. Otto Hornig and Harry Sobelman, bartenders at 209 Nicollet Avenue, state they know deceased to be a "dehorner"; that he was drunk at the time of the accident, and that they helped extinguish the fire. They heard or saw no explosion. Deceased has been arrested several times for being drunk.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES OTTO BOSSE Date August 8.

Place of Death	In garage at 5345 48th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	5345 48th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$3.91 cash; 1 watch; 3 keys; 1 knife; 1 billfold; cards
Age	51 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Iowa		
Occupation	Presser - Veterans Hospital		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Carbon monoxide poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~	from auto exhaust.		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Charles Bosse, Wife
Undertaker	Bostrom Mortuary	Address	5345 48th Avenue South

REMARKS:

At 11 A.M. deceased was found in the rear seat of the automobile in the garage, by his wife. Her screams attracted B. F. Stang, 5342 Minnehaha Avenue, and he called the police department. General Hospital ambulance with Dr. Silver, and members of the fire department all came.

At 9:30 A.M. today deceased took his wife to church and then returned home. On her return home she found a note in which deceased told her he was despondent and would take his life. She hurried to the garage, opened the double doors. A long piece of garden hose with one end attached to the exhaust pipe, was carried into the automobile through the right rear window, and two robes were packed in the space by the hose. Other windows and doors of the car were closed.

Officers Connolly, Frinkman and Geo. Murphy were present. Pink pigmentation is present in the dependent parts of the body.

Deceased was despondent because of unemployment.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARTIN E. MATTISON — Date August 9.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident	2617 Aldrich Avenue South	Inquest	No
	Residence	2617 Aldrich Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	47 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota		
	Occupation	Biochemistry School Clerk - University of Minn.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Gunshot wound of chest.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H	Undertaker	Sundseth Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted August 4th, 1937, by Dr. H. F. Nelson at 10:05 A.M. Brought in ambulance No. 2 from his home. Attended by Dr. Blumstein and Dr. Grotten. Died at 6:20 P.M. today.

O. R. Sundseth, a brother-in-law, told deputy coroner that Mrs. Mattison was in the back yard at the home when she heard the gun report. She found deceased lying on the bed unconscious. She called to the people living downstairs who notified the police department. Despondency is given as motive for suicide.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at embalmer's. Emphysema of skin is palpable over entire body. Two wounds; (1) of entrance, 2 in. above left nipple line and toward center line of body, inverted edges; skin is burned; (2) of exit, in line with No.1 near left axilla close to axillary line, with everted edges.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MATHIAS KAEDER — Date August 10.

	Place of Death	2523 Marshall St. N.E.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Callerstrom
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	1218 Second Street N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Billfold; 1 paper; cards.
	Age	58 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Waconia, Minn.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Occupation	Laborer		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
	Place of Burial	Waconia, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Susan Kaeder, Wife
C	Undertaker	R. F. Bertch	Address	1218 Second Street N.E.

REMARKS:

Deceased has been employed off and on by the Upton Milling Company, G. L. Upton, owner. He did not go to work today stating he was not feeling well. At 1 P.M. he was in the River Terminal Cafe, 2501 Marshall St., and ordered of Mrs. Otto Hoppe a ham sandwich, but left without eating it, and complained to her of being sick. He walked from there to his place of work and was seen in the warehouse by O. W. Upton taking a drink of water. A few minutes later Mr. Upton found him below an open loading door of the warehouse. The base of the door was three feet from the ground. The body was crumpled against the outside of the wall alongside a railroad rail. He was taking short breaths but died before ambulance doctors arrived at 1:30 P.M. August tenth. It was thought he might have fallen out of the door to the ground below, but the autopsy revealed no injuries.

Son is Roman C. Kaeder, 2002 Grand Street N.E.

Officers present: Storm and Karpinsky.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EINAR OLSON Date August 10.

Place of Death	2840 Fourth Avenue South	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	2840 Fourth Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	25 E. 25th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$.50 cash; Mpls. General Drivers & Helpers Union 544 Badge July 1937.
Age	20 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Hutchinson, Minn.		
Occupation	Bread wrapper - Natl. Tea Bakery		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Electrocution by a charged		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	machine in bakery		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Einar Olson, Wife
Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	25 E. 25th Street.

REMARKS:

Deceased worked for National Tea Baking Company. Accident occurred at 5:55 P.M. August 10. A wrapping machine and a slicing machine are stationed side by side. The moving parts of the machines were not in gear, only the heater on the wrapping machine was turned on. It is believed deceased was attempting to turn this off when he was shocked by electricity and his body fell, chest and stomach on to the machine. No one actually saw this happen, but Virgil Harris, 3504 25th Avenue South, a fellow-worker saw the body and attempted to remove it. As Harris touched the body he also felt a shock of electricity.

Both of the machines were charged with electricity and it was found that there was a disconnected, dislocated and burnt wire in the control box on the slicing machine. This likely was the cause of the machines becoming charged.

A check-up was requested of Mr. Hanninger of the City Building Inspection Department, The electric power was a 220-volt with a 30-amp. fuse.

Other workmen to arrive on scene were: Barney Strand,
Otto and Howard Sembla
Adolph Uhrich
Vernon Burnside

Officers Jones and Beard present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY OLIVE FROELICH Date Found August 11

Place of Death	2400 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2400 Nicollet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	63 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Beetown, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Garretson, S. Dak.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead in bed at 11:40 A.M. by two roomers, Mrs. Connie Jones and Mrs. Benjamin Gorbett. She was last seen alive at 11:00 P.M. August tenth by a Mrs. McClelland, same address, who said the deceased had been quite nervous and upset over some family difficulties and had complained of fluttering and pain in the heart.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANTHONY TEPFER Date August 11.

Place of Death	Richfield Village between Newton & Morgan Aves.So. & 70th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	216 State St., St. Paul, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.83 cash; 1 key; 1 comb; 4 razor blades; fishing license;
Age	25 Sex Male		Other effects Notes on Morgue Record.
Birthplace	St. Louis, Mo.		
Occupation	Steel worker		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Carbon monoxide poisoning from auto exhaust.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Anthony Tepfer, Wife
Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	3428 Chicago Avenue

REMARKS:

Deceased was found at 12:45 P.M. today by a friend Ted Helgeson, living at 70th & Penn Avenue South. He was lying on his back on the ground, his head beneath the auto exhaust at the rear of the automobile at the right side of the car. He had tied a heavy pad used in furniture moving to the exhaust pipe and was beneath this pad. Helgeson pulled him away, thinking he might be alive. Then he called Constable Rudolph Boeser, who notified the coroner's office.

Deceased was seen by Eleanor Rosendahl, 70th & Penn Ave. So., at 12:15 P.M. today. She said she saw him drive his Chrysler east on 70th Street. The car was parked in the shrubs and among the trees, the front to the west. Pink pigmentation was present in the dependent parts of the body.

Domestic trouble growing out of deceased's drinking, was the motive, according to the statement of deceased's wife to deputy coroner.

Last night he stayed at Mr. Helgeson's home, and was very despondent, threatening suicide.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ARTHUR C. PATTERSON Date Found Aug. 12.

Place of Death	Minnetonka Township	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Russeth
Place of Accident	2½ mi. west of Hopkins on M. & St. L. tracks.	Inquest	No
Residence	Union City Mission	Effects Taken in Charge	$.15 cash; billfold; knife; Social Security Act - acct. #473-10-6798; Union City Mission check #8060; Honorable Discharge from U.S.Army.
Age	44 Sex Male		Other effects Notes on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Beetown Twp.,Grant Co.,Wis.		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Traumatic cerebral hemorrhage		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Bloomington, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	R. M. Hoskins, undertaker, Bloomington, Wisconsin
Undertaker	R.M.Hoskins,Bloomington,Wis.	Address	By order of Raymond E. Patterson, Brother of deceased.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead at 5:45 A.M., lying alongside the tracks, by James Anderson of 21 11th Avenue South, Hopkins, as he was walking down the tracks coming from fishing. He notified a Mrs. Arneson who lives nearby, and she called the sheriff's office.

Deceased was lying on the roadbed four feet from the north track with his head facing west. Numerous scratches from the cinders were on his body. His cap was tucked inside his overalls as though to keep it from blowing off while riding a freight. A Union City Mission baggage check stamped August 11, 1937, was found on him.

Deputy Sheriffs Lord and Schlund.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THOMAS FITZGERALD

Date Found Aug. 13.

Place of Death	108 South Washington Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	108 South Washington Ave.	Effects Taken in Charge	$11.41 cash; billfold; knife; spectacles; safety razor and case; WPA form #403 Notice of termination Ident #2794-19402 case #39719; Div. of Public Health (Lymanhurst) reminder of appointment; 3 Mpls.Gen.Hosp. out-patient dept. slips; Social Security Act card Acct. #470-01-7805; Book const.& by-laws cooks' & Stewards' Union of Gt. Lakes; Can. Expeditionary Force discharge cert.#1013593; cert. of discharge from CCC; U.S.A. Citizen Seamen's ident card with picture; cert. issued with war service badge class A #239865;Duluth Military Club membership card #135; The Bethel, Duluth card for meals & lodging; card #39719; M.E.R.A. card; U.S. Dept. of Labor Employment
Age	About 60 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Buffalo, N.Y.		
Occupation	Cook		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Pulmonary tuberculosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	(Cont. below) Sold at auction 12-14-38
Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead in bed today at 11 A.M., by clerk Chas. Mason. He was seen at 11 P.M. yesterday. He has been ill for months. Slips of paper found in his pocket indicate attendance at the out-patient clinic at General Hospital and Lymanhurst Hospital. There is a history of very marked loss in weight. Paper napkins were on the bed. He has complained of stomach symptoms for the past two weeks.

General Hospital ambulance came. Officer A. C. Boerner present.

Effects (continued)
Service applicant's identification card #39719 ident #2794-19402; U.S. Dept. of Labor employment service applicant's ident. card #2758-1537; letters; pictures.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FLOYD HENRY REVELL

Date August 13.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	219 East Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	53 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Fort Dodge, Iowa		
Occupation	Barber		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Probably poisoning by hypnotic drug.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	Marshalltown, Iowa	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	National Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased operated a barber shop at 210 East Hennepin Avenue. Shortly after 2 P.M. August 13th Waa Lee and Ann Angela Gargas, 341 19th Ave. N.E., the workers in a laundry next door, noticed him seated reclining in a barber chair. He was unconscious and breathing deeply. They tried to arouse him but failed, and then called the wife and deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance, admitted at 3:06 P.M., and died without regaining consciousness, at 5:37 P.M. August 13th.

At the request of the wife Mr. Noble Rainville and his son looked over the shop before death had occurred and found a note, not signed, in the cash register, which note they handed over to Police Officers P. J. Bolt and Sistock. It reads,"I was born on July 13th, 1884. My mother sent me to reform school when I was 13 years old. I have been in this shop 13 years. This is Friday 13th. Goodbye Rose the only real friend I ever had. Tell my wonderful brother it might have been different if he had been a brother." This note was delivered to deputy coroner Callerstrom by the police bureau of record department.

According to the wife, deceased has worried a great deal about his financial affairs. Autopsy held did not reveal any disease. The wife declares to deputy coroner that the note is in the handwriting of deceased.

Brother is Edward Reville, 2212 East 38th Street.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ELLEN PANKOW

Date August 14.

Place of Death	2025 Clinton Avenue	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	2025 Clinton Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	2025 Clinton Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None except listed on Morgue Record
Age	37 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Iowa		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Second & third degree burns of		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	body due to ignited naphtha gasoline		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	x while cleaning clothing.		
Place of Burial	Sheffield, Iowa	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
R Undertaker	Barney Anderson & Son	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

REMARKS:

At about 6 P.M. August 14th, 1937, Ray Perkins, who lives upstairs at the same address, smelled smoke and rushed downstairs. He and Mr. Peter Heutmaker of 2013 Clinton Avenue, broke the window of the rear apartment and turned the hose inside. The body of a woman was lying on the floor near the door. Police and Fire Department were called. An empty gallon can was found inside which was said to have contained naphtha for cleaning.

Mr. Oscar Ranning, who lived with deceased and at first pretended to be her husband, said that he last saw her about 5:15 P.M. as he was going to work, that he was called from his place at work and returned home just as the deceased was being taken away. He identified her at the morgue by shoes and a ring. He had been living with the deceased since about October, 1936. He said he bought the gallon of naphtha about two or three months ago and that they frequently used it for cleaning.

When found, the body was charred beyond recognition except for the shoes and feet, and was lying near the door. The interior of the room was also charred.

Officers Jones and Beard.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES ENGBERG

Date August 14.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Unknown (transient)	Effects Taken in Charge	$3.43 cash; purse; knife; watch (Westclox Pocket Ben); mirror; notebook; Midwest Employment Bureau, #9 So. 1st St., receipt #285 B order #588; papers.
Age	About 79 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Unknown		
Occupation	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
R Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance No. 2 from the Bryant Avenue Station at 11:09 A.M. He died at 8:00 P.M. August 14, 1937. He had been picked up by police officers Zane and Peterson at Burnham Avenue and the St. Louis Railway tracks where he said he had been overcome by the heat. They took him to the police station.

He was having difficulty breathing and seemed to get worse after a while so they called General Hospital ambulance. He gradually lapsed into a coma and died at the above time.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRED McGEAL

Date August 15.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	9th Avenue & Washington North	Inquest	No
Residence	2111 27th Street North Milwaukee, Wisconsin	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	58 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Belfast, Ireland		
Occupation	Stationary engineer.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile Rupture of liver with hemorrhage.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x		
Place of Burial	Milwaukee, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Willwerscheid & Son, St.Paul	Address	

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 2:50 A.M. August 15th. Deceased was on the street at Ninth Avenue and North Washington when he was struck by an automobile, a Chevrolet, going south on Washington Avenue owned and driven by Robert B. Singleton, 2644 Garfield Avenue South. Mr. Singleton brought deceased in his car to Minneapolis General Hospital. He was admitted at 3:15 A.M. and died at 4:10 A.M.

Witnesses were Russell Luger, St. Peter, Minn.
Kenneth Beager, 825 Fourth Avenue South.

Autopsy revealed alcohol in the body. No city address known or given by deceased. The wife wired disposition of the body from Milwaukee.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOYCE GLORIA FRANSON

Date August 15

Place of Death	Lake Harriet at 47th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Lake Harriet at 47th Street	Inquest	No
Residence	Warren, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None except Items as Morgue Record
Age	9 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Warren, Minn.		
Occupation	School girl		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Drowning while wading in lake		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x		
Place of Burial	Warren, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
C Undertaker	Walter Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38

REMARKS:

Accident and death occurred at 47th Street beach at the southeast shore of Lake Harriet. Deceased was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Franson, Warren, Minn. Deceased, with her brother, Robert (8), had gone into the water also Marilyn (3) and Howard (5) Olson, Children of Herman Olson, 328 E. 17th Street.

At 8:30 P.M. Mr. Thomas H. Adams, 5849 Garfield Avenus South, stumbled onto the body of deceased in three feet of water and ten feet inside the rope. She had been seen less than five minutes before. The parents and Olsons were on the shore when the drowning occurred.

Officer McGirr and Erickson present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LEONARD G. WILL, also known as LEONARD J. Date Found August 15.

Place of Death	Found Mississippi River & 3rd Ave. S.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	109 Clifton Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	Billfold; driver's license card Y97700 (duplicate); 1 10000 German Mark bill; 1 100 German Mark bill; receipt.
Age	47 Sex Male		
Birthplace	LaCrosse, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Accountant		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~		Other effects listed on Morgue Record	(No value)
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Probably Drowning		Harry R. Will, Brother 1600 Victory Drive
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Harry R. Will, Bro.
Undertaker	R. F. Burr	Address	1600 Victory Drive

REMARKS:

The body of deceased was found at 3:30 P.M. floating in the water sluice of the Northern States Power Hydro Electric Plant south of Third Avenue S.E. and the Mississippi River. The body was clothed with shoes, etc. It was found by Fred Oscar Nelson, 3642 15th Avenue South. The body was identified at the morgue by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Adams, caretaker of the building in which deceased had his home. They say that deceased was last seen at his home the evening of August 13th. The wife says that deceased has been very despondent on account of no work. Recently he paid $40.00 to join a union expecting work, but with no result, and took it very hard.

Officers Brock and Kranmer.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM KNOBLAUCH Date August 15.

Place of Death	2500 Lake Place	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2500 Lake Place	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	70 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Retired shoe merchant		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased died suddenly in his room about 9:30 P.M. His sister Henrietta Knoblauch, stated to coroner that Dr. Vernon Hart living across the street was called, and he called Dr. Raymond Scherer. Dr. Scherer stated to coroner that deceased was dead when he arrived. From the symptoms described to him it appeared that the cause of death was coronary sclerosis.

Body viewed at Davies.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CLARENCE L. PALMER Date August 18.

Place of Death	614 Ninth Street South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	614 Ninth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.60 cash; knife; 6 keys; wrist watch (Elgin) with bracelet; 2 John Hancock Mutual Life Ins. Co. premium receipt books; Dept. of Pub. welfare div. of relief delivery ice coupon #382373 file #44196.
Age	52 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Charles City, Iowa		
Occupation	Manager - grocery		Other effects listed in Morgue Record.
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Myrtle Palmer, Wife
R Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	223 W. 15th Street, or 614 Ninth Street South

REMARKS:

Deceased was last seen alive at 2:00 P.M. August 18th by Mrs. K. A. Dillon, caretaker. Mrs. Dillon also stated that she talked to the mother-in-law of the deceased, Marie Pierce at 8:30 P.M. August 18th, who told her that Palmer had threatened suicide, and that his wife had left him that day.

At 10 P.M. Mrs. Dillon smelled gas, called another roomer, Peter Gillespie, who opened the locked door and saw the deceased lying in the kitchen. He called the rescue squad. When found he was lying on the kitchen floor, all three burners and the oven of the gas stove open and the doors and windows closed. A suicide note was found.

Officers Berkmoes and Holcomb.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HERMAN A. BRAUN, also known as HERMAN A BROWN Date August 19.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1418 Sixth Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	39 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Truck driver		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Rupture of aorta with hemorr-		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	hage probably due to a blow		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	received in a scuffle.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Sundseth Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital July 25th, 1937, at 8:32 P.M. and died at 6:00 A.M. August 19th. Diagnosis, cellulitis of right leg. He was operated on July 29th. His wife, Eva Brown of 1418 Sixth St. North, said that he returned home about 7:00 P.M. July 22nd, 1937, and told her that he had been to the Union Hall on Plymouth Avenue between Washington and Third Street; that he had been in two scuffles, one with a Fred Snyder, an employee who had struck him in the ribs with his fist, and later with a Frank Stevens in a friendly scuffle in which his right leg struck a bread box inflicting a bruise and abrasion.

He was first attended by the union doctor, and later Dr. J. M. Holl was called and attended him three times before sending him to the General Hospital. At the General Hospital he was attended by Dr. Hay, interne, and Dr. Johnsrud, resident.

Detective Hilborn was detailed to investigate the story as given by the wife of the deceased. There was no evidence uncovered that would tend to implicate Fred Snyder. There is a history of a fight several days previous to the above, which was stopped by the officer of the beat, Clifford Zane, Jr. The date of this scuffle was about June 18th, 1937. History revealed that the deceased was a frequent and heavy drinker. (Police Questionnaires on file).

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME RAGNHILD CLARK Date August 21.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	1602 Aldrich Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	55 Sex Female		
	Birthplace	near Christiania, Norway		
	Occupation	Housework		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R	Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Reuben Clark, husband of the deceased, stated that he and his wife had visited several beer parlors during the evening but that his wife drank nothing but three soft drinks. At about 10:45 P.M. while they were in "Ed's Place", a beer parlor on Plymouth Avenue, she became excited watching a quarrel which broke out in the place, and suddenly said she was unable to breathe. He took her outside but she became worse and he said froth began to come out of her mouth. He took her to the General Hospital where she died almost immediately. The time of death was 11:05 P.M. August 21, 1937.

Examination showed nothing except that froth was present in the mouth and nose, and Dr. Larson, the admitting physician, stated that her lungs gave findings of a severe edema before death. The husband refused autopsy.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HARRY OLIVER RING Date August 23

	Place of Death	4018 Sheridan Avenue North	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	4018 Sheridan Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	44 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Minnesota, (Little Falls)		
	Occupation	Meat Cutter		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R	Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Mr. Louis Potvin, 4019 Russell Avenue North, stated that he gave the deceased a ride home in his car from a house in which the deceased had been working cleaning the furnace. Potvin states that the deceased had just carried some ashes from the basement of this house and appeared very pale, and told him that he was afraid that "it had gotten him". He complained of pain in his chest and dyspnoea also. Potvin took him home and went for his mother whom he took to her son's house and then went for a doctor. Dr. Samuelson found him dead on arrival. Dr. Samuelson states that he attended him about a year ago for coronary sclerosis. The time of death was 3:10 P.M.

(Certificate signed by Dr. Samuelson)

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALBERT NEIMAN — Date Found Aug. 23.

Place of Death	Russell Hotel, 16 So. 4th St.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Hobbs
Place of Accident	Russell Hotel, 16 So. 4th St.	Inquest	No
Residence	1207 Fremont Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$72.00 cash; wrist watch (New Haven Jeweler) with bracelet; ring; spoon; medicine dropper; broken hypo needle; letter; U.S. Social Security Act application for acct.No. (blank); Mpls. Gen. Hosp. out-patient dept. card #28833; cards; papers.
Age 40 Sex Male			Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Dressgoods salesman & peddler		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ Probably Accident	Poisoning from some alkaloid		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x	poison probably morphine		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	sulphate.		
Place of Burial	United Brotherhood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Ruth I. Neiman, Spec. Adm.
H Undertaker	Zeesman Mortuary	Address	1207 Fremont Ave. N.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead, lying on the floor by the radiator in room No. 205 at 10:20 P.M. today, by bell-boy Pat Eastman. He had registered at 11 P.M. August 21, 1937. He was seen by his sister Ruth Neiman at 6 P.M. August 21. He was last seen alive by the night clerk Glenn Howell at 11 P.M. August 22. Officers Walsh and Irving were present.

Dr. Goldman, a cousin, told deputy coroner that deceased was a morphine addict, that he had taken care of him many times. Saturday, Aug. 21, 1937, he was released from the workhouse following incarceration, and appeared to be fine. On the floor near the body were found a broken hypodermic needle, and a dropper such as is used by addicts, and on the dresser were a teaspoon (the underside of the bowl of the spoon blackened by soot), and a small paper sack containing a white powder.

Deceased was known as a "character" by the Minneapolis Police Dept. Mr. Zeesman, undertaker, told deputy coroner he had seen him take "dope". His sister, Ruth, stated that he was a dope fiend, and that he injected the morphine directly into his vein. He may have taken an overdose and collapsed. He was dressed; his left sleeve was rolled up; puncture marks were present in the bend of the elbow.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ELSIE MARTYN KINGSLAND — Date August 23

Place of Death	2036 Queen Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2036 Queen Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age 46 Sex Female			
Birthplace	St. Louis, Mo.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Louis, Mo.	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Baxter notified deputy coroner that he was called to the address above about 11:45 P.M. August 23, and found deceased dead. Her husband was with her. Dr. Baxter hadn't seen her in two years, but knew the family well and was the usual medical attendant. History suggested cardiac involvment.

Body viewed at Davies Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CLEO IRENE NESBITT Date August 24.

Place of Death	St. Mary's Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Hwy. 169, Carver County, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	Fairmount, Illinois	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	25 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Washington		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile Fractures of both femurs and extensive scalp lacerations.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x		
Place of Burial	Indianola, Illinois	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted at 2 A.M. today. Dr. B. S. Pearson, Shakopee, accompanied deceased, her husband, and two boys from near Shakopee in an ambulance. He called Dr. Willard White of Minneapolis to assist him at St. Mary's Hospital.

A collision occurred between the car driven by Mr. Nesbitt and a truck. State Highway Department reports that the accident occurred one block west of the Hennepin County line on Highway 169 in Carver County. Mr. Nesbitt was driving toward St. Paul in a Hudson Eight coach, collided with a truck driven by Ralph Tyser, Madelia, Minnesota at 12:55 A.M. today. With Tyser were Gladys and Albert Ellingsberg, Madelia. The four Nesbitts were taken to Minneapolis in the ambulance of Krueger & Molden Undertaking Company. Albert Ellingsberg was put in Dr. Pearson's car and brought to St. Mary's Hospital. Report made by Don Dunn, State Highway patrolman.

Death occurred at 3:55 A.M. today.

Injuries: Extensive multiple and long lacerations of scalp, nose, forehead, both lips, right elbow; fractures of nasal bones, both thighs at middle of femurs; hematoma of both lids of right eye; extensive bruising of right upper arm, right elbow, right forearm, back of right hand, both thighs and legs, both breasts and upper abdomen; abrasions outer side at thigh, right knee, right tibia, left thigh above knee, left ankle.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MINNIE K. KINGSTON Date Found Aug. 25.

Place of Death	306 Oak Grove St., Apt. 205	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	306 Oak Grove St., Apt. 205.	Effects Taken in Charge	$20.12 cash; 1 Farmers & Mechanics Bank book #89312 balance $20.34; 2 rings; 5 keys; 1 driver's license #456382; automobile license card.
Age	52 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Canby, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		(No clothes)
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Suicide By drowning in bathtub		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Canby, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Chas. C. Swenson, Spec. Admin.
H Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	Hendricks, Minnesota.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead in the bathtub at 8 A.M. today by Mrs. H. E. Fontaine, wife of the caretaker. Since August 23rd deceased had been confined to bed and earlier, and Mrs. Fontaine had been bringing meals and had been straightening the room. She called the police department, General Hospital ambulance came, also fire department rescue squad.

Deceased lay in the bathtub on her left side, naked, her head submerged. The water was warm; the faucet was open and water was passing through the overflow. She was last seen at 6 P.M. yesterday by Mrs. Fontaine. Mrs. Fontaine turned off the water. She told deputy coroner that no lights were on but that the doors of the bedroom and bathroom were open.

Dr. Al Bessessen made a call on deceased on August 23rd and left a prescription. He told deputy coroner that deceased was much depressed and very nervous; that she was sure her husband who is dead, had infected her with lues; that he, Dr. Bessessen, was called primarily to treat her feet which she had burned in hot water; that he was planning to return for a specimen of her blood for a Wasserman test on the day she was found dead. He ordered her to stay quiet in bed. His diagnosis was involutional psychosis. Dr. Selmer Johnson told deputy coroner that he visited deceased on Saturday, August 21st; that she was terribly nervous and depressed; that she told him that during a recent bath the thought had come to her that she really ought to stay in the bathtub and never get out.

A sister, Mrs. A. A. Armstrong, Canby, Minn., was notified; another sister, Mrs. Mary Swenson, lives at 508 Third Street, Duluth, Minn.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THOMAS JAMES CRADDOCK, JR. Date August 25.

Place of Death	Enroute to Mpls. Gen. Hosp. from 32nd & Snelling Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3018 23rd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	51 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Teamster		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Acute and chronic alcoholism		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
Undertaker	McDivitt Mortuary	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

None except listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was found by Anthony Zubick, 2433 23rd Avenue South and Hadler Salisbury, at 4:20 P.M. August 25. He was lying in the weeds near the Milwaukee Railroad tracks at 32nd and Snelling Avenue. He was breathing deeply and would not respond. Officers Foard and Olson arrived on the scene. He was placed in ambulance with Dr. Neary, and expired enroute. Arrived at Minneapolis General Hospital at 4:45 P.M. as unknown but was identified at 9:20 P.M. at the morgue by his brother-in-law, Police Officer A. E. Brannon. Mr. Brannon says that when deceased was not in the workhouse for drunk he staid at his home, but he has not been around now for several days. Police state he was a chronic alcoholic.

There are no marks of violence on the body. Officer Brannon says he is satisfied that death was due to alcohol.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROBERT KNUTSON Date August 25.

Place of Death	Enroute to Mpls. Gen. Hosp. from 929 Eighth St. S.E.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	203 West 31st Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	3 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Meningitis (non-epidemic)		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Kenneth Simpson	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was a sub-normal child with symptoms of idiocy. He had been placed by the Child Welfare for care with Mrs. Josephine Peterson, 929 8th St. S.E. He has at no time been in good health, but at 4 P.M. Aug. 25th he became a good deal worse and was placed in an ambulance with Mrs. Peterson and Dr. McCain. Death occurred enroute. The ambulance arrived at the General Hospital 4:50 P.M.

Deceased had been at Mrs. Peterson's four months. His father is Emil Knutson (30), who came from Fisher, Minn. Deceased was born July 20, 1934 at the Minneapolis General Hospital.

Mrs. Peterson was present at the autopsy.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME AMELIA HARTUNG

Date August 25.

Place of Death	2931 18th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2931 18th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	79 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Milwaukee, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Apoplexy		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was of Christian Science faith and has not been attended by a doctor. Miss Amelia Dhole, her niece, says that deceased has had several strokes lately and expired without a struggle at 8:50 P.M. August 25th.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Welander's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANCIS W. SCHULTZ

Date August 26

Place of Death	Archer-Daniels-Midland Co. near 31st Ave.S.E. & Great Western	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	4207 31st Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.50 cash; billfold; key; 9 streetcar tokens; identification card; Social Security Act Card - Acct.#473-01-7236; 1 Flour, Feed, Cereal and Elevator Workers Local #19152 membership card 1043 for 1936-7; Friendship Club "Original Widow & Widowers Club" membership card dated Nov. 3, 1935; Individual resident fishing license #83588; Individual resident fishing license #29149 -1937; Starlight Dance complimentary courtesy card 1937 - special rate pass - 1937; Mpls. Trib. stub #173103 - Your picture; receipts. Other effects listed on Morgue Record. (Clothes to be destroyed) (No value)
Age	29 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Plumbers Helper		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Suffocation from cave-in of linseed oil meal.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Magdlena Schultz, Mother
C Undertaker	McDivitt Mortuary	Address	4207 31st Avenue South.

REMARKS:

The accident occurred at 11 A.M. August 26th. Deceased was employed by the Archer-Daniels-Midland Company. Deceased and John Thielen had gone down a ladder inside from the top into a bin containing linseed oil meal. The meal had caked and had settled on an incline against the walls. They were to shovel the caked meal down onto a conveyor at the bottom. The entrance at the top is a round opening of manhole size. Another similar manhole is at the bottom of the bin. The door to this opening latches on the outside and opens in.

Mr. William Brant (23), 3608 43rd Avenue South, states that he heard tapping on the bin from inside and Mr. Schultz asked that the manhole door be opened. Mr. Brant did so and deceased put his head out of the hole and said something about that they would soon be out. Mr. Brant then left and returned in ten minutes. After Brant left, Mr. Enos Taylor, foreman, 4545 18th Avenue South, arrived and put his head into the hole to investigate and at that moment the cave-in occurred and almost covered Mr. Taylor. The meal seemed to come from the track side of the bin. Brant and Taylor went up the ladder to the top of the bin. They say there was no other person at the top of the bin, and that two "safety ropes" were dangling loose down into the tank but were not attached to any bodies at the lower end. The bodies were covered by the meal and could not be seen. Fire Department squads from Nos. 19 and 5 arrived and the body of deceased was removed through the manhole below and that of Thielen from above. Dr. J. E. Hynes arrived and examined the bodies. Firemen assisting in removing the bodies were Chief Peterson of No. 5, E. Onillette, 2823 Garfield St. N.E., P. Seamans, 3629 Oliver Ave. No. On the scene were also B. G. Leer, 2424 Bloomington, H. E. Moffet and other workmen. Officers Nord and Slopeck.

Both bodies had been recovered at about 11:45 A.M.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN WILLIAM THIELEN Date August 26.

Place of Death	Archer-Daniels-Midland Co. near 31st Ave.S.E. & Great Western Ry.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	2843 21st Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None except listed on Morgue Record (No value)
Age	31 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Richmond, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Pressman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Suffocation from cave-in of linseed oil meal.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Clothes destroyed 12/1/37
C Undertaker	Albinson's Mortuary	Address	By John Anderson, Morgue Keeper.

REMARKS:

The circumstances of this case are the same as that of Francis W. Schultz (see previous case No. 507.), excepting that deceased was not seen before the accident by Mr. Brant.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRED E. PETERSON Date August 26.

Place of Death	204 Second Street North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	204 Second Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	5 keys
Age	53 Sex Male		(Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Birthplace	Chisago City, Minn.		
Occupation	Cook		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Ida Peterson, Wife
C Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	Mound, Minnesota

REMARKS:

Deceased has been on "relief" since 1920 and has been a patient at Minneapolis General Hospital and Parkview Sanatorium. Their diagnosis of his case was myocardial insufficiency, aortic stenosis, cardiac decompensation and hypertension. He expired at 12:15 P.M. on his cot at "Men's Bureau" dormitory in the presence of E. W. Walker, orderly, Alex Kane, and others. The wife is Mrs. Ida Peterson, 2845 35th Avenue South. A daughter is Mrs. Loken, 3108 Bloomington Avenue.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME UNKNOWN MAN JOHN DOE NO. 62

Date Found Aug. 27.

Place of Death	Found Mississippi R. & 6th Ave. So.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Unknown	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	About 50 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Unknown		
Occupation	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Probably Accident	Drowning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Clothes Destroyed 12-1-38
R Undertaker	John A, Anderson, Mpls.	Address	By John Anderson, Morgue Supt.

None except listed on Morgue Record (No value)

REMARKS:

Deceased was found floating in the river near the board walk along the river at 10 A.M., by two boys who were going fishing, namely Eugene Hadley, age 14, and George Hadley, age 13, both of 609 Fourth Avenue South. They reported it to a Mr. John J. Walker of 2211 14th Avenue South, who called the watchman.

The body had apparently been in the water three or four days and was clad in shirt, trousers and shoes. No identification.

Officers Haglund & Cliff Barker.

Description: height 5' 8", weight 165 lbs.; hair dark brown and grey; stout build; two false plates; straight nose, oval chin. Clothed in dark blue serge trousers, light green shirt, black oxfords size 7½, checkered cotton stockings, and cotton unionsuit.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD HUAR

Date Found Aug. 27.

Place of Death	316 South Tenth Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	316 South Tenth Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	35 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Robbinsdale, Minn.		
Occupation	Farmer and laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — x Natural x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	By hanging		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Clothes destroyed Dec. 1, 1938
R Undertaker	National Funeral Home	Address	

None except listed on Morgue Record (No value)

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead at 11:00 A.M. August 27th by his mother who lived at the same address. He was hanging by the neck from a clothesline which was fastened to a hook in the ceiling of his bedroom. He was last seen alive by his mother when he ordered her out of the house at 12:00 noon August 26th after having become very abusive, she said. She left the house at once but returned there to sleep. She did not see him until she went to his room to look for him at 11 A.M. August 27th. She said he has been despondent, abusive and very ill-tempered since being laid off a W.P.A. job May 11th, 1937.

When first seen by the deputy coroner, the body was lying on the bed, the rope had been cut but the noose was still around his neck. The body was cold and rigor mortis had set in.

Officers Haley and Kyhn.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ARLIE B. BUCKINGHAM Date August 28.

Place of Death	Plymouth Township Minneapolis Workhouse,	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	912 15th Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	1 purse; spectacles & case.
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Blue Mound, Ill.		
Occupation	Carpenter	Other effects listed on Morgue Record.	Del'd to Mrs. A. B. Buckingham, Wife 912 15th Ave. N.
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis & thrombosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	E. K. Buckingham, Son
C Undertaker	Swanson Mortuary	Address	4412 Russell Avenue North.

REMARKS:

Deceased was a prisoner at the Minneapolis City Workhouse; committed August 11, 1937, for disorderly conduct. He was seen lying on his cot by W. B. Elliot, guard, at 5 A.M. and found dead by him at 7:10 A.M. Deceased was then seated on toilet in his cell.

Deceased had been examined by Dr. Ellison, the prison doctor and the court had ordered hospitalization.

Body was brought to the morgue and autopsy held.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ABRAHAM SALITERMAN Date August 28.

Place of Death	Plymouth Twp.-Jct. of Minn. Western tracks & Medicine Lk. Rd. to Apple Blossom Inn.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	1211 Vincent Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$.20 cash; ring; 14 keys.
Age	About 52 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Russia		
Occupation	Wholesale Fruit dealer	Other effects listed on Morgue Record.	Clo. to be destroyed - by order of Meyer Coopermman, Spec. Adm.
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Train & auto		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull and crushing injuries to chest.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	United Brotherhood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Meyer Cooperman, Spec. Adm.
R Undertaker	Zeesman Mortuary	Address	1415 Washburn Avenue.

REMARKS:

Deputy Sheriffs A. X. Schall and Harry Molander stated that they had ascertained from witnesses that the accident happened at 5:57 P.M. The truck which the deceased was driving was going north across the tracks at a slow rate of speed, approximately ten to fifteen miles per hour when it was struck by the westbound train going thirty to thirty-five miles per hour. The engineer of the train was F. H. Mossberg of 3105 Portland Avenue. He told the sheriffs that he had seen the truck for about fifty feet before he approached the crossing, that he blew his whistle and expected, because the truck was going so slow, that it would stop.

Witnesses Richard Poisson of Stubbs Bay, and Harold Zerobeck of Silver Lake, passengers on the train, verified the engineer's statement that the whistle was blowing.

The right side of the truck was smashed and it was still on the front of the engine when it stopped about 400 feet west of the scene of the accident. The train had been permitted to go on by the deputy sheriffs before the deputy coroner arrived.

The body of the deceased was alongside the tracks about 100 feet west of the scene of the accident. Injuries: Profuse bleeding from the right ear; laceration 1½ in. long, two inches above the right ear; bruising of the left frontal region of the scalp; palpable fractures of almost all ribs on the right side anteriorly; multiple linear abrasions of the right forearm, and three small linear abrasions of the right ankle anteriorly.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: LAMAR HALLOWELL, JR.

Date Found: Aug. 30.

Place of Death	Groveland Village, Minnetonka Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Groveland Village, Minnetonka Township	Effects Taken in Charge	1 pr. Cufflinks; 1 ring; 6 keys;
Age	25 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Chicago, Illinois		
Occupation	Office Manager, Chev. Motor Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Carbon monoxide poisoning		
~~Homicide~~	from auto exhaust		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Lamar Hallowell, Father
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	900 Summit Avenue

REMARKS:

Deceased was found by his father Lamar Hallowell, 900 Summit Avenue, and L. L. Hansen, 4518 Wooddale Avenue, at 3:20 P.M. today. These men went first into the house and found letters addressed to Mr. Hallowell and to F. V. Nash, 912 Marquette Avenue. At the end of Mr. Nash's note were words indicating that deceased contemplated suicide.

Deceased was seated behind the steering wheel, his head against the side of the car, his right foot on the other front seat; in rigor mortis, dependent parts of the body showing bright pink pigmentation. The ignition was open, the gas tank empty. The garage doors were closed. By his side were photographs of his wife and child. One end of a long rubber hose was attached to the exhaust pipe and the hose led into the ventilating window on the left side of the car.

Deputy coroner Hobbs was told by Mr. Hallowell Sr. that domestic troubles were behind the act.

Deceased was last seen by his friend F. V. Nash at his home (Mr. Nash's home) about 8:30 last night.

State patrol officers Lindman and Larson, deputy sheriffs Kittredge and Kraemer were present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: FRANK RUSSELL

Date: September 1.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3121 Calhoun Blvd.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	53 Sex Male		
Birthplace	France		
Occupation	Barber		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Gunshot wound of chest		
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery (cremation)	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital by police car at 6:02 A.M. September 1, 1937, and died at 4:35 P.M. He was attended by Dr. Whitesell and operated on by Dr. Johnsrud.

Robert Thomason, caretaker of the Calhoun Beach Club, stated that he was driving on Lake of the Isles Blvd. and Newton Avenue at 5:40 A.M. when his attention was attracted to a car by the horn blowing. He went to the car and the deceased told him that he had shot himself. Thomason who was with a Mary Remington of 2545 Dupont Avenue South, then drove to 25th & Hennepin where they reported it to Officers Perry and Zane, and drove back with them. The officers reported that he had shot himself with a .32 caliber revolver. The wound of entrance was one inch to the left of the midline and at the level of the fifth interspace.

According to a report of Detectives Sandberg and Connolly, who interviewed deceased at Minneapolis General Hospital with a view to determine how he got shot, deceased stated to them,'"I done it myself". When asked why he shot himself he said he had been very despondent because his wife died about a year ago and he was left all alone in the world.'

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NELSON NORMANDIN Date September 1.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	#7 Eastman Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	51 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Common Laborer		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Heat prostration		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R	Undertaker	Heinrich's Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was working for the Cameron Transfer Company. He was picked up by the General Hospital ambulance at 5:40 P.M. September first, from 2922 Pleasant Avenue, and admitted to the hospital at 6:20 P.M. He died at 6:45 P.M. He was admitted by Dr. H. Nelson and attended by Dr. Anderson. His temperature was reported to be 108° and his heart irregular. He was in coma.

Celia Krause, landlady of the rooming house in which he lived, stated that he had been drinking heavily for five years.

Mr. Cochrane of the Cameron Transfer Company said that they had received a complaint from the woman whose furnishings were being moved by the crew in which the deceased was working, that the deceased had been drinking. A later report from Mr. Cochrane over the telephone revealed that the men who had been working on the truck with the deceased were Fred J. Tjurnlund, 602 Plymouth Avenue North, and A. Weld, residence unknown; that the deceased had apparently been drinking and although he went out on the job he was unable to do his share of the work properly. About 5 P.M. Tjurnlund told him to quit so he left the job and they did not know where he went. The two moving jobs on which he worked were R. J. Ryan, moving from 3228 Blaisdell to 3503 Stevens, and O. N. Haugen, 4454 Pillsbury, moving to 4509 Pillsbury.

James Eldridge of 2924 Pleasant Avenue, said he saw the deceased come walking south on Pleasant Avenue shortly after five P M. September first; that he fell down once in a yard next to his house, then cut through the yard between his house and the one next door, and fell in the back yard. Mr. Eldridge then called police.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROY JOSEPH DuBEAU Date Sept. 1.

	Place of Death	1909 Chicago Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident	1909 Chicago Avenue	Inquest	No
	Residence	1909 Chicago Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	
	Age	19 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.		
	Occupation	Student		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Gunshot wound of chest.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Anthony Cemetery	Effects delivered to	J. H. DuBeau, Father
H	Undertaker	Knaeble Company	Address	1909 Chicago Avenue

None except listed at Morgue Record

REMARKS:

J. H. DuBeau returned home at 4:10 P.M. today and found deceased dead on the couch in the diningroom. He was on his back, across the couch, his head down behind the couch. He had been moved by the City Physician before deputy coroner came. A small bullet wound was present in the left chest in the fifth interspace, two inches from the nipple line toward the midline of the body; tissue is blackened and the skin slightly away from the wound is bruised; edges are inverted. There is no wound of exit present.

Deceased won this 22 rifle in a punch contest two weeks ago; he had never handled a firearm before. The rifle was on the floor in front of the couch and the ramrod lay on the couch; with it were a rag and five small bullets. Apparently deceased was cleaning the rifle. The father saw his son at noon when he was seated in a chair reading the morning paper.

Officers Uglem and Hensler were present. General Hospital ambulance came.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DANIEL A. BURNS

Date Sept. 1.

Place of Death	4027 27th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4027 27th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	66 Sex Male		
Birthplace	New York		
Occupation	Restaurant owner		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Welander-Quist (W.side)	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 9 P.M. today following an illness of 1½ years. Deceased had been confined to bed for three days. John S. Foley, Christian Science healer, had attended her because of liver trouble and dyspnoea.

W. H. Church of the same address notified deputy coroner at ten P.M. Permission given to have body taken to undertaker's.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRED C. WRIGHT

Date Found Sept. 3.

Place of Death	Lake Calhoun at West Calhoun Blvd. and West Lake Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	409 E. 18th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$.35 cash; purse; 2 keys; spectacles & case; pencil; paring knife; safety razor holder and 4 blades; notebook; Mpls. Gen. Hosp. Out-patient dept. card D3168.
Age	59 Sex Male		
Birthplace	England		
Occupation	Janitor		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	By drowning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Fred Wright, Wife
H Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	409 E. 18th St. P

Show effects Notes on Morgue Record

Clo. to be destroyed - by order of wife.

REMARKS:

Deceased was seen floating in Lake Calhoun twenty-five feet out from shore, by S. Cohen, 735 E. 17th St., and S. Kelly, 734 E. 15th St., at 6:40 A.M. today. They notified Wm. Johnson, caretaker of the Calhoun bath-house, who called the police. Officers W. R. James and Wm. Haugen and others were present. The water has a depth of about 65 feet.

On a tree deceased's coat was hanging; a note in a pocket indicated suicide purpose.

Jess Wright, son, told coroner that he brought his father to 204 Second Street North, Men's Lodge of City Welfare Department, on August 31st and left him there at 11:30 A.M. Deceased left this place the next day, September first.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROBERT KRONBERG

Date Found Sept. 3.

Place of Death	1819 Washington Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1819 Washington Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Ingersoll watch; cards and divorce decree; photograph.
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Painter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~		Other effects listed on Morgue Record	(No value)
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Wallace Ernest Kronberg, Son
Undertaker	Heinrichs Funeral Home	Address	3906 Sixth Street North.

REMARKS:

Deceased is divorced from his wife and has roomed here three months. He has been on relief. He was last seen at 5:30 P.M. September second by Otto Lang in the hallway outside of his room. He was found today at 9:30 A.M. by Frank Colliton who broke in the locked door and turned off the gas. Two burners on the gas plate were turned on. Deceased was lying on a kitchen table adjoining the gas plate. There was a pillow under his head and a quilt over the gas plates extending over his head and body. In deceased's right hand he clutched a photograph of his daughter Marilyn, aged four. He was fully dressed. The body is very pink as from gas poisoning.

Officer O. F. Johnson present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DONALD GFROERER

Date Found Sept. 4

Place of Death	Rear of 1021 Thomas Avenue So	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4225 Lake Drive Avenue Robbinsdale, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$5.20 cash; billfold; 4 keys; Minn. licensed chauffeur badge 76232 for 1937; Sash,Door & Millworkers Union of Mpls. official due card 1936-1937 ledger #35-B; YMCA certificate of membership; payroll tax deduction slip; fishing license for 1937 #70309; Natl. Jewelry Co. national profit sharing coupon; driver's lic. card 1 X92427; driver's lic. card 3 X35791; traffic violator tag; religious emblem; pictures; receipts; cards; papers.
Age	21 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Mechanic		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~		Other effects listed on Morgue Record	
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Carbon monoxide poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	from auto exhaust.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Frank Gfroerer, Father
Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	4225 Lake Drive Avenue Robbinsdale, Minnesota.

REMARKS:

Mr. Leonard Sarempa, 1002 Thomas Avenue South, states that he and his wife noticed from the window of their home at 6:30 A.M. a body lying at the rear of an automobile stalled in a gravel pit across the street from their place. He called police from 1041 Thomas Avenue. Mr. Sarempa says the engine of the car was running. He turned it off. The lights of the car were out.

The place where the car was stalled and the body found is a gravel pit with an alley winding off from Thomas Avenue leading up to it. Tracks show where deceased's car had run up a gravel mound about twenty feet then backed down and sunk to the hub in loose gravel. The body of deceased was lying rear of car on his right side, his face one foot from the exhaust pipe, an auto jack partly under the rear axle of the car, a flash light near at hand still burning. His over shirt was by the left rear wheel, one sock by his head, his shoes, necktie and other stocking in the car, one shoe in the front seat and the other in the rear, tools scattered on the floor of the car, the gas tank one-quarter full of gas. The car is a Plymouth coach B111-134.

The body is very pink as from gas poisoning. Officers Oscar Larssen and Emil Jenson.

The police and neighbors state that this place is commonly frequented by people for parking cars and flirtations. Deceased called at the home of Joyce C. Gunderson,2016 Fremont Avenue South, and spoke to her father at 9:30 P.M. Sept. 3, 1937. Miss Gunderson says she is fiance of deceased but has not seen him since the evening of September second, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HARRIET G. FROST Date September 4

Place of Death	Crystal Village, one mile north of Robbinsdale	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	3947 Unity Avenue, Robbinsdale	Effects Taken in Charge	1 ring (with two small diamonds and one sapphire setting); 1 pair of broken spectacles; 1 bar pin.
Age	39 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Vice-Pres. & Gen. Mgr - Frost Oil & Paint Co.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural ~~x~~			
Airplane Accident	Compound fracture of skull		
~~Suicide x~~			Clothes sold at auction 12-14-38 To County Treasurer 12-16-38
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. A. L. Frost, mother
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	3947 Unity Avenue Robbinsdale, Minn.

REMARKS:

Deceased, a student pilot, was piloting a plane belonging to Harvey Holcomb, owner of the Robbinsdale airport. Glen Chase of 2220 Third Street North, was a passenger and instructor in the plane, which was an enclosed two-passenger model No. NC 15284. A few moments after they took off they crashed into the south side of a house located about three hundred yards north of the airport, and belonging to A. A. Dubay. The plane stuck on to a corner of the house so that it was necessary for the deputy sheriff and Robbinsdale firemen to climb to the roof of the porch to rescue the bodies. Both bodies were fastened by a safety belt which was cut to remove them. When the deputy coroner arrived both bodies were lying on the roof of the porch.

Deputy Sheriff Hurley was on the scene of the accident. The time was 2:05 P.M.

Injuries: abrasion over left tibia middle third; abrasions over both knees; laceration one inch long at the base of the left small finger, abrasions of left arm and elbow. Fractures of both clavicles and upper ribs on both sides; compound fracture of skull, left frontal with laceration four inches long, extending from the medial margin of the left eyebrow to one inch in front of the left ear. Free crepitation of the underlying bones could be palpated.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ARTHUR GLEN CHASE Date Sept. 4.

Place of Death	Crystal Village, one mile north of Robbinsdale	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	2220 Third Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	$3.20 cash; ring; wrist watch; purse; knife; 4 keys; pocket flashlight; driver's lic. M10036; pilot lic. 33434; ident. card 33434; misc. papers of no value.
Age	28 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Post Office letter carrier and aviator		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Airplane Accident	Fracture of skull and fractures of the left tibia, fibula and right femur.		
~~Suicide x~~			
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Shirley Chase, Wife
Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	2220 Third Street North

REMARKS:

For details of accident see account of Harriet G. Frost (Case #522)

Injuries: Laceration 3 in. long front of left ankle anteriorly; fracture of left tibia and fibula middle third; multiple abrasions of both knees; fracture of right femur in the middle third; multiple small lacerations of the right hand and fingers; multiple shallow abrasions of the right shoulder region and upper right arm; profuse bleeding from left ear; deep laceration one inch long just below right eyebrow; laceration 1 inch by 1/2 inch in the midline of scalp just above hairline; small abrasion of nose.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN PETER WULFF Date September 4.

Place of Death	2908 28th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2908 28th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	63 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Chicago, Illinois		
Occupation	Foreman - American Ball Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Albert Lea, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander (west side)	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 9 P.M. There is a definite history of heart and kidney trouble. Christian Science practitioner Moser attended him.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY ATCHISON Date Sept. 5

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private at General Hospital
Place of Accident	2½ Miles north of Forest Lake	Inquest	No
Residence	5952 Second Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	66 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Iowa		
Occupation	Housework		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~	Thrombo-phlebitis of left leg with pulmonary embolism following fracture of left patella and rt. hip.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted August first at 8:47 P.M. by Dr. Egil Hanson and treated by him and Dr. Johnsrud. Deceased came in with a laceration of the scalp, fracture of left patella (which was reduced by open operation), fracture of right hip and left radius. The above information was given coroner by Dr. Johnsrud. Deceased was brought in by a truck. She died at 6:45 P.M. today.

Clarence Olson, son-in-law, 106 Willow Street (Ge.2505) gave coroner following information: Deceased was riding with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Wheeler of Washington, D.C., when they had a collision with another car going to Duluth occupied by two boys about nineteen years of age. Wheeler's car was coming from Superior. In Wheeler's car were the two Wheelers who were injured and taken to Ancker Hospital, Mrs. Louise Johnson, 2514 30th Avenue South, sister of deceased, who was brought to Deaconess Hospital, and Allen Jones, a nephew. One boy in the second car was injured and was brought to Ancker Hospital.

The accident occurred 2½ miles north of Forest Lake. Body was viewed at Thomson-Nelson's. There is an operative wound of left patella, not healed, some suppuration present; left leg swollen, wire through lower right femur for traction.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN SUNDIN

Date September 5.

Place of Death	Mound, Minn.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Mound, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	Lake Lillian, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$7.55 cash; 5¢ postage; picture; receipt; card; matches; billfold; Individual resident fishing lic. #166318 Kandiyohi Co. for 1935; Elks-Legion Dance ticket #D2199; 2 spectacles (both broken); 2 lenses.
Age	62 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Farm Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile Accident		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
	Crushing injuries of chest with fracture of arm and hip (right)	Other effects listed on Morgue Record.	(no value)
Place of Burial	Lake Lillian, Minn.	Effects delivered to	R. A. Westling, 3437 34th Ave. So.
S Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Mortuary	Address	By order of Arthur J. Sundin, Son of Dec'd.

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at the junction of the crossroad from Baptist Assembly and Highway No. 110. Dr. Huestis and John Loberg, of Mound heard the crash at 9:20 P.M., were first on the scene and dragged the body from the car. The body was hanging on the side of the car. J. B. Clarkson and O. L. Loberg were also present. The car was going east toward Mound, coming from St. Bonifacius. The accident occurred about 1/4 mile from the center of town, but within the city limits. There was a curve in the road which the car failed to take. The car ran off the road and sideswiped a big tree and turned completely around.

Deputy sheriffs Frank J. Sramek and Emmet Primeau, also George Cole, officer at Mound, investigated the accident. Dr. Wilkins had been called before the coroner arrived.

Injuries: Crushing of chest - all ribs on right side were fractured, also right clavicle; some of upper ribs on left side fractured; compound comminuted fracture of right arm, midpoint; comminuted fracture of right hip.

Willard Renstrom, Lake Lillian, Minn., (32), owner of car, was injured and brought to Swedish Hospital. He stated to coroner at the hospital that a stranger drove the car at the time of the accident. He was picked up near a beer tavern on this side of St. Bonifacius. Renstrom sat on the right side and deceased in the middle. Renstrom was sleeping at the time of the accident. He said the stranger had been driving fast. They each had two glasses of beer at the inn, and at Silver Lake one bottle each. Renstrom stated he was up all night at a dance.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALFRED IRVING OSTRANDER

Date Found Sept. 5.

Place of Death	2815 West 40th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2815 West 40th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	65 Sex Male		
Birthplace	New York		
Occupation	Civil engineer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Body viewed by coroner at Davies Mortuary. Deceased retired about 10 P.M. September fourth apparently well. He was found dead in bed by his wife about 9:30 A.M. September fifth. The bedclothes were undisturbed. The hot water bag was found on his chest which might indicate that he had suffered cardiac pain.

Dr. Robert Williams was called and reported the case to coroner.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN P. CARLSON Date Sept. 5.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Isanti County	Inquest	No
Residence	907 20th Avenue N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Painter and paperhanger		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Fracture of spine with secondary bronchopneumonia due to fall off hayrack		
CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Isanti, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Dan Billman	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance No. 2 from his home August 9th, 1937. Attended by Dr. H. F. Nelson.

The son of the deceased, Ralph Carlson of 417 24th Avenue N., stated that his father had been visiting on a farm in Isanti belonging to his brother-in-law Andrew Norell, and was helping on a hayrack from which he fell. (Date of accident July 31, 1937). He was taken home where he became involuntary and his legs paralyzed, so he was admitted to the General Hospital at the request of Dr. Inglehart. He had a fracture of the first lumbar vertebra and of the left scapula. He died at 3:35 A.M. September 5th.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ELAINE FFOLLIOTT REEP Date Sept. 6

Place of Death	5008 Thomas Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	5008 Thomas Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	16 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Anita, N. Dak.		
Occupation	At home		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Broncho-pneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	~~Accident~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred shortly before five P.M. today. Deceased was under the care of Christian Science practitioner Grant Robinson. Late in last January practitioner A. C. Collier, 2302 Fremont Avenue South, was first called and stated to deputy coroner that patient at once began to improve under his care. Then a few weeks ago she began to fail again, complained of her head, her stomach and bowels, and developed a cold. There is a history of a marked loss in weight. A huge mass, regular in outline, can be palpated throughout the lower abdomen. M. A. Reep is the father.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Davies Mortuary.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HENRY EDWARD PALM

Date September 6.

	Place of Death	In ambulance to General Hosp. from State Fairgrounds.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	Beacon Hotel, 40 Washington So.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	63 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Richfield, Minn.		
	Occupation	Baker - retired.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
	Place of Burial	Litchfield, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
H	Undertaker	Henry Anderson	Address	

REMARKS:

Henry Leathes, 34 South Washington, told county morgue superintendent John Anderson, that he and deceased went to the State Fair early today; that he complained shortly after of severe chest pain; that he rested and later about 10:15 P.M. started for the streetcar to go home. Deceased placed a pill under his tongue as he had done before, probably nitroglycerin. Before they got to the streetcar deceased collapsed and was hurried to the Grounds' Hospital. Here he was put into an ambulance, but delay was caused by the crowd. Mr. Leathes thinks death occurred near Seven Corners in Minneapolis, at about 11 P.M.

A son Richard, 4253 Cedar Avenue, told deputy coroner that deceased had a bad heart and frequent attacks of chest pain, and that he had been to General Hospital.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at embalmer's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HENRY JULIUS PRIEBE

Date Sept. 7.

	Place of Death	Eitel Hospital	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	Tonka Bay Village	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	77 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Hanover, Minn.		
	Occupation	Retired city fireman.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Cerebral thrombosis with		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~ terminal bronchopneumonia		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H	Undertaker	Sundseth Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted to Eitel Hospital on September third at 12:45 P.M. to the care of Dr. R. C. Logefiel. He was brought in an ambulance from Excelsior where Dr. Arey rendered first aid. He died today at 4:05 A.M., having remained semi-conscious the entire period of hospitalization.

John Priebe, a son, told deputy coroner that his investigation revealed the fact that deceased had been driving toward Excelsior alone late in the forenoon of September third; that near Wildhurst a lady living nearby heard auto brakes screeching and saw a car leave the highway and go into the ditch. She hailed a passerby who examined the car and found that it was on its side, not on deceased. He got Dr. Arey of Excelsior who had deceased brought to Excelsior, then immediately ordered him to Minneapolis, Eitel Hospital. Dr. Logefiel said deceased was in too serious condition for Xray examination. He said he believed deceased suffered a cerebral thrombosis rather than an injury, and that paralysis of the right side occurred before the car left the highway. The son is of the same opinion and prefers not to have an autopsy.

Examination of remains at Sundseth's shows the following:
Bruises of left side of head, bridge of nose, of upper right shoulder near deltoid muscle, of left upper arm and shoulder, of outer side of right thigh.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SELMA J. SANDQUIST Date September 7.

Place of Death	3459 Logan Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3459 Logan Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	53 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Cokato, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased and her husband were at the Fair all day yesterday. She complained of headache a good deal. She retired in the bedroom downstairs at 7:30 P.M. Her daughter June (12) slept in the same room, the husband upstairs. He says he heard a noise as of a fall at about 7 A.M. When he came down at 7:30 A.M. he found deceased lying dead in the doorway of the bathroom. She had removed her night apparel and arranged her day clothes, apparently dressing.

According to the husband, Mrs. John Huisenfeldt, 3454 Logan Avenue North, and Dr. Helk, deceased has had a high blood pressure, as high as 220, but has not been attended by a physician for some time.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at home. She had been removed to the bedroom.

Officers Dedrickson and Peterson.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WM. F. SEAVEY Date Sept. 7.

Place of Death	3634 Aldrich Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3634 Aldrich Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Automatic Colt Revolver No. 8511 with holster; 6 cartridges; 2 empty cartridges.
Age	48 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Mail Carrier		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Gunshot wounds of chest		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Cora Seavey, Wife
C Undertaker	Swanson Mortuary	Address	3634 Aldrich Avenue North

REMARKS:

Deceased was in the basement of his home when at 8:30 A.M. the wife heard two shots. She called for neighbors and police. Deceased was found lying across the top of a trunk on his back with his knees bent and feet on the floor. The revolver lay on the trunk close to his left side.

Two bullets entered his chest. No. 1 entered two inches to the left of the edge of the sternum and 1½ inches above the level of the left nipple line. No. 2 entered two inches to the left of the sternum and three inches below the left nipple line. Both bullets emerged in back and lodged in the lid of the trunk. There were two empty shells on the floor. The revolver belonged to deceased and has been in the bureau drawer for many years.

About a month ago deceased, after a few weeks of headache, was suddenly seized with a collapse, everything turned black, profuse perspiration and weakness. He was taken by ambulance to Veterans Hospital and stayed eleven days, discharged August 31st. He was admitted for typhoid fever (tentative) which was not found. It later developed he had influenza (mild), also had a chronic otitis media. He was attended by Dr. E. G. Nelson.

Since coming home deceased has been very restless and would walk the floor all night. It is probable that he was suffering with meningeal symptoms following flu or otitis media. Previous to this attack he had always been well.

Arriving on the scene were Mrs. Martin, O. Skreen, Rev. Sletten and John Winger. Officers Hubbard and Neering present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME TINA LOUISE ERICKSON

Date September 7.

Place of Death	Found in Mississippi River near 29th St. & West River Rd.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	2022 Sixth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	None except listed on Morgue Record
Age	48 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway (Elverum)		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Probably Accident: Drowning; ~~Suicide~~; ~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38

REMARKS:

Deceased was discovered by Billie Moran, 2748 40th Avenue South and Matthew Newberg, 3431 Minnehaha Avenue, about 2:15 P.M. today as she was floating in the Mississippi River about two to three hundred feet south from the C.M. & St.P. Railroad bridge. Officers Seebick and Bettinger recovered the body about three P.M. and brought her to shore near 29th Street.

She was identified by Eric Erickson, husband, who told J. A. Anderson, County Morgue Supt., that deceased had had a nervous breakdown four years ago at which time she was committed to the State Hospital in Rochester, Minn. She was removed from the asylum at Rochester by her husband on August 29th. According to information given by husband and daughter Esther Erickson of Duluth, deceased has never threatened to commit suicide. Deceased was brought up alongside the water-front and always enjoyed spending her leisure time near water. Both September 5th and 6th she spent by the river.

She was last seen alive by her husband at 10:30 A.M. Sept. 7th, 1937, when he left to go to work.

Body viewed by deputy coroner where recovered. She was fully dressed. There is a slight abrasion of the left knee and upper tibia.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SAMUEL B. MONSON

Date Found Sept. 7.

Place of Death	Big Twin Lake Golden Valley Village	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	424 Meadow Lane Golden Valley Village	Effects Taken in Charge	$53.55 cash; spectacles & case; letter; receipts; papers; 2 streetcar tokens; billfold; purse; watch (Elgin); knife; bottle of powder; ident. card; Univ. of Minn. Hosp. out-patient slip #25756; Indiv. resident fishing lic. No. 33935 for 1937.
Age	54 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Pleasant Springs, Wisconsin		
Occupation	School janitor		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~; Accident: Drowning while fishing; ~~Suicide~~; ~~Homicide~~		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Rena Monson, Wife.
Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	424 Meadow Lane Golden Valley, Minn.

REMARKS:

Deceased left his home Sunday, September fifth about 1 P.M. saying he was going fishing. He was seen passing the home of Mrs. Balfaus, 8th Avenue & Virginia, at 4 P.M. carrying a fish pole and fish box. When he did not report for janitor work at the school Monday September seventh, Mrs. Balfaus, school director, inquired of the family. Officers Carl Quist, M. L. McNabb and Howard McKelvey in a boat began search and found the body at 2:15 P.M. September 7th in the water near the southeast shore of Big Twin Lake, sometimes called Sweeney Lake. The place was opposite the home of Jim and Ed White.

The body appeared to be floating erect with the head barely above the water. Parts of the face, ears, etc., are mutilated evidently from animals in the water. There were many turtles in among the weeds. Body was fully clothed.

Mrs. Florence Thotland reports to coroner that she rented a boat Sunday to a humpbacked man and on Monday the boat was found floating without an occupant, by a stranger who notified Mrs. Thotland. A tackle line and lunch box were in the boat. Deceased had a deformed back.

He was a patient at University Hospital from January 9th to April 1, 1933, for gastric ulcer and has been on a diet and taking powders since. The last visit at the clinic was September 10, 1936.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME IRVIN D. MUELLER Date Sept. 7.

Place of Death	U. S. Veterans Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy at Vets. Hosp.
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Alma, Wisconsin	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	50 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Mason		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Hemorrhage from laceration of		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x left wrist		
Place of Burial	Alma, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Swanson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted August 26th, 1937, to the care of the Veterans Hospital because of pulmonary tuberculosis. Deceased was found about 4:10 P.M. today seriously bleeding from his left wrist which he had cut with a pocket knife. Dr. W. S. Anderson was summoned at once. Death occurred at 4:45 P.M. today.

The cut was sutured. It involved the entire extensor surface of the left wrist. Autopsy held by Dr. Nolan, and death certificate signed by Dr. F. R. Sedgley, Acting Chief Medical Officer.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MAYBELLE HAUGEN Date Sept. 7.

Place of Death	117 West Grant Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	117 West Grant Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	35 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Shafer, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Pulmonary tuberculosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Willow River, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 10:45 P.M. today, following a long illness. For eight or nine years she was known to have tuberculosis; had been under the observation of Dr. Myers. For the past year and a half Mrs. Winters, Christian Science practitioner cared for her.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at undertaker's.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRIEDA LEVI

Date September 8.

Place of Death	104 Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	104 Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	About 48 Sex Female		None except listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Austria		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x		
Place of Burial	New York City	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
C Undertaker	Zeesman Mortuary	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

REMARKS:

Deceased was up and around doing her usual work when she suddenly dropped dead in the hallway of the apartment. The husband does not know her age, but she appears to be about 55. General Hospital doctors were present after death. She has complained of being weak and dizzy for some time.

Officer Tappan present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WALTER E. OTTENHAUSEN

Date Sept. 10.

Place of Death	800 Sixth Street South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Freeport, Illinois	Effects Taken in Charge	$5.64 cash; billfold; wrist watch (Bedford) with strap; ring; spectacles; comb; Prudential Ins. Co. policy #M4575699; Prud. Ins. policy M3404734; Prudential premium receipt book; Prud. Ins. intermediate monthly premium receipt book; Social Security Act card, acct. #330-01-0220; cancelled used car order; State of Ill. motor vehicle reg. card; State of Ill. transfer card for Ford car; U.S. revolver D42829; 4 cartridges; 3 empty cartridges; letters; pictures; receipts; papers.
Age	22 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Illinois		
Occupation	Mailing clerk - Rawleigh Company		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Gunshot wound in chest		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Freeport, Illinois	Effects delivered to	Clark A. Miley, Freeport, Ill.
C Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	By order of Louis Ottenhausen, Freeport, Ill., brother of dec'd.

REMARKS:

Deceased roomed with Clark Miley. They came to Minneapolis by automobile from Freeport- Illinois, September fifth. With them was also Etta Miley, who lives at 732 Eighth Avenue South. Mr. Miley left his room at 4 P.M. and tried to get deceased to go with him but deceased said he would rather stay in the room. When Miley returned at 7 P.M. the radio was playing and the room was dark. Deceased was lying on the floor beside the bed. A gun, 22 revolver, lay by his side. Miley went to the next room of Helen Froebel who called police.

On the way from Freeport deceased was very despondent and said he was "going to end it all". Since coming to Minneapolis he had been trying to get work but had been unsuccessful.

Officers Kevelin and Gregisberg present.

The bullet entered the left chest one inch to the left of the edge of the sternum and one inch below the nipple level. The wound is surrounded by smoke and powder marks. The bullet did not emerge.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NELLIE J. SIEH

Date September 10.

Place of Death	Richfield Village 78th & Portland Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	4110 18th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	2 rings (1 wedding ring and one with settings)
Age	50 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ / Accident	Automobile Crushing injuries of chest.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	J. W. Sieh, Husband
C Undertaker	Henry W. Anderson	Address	4110 18th Avenue South

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

The accident occurred at 7 P.M. Deceased was a passenger in a Plymouth automobile driven by her husband J. W. Sieh. He was driving north on Portland and had crossed 78th Street or Highway 100, when his car was struck on the right side by a Chevrolet driven by Kermit W. Strebel, Arlington, Minn., going west on 78th Street. Deceased was thrown out of the car and landed about twenty feet distant outside of a Pure Oil Station on the northwest corner. Death was immediate. The body was taken to Hennepin County Morgue.

The chest is severely crushed, the ribs on both sides are fractured in numerous places and the chest caved in; the abdomen is filled with blood; there is an open laceration two inches long through the scalp at occiput; the face and head are bloody. There are bruises two inches in diameter on both knees.

In the Chevrolet with Mr. Strebel was also Lawrence Young, Tom Paul, Howard Wolff, and Richard Donlin, all of Arlington. They had been at the State Fair and were returning home. Immediately before the crash they passed another Chevrolet car driven by Roy E. Borth (28), Gibbon, Minn. In this car was also Otto Borth and their wives. Mr. Borth collided with the Strebel car as it struck the Sieh car. The Strebel car carried a dealer's license D364-1.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MAYNARD SWIFT

Date Sept. 10th

Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy - Dr. Hertzog.
Place of Accident	Wayzata Blvd. about 4 miles from Mpls. city limits	Inquest	No
Residence	7815 Wayzata Blvd.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	New York		
Occupation	Stationary engineer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ / Accident	Automobile Fracture of ribs with left		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	intra-pleural hemorrhage &		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	bruising of brain with broncho-pneumonia.		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Accident occurred on Wayzata Blvd. about four miles beyond the city limits, on September seventh about 10:30 A.M. Deceased was admitted to the University Hospital September 7th at 10:50 A.M., died at 6:50 P.M. today. He was attended by Drs. Waugensteen, Adam, Cowan, Layne and Buirge.

Dr. W. W. Rieke of Wayzata told Dr. Hobbs, deputy coroner, that he was called to the place of accident shortly after 10:30 A.M. September 7th. Deceased was lying on the highway shoulder, head pointed north, on the south side of the highway, Wayzata Blvd., not far east of Oak Knoll. Dr. Rieke helped put him into the Emergency Ambulance. A traveling salesman, A. E. Ferguson, 2618 Tenth Avenue South put in the call for the ambulance. He had been driving west and states that he did not see a pedestrian on the highway, but just as he met an eastbound truck he says he saw a parcel fly in the air and after the truck had passed deceased was lying on the edge of the pavement. Deputy Sheriffs Boucher and Lyman report that deceased was either riding the tailgate of a truck and fell off, or he was sideswiped by the truck. The driver apparently did not know of the accident.

Viewed by deputy coroner at University Hospital morgue.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: AXEL SWANSON

Date: Sept. 11.

Place of Death	Brooklyn Center Village, Hwy #169, 1 mi. N. of crossroad No. 57	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	R.F.D.#5, Box 145, Minneapolis	Effects Taken in Charge	1 purse; streetcar token; chip; 2 knives; Uncle Sam Watch; spectacles & case; pencil; ruler; memo book; bottle of iodine; roll of tape; U. of M. hospitals card #615422; 2 Home Owners Loan Corp. notice of payment due; U.S. Dept. of Labor applicants card #802; letters; cards; papers; streetcar transfer.
Age	54 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Carpenter		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ / Automobile Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~		
	Fracture of skull.		
		Other effects listed on Morgue Record	(Clo. no value) Clothes Destroyed 12-1-38 By John Anderson, Morgue Supt.
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Wallace L. Swanson, Son,
Undertaker	Heinrich's Funeral Home	Address	3900 Beard Avenue North By order of Mrs. Axel Swanson Wife of deceased.

REMARKS:

Deceased, a pedestrian, was struck by an automobile driven by Lawrence Fair at 10:20 P.M. September 11th. Fair lives one mile north of Brooklyn Center on the Brooklyn Center Road (Camden Station). Both the pedestrian and Fair were going north. Witnesses state that the deceased was very intoxicated and staggered. Witnesses were: Chas. Shoop, 1161 6th Street North and his wife; Dell Racheleau, 3615 Sheridan Avenue North.

Deputy Sheriffs Hall Lawrence and Mike Fahey were called by Roy Dorn, constable of the Babbling Brook Tavern not far from the accident. Bennett Cox of 7713 West River Road, a neighbor of deceased, identified him and stated that he was frequently drunk. E. LaCrosse of 77 North Lyndale, said he saw him in the Babbling Brook Beer Tavern sometime earlier in the evening. Tony Guzzi, manager of the tavern, stated that deceased had come into his place intoxicated the evening of Sept. 11th and created a disturbance, so that he was forced to put him out about 9:30 P.M. T. W. Barnard of 7305 Dupont Avenue South, was in the Tavern and verified Guzzi's statement.

Injuries: compound fracture of the left tibia and fibula in the middle third; laceration over the fractured tibia one inch long; multiple small contusions over the right leg and both thighs; abrasions of both hands; a large palpable fracture of the skull with free bony crepitation on palpation.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: ANDREW M. ROISUM

Date: Sept. 11

Place of Death	Dights Ave. betw. 37th & 38th Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3700 21st Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	1 watch; 1 chain; 1 knife; 3 keys.
Age	66 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Dennison, Minnesota		
Occupation	Millhand - night watchman		
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural / ~~Accident~~ / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~		
	Coronary sclerosis		
		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.	
Place of Burial	Sunburgh, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Rose Roisum, Wife
Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	3700 21st Avenue South

REMARKS:

Police officers Geo. Ford and Wm. Swenson got a call to go to Searle Elevator at 12:05 P.M. today. Deceased had been mowing the lawn on the east side of the Searle Elevator Company when he collapsed. He was first seen by Wm. Behnke, 5225 36th Avenue South, at noon, slumped over. General Hospital ambulance attended by Dr. Neary came.

There is a history of a paralytic stroke four months ago, as told deputy coroner by the widow and Supt. P. J. Bohn. He has been employed here many years. There is also a history of tiring easily.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: REUBEN GABORWITZ, also known as GABER — Date: Found Sept. 11.

Place of Death	1808 Washington Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1808 Washington Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	4 keys; address book; Social Sec. Act card Acct. #562-12-0276; certificate in lieu of lost or destroyed discharge cert. army serial No. 1,876,703; 2 Voter's registration receipts; picture; paper
Age	43 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Philadelphia, Pa.		
Occupation	Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ ~~Accident~~ Suicide ~~Homicide~~	by hanging		
Place of Burial	Philadelphia, Pa.	Effects ~~delivered~~ mailed to	Mrs. Minna Kremer, Sister
H Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	1918 Pine Street.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Clo. shipped to David & Sidney Gabowitz 429 Porter St., Phila.Pa. Brothers.

REMARKS:

A maid Frances Schwindter, found deceased at 5:50 P.M. today in Room 107. He was hanging on the head of an iron bed, on his knees, a 1/4-inch clothesline about his neck, his face covered by two cloths and a layer of cotton next to his face, his nose inside the inner cloth. A pint-bottle of chloroform two-thirds full was on a window ledge near deceased. A note was found on the dresser indicating suicide.

Officers O'Neil and Williams were present. General Hospital ambulance was called.

Deceased registered here on August 27th. He was seen at 7:30 last night by Morris Christiansen, proprietor.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: JEAN KATHERINE BUSWELL — Date: Sept. 12.

Place of Death	Plymouth Twp. Highway #101	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Plymouth Twp. Highway #101	Inquest	No
Residence	2621 Girard Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.02 cash; hand purse; 4 streetcar tokens; ring; comb; mirror; pencil; powder puff; rouge; 2 handkerchiefs; 2 lipsticks; notebook; 3 receipts; hairdressers & cosmetologists membership book 3060; Individual resident fishing license No. 570465 for 1937; pictures.
Age	25 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Winona, Minnesota		
Occupation	Beauty Operator		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ Accident (Automobile) ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~	Fracture of skull		
Place of Burial	Fountain City, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Myrtle Brandt, sister
H Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	2621 Girard Avenue South

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Accident occurred 2½ miles north of Wayzata on Highway No. 101 at 12:55 A.M. today at Snyder's Crossroad Curve. Deputy Sheriffs Mair and Timmers were investigating. Donald Schmitz and Mrs. A. Williamson in a farmhouse not far away saw a great cloud of dust when apparently the automobile left the road. They hurried to the place of accident. The car which was a two-seated Ford, was in a ditch upright, the top of the car gone. Three people were lying on the ground at varying distances from the car. One man was walking around limping. The car had been going toward Wayzata and the driver continued straight instead of following the curve. His car hit an iron post of a protection fence and went diagonally down the ditch. Deceased lay on her back, her head almost north.

Injuries: profuse bleeding from the left ear; a three-inch laceration over the left eye starting near the outer side of the left eye passing upward and to the right. The edges were far apart. Bruising of the nose; multiple bruises anteriorly of both legs below the knees, backs of both hands; abrasion of left cheek; and tip of left ear; small laceration tip of left ear; abrasion of left forehead.

Dr. Rieke came.

Deputy Sheriffs Timmers and Mair report that their inquiries show that deceased was driving the automobile and had taken the wheel at Hamel, Minn. Both Terrain and Davis say that she was driving, though Miss Cohen says that Davis was driving. All four people had spent Saturday night at a Lake Sarah resort and had been drinking.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME KEITH B. CHAMBERLIN Date Sept. 12.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of ~~Accident~~ Tragedy	2608 Bryant Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	2608 Bryant Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	29 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Iowa		
Occupation	Accountant - Minn. Highway Dept.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Phenobarbital poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	W. H. Elliott	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the hospital September 11th, 1937, at 12:06 P.M. by Dr. H. F. Nelson. He died at 3:15 P.M. today. Attending physicians were Drs. Marking and C. L. Anderson. There is a history written by the examining physician to the effect that ten days ago deceased was at General Hospital because of phenobarbital poisoning; also that he had five times previously taken phenobarbital with suicidal intent. A sister Mrs. Jean Miller, a graduate nurse from University Hospital and married to a doctor living at 794 Chippewa Ave., St. Paul, told deputy coroner that deceased had periods of very marked depression; that he had been in Glen Lake Sanatorium because of tuberculosis. Also, that the widow of deceased told her that he began taking luminal the night of September ninth, 1937, but she stopped him. On Friday night, September tenth, he got away and secured more luminal and had been taking a great deal of it.

Dr. Trueman reports that many times he had been called to see deceased following taking of phenobarbital with suicidal intent.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ARTHUR P. GOKEY Date September 12.

Place of Death	4014 Utica Ave., St. Louis Pk.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4014 Utica Ave., St. Louis Pk.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Clintonville, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Tool inspector - Mpls. Park Bd.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Kucera of Hopkins, Minn., notified deputy coroner that he had been called to the address above at 6:10 P.M. today; that death had occurred about 5:40 P.M.; that deceased had complained of chest pain last night and previously, also that he had passed away following an anginal pain.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Welander's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANNIE LEWIS

Date Sept. 12.

Place of Death	Plymouth Township	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	Hyland Station, Route #7 Plymouth Township	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	52 Sex Female			
Birthplace	Canada			
Occupation	Housewife			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Bronchial asthma and			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~	chronic myocarditis			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to		
Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address		

REMARKS:

Dr. Buzzell notified deputy coroner that he was called to address above and found deceased dead at 5 P.M. He had attended deceased for the past several years and had taught a daughter how to give adrenalin, but had not seen deceased for six months.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME KATHERINE MARIE JENSEN

Date Sept. 12.

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	3026 Hiawatha Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	61 Sex Female			
Birthplace	Denmark			
Occupation	Housewife			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Lysol poisoning			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Acacia Park	Effects delivered to		
Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address		

REMARKS:

Dr. G. L. Merkert called deputy coroner and told him that four months ago he committed deceased to the State Hospital in Rochester; that September ninth the family brought her home. Jens Jensen, the husband, called Dr. Merkert, who at once ordered her to the hospital. There he washed out her stomach, sufficient lysol being recovered so that his hands tingled. The husband couldn't say how much his wife drank. He found her in one of the rooms immediately after she took the lysol.

She was admitted to the hospital at 7:45 P.M. today and died at 8:20 P.M.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Enger's Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHRIST JOHNSON Date Sept. 13.

Place of Death	2729 11th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2729 11th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	83 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Denmark		
Occupation	Watchman - New England Furn.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	East Union, Carver County	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was on the walk at 27th & 11th Avenue South, when he was seized with pains in his chest and collapse. He was helped into his home by a passerby and placed in bed. Deceased was in great distress and said he had never had such pains in his chest before. He died at noon, and the body was viewed by deputy coroner at the mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM BECKUN Date Sept. 13.

Place of Death	Mississippi River - Champlin Twp.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Mississippi River - Champlin Twp.	Inquest	No
Residence	R.F.D.#1, Osseo, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.48 cash; 1 watch & chain; 7 keys; 1 purse; 1 knife;
Age	48 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Austria		
Occupation	Laborer - W.P.A.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Drowning when boat capsized		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Wm. Beckun
Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Mortuary	Address	R.F.D.#1, Osseo, Minn.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record (No Value) Clothes Destroyed 12-1-38 By John Anderson, Morgue Supt.

REMARKS:

Deceased was heard to yell about 5:30 P.M. today, by Allen Johnson who lives near deceased. He had been fishing from a rowboat anchored in the Mississippi River. The body was recovered at 7:30 P.M. by neighbors, L. H. Lindsey, William Cotton and Donald Tarbot and brought to the pier. The water was fifteen feet deep at this point. Deceased had lived here since August 1st, 1937.

Deputy sheriffs Lawrence and Ekdahl were present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLOTTE STRUNCK — Date Sept. 14.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Danebo Home, 3030 W.River Rd.	Inquest	No
Residence	3030 W. River Road.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	93 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Denmark		
Occupation	Music Teacher		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of right femur due to fall on floor.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Enger Mortusry	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the hospital on April 18th, 1937, at 2:23 P.M. by Dr. E. Hanse. She died at 2:35 A.M. today. Attending physicians were Drs. Zierold, Robitchek and H. F. Nelson. There is a history of falling on the evening of April 17th, 1937, as she was about to go to the bathroom in the Danebo Home, as given by Mrs. Dagmar Kording, matron.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THOMAS GAVERE — Date Sept. 14.

Place of Death	51 Tenth Street North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	51 Tenth Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	78 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Burkittsville, Md.		
Occupation	(Retired) General Contractor		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred about 3 A.M. today. Mrs. Otis Jenner, a daughter, 3306 East 50th Street, told deputy coroner that Frank Gavere, a nephew of deceased, slept in the same room; that in the night deceased awakened him saying he had "colid" and wanted some soda, and also had much pain in the left chest. Seven years ago he had a stroke.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Gill's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME AUGUST A. BLIXT

Date Sept. 14.

Place of Death	1142 Humboldt Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	1142 Humboldt Avenue North	Inquest	No
Residence	1142 Humboldt Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	83 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	(Retired) laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~x~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Acute lysol poisoning followed by secondary bronchopneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~x~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~x~~		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Sundseth's Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

The deceased was a feeble, senile man who has been a semi-invalid for several years. He was accustomed to helping himself to a drink of whiskey several times a day and would usually consume about a quart a week. At 5:00 P.M. September twelfth, 1937, his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Hughes, who has been attending him, came in the bathroom and found him washing his mouth and chin with water. He had a bottle of Comp. Solution of Cresol in his hand and had taken a drink of it. He said to her, "What is this?" She became alarmed and called his wife.

Dr. A. N. Russeth was called and a gastric lavage administered and stimulants. Bronchopneumonia developed and the patient expired at 8:15 A.M. September 14th.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THOMAS JOHN CONDON

Date Sept. 14.

Place of Death	Plymouth Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	R.F.D. #10, Minneapolis	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	82 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Springfield, Mass.		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~x~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~x~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~x~~		
Place of Burial	St.Marks Cemetery, Shakopee	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Body viewed at Knaeble's Mortuary. It is very much emaciated. He has been failing a long time and passed away with a struggle early this morning. No doctors have attended him for years.

Informant Frank Condon.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOSEPH A. HUMPHREY

Date Sept. 15.

	Place of Death	2941 30th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	2941 30th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	70 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Cairo, Illinois		
	Occupation	Car repairer - Milwaukee Ry.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accidental~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicidal~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicidal~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C	Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Gleason's. Deceased has been having chest pains and anginal symptoms for some time. Dr. Henry Peterson was called and arrived after death. Dr. Witham examined him three years ago.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME UNKNOWN BABY GIRL

Date Found Sept. 15.

	Place of Death	Found in Mississippi River at Canal Street South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	Unknown	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	Newborn Sex Female		
	Birthplace	Unknown		
	Occupation	Infant		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Probably stillborn		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accidental~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicidal~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicidal~~			
	Place of Burial	(Cremation) University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
C	Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	

REMARKS:

The body was found floating in Mississippi River at Canal & 7th Avenue South near Pillsbury Mills, at 2:35 P.M., by Myron O. Hermes, 689 Edmund St., St. Paul, and Officers Duffy and Hamilton. The baby appears to be a full-term newborn female; the cord is four inches long, not dried and not tied. Body is too decomposed for autopsy.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: PAT NORTON — Date: Sept. 16.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No	
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
	Residence	73 15th Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	$.06 cash; billfold; spectacles (broken) and case; pipe; M.L.Cohen Sons sales slip; Off. of Commissionersof Registration notice; WPA form 402 notice to report for work on project ident. #2788-969,case HMB 2910; WPA notice of re-interview; receipts.	
	Age	63 Sex Male			
	Birthplace	Massachusetts			
	Occupation	Unknown On relief			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Fracture of skull with			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	chronic alcoholism, cause of			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	injury unknown.		1 key to room delivered to M.F.Stern, manager of rooming house 9/20/37	
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide				
	Place of Burial	University of Minn.	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-37	
C	Undertaker	John Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-37	P

Other effects listed in Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was found unconscious on the street at First Avenue North between Eighth & Ninth Streets. Police arrived and he was brought by ambulance and Dr. Leighton to Minneapolis General Hospital, -- admitted 11:40 P.M. Sept. 13th. He died at 2:22 P.M. Sept. 16th. There is no external evidence of any injury. Police state deceased has been arrested five times for drunk. He drank "dehorn" (denatured alcohol). Mrs. Ada Lowe, landlady, says he roomed there two years and was drunk most of the time. M. F. Stern, same address, makes the same statement.

He has been on relief since 1925; born Mar. 1, 1874 in Massachusetts. A sister is said to be Margurite Conley, Roxbury, Mass., who could not be located. Officers Burnsted and Swanson report that they can find no witnesses to any accident occurring to deceased.

He was attended at General Hospital by Drs. Johnsrud and Whitesell and McCain. Dr. McCain interviewed, states that on admittance deceased was intoxicated and bleeding from the right ear. Xrays taken September 14th show a fissure fracture of occipital region on the right side.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: CORA B. LILJA — Date: Sept. 16.

	Place of Death	321 Oak Street S.E.	Autopsy	No	
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
	Residence	321 Oak Street S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
	Age	57 Sex Female			
	Birthplace	Stacy, Minnesota.			
	Occupation	Housewife			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~				
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~				
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~				
	Place of Burial	Stacy, Minnesota	Effects delivered to		
C	Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address		

REMARKS:

Deceased lived with her son Wilbur (27), and daughter Helen (19). They left home at 11:00 A.M. leaving deceased home alone. When they returned at 3:30 P.M. they found the house full of gas, the door locked. The kitchen table had been pushed up against the gas range and deceased was lying on the table,her head on or near the gas range, a typewriter cover over her head and the gas plate. The gas was turned on.

Dr. Doyle arrived. Deceased has been sick and melancholy for some time. She has been attended by Dr. Abrahamson.

Officer C. A. Lent present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ADOLPH E. JACOBSON Date Sept. 16.

Place of Death	Rear of 4050 Second Avenue So.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1819 Elliot Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.01 cash; purse; key; ring; card case; 7 receipts; cards; papers; matches; 1 F.W.S. Local 544 membership card 1937 #389; 1 WPA Form 402 2625 Reassignment slip ident. No. 2788-18328, case #28693; 1 WPA form 402 notice to report for work on project, ident. same; can of smoking tobacco
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Sign painter		
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural Accident x Suicide x Homicide x		
Place of Burial	Elmhurst Cemetery, St. Paul	Effects delivered to	Hilda Jacobson, Wife
H Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	1819 Elliot Avenue

Other effects listed in Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 9 A.M. Officers Mahoney and LeMeltry came in reply to a call. General Hospital ambulance was there. Deceased had complained earlier to the foreman, E. P. Payne, 744 Madison St. N.E., of severe pain in the left side of the chest; had complained at other times. He was advised to go home, but he said he needed to work.

Witnesses: Henry Munson, 2532 Elliot Avenue, and Wm. Hathaway, 4050 Second Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PATRICIA EUGENIA GANLEY Date Sept. 16.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Yes (Dr. Hobbs not present)
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1722 Bryant Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	26 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Housekeeper at home		
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural x Probably Accident - Barbiturate poisoning Suicide x Homicide x		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Gill Bros. Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the hospital on September 14th at 7:46 P.M. by Dr. H. F. Nelson. She was brought in an ambulance from her home. The admitting diagnosis was "attempted suicide". She was attended by Drs. Leitschuh and Gates. Death occurred at 5:25 P.M. today.

For two days she has felt much depressed. On the 13th instant she took a large amount of amytal. When her brother Bernard left the house early today she was sleeping heavily, and on his return she was still stuperous. She had been a patient at the Minneapolis General Hospital from December, 1936, to July this year because of colitis, and since her return home had been coming to General Hospital regularly.

Later, on the 18th Monica Ganley told deputy coroner that in the evening of September 13th she bought twelve amytal pills for deceased, giving her one. She has no idea what became of the container or when and if deceased took more or all of the pills. On the morning of the 14th everybody went to work, including the mother, except a sister Rita who stayed at home. Rita says that deceased slept all day. Dr. Selmer Johnson was called in the evening of the 14th and ordered her to the hospital. His version of the situation agrees with the account given by the sisters, and the brothers Bernard, and Leo, who lives at 4324 Chicago Avenue.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: MARY BELL BOLISH — Date: September 16.

Place of Death	611 Ridgewood Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	611 Ridgewood Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	57 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Ontario		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Carcinoma of uterus, probably primary.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Amor & Company	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased died at 10:30 P.M. today following an illness of one year, when bedridden. She was unattended.

Her husband, F. C. Bolish, was with her at death.

Body viewed at Amor's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: TRYGVE A. DAHL — Date: Sept. 17.

Place of Death	1912 44th Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1912 44th Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	38 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Police officer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Gunshot wound of chest		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Barney Anderson	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had been in financial difficulties according to his brother, Berger Dahl of 2212 Iowa Avenue, Flint, Michigan. Berger Dahl said the deceased had been paying alimony to his divorced first wife and, being married again taxed his finances too much so that of late he had been despondent and had talked vaguely of going away. Berger Dahl, who had been visiting the deceased, said he took a bath at about 12:00 noon; that at 12:43 P.M. just as his wife was going into the bathroom, they heard a shot and on opening the bathroom door, they found him on the floor, his .38 caliber Colt service revolver alongside. Deceased had not appeared at work for three days.

The bullet wound of entrance was one inch to the left of midline of the chest, anteriorly and in the fourth interspace. It was surrounded by powder burns.

Detectives Montgomery; Officers Boldt and Stevenson.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY TRUE

Date Sept. 17.

Place of Death	1702 Elliot Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1104 Eighth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	79 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Ohio		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Hill city, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Joe Billman	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has lived with her daughter Julia Bushnell and was removed for care to American Rest Home about eleven hours before her death. She expired without a struggle at 2 A.M. September 17th, 1937. Attended by nurse, Miss Grace Wirtz.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Billman's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NELLIE S. LARSON

Date Sept. 17.

Place of Death	4533 33rd Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4533 33rd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	47 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	By hanging		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Henry W. Anderson	Address	

REMARKS:

About 3:30 P.M. John Larson, son (13 years old) found deceased hanging by a rope from a rafter in the basement. He called Carl Ahlquist, 4508 33rd Ave. So., and Mrs. Ahlquist, who came to the house. While Mr. Ahlquist supported deceased, the boy cut the rope. They carried her to second floor, then called police, General Hospital and Fire Department.

Deceased's neck was indented; she had used an ordinary clothesline, tied it to support of rafters, had stood on a chair, then kicked it away. Dr. Widen had been attending her. Her husband told deputy coroner that she had been nervous and despondent and was in her climacter. Deceased had prepared a lunch for the boy which he ate at 12:30 P.M. today.

Officers Mathews and Kriesel were present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SIMON LARSEN

Date September 17.

Place of Death	1515 Stevens Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1515 Stevens Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$401.30 cash 1.65 spent for telephone calls $399.65 balance 6 keys; purse; folder; cardcase; watch (Hampden) pencil; Farmers & Mech. Savings Bank Bk. #88720 showing balance of $2245.75; Union Bldg. & Loan Assn. pass book #113 showing no balance; Franklin Creamery Assn. stock cert. #4493 for 1 share; Mpls. Labor Temple Assn. stock cert. #141 for one share; Associated Textiles, inc., stock cert. #450 for one share; Associated Textiles stock cert. #521 for 3 shares; Associated Textiles stock cert. #235 for 8 shares; naturalization paper; 2 farm leases; warranty deed; note for $5000.00; Minn. state inspector's certificate (Continued below)
Age	About 64 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Swendborg, Denmark		
Occupation	Common laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Andrew Johnson, Spec. Adm.
C Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	1127 First National Bank Bldg.

REMARKS:

Deceased has roomed here six years. The landlady is Emma Majerus. She saw him yesterday but no one has seen him today. Other roomers think they heard him come in from work at the usual time between one and two A.M. September 17th and also the hall light was turned out, which was customary for him to do. He was found dead in bed at 7:55 P.M. September 17th by the caretaker A. V. Anderson.

Deceased was lying in bed in night apparel and had apparently expired without a struggle. Roomers state he appeared to have asthma and has been attended by Dr. Clarence Larson for chronic myocarditis.

Police officers Kletschka and Galchutt.

Effects (cont.) Engineer - Issue #239, series No. Fst; Cert. of Beneficial Interest in Segregated Assets of Equitable Bldg. & Loan Assn. transfered to Peoples Realty & Mortgage Co. as trustee for liquidation #1136 for $926.79; mortgage deed; assignment of mortgage; first mortgage note for $6800.00 paid Nov. 18, 1933; release of mortgage foreclosure; registration certificate; 2 pictures; handy box; tax receipts; receipts; letters; papers.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME A. HAROLD POTVIN

Date Sept. 18,

Place of Death	Admiral Hotel, 312 8th St. So.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	312 8th Street South	Inquest	No
Residence	Admiral Hotel, 312 8th Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	44 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Osseo, Minn.		
Occupation	Chiropodist		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~	Nembutal poisoning (accidental)		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	with acute and chronic alcoholism.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Barney Anderson	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Doering stated to coroner that he arrived at the hotel about 12:45 or 1 A.M. September 18th and deceased had just died. He found him on the bed; he had collapsed out in the hall. He stated that deceased's wife told him that deceased had been drinking heavily; that he took a handful of nembutal capsules and swallowed them, and threw the box in the toilet. Dr. Doering stated he had attended him some time ago when deceased was very intoxicated. He said there were a number of liquor bottles in the apartment. He said deceased was a heavy drinker.

Deceased's wife stated to coroner over the telephone that she thought it was between eleven and twelve P.M. September 17th when he took the nembutal capsules. Earlier in the evening she had been with deceased to Office Cafe, on Third Avenue between 7th & 8th Streets.

Deceased's sister, Ruby Potvin, said she was satisfied that he died from nembutal poisoning and from alcoholism. Both his wife and sister requested of coroner that no autopsy be held.

Body viewed by coroner at undertaking parlors.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JULIUS S. BREDAHL

Date Found Sept. 18.

Place of Death	2440 Tenth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2440 Tenth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	65 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Teamster (retired)		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	McDivitt Funeral Home.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found at 10:45 A.M. today by Wendell Johnson, owner of the house and living upstairs. He had been seen last night. Deceased's wife went to see friends over night and he was alone. He was lying on his back in bed, apparently died while asleep. General Hospital ambulance came. Officers Tolbers and Bettinger were present.

A son, Ralph Bredahl, lives at 3608 27th Avenue South. He told deputy coroner that deceased had seemed well, but became tired easily. Dr. Willard Peterson states that he saw deceased September eighth following a fall over a chair in his home and found the ninth and tenth ribs fractured on the left side. The son wanted no autopsy.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ESTHER HAGLUND

Date Sept. 18.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Chisholm, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	24 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Chisholm, Minnesota		
Occupation	Journalistic student		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Phenobarbital poisoning		

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JULIUS S. BREDAHL

Date Found Sept. 18.

Place of Death	2440 Tenth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2440 Tenth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	65 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Teamster (retired)		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			

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It was ascertained that she had been staying with a Mr. and Mrs. Odencrans of 3306 Pierce Street N.E. Mr. Odencrans stated to deputy coroner that the deceased was a writer; that she had taken some work at the University of Minnesota previously but had to stop because of a nervous breakdown. She stayed with them two months last summer and went home again apparently well. She returned to visit them September 13, 1937, and he said she didn't seem the same and acted peculiarly and somewhat despondent over the fact that she was unable to enter the University. He said that on two occasions he or his wife took a bottle of phenobarbital tablets away from her during the past week; and that on one occasion the deceased attempted suicide by turning on the gas stove which he had shut off in the basement to forestall any such attempt.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ESTHER HAGLUND

Date Sept. 18.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Chisholm, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	24 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Chisholm, Minnesota		
Occupation	Journalistic student		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Phenobarbital poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Chisholm, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	O. H. Oakley	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital in a comatose condition by ambulance No. 1 from the Vendome Hotel at 8:55 P.M. Sept. 18th, 1937, by Dr. Hanssen. She died at 10:50 P.M. Sept. 18th. She was attended by Dr. Gilman. At the Vendome she was said to have registered between 4:30 P.M. and 5 P.M. Sept. 18th, 1937, and was assigned to room 207. Abe Snyder of 815 W. 40th St., bellboy, says he took her to her room and that she seemed all right. He says she was in her room about an hour and went out, returning in a very short time, acting as though she was very drunk, and accompanied by a fairly young man, estimated age 26. The man was in the room with her approximately a half hour, then came downstairs. He talked to the assistant manager, Vernon Onstad, and asked him to stop in and take a look at the deceased as she was "passed out" and he didn't like to leave her lying like that with money in the room. Onstad stopped in the room a little later, saw the condition she was in and called the General Hospital.

Mr. Onstad stated there were three bottles labeled "100 Phenobarbital Tablets Gr. 1½" in the room, one empty and another empty but with about half of its contents spilled on the floor, and a third one full, so it was estimated she had taken 150 tablets. He turned over two of the bottles to deputy coroner.

Onstad and the elevator man both said they could identify the man if they saw him again.

The tablets were stamped "Walgreen Stores" so the nearest Walgreen Store at Sixth & Hennepin was checked and Mr. B. J. McMullen, a clerk, told deputy coroner that he had sold a bottle of Phenobarbital tablets to a young woman answering roughly to the description of the deceased, between four and five P.M. Sept. 18th. He said she was alone at that time.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LOTTIE MINNIE LARSON Date Sept. 18.

Place of Death	Excelsior, Minnesota	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Excelsior, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	62 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Litchfield, Minn.		
Occupation	Housekeeper		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Litchfield, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Bardwell	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead on the couch by her brother when he came home about 11 P.M. Dr. Arey was called and notified coroner.

Deceased's sister went to bed about 7 P.M. Deceased was then alive and apparently well. A hot water bag was lying on the floor beside the cot. Dr. M. H. Seifert had examined her some time ago. The brother stated to Mr. Bardwell that deceased was suffering from hypertension.

Coroner viewed the body at the undertaker's in Minneapolis.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WALLACE E. LEE Date Sept. 19.

Place of Death	In ambulance enroute to Mpls. Gen. Hosp from alleyway off 7th Street between Nicollet & Henn.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	622 W. Broadway	Effects Taken in Charge	$15.01; 7 slot machine slugs; 1 ring.
Age	24 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Rogers, Minnesota		
Occupation	Common Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of skull with bruising of brain due to fall from 3rd story window.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hassen, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Alice Wadtke, Sister
Undertaker	Sundseth's Funeral Home	Address	622 West Broadway

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was picked up by General Hospital ambulance No. 1 with Dr. Neary in an alleyway off Seventh Street, rear of Witt's Market House, shortly after midnight September 19th. He died enroute to the hospital where they arrived at 12:16 A.M. He is said to have fallen from a third story window of a hall at number 19 South Seventh Street.

Ray Horton, caretaker of the hall, said that the deceased was attending a private party which was put on there. He said the rent of the hall was paid by check signed by a Glen Grimes, address unknown, and that a Bud Mehaffey, who is the business agent for a local union, also seemed to have charge. He said that he was upstairs in the hall preparing to clear out the place shortly after midnight. He said that a group of men were gathered around a beer keg in one corner and he thought that they were going to carry it out with them. He suddenly heard someone shout from that group and he went over to them when he learned that the deceased had fallen backwards through the window. The window is a large wide window and the sill is only about 2½ feet off the floor. The window faces the alleyway which runs off Seventh Street alongside the Nanking Cafe. Bud Mehaffey stated to deputy coroner that the deceased just simply fell through the window, apparently having lost his balance.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SELMA MARIE LIBBY

Date September 19.

Place of Death	2029 18th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2029 18th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	68 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Walter Anderson	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 12:15 P.M. today. As deceased was about to drink coffee her head sagged. Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance came. Officers Bettinger and Bungert were present.

There is a definite history of cardiac trouble over a long period of time.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OSCAR C. VANGEN

Date Sept. 19.

Place of Death	Nokomis Ave. at 50th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Nokomis Ave. at 50th Street	Inquest	No
Residence	3716 29th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	1 key
Age	36 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Meat Cutter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Auto & Accident	motorcycle Crushing injuries of chest.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Oscar Vangen, Wife
H Undertaker	Henry W. Anderson	Address	3716 29th Avenue South

Other effects listed on Morgue Record (Clo. no value)

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 5 P.M. today. Deceased was seated on the rear of a motorcycle driven by Leif Holmes, 2527 Seventh Street South. They were headed south on Nokomis Avenue. The motorcycle struck the left side of a Chevrolet sedan driven by Robert Mayville, 4232 46th Avenue South. His father Lawrence Mayville was with him. They were going east on 50th Street. Robert told deputy coroner that he saw the motorcycle coming fast, but figured the driver would go behind him. The Chevrolet was going at from fifteen to twenty miles per hour. The Chevrolet was pushed against the curb at the southeast corner of 50th & Nokomis. A water hydrant is at this point. Probably deceased was catapulted to the top of the Chevrolet sedan, then thrown against the hydrant.

Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance came. Officers Geo. Powell and Geo. Hill were present. One witness: Wm. Gray, 3108 Keewatin Avenue.

Injuries: laceration left side upper lip; bruising of left cheek; crushed right chest, caved in, with emphysema; compound comminuted fracture of middle of right femur.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HOWARD DALE BAILEY Date Sept. 19.

Place of Death	Northwestern Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Seashore
Place of Accident	Junct. of Hwys.10 & 96, Ramsey County, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	2013 Genesee Street Syracuse, N.Y.	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	61 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Menomonie, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Attorney		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural / ~~Accident~~ / Automobile / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Laceration of lung, fracture of ribs, sternum & pelvis.		
Place of Burial	Syracuse, N.Y.	Effects delivered to	C. W. Bailey, Brother
Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	4046 Washburn Avenue North

None except listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the hospital at 3:45 P.M. September 19th and died at 7:00 P.M. He was brought in by Emergency Ambulance from the junction of Highways No. 10 and 96, and treated at the hospital by Dr. Nordland.

Deceased was a passenger in a car driven by Leonard Merwin, druggist. In the same car also were Mrs. Merwin, 1710 James Avenue North, and Mrs. C. W. Bailey, 4046 Washburn Avenue North, sister-in-law of deceased. Merwin was killed at the place of accident. Both women were injured. Merwin's car collided with another car driven by Leo Bunde, 1010 Western Avenue North, St. Paul. Charles Webinger, 1221 St. Albans Street, St. Paul, was riding with Bunde and was killed at the place of accident.

Merwin's party is said to have been on their way to Bayport, Minn., at the time of the accident.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SIDNEY RUDOLPH CARRIER Date Sept. 20.

Place of Death	2411 First Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2411 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	51 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Washburn, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Collector & salesman - Assoc.Cred.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural / ~~Accident~~ / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Coronary sclerosis		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at about 7:15 P.M. today. Police and General Hospital ambulance were called. Officer A. H. Moe present. The wife and a son Harold were present when deceased died.

There is a history of severe chest pain last night and deceased was confined to bed all day today complaining of chest pain and stomach trouble. Clarence Mickelson, Christian Science practitioner had attended him.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SVEN ERLAND OLSON Date Found Sept. 21.

Place of Death	Third Ave. N. & Miss. River	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Mississippi River	Inquest	No
Residence	409½ Washington Ave. So.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.01 cash; billfold; knife; 2 pencils; safety razor; spool of thread; letter; Board of Pub. Welfare meal order; paper.
Age	66 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Laborer (On relief)		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Probably Accident: Drowning		
	~~Suicide~~		
	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
C Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

The body of deceased was found floating in Mississippi River at 8:20 A.M. today. Reported to police by Charles D. Martin, a Great Northern Railway employee. The body was near the Great Northern Railway Power house north of the depot, floating in water near the west bank about thirty feet from the railroad bridge.

The body is fully clothed and well preserved, likely has not been dead over a few hours.

Deceased has been on relief since 1931, in United States since 1897. According to passport he was born Dec. 23, 1870. Weight 135 lbs.; height 5'5"; ruptured (ing.); sandy hair and heavy sandy mustache, bushy eyebrows.

A niece is Mrs. Olof Anderson, Trollhattan, Sweden; her name is Karin. She was notified of death by letter. Letter returned "addressee unknown".

Officer Lippnow.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ELMER ELLSWORTH WHITE Date Sept. 22

Place of Death	2709 Bryant Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2709 Bryant Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Food Manufacturer		
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural: Chronic endocarditis		
	~~Accident~~		
	~~Suicide~~		
	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased's sister Lydia White, who was living with her bachelor brother, woke up about 1:30 A.M. and heard him gasping for breath. He died almost immediately. Dr. Norman Smith was sent for, who reported the case to coroner.

Deceased's brother Rollin White, stated to coroner that he left his brother about 10:15 P.M. Sept. 21st. Deceased was then apparently well. They bowled together during the evening. He also stated that deceased has been suffering from a heart murmur, and was declined additional life insurance two years ago.

Body viewed by coroner at Davies Mortuary.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE W. HILDEBRAND

Date Sept. 23.

Place of Death	3108 Sixth Street North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3108 Sixth Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	West Bend, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Machinist		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Milwaukee, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Billman Funeral Chapel	Address	

REMARKS:

Josephine Hildebrand, wife of the deceased, stated that he had been ailing for four or five years with dyspnoea, asthma and pain in his chest. He had not had medical attention for about a year. He had worked hard all day yesterday puttering around with odds and ends and retired with his wife about 9:30 P.M. She awoke at 6:40 A.M. and talked to him a while, then arose. While she was preparing breakfast downstairs she heard a thump upstairs, ran up and found him lying on the bathroom floor cyanotic. She called a neighbor, Mrs. Geo. Cruys, and a physician, Dr. Kertesz, who pronounced him dead on arrival. The time of death was said to be about 8:10 A.M.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK ALBERT VEIT

Date Sept. 23.

Place of Death	In ambulance enroute to Univ. Hosp. from Plymouth Twp.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Plymouth Twp., Hamel P.O.	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	55 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Farmer		None except listed on Morgue Record (No value)
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Gunshot wound of chest		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Arthur Veit, Son
C Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	Hamel, Minn.

REMARKS:

Deceased shot himself with a shotgun in the hayloft of his barn at 9:30 A.M. After the shooting the body slid down into the gangway of the barn. The wife called for his brother Otto Veit and Dr. Martinson of Wayzata, who arrived at about 11 A.M. Deceased was placed in an ambulance and died enroute, a few blocks from the University Hospital. The body was taken to the Hennepin County morgue and examined.

There is an open wound 2½ in. x 4 in. 1½ in. below the left nipple. The wound exposes the ribs and penetrates the chest. Numerous shot wounds surround the large wound.

The ambulance arrived at the University Hospital at 1:30 P.M.

Deceased had borrowed the shotgun of a neighbor and last Sunday said to his wife he was very despondent and was going to end it all. She then sent her daughter to neighbors to come and get the gun but they had not done so. Deceased had a large family in poor circumstances, and was sick. His teeth have troubled him a great deal.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JENNIE FRANKS

Date Sept. 24.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hosp.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	1815 16th Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	1815 16th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	93 Sex Female		
Birthplace	England		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fall downstairs - fracture		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	second lumbar vertebra.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Canby, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	McDivitt Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted September 19th at 3:33 P.M. by Dr. E. Hanson. Brought in General Hospital ambulance from the home of her niece Mrs. Mabel Kragness. She was attended by Drs. Hay and Sorenson. Death occurred at 3:40 A.M.

Deceased was blind. The fall occurred about 3 P.M. September 19th. Mrs. Kragness was near when her aunt fell.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WALLACE ARTHUR PECK

Date Sept. 24.

Place of Death	2729 Columbus Avenue	Autopsy	Dr. Seashore
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2729 Columbus Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	7 months Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	--		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Bronchopneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Clothes Destroyed 12-1-38
S Undertaker	Gill Bros. Mortuary	Address	By John Anderson Morgue Supt.

None except listed on Morgue Record (No Value)

REMARKS: Deceased was brought in to Northwestern Hospital at 11 P.M. by the parents. Dr. Ehrenberg was in the hospital and examined the baby. He stated to coroner that the baby was already in rigor mortis. Father stated to coroner that deceased was dead when the mother came to pick it up from its crib about 10:45 P.M. Deceased had been having a cold for a few days.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROY H. FRIER

Date September 25.

Place of Death	Veterans Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Rush City, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	42 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Rush City, Minn.		
Occupation	Night marshall		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Fracture of skull due to leap		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~	from roof of building.		
Place of Burial	Rush City, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Connelly & McDevitt, St. Paul	Address	

REMARKS:

On September 22nd at 11:50 A.M. deceased was seen to jump off the fourth floor roof of the administration building at Veterans Hospital, by Raymond Dekusha, Jacob Korvula and Dale Winchester. He died at 7:16 A.M. today. He had been admitted September 13th, 1937, from his home in Rush City, Minn., for observation because of mental symptoms. The spinal fluid contained blood; Xray showed dislocation of the second and third and fourth dorsal vertebrae.

Death certificate was signed by Dr. Maguire, Chief Examining physician, at Veterans Hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN EDWARD THIELEN

Date Sept. 25.

Place of Death	Elks Club 7 South Sixth Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3730 Xerxes Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$12.79 cash; billfold; 8 keys; 1 Diamond ring; 1 diamond stick pin; Elks lapel emblem; spectacles; rosary; streetcar tokens and case; assignment of pension check; Pensioners MFD Relief Ass'n list; Minn. Loan & Trust Co. bank book; N.W. Natl Bank & Trust check book; fountain pen; letters and notations; membership cards; Individual resident fishing license #18564 for 1937.
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota		
Occupation	Captain (Mpls. Fire Dept)		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	E. N. Thielen, Son
S Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	116 Court House.

REMARKS:

A. E. LeRoy, 3329 Pleasant Avenue, Peter Van Eff, 4410 West Lake Harriet Blvd., and John Ledin, 4744 Aldrich Avenue South, were playing cards with deceased when deceased suddenly got up and walking toward the bar, asked for Alkaselzer, when he sagged to the floor and died. Dr. A. L. Herman was called and remained with the body until coroner arrived.

Body was lying on the floor near the bar in the card room.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN THOMAS McGINNESS Date Sept. 25.

	Place of Death	Northwestern Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth	
	Place of Accident	2937 Nicollet Avenue	Inquest	No	
	Residence	3210 Blaisdell Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.10 cash; 39 receipts; 1 ring; Illinois watch; chain; knife; 6 keys; note-book; 5 streetcar tokens in holder.	
	Age	66 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record	
	Birthplace	Detroit, Michigan			
	Occupation	Stage employee			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural				
	CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Fracture of skull with hemorrhage			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide	and bruising of brain due to			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide	fall downstairs.			
	Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Anna McGinness, Wife	
R	Undertaker	T. Connolly	Address	3210 Blaisdell Avenue	

REMARKS:

According to George Doran, manager of the "Scoreboard" beer parlor in which the accident occurred, the deceased had just come into his place and was going down into the basement. He said there is one step down to a platform, then ten or twelve steps down into the basement, and that the deceased fell all the way. He said deceased had nothing to drink in his place. Doran took him in his car over to Northwestern Hospital where he was admitted at 9:15 P.M. and died at 9:20 P.M. September 25th. Dr. Harry Brown attended him at the hospital

Officers Tripp and Moore.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SIGURD BERG (Drystad) Date Sept. 25.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private at General Hospital	
	Place of Accident	Minneapolis Workhouse	Inquest	No	
	Residence	Beacon Hotel, 40 Washington So.	Effects Taken in Charge		
	Age	46 Sex Male		None except listed on Morgue Record	
	Birthplace	Ebestad, Norway			
	Occupation	Common Laborer			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural				
	CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Sub-dural hematoma with compression of brain probably due to fall in cell during delirium tremens.			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Suicide				
	CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide				
	Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-37	
R	Undertaker	John Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-37 P	

REMARKS:

Deceased was sent to the Minneapolis Workhouse September 15th, 1937, for thirty days on charges of being drunk. He was very nervous and went into delirium tremens, according to the office of the superintendent. He was transferred to solitary confinement and later, on September 22nd, 1937, he was sent to the Minneapolis General Hospital because of a comatose condition. He was admitted to the General Hospital September 22 at 2:42 P.M. by ambulance No. 2. He was admitted by Dr. H. F. Nelson, attended by Dr. LaDue, and died at 4:45 A.M. September 25th.

The exact nature of the diagnosis was not known until a private autopsy was performed where a subdural hematoma with compression of the brain was found. A 4+ Wasserman was reported from the workhouse.

Deceased was arrested by Officers Loppnow and Morford September 14th at Eighth Avenue South & Second Street. They report that he acted drunk and had a strong odor of denatured alcohol on him. There was no evidence of injury at that time.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HENRY F. DAHLSTROM — Date September 27.

Place of Death	Veterans Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy at Vets. Hosp.
Place of Accident	3928 36th Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	3928 36th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	43 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Second and third degree burns of body following explosion of gasoline and kerosene.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Swanson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

About 9 A.M. September 26th deceased's underwear became ignited as he was starting a fire in the furnace. His wife heard an explosion, rushed downstairs and found her husband rolling in the coal to put out the fire. He was able to go upstairs alone and to call the fire department. The door of the coal bin caught on fire. A two-gallon can which the wife said had contained a mixture of gasoline and kerosene, was found on the basement floor near the furnace, with its bottom blown out.

General Hospital ambulance came and took deceased to Veterans Hospital. Here he died today at 2:15 A.M.

The skin has come off both arms and hands, legs, lower abdomen and part of the chest and face, and tissues are slightly charred.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NELS B. SWANSON — Date Sept. 27.

Place of Death	5540 Pillsbury Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Brainerd, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Railroad carpenter		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Brainerd, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred about 11:15 A.M. at the home of deceased's daughter, Mrs. L. L. Halladay. He had been talking with his daughter earlier today. Last night he had severe diarrhea and was short of breath. There is a history of hypertension.

Dr. Irving McDonald was called, saw him after death and notified coroner's office.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MILDRED GOODIN Date Sept. 27.

Place of Death	St. Barnabas Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2310 Fourth Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	22 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	At home		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ ~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~	Gangrenous endometritis with general peritonitis due to a criminally induced abortion		
Place of Burial	Dayton, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	H. A. Nelson, Osseo, Minn.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the hospital September 25th at 6:20 P.M. to the care of Dr. Robert Monahan. Death occurred at 6:40 P.M. today. Drs. Geo. Schmidt, Irving, McDonald and Lundgren were consulted by Dr. Monahan. The chart showed that a pregnancy existed of approximately three months' duration. Deceased told Dr. Monahan that on Saturday, Sept. 18th, "something" was done to her; he was called to see her one week later and at once ordered her to the hospital.

She signed a statement absolving Dr. Monahan from responsibility, but refused to involve anyone.

George Goodin, father, stated to coroner that she did not tell him who was responsible for the abortion. Art Nelson, 4360 Toledo Ave., Robbinsdale, stated to coroner that arrangements had been made that he and deceased were to get married October 16th, 1937. He said she had not told him that she was pregnant nor who performed the abortion. George Goodin stated he called Dr. Monahan.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HARRY BANKS Date September 28.

Place of Death	Kenneseth Israel Synagogue 526 Lyndale Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	512 Lyndale Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 58 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Russia - Jewish		
Occupation	Merchant		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural ~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~	Coronary sclerosis		
Place of Burial	Minneapolis Jewish Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Zeesman Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was seated in a pew in the Jewish Synagogue when at 11:15 A.M. he suddenly slumped over dead. He has been attended at the out-patient department of Minneapolis General Hospital for some time for cardiac disease. Body was viewed by deputy coroner in synagogue and the family interviewed at the home.

Dr. O. L. Nelson saw him September 21st at General Hospital and advised that he be hospitalized.

Officer H. E. Anderson.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY LENNON

Date September 28.

Place of Death	MINNeapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy at Gen'l Hosp.
Place of Accident	1409 Glenwood Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	218 James Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	77 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Finland		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Accident	Lacerations about the head due to fall downstairs followed by secondary bronchopneumonia and pulmonary embolus.	
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Joe Billman	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital September 21st at 5:41 P.M. by ambulance No. 1 from a Finnish bath at 1409 Glenwood Avenue. She was admitted by Dr. Hansen and attended by Dr. Johnsrud. She died at 12:20 P.M. September 28th. Permission for a private autopsy was obtained and performed by Dr. Jensen. He reported finding lacerations about the head, bronchopneumonia and a pulmonary embolus.

Otis Mason, partner of the Bath, residence 213 James Avenue North, said the deceased was found on the floor at the bottom of a tier of three steps leading to a bench, by another woman, name unknown. She called for help and the General Hospital was called. He did not think she was unconscious. The time she was found was about 5:30 P.M. September 21st.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM WILSON

Date Sept. 29.

Place of Death	Near 19th and Upton Ave. So.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Unknown	Effects Taken in Charge	$.71 cash; watch (Westclox Pocket Ben); knife; comb; razor, tooth brush; shaving brush; razor hone; razor strop; 1 styptic stick; soap; purse.
Age	About 65 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Unknown		
Occupation	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
C Undertaker	J. A. Anderson, Mpls.	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased belonged to the "floating population" and nothing is known about him. Joe Roddy (70), no address, says he has known him and seen him around the Gateway for many years. Deceased slept with Joe Roddy in a boxcar on the M. & St. L. Railway at 19th & Upton. They walked over to a "jungle" by the railroad tracks nearby to prepare something to eat when deceased became very sick. Roddy left to call police and when he came back death had taken place, (7:00 A.M.)

Deceased at one time stayed at Acme Hotel. Is said to have relatives in Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Officers Beard and McGirr investigating for police department.

It was later learned that the original name of deceased was Orville Stevens, and that he was a deserter from the army.

Deceased was 5 ft. 7 in. tall, weighed 150 lbs., had brown eyes and light brown hair.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME KNUT E. THORSON

Date Sept. 29

	Place of Death	54 Eastman Avenue	Autopsy	No	
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
	Residence	54 Eastman Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
	Age	85 Sex Male			
	Birthplace	Clinton, Wis.			
	Occupation	Cabinet Maker			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Chronic myocarditis			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~				
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~ x				
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~				
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to		
C	Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Mortuary	Address		

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead in bed at 9:15 A.M. Case reported to coroner by undertaker, and body viewed at mortuary.

A sister lives at Janesville. The wife is Emma Thorson. Deceased was on Old Age Pension.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME VIRGINIA C. BAKER

Date Sept. 29.

	Place of Death	Enroute to the Mpls. Gen. Hosp. from 22nd St. So. & Pleasant Ave.	Autopsy	No	
	Place of Accident	22nd St. So. & Pleasant Ave.	Inquest	No	
	Residence	2200 Pleasant Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$12.02 cash; purse; clip.	
	Age	22 Sex Female			
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.			
	Occupation	Assistant buyer - Dept. Store		Other effects listed on Morgue Record	
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~				
	CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Automobile Fracture of skull			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~				
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~				
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	H. A. Smith, Davies Mortuary	
R	Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	By order of Evelyn McCue Baker, mother of de'd.	

REMARKS:

Police report that the deceased was standing on the curb waiting for a bus when two cars collided near her and one of them driven by Joseph C. Holstad, of 3608 17th Avenue South, rolled up over the curb striking her. The other car was driven by H. A. Colliander of 2201 Aldrich Avenue South.

The time of the accident was 9:05 A.M. The General Hospital ambulance arrived at the hospital at 9:24 A.M. and she was pronounced dead by Dr. Neary who was on the ambulance.

Injuries: bruise over right knee and left clavicle. Scratches across front of neck. Large scraping abrasion of left cheek. Profuse bleeding both ears. Severe ecchymosis of right eye. Laceration above left eyebrow one-half inch long. Free bony crepitation of left side of skull on palpation, with flattening of the contour of the left side of the skull.

Officers James, Gearty, Joyce and Kinley.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GLEN EARLING SMITH Date Sept. 29

Place of Death	Enroute to Minneapolis Gen. Hosp. from place of accident	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Front of 1119 N. 6th Street	Inquest	No
Residence	1227 Chestnut	Effects Taken in Charge	1 billfold; key; receipt; identification card 8936 for 1937; U.S. Dept. of Labor employment service applicant's ident. card #HMB 10948 - 2788-28352; 2 WPA form 402 reassignment slips - ident. #2788-4411; 4 WPA form 402 notice to report for work on proj. ident. #2788-28352; form 325 Assignment slip - WPA ident 4411; papers.
Age	29 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Watertown, S. Dak.		
Occupation	Bookkeeper		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile Fracture of skull.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Hugh MacKechin, Sister
R Undertaker	M. H. McDivitt Mortuary	Address	Hibbing, Minn. H. A. Smith and Boyd Smith, brothers.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

According to police, the deceased was driving a stolen truck when he crashed into a tree in front of 1119 North Sixth Street at 8:48 P.M. September 29th. A witness was Catherine Tompkins of 414 Irving Avenue North. He was picked up by Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance No. 1 and died enroute to the Hospital where they arrived at 8:57 P.M. Dr. Boquist pronounced death. Officer Mather of the accident squad investigated.

Injuries: large abrasion over sacrum; abrasion over right knee; bruise over second knuckle of right hand; large, multiple abrasions over left shoulder and upper part of left chest anteriorly. Old amputation of left arm in middle third; abrasion of stump of arm. Fracture of the upper two or three ribs on the left anteriorly. Blood in left ear; bony crepitation and movement on palpation of the left side of the head; laceration one inch long of the upper lip; abrasion of nose and left side of chin; multiple small abrasions of left side of forehead. Fracture of the supra-orbital ridge, extending back into the frontal bone.

Deceased has a long police record, since 1919.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD J. SATTLER Date Oct. 1.

Place of Death	3827 Grand Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3827 Grand Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	57 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Tyndall, S. Dak.		
Occupation	Railroad mail clerk.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 1:30 A.M. Deceased had been bowling during the evening. He sat in the car a while till about 1 A.M. before going in the house because he felt badly. Dr. Robert Williams was called, but arrived after death. There is a definite history of attacks of chest pain occasionally.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at undertaker's.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ADOLPH J. MEYER

Date October 2.

Place of Death	Minnetonka Hospital, Wayzata	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Minnetonka Twp., Great Northern Ry.crossing at Parkers Lake Rd.	Inquest	No
Residence	Sebeka, Minnesota.	Effects Taken in Charge	$27.86 cash, less $.15 spent for telephone call, Balance $27.71; purse; billfold; diamond ring; 2 keys; 3 trinkets; chauffeur badge 56713 for '37; automatic pistol made in Spain, #954; Ind.fishing lic. #489794 for '37; 2 post-dated checks $12.10 ea; 30¢ postage;M.A.C.membership card #4427; street-car token; interim receipt for adjusted service bonds; Fidelity Savings Bldg. & Loan Assn. pass book cert. #1848; " " " " "
Age	39 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Iowa		
Occupation	Gasoline Filling Station		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Train Accident	Crushing injuries of both legs.		" " #1839; Investors Syndicate pass book cert. #A556190; notes for $227.50, $100.00, $70.00, $58.34, $32.75, $350.00, $40.00, one old check undecipherable; Probate court letters of guardian-ship; guardian's acct; order for hearing; (Cont.below
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide x			
Place of Burial	Lakeville, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	Evelyn Haglund, Spec. Admin.
R Undertaker	W. P. Zimmer, Lakeville.	Address	Long Lake, Minnesota.

REMARKS:

According to H. B. Tibbett, a farmer who lives near the scene of the accident and witnessed it, the deceased was walking up and down the tracks gathering some rocks. As the westbound freight approached, his feet apparently became entangled in some wire and he fell under the train. His car, which was a house-car built on a truck chassis, was parked one hundred feet from the intersection. The time of the accident was about 1:00 P.M. October first.

The train was freight No. 429, conductor F. J. Murphy of Willmar, Engineer M. J. Ryan. Deceased was taken to Wayzata by Tibbett and attended by Dr. Martinson who called in consultation Drs. E. Anderson and Webb from Minneapolis. A surgical amputation of the legs was done about 5:00 P.M. October first, but the patient died at 2:30 A.M. October 2, 1937.

Examination of the body at the morgue disclosed merely the amputated legs at the junction of the middle and upper thirds.

(Effects, continued) Order for Dodge motor vehicle; Lutheran Brotherhood supplementary cont.#37; notice of levy; agreement; abstract; Investors Syndicate certificate #556190 for $1000.00; Equitable retirement annuity #MP8,352,625; marriage certificate; Community Clinic cert. of preferred stock #288 for 1 share;warranty deed; Electro Copper cert. #953 for 25 shares; Fidelity Savings,Bldg.& Loan Assn. Cert. #1848 for $3000; Fid. Savings cert. #1839 for $2000; tax receipts; receipts; letters; cards; papers; folder; certificate of protest; conditional sales cont. & note for $96.; Star Ins. Co. policy #35110 for $1000; Star Ins. Co. policy T328800 for $1000 (Windstorm); 8 Lutheran Brotherhood statement of dividend accumulations.
1 Army discharge #25-501.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DOUGLAS JAY MILLER

Date Oct. 2.

Place of Death	Milwaukee Ry. Tracks at 29th St. So. & 200 feet east of Fremont.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same.	Inquest	No
Residence	3021 14th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	1 ring.
Age	12 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Grand Rapids, Mich.		
Occupation	School boy		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Train Accident	Mangling of body.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide x			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	J. V. Birder, 3021 14th Ave.So.
R Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	By order of Mrs. Lawrence Leonard, Mother of De'd.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased, together with Jerome Tomasko, age 16, of 2913 Bloomington Avenue South, and George Olson, age 16, of 3131 15th Avenue South, was riding a freight on the way to the "Jungles". The above two boys were riding on a car two cars ahead of the deceased and he was going to move up and join them, when he fell between the cars and under the wheels. Police were called at 11:30 A.M. by the two boys named above.

Officers Zalusky and Zane.

The body was across the north rail of the main westbound tracks.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DAVID EKBERG Date October 2.

Place of Death	4055 Lyndale Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4100 Lyndale Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Blacksmith		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Swanson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had a room in the firebarn at 4100 Lyndale Avenue North and boarded with Mrs. Anna Hanson at 4055 Lyndale Avenue North. He was at her place when at 10:15 A.M. he dropped dead to the floor. He has had heart trouble for some time and was attended by Dr. A. E. Johnson. He complained a good deal of being dizzy and short of breath.

The son of deceased ordered Swanson to take charge of the body.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES H. EVERS Date Found Oct. 3.

Place of Death	1109 South Seventh Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1109 South Seventh Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	71 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Cooper (on relief)		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park (cremation)	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead at 12:25 A.M. October third, 1937, by his son, Edwin, age 41, of the same address, when he returned home. Two other witnesses were: Kermit Hart, 2101 26th Ave. So., and Carl Anderson, 1110 7th St. So.

He was last seen alive at 1:00 P.M. October second by Edwin when he left. Deceased had been despondent for some time. When found he was sitting on a kitchen chair, face down into a gas burner which was turned on, and a coat over his head. A suicide note was on the table.

The fire department rescue squad and Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance had been called.

Officers Morford and Anderson.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME VIOLA FRANCES HAVILLE

Date October 3.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3555 North Fourth Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	37 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Spring Valley, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	By hanging.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x		
Place of Burial	Roberts, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Sundseth's Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital September 26th at 8:53 P.M. by Dr. H. F. Nelson, and attended by Dr. Hays. She was admitted as an attempted suicide and mental disorder. She had been stopped from leaping from the Lowry Avenue Bridge on September 26th, 1937.

On October first a nurse at the hospital found her putting her pajama cord around her neck and stopped her.

On this occasion the nurse saw her at 11:55 A.M. She was resting quietly in her bed in a four-bed ward and responded to a "hello". The nurses then changed shifts and when nurse K. Smith came on duty and made her rounds, she found the deceased hanging from a bar in the shower room off the ward. She used her T-binder to hang herself. She was taken down by orderly Paul Weise and K. Smith, Nurse.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OLAVA MOEN

Date Oct. 3.

Place of Death	1914 Fillmore St. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Hendricks, Minnesota.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	88 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Apoplexy		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Hendricks, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Clifford Peterson	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased is the mother of Mrs. L. Jernigan and was visiting here. She was in the kitchen and complained of being dizzy and faint. She was conducted to the front room and lay down on a couch, became unconscious, breathed deeply for ten minutes, then expired at 9 A.M.

She had a stroke a few years ago. Dr. Paul Larson arrived after death.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at the place of death.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DORA KUNSTLER Date October 3.

Place of Death	Eitel Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4525 Colfax Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	71 Sex Female		
Birthplace	New York City		
Occupation	Retired housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Sedormid & sodium amytal poisoning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x		
Place of Burial	New York City	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death was not reported to coroner's office until in the evening of October fifth when Davies reported that a death certificate had been signed by Dr. Barron.

Mildred Falk, daughter of deceased, stated to coroner that deceased had lived with her for about three years; that deceased had been suffering from arthritis also from some stomach ailment. On October third between four and five P.M. deceased had been alone in her room. At 6:15 P.M. her daughter found deceased unconscious. She found empty drug boxes and containers on the floor in the bathroom. In two boxes there had been ten tablets in each of Sedormid. In another container there had been some sodium amytal capsules, and in another one phenobarbital tablets. She did not know how many capsules or tablets. She did know that there had been several capsules of sodium amytal. It appears as if deceased had taken all these sleeping drugs.

Dr. Barron stated that he was called to the home and ordered deceased to be brought to Eitel Hospital where she died at 9:45 P.M.

Body viewed by coroner at Davies Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NANCY MINETTA PHIPPS Date Oct. 4.

Place of Death	4289 Webber Parkway	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Brooklyn Township	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	70 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Maine		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Brooklyn Center	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Harry A. Nelson, Osseo.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has been visiting at the home of Miss A. Elora Guy, 4289 Webber Parkway. Miss Guy left home and last saw deceased alive at 7 A.M. When she returned at 3:40 P.M. she found deceased dead in bed. Miss Guy says she called up by telephone and let it ring fifteen minutes at 2 P.M. but got no response.

Deceased was lying in bed with a book open on her arm, glasses in place, clad in night gown and had apparently expired without a struggle. She has had "indigestion" spells for some time.

Ralph Bohanon, son, arrived. Body viewed by deputy coroner at the home, where deceased died.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARLYN JEANETTE HAAS

Date October 5.

Place of Death	Edgewater Blvd. & Cedar Av.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	Lakeville, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	9 Mos. Sex Female		
Birthplace	Farmington, Minn.		
Occupation	Infant		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Auto Accident		
	Compound fracture of skull.		
	~~Suicide~~		
	~~Homicide~~ X		
Place of Burial	Farmington, Minn.	Effects delivered to	W. P. Zimmer, Lakeville
H Undertaker	W. P. Zimmer, Lakeville, Minn.	Address	By order of Florian Haas, Father of deceased.

Name except listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Accident occurred about 3:45 P.M. today. Deceased was in the arms of her mother, Mrs. Haas, and was under the automobile when picked up. F. Haas, Lakeville, Minn., father of deceased, was driving his Whippet car north on Cedar Avenue. He had slowed up because of a car ahead of him, then started ahead at Edgewater Blvd. and struck the right side of a Ford car driven by Mrs. E. J. Olson, 2504 South Ninth Street, who was going east on Edgewater Blvd. She asserts that she was not in high speed.

According to witness, Jeanette Anderson, 6504 16th Avenue South, the Whippet turned over two or three times while the Ford tipped over. Both cars were at the northeast corner of the intersection.

Mr. and Mrs. Haas were on their way to Hugo, Minn.

Another witness is J. C. Carlson, 4420 15th Avenue South.

General Hospital ambulance came. Officers Swenson and Burnsted were present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDNA DARSOW

Date Oct. 6.

Place of Death	Plymouth Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Plymouth Township	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	41 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Plymouth Township		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ X		
	~~Accident~~ X		
	Suicide		
	By hanging		
	~~Homicide~~ X		
Place of Burial	Medicine Lake Ev. Luth. Cem.	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Knaeble Company	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead, hanging by the neck in the ice-house on the farm belonging to her husband, Fred, at 6:30 P.M., by Herman Darsow, a brother-in-law, of the same address. Her husband had left for work on a road at 6:15 A.M. October sixth, 1937 and found her missing when he returned at noon. The three sons last saw her alive when they left for school at 8:15 A.M., and the brother-in-law says that she helped him pasture the cows about the same time, and that he did not see her after that.

Her husband said she was a very high-strung woman, either being very cheerful or very despondent. She had had a goiter removed six years ago after which she was much improved until about a year ago when she had a relapse and threatened the life of her sons. Since that time she improved until recently when she began to act peculiarly. Her three sons are Russell, aged 16, Wallace, aged 13, and Douglas, aged 11.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EVA MERRILL BEST Date October 7.

Place of Death	1705 Emerson Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1705 Emerson Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	66 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Laconia, N.H.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH (Natural)	Chronic myocarditis with nephritis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH (Accident ~~Accident~~)			
CAUSE OF DEATH (~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~)			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Reported October 7th to coroner's office. Deceased had been an invalid many years. Dr. John Sessions formerly attended her. She died shortly after midnite October 6-7th. Dr. Sessions told deputy coroner that he and Dr. S. M. White had attended deceased for fifteen years prior to a year ago when she became a Christian Scientist. History of renal and heart trouble.

Christian Science practitioner was Mrs. Warner, St. Paul.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANDREW J. KELLY Date October 7.

Place of Death	Pioneer Hotel 8 South Second Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	8 South Second Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	52 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Shieldsville, Minn.		
Occupation	Real estate		
CAUSE OF DEATH (Natural)	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH (~~Accident~~)			
CAUSE OF DEATH (Suicide ~~Homicide~~)			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Gleason's Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has roomed here one week. The clerk, Larry Doyle, saw him at 5 A.M. and Peter Schmelzer at 2 P.M. They say he appeared very pale and sick. He was found dead beside his bed in room 5 at 5:30 P.M. by his sister, Mrs. Marie Mackey, 3934 Aldrich Avenue South. She says he drank a good deal and has been failing fast. She called a priest and the body was taken direct to Gleason's.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at hotel. Officers Hallam and Donohue.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES ROLLAND DELLWO

Date October eight.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Hobbs
	Place of Accident	2020 Fourth Ave. So. (rear)	Inquest	No
	Residence	2028 Fourth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	2 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Child		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of skull due to		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	fall from second story porch.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
	Place of Burial	Shakopee, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
H	Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted October seventh at 5:13 P.M. by Dr. Egil Hanson, and attended by Drs. Sherman and Johnsrud. He died at 2:15 A.M. today. The accident occurred before 5 P.M. October seventh. Deceased fell over a railing on second floor at the rear of 2020 Fourth Avenue South. Working on his automobile within a few feet of where the child landed was Clifford Dockstader, 2024 Fourth Avenue South. He did not see deceased as he fell, but when he struck, he picked him up and carried him to his home. General Hospital ambulance took him to General Hospital.

Examination of point from which child fell shows a railing and railing parts intact, and a thin fourteen to sixteen-inch board resting on its edge against the railing. If deceased had been standing on the edge of this board he could have easily lost his balance when looking over the railing.

Howard Dellwo is the father. He said that the child was very active and very small.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BEULAH SHEFFIELD

Date October 8.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident	2955 Pleasant Avenue	Inquest	No
	Residence	2955 Pleasant Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	87 Sex Female		
	Birthplace	Wood County, Ohio		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of right femur due		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x	to fall on kitchen floor.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	New Hampton, Iowa	Effects delivered to	
H	Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the hospital at 3:30 P.M. September 29th by Dr. H. F. Nelson. She was cared for by Drs. Schmidt and Sorenson. She died at 1:50 A.M. today. Xray showed comminuted fracture of the head of the right femur.

Deceased lived with her daughter, Mrs. May Carpenter (Re.7483). Della Sheffield, a niece, was in the next room when she heard deceased fall. Deceased has had arthritis and had frequently fallen.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN N. HUGHES — Date Oct. 8.

Place of Death	St. Mary's Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Hertzog
Place of Accident	Elevator - Ghent, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	Ghent, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	25 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Elevator Branch Manager		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural ~~xx~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Pulmonary embolus following fracture of back & os calcis, and a traumatic, strangulated inguinal hernia due to fall in man-lift.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide xx~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	R. F. Bertch	Address	

REMARKS:

Accident occurred September 20th about 2 P.M. in a man-lift in a grain elevator. The lift was up about sixty feet when a cable broke and deceased fell and landed on his feet. Dr. Yager brought deceased in to St. Mary's Hospital, at 10:40 P.M. by ambulance and Dr. Maxeimer attended deceased until his death, which occurred at 9:40 A.M. October eighth.

Dr. Maxeimer stated to coroner that deceased had a compressed fracture of the first lumbar vertebra, a fracture of the right os calcis and a strangulated inguinal hernia. Dr. Maxeimer operated deceased for the strangulated hernia the same evening deceased entered the hospital. On October eighth deceased was taken to the operating room and under local anesthesia the fracture of os calcis was to be further reduced. Deceased died very suddenly.

Dr. Hertzog, pathologist, reports that there was a pulmonary embolus also some small pulmonary infarcts, the embolus coming from a thrombosis of the right internal iliac vein.

The accident occurred at Ghent, Minn.

Body viewed by Deputy Coroner Callerstrom at Bertch Undertaking Co.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THEODORE GODLEWSKI — Date Oct.9.

Place of Death	Aldrich & Franklin Aves.So.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Aldrich & Franklin Aves. So.	Inquest	No
Residence	1522 University Ave. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.21 cash; 5¢ trade token; ring; broken bracelet and watch; prayer book
Age	19 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Asst. shipping clerk - Northern Pump Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile Fracture of skull.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide x~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mary Godlewski, Mother
Undertaker	Stanley Kapala Mortuary	Address	1522 University Ave. N.E.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased left home at 8 P.M. and said he was going to a "stag party". Shortly after that he was at the home of Edward Wojciak, 1716 Third St. N.E., and borrowed his car, an Oldsmobile, No. B374-536.

At midnight deceased drove this car alone north on Aldrich Avenue South. At Franklin Avenue there is a notch and turn in Aldrich Avenue. The street was very slippery from rain, and as deceased was driving fast, he evidently lost control of his car and did not make the turn to the left necessary for the jog in Aldrich Avenue, and he drove straight ahead, struck the left side of the car against a telephone pole, knocked down an iron sign post and the automobile swirled completely around and threw deceased out of the car on the curb outside of 1941 Aldrich Ave.

Death was evidently immediate. His wrist watch was found near the telephone pole. It had stopped at 12:02 A.M. which marks the time of the accident and death. The body was identified at 2:30 A.M. at the morgue by the Wojciak brothers. In the hat band of deceased was the name "Harrigan", a nickname.

The head is severely fractured, the forehead and top of head caved in, and skull fractured at numerous places. The face is also caved in.

Witness: Lyle C. Lilly, 1920 Aldrich Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN SMITH Date October 9th.

Place of Death	Eden Prairie Township
Place of Accident	Bryant's Long Lake, Eden P.Twp.
Residence	2610 Seventh Street N.E.
Age	52 Sex Male
Birthplace	Germany
Occupation	Plaster tender
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~	x
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Drowning, due to fall from boat.
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	x
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	x
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery
Undertaker	Flynn-Wagner Mortuary

Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs.
Inquest	No
Effects Taken in Charge	$8.50 cash; 2 card cases; 2 street car tokens; 15 trade chips; *9 keys; 1 knife; watch (Burlington); Ind. resident fishing lic. #53396; Ind. resident fishing lic. #84376; **Intl. Hod Carriers Bldg. & Common Lab. Union of Am. book #155; 3 Plasterer Tenders' Union local 111 equalization cards #53,94 & 1454; 2 Ralph's cafe tickets; Christmas Savings Club book 22217 with 41 coupons attached from ten to fifty inclusive; driver's license M78803; auto registration card for 1937; alien registration card with picture; registration cert.; Social Security Act card #473-01-4544; 2 receipts; cards. Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Effects delivered to	Anna Lukas, Admx.
Address	2610 7th St N.E.

REMARKS:

At 12:15 P.M. today deceased rented a boat from Malcolm Joe Hanson, employee to F. G. Holasek on whose farm this Bryant's Long Lake is located. Another man who drove the Chevrolet car and brought deceased here left almost at once, not going out in the boat at all. His identity is not yet known, or where he went. At 1:45 P.M. Holasek saw deceased sitting in the boat. A few minutes later he looked and deceased had disappeared. Holasek and Henson went out in another boat and dragged with a grappling hook and found deceased at the bottom of the lake, six feet deep, near the boat, which had not capsized. The boat was about 35 feet out from the shore.

Deputy sheriffs Geo. Adamson and E. Primeau, also D. Mair and Frank L. Peterson were present.

Deceased's landlady is Anna Lukas. She told deputy sheriff Primeau that deceased was brought to the house about 11 A.M. October 9th, and after getting his fishing outfit, went away with the other man driving the Chevrolet car.

Deceased is said to have no relatives.

*2 keys delivered to and property of Anna Lukas.
** 1 Local Plaster Tender's Union #111 membership book #155 - delivered to Michael J. Foley, Financial Secy. Local 111, 2832 30th Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LINDA J. DAVIS Date Oct. 9.

Place of Death	St. Mary's Hospital
Place of Accident	Bloomington & 66th St.
Residence	6321 14th Ave. So., Richfield
Age	22 Sex Female
Birthplace	Veblin, S. Dak.
Occupation	Housewife
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~	x
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Automobile
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	x
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	x
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery
Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary

Autopsy	Private by Dr. R. Hebbel
Inquest	No
Effects Taken in Charge	None
Effects delivered to	
Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was the wife of E. B. Davis, married two weeks. Shortly after midnight October ninth deceased and her husband were walking west on 66th Street from Cedar Avenue. Deceased was about ten feet from her husband when she was hit by a car on Bloomington and 66th Street. The car was going west on 66th Street and did not stop. Deceased was thrown about twenty feet and was rendered unconscious immediately. Mr. Davis carried her to Frenchman's Cafe, 1400 E. 66th Street. Here she was attended by Dr. Beckman, 5748 Nicollet Avenue and then taken in an ambulance to St. Mary's Hospital. Admitted 1:50 A.M. October 9th. She died at 2:55 P.M. Attended by Dr. L. O. Doyle and Dr. A. Bierman, house physician.

Dr. Callerstrom was present at autopsy.

Deputy Sheriffs: Theis and Finnegan.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ELIZABETH MARTELL Date October 9.

Place of Death	2424 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2424 Nicollet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	77 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Huntington, N.Y.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred about 11:15 A.M. Mrs. John Monroe and Miss Ethel Thompson, rooming at the same address, told deputy coroner that deceased had been complaining of indigestion and pain in the stomach shortly before death; that they had helped to guide her to the bathroom and that when they got her back to bed she suddenly collapsed.

Dr. Hobbs was called, but deceased was dead. Dr. Hobbs has occasionally attended her. There is a history of hypertension.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DANIEL A. SCALLEN Date October 10.

Place of Death	Wayzata Blvd., Minnetonka Twp.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Wayzata Blvd., Minnetonka Twp.	Inquest	No
Residence	3333 Garfield Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$17.18 cash; purse; card case; 4 keys; watch (Illinois); fountain pen; pencil; comb; flashlight; can of smoking tobacco; box of medicine tablets; book record of payments on cont. for deed or mortgage; note for $682.58; paid note for $1184.34; picture; Incarnation Church Charity Baz. ticket #8087; Irish Free State sweepstake ticket; OAP paper; check for $10.00; tax receipt; receipts; letters; cards; papers.
Age	77 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Milwaukee, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Miller - Flour mills.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of spine, pelvis and leg - rupture of aorta		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Norris E. Hunt, Daughter 3333 Garfield Ave. So.
Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary	Address	Mrs. Clara S. Emery, Daughter 938 Cherokee Ave., St. Paul.

other effects inta... in Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 1:35 A.M. on Wayzata Blvd. outside of Rainbow Cafe, Minnetonka Township. Mr. Frank Jackson (colored), 3437 Snelling Ave. So., proprietor of the cafe says he was alone in the cafe and heard an impact. He looked out of the window and saw a hat near the pavement. He went outside and saw the body of deceased and an automobile with two tail lights disappearing slowly up Sunset Hill toward Wayzata. He flagged a car coming toward Minneapolis with his apron. This car was driven by N. W. Watson, undertaker of Appleton, Minn. With him was also Earnest Thielke.

Police officer Earl Day of Wayzata arrived, also Deputy Sheriffs Schlund and Lord, Highway police Lindman and Larson.

The body of deceased was lying 6½ feet from the north edge of the pavement, head east, overcoat badly torn, hat two feet from the pavement and 35 feet east of the body, comb and fountain pen near head, flashlight six feet from the feet.

Deceased was visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. J. Lowney nearby and had been brought to Oak Knoll store after midnight by his daughter, Mrs. N. E. Hunt on her way to Minneapolis. He was to get some tobacco and was likely on his way back to Lowney's when hit.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN B. SURMA

Date Oct. 10.

Place of Death	Henn.Ave.Bridge near W.Island Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	4501 Camden Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$2.00 cash; purse; billfold; notebook; receipt book; Fidelity Acceptance payment record book Cont.#lg45030; summons & complaint; ident card; drivers lic. M75671 automobile ins. service card expires 5/21/37; picture; 6 Atlas Lumber delivery slips; 2 Foote Lumber delivery slips; 2 Rum River delivery slips; 1 Johnson's Sheet Metal statement; Guaranty Roofing & Const. contract; receipts; letters; cards; papers.
Age	50 Sex Male		Minor effects listed on Morgue Record.
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Carpenter - Thomas Stores.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Auto & Accident	streetcar		
~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull.		
~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. John Surma, Wife
C Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	4501 Camden Avenue North.

REMARKS:

Deceased was driving an automobile going east on East Hennepin when at a point about one-quarter of the length of the bridge from the west end of the West Island River bridge he collided head-on with a streetcar going west, at 1:40 A.M. It was a Como-Harriet streetcar operated by Gust A. Berg, 714 Van Buren St. N.E. Death was immediate. In the car was also Mary Gusek (38), 431 Main St. N.E.

The body was taken to the morgue and identified by the wife Mayme at 6 A.M. She said deceased did not live with her. Examination of the body shows a deep cut three inches long across the right eyebrow and left. The eyes are pressed into the head and the entire face and forehead smashed. Profuse bleeding from right ear. The left leg is fractured below the left knee; bruises on left elbow and right thigh. The body was extricated from the car with difficulty.

Car is owned by C. Thomas Stores, 311 Fifth Street North. Statement of streetcar operator is on file.

Witnesses: Kenneth Olson, 617 Central Ave. N.E.
G. A. Johnson, 4736 Upton Avenue South, and many others, according to the police report.

Officers Brock and Lent.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROBERT DOVENBERG

Date Oct. 10.

Place of Death	Hwy. #7 at 5th Ave.N., Hopkins	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	227-11th Ave. No., Hopkins.	Effects Taken in Charge	$17.55 cash; billfold; ring; knife on chain; 2 keys for Ford; 6 keys; 1 driver's license.
Age	23 Sex Male		Minor effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Clerk - meat shop.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Automobile Accident	Compound fracture of right humerus and shoulder with severed arteries and hemorrhage.		
~~Suicide~~ x			
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Excelsior, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Dean Dovenberg Donald E. Dovenberg, Brothers
C Undertaker	Strobeck Mortuary	Address	8 Excelsior Ave. Hopkins, Minn.

REMARKS:

An unknown party called Dr. Blake at about 5:15 A.M. and said there was an automobile accident on Highway No. 7. Dr. Blake responded and called the sheriff.

There were no witnesses, but evidently deceased was driving alone in his own car east on Highway No. 7. At a place where Fifth Avenue North would be, tracks show that he drove off the highway on the north side, went down a ten-foot slanting embankment and turned over several times. The car landed on its side 325 feet from where he drove off. The body was 42 feet west of the car. The car door was broken off and lying near the body, the car facing south, twelve feet from the shoulder.

Deceased visited with Sigfried Johnson at the home of Elmer Johnson, Tenth Avenue North, Hopkins, until 1:30 A.M. He then left in his car. Dean Dovenberg (19) says deceased did not occupy his bed at home that night and none of the family saw or heard him but they think he had been in the kitchen as there was a pan set out for a dog, which had not been there before. A stray dog came to Elmer Johnson's while deceased was visiting there and deceased had mentioned something about returning the dog to the owner, whose name was on the neckplate.

Police officers F. J. Senander, Deputy sheriff Ekdahl and Finnegan arrived. The body was taken to the Hennepin County Morgue and examined. There is a severe compound fracture of right humerus and shoulder, a wide open wound under the right arm pit eight inches long. The wound is deep and blood vessels are severed. The body is pale.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: EDITH P. CORSON

Date: Found Oct. 10.

Place of Death	918 Fulton S.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	918 Fulton S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	77 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Linden, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Oakland Cemetery, St. Paul	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased kept roomers. She was seen by two roomers, Wm. Balfour and Charles Robb, at 7 P.M. October ninth. Found dead in bed at 11:50 A.M. October tenth by W. Balfour. She has apparently expired without a struggle while asleep.

Mr. Carl Heyden, clerk at University Hospital, reports that she has been coming to University out-patient clinic for coronary disease and aortic insufficiency. Last visit to clinic was October eighth.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at the home. Family arrived and took charge.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: LOUIS J. FISCHER

Date: Found Oct. 12.

Place of Death	Lake of Isles near 2841 E. Lake of Isles Blvd.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2427 Blaisdell Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.06 cash; watch (Waltham) chain; knife; pencil; key; scissors; Soc. Security Act card #475-05-0656; U.S. Dept. of Labor Employment applicants ident card #2788-29420; WPA form 402, ident #2788-29420 case HMB 33494; U. of M. Hospitals out-patient card #642985; U. of M. school of Dentistry card #E388; copy of legal papers; cards; papers.
Age	44 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Moorhead, Minn.		
Occupation	Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	by Drowning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	V. Fischer, Father
Undertaker	Flynn-Wagner Mortuary	Address	1514 11th Ave. So.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was seen in Lake of the Isles, ten feet from shore at 8:45 A.M. today by A. Carlson, 2519 Emerson Avenue South, and John Ihnat, 1916 2½ Street South. They reached deceased with a long pole and pulled him out. Officers Zane and Pospishel present.

Deceased was identified by his father, V. Fischer, 1514 11th Ave. So. A note in his pocket indicated domestic trouble and suggested suicide motive.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE FREDERICK ROTH

Date Oct. 12.

	Place of Death	2878 Holmes Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	2878 Holmes Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	72 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Switzerland		
	Occupation	Wrapper in mail order dept. - Daytons.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects delivered to	
H	Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 2 A.M. today. His son Geo. E. Roth was with deceased at death. History of complaint of pain in chest and left arm for the past month. May Ella Sanborn, 1325 W. 27th Street, Christian Science practitioner, has attended deceased.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Davies Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NELS A. NELSON

Date October 12.

	Place of Death	2441 35th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	2441 35th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	53 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Lake City, Minn.		
	Occupation	Telegrapher		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~ x			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R	Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

The wife of the deceased, Emily Nelson, same address, stated that the deceased has been having heart trouble for several years, with dyspnoea and edema of the ankles. He was attended by Dr. Silas Anderson for his heart condition, and since then has been treated many times at the General Hospital Cardiac and Skin clinics.

He was last seen at the cardiac clinic August 17th, 1937, when he was given digitalis and luminal.

He died while sitting in a chair at 7:30 P.M. October 12th.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN THRALL JURISCH

Date October 13.

Place of Death	3344 44th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3334 43rd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	68 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Hastings, Minnesota		
Occupation	Car inspector - street railway.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Hastings, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	McDivitt Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred about noon today at the home of Mrs. Phillip Cox. Deceased came to this address to work at some little job, complained of feeling ill, and collapsed. Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance came. Since 1931 deceased has been a pensioner with Twin City Rapid Transit Company. He was laid off because of heart trouble. He had been under the care of Dr. Weatherby, but had not been seen by any doctor lately. He is reported as having hardening of the arteries.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MENDELL SILVER

Date October 13.

Place of Death	819 Newton Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	819 Newton Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.05 cash; key; letter; papers
Age	56 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Rumania		
Occupation	Grocer		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	by Hanging		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	South Side Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Helen Meagher, daughter
R Undertaker	Zeesman Mortuary	Address	4825 34th Avenue South

REMARKS:

Police officers report that they were called to 814 Newton Avenue North at 1:27 P.M. to the home of Mrs. Guttman, sister of Mrs. Silver, on the report that there had been a fight. Mrs. Silver was there and stated that her husband had struck her with an iron hammer and driven her out of the house. Police went across the street to her house at 819 Newton and found the deceased hanging in the basement. They cut him down and called the General Hospital who attempted to revive him. The wife of deceased was taken to the General Hospital with minor scalp injuries.

When seen by the deputy coroner, the deceased was lying on the basement floor, his body still warm. A rope mark was visible across his neck. He had several small bruises about the nose and cheeks. A short length of rope (clothesline) was suspended from some pipes in the basement and police say that he was hanging with his knees bent so that his feet did not rest on the floor.

Mrs. Guttman reported that such quarrels were a fairly frequent occurrence and that the deceased was of a very violent temperament. The time of the quarrel was about 1:15 P.M. and the deceased was found dead at 1:30 P.M.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE T. MOE

Date October 15.

Place of Death	121 Washington Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Ferndale Apartments 409 Sixth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	$100.97 cash; 5 streetcar tokens; purse; billfold; spectacles; 14 keys and 2 chains; ident. card; note of $100.00; Farmers & Mechanics Savings Bk. #100544 showing bal. of $1068.17; Marquette Natl. Bk. record of loan payments; Marquette Natl. Bk. notice of note due #104444; Std. Plumbing delivery slip; receipts; papers.
Age	68 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Night watchman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Mt. Horeb, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	Harland A. Barton, Spec. Adm.
R Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	Mt. Horeb, Wisconsin

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

Clocks sold at auction 12-14-38
To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

REMARKS:

Deceased came into the Standard Plumbing & Supply Co. at 3 P.M. and talked to Mr. H. W. Goldstein, president, and was going to pay his bill. Mr. Goldstein said he was talking to him when his telephone rang. Just as he was answering it, the deceased slumped to the floor, apparently dead.

The Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance arrived and the attending physician pronounced death.

Officer Mike Carey.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM SELLERS

Date Found October 15.

Place of Death	Fd. Mississippi R. near 3rd Ave. S.E. Pillsbury racks.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident	Mississippi River	Inquest	No
Residence	Victor Hotel, 34 Wash. Av. So.	Effects Taken in Charge	None except listed on Morgue Record
Age	66 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Milwaukee, Wis.		
Occupation	Common laborer - WPA		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Probably Drowning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
H Undertaker	John Anderson, Mpls.	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

REMARKS:

At 1:45 A.M. today deceased was seen floating in Mississippi River by Carl Malm, Mound, Minn. He dragged deceased a rod or two to a projecting plank where the body was held. Officers Brock and Olson were present. (Reports on file).

According to information obtained from the Relief Department, deceased was single, has been in Minneapolis since 1929, had no relatives.

Deceased was seen the afternoon of October 14th by Jack Lehan, 34 Washington Avenue South, when he asked for extension of time to pay for his room. Lehan said he had money and keys. A two-inch long scalp laceration is present in the left parietal region, two inches above the ear.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN JOSEPH REILLY Date October 15.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Minnehaha & 52nd Street	Inquest	No
Residence	5329 Minnehaha Ave. So.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	48 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Jersey City, N.J.		
Occupation	Machinist - G.N. Ry. Shops.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Auto Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Fracture of skull, pelvis and rupture of bladder.		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	M. H. McDivitt Company	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance, admitted at 1:54 A.M. October 10th. Accident occurred at 1:17 A.M. October 10th. Deceased was at the intersection of 52nd & Minnehaha when struck by a Ford automobile going north on Minnehaha driven by Wesley Anderson, 2917 31st Avenue South. He was unconscious on admission, attended by Drs. Jensen and Johnsrud. He was operated for ruptured bladder by Dr. Hugo Miller on October 11th.

Xrays showed fractured left ankle and pelvis. Deputy coroner Callerstrom was present at the autopsy. Death occurred at 5:55 P.M. October 15th.

Witnesses: Mrs. Anderson, 2917 31st Avenue South

Wm. Hermanson, 2917 31st Avenue South

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OLIVER THOMPSON Date Oct. 16.

Place of Death	319 Aldrich Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	319 Aldrich Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	69 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural / ~~Accident~~ / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Coronary sclerosis		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 6:10 A.M. today. Deceased's wife called him to breakfast and as he came into the kitchen he tottered, fell forward and died.

There is a history of attendance at Minneapolis General Hospital out-patient department, and shortness of breath, also use of nitroglycerine pills.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OSCAR W. HANSON Date Found Oct. 17.

Place of Death	Odin Hotel, 45 Washington Av. So.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Crookston, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.01 cash; 3 letters; 4 keys; 1 Am. Legion Lapel button; army discharge #3130683.
Age	44 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Clay County, Minnesota		
Occupation	Common Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Laceration of neck by razor blade.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Erskine, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Herman Hanson, Father
Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	Mentor, Minnesota.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

$.01 cash; billfold; watch (Bulls Eye with leather strap; safety razor & 2 blades; Am. Legion membership card 1938 #247601; papers) not del.

REMARKS:

Deceased has had a room here on fourth floor for one week. He was last seen alive at 6:00 A.M. October 16th by clerk Ernest H. Banks. Mrs. Olga Viring, 203 W. 14th Street, chambermaid, tried to enter the room at 1:30 P.M. October 16th, and deceased called from within saying he did not want to be bothered. At 6:15 P.M. October 17th Mr. Banks and Gordon Schulz (38) entered the room through the window from the hall. The door was locked and a chair under the doorknob held it shut.

Deceased was lying face down beside the bed, fully clothed, a large pool of blood on the floor. There is a slash on the right side of the neck six inches long; two slashes three inches long on the left neck; two cuts one-half inch long on each wrist. The wounds are deep and blood vessels severed. A half lengthwise razor blade was on the dresser, the other half near the head of the body.

Others to arrive were Alex Emily (31), Christ Begenich and Officer Hallan.

Deceased was a World War Veteran.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GARNET F. HOMMES Date October 17.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Crystal Village	Inquest	No
Residence	4001 Perry Ave., Robbinsdale	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	24 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Robbinsdale, Minn.		
Occupation	Oil station operator		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Auto-railroad Fracture of skull.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	St. Joseph, Medicine Lake	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davis Mortuary, Robbinsdale	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted 3:30 A.M. today to the care of Dr. Nordland. Died at 10:05 A.M. today.

Deceased was on his way home, driving south, when he struck the rear of a Soo Line Railroad freight train headed west.

Injuries: lacerations of right side of upper lip and nose; a 2½-inch long laceration right temple; a four-inch laceration over right ear, parietal region; depressed skull fracture right parietal; bleeding from both ears; laceration back of right index finger; abrasions right flank; multiple abrasions left knee and right tibia.

The automobile was thrown seventy feet. Deceased was pulled out from the wreck by J. H. McCulland, 1541 Jefferson St. N.E., train conductor, and H. M. Rathje, 3557 Russell Ave. No. Accident occurred about 2:40 A.M.

Eckdahl and Finnegan, Deputy Sheriffs, investigated the case for the Sheriff's office. (Refer to their report)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GUY E. MOORE

Date Found October 17.

Place of Death	511 South Fourth Street	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident	511 South Fourth Street	Inquest	No
Residence	801 12th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.05 cash; comb; nail file; cards; papers. $2.66 cash taken from till. 2 keys. Delld to Hattie Moore, wife Feb. 11, 1938
Age	56 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Driver - Railroad express		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Fall downstairs -		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x	fracture of skull		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. H. Moore, Wife
Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	801 Twelfth Avenue South

REMARKS:

Deputy coroner notified about 11:30 A.M. today. Officers Wetherill, A. J. Olson and Van Rickley were cruising by the address above when some man called to them from the sidewalk. This man's name was not secured. He noticed blood coming from behind a door leading upstairs at 511 South Fourth Street. Deceased was behind the door at the foot of the stairs, head down, on his back, his feet upward, knees in rigor mortis.

Officers picked up a pair of glasses on the tenth step down from the top, also keys on the top stair outside the door. The door was locked. Officers picked the lock to open the door. Phone here is Ge. 5582. Apparently the rooms where deceased slept are used for card playing and deceased was the caretaker. Cash taken by deputy coroner was in a till by a beer fountain.

Body identified by Andrew Thomey and wife of deceased, Hattie, who lives at 801 Twelfth Avenue South. Decessed was seen alive by Andrew Thomey at 11:30 P.M. October 16th, 1937. Mr. Thomey is manager of this card club.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME KARL O. OLSEN

Date October 18.

Place of Death	505 First Avenue N.E.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4215 Girard Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$14.27 cash; purse; billfold; watch (Elgin); chain; knife; 5 streetcar tokens and case; receipt; papers.
Age	56 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Birthplace	Norway		Clo. delivered to Kenneth Morris by order of Mrs. Crystal Olsen, wife of deceased.
Occupation	Furniture refinisher		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Cerebral hemorrhage (spontaneous)		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	J. L. Pettygrove, Cedar, Minn., By order of Mrs. Karl Olsen, wife of dec'd.
Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased worked for the Central Furniture & Carpet Company. At 9:50 A.M. on second floor of the factory he was standing by a table working on a chair when he suddenly remarked to Gust Anderson, 249 21st Avenue North, that he was dizzy. He sat down in a chair and motioned for paper and pencil, but was unable to write. Fellow workers placed him on a table and in twenty minutes he was dead, at 10:10 A.M. Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance doctor arrived after death.

Other workmen witnesses: P. J. Wirtz, 5248 Tenth Av. So.
Tom Kennefek,
Walter Tjoring, 916 15th Ave. N.
Wm. Peters, 1623 Lyndale Avenue North

Officer Hoitomt present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DAVID SCOTT

Date Found October 19.

Place of Death	Found - Mississippi River at 3rd Ave. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Unknown	Effects Taken in Charge	Army Discharge cert. in lieu of lost or destroyed A.S.#2284029; 3 certificates of discharge from CCC; letters.
Age	57 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Dungannon, Ireland		
Occupation	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Probably Accident	Drowning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects ~~mailed~~ delivered to	Johanna M. Scott, wife
C Undertaker	Flynn-Wagner Mortuary	Address	Route 1, Box 393A Manteca, California

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

(No value)

Clothes Destroyed 12-1-38

By John Anderson, Morgue Supt.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found floating in the Mississippi River at 12:30 P.M. today. Joe Mehok, 113 Sixth Avenue N.E., saw the body from the other side of the river. Officers Strand and Waro arrived.

The body is fully-clothed and has been dead several days at least. Discharge papers in his pocket would indicate that he was a Veteran. No city address known.

Deceased was arrested for forgery in Seattle May 17, 1930.

Radiogram from Veterans Administration, Seattle, states that Dolly Scott, divorced wife of deceased and his three minor children live at Centralia, Wash. Telegram sent to them.

Letter on file from Veterans Administration, Seattle, Washington, dated Nov. 30, 1937 states that legal wife of deceased at time of death was Mrs. Johanna Margaret Scott of Rt. 1, Box 393A, Manteca, California.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROY A. HARLAN

Date October 19.

Place of Death	3405 Aldrich Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Emporia, Kansas.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	55 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Kansas		
Occupation	Stationary engineer.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ xxx			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ xx			
Place of Burial	Emporia, Kansas	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Flynn-Wagner Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred about 7:15 P.M. today. Dr. Peppard was called but arrived after death, and notified deputy coroner. History pointed toward coronary disease.

He was visiting his son Laurence, who was present at the time of death. Deceased had been in Minneapolis three days. Today he walked for several hours. After eating a heavy dinner he complained of difficult breathing and went outside. Then he said he was becoming weaker and was persuaded to lie down in the bed, and then died.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Flynn-Wagner's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN MC KEAND

Date October 20.

Place of Death	Abbott Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Old N.W.Bank Bldg. - Marquette Ave.betw. 4th & 5th Sts.	Inquest	No
Residence	2895 James Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Scotland		
Occupation	Supt. construction - E.M.Ganley Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	50-foot fall from roof. Compound fracture pelvis followed by gas bacillus infection.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the hospital October 18th at 2:40 P.M. to the care of Drs. H. M. Lee and H. A. Alexander. Died at 2:45 P.M. today.

The accident occurred about 2:30 P.M. on October 18th. Deceased was on the roof of the old Northwestern Bank Bldg. on Marquette Avenue between Fourth and Fifth Streets, foreman of workers who were building a runway across the alley between Boutell's and the old Northwestern Bank Bldg. According to W. J. Calhoun a member of the construction company of Ernest M. Ganley, 2922 Oakland Avenue, deceased was hit by a "jim" pole which kicked back, swung around, carrying deceased with it, and he fell from the roof, 45 to 50 feet, striking on the edge of a concrete trough.

He sustained a compound comminuted fracture of the right iliac crest and fracture of both public rami. Within twenty-four hours infection from gas bacilli developed.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES GOODMAN BOYD

Date Oct. 20.

Place of Death	1107 Plymouth Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1107 Plymouth Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	64 Sex Male		
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minn.		
Occupation	Stationary engineer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

The wife of deceased, Alice G. Boyd, stated that her husband had been in ill health for several years, with gallbladder trouble and occasional dyspnoea and edema of the ankles. He had been attended by Dr. Cornea last spring. The afternoon of October 20th he was examined by some doctors for WPA work and was told he had high blood pressure. He returned home.

About 6:45 P.M. he went into the bathroom and when he did not come out his wife looked in and saw him lying on the floor apparently dead. Police and General Hospital ambulance were called.

Officer Oscar Larson.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HENRY R. FLORY Date October 20.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	27th And E. Franklin Aves.	Inquest	No
Residence	Soldiers Home	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	92 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Logansport, Ind.		
Occupation	Blacksmith		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Fracture of ribs with secondary bronchopneumonia due to fall into a greasepit.		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought into the Minneapolis General Hospital at 4:39 P.M. October tenth by ambulance No. 1 from 27th & East Franklin where he had fallen into a grease pit at 4 P.M. First aid was rendered by Dr. A.J. Moss and he was transferred to the Swedish Hospital, admitted 6:20 P.M. October 10th, and attended by Drs. Mattson, Fredlund and Hutchinson. Xrays showed a fracture and dislocation of the left clavicle and the fifth and sixth ribs on the left side. Bronchopneumonia developed and he died at 7:07 P.M. October 20th.

The attendant at the station, B. B. Smith, 2621 Bryant Avenue South, stated to deputy coroner that the deceased had probably been waiting for a streetcar and that he came in to use the toilet. The grease pit is adjacent to the toilet. No one witnessed the fall. Smith heard deceased moaning and found him in the pit.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HELEN E. CHURCHILL Date October 21

Place of Death	3801 Stevens Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3801 Stevens Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	46 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Teacher - Home Economics		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural / ~~Accidentx~~ / ~~Suicidex~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Chronic endocarditis.		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery (Cremation)	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 12:30 A.M. today following a long period of illness. Deceased was attended by Christian Science practitioner Annie E. Dunning, Harmon Hotel. Herbert H. Churchill said deceased in childhood had a long illness of inflammatory rheumatism and her heart has always been bad since then.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Davies Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY DELIGHT O'BRIEN Date October 21.

Place of Death	3609 39th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3609 39th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	77 Sex Female		
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Walter Anderson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 6:40 P.M. today at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Clark. Deceased complained of pain in the chest and left arm. She had been working outside and had eaten a hearty meal.

Viewed by deputy coroner at Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE LEON THOMPSON Date Found Oct. 22.

Place of Death	1025 Washington Ave. So.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1025 Washington Ave. So.	Effects Taken in Charge	$.16 cash; billfold; check book cover; ident. card; receipts; cards; papers; wrist watch (Waltham) with crystal broken; bracelet; 3 Prudential Ins. pol. Nos. 109077965, 109193848 & 109752123; Prudential premium receipt book; Social Security Act card Acct. #473-09-3581.
Age	31 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Musician		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Lucille Thompson, Wife
Undertaker	John Anderson	Address	2630 14th Avenue South

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was found at 7:15 A.M. Oct. 22nd by Elmer Person, Apt. 3, same address, who said he came down the back stairs and saw the deceased lying across the kitchen table and stove with blanket over the stove and body. Person called the landlady, Mrs. Louis Andrist, who went in and turned off the gas and called police. Ed. Brooks, Apt. 8, said he heard the deceased about 4 A.M. October 22, 1937. The General Hospital ambulance and fire department were called. Officers O'Neil, Kaufman and Williams were present.

He was lying on his right side across a kitchen table adjacent to the stove and across the stove, face down to a burner which was turned on. The landlady stated that she saw him alive October 21, 1937; in the morning when she smelled gas and after obtaining no response to a knock on his door let herself in with a pass key, after which he came out from another room. She said she turned off a gas burner then too.

She said that the wife of deceased left him yesterday morning.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CARL ADOLPH BLOOM

Date October 22.

Place of Death	Asbury Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	421 Ninth Street South	Effects Taken in Charge	$24.88 cash Less .95 spent for telegram Balance $23.93; streetcar token; trinket; 2 purses; knife; watch (Waltham); 4 keys; Certificate of Naturalization #2112186; 2 notebooks; Social Security card #469-01-4662; paid note for $209.25; paid note for $72.00; A. F. of L. membership book & working card Union #20490, book #369; 2 agreements John P. Mills, SanDiego, Cal.; Mexican peso; letters; receipts; cards; papers; tin box.
Age	64 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Laborer - Mpls. Gas Lt. Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis and		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~	aortic valvular insufficiency.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~		Other effects listed on Morgue Record	1 key del'd to and property of Annette Milliken, 927 9th St. So.
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	J. E. Billman, Spec. Adm.
C Undertaker	Joe Billman	Address	1400 Park Avenue

REMARKS:

Deceased worked for the Minneapolis Gas Light Company. At 42nd Street and 23rd Avenue South he collapsed and was taken by ambulance to Asbury Hospital, where he expired immediately after he had been brought in, about 2:10 P.M. Dr. Alexander attended him.

According to Geo. Solberg, 825 23rd Avenue South, Andrew E. Johnson, 5049 39th Avenue South, and his landlady, deceased has complained of not feeling well, difficulty in breathing, and "stoppage in the throat". Dr. Rusten attended him for a "rash on the toes" in March, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CARLTON R. RICHARDSON

Date October 22.

Place of Death	St. Barnabas Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4136 Queen Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	59 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Aurora, N.Y.		
Occupation	Salesman - clothing store		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 3:15 P.M. today. Dr. E. W. Bedford examined the patient at his office and ordered him to the hospital. Death occurred shortly afterward while he was being admitted to St. Barnabas Hospital. Deceased had an anginal attack. Was seen at the hospital by interne Dr. McKean.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANDREW GUSTAV LARSON Date Found Oct. 23.

Place of Death	3014 Fourth Street North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3014 Fourth Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	$3.00 cash.
Age	72 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Fuel Dealer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. O. A. Sandberg, Daughter
Undertaker	Sundseth Funeral Home	Address	Moose Lake, Minn.

REMARKS:

Deceased has roomed here 1½ years. Mr. John August Swanson, the landlord, saw deceased last night at 11:00 P.M. and found him dead at 5:15 A.M. October 23rd. Deceased was seated in a chair, fully clothed, chin resting on chest. He had apparently expired without a struggle. The bed had not been occupied. Medicines from Dr. Colp were found on the table.

A daughter is Mrs. Florence Sundberg, Moose Lake, Minn.

Officers T. J. Drilling and W. W. Boltz present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EUNICE ESTHER ULRIKSSON Date Oct. 23.

Place of Death	St. Andrews Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1223 29th Ave. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	36 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Phenobarbital poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	West Isanti, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Co.	Address	

REMARKS:

A neighbor of deceased, Mr. Herschel Christiansen, same address, said that he and his wife entered the Ulriksson apartment about 6:00 P.M. October 22nd and found deceased lying on the bed unconscious. Police were called, who took her to the General Hospital from where she was transferred to St. Andrews under the care of Dr. P. C. Engelhart. She was admitted to St. Andrews at 7:40 P.M. October 22nd and died at 4:00 P.M. October 23rd. Dr. Engelhart stated that she regained consciousness the evening of October 22nd and told him that she had taken about ninety tablets of phenobarbital.

Vidkunn Ulriksson, husband of deceased, stated that she was of a very nervous temperament and that they were frequently involved in domestic troubles, and that he would have to leave home for a few days until she quieted down. On this occasion he left home October 19th, 1937, and knew nothing about his wife's attempted suicide until the morning of October 23rd when he was called at work.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GENEVIEVE FOX

Date October 25.

Place of Death	4321 West Lake St., St. Louis Park Village.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Mansfield, Mo.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Duluth, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander-Quist (west side)	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Robert Henderson, St. Louis Park, 4321 West Lake Street, for about a month. About 11:45 P.M. October 24th, she came into the room of another sister, Mrs. Dell Krelwitz and told her she was sick and had difficulty in breathing. Mrs. Henderson told coroner she was then awakened and she called Dr. L. M. Campbell. Deceased died as he arrived, about 12:10 A.M. October 25th. Dr. Campbell called the coroner. Body viewed at Welander-Quist's west side chapel.

Mrs. Henderson stated that deceased had been out in the afternoon for a long walk but apparently was not sick.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DANIEL G. WEISCHEDEL

Date Oct. 26.

Place of Death	U. S. Veterans Hospital	Autopsy	Private - by Dr. L. E. Nolan
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Onida, So. Dakota	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	48 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Lewistown, S. Dak.		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Crushing injuries of chest due to leap from 4th floor window.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Onida, So. Dakota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Fred W. Johnson, St. Paul	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Veterans Hospital May 7, 1937, with a diagnosis of osteomyelitis of right hand with contractures. He had been there constantly since that time and seemed cheerful and cooperative.

He was last seen alive at 8:10 P.M. by patients in the ward. He was found in the parking court dead, at 8:30 P.M. by a guard. No one saw him leap but the assumption was that he had leaped from the 4th floor window. No motive for suicide was evident except his long illness and a dun letter from a hospital near his home requesting that he sell his horses and pay his bill.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EMIL FLANDERS

Date Found October 27.

Place of Death	915 19th Avenue South
Place of Accident	1830 East Franklin
Residence	915 19th Avenue South
Age	53 Sex Male
Birthplace	Belgium
Occupation	Laborer
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~: Fracture of skull and bruising of brain following fall down-stairs.
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery
Undertaker	Enger Funeral Home.
Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Inquest	No
Effects Taken in Charge	30¢
Other effects listed on Morgue Record	(Clo. no value)
Effects delivered to	Clo. to Mrs. Frank Phelps, step-daughter, 3146 15th Avenue South.
Address	Richard Flanders, Son. 3146-15th Ave. So.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead about 7:25 A.M. today by his boy Richard, 17 years of age. Deceased was lying on the floor of the bedroom on his back, fully dressed Much vomitus was on the floor at his side and under a chair.

Richard spoke to his father on October 24th, Sunday, about 4 P.M. but the father did not converse. On October 25th and 26th the boy saw him lying on the floor at two or three times each day, but didn't approach him. The boy slept on two chairs in the kitchen. The two lived alone, and deceased at times had drinking spells. Richard went to the home of Elsie Jevne, 913 19th Avenue South, and police and General Hospital ambulance were notified. Richard saw his father at 11 P.M. October 24th lying on the bed and thought he was asleep.

Officers Williams and O'Neil were present. Detectives who investigated this case found that deceased had fallen twelve steps down a stairway at 1830 East Franklin Avenue between three and four P.M. on Sunday October 24th, 1937. He was drunk. Joe Schneider, 2829 15th Avenue South, employed at the Buckhorn Bar, heard him fall and called to Fred Sorenson, 2539 18th Avenue South, and Peter Hallstrom, 1808 E. 26th Street, and two other men who carried deceased upstairs and put him into Sorenson's car. Sorenson took him home and put him on the bed unconscious. (police reports on file)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANNA VICTORIA OLSON

Date October 27.

Place of Death	210 North Sixth Street
Place of Accident	210 North Sixth Street
Residence	2413 31st Avenue South
Age	54 Sex Female
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota
Occupation	Bookkeeper
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural ~~Natural~~ / Accident / Suicide X / ~~Homicide~~: Fracture of skull and compound fractures of both tibias & fibulas due to falling debris from collapse of floors in bldg.
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery
Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Co.
Autopsy	No
Inquest	No
Effects Taken in Charge	1 wrist watch
Other effects listed on Morgue Record	(no value)
Effects delivered to	Carl Oscar Olson, Brother
Address	3543 Emerson Avenue North

REMARKS: (See next case - #648)

Accident occurred shortly after 10 A.M. today. The third floor of the building used by Morris Fruit & Produce Co. collapsed. Deceased was removed from the debris and taken in the ambulance to General Hospital dead.

Injuries: A wound in forehead slightly to the right of midline about three inches long ending at root of nose, in lower angle fracture of skull could be seen, also fracture of nose; large wound outside of left ankle where several of ankle bones were protruding, also fractures of tibia and fibula could be seen; right leg, wound inside slightly above the ankle, both tibia and fibula fractured; in right buttock (gluteal region) wound about ten inches long extending inwards to bone; many abrasions and bruises all over body; hemorrhage into both upper and lower eyelids left eye, and lower eyelid of right eye.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MAX ZELICKSON Date October 27.

Place of Death	210 Sixth Street North	Autopsy	Dr. Seashore
Place of Accident	210 Sixth Street North	Inquest	Yes
Residence	1523 Queen Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$19.33 cash; billfold; 5 keys; 2 rings; receipts; cards; papers; knife; order book; City of Mpls. Water bill; N.W. Bell Telephone bill; driver's license #M27830; Auto registration card for 1937; identification card; 3 Mpls. Tribune stubs for picture #255381,379080, 444566.
Age	About 32 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Canada		
Occupation	Laborer - wholesale fruit.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			Other effects listed in Morgue Record.
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Fracture of ribs, edema and congestion of lungs with asphyxiation due to falling debris from collapse of floors in building		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	United Brotherhood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	George Kaplan, 1802 Sheridan N.
S Undertaker	Zeesman Mortuary	Address	By order of Dinah Zelickson, wife of deceased.

REMARKS:

The body of deceased was brought to the Hennepin County Morgue at 11:50 A.M. by Dr. David Gaviser and Nick Polucci in Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance from 210 Sixth Street North.

He was identified at the morgue by George Kaplan, 1802 Sheridan Ave. N., brother-in-law.

A panel of third floor, about 20x22 feet gave way and took second floor with it, in the Morris Fruit & Produce Company, 210 Sixth Street North, about 10:15 A.M. Deceased was said to be a salesman and in a telephone booth when the collapse occurred. The panel which collapsed was packed with Canada Dry ginger ale. Mr. W. J. Slagle, 3447 Colfax Avenue South, branch manager of Canady Dry Company said about one carload of ginger ale was stored on the third floor weighing about 30,000 lbs.

Barlow Realty Company, 807 Hennepin Avenue, has charge of the rental of the building. Several people were injured and Anna Olson, bookkeeper in the office on second floor was also killed.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MILON WESLEY BRESSLER Date Oct. 28.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private - Dr. Lufkin
Place of Accident	2824 Harriet Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	2824 Harriet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Lincoln County, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Farmer - truck driver		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Gunshot wound of face and head.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lake Benton, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	National Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital October 18th 1937, at 2:50 P.M. by ambulance No. 1 from his home, admitted by Dr. Hannsen and attended by Dr. Michael Blumstein and Dr. McKain. He died at 3:10 A.M. October 28th. He was conscious during part of his hospital stay and admitted that he had attempted suicide.

He apparently had intended to shoot himself through the mouth, but the wound extended up the right side of his face involving loss of part of the nose, cheek and the right eye. Xray disclosed several particles in the brain substance. The history indicated a psychosis, in that he thought people were pursuing him and talking about him.

Police officers Zane and Pospishel report that they were called to his home at 2:30 P.M. and that they were told that the deceased had tied a rope to the trigger of a shotgun and shot himself in the face, in the basement. He then walked up to his bedroom where he was found by his son. The son Kenneth stated that his father had been out of work for some time and had previously threatened to do this.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: FRITZ ADRIAN SWANSON, also known as EDWARD SWANSON

Date: October 28.

Place of Death	307 Cedar Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	307 Cedar Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	53 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Bartender		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Cancer of stomach with metastasis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide x			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had been at Minneapolis General Hospital and operated for cancer of the stomach. He was discharged two months ago and since then has not been attended by any physician.

Body viewed at mortuary. Informant Nanny Arnland.

Death occurred at 5:30 A.M. October 28th.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: GERTRUDE KIMBALL

Date: October 28.

Place of Death	3020 Lyndale Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3020 Lyndale Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	51 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide x			
Place of Burial	Neillsville, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	O. H. Oakley	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 9 P.M. today. There is a history of a weak heart, edema, arthritis over a long period of time. Mrs. Alice B. Warner, 2446 Colfax Avenue South, Christian Science practitioner, attended deceased.

Coroner's office notified October 30, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LEONARD PLOTNICO Date October 29.

Place of Death	929 Eighth St. S.E.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	929 Eighth St. S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	4 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Brain tumor - not tuberculous not syphilitic		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Chesed Shel Emes	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Zeesman Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was a subnormal child, and a state ward having been committed to Faribault Institute for Feeble-minded. At the time of death he was maintained at the home of Mrs. Josephine Peterson, 929 Eighth St. S.E.

She found deceased dead in his crib at 1:30 P.M. She had seen him alive one hour previous. Body was taken to Zeesman's undertaking parlors and autopsy held. The father requested an autopsy.

Deceased was at General Hospital Clinic July 22nd to 26th. He has always been subnormal and termed an idiot. The mother died of glioma.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CARL OSCAR PETERSON Date October 29.

Place of Death	In auto opposite 211 Nicollet	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Cambridge, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	$12.36 cash; spectacles; ring; purse; knife; 2 keys for Ford #330-108.
Age	61 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Cambridge, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Howard Peterson, son.
Undertaker	Alvin E. Berglund	Address	Cambridge, Minn.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was in the city with his twodaughters, Charlotte age 17, and Carol age 10, whom he left in the car while he went into the Home Trade Shoe Store to purchase some shoes. He told the salesman, R. Lundegaard of 478 Marshall St., St. Paul, that he felt ill, and the salesman gave him some aspirin. The daughters said he got in the back seat when he returned, told them he felt ill, but supposed he would feel better shortly. He then vomited and died at 4:45 P.M.

He had complained of pain in the epigastrium and indigestion for several days.

Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance arrived. Police officer Martinson on duty.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME KATE CHILDS

Date October 29.

Place of Death	234 West 34th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	88 Spruce Place	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	77 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Rush Lake, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Berlin, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Arthur Johnson	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Harry Jensen was called after death. Death occurred at 9:15 P.M. today. Deceased was at the home of L. E. Wilson when she died and had been there for two weeks.

Earlier in the evening she complained of pain in the chest, arm and back. A daughter, Mrs. Mick, lives at 88 Spruce Place.

Coroner's office notified October 30, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BERTHA AUGUSTA COON

Date October 30.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private at Mpls. General Hosp.
Place of Accident	29th Ave. & Grand St.N.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	2855 Grand St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Auto		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of ribs and clavicle; bruising of brain.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Rainville Company	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance, admitted at 8:45 P.M. October 17th, unconscious for three days, and attended by Dr. Nichols. She died at 11:15 A.M. October 30th.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Rainville's. Private autopsy had been held at Minneapolis General Hospital, no coroner present.

The accident occurred at 8:15 P.M. October 17th. Deceased was on the street when struck by a car owned and driven by Joseph Kluk, 3926 Tyler St. N.E. He was driving a Ford coach north on Grand St. N.E. at 29th Avenue.

Police obtained no witnesses.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MINNIE LOUISE BROOK

Date October 30.

Place of Death	5324 Bryant Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	5324 Bryant Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	29 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was last seen alive at 1:15 P.M. by her daughters Delores aged 8, and Joyce aged 5, when they left to visit neighbors. They thought that their mother was going to West Broadway. Her husband left for work at 8:15 A.M. October 30th, 1937. He found her when he returned at 4:25 P.M. lying across the sewing machine which she had pulled up to the stove. Her head was resting on the edge of the stove, one burner turned on, pilot light off. A blanket was hung over the door.

She had attempted suicide in 1932.

The husband stated that they had had some domestic trouble. She left a suicide note.

Deputy Sheriffs Theis and Finnegan.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SUMNER SILAS JOHNSTON

Date October 30

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	8th St. & 14th Ave. South	Inquest	No
Residence	1328 South Eighth St.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	83 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sheboygan Falls, New York		
Occupation	R.R.conductor Secy. R.R. Vets. Assn.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Auto Accident	Subarachnoid hemorrhage and lobar pneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital October 16 1937, at 8:34 P.M. by emergency ambulance No. 1 from Eighth St. & 14th Ave. So. He died at 7:44 P.M. October 30th. He was admitted by Dr. H. F. Nelson and attended by Dr. Sherman and Johnsrud.

Police report that the accident occurred October 16th at 8:24 P.M. at Eighth Street and 14th Avenue South. He was struck by a car driven by Warren Berg of 4007 38th Avenue South. He was putting a red lantern on a hole in the pavement when struck.

Officers Bjernsted and Masterson.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HILAR MILLESS

Date October 30.

Place of Death	Hassan Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	Rogers, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	$9.25 cash; watch (Elgin); chain; WPA form 402 notice to report for work ident. #2788-32324 case No. 750
Age	42 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Common Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural x / Auto Accident / Suicide x / Homicide x	Fracture of skull.	Other effects listed on Morgue Record	(no value)
Place of Burial	Rogers, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Kathryn Corbin, 1110 22nd Ave. N.E.
R Undertaker	Nelson, Osseo, Minn.	Address	By order of Emma Milless, Wife of deceased.

REMARKS:

Deceased was struck at 7:00 P.M. October 30th on County Road 150 one mile north of Rogers, Minn. He was walking toward Rogers on the left side of the road when he was struck from behind by a car driven by George John Schadewald of Rogers, age 17, who had turned out to pass a car driven by Delbert Scherber of Rogers. He gave his speed as between 45 and 50 miles per hour. A passenger in the Schadewald car was Arthur Kost, age 18, of Rogers, Minn.

A Mr. Vernon Minard, who said he is a farmer 2½ miles north of Rogers, said that the deceased had been helping him harvest and had left his farm to walk home at 25 minutes to seven o'clock. The shoes of the deceased were in the road at the scene of the accident and were about four feet from the east shoulder. The body of deceased was approximately five paces ahead of and four paces to the east of the road.

Injuries were: a palpable skull fracture with bony crepitation; bleeding from both ears; fracture of the right femur just above the knee; several ribs were fractured on the right side anteriorly.

The left headlight of the car was bent back. The radiator was bent backward and the left side of the hood was dented in.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME UNKNOWN MAN, JOHN DOE NO. 63.

Date October 30

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	Glenwood & Lyndale Aves.N.	Inquest	No
Residence	Unknown	Effects Taken in Charge	3 keys
Age	About 60 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Unknown	Other effects listed on Morgue Record	
Occupation	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural x / Auto Accident / Suicide / Homicide x	Fracture of skull with bruising of brain		
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins 11/16/37	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
R Undertaker	John A. Anderson, Mpls.	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital at 5:14 P.M. October 30th, 1937, by emergency ambulance from Glenwood & Lyndale. He was admitted by Dr. Hanssen and attended by Drs. Jensen and Street. He died at 9:45 P.M. October 30th.

Police report that the accident occurred at 4:53 P.M. October 30th at Glenwood & Lyndale Aves. N. Witnesses said he walked into the side of a truck going south on Lyndale. The truck was driven by Herbert Steinke of 1800 Park Avenue. Witnesses were Eddy Keonsky of 317 Emerson Avenue North; J. A. Seebel, Montrose, Minn; Harry Johnson, 2616 Vincent Avenue North; Herbert Rox, 1811 North Fifth Street.

Officers Wickenberg and Meehan.

Description: 5 ft. 3 in. in height, weight about 145 lbs; grey hair; grey eyes; medium complexion; medium build; two false plates of teeth; straight nose; smooth shaven. Had no scars, but had a small mole on the right side of his back. His coat was grey with a wide stripe, brown hat, blue serge pants; grey flannel zipper shirt. (See identification sheet for photograph.)

No record of fingerprints here or in Washington, D.C.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GUNDRA HEGNESS

Date October 31.

Place of Death	2218 Penn Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Willmar, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	62 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Willmar, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Oakley Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased came to the city on October 29th, 1937, with her son A. G. Hegness with whom she lives, to visit her sister and brother-in-law, Nels Nelson's of 2218 Penn Avenue North. She suddenly collapsed and died at 9:45 A.M. October 31, while sitting in a chair.

Dr. Stanley Hodge was called and pronounced her dead. She had had some heart trouble in the spring of 1937, diagnosed as a "toxic" heart following the "flu".

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MAGNI RYDEN

Date Oct. 31.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Eagles Hall 117 Fourth St. S.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	1400 Bryant Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	26 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fall downstairs - Fracture of left femur, of ribs, of lower jaw, and rupture of bladder.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Swanson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted 2:09 A.M. October 31st by Dr. Lloyd Whitesell; brought in by Dr. Richard Neary in Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance from Eagles' Hall 117 Fourth St. S.E., attended by Dr. M. K. Jenson, who gave coroner information about injuries:

He stated deceased was brought in unconscious and remained so until he died. He had sustained a head injury. Xrays showed fracture of left femur in middle third; fracture of pelvis especially left ilium; fracture of lower jaw. He had a ruptured bladder, passed fresh bright blood in the urine. He died at 1 P.M. October 31st.

Squad car No. 23 and detective car No. 10 investigated. Detective Bernath continued the investigation. Deceased's nearest relatives in this country are two aunts, Mrs. Nannie Benson, 3819 Fourth St. N., and Mrs. Frank Smedberg, 3847 Fourth St. N. Deceased was rooming at his cousin's, Mrs. McDonald, who stated that deceased was intoxicated at the party. Union No. 26, local building service employees, were giving the party which deceased attended. Witnesses: Louis Schlies, 601 7th Ave. S.; George Kantis, 915 Chicago Ave.

Body viewed by coroner at the morgue. Comminuted fracture in middle third of left femur; discoloration inside and on top of left foot with swelling; hemorrhage into both upper and lower eyelids left eye, also hemorrhage into conjunctiva outer angle of left eye; complete fracture of lower jaw between canine and second incisor on left side; abrasions back of joints of proximal and middle phalanges of 2nd, 3rd & 4th fingers left hand; blood running out of mouth; no other bruises of head noted; fracture of ribs on right side with crepitation near costal margin about three inches from midline.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schlies saw deceased fall from 3½ floor to the basement.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROSE WOOSTER

Date November 1,

Place of Death	3012 Pleasant Avenue	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3012 Pleasant Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$149.00 cash; 6 keys; 2 lavaliers with settings; 2 rings with settings; 1 pr. ear drops with settings; Farmers & Mechanics Savings Bank book #164356 showing a balance of $5170.33
Age	73 Sex Female		
Birthplace	England		
Occupation	Music teacher		Last Will and Testament - filed with Probate Court 11/1/37
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Cerebral arteriosclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	X		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Carl O. Burr, Sheridan Hotel, and Emma Kennedy, 2033-A W. Kilbourn Ave. Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Executors.
Undertaker	Welander-Quist (West side)	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 5:30 P.M. today. Dr. Moir saw deceased after death, but had called on her October 25, 1937, when she had been hysterical, moaning and noisy. He threatened to send her to the hospital. On this date, October 25th, deceased told her landlady, Mrs. L. O. Lake, that she had taken four teaspoonsful of Dr. Miles Nervine. On October 26th she had breakfast but no other meal. From Wednesday, October 27th she was stuperous and unconscious.

A sister, Mrs. Ed. Wilson, lives at 4409 Xerxes Avenue South. A son-in-law Carl Burr, lives at the Sheridan Hotel. Mrs. Burr died in September, 1935, and since that time deceased had been much depressed mentally.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME RAYMOND LeROY GALL

Date Found Nov. 3.

Place of Death	137 15th Ave. N.E.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	137 15th Ave. N.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	137 15th Ave. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	5 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		(No value)
Occupation	Schoolboy		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Probably phenobarbital poisoning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~	X		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Clothes Destroyed 12-1-38
Undertaker	Buchinger Funeral Home	Address	By John Anderson Morgue Supt.

REMARKS:

Deceased was born December 12, 1931. Parents are Earl and Gladys Gall. Deceased, apparently well as usual, was put to bed with a sister Luverne (4), at 8 P.M. Nov. 2nd. At 11:30 P.M. the mother placed him on the toilet but deceased was very limp, breathed deeply and was not aroused. At 7:40 A.M. November third, the mother found him dead in bed. She called the Fire department; General Hospital ambulance and doctor arrived, also police officers Storm and Karpinski.

The body was clad in sleepers, lying on the right side with face buried in pillow. He had apparently expired without a struggle.

Deceased had had a slight cough and was given two-third spoon of elixir terpin hydrate with codeine at 8 P.M. Nov. 1st, another similar dose at noon November 2nd, and another at 8 P.M. Nov. 2nd. He had been playing all day as usual. Body was taken to Hennepin County Mortuary and autopsy held.

On the dresser beside the bed of deceased was found a bottle having contained one hundred Phenobarbital 1½-grain tablets. There were 77 tablets remaining, eight tablets had been used, leaving fifteen tablets, probable amount taken by deceased. The tablets had been bought Friday, October 29th by Mrs. Florence Modin. She used two every night for sleep. She was not here the night of the death.

(In a letter dated December 21st, 1937, Dr. Harold N. Wright of the Dept. of Pharmacology, University of Minnesota, reports the finding of phenobarbital in the autopsy material.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES P. DOHERTY Date Nov. 3.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	2338 Fillmore St. N.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	2338 Fillmore St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minnesota		
Occupation	Contractor		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of left hip with secondary bronchopneumonia due to fall on floor.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	xx		
Place of Burial	St. Mery's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Dan Billman, Jr.	Address	

REMARKS:

According to Agnes Doherty, daughter, same address, the deceased was partially paralyzed from a previous stroke and fell down fairly often. On this occasion he fell to the floor about 4:30 P.M. October sixth. He was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital October 7th, 1937, at 11:15 A.M. by ambulance No. 2, admitted by Dr. H. F. Nelson and attended by Drs. Sherman and Sorenson.

He died November third, 1937, at 9:55 P.M.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME REUBEN CLARK Date Nov. 5.

Place of Death	1602 Aldrich Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1602 Aldrich Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	52 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Anoka, Minn.		
Occupation	Janitor		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Illuminating gas poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	x		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead lying on thebathroom floor by a boarder, James Humphries, who broke down the door after being called by Lucille Tierney, step-daughter of the deceased, age 20. He was last seen alive by Humphries at 11 A.M. November fifth in the kitchen eating lunch. Lucille Tierney said she last saw him when she left home at 4:30 P.M. Nov. 4, 1937. She returned home at 2:00 P.M. Nov. 5th, smelled gas and called Humphries. Lucille said the front door of the house besides being locked, had a knife driven into the door casing to prevent anyone from coming in.

Deceased was lying on a quilt and a pillow on the bathroom floor with a flexible gas tube for a portable gas heater in or near his mouth.

Lucille Tierney said that the deceased had been despondent since his wife died on August 21st, 1937, and about finances.

Officer Pritchard present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME AUGUST G. HAFT Date Found Nov. 5.

Place of Death	2817 Grand Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2817 Grand Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	70 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Atlantic Ocean, on shipboard from Germany to U.S.		
Occupation	Retail ice business		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Decorah, Iowa	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Werness Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Clinton Haft, a son, slept with deceased, and at 8:30 A.M. today found his father stiff and not breathing alongside of him. When they retired last night they conversed. Deceased had icecream and coffee at the time. There had been occasional chest disturbance, but deceased had not complained of shortness of breath. Charles Haft, another son, lives at the same address. The mother, divorced, lives with two other children in Minneapolis and a married brother, all of whom had nothing to do with deceased.

Officer Znacko was present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ROBERT L. RICE Date Found Nov. 6

Place of Death	5211 Humboldt Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	5211 Humboldt Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$12.78 cash; 1 check $5.37; 2 pencils; 1 fountain pen; spectacles; 1 wrist watch; 1 chain; 1 knife; billfold; miscellaneous papers.
Age	33 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Vice-Pres. - Dairy Supply Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Carbon Monoxide poisoning from auto exhaust.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Robert L. Rice, wife
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	5211 Humboldt Ave. So.

REMARKS:

Mrs. R. L. Rice, wife of deceased, woke up about 7 A.M. today to find that her husband had not been in all night. She called her father-in-law, Harry W. Rice, 3940 Richfield Avenue, who said to have the maid, Frances Sampson, look in the garage. She saw deceased through the garage door window, sitting in the automobile, a huge piece of hose attached to the exhaust.

Fire Department, police, and Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance all came. Deceased was in the front seat behind the steering wheel, his head turned slightly to the right, in rigor mortis. The usual red pigmentation of dependent parts was present. He had on his overcoat. Firemen turned off the ignition, but police told deputy coroner that the motor was not running when firemen reached the place. The tank was about two-thirds full of gasoline. A fifteen-foot hose, very large caliber, lay on the floor beside the car; one end had been attached to the exhaust and the other was pushed through a slightly opened ventilator window on the left side of the Chevrolet. A sweater had been placed over the opening.

Deceased had lately been under extreme nervous tension, unable to sleep without a sedative. He had always been serious, and of late somewhat moody. He had dinner last night at home, and shortly after 7 P.M. left the house, telling his wife he had business matters to look after.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EMMA C. O'BRIEN Date Nov. 7.

Place of Death	St. Barnabas Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Franklin & Clinton Aves.	Inquest	No
Residence	2011 Third Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	77 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norwood, Ontario, Can.		
Occupation	School teacher		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ / Auto Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Bronchopneumonia following fractures of both legs, and a probable cerebral hemorrhage.		
Place of Burial	Norwood, Ontario, Can.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought in by Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance at 7:20 P.M. September tenth. She had been struck by an automobile at Franklin and Clinton Avenues. Admitted by Dr. Alfred Sherman, and treated by Dr. W. S. Schaefer. Dr. Schaefer stated that deceased had fractures of both legs. The left was compound and comminuted. Xray examination did not reveal any fracture of the skull, but decessed had a right-sided hemiplegia.

Body viewed by coroner at Davies Mortuary. There is a scab on a wound on anterior surface of left leg about mid-point underneath an ununited comminuted fracture of tibia. Dr. Schafer stated deceased developed a bronchopneumonia before she died; that she was irrational most of the time. W. C. Wilson, 2416 W. 42nd St., (Atl.6116) was her guardian.

According to police records she was struck by a car driven by Hans Hanson, 224 Tenth Street South and 1613 First Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOSEPH (JOE) KING Date Nov. 8.

Place of Death	1615 Stevens Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	St. Paul, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	$3.95 cash; billfold; trade chip; ring with small yellow diamond; tie pin with small setting; receipt; Social Security Act card acct. #379-10-0681; papers.
Age	58 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin Rapids, Wis.		
Occupation	Cook, Addison Miller Camps		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural / ~~Accident~~ / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Coronary sclerosis		
Place of Burial	Riverview Cemetery, St.Paul	Effects delivered to	Alma Glynn, Special Admx.
Undertaker	Devlin-Tosney, St. Paul	Address	177 W. Winifred Street St. Paul, Minn.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased has roomed here two weeks. The landlady, Mrs. Ella Wilby, says that he put his head out of the door to the hallway and asked her to call a doctor, that he had "severe pain in his lungs". Dr. Goldberg arrived and deceased said something about that he had pain and then expired in bed, He was clad in night apparel. Death occurred at 8:30 A.M.

No relatives known in Minneapolis.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GERALD F PIOSKE Date Nov. 9.

Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy at Univ. Hosp.
Place of Accident	LeSueur, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	LeSueur, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	1 year 11 mos. Sex Male		
Birthplace	LeSueur, Minn.		
Occupation	--		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Probably strychnine poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	from ingestion of cathartic pills.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	Rush River, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Roscher Funeral Service, LeSueur	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted about 12:30 A.M. today to the care of Drs. Booth and Kaiser. Died at 4:05 A.M. today. Was brought in private car from LeSueur, Minnesota, by parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Pioske. Dr. N. N. Sonnesyn was called to see deceased and a four-year-old brother at 7 P.M. last night, November eighth, because of convulsions. The mother said that the children probably got hold of some cathartic pills in the bathroom. Dr. Sonnesyn washed the boys' stomachs out.

Permission for autopsy was given by the parents.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANDREW TARASAR Date Nov. 9.

Place of Death	729 Marshall St. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	707 Sibley N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	37 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		(No value)
Occupation	Auto mechanic		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Acute alcoholism		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	William Tarasar, father
C Undertaker	Stanley Kapala Co.	Address	707 Sibley N.E.

REMARKS:

The father, William Tarasar, interviewed on the scene, states that deceased has been drinking a great deal. Police report he drank "dehorn" liquor. He has been seen this afternoon around the "Sports Inn" saloon intoxicated at 1:30 P.M. and at 2 P.M. he was seen seated on a bench on the side of the saloon. At 3:50 P.M. Peter Humbleau, 95 7th Avenue N.E., saw deceased lying on the grass of a vacant lot a few steps from the bench. He was dead. Body taken to the morgue.

Officers Williams, Hayes and Ahr.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY A. WALKER Date Nov. 10.

Place of Death	4120 Harriet Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	LaCrosse, Wisconsin	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	80 Sex Female		
Birthplace	LaCrosse, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Retired school teacher		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	LaCrosse, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary (South)	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had come two weeks ago from LaCrosse to stay for the winter at her brother-in-law's home, W. R. Chapman. Deceased ate her supper as usual and appeared apparently well. About 8 P.M. she began to complain of pain in her chest. Some soda was given to her and Dr. D. H. Daniel was sent for, but deceased was dead when he arrived.

Deceased sat on her chair dead when coroner arrived. She died between eight and nine P.M.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CLARENCE HAMRICK Date Nov. 11.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	36th Ave. N. & Washington	Inquest	No
Residence	834 Ninth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	56 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Logan County, Illinois		
Occupation	Laborer (WPA)		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ Auto Accident	Crushing injuries of chest with hemorrhage and secondary bronchopneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Neal Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital by a private car driven by a Donald Longkey, at 9:11 P.M. November 8th, 1937. He was admitted by Dr. E. Hanssen and attended by Dr. Sorenson. He died at 4:35 A.M. Nov. 11th. Police report that he was a pedestrian and was struck at 36th Avenue North & Washington at 9:00 P.M. by a car driven by a Donald Matheny, 3103 Penn Avenue N.

Witnesses were passengers in the car, Wayne Larson of the YMCA, room 862 and Dorothy Matheny of 4314 Girard Avenue North.

Donald Matheny has been sentenced to ninety days in the workhouse for failure to stop at the scene of accident.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ERNEST B. DINSMORE Date Found Nov. 12.

Place of Death	64 East Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	64 East Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$2.49 cash; billfold; 1¢ postage; amusement coin; picture; ring; knife; pencil; spectacles & case.
Age	60 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Canada		
Occupation	Banking president		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Corda E. Dinsmore, 3354 Columbus Avenue, guardian for Robert Dinsmore, son of deceased.
C Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was formerly president of a bank at Garden City, S. Dak. He has been at the Salvation Army Home since September 22nd, 1937, according to Brigadier H. B. Burtenshaw. He has been failing in health for some time. He was seen alive last night at 8 P.M. by Arthur Sayler and others, and found dead in bed at 10:15 A.M. November 12th by Edward Major. He was clad in underwear and had apparently expired without a struggle.

Officers Storm and Karpinsky.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME AUGUST ANDERSON Date Nov. 12.

Place of Death	106 Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Cologne, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	$4.31 cash; watch (American Waltham W.Co.); chain; 5 keys; 1 streetcar token; magnifying glass; ring; revolver (The American Double Action H.& R. Arms Co. #184-065)
Age	76 Sex Male		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Miner		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Carver, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Anna Mellgren, 4506 Casco Ave. By order of A. P. Stomberg, Brother of deceased.
C Undertaker	O. E. Johnson, Carver, Minn.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has had a room here since October 31, 1937. He has appeared very sick; both ankles are badly swollen and he could hardly walk. He was seen alive at 6:10 P.M. by Art Wilson and was found a little later lying on the bathroom floor by proprietor Robert Musich of "Travelers Hotel". Deceased had removed part of his clothing and was apparently going to retire for the night.

Officer Bymark.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MAURICE SKOGBERG Date November 13.

Place of Death	In ambulance on way to Gen. Hosp. from 8th St. & Cedar Av	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	8th St. & Cedar Ave. So.	Inquest	No
Residence	3241 19th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$5.21 cash; billfold; ring; 1937 Indiv. resident fishing lic.; United Electrical & Radio Workers of Am. receipt book #C-215 Local 1140; Catholic emblem; 2 pictures; 2 Minn. Hosp. Serv. Assn. cards; Benefit entertainment ticket; cards; papers.
Age	23 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sacred Heart, Minn.		
Occupation	Shipping Dept. - tractors & farm machinery.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Auto Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Fracture of skull.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
Place of Burial	Sacred Heart, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Martin H. Skogberg, Father
Undertaker	Barney Anderson	Address	3241 19th Avenue South

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 1:10 A.M. Nov. 13th. Deceased was a passenger in a Buick Roadster going north toward Seven Corners on Cedar Avenue. The car was driven by Lee Foss, 1011 E. 24th St., and owned by Ralph Kuether, 1411 E. 24th Street. At 8th Street South a Chevrolet sedan owned and driven by John Neumann, 1314 La-Salle Avenue, going west on Eighth Street, came to a stop at Cedar Avenue. The car in which deceased was riding clipped the front fender of Neumann's car and then rolled over and stopped upside down. Both deceased and Foss were pinned under the car. Deceased was taken by ambulance to General Hospital. Dr. Silver on the ambulance reports that death occurred in the ambulance. Body was taken direct from "Receiving" to morgue. Arrived at Receiving at 1:29 A.M.

The skull of deceased is fractured at multiple places, and there is profuse bleeding from the right ear. There are no scalp wounds. There are a few small superficial bruises over the tibial areas.

Officer Schaaf was an eye witness to the accident. He and Officer Atchison were in a squad car stationed twenty feet away. Other witnesses were: Frank Schaaf, 198 Morgan Ave. N., Harvey Loupi, 803 7th Ave. So., Everett Eidsmore, 5749 16th Ave. So.

Mr. Lee Foss interviewed at General Hospital 10 A.M. November 13th, stated to Dr. Callerstrom, deputy coroner, that he was the driver of the car in which deceased was a passenger; that he had borrowed the car from Ralph Kuether earlier in the evening, and had been driving around visiting various beer places. The last was at 18th & Lake Street, where he and deceased left twenty minutes before closing time and were now driving Cedar Avenue on their way down town.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EDWARD BOWE Date Nov. 14.

Place of Death	St. Barnabas Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	On walk near 24th Ave. So. & 25th Street	Inquest	No
Residence	2504 24th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	About 78 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Trenton, Dodge County, Wis.		
Occupation	Laborer - railroad		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Fracture of skull due to 20-foot fall from tree.		
Place of Burial	Beaver Dam, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Buchinger Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance took deceased to General Hospital at 1:19 P.M. November 7th, 1937, where he was seen by Dr. H. F. Nelson. He was transfered to St. Barnabas Hospital and admitted at 2:15 P.M. Nov. 7th to the care of Dr. A. C. Lundgren. He died at 4:02 A.M. today.

Deceased had been trimming trees on 25th Street near 24th Avenue South by his own property when he fell about twenty feet. Olaf Norby, 2504 24th Avenue South, told deputy coroner that deceased was about eighty years old, that he landed in a sitting position and his head went backward on the sidewalk.

A relative James C. Maylon, lives in Beaver Dam, Wisconsin, 30 Mary Street.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALBERT J. PARENT Date Nov. 14.

Place of Death	Northwestern Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Chicago, Illinois	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	56 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Iron Mountain, Michigan		
Occupation	Publisher - Farm magazine.		
CAUSE OF DEATH (Natural / ~~Accident~~ / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~)	Coronary sclerosis		
Place of Burial	Iron Mountain, Michigan	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	J. M. Gleason	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Yeorg notified deputy coroner of death of deceased, which occurred at 9:25 P.M. Deceased was attacked with anginal pain while attending the State Theatre, and was taken by Smith ambulance to Northwestern Hospital, where he was admitted at 8:55 P.M. (Ambulance call received 8:30 P.M. - S. R. Zimmerschied, driver of ambulance, and Robert Street, attendant.)

Dr. Yeorg expressed the opinion that the cause of death was probably coronary disease. A friend T. J. Setchell lives at 1101 South 7th St., (Atl. 6919).

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NOEL GIDEON VILLEUX Date Nov. 15.

Place of Death	5335 Emerson Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	5335 Emerson Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	55 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota		
Occupation	Letter Carrier		
CAUSE OF DEATH (Natural / ~~Accident~~ / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~)	Coronary sclerosis.		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred in the home at 8:45 A.M. For the past week deceased had complained of chest pain and aching in the left arm.

Dr. Peter Schultz was called and notified coroner's office.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BETTY LUE INGEBRETSEN Date Nov. 15.

Place of Death	2405 26th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	2405 26th Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	2405 26th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	1½ years Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Infant		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	3rd degree burns of body due to conflagration.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Harvey Davis, Robbinsdale	Address	

REMARKS:

Police and fire department received a call about 4:50 P.M. to go to the address above. Fireman Joe McCauley picked up deceased who was lying on the kitchen floor and carried her outside, but she was dead.

Roma Finseth, 21, an older sister, and her friend Inez Osmonson, 26, had been upstairs for a few minutes, and when she came down was met by flames which prevented her from going into the living room. She ran out the front way and around the house and asked Elsie Gusk, 2407 26th Avenue South, to notify the police.

A little four-year-old sister Patricia had been in the rooms downstairs, but ran out and to a neighbor's home. She could not give a coherent account of what happened. Roma Finseth thinks that clothes she had hung to dry in front of the wood radio-shaped air-tight stove in the front room, had caught fire.

The child was badly charred. Everything in the flat was destroyed.

Fire stations 7 and 21 and Chief Harrity responded to call. Officer Beech present.

The mother was visiting in Climax, Minnesota.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CARL MENDE Date Found Nov. 16.

Place of Death	Plymouth Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Plymouth Township	Inquest	No
Residence	Route #1, Robbinsdale Plymouth Township	Effects Taken in Charge	$.10 cash; 3 trade chips; knife; watch (Hamilton); declaration of intention paper; certificate of Naturalization; satisfaction of mortgage; 2 abstracts of title; Honorable discharge from the United States Army 760078; Honorable discharge from U.S. Army R-760079; Honorable Disc. from U.S. Army dated Dec. 22, 1911; Hon. disch. from U.S, dated Jan. 10, 1915; U.S.Army corporal appointment dated March 2, 1918; U.S.Army Sergeant appt. dated 7-7-18; U.S. Army corporal appt. dated 9/19/19; 2 Register of Deeds statements; letter; tax receipts; leather pouch for papers; Security State Bank Robbinsdale Savings book #4768 - bal. $300.00
Age	60 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Farm hand		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / ~~Accident~~ / Suicide / ~~Homicide~~	Gunshot wound of head.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Elmer Schmidt, Spec. Adm.
H Undertaker	National Funeral Home	Address	Robbinsdale, Minn.

REMARKS:

Elmer Schmidt, farmer living in Plymouth Township about five miles from Robbinsdale, Minn., near the Rockford Road, and his wife and two small children returned home at 12:45 A.M. today from a gardener's meeting in Minneapolis. They found the house well lighted and the doors locked. On the dining room floor in front of the base burner lay deceased in a huge pool of blood. Brain substance and fragments of bone were on the floor, and the ceiling and walls were smeared with blood and brain matter. Under him was a Winchester repeater shot-gun belonging to Mr. Schmidt. The end of a broom handle was used to press the trigger. Apparently deceased was standing, and had put the end of the barrel into his mouth, for one side of the mouth is powder-blackened.

Mr. Schmidt told deputy coroner that deceased had threatened to commit suicide, but he thought nothing of it.

Deceased has no relatives in the United States.

Mr. Schmidt saw him at 8:30 A.M. today when deceased went to Minneapolis.

Deputy Sheriffs Lawrence and Fahey were present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALBERT PAPIERZ Date Nov. 16.

Place of Death	659 23rd Avenue N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	659 23rd Avenue N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Poland		
Occupation	Farm hand		
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural: Coronary sclerosis; ~~Accident~~; ~~Suicide~~; ~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Kapala Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased roomed at his sister's, Mrs. Victoria Cielinski. He has been going to the out-patient department of the Minneapolis General Hospital for chest trouble and was operated September 7th, 1937, for hydrocele. This morning at 6:30 A.M. his sister found him dead on the davenport in the kitchen. He was attended at the General Hospital by Dr. LaBree.

Body viewed at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PATRICK JOSEPH CORCORAN Date Nov. 17.

Place of Death	20 Penn Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Seashore & Dr. Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	Yes
Residence	28 Penn Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$81.10 cash; billfold; folder; scratch pad; check book with blanks; wrist watch (Bulova) with bracelet; 8 keys; fountain pen; pencil; comb; knife; cigarette lighter; spectacle case; small flashlight; 3 A.F.of L buttons; 16 A.F.of L. stamps; 2 Wis.vs.Minn. football tickets for Sat. Nov. 20,1937; N.W. Airlines ticket stamped 11-13-37 #15928 good until 11-17-37; Marq. Natl. Bk. checking acct. book; Gen.Drivers & Helpers Union Local 544 A.F. of L. card; ident. card; drivers Lic. card #M30841; prom.note for $50.00; Indiv. res. fishing lic. #205485; 1 Intl. Brotherhood of Teamsters,Chauffeurs,Stablemen & Helpers paper
Age	48 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Belle Plaine, Minn.		
Occupation	Labor organizer.		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~; ~~Accident~~; Suicide; Homicide: Gun shot wound of head		

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MABEL RUPPELIUS

Date Nov. 18.

Place of Death	St. Barnabas Hospital	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident	Loretto, Minnesota	Inquest	No	
Residence	Loretto, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	50 Sex Female			
Birthplace	Loretto, Minnesota			
Occupation	Housewife			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Second and third degree burns			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	to entire body from lighting			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	stove fire with kerosene.			
Place of Burial	Delano, Minn.	Effects delivered to		
C Undertaker	Gladys Boyce, Delano, Minn.	Address		

REMARKS:

Ferdinand Ruppelius, husband of deceased interviewed at St. Barnabas Hospital , states that he and deceased retired at 9 P.M. Nov. 17th. At 2:30 A.M. Nov. 18th he was awakened by screams of his wife from the kitchen. Her clothing was in flames. He put out the fire with blankets and burned his own hands severely. Near the stove was a tipped over kerosene can, wooden shingles and boards in the range, the stove lid open. Deceased remarked, "I should have known better."

A son John (19), was sleeping upstairs. Mr. Ruppelius summoned William and Walter Sipe, and in Sipe's automobile deceased was taken to St. Barnabas Hospital where she was admitted at 5:10 A.M., and died at 2:10 P.M. She was attended by Dr. Colp, Jr., and house physician Dr. McKean. Body viewed by deputy coroner at St. Barnabas Hospital.

The body is severely burned, face, chest, back, legs and feet. The husband is unable to explain the reason for deceased dressing at that time of the night. She had on a house dress, underwear, girdle and stockings, but no shoes. He says they have been getting along well and deceased has not been sick nor despondent. Deceased was his second wife and they have been married fifteen years.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HARRY V. BEEDY

Date Nov. 19.

Place of Death	2133 Mount View Avenue	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	2133 Mount View Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	47 Sex Male			
Birthplace	Postville, Iowa			
Occupation	Manager Drug Stores (Liggett)			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident				
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Gun shot wound through head.			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to		
C Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Mortuary	Address		

REMARKS:

Deceased has worked for Liggett's Drug Stores for many years. He was manager of the store at Seventh & Hennepin. On November 14th he was suspended while his affairs were under investigation. Since then deceased has brooded a great deal. During the last night he was up out of bed and paced the floor many times.

At 9 A.M. the wife heard a shot from the garage. She found deceased on the floor beside the car. The body was lying on its back on the right side of the car in the garage. A shot gun was at the feet, nozzle against the right foot, black soot marks on deceased's left hand, the skull shattered wide open and the entire brain in one heap on the running board of the car. Deceased was clad in pajamas, over this his trousers and a short leather hunting coat; his shoes, unlaced were on his feet, but he had no socks on. The shot gun, a ten-gauge, belonged to deceased and had been standing in the sunroom of the house.

A son Newell (23) left home at 6:30 A.M. He did not see deceased then.

Arriving on the scene were: James Laughlin, 4519 Casco Ave., A. J. Palmer, Sheridan Hotel, Herbert Ray; Officers Winell, Peterson, Larson.

Body was taken directly to undertakers.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALOIS NOVAK

Date Found Nov. 19, 1937.

Place of Death	St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Unknown	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.93 cash; billfold; key; knife; Social Security Act card, Acct. #475-05-2912.
Age	About 60 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Unknown		
Occupation	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Freezing due to exposure.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
Undertaker	J. A. Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found at 8:55 A.M. today by Mr. Doran, employee of M. & St.L. Railroad when he was about to work on freight car. Deceased was lying on his back at the north end of this car which was Illinois Central Car No. 157937. Deputy Sheriffs Kittredge and Hurley and local policeman McGeary were present. Deceased's face, feet, legs and hands were frozen stiff.

This boxcar was alongside the Commander Elevator Company plant. It had been received from the Omaha Railroad November 14, 1937 at the Lyndale Avenue tracks and the next day taken out to St. Louis Park.

Deceased had on overalls, sweater, kahki shirt, and overcoat, and another overcoat was over him.

Deceased while in New Prague, Minn., had made application to the local post office for his Social Security Card with request it be sent him in Minneapolis in care of Wesley Temple Building. He said he was of Polish extraction and a resident of Chicago.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANN HELMERS LINNELL

Date Nov. 20.

Place of Death	5007 Fremont Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	5007 Fremont Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	45 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Carbuncle of neck		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander-Quist (west side)	Address	

REMARKS:

Miss Abigail Thompson, Christian Science healer, reported the case to coroner. She said she was called into the case at 3 P.M. Nov. 20th and deceased died 7:20 P.M. from carbuncle of the neck. Esther Westlund, nurse, 438 Laurel Avenue, stated deceased also had been under the care of O. Nortvedt, Christian Science Healer, Plymouth Building. Deceased had been sick about two weeks.

Body viewed by coroner at Welander-Quist's west side chapel. There is a large infiltrated necrotic mass in the back of the neck.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME NELS A. ANDERSON Date Nov. 20.

Place of Death	1629 Sixth St. S.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1629 Sixth St. S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	$28.95 cash, less .25 spent for telegram, balance $28.70; purse; *3 keys; watch (Hampden); $1.56 postage; 5 streetcar tokens; Dayton Co. credit coin #105471; N.W.Natl. Bk. savings bank book #97462 bal. $5000.00; Barron bank savings book #1228 bal.$3266.07: Rice Lake bank savings book #1426 bal. $3081.14; University State Bk. checking acct. in name of Gerald Fostvedt; 13 Am. Exp. trav. cheques $20.00 each; N.W. Natl. Life and Minn. Mutual Life group life policy #G-1130 cert. # 5580; 2 N.W. Natl. Life and Minn. Mutual Life annuity contracts #447077 and 447078; letter; memoranda. Other effects taken on Morgue Record
Age	59 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Educator - University of Minn.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Cameron, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	Charles Anderson, Administrator
R Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Mortuary	Address	Chetek, Wisconsin.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead at 9 P.M. by the caretaker Fred Stimson whowas called by the occupants of the neighboring apartment, Mr. and Mrs. DeLageorge. These neighbors, who have a boarder named John Boland, used the bathroom jointly with the deceased. An occupant of the bathroom could hook the opposite door. John Boland reported to Edward DeLageorge about eight P.M. Nov. 20, when he saw him at a friend's house, that when he (Boland) was alone in the apartment about 7 P.M. Nov. 20, 1937, he heard noises in the bathroom as though the deceased was vomiting. When Mr. DeLageorge returned home shortly before 9 P.M. he went to use the bathroom but found his door hooked. He opened it to the extent of the hook after he had obtained no response, and looked through seeing the deceased lying on the floor.

He summoned the caretaker who called the General Hospital ambulance. Police officers Strand and Brock also arrived. Caretaker Stimson said that the deceased told him a week ago that he was not feeling well and that he was going through the medical clinic at the University of Minnesota, and that he had high blood pressure.

When found he was lying on the bathroom floor partially doubled up, his trousers down as though he had been sitting on the toilet bowl when he died.

*2 Keys belonging to Mrs. N. B. Schoonmaker, 980 17th Ave. S.E. delivered to her Jan. 5, 1938.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALDEN EDWARD HANSON Date Nov. 20.

Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Mound, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	Shadywood, Mound, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	4 Mo. 7 Da. Sex Male		
Birthplace	Mound, Minn.		
Occupation	Infant		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Second degree burns of head, legs and back due to house on fire		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the University Hospital at 9:00 A.M. November 20th and died at 9:20 A.M. He was admitted by Dr. Remboldt and attended by Dr. Kimmel. (Case reported to coroner Nov. 23, 1937.)

(For details of accident see account of Genevieve Hanson, Case #692.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SAM GREENSTONE Date Nov. 21.

Place of Death	2262 W. Lake of Isles Blvd.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2262 W. Lake of Isles Blvd.	Effects Taken in Charge	$6.25 cash Less .92 spent for telegram Balance 5.33 Billfold; key; watch (Waterbury Special); Individual resident fishing license #33133 for 1937; 3 receipts; 1 doctor's prescription.
Age	About 53 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Russia		
Occupation	Landscape Gardener		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	Chesed Shel Emes	Effects delivered to	M. Greenstone, Bro., 415 Alfred Ave., Winnipeg, Man., Can. and C. Greenstone, Bro.
C Undertaker	Zeesman Mortuary	Address	545 Salter St., Winnipeg, Man., Can.

Other effects listed in Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was caretaker for Chas. C. Massie and occupied an apartment in the garage. At 12:30 P.M. he was in a down-town restaurant having dinner with Andrew Duresen, 1310 Second St. South, when he appeared very sick and complained of severe pain in his chest. Mr. Duresen took him home and called Dr. Ginsberg. He could not be located so Dr. Hedback was called. When Dr. Hedback arrived death had occurred. Deceased was lying in bed, fully clothed.

Telgram was sent to Max Greenstone, Winnepeg, Canada.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME RUFUS TODD Date Nov. 21.

Place of Death	Mpls. - In ambulance enroute to Mpls. Gen. Hosp from place of accident.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Hwy 169 4½ mi. n.e. of Shakopee	Inquest	No
Residence	3301 Taylor St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	1 key - deld to Emelia Todd, wife 827-24 Ave NE.
Age	44 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Michigan		
Occupation	Carpenter - Mpls. Moline		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Fracture of spine and legs.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Henry Vanandall, by order of
C Undertaker	Billman Funeral Chapel	Address	Mrs. R. Todd, Wife.

Other effects listed in Morgue Record

REMARKS:

The body was brought in to Minneapolis General Hospital, dead on arrival, 10:17 P.M., having been brought in by private ambulance owned by Kruger & Nolden of Shakopee. In the ambulance were also Mrs. Todd and Mrs. Charles Swedean. They say that death occurred as they were passing Loring Park. Up to that time deceased was conscious and talked. He said he knew he was going to die, etc.

In an interview these parties state they all left Minneapolis in deceased's car at 3 P.M. and drove to Shakopee. They left Shakopee at about 8:30 P.M. Henry Swedean was driving. In the front seat was also Mr. Chas. Swedean. In the rear seat was deceased and Mrs. Todd and Mrs. Swedean. On highway No. 169 4½ mi. northeast of Shakopee, the headlights went out due to short circuit. They say their cowl lights and tail light did not go out. Mrs. Chas. Swedean says she was flashing with flashlight signal through the rear window. They brought the car to a stop on the right side of the road and partly on the shoulder. Deceased was in the act of stepping out of the car through the open left door when struck by another car going in the same direction. In this car were Phil Fieldhammer of Sacred Heart, Minn., and Miss Fern Rusch. There is some dispute as to who was the driver of this car.

Deceased was thrown three feet from the car and the car door torn completely off. Mrs. Swedean states that two men came upon the scene and said they saw her flashlight one block away and said they knew something had happened. Arriving on the scene almost immediately was Dr. and Mrs. Pearson of Shakopee. The accident occurred at about 8:40 P.M. Officers from Hopkins, Shakopee, and Highway police arrived. (Miles Dunn, Highway Patrol.)

Autopsy revealed an advanced coronary sclerosis. Mrs. Todd says deceased has had difficult breathing for a long time and would sit up nights to get air. She called it asthma.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GENEVIEVE AMANDA HANSON Date Nov. 22

	Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy.
	Place of Accident	Mound, Minn.	Inquest	No
	Residence	Shadywood Point, Mound, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	34 Sex Female		
	Birthplace	Biwabik, Minn.		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Second degree burns of body		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	due to house on fire.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
R	Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had just built a fire in the coal stove of their home at Mound, when flames appeared at the ceiling over the stove about 7:00 A.M. Nov. 20th. She sent two children, Marlys aged 12, and Donald, aged 15, to neighbors, took the baby, Alden Hanson aged four months, in his crib out on the porch and went back in for some of his clothes. An explosion occurred and the door was slammed shut with her inside. Neighbors came and dragged her out and also took the baby away. The baby's clothes had caught fire from the explosion also. Both mother and baby were severely burned.

They were seen by Dr. E. C. Mitchell of Mound and sent into the University Hospital where they were admitted at 9:00 A.M. November 20th. The deceased died at 8:35 P.M. November 22nd.

Injuries were second degree burns covering almost the entire body. She was attended by Dr. Wittels at the University Hospital.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LILLIAN E. BLECHERT Date Nov. 22.

	Place of Death	810 15th Avenue North	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth.
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	1522 Irving Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	1 ring with diamond setting 1 wedding ring.
	Age	32 Sex Female		
	Birthplace	Fargo, N. Dak.		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic alcoholism		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	George Blechert, Husband
R	Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	1522 Irving Ave. N.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead in bed in an upstairs bedroom of the above address at 12:15 P.M. Nov. 22nd by Dale Hodgson age 11, who was sent up to call her for lunch. She was last seen alive at 12:30 A.M. Nov. 22, 1937 by Mrs. Beatrice Hodgson same address, and was said to have been feeling all right, by Mrs. Hodgson.

Mrs. Hodgson stated that she had been separated from her husband for some time and had stayed with her continuously now for about one week, living previous to that time with her mother at 3551 Emerson Avenue North. She also said the deceased drank quite heavily. The husband of the deceased, George Blechert of 1522 Irving Avenue North, told Mrs. John Anderson of the County Morgue, that the deceased had been living off and on at 810 15th Avenue North for about four months and that she drank heavily.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EVELYN PRESTIDGE — Date Nov. 23.

Place of Death	St. Andrews Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2311 Dupont Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	27 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~	Acute septic endometritis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~	with acute septic peritonitis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	following criminal abortion.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Memorial Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted November 16th at 8:25 P.M. to the care of Dr. Wm. R. Kostick with diagnosis of an incomplete abortion. Death occurred at 1:45 A.M. today. Dr. Kostick told deputy coroner that he saw deceased at her home November 16th and at once sent her to the hospital; that she told him that a "nurse" on November 11th, 1937, had packed her, and on Sunday, November 14th, 1937, had removed the packing and introduced a catheter into her womb; that blood only had appeared, no tissue. Dr. Kostick gave her gas bacillus antitoxin.

He told deputy coroner that in the afternoon of November 22nd he tried to get a dying confession from deceased, but that she and her sister Mrs. Alice Peterson refused to give names.

Husband, Henry Prestidge, 4008 Hubbard Avenue, Robbinsdale, interviewed by coroner December 13, 1937, also the sister of deceased, Mrs. Alice Peterson, 4730 Bryant Avenue North (344 East Franklin Ave.). She stated that deceased was aborted by a woman living in northeast Minneapolis.

The husband was later interviewed by coroner at police headquarters and Mrs. Myrtle Brandenberg was apprehended and pled guilty to first degree manslaughter and given an indeterminate sentence at Shakopee.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. — Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PAULINE BISSEBERG — Date Nov. 24.

Place of Death	Parkview Sanatorium	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	New England, N. Dak.	Inquest	No
Residence	New England, N. Dak.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	87 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of left femur with secondary bronchopneumonia due to fall on floor in home		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lisbon, N. Dak.	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Swanson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

The history as given on the hospital chart states that the deceased tripped over a dog in her home in North Dakota approximately on August first, 1937, and fell to the floor. She was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital at 10:54 A.M. September 17, 1937, and attended by Dr. Sorenson. A diagnosis of fracture of the left femur was made.

She was transferred to Parkview on November ninth, 1937, at 6:10 P.M. Dr. Koschnetzke, resident physician, examined her the evening of November 23rd and discovered a bronchopneumonia. She died at 3:15 A.M. November 24th.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ELIZABETH MAILEY

Date Nov. 24, 1937.

Place of Death	Great Northern Railroad tracks 300 ft. west of Glenwood viaduct	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	508 10th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.50 cash; 1st Natl. Bank & Trust Co. Savings Dept. bank book #185313 showing a balance of $104.00.
Age	About 40 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Housekeeper		Other effects listed on Morgue Record (No value)
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Train Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Fracture of skull and broken back		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Richard M. Gill, Spec. Adm.
R Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	1423 Fremont Avenue North

REMARKS:

Deceased was struck by a westbound Great Northern mail and passenger train about 10:10 A.M. Hyman Weinberg, 501 Newton Avenue North, was interviewed in Coroner's office, states he is fireman on the train which struck deceased. Engineer is E. J. Stone, 1073 Dayton Avenue, St. Paul, and the conductor Bjorn.

The train was "whistled down" by an M. & St. L. train with Engineer Thereaux, according to F. C. Spencer, Great Northern train master. When the train stopped police and General Hospital ambulance were called. Officers McLaughlin and Ryan.

Injuries: Profuse bleeding from both ears, especially the right; abnormal mobility of spine especially in the thoracic region; fractures of several ribs on the left side posteriorly; abrasion over bridge of nose and two small ones of forehead, left side.

When found the body was lying alongside the westbound track, head north. A fairly large magnet was hanging under her outer dress, being suspended from the top of her slip by a cord.

Information received from Family Welfare regarding relatives in Fergus Falls, Minn., and San Francisco, California. Unable to locate them.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ERNEST EDMUND BULLIS

Date Nov. 24.

Place of Death	Brooklyn Center Village 66th & Lyndale Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	3812 Park Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.05 cash; check book with blank checks, Produce State Bank; misc. receipts & papers; Hamilton watch; billfold; 6 keys; box aspirin tablets; book matches; certificate of stock 1 share Northern Tire issued to Mollie Bullis, 10-15-37; 1 certificate of stock 26 shares Northern Tire issued to E.A. Bullis 10-15-37; certificate of stock 38 shares Northern Tire issued to E.A.Bullis Feb. 27, 1930. Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Age	51 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Massena, N. Y.		
Occupation	President, Northern Tire Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Auto Accident / ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull.		

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ELIZABETH MAILEY Date Nov. 24, 1937.

Place of Death	Great Northern Railroad tracks 300 ft. west of Glenwood viaduct	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	508 10th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.50 cash; 1st Natl. Bank & Trust Co. Savings Dept. bank book #185313 showing a balance of $104.00.
Age	About 40 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Housekeeper		(No value)
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ / Train Accident / ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull and broken back	

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ERNEST EDMUND BULLIS (Continued)

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a dent in the right side of the hood.

Injuries: Compound fracture of right tibia and fibula at the junction of the upper and middle thirds, with the end of the bone protruding through a laceration 5 in. long. Fracture of left tibia and fibula at the same location; small abrasion overlying fracture. Fracture of pelvis. Large abrasion over left side of lower chest and upper abdomen anteriorly; abrasions of chin, upper lip, nose, lower lid right eye, forehead, right side of scalp just above the right ear. Right side of skull crushed with multiple fractures and free bony crepitation on palpation.

A pint bottle of whiskey about one-quarter empty was found by one of the deputy sheriffs in the dash compartment of deceased's car. In the rear of the car on the floor were some paper cups and a bottle of carbonated beverage.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ERNEST EDMUND BULLIS Date Nov. 24.

Place of Death	Brooklyn Center Village 66th & Lyndale Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	3812 Park Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.05 cash; check book with blank checks, Produce State Bank; misc. receipts & papers; Hamilton watch; billfold; 6 keys; box aspirin tablets; book matches; certificate of stock 1 share Northern Tire issued to Mollie Bullis, 10-15-37; 1 certificate of stock 26 shares Northern Tire issued to E.A. Bullis 10-15-37; certificate of stock 38 shares Northern Tire issued to E.A.Bullis Feb. 27, 1930.
Age	51 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Massena, N. Y.		
Occupation	President, Northern Tire Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ / Auto Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Fracture of skull.	
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	H. L. Alden, 3808 Park Avenue
Undertaker	Lee Mortuary	Address	By order of Mollie Bullis, 3812 Park Ave., wife of deceased.

REMARKS:

Deceased was hit by a car at 5:45 P.M. November 24, 1937, a 1937 Ford Tudor sedan No. 592-205 driven by Edward Allan Berg, age 19, of 309 Third Street S.E., Minneapolis, and Little Falls, Minn. The car was owned by Edward Allen Berg, Little Falls, Minn. Deceased's car was parked on the west side of the road facing south and just south of a Skelly Oil station operated by Henry Olson of 6600 Lyndale Avenue North. He had apparently parked his car and was on his way across the highway toward the filling station when struck.

The body was lying ten feet off the highway and 23 paces north of the filling station and 35 paces north of deceased's car when found, lying with his head east. Jack Olson, age 18, son of filling station proprietor, said he was looking through the window of their home and saw the car of deceased stop about one minute before the accident. He went around to the door to see better after the car stopped and while he was going to the door the accident occurred so he did not see it.

Deputy Sheriffs Archambeau and Loftman were called. Passengers in the Berg car were: James Butcher, age 22, 320 13th Ave. S.E., Minneapolis, also Little Falls
Billie Berg, age 22, Little Falls
Bernadine McGovern of St. Catherine's College.
Helen Maude Jensen, 1126 5th St. S.E., Mpls., and Little Falls.

Berg's car was headed north on the way to Little Falls. Berg thought he was going about 55 miles per hour but says that his dashlight was out and he was not sure as to his speed. He did not see the deceased until he suddenly appeared in his headlights, when it was too late to avoid him.

Examination of the Berg car, which was parked 58 paces north of the location of the body, showed that the right headlight was broken and that there was

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES RIDLEY

Date Nov. 24.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1008 South Sixth Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	70 Sex Male (Colored)		
Birthplace	Vicksberg, Miss.		
Occupation	Caretaker		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Lobar pneumonia		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Neal Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital at 2:43 P.M. November 24th and died at 4:45 P.M. He was admitted by Dr. Nelson and attended by Dr. Gaviser. He was moribund on admission. The ambulance had been sent for him three days before at the request of a visiting nurse, name unknown, but he had refused to go to the hospital. Mrs. John Anderson of the County Morgue states that he was informed by Mrs. Hilma Sayles of 1008 6th Street South, that the deceased had been ill for one week with a "heavy cold". She called the General Hospital ambulance Nov. 22nd but he refused to go.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OLOF GORDON PETERSON

Date Nov. 24.

Place of Death	Asbury Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy.
Place of Accident	Isanti County	Inquest	No
Residence	Isanti County, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	29 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Isanti County, Minn.		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of skull due to blow from a falling post caused by a cave-in of a potato cellar.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Isanti, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	A. E. Berglund	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to the hospital at 3 P.M. Nov. 24, 1937, by Dr. A. R. Johnson of Isanti, and was attended by Dr. Eckhart. He died at 6:45 P.M. Nov. 24, 1937. He was unconscious and bleeding from the nose.

At about noon on November 24, 1937, while working in the potato cellar on his father's farm a cave-in occurred and he was struck by a falling post. Examination showed severe ecchymosis of both eyelids of both eyes, some blood in the nostrils.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LYNNELLE JOAN WOLFE Date Nov. 26.

	Place of Death	In ambulance on way to Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy	
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
	Residence	2723 Harriet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
	Age	2½ months Sex Female			
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.			
	Occupation	Infant			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Broncho-pneumonia following			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~	whooping cough.			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~				
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~				
	Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to		
H	Undertaker	Billman's Funeral Chapel	Address		

REMARKS:

History at Minneapolis General Hospital indicates that the mother of the child, Mrs. Gilbert Wolfe, woke up at 5:30 A.M. today and found her child unresponsive in its crib. She and her husband at once took deceased to Minneapolis General Hospital where she was pronounced dead. The mother said the baby had been coughing like whooping cough, and had a cold.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES W. SCOBEY Date Nov. 26.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No	
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
	Residence	2932 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None except Items on Morgue Record	
	Age	65 Sex Male			
	Birthplace	Ohio			
	Occupation	Showman - Road shows			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Broncho pneumonia			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~				
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~				
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~				
	Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38	
H	Undertaker	Welander Mortuary (South)	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P	

REMARKS:

General Hospital received a call from the above address at 8:45 A.M. today. The ambulance returned at 9:18 A.M. and Dr. R. W. Larsen had time to listen to chest which was full of rales, before death occurred.

Mrs. Anna Jensen, address above, told deputy coroner that deceased had a cold for several days and had been drinking liquor; that this morning he had complained of feeling very ill. A niece, Mrs. F. C. Heneman, lives at 32 South Vermont, Mason City, Iowa.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MACHIAR T. JANUARY Date Nov. 26.

Place of Death	3336 44th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3336 44th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	36 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Nevada, Mo.		
Occupation	Mail clerk		
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural: Coronary thrombosis.		
	~~Accident~~		
	~~Suicide~~		
	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Henry Peterson notified the coroner's office that he was called to the address above at 10:50 A.M. today; that he found deceased sitting in a chair in great pain located in the epigastrium. He had been in the back yard chopping a tree, when taken with pain. Dr. Peterson tried to help him, got him to bed, then another terribly severe left chest pain came and deceased straightened out, dead. There is a history of occasional epigastric pain for the past five years. Deceased had been using Pfunder's pills and had been told he had gastric ulcers. He had also had occasional chest pain and pain in the left arm.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at undertaker's.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES EDWARD DORN Date Nov. 26.

Place of Death	28th Street near Nicollet Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	2817 Blaisdell Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$4.25 cash; purse; knife; 10 keys; pencil; small box of chewing tobacco; matches; papers
Age	76 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Retired farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~		
	Auto Accident: Crushing injuries of chest.		
	~~Suicide~~		
	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Valley Cemetery, Shakopee, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Lillian M. Dorn, Daughter
H Undertaker	National Funeral Home	Address	2817 Blaisdell Avenue

REMARKS:

Accident occurred about 6 P.M. today. Deceased was walking north across 28th Street on the west crosswalk against the signal, when he was hit by a car driven by Mrs. Peter Jepsen, 2841 Blackstone Avenue, St. Louis Park. Mrs. Jepsen told deputy coroner that she was driving very slowly west on 28th Street when she saw deceased in about the center of 28th Street. He stopped, hunched up; she stopped her car, then started again; she felt a sensation of a bump and wondered if she had run over someone; she drove up to the north side of the curb and got out of her car.

Donald Ryan, 3020 West 28th Street, had crossed Nicollet Avenue just ahead of Mrs. Jepsen and had stopped at the curb, and was getting out from the left side of his car when he saw deceased on the street. He lay about ten paces west from Nicollet Avenue, just north of the center of 28th Street. Apparently Mrs. Jepsen's car had hit deceased and had run over his chest and dragged him west about thirty feet.

Other witnesses are: C. L. Schroeder, 2715 5th Ave. So.; C. B. Gnadinger, 4941 Upton Avenue South, Lillian Dorn, daughter, identified deceased. She told deputy coroner that her father had gone for icecream about 45 min. before she started to look for him. Officers Kinley and Matthews were present. Deceased was moved to the curb by fire department Captain Tersch No. 6.

Injuries: bruising back of right hand, extensor surfaces left fingers, left parietal and left temple, left frontal region over right eyebrow, left side and tip of nose, right side below chin, and in front of and below right ear. Fractures of several ribs both sides.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: GEORGE L. VAN AUKEN

Date: Found Nov. 27.

Place of Death	3216 Hennepin Avenue, 2nd flr.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3216 Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	42 Sex Male		
Birthplace	LaCrosse, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Insurance manager - Calhoun Realty		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	LaCrosse, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Gill Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead lying on the bedroom floor by his wife upon her return from LaCrosse at 11 A.M. today. He and L. D. Leach, 3449 Hennepin Avenue had returned the evening of Thanksgiving day from LaCrosse. Deceased worked all day yesterday, but had not been seen by anyone since. He was dressed except a coat. The bed had not been made up. He was in rigor, lying on his back alongside the bed.

Now and then he had complained of epigastric pain and shortness of breath. He was very heavy.

Officer O. M. Anderson was present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: ANDREW OLSZEWASKI

Date: Nov. 27.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Plymouth Township Union City Mission Farm	Effects Taken in Charge	$.29 cash; knife.
Age	68 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Transient		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Acute alcoholic poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-37
Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-37 P

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

According to Mr. Lidstrom, superintendent of the farm, the deceased came into town Nov. 26, 1937, and obtained some moonshine and returned. He saw him walking along the highway on his return to the farm. On November 27th he developed cramps around noon. Mr. Gordon McCrea, an employee, took him to the Minneapolis General Hospital where he was admitted at 1:39 P.M. and died at 1:50 P.M. He was attended by Dr. McCain.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME STEVE DOWLING

Date Nov. 27.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy at Gen. Hosp.
Place of Accident	714 26th Ave. N.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	Hennepin County Home	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	79 Sex Maine		
Birthplace	Maine		
Occupation	Teamster		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of skull due to fall on stairs.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Bertch Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 11 A.M. Nov. 27th, 1937. Deceased was visiting at his sister Marie Burbank, 714 26th Ave. N.E., when he fell down a stairway and was rendered unconscious. He was brought to General Hospital by ambulance, admitted at 1 P.M. and died at 2:55 P.M. Attended by Dr. Jenson. Private autopsy held at General Hospital.

Deceased was an inmate of the Hennepin County Home at Hopkins.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THEODORE WHITE

Date Nov. 28.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	326 Fifth St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	23 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Common laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Diabetes Mellitus		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Rainville Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has had diabetes and doctored at Minneapolis General Hospital. He had not been there for eight weeks. He was brought to General Hospital in a cab, admitted at 3:45 A.M. and died in "receiving" at 4:05 A.M. John LaHand was in the cab.

The wife was interviewed.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: FRANK EDERER

Date: Nov. 28.

Place of Death	2752 Bryant Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2752 Bryant Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$7.62 cash; 4 streetcar tokens; 12¢ postage stamps; purse; billfold; knife; 3 keys; key ring; identification card; driver's license card 3 A66739; Social Security Act card Acct. #476-07-6735; 2 receipts; papers; cards.
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Timekeeper - Buzza Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Bird Island, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Edward S. Bauman, Bird Island
R Undertaker	T. Connolly	Address	By order of Mrs. Ed Bauman, Daughter.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.
(No value)
Clothes Destroyed 12-1-38
By John Anderson, Morgue Supt.

REMARKS:

Mr. T. C. Thorson, a fellow-roomer at the same address, said he met the deceased at 2 P.M. Nov. 28th when he returned from lunch. He complained of severe pain in his heart. Thorson gave him some soda and said he seemed to feel better. Deceased went to the bathroom. At 2:30 a thud was heard and Thorson went upstairs and found deceased lying on the floor dead. He was clad in his underwear. The landlady is a Mrs. D. F. Chamberlain.

Officers Jones and Barnes present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: EUGENE FORD ALLEN

Date: Nov. 28.

Place of Death	Northwestern Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	3251 40th Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	3251 40th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	65 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Galesburg, Mich.		
Occupation	Mechanic - Street Railway Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~	Accident - Fracture of skull due to fall downstairs.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Welander - (South side)	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found at the bottom of his basement stairs at about noon November 25th. Dr. McInerney was called and referred him to the Northwestern Hospital under the care of Dr. Zierold. He was admitted at 2 P.M. November 25th and died at 3:15 P.M. Nov. 28th.

Examination showed a bruise over the right occipito-parietal region; ecchymosis right orbit; three small abrasions of right elbow.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LEWIS H. HYDEN Date Nov. 29.

	Place of Death	512 Baker Arcade	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	4203 20th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	59 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Menomonie, Wis.		
	Occupation	Barber		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accidental~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Menomonie, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
C	Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased with his son Lewis Jr. had entered the offices of National Credit Finance Co. at 512 Baker Arcade Bldg., and was standing at the counter transacting business with Robert S. Turma when he suddenly collapsed and sagged to the floor. Death was immediate. Minneapolis General Hospital doctors arrived.

Deceased has been ailing for some time. He has been to Rochester and to other doctors. Mr. Turma says that deceased placed his hand over his heart and seemed to be in great pain as he fell over. Body taken direct to undertaker. The son was present and took charge of the body and effects.

Officers H. Todd and Walton.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SWAN OSCAR LOFGREN Date Nov. 29.

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	#18 Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	54 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Sweden		
	Occupation	Foundry worker		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Cerebral hemorrhage (spontaneous)		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accidental~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Grand View Cemetery, Hopkins.	Effects delivered to	
C	Undertaker	Strobeck Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased stayed at a Salvation Army Home, #18 Hennepin Avenue. At 2 A.M. Nov. 29th he dropped to the floor on second floor at this place and was semi-conscious. He smelled strongly of alcohol according to officers Mehner and Kevlan. Dr. Silvers of General Hospital ambulance arrived and pronounced him drunk. Police then placed him in jail at 2:30 A.M. He was taken to General Hospital by ambulance from jail at 4:57 A.M. Attended by Drs. Whitesell and Blumstein. Died at 11:27 A.M.

After death Dr. Schmitz of General Hospital reported to Dr. Seashore, Coroner, that he was unable to determine the cause of death and requested a coroner's investigation, also that they were having trouble in contacting relatives.

Deceased was a hard drinker, and had been arrested twelve times for drunk.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARIE SKULLERUD

Date Nov. 29.

	Place of Death	2716 14th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	2716 14th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	86 Sex Female		
	Birthplace	Norway		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H	Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deputy coroner was notified at 12:30 A.M. Nov. 30 by a son-in-law W. O. Camnel, 5537 Stevens Avenue South, that deceased had died at about 10:30 P. M. Nov. 29th, 1937. She lived with her son Arthur C. Skullerud, who stated that deceased for two weeks had been in bed and for the past twenty years had been an invalid. No doctor saw her recently. A daughter, Mrs. Alfred Spohn of Chicago was with deceased when she died.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at Enger's Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME KATHERINE WALTON

Date Nov. 29.

	Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Hobbs
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	639 East 17th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	34 Sex Female		
	Birthplace	North Dakota		
	Occupation	Registered nurse		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	B. Welchii septicemia following		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~	self-induced abortion.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H	Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the hospital at 10:25 p.m. today to the care of Dr. Henry Peterson. She died at 11 p.m. today. Dr. Peterson was called to 4225 East 50th Street tonight before 10 p.m. At once he sent deceased to hospital. He had been called by a druggist Arnold Blaustone.

Mrs. Amanda Hanson, 4225 E. 50th Street, told deputy coroner that deceased came to her home yesterday and stayed over night and complained of feeling badly, that she had taken a lot of gold medal pills, cottonwood bark and quinine during the past two weeks, that yesterday she had introduced a catheter, and that she had missed one period. She had taken at least three ounces of extract of cottonwood bark, perhaps more. Dr. Peterson was given practically the same information by the husband Harry Walton. Deceased had a temperature of 102, a rapid pulse and was much jaundiced when Dr. Peterson saw her.

The husband did not know that deceased had tried to abort herself. He stated that years ago she tried to abort.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARY KNIGHT Date Nov. 30.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private at Gen. Hosp. (Dr. Jenson)
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2526 Lyndale Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	34 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Omaha, Nebr.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / ~~Accident~~ / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~	Peritonitis following acute septic endometritis due to a self-induced abortion.		
Place of Burial	Omaha, Nebraska	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Lee Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was referred to General Hospital by Dr. Lawrence. Brought in by ambulance, admitted at 8:55 P.M. Nov. 18th. Died at 12:45 A.M. Nov. 30th. She was attended by Dr. H. P. Nelson, Dr. Jensen and Dr. Semansky. She was conscious on admittance and made the statement to hospital doctors that she had her last menstruation September 5-6, none in October. On Nov. 4th she secured a catheter at a drug store and inserted it into the uterus. It remained two days, and on November 8th she passed a tissue and bled. On November 13th she had chills, pains, and on November 17th passed pus from the vagina. She became very sick and General Hospital ambulance was called.

Kenneth Knight gave General Hospital permission to hold a post. Deputy Coroner Dr. Callerstrom was present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME INGEBREGT FOSSUM Date Dec. 1.

Place of Death	G. N. Railroad tracks at west end of Third Ave. Bridge	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Thor, Minnesota	Effects Taken in Charge	$4.38 cash.
Age	56 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Carpenter		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / ~~Accident~~ / Suicide / ~~Homicide~~	Crushing injuries to head following leap from Third Ave. Bridge.		
Place of Burial	Aitkin, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Clarence Fossum, Son
Undertaker	R. L. Hartman	Address	Route #4 Aitkin, Minn.

Money effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Deceased was seen to throw himself from the Third Avenue Bridge about 9:20 A.M. today. Witnesses: Ole Olson, 1000 24th Ave. N.E.

Julian Meaka, 2503 Central Ave.

H. A. Penney, Switchman, Excelsior.

Officers J. L. James and Frank Bugg were present, and Leo Barker, Great Northern Railroad special agent.

Injuries: crushed face and head, broken neck, multiple bruises of face and hands. Deceased was fully dressed. Identified by Irving and Norman Hagen, 3612 Clinton Avenue.

He was seen on November 29th, 1937, by Dr. Skoglund at the out-patient department of University Hospital. Diagnosed as a neurotic. Lived near Aitkin, Minn.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LeRoy W. Gray Date Dec. 2.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident	320 Cedar Avenue	Inquest	No
Residence	2211 Butler Place	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	54 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Long Prairie, Minn.		
Occupation	Common Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Probably Accident ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~	Fracture of skull and bruising of brain due to blows received in a scuffle.	
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Welander Mortuary (South side)	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted to the hospital at 9:04 P.M. on December 2nd by Dr. Egil Hanson. He died at 11:08 P.M. Attended by Dr. Johnsrud.

His wife and son Clayton say that during a dispute deceased fell, striking his head on the sidewalk. Opinions vary as to what occurred, whether deceased fell or was knocked down. Deceased's nephew Leroy Gray, who lives with his uncle, was a witness; also Sadie Evans, 705 Cedar Avenue. (See statements of all three people taken by the police department which are on file.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SHIRLEY FAULK Date Dec. 3.

Place of Death	2321 Fourth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2321 Fourth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	3 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural Bronchopneumonia ~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Neal Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was born at 3523 Fourth Avenue South, Minneapolis, in August three years ago. The father, John Faulk, colored, the mother Mee Helen Palmberg white, married eleven years. One other child (10), Monterey, a girl, is also sick and the parents were instructed to seek medical attention for her at once. They said they would call Dr. Bockman.

Deceased has been sick since November 29th. She has coughed a great deal and "burning up" with a fever. Yesterday and during the night she has been delirious. She has not been attended by any doctor. The mother said she did not call General Hospital because she was afraid deceased would be taken to the hospital. When the father left home this morning at 6 A.M. he gave deceased a drink of water. At 8 A.M. when death occurred the mother called the fire department who came and applied the pulmotor. Neighbors called General Hospital ambulance doctor. He arrived after the fire department had been there.

Officer M. C. Smith present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: ERICK NORDSTROM

Date: Dec. 3.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Farm yard Cambridge, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	Cambridge, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	61 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Traumatic cerebral hemorrhage		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~ due to fall from hayrack.		
Place of Burial	Cambridge, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	A. E. Berglund	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased fell from a load of hay in his farmyard about 9 A.M. Nov. 26th. He was brought to Swedish Hospital by ambulance and admitted at 12:30 P.M. Nov. 26th, under the care of Dr. March of Cambridge. He was paralyzed on the right side of his body.

A bruise was present on the forehead. He died at 1:30 P.M. Dec. third, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: LUE EDWARD SASSE

Date: Found Dec. 4.

Place of Death	1614 E. Franklin Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1614 E. Franklin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$17.53 cash; chips and 1 English coin; 2 letters; 1 ring; papers; 4 keys; billfold.
Age	64 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Henry, S. Dak.		
Occupation	Druggist		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis with diabetes mellitus		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Lake Preston, S. Dak.	Effects delivered to	Geraldine Sasse, Daughter
H Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	3440 Girard Avenue South

(Other effects listed in Morgue Record (No value)

REMARKS:

Found dead at 11:45 A.M. today by Lewis Newhouse, 2307 Third Avenue South, and Ralph Thomas, 2017 16th Avenue South. These men had been looking for deceased between seven and eight A.M. and had seen him through a window as he seemed to be sleeping in bed. Later they returned and called officers Hammerat and O'Brien who broke the window to gain entrance.

Deceased was last seen alive at 4 P.M. yesterday by Newhouse and Thomas. Deceased was known to have had diabetes a long time and to have been to General Hospital. A daughter lives at 3440 Girard Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PAUL WUKATICH Date Dec. 4.

Place of Death	10½ Glenwood Ave. N.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	983 Gorman Ave. W., St. Paul	Effects Taken in Charge	$5.00 cash; billfold; key; tie clasp.
Age	51 Sex Male		Other effects listed in Morgue Record
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minn.		
Occupation	Brush maker		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Syphilitic aortitis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Calvary Cemetery, St. Paul	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Anna Kastner, Sister
R Undertaker	Devlin & Tosney	Address	983 Gorman Avenue St. Paul, Minn.

REMARKS:

June Lang, who stated that she is a maid in the above address which is a rooming house, said the deceased came there a little before 7 P.M. and wanted a room. She said she took him to a room on the third floor and started down the stairs when she heard a thud. When she went back she found him lying on the floor. Dr. Goldblum, 300 Masonic Temple, was called and pronounced him dead on arrival at 7:15 P.M.

The police and General Hospital ambulance arrived. Time of death about 7 P.M. Officers Jacobson and Nutter.

The body was lying on the floor beside the bed. Trousers were half down and his shirt was unbuttoned except for the top one.

The owner of the establishment was said by June Lang to be a Peggy Cordelia now visiting in Florida.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRED DISCHER Date Dec. 4.

Place of Death	3336 30th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3336 30th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	78 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Retired boilermaker, C.M.& St.P.R.R.		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	McDivitt Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 2:10 A.M. today. Dr. C. J. Lind had attended deceased until a few months ago. There is a history of hypertension and coronary disease.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: OSCAR OLSON

Date Found: Dec. 5.

Place of Death	244 Plymouth Avenue North	Autopsy	Dr. Seashore.
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Unknown	Effects Taken in Charge	None except listed on Morgue Record (No value)
Age	45 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Unknown		
Occupation	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Homicide	Multiple bruises and lacerations with hemorrhage.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Clothes Destroyed 12-1-38
S Undertaker	Amor, Fred Johnson & Co.	Address	By John Anderson Morgue Supt.

REMARKS:

Deceased had been seen lying at the end of the hall at 6 A.M. by Art Golden, 242 Plymouth Ave. N., Apt. 2. He thought deceased was intoxicated so he did not examine him. Golden came back at 11:45 A.M. and found deceased in the same place. He then notified police. Officer A. L. Williams was first to arrive and Detective George Montgomery arrived at 12 noon, shortly after coroner and John Anderson arrived. Ray Harrington was then notified, arrived and took photographs of deceased before he had been moved or touched.

Alfred Peterson, 244 Plymouth Avenue North, room No. 6, said deceased had been staying with him for a few days; that there had been a party in his room the evening of December fourth; that there had been an argument and a fight. Peterson was intoxicated and unable to give a coherent story of the happenings. He said Eva Coty, 242 Plymouth Avenue North and Albert Donicht, 250 Plymouth, had been present at the party. There was blood on the floor in Peterson's room, also some blood on the floor in the hall. Marks on the floor in the hall were visible and indicated that the body had been dragged to the place where it was found.

Deceased is said to have served time in Stillwater as well as in the work house.

Deceased was lying on his stomach and on his face on the floor at the end of the hall. His hair was matted with blood, there was blood on both hands and blood in the left ear. The body was cold and rigid and had been dead for several hours.

Alfred Peterson acquitted. Eva Cody and Alfred Donecht indicted (1938)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: EUNICE L. BERGSTROM

Date: Dec. 5.

Place of Death	2937 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	On Nicollet Ave. No. from Lake St.	Inquest	No
Residence	3736 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.55 cash; coin; arm purse; card case; 3 keys; wrist watch (Elaine with broken crystal) and band; ring (setting missing); fountain pen; 2 pencils; comb; mirror; eraser; Community Fund pin; handkerchief; cigar; compact; powder puff; powder box; lipstick; letter; memo book; pictures; cards.
Age	17 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Holmes City, Minn.		
Occupation	Student		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Auto Accident	Compound fracture of skull.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			Other effects listed on Morgue Record: Clo. del'd to Lloyd Bergstrom, Brother, 3736 1st Ave. So.
Place of Burial	Oakland Cemetery, St. Paul	Effects delivered to	Ardys Bergstrom, sister
H Undertaker	Welander (South Side)	Address	3736 First Avenue South.

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 7:30 P.M. on Nicollet Avenue just north from the north crosswalk. Deceased was carried into a restaurant at 2937 Nicollet Avenue by James Roers, 3140 16th Avenue South, and another man, where she died. Deceased and Victoria Holm, 3055 22nd Avenue South, were crossing west on Lake Street when they were hit by a car driven north on Nicollet by John A. Ryan, 19 West 38th Street.

Injuries: extensive 3-inch irregular laceration in left occipital region with occipital and left parietal bones fragmented, and bleeding from the left ear; abrasions of both knees anteriorly.

Witnesses: Fred Muehling, 35th & Nicollet
L. J. Killin, 2639 Stevens Avenue
A. W. Kirberger, 3139 Findley Place
E. C. Faulkner, 1726 Nicollet Ave.
Wm. B. Beer, 2915 Stevens Avenue.

Ryan, driver of the Oldsmobile sedan which struck deceased, told officers that he did not see the girls until they were in front of his car; that they came out into Nicollet Avenue from between two parked cars.

John Ryan acquitted. (1938)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME AARON CARLISLE MC ELLWAIN Date Dec. 6.

Place of Death	282 Sexton Bldg.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2222 Nicollet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.00 cash; Social Security act card Acct. #473-09-8276; membership cards; cards; papers; billfold; knife; 7 keys; watch (Elgin); chain and knife; fountain pen; pencil; letter; Individual resident fishing license # 49231 for 1937; ident. card.
Age	54 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Franklin, Kentucky		
Occupation	Pres. Stebis Co. (chemical)		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Franklin, Kentucky	Effects delivered to	W. C. Bissonnette, 200 W. Diamond Lake Road, Mpls., by order of Mrs. A. C. McElwain, wife of deceased.
H Undertaker	Flynn-Wagner Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found shortly before 11 A.M. today by his nephew Alexander Stephens, 5336 Dupont Avenue South. He was partly across the desk where he had fallen. At 10:15 A.M. today F. A. Keller, 246 Sexton Building, talked with deceased.

Dr. Youbert Johnson has been attending him now and then and told deputy coroner that he had hypotension but that there was tiring on exertion and that a routine examination revealed a specific aortitis. Dr. Johnson expressed the opinion that death was probably caused by coronary disease.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES WILLIAM NORRINGTON Date Dec. 6.

Place of Death	46 East Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	46 East Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$11.84 cash; 10 keys; name tag #139450; 4 war medals; Book of membership & Constitution of Hotel & Restaurant Emp. League local 665; declaration of intention paper; St. Matthews Church, Winipeg welcome; will signed 17th day of Sept., 1923, not witnessed; extract copy of a London court record of an old will; purchaser's ass't of agreement for sale of land; agreement for sale of land; certified copy of entry in Register of Birth, 4789, Somerset House, London; copy of certificate of service in Royal Navy; Seamen's cert. of discharge #168/
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	London, England		
Occupation	Dishwasher - hotel		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Other effects listed on Morgue Record. Kenneth D. Simpson, Spec. Adm.
C Undertaker	K. D. Simpson	Address	938 17th Ave. S.E.

REMARKS:

Deceased has roomed here alone four years. P. H. Guise and Charles Guise next door roomers, say they saw deceased this morning. Deceased was then out to 'phone Hotel Nicollet that he was too sick to go to work.

Deceased had a very severe cough and difficulty in breathing; would sit in a chair and gasp for air as though in asthma, and has been failing for some time. He was found dead on his cot at 6:30 P.M. by the Guise brothers. Deceased was clothed in shoes, rubbers, trousers. There is no evidence of violence. There are no known relatives in Minneapolis.

Officers Hoitomt and Strand.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DAVID C. DAHLIN Date Dec. 6.

Place of Death	Enroute to Mpls. Gen. Hosp. from 11th Ave. So. & 28th St.	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3228 Chicago Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.01 cash; purse; billfold; 3 keys; watch (Illinois); chain; 2 notebooks; driver's license card M26439; cards; papers.
Age	72 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Contractor, cement work		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Clifford A. Dahlin, Son
Undertaker	Barney Anderson & Son	Address	4613 Lyndale Avenue South

REMARKS:

According to police, the deceased had gotten out of a car belonging to a Mr. H. C. Halvorson of 2822 11th Avenue South, in which he had been a passenger. Mr. Halvorson drove away. A few minutes later, at 5:07 P.M. Dec. 6th, the deceased was found lying on about the spot where he got out of the car. The General Hospital ambulance was called and took the deceased to the General Hospital where he was dead on arrival at 5:22 P.M.

He was found fifteen feet west of the west crosswalk of 11th Ave. South on 28th Street. Officers Tripp and Solem investigated for police department.

Dr. Richard Neary was on the ambulance.

According to Clifford Dahlin of 4613 Lyndale Avenue South, a son, the deceased left home with Halvorson at about 2:00 P.M.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HILMA ODDEN Date Dec. 7.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Webber Pkwy & Emerson No.	Inquest	No
Residence	4347 Webber Pkwy North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	46 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Adams, N. Dak.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Automobile		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander -Quist Co.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased with her husband had just stepped off a bus at Webber Parkway and Emerson Ave. North at 11:30 P.M. when deceased was struck by an automobile going south on Webber Parkway toward Minneapolis, owned and driven by Vernon Darr, 4611 North Bryant. Deceased was carried on the fender of the car about thirty feet. She was placed in Mr. Darr's car and taken to 42nd & Webber Parkway where she was transferred to Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and taken to General Hospital.

She was admitted to the hospital at 11:50 P.M. Dec. 4th unconscious, and died at 5:07 A.M. December 7th. She was attended by Dr. Whitesell. On Dec. 5 Dr. O. J. Campbell performed an emergency decompression operation.

Witnesses: Rosella Welter, 3700 Dupont Avenue North
Mrs. H. Nyberg, 5100 Russell N.
Mrs. R. Sauagl, 4806 Humboldt Avenue North

The bus driver stopped and gave assistance.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DANIEL SHAW

Date December 7.

Place of Death	Golden Valley Village near Wayzata Blvd.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	221½ Fourth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$8.05 cash; check of $4.81; 4 streetcar tokens; billfold; key; watch (Westclox Pocket Ben); spectacles & case; razor; picture; social Security Act Acct. 475-07-0299 card; ident card; letter; certificate of vaccination; Irish Free State Sweepstake ticket BH 54084; WPA form 402 notice to report for work ident # 2788-50306;case #32883; receipts; cards; papers.
Age	62 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Bryant, Texas (Colored)		
Occupation	W.P.A. Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		other effects listed in Morgue Record
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	~~Accident~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x		
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota	Effects delivered to	Sold at auction 12-14-38
Undertaker	John A. Anderson	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 4:30 P.M. today just as deceased was about to leave for home from Belt Line Highway near Wayzata Blvd. Deceased had earlier told his boss that he felt bad, was short of breath and had told other workmen that his heart was bad. The foreman is Louis Pearson, 2608 Pleasant Avenue. Deceased has been employed at Belt Line WPA project since November 15th, 1937. Witnesses: I. E. Seeker, 1809 Clinton Ave., W. A. Dahl, 5644 Wentworth Avenue; Charles Anderson, 2507½ 12th Avenue South.

A brother Melvin is said to live in San Diego, California, address unknown.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GUS BERG

Date Dec. 7.

Place of Death	St. Barnabas Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	15th Ave. S.E. & 4th Street	Inquest	No
Residence	714 Van Buren St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	50 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Motorman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Fracture of left humerus due to fall from top of streetcar, and chronic alcoholism.		to
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Washburn-McReavy Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to St. Barnabas Hospital December sixth, 1937, at 6:50 P.M. and died at 11:30 P.M. December 7, 1937. He was attended by Dr. Fitzgerald, address Donaldson Building, who said that he was called to attend the deceased at 5:00 A.M. December sixth at the East Side streetcar station. Dr. Fitzgerald said the deceased told him that he had fallen off the top of the streetcar while he was working on a trolley at 15th Avenue and Fourth Street S.E., at about 4:30 to 4:45 A.M. Dr. Fitzgerald said he thought the deceased had been drinking. Deceased refused to go to the hospital, but reported at Dr. Fitzgerald's office at 11:00 A.M. and said he would go to the hospital later in the day.

He walked into the nurses' home of St. Barnabas Hospital, from which he was taken into the hospital. He was irrational on admission.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK A. ULBERTH Date Dec. 8.

Place of Death	611 E. 18th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	611 E. 18th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$5.26 cash, less .75, balance $4.51; purse; knife; 25 keys; fountain pen; pencil; tape measure; revolver, Deutsche Werke Germany, 113072; holster; clip; 6 cartridges; 3 Catholic emblems; Nelson Bros. battery check #654; trinket; receipts; cards; papers. (Will filed with Probate Court)
Age	56 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Salesman - White Investment Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Emily Rooney, Spec. Adm. 411 Herschel Ave., St. Paul
Undertaker	John M. Gleason	Address	Albert G. Evans 326 Plymouth Building

Other effects listed in Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 9:50 A.M. Mrs. Geo. C. Wellman, landlady, told deputy coroner that deceased had tried to start his car, then had come in to rest, complaining that he was ill and short of breath. Definite history given deputy coroner by Robert White of the White Investment Company that deceased at times was ill. Dr. Selmer Johnson was called but saw deceased after death. Regular physician was Dr. Austis, 436 Lowry Bldg., St. Paul.

A nephew William Jones, a farmer, lives outside of Rochester, Minn. Miss Emily Rooney, 411 Herschel Ave., St. Paul, is a friend to deceased.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PHILIP SULARZ Date Dec. 8.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	17th & Washington North	Inquest	No
Residence	2700 Second Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	57 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Poland		
Occupation	Common laborer - Sanitary Cleaners		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Auto Accident	Compound fracture of left leg with gas gangrene (Welch)		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Kozlak Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Accident occurred at 1:45 A.M. Dec. 5, 1937. Deceased was on the street at 17th & Washington Avenues North when he was struck by a Liberty taxicab going south on Washington Avenue owned by C. W. Ebersviller, 2300 Aldrich South, driven by Harold Sherman, 1315 Clinton Avenue.

Deceased was taken to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance. Attended by Dr. Whitesell. Died at 5:45 A.M. December eighth.

Autopsy held at Hennepin County Morgue.

Police have norecord of witnesses to accident.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ANNA ANDERSON Date Dec. 8.

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	2212 Thomas Avenue North	Inquest	No
Residence	2212 Thomas Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	69 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Accident ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~ Fracture of skull, bruising of brain and hemorrhage, due to fall on steps		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had been alone at home. At 11:30 A.M. December eighth Mr. B. Slater and his daughter Mary living next door, saw deceased lying at the base of the rear steps on an alley pavement. There are four or five steps, and deceased had evidently fallen down the steps from the kitchen door. She was brought by General Hospital ambulance to the Swedish Hospital and attended by Dr. Lindberg and Dr. Julius Johnson. She died at 4 P.M.

Autopsy held at Quist Undertaking on December 9th.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OSCAR D. JOHNSON Date Dec. 8.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3131 Excelsior Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.35 cash; 2 foreign coins; billfold; pencil; comb; Minn. Leader subscription book; letter; receipt; papers; cards; Dept. of Public Welfare ass't & ident. card No. HMB 12736.
Age	48 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Prob. Accident ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~ Fracture of skull with extradural hemorrhage, probably due to a fall.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Rosa H. Koch, Spec. Adm.
Undertaker	Barney Anderson	Address	3620 Tenth Avenue South.

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance No. 1 at 9:53 A.M. December eighth from Chicago Avenue & Lake Street. Dr. Silver was on the ambulance. He was admitted by Dr. H. F. Nelson and attended by Dr. Johnsrud. He died at 7:45 P.M. Dec. 8th, 1937.

Police report that he fell off the curb into the street in front of 739 East Lake Street. Witnesses were given as Fred Burnsted of 3159 31st Avenue South and Frank Kirkhove of 737 E. Lake Street.

Some friends of the deceased say that he was involved in a labor dispute on December sixth at Farmer-Labor Headquarters at 4261 Chicago Avenue, where he has been a sort of caretaker. These friends are Rose Koch, 3620 10th Ave. So.; Joseph Mahon, 3621 Clinton Avenue; and E. J. Walters, 3820 11th Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GERTRUDE MARIE COVELL Date Dec. 9.

Place of Death	1838 York Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1838 York Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	62 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ xx			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ xx			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Ruth Covell, daughter, same address, says that her mother complained of feeling queer this morning before Ruth left for work about 7:30 A.M. and had been slightly dyspnoeic of late. Ruth called on the telephone about 10:30 A.M. and received no answer, so she came home and found her mother dead at 11 A.M. The body was on the bedroom floor.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK GUSTAFSON Date Dec. 10.

Place of Death	2815 36th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2815 36th Avenue South.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	73 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Apoplexy		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ xx			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ xx			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Albinson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. Lynch notified Dr. Hobbs early today that he was called to the address above but did not see deceased alive. Formerly attended family but not deceased for a long time. Deceased had been paralyzed previously and was known to have had high blood pressure.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: BABY BOY GOYER — Date Found: Dec. 10.

Place of Death	Found 4601 Stevens Avenue
Place of Accident	
Residence	4601 Stevens Avenue
Age	Newborn Sex Male
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.
Occupation	--
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ xx	
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	Probably strangulation.
Place of Burial	University of Minnesota
Undertaker	J. Anderson

Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Inquest	No
Effects Taken in Charge	Other effects listed on Morgue Record (No Value) Destroyed for Sanitary Reason
Effects delivered to	Clothes Destroyed 12-1-38
Address	by John Anderson, Morgue Supt.

REMARKS:

About 11 A.M. today Dr. H. Fowler called the coroner to report the finding of a full-term infant in a suitcase at the home of A. C. Ogden, 4601 Stevens Avenue. A maid Helen E. Goyer, was dismissed yesterday because of inefficiency. She left in the afternoon saying that she would return the next day for her things. This morning Mrs. Ogden packed the clothing of the girl and noticed a bad odor in the closet. Upon opening the suitcase she found deceased.

Officers Averbeck and Harry Johnson met deputy coroner at noon at the Ogden home. The officers finally located the mother of the child. Policewoman Bystrom elicited the fact that about 4 P.M. October tenth in the home of her sister this girl gave birth to the child, put it in a suitcase after wrapping it in her dress. That evening she went to the home of the Ogdens, taking the suitcase with her. About 10 P.M. she looked at the child, saw it was very blue and not moving. She tied a handkerchief about the neck and closed the suitcase. (See police report).

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: WILLIAM FRANCIS RICHARDS — Date Found: December 11.

Place of Death	756 Van Buren St. N.E.
Place of Accident	
Residence	756 Van Buren St. N.E.
Age	67 Sex Male
Birthplace	Michigan
Occupation	Teamster and farmer
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x	
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x	
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~ x	
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery
Undertaker	Rainville, Mortuary

Autopsy	No
Inquest	No
Effects Taken in Charge	$2.84 cash; check of $18.00; purse; knife; 4 keys; spectacles & case; St. Anthony Falls Office of 1st Natl. Bk. & Trust Savings bank book #47343 showing balance of $100.90; Third N.W. Natl. Bk. savings book #6985 showing no balance; 1937 Auto registration card; driver's license card M01420; Kittson County Enterprise printing bill for $14.00; Dr. Wm. Bessesen doctor bill of $16.00; receipts; papers.
Effects delivered to	Noble A. Rainville, Sr., Spec. Adm.
Address	216 E. Hennepin Avenue

REMARKS:

Deceased had a room upstairs where he stayed. He was seen by Mrs. W. Archambault, same address, to come in last night at 5:30 P.M. Mrs. Archambault's mother across the street saw a light from his window on all night. Deceased was found at 11 A.M. December 11th by Mrs. Archambault. Deceased was lying on the bed with his feet on the floor, cap on his head and rubbers on his shoes. The stove door was open but there was no fire. He was evidently going to light a fire when he was seized with an attack.

A sister is Mrs. Fred Durand, Amery, Wisconsin, R.F.D. #1.

Officers Bissonette and Brown.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PAUL A. SCHMINDER

Date Dec. 11.

Place of Death	St. Mary's Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy by Drs. R.W.Koucky and Hynes
Place of Accident	Russell Miller Milling Co.	Inquest	No
Residence	416 19th Ave. S.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	62 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural ~~x~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of skull, hemorrhage and bruising of brain, and fracture of 4th, 5th, 6th, & 7th cervical vertebrae due to fall probably from ladder.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
S Undertaker	Rainville Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted 12:20 P.M. from Russell Miller Milling Company, and died at 1:40 P.M. He was treated by Dr. John E. Hynes. Dr. Hynes stated to coroner that deceased had fallen at Russell Miller Milling Company from a ladder or from the top of a conveyor spout, and that he had struck his head on the cement floor sustaining a laceration of the scalp.

Autopsy, according to Dr. Hynes, showed a fracture of the skull with hemorrhage and bruising of the brain, also fractures of the 4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th cervical vertebrae.

A. M. Endres, assistant superintendent, stated to coroner that deceased was found on the floor unconscious by Leonard Smith, electrician. Deceased had been seen working on the floor shortly before. Endres stated deceased had fallen probably from an eight-foot ladder.

Body viewed by coroner at Rainville's. Bruise and ragged laceration 3½ in. long above and back of right ear. Hemorrhage underneath scalp and into right temporal muscle. Bruise on top and back of right shoulder and back of right hand. Bruise on outside of right arm just below shoulder.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE E. MARTIN

Date Dec. 12.

Place of Death	Dayton Township	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Dayton Township	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	53 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Osseo, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Nelson Mortuary, Osseo.	Address	

REMARKS:

Late this afternoon deceased began his chores, came into the house to rest, complaining of severe substernal pain. He went out again and when he didn't come in his daughter Margaret went out to the barn and found deceased lying dead on his face in a vacant stall. No doctor was called.

He had now and then for a long time complained of shortness of breath and pain in his chest.

Mr. Nelson, undertaker from Osseo, was there.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PETER GRANN Date Dec. 12.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident	7th Ave. S. & 4th St	Inquest	No
Residence	Minneapolis, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	49 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Laborer		(No value)
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Auto Accident	Sub-dural hemorrhage		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	County Farm, Hopkins	Effects delivered to	Marie Trangsrud, sister By Hans Trangsrud
H Undertaker	J. A. Anderson	Address	Webster, N. Dak.

REMARKS:

Admitted 1:29 A.M. today by Dr. Johnsrud. Died at 12:15 P.M. today. He was unconscious on admission, dirty, and there was an odor of liquor. He was attended by Dr. Wadt and Freedman. Head injury reported due to auto accident. Officers Swanson and Burnsted report that deceased was crossing from north to south on the east crosswalk and was hit by the front of the car driven by T. L. Gillesly, 820 Washington Ave. S.E., who says he did not see deceased until he showed up in front of the automobile. One witness: Hartley Nelson, 5541 2nd Ave.So.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME SELDEN (SULLY) JOHNSON Date Dec. 12.

Place of Death	738 E. 18th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	738 E. 18th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.00 cash; knife; 2 rings; 1 streetcar token & case; watch (Elgin); chain; spectacles; cigarette lighter; 4 trade chips; notebook; cards.
Age	63 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Decorator - paperhanger		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			Other effects listed on Morgue Record. (No value)
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Russell D. Gay, Grandson
H Undertaker	H. M. Hurlburt	Address	1800 Third Avenue South

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 2:30 P.M. in the apartment of Herman Swanson, No. 4. He had complained of substernal pain and shortness of breath. He had lived there three years. Herman Heinse, landlord is informant. A grandson, Russell D. Gay, lives at 1800 Third Avenue South, apartment 8.

Officers Gus Olson and Mike Michaelson were present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOSEPH BENJAMIN MARTINSEN

Date Found Dec. 12.

Place of Death	Garage rear of 2215 Fillmore St. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	2215 Fillmore St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	50 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Car dealer and owner of garage.		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Probably Accident; ~~Suicide~~; ~~Homicide~~		
	Carbon monoxide poisoning from automobile exhaust.		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Clifford Peterson	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found at 3 A.M. Dec. 12th by his wife, Esther, who last saw him alive at 5 P.M. when he left home with a plumber to do some repair work in a house out south. When he did not return his wife became alarmed and went to the garage finding him in the car, engine running, garage doors closed. When the deputy coroner arrived the car had been pushed out of the garage and police were present. The fire department rescue squad and General Hospital ambulance had been there and had left. The body was behind the steering wheel, the left window open, the gasoline tank almost empty.

Rigor mortis had set in, and the skin was the characteristic color of carbon monoxide poisoning. No notes were found and no definite motive for a suicide could be found.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK KRONSCHNABLE

Date Dec. 12.

Place of Death	2513 E. 25th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2513 E. 25th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$1.60 cash; purse; knife.
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Chaska, Minn.		
Occupation	Teamster		
CAUSE OF DEATH	Natural; ~~Accident~~; ~~Suicide~~; ~~Homicide~~		
	Coronary sclerosis		
	Other effects listed on Morgue Record (No value)		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Laura Towt, 2513 E. 25th St.
R Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	By order of Wm. Kronschnable, Bro. 3028 Pillsbury Avenue

REMARKS:

Deceased had roomed at the above address with Mrs. Laura Towt, landlady, for about twenty-five years, according to Mrs. Towt. He had complained of pain in the heart for some time.

He died at 12:15 A.M. December 12th, 1937, while lying in bed and talking to Mrs. Towt.

Officers J. W. Smith and Frank Bienapfle.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BABY GIRL WILSON Date Dec. 12.

Place of Death	3026 11th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3026 11th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	-- Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	--		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Stillborn		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

John Wilson is the father of deceased. Deceased was born just before midnight following eight or ten hours labor. The child's mother states she did not know that she was pregnant; that her abdomen felt as if there was fluid in it. She is 36. Attending at birth were the father John Wilson, Mrs. Hilda Coyne mother of Mrs. Wilson, and Mrs. G. H. Hawkins, 3603 Aldrich Ave. South, - no doctor in attendance. The family belong to Pentecostal believers' group. Mrs. Wilson had been bedridden since September 24th.

Mr. Wilson went to Crystal Lake Cemetery first for information as to what to do, then to coroner's office. This office learned of the death about noon December 13th.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MARIE E. OLSON Date Found Dec. 13.

Place of Death	413 Cedar Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	413 Cedar Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.05 cash; 1 key .
Age	79 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Florence Jorgenson, Daughter
H Undertaker	Walter Anderson	Address	617 16th Avenue South

REMARKS:

Deceased was found after midnight by her daughter, Mrs. Florence Jorgenson, 617 16th Avenue South, and a granddaughter, Mrs. Frances Litwin, 1828 Park Avenue, who came to the apartment. They told deputy coroner that deceased insisted on living alone though both daughter and a son would have made a home for her. There is a history of heart trouble for a long time.

She was found on the floor in a back room and a pan near her as if she had been vomiting. She was seen at 8 P.M. by Mrs. Jorgensen, daughter.

Officers Danberg & Simpson were present. Mrs. Jorgensen called the officers who broke in at the rear of the apartment.

Mrs. Litwin said that Mrs. L. Hillseth, 412 Cedar Avenue, tried to reach her and her mother earlier in the evening. She left word for them to call and see deceased. They got the message after midnight.

Deputy coroner with Officer Andrew Danberg hastily looked at contents of a trunk. Dr. Hobbs did not refuse daughter and granddaughter permission to look in trunk, but suggested they come back the next day.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THOMAS PATRICK CALLIGAN Date Dec. 13.

Place of Death	3439 19th Avenue South	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	Clare, Iowa	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	61 Sex Male			
Birthplace	Fort Dodge, Iowa			
Occupation	Farmer (Retired)			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Fort Dodge, Iowa	Effects delivered to		
C Undertaker	McDivitt Mortuary	Address		

REMARKS:

Case reported by Dr. Pettit. Deceased was visiting Hubert O'Hern, came here from Iowa December 11th. He has complained of pain in the chest and stomach. During the night he was very sick. Philip O'Hern slept in the same room. He says deceased breathed noisily at 4 A.M. and was talking in his sleep. They found him dead in bed at 9 A.M. Body viewed at O'Hern's and taken direct to McDivitt's Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EVERETT EDWARD LYON Date Dec. 13.

Place of Death	On sidewalk about 509 Third Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3336 Lyndale Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$10.24 cash; 3 streetcar tokens knife; 2 keys; pencil; spectacles & case; N.W.Bell Tel. Co. bill; Mpls. Gen. Elec. Co. bill; calendar; 7 drawings of floor plans; papers.
Age	68 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Vermont		
Occupation	Foreman - carpenter work		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
		Other effects listed in Morgue Record	Clo. to Everett A. Lyon, Son 3336 Lyndale Ave.So.
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. E. E. Lyon, Wife
S Undertaker	Flynn-Wagner Mortuary	Address	3336 Lyndale Avenue South

REMARKS:

Deceased was seen sagging down on the sidewalk by John Lind, 628 Huron St. S.E., who was unloading into a chute on the sidewalk. Seargeant John Albright and Officers Holcomb and Berkmoes arrived.

Deceased was lying on the east sidewalk opposite 508 Third Avenue South, along John Leslie Paper Co., wholesale paper, building, just to the side of the unloading shaft in the sidewalk. He was walking toward Fifth Street when he collapsed. He was lying with his head toward the street and feet toward the building. There was a small bruise above the left eye, probably received when he sagged down on the sidewalk.

Deceased is said to have had pains in his chest for some time. Gregg Andrews, 4501 Wooddale Avenue, had left deceased at Fifth Avenue South & Sixth Street shortly before three P.M, and he was seen to die about 3 P.M.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HANNAH JOHNSON

Date Dec. 14.

Place of Death	40 Eastman Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	40 Eastman Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	60 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic arthritis		(No value)
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Clothes destroyed 12-1-38
Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	John Anderson, Morgue Supt.

REMARKS:

Deceased has been bedridden for thirteen years with generalized arthritis; she could not even bring her arm up to feed herself. General Hospital doctor arrived and was present when she expired. Her husband is Bert Johnson who works at Lakewood Cemetery.

She died at 8 P.M. The body was taken to the morgue. Mrs. Ole Britton, Mrs. Ole Ingebretson and others present.

Officers Markson and Benzick.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LUCILLE EMERSON

Date December 15.

Place of Death	602 23rd Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	602 23rd Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	31 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Epilepsy		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Billman Funeral Chapel	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Simonson at 602 23rd Avenue North for about two weeks, although for several days previous to the time of death she had been staying with a cousin, Mrs. Gertrude Dutcher of 2935 16th Avenue South. She returned to the Simonson residence at 3:45 P.M. December 15th, 1937 and seemed to feel fine. While eating supper later she suddenly had a fit of epilepsy. She was laid down on a cot in another room when it was noticed a few minutes later that she was not breathing. Time of death was 5:10 P.M. Dr. Gust Nordin was called and pronounced death.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ARTHUR R. ALBERTUS Date Dec. 15.

Place of Death	3045 33rd Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3045 33rd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	70 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Banker - Retail clothing.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Carcinoma of rectum		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	McDivitt Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was bedridden for the past two months, and had been an invalid long before. He had never had a doctor, but lately had been attended by a Christian Science Practitioner, Mrs. Bertha Marquis.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BERT M. WOOD Date Dec. 15.

Place of Death	3019 First Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3019 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	76 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Marquette, Wisconsin		
Occupation	Retired Secy. & Treas - lumber Co.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Alexandria, S. Dak	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Davies Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Body viewed by coroner at Davies Parlors. E. W. Hall, cousin of deceased told coroner's office over the telephone that deceased had had heart trouble for some time. This morning Dr. D. W. Pollard was called but arrived after death, which occurred at about 4 A.M. Deceased's wife was present at death. Deceased got up about 3 A.M., went to the bathroom, fixed the fire, and went back to bed complaining of severe pain in the left arm and difficult breathing, then stiffened out dead.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES ALEXANDER McGREGOR Date December 16.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy at Mpls. Gen. Hosp.
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	5417 Bryant Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	48 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Wholesale automobile representative		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Barbital poisoning		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery (Cremation)	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted to the hospital at 9:30 P.M. December 15th and died at 4:25 P.M. December 16th. He was treated by Drs. L. D. Harris, Robert Leighton and Alex Blumstein.

Deceased's wife stated to coroner that he left home apparently well on the morning of December 14th. The Essex Hotel, 14 Sixth Street North, called her up at 8 P.M. December 15th and notified her that deceased was asleep and could not be aroused. When she came to the hotel she found two empty barbital vials in the waste basket. Deceased had registered at 4:15 P.M. December 14th.

On November 23rd, 1937, deceased went to St. Regis Hotel and got a room. He called his wife over the telephone and told her he had taken a large dose of barbital. His wife rushed him to General Hospital where he was treated and recovered. She said he was discouraged because of ill health and financial difficulties.

Dena Doll, clerk at Essex Hotel, stated to coroner that when deceased registered he showed evidence of drinking. He requested her to wake him at 6 P.M. She tried to wake him at 6 P.M. and at 7 P.M., on December 15th at 1 P.M. and in the evening but she was unable to do so. A telephone number to his wife was then found in his room and she was notified.

Body viewed by coroner at Welander's South chapel.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CECELIA LOVERIN Date Dec. 16

Place of Death	Minnetonka Township	Autopsy	Private autopsy.
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Minnetonka Township	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	51 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Strobeck Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred shortly before 8 P.M. today. Dr. Arey of Excelsior notified Dr. Hobbs that he was called to see deceased, but that she had died before he reached the home. History points toward coronary disease, chest pain and shortness of breath. A daughter Charlotte Loverin was present when death occurred.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BLANCHE J. BENDER Date Dec. 17.

Place of Death	1816 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	1816 Nicollet Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	46 Sex Female			
Birthplace	Detroit Lake, Minn.			
Occupation	Housewife			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to		
H Undertaker	Welander-Quist (west side)	Address		

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 5:30 A.M. today at the home of the daughter, Isabel Hartman. Deceased was taken ill at 10 P.M. last night, complaining of shortness of breath and epigastric pain. Had formerly been attended by Dr. A. E. Benjamin. Today Dr. Harold Benjamin saw her after death.

A sister, Mrs. Astor Anderson, 3953 21st Avenue South, told deputy coroner that there had been repeated attacks of epigastric pain.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EMIL BERNHARDT / MILLER Date Dec. 17.

Place of Death	1012 29th Avenue North	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	1012 29th Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	1 Revolver F. & W. No. 165174; 3 cartridges; 1 empty cartridge.	
Age	79 Sex Male			
Birthplace	Germany			
Occupation	Machinist - Milwaukee R.R.			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ x				
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x				
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Gun shot wound of head			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Ashes buried at Crystal Lake	Effects delivered to	Fred Miller, Son	
R Undertaker	Sunseth's Funeral Home	Address	1012-29 Ave. No.	

REMARKS:

Deceased has been residing with his son Fred Miller and Mrs. Fred Miller. He has generally been in good health and cheerful, except the past few days when he developed a cough and difficulty in breathing while lying down. Dr. Swan Wright was called to see him December 16th in the morning. Because of his dyspnoea he stayed downstairs on the davenport and his son stayed up with him until 1 A.M. December 17th and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Fred Miller, stayed up until three A.M. She said he was feeling pretty well at that time, although he was restless and walking around.

No shot was heard. He was found dead sitting in a chair in the basement at 7:15 A.M. A revolver, No. 165174 Foreham and Weston, was on the floor behind his feet. A bullet wound was present in the anterior portion of the forehead one-half inch above the eyebrows, surrounded by powder burns. He was found by his son Fred Miller. His son and daughter-in-law did not know that he had a gun.

Officers Colsten and Mealey.

No record could be found of the sale of the above gun.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME EMMA F. WILKINSON

Date December 17.

Place of Death	3415 York Ave., Robbinsdale	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3415 York Ave., Robbinsdale	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	75 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Chicago, Illinois		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Quist Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased had made her residence with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Ross, at the above address for many years. Except for a slight cold for several days she had apparently been in good health except for occasional slight attacks of dyspnoea.

At 10:30 A.M. Dec. 17th while walking across the dining room floor she suddenly collapsed and died. Dr. S. V. Hodge was called and pronounced death.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME IVA A. CASPER, also known as IVA A.CASPERSON

Date Dec. 17.

Place of Death	1715 West Lagoon Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1715 West Lagoon Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	54 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Little Sturgeon, Wis.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Welander-Quist (West side)	Address	

REMARKS:

Christian Science practitioner is Bertha Bell, 4553 Oakland Avenue. Death occurred at 3:25 A.M. today. Charles Casper is the husband. There is a history of a toxic goitre and frequent attacks of dyspnoes and loss in weight.

A. B. Casper, a brother, is the informant.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DONALD ERICKSON

Date Dec. 18.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2733 Central Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	22 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Waiter - cafe		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Carbon monoxide poisoning		
~~Homicide~~	from automobile exhaust.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Burr Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought from a private garage at the rear of 2751 Central Ave. by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital. He was admitted at 10:25 P.M. Dec. 15th, and died at 12:30 P.M. December 18th. On admission deceased was stuperous, cherry red color to the skin, and breathing sterterously. He did not regain consciousness.

At 9:30 P.M. December 15th, Mr. Frank Parsons, Sr., 2751 Central, heard an auto horn blowing continuously from the garage at the rear of his apartment. He stepped out and noticed the garage doors closed shut and the engine of the car running inside. He went in and phoned for his son Frank Parsons Jr. (42), and grandson Douglas (19), 2746 Polk St. N.E. They opened the garage door and noticed the engine running. In the front seat sat deceased slumped over the steering wheel and the auto horn button. The car door was closed. The radio on the car was not turned on. They pulled the body out of the car to the outside. Police and fire department arrived. Officer Strand reports finding envelope of barbital tablets near the body. Mrs. Chas. L. Bernard, mother of deceased, states that deceased was seated near the radio at home until shortly before 9 P.M. He then left to put the car parked outside, into the garage. The car belonged to John Dames, 2743 Central Avenue, a friend of Mrs. Clara Weatherman, sister of deceased.

Drs. Neary, Dr. Walsh and H. F. Nelson report finding a suicide note on the body in receiving department. In it deceased stated he was tired of being a burden on the family and was going to end it all. Deceased has been a patient at the Mpls. General Hospital previously on Feb. 22, 1936, on Feb. 24, 1936, and on August 27, 1937, also on Sept. 4, 1937. On all of these occasions he was there for "attempted suicide" by various methods as veronal, cyanide, gas, razor blade and jumping from a porch. He was at one time alleged insane, but released by the Court Commissioner.

Deceased was a psychoneurotic, suffered homosexuality, despondency, and suicidal tendencies.

Officers Hoitomt and Strand.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME RAYMON TURNHAM

Date Dec. 18.

Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	Private at University Hosp.
Place of Accident	Medina Township	Inquest	No
Residence	Medina Township 3 miles N.W. of Wayzata	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	4 years Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Extensive second and third degree burns due to gasoline explosion in home.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Holy Name Cemetery, Wayzata	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Rettinger, Wayzata	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was seriously burned in the home when a can of gasoline which his father was using to start a fire exploded at about 7:15 A.M. Dec. 18th. He was admitted to the hospital at 8:50 A.M. by ambulance, and died at 3:50 P.M. the same day.

The body, head and extremities were burned. He was attended by Dr. A. A. Nelson.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME RAMONA TURNHAM

Date Dec. 19.

Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	Private at University Hospital
Place of Accident	Medina Township	Inquest	No
Residence	Medina Township, 3 mi. N.W. of Wayzata	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	4 years Sex Female		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Child		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Extensive second and third degree burns due to gasoline explosion in home.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Holy Name Cemetery, Wayzata	Effects delivered to	
R Undertaker	Rettinger, Wayzata.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was seriously burned in the home when a can of gasoline which her father was using to start a fire exploded at about 7:15 A.M. Dec. 18, 1937. (See account Raymon Turnham, case No. 759)

Deceased was admitted at 8:50 A.M. December 18th, 1937, and died at 8:10 A.M. December 19th. She was attended by Drs. P. R. Beckjord and Burns. Extensive burns of the head, back and extremities.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FLAVIE MYERS

Date Dec. 19.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	West River Road, Hwy 169, Brooklyn Center Village.	Inquest	No
Residence	Red Wing, Minnesota.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	42 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Illinois		
Occupation	Barber		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Auto Accident	Fracture of pelvis, femur and crushed chest.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Anoka, Minnesota	Effects delivered to	
C Undertaker	Thurston Mortuary, Anoka.	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought by ambulance first to the Swedish Hospital, then immediately to General Hospital. He was admitted at 1:05 A.M. Dec. 19 and died at 2:06 A.M. the same date. The accident occurred on the West River Road eight miles north of Minneapolis City limits. Deceased was a passenger with his wife in a car driven by Wm. Huebner (30), 618 Hennepin Avenue. They were going north on Highway No. 169 when they collided with a stolen car belonging to C. B. Chalmers of Tonka Bay. Two men escaped from this car and fled.

The body was taken to Hennepin County morgue and examined. There are no head injuries; the right femur is completely fractured at proximal one-third; there is a deep extensive hemorrhage of the entire right leg from the knee to the thigh; the scrotum is filled with blood; the pelvic bones are fractured; numerous ribs on the right side are fractured, and there is air in tissues extending from the shoulder to the lower ribs and also on the right side back. There is evident lung injury.

Witness: Fred White, 3326 Second Avenue South.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME GEORGE W. SMILEY Date Found Dec. 19.

Place of Death	825 Lowry Ave. N.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	825 Lowry Ave. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	69 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Maine		
Occupation	Retired Railroad conductor		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Forest Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Archie Mattson	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased occupied this apartment alone. His wife stays at Forest Lake, Minn. He was seen alive yesterday by Beverly Pollock (12), from upstairs. He was found dead at 9 P.M. December 19th by Laurin Pollock. Deceased was lying face down on the floor beside his bed, fully clothed, shoes, etc., glasses on face. Deceased has been sick and attended by Dr. Callerstrom. Case reported to coroner by Dr. Lundgren.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at home and taken directly by undertaker to Forest Lake, Minnesota.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CARL E. SMITH Date Dec. 20.

Place of Death	14 Grove Street	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	14 Grove Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	44 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Glazier		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis and coronary thrombosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Sundseth's Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased worked all day and returned home at 5 P.M. today. He was found dead in the hallway by his wife at 6:30 P.M. after he had been to the bathroom. He had complained of distress in his stomach several times during the past few days. Autopsy was held to determine if there was any relation between an accident in July, 1937, and his death.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES FLEMING Date Dec. 20

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital
Place of Accident	
Residence	219 Washington Avenue South
Age	58 Sex Male
Birthplace	Norway, Michigan
Occupation	Laborer
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Acute alcoholism
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery
Undertaker	O. H. Oakley

Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Inquest	No
Effects Taken in Charge	$42.65 cash; 3 chips; billfold; watch (Jockey); chain; pencil; spectacles & case; 9 receipts; 1 Social Security Act card - acct. No. 475-10-8426; Mpls. Gen. Hosp. out-patient Dept. card #28179; WPA form 402 Notice to report for work, ident #2788-49256 case No. 10511; 2 Chicago Service Cafe meal tickets; Social Security Board evidence of application for dpplicate account number card; 2 letters.
	Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Effects delivered to	John F. Shaughnessy, Spec. Adm.
Address	722 Fourth Avenue South.

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital in a cab by a nephew Raymond Vetcher, 917 Chicago Avenue South, from Lyon's Bar, 313 Second Avenue South, at 9:23 P.M. He died at 9:28 P.M.

Police officers Adam Smith and Mike Duffy investigated the case and found that deceased had been drinking at different beer parlors. (Refer to police report.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN MAYER Date Dec. 21.

Place of Death	City Jail
Place of Accident	About Emerson Av.N. & 11th St
Residence	1217 Fourth Street North
Age	66 Sex Male
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.
Occupation	Laborer
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Traumatic subdural hemorrhage
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	probably due to a fall.
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery
Undertaker	Heinrich's Funeral Home

Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Inquest	No
Effects Taken in Charge	$.02 cash; purse; billfold; 7 keys; spectacles (broken) and case; receipt; Indiv. resident fishing license #16417 for 1937; newspaper clipping.
	Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	(No value)
Effects delivered to	Joseph Mayer, Brother
Address	2219 Fourth St. N.

REMARKS:

Deceased was arrested at about 6:15 P.M. yesterday, December 20, by officers Wickenberg and Berg at 11th Street and Emerson Avenue North, and brought to the North Side Station at 6:30 P.M. He was found dead today in the City Jail at 5:30 A.M. by Officer Winslow. Dr. Silver, City Physician, called twice to see him.

Brothers asked for an autopsy.

Deceased was found lying on the ground across the alley from 1112 Eleventh Avenue North by Morton Bloom, 1122 Dupont Avenue North and was carried to the porch of Mrs. Morris Peltz, 1112 11th Ave. N. by Bernard Segal, 1123 11th Avenue North and Calvin Kreim, 1115 Emerson Ave. N. Officer H.L. Wickenberg states that he took deceased first to the North Side Station, then to headquarters about 4:25 A.M. December 21st.

(See report of Officer Wickenberg.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ALBIN JOHN BERGQUIST Date Dec. 21.

Place of Death	3945 43rd Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3945 43rd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	53 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Custodian of building		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Buffalo, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Barney Anderson	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased died about 7:30 P.M. Dr. Youbert Johnson did not arrive until after deceased's death. Deceased was a friend of Dr. Johnson. He was taken sick while shoveling snow at the Gustavus Adolphus Hall. He asked his wife to come down and get him. She brought him home and he died shortly afterward complaining of severe pain in his chest before he died.

Body viewed by coroner at Barney Anderson's Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ETHEL M. MATTSON, also known as ETLA M. MATTSON Date December 21.

Place of Death	415 Emerson Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	415 Emerson Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	50 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Finland		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Apoplexy		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Sundseth Funeral Home	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has been up and around but sick for some time. The husband, Arvid, is in the workhouse for drunkenness, and she has been very weak. The sons were home and say that she collapsed as in a stroke and they carried her to a davenport in another room where she expired at 7 P.M.

The body was taken direct to undertakers.

General Hospital records show that she has been a patient there in 1936 for ulcer of stomach, anemia, subarachnoid hemorrhage and hypertension. She was discharged November 18th, 1936.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LESLIE TURNHAM Date Dec. 22.

	Place of Death	University Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy at Univ. Hosp.
	Place of Accident	Medina Township	Inquest	No
	Residence	Medina Township, 3 mi. n.w. of Wayzata.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	27 Sex Male		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Farmer		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Extensive second and third degree burns due to gasoline explosion in home.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Holy Name Cemetery, Wayzata	Effects delivered to	
R	Undertaker	Rettinger, Wayzata	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was severely burned in the home when a can of gasoline which he was using to start a fire exploded at about 7:15 A.M. December 18th. (See accounts of Raymon and Ramona Turnham, cases 759 and 760.)

He was admitted to University Hospital at 9 A.M. December 18th, 1937, and attended by Dr. Wittels. There are very extensive burns over the head, trunk and extremities. He died at 12:03 A.M. December 22nd, 1937.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BABY GIRL OSMAN Date Dec. 22.

	Place of Death	In automobile on way to Univ. Hospital from Robbinsdale.	Autopsy	Dr. Halbon Kraft
	Place of Accident		Inquest	No
	Residence	Robbinsdale, Minnesota.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
	Age	-- Sex Female		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	--		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Atalectasis and clinical		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x	asphyxia.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	Place of Burial	Anatomical Department, University	Effects delivered to	
H	Undertaker	University of Minnesota.	Address	

REMARKS:

Genevieve Osman, 17, is mother of deceased. Name of father of child not secured. William Osman, father of Genevieve, reached University Hospital at 5:45 P.M. December 22nd, 1937. Deceased was born in the automobile. Mr. Osman had trouble to find the hospital. Dr. M. C. Mitchell says that the child was stillborn about 5:15 P.M. 12/22/37. Case was reported to coroner's office in the afternoon of December 23rd.

The mother told deputy coroner that she didn't expect the baby until after January first, 1938. She had had no fall or accident of any kind. Hospital record is not definite.

The cause of death reported from Department of Pathology as above.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: FRED TJERNLUND

Date Found: Dec. 23.

Place of Death	In car in garage alongside 601 Plymouth Avenue North	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	602 Plymouth Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$11.00 cash; billfold; 2 knives; 2 pencils; key; part of key; trade coin; Minn. licensed chauffeur badge; No. 32306 for 1937; Mpls. Gen. Drivers & Helpers Union 544 button Nov. 1937; ident card; 1937 auto registration card; honorable discharge from U.S.Army No. 215-2442; Official Due card of Intl. Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Stablemen & Helpers Union No. 544; receipts; papers; matches. Other effects listed on Morgue record
Age	50 Sex Male		
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minn.		
Occupation	Truck driver		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Probably Accident	Carbon monoxide poisoning		
~~Suicide~~	from automobile exhaust.		
~~Homicide~~ x			
Place of Burial	Roselawn Cemetery	Effects delivered to	E. J. Tjernlund, Bro. 2539 Territorial Road, St. Paul
Undertaker	A. E. Henry, St. Paul.	Address	Alvin Tjernlund, Bro. 3442 35th Avenue South.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found at 6:45 A.M. by Officer Earl Pritchard, Ray Baron, 523 Plymouth, and Hugo Guntzel, 517 Plymouth. They noticed smoke coming from the garage, the doors of which were open. On investigating they found the deceased slumped over in the front seat of the car, the motor running, car doors locked, the left window ventilator slightly open. The above people got the door open with a wire. The General Hospital ambulance was called and pronounced him dead. The gas tank was almost empty, heater going, according to the above parties.

The sister of the deceased, Jennie Johnson, 602 Plymouth, and E. F. Mester, 602 Plymouth, say that they heard him come in at 3:00 A.M., go to his room and then go out again. The sister said that she saw him alive at 6 P.M. at supper. She said he often drank heavily.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME: ALICE IRENE MOORE

Date: Dec. 23.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	99 West Lawson St. St. Paul, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	32 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Pender, Nebr.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic morphine poisoning (addict)		
~~Accident~~ x			
~~Suicide~~ x			
~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Elmhurst Cemetery, St. Paul	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Kessler & Maguire, St. Paul	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was a narcotic addict. She and her husband, William had been arrested and placed in jail December 19th. On December 20th deceased was removed from jail and admitted to Minneapolis General Hospital. She was given insulin and sugar solution. At 8:10 A.M. December 23rd she suddenly collapsed and died. She was attended by Drs. Blumstein and Harris.

Autopsy held at morgue.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193____ Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME Date

Place of Death		Autopsy	
Place of Accident		Inquest	
Residence		Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	Sex		
Birthplace			
Occupation			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
Place of Burial		Effects delivered to	
Undertaker		Address	

REMARKS:

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7 Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME OSCAR J. OLSON Date Dec. 24.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	St. James Hotel Union City Mission	Effects Taken in Charge	$.49 cash Less .38, spent for telegram $.11, Balance. 1 Mpls. Gen. Hosp. out-patient department card #E09748; Transient ident card HMB 4197; Union City Miss. Relief 3 work order cards; U.S.Dept. of Labor applicant's ident.card #2789-95901 - HMB 4197; Div. of Relief, men's bureau meal order #22988; Men's Bureau lodging order No. 19602; purse; card case; cards. Effects sold at auction 12-14-38 (Other effects listed on Morgue Record (No value)) To County Treasurer 12-16-38
Age	62 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Common Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Acute alcoholism and exposure.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	clothes Destroyed 12-1-38
Undertaker	R. F. Burr	Address	By John Anderson Morgue Supt.

REMARKS:

Deceased was brought to the Minneapolis General Hospital by police car from 240 Seventh Street South, where he had been found lying behind a billboard. He was admitted at 12:47 P.M. December 24th, 1937, and died on admission. He was seen by Dr. H. Nelson.

Police officer Rust.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME ERNEST SKALMAN

Date Dec. 24.

Place of Death	1021 E. 22nd Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1021 E. 22nd Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	67 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Retired farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Free Mission Cemetery Ottertail County.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Joe Billman	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. W. P. Widen was called and saw deceased after death and reported the case to the coroner's office. Deceased lay down for a rest after lunch and about 4:30 P.M. was found dead by his wife. There is a history of dizziness.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME PETER GRANGRUTH

Date Found Dec. 25.

Place of Death	1502 Laurel Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1502 Laurel Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	$.16 cash.
Age	38 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Menahga, Minnesota		
Occupation	Barber		Other effects listed on Morgue Record C/o. for burial to Gill Bros.
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	Hanging		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects ~~delivered to~~ shipped 2/11/38	Mrs. Hilma Grangruth c/o Aaro H. Koski
Undertaker	Gill Bros. Mortuary	Address	Menahga, Minn.

REMARKS:

Deceased has roomed here two months. He was separated from his wife, Hilma, and one child. He was last seen alive at 7 P.M. December 24th by Bob Odegaard and found dead by Henry Kantola, 105 Nicollet Avenue, at 2:10 P.M. Dec. 25th. General Hospital doctor, Egil Hanssen, arrived and loosened a twisted sheet from the neck of deceased.

Deceased was stretched out on the floor beside the bed, a twisted sheet tied to bedstead and neck caused the strangulation. Marks on neck are evident. He was fully clothed.

Deceased has had domestic troubles as indicated by letters. Landlord is T. A. Hookee. Police present, Doherty and Uglem.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME DONALD JOSEPH MOORE

Date Dec. 25.

Place of Death	In automobile in front of 2821 16th Avenue South	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Hobbs	
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No	
Residence	2824 18th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$2.05 cash; knife; comb; fishing license; Social Security Act card.	
Age	29 Sex Male			
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota.			
Occupation	Telephone lineman (previously) Truck driver.			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Carbon monoxide poisoning from			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide x	auto exhaust.			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	St. Marys Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Chas. Moore, Father	
Undertaker	Gleason Mortuary	Address	2824 18th Avenue South	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found at 9:30 A.M. today by Al. Thelen, 2821 16th Avenue So., dead in an automobile in front of 2821 16th Avenue South. Thelen had returned home at 2 A.M. today and had seen the automobile standing there, the motor running. He knew his sister, Mrs. Loretta Clark, 2821 16th Ave. So., and deceased were in the car.

About midnight deceased had asked his father, Charles Moore, for the use of the automobile; at that time he showed that he had been drinking. Mrs. Clark told deputy coroner that she woke up in the car after 9 A.M. December 25th and in attempting to get out of the car fell down because her feet were frozen. She said she and deceased drank liquor at several places after midnight on December 25th.

Officers Tolbers and Bettinger stated that the window of the car door was open about two inches, which fact may account for the fact that she was not overcome by carbon monoxide gas. Deceased was seated behind the steering wheel, his head thrown back and to the right.

Neighbors reported to Charles Moore that they heard the motor of the automobile running until about 4 A.M. December 25th. Charles Moore turned off the ignition; the motor had stopped.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LESTER QUIST

Date Dec. 25.

Place of Death	5836 29th Avenue South	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Hobbs.
Place of Accident	Same	Inquest	No
Residence	5836 29th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	24 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Mora, Minnesota.		
Occupation	Laborer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Carbon monoxide poisoning and		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide x	asphyxia from prolonged lighted		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	burners of gas range.		
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Enger Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found about 11:30 A.M. today by Violet Johnson, 15, 5809 28th Avenue South, a step-sister, who came to call him to dinner at her home with his wife and other relatives. She found all five burners of the gas range alight and turned off the gas. The room was terribly hot. Deceased lay in bed with his clothes on, in a bedroom adjoining kitchen. Both rooms are very small.

Deceased was seen at 2:30 A.M. today by a neighbor, G. O. Williams, 5840 29th Avenue South, outside deceased's home. He had been drinking. The house was probably cold and he lighted the burners for the heat, then went to bed. All oxygen was used up. The pulmotor was used; General Hospital ambulance was out.

Officers Geo. Foard and Carl Johnson present.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME CHARLES PEMBLE Date December 25.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore and Callerstrom
Place of Accident	On street outside of 209 Nicollet Avenue	Inquest	None
Residence	41 East Hennepin Avenue	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	56 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Iowa		
Occupation	Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Probably Accident ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~		
	Subcutaneous cellulitis of scalp following a scalp wound received in a scuffle.		
Place of Burial	St. Paul, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	St. Peter & Son Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. A. B. Street, Minneapolis General Hospital physician, reports that on December 20th, 1937, he was on the ambulance and called to a saloon at 209 Nicollet Avenue. Deceased was seated by a table, there was blood on his clothing and a dirty rag on a scalp wound, the wound about one inch long. He brought deceased in the ambulance to "Receiving" and dressed the wound but did not suture. Deceased was advised to see a private physician and left the hospital.

Deceased was admitted to Receiving at 10:08 P.M. December 20th. He stated to Dr. Street that a panhandler met him outside of a saloon and asked him for a dime. Deceased refused. Deceased said he had a bottle of "antiseptic" in his pocket. The panhandler grabbed for the bottle and it fell to th e ground and broke. Deceased said he picked up a piece of the bottle and threw it at the panhandler and he again threw it back striking deceased on the head. Dr. Street asked what became of the panhandler and deceased said, "My friends are taking care of him."

On December 24th police called General Hospital and reported deceased very sick in his room at 41 East Hennepin Avenue. Dr. Neary brought him by ambulance to General Hospital where he was admitted at 10:27 A.M. Dec. 24th. He was conscious and stated to Dr. L. J. Peterson that a man had tried to take a bottle from him and in the scuffle it broke and that he was then struck on the head by a piece of it. In a few days he developed chills, fever and pus. Deceased works for S. C. March, manufacturer of an antiseptic called Formaldemist, 25 E. Hennepin. H. E. Pemble 3563 Hewitt Avenue, St. Paul is a brother. Time of death 12:35 A.M. Dec. 25.

Police report to coroner that at the time deceased was injured he was implicated in a scuffle with Dennis J. Polein and James Foster. There is no evidence just how he received the injury. He may have been struck or may have fallen on a broken bottle. The above men have been sentenced to the workhouse for disorderly conduct. (See report from police department.)

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANCES PEDERSON Date Dec. 25.

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	Private autopsy - Dr. Benesh
Place of Accident	Minneapolis, Minn.	Inquest	No
Residence	1609 Sixth Street North	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	28 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Staten Island, N.Y.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH	~~Natural~~ Accident ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~		
	Benzol poisoning due to aniline dye from overshoes.		
Place of Burial	Bristol, S. Dak	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Knaeble Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. N. G. Benesh of 339 E. Hennepin, stated that he first attended the deceased December 13th at her home. At that time she gave a history of having purchased a new pair of overshoes about a week before and had worn them three or four days when a rash developed around the ankle at the side of the overshoes. The rash spread up to the thighs, then subsided to the ankles again. He next saw her on December 23rd, 1937, when she had a severe headache and he sent her to Deaconess Hospital where it was discovered that she was severely anemic and in uremia.

She was admitted to Deaconess Hospital December 23rd, 1937 at 11:10 P.M. and died at 11:42 A.M. December 25th, 1937. The coroner was not notified until December 27th, 1937, after the autopsy had been performed.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MILDRED JOYCE SHEFFER Date December 26.

Place of Death	23 North Washington	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Russeth
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	1315 Fifth Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.35 cash; 1 bracelet; 1 necklace.
Age	24 Sex Female		Del'd to Walter H. Sheffer, Father 1307 Fifth Avenue South
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		After effects listed in Morgue Record.
Occupation	Waitress		Clothing delivered to Raymond Sheffer, Brother, 1307 Fifth Av.So.
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	~~Natural~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Gun shot wound of chest.		1 Colt Automatic Revolver No. 309528 1 Clip; 7 cartridges and 1 empty cartridge
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	~~Homicide~~	Effects delivered to	delivered to Walter H. Sheffer, to be turned over by him to Abdo Kadrie,
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery		23 North Washington, owner of gun.
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead in the second floor bedroom belonging to the proprietor, Abdo M. Kadrie, by him at 5:30 P.M. He said that she had come to his restaurant and beer parlor downstairs about 12:30 A.M. and that she and he and a George Kanen of 666 Fourth Ave. N.E. were drinking until about 2:30 A.M. She then said she did not want to go home and stayed with him in his rooms upstairs.

Kadrie said he last saw her alive at 12:30 P.M. December 26th when he brought her a glass of milk and a sandwich. She told him then that she did not feel well. He said he tried to open the door at 5:30 PM and knocked without receiving any answer. He found the door bolted from the inside so he went around through the bathroom and opened a window into the bedroom where he found her on the bed, gun alongside the body on the bed. He called police. When the coroner arrived, the gun was on the dresser unloaded. It was a Colt Automatic 32 caliber No. 309528. One exploded shell was found. The gun belonged to Kadrie and he said he kept it in the bottom drawer of his dresser and that she knew where he had kept it from previous visits.

She was lying partially across the bed, feet hanging down, clothed except for her shoes which were under the bed. There was a bullet hole just slightly to the right of the midline of the chest, anteriorly and at the inferior margin of the sternum, surrounded by powder burns, more marked on the left side of the hole. The dress overlying the hole was also burned.

The father of the deceased, Walter Sheffer, of 1315 Fifth Avenue South, told Mr. Anderson, morgue-keeper, that she had lost a job as waitress a few days before Christmas and was very despondent.

Officers Mehner and Guggenberg.

General Hospital records show that Mildred Sheffer was admitted to the hospital April 15th, 1932, because of attempted suicide from illuminating gas.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME WILLIAM POAD Date Dec. 26.

Place of Death	Star of Bethlehem Home St. Louis Park Village	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	Marshfield, Wisconsin	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	70 Sex Male		
Birthplace	England		
Occupation	Dentist		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Chronic myocarditis with chronic nephritis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	~~Accident~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	~~Suicide~~		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide	~~Homicide~~		
Place of Burial	Marshfield, Wisconsin	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Admitted to the home December 21st and died December 26th at 2:30 A.M. He was attended by Mrs. Blanchard, Christian Science Healer (Lo.8978.). She stated to coroner that deceased had been sick with kidney and heart disease for some time.

Body viewed at Thomson-Nelson's parlors. Severe edema of legs and penis.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK J. WHITTEMORE Date Dec. 26.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Callerstrom
Place of Accident	Parkview Sanatorium	Inquest	No
Residence	336 E. 15th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	72 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Cambridge, Mass.		
Occupation	Salesman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	~~Natural~~ x		
Accident	1st & 2nd degree burns to arm, hand, and buttocks due to bathrobe on fire from smoking pipe.		
Suicide	~~Suicide~~ x		
Homicide	~~Homicide~~ x		
Place of Burial	Carver, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Welander Mortuary (South)	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased has been a patient at Parkview Sanatorium since June, 1935. He has had diabetes thirty years. Ten years ago both legs were amputated for diabetic gangrene. He was blind, emaciated and senile demented. On December 21st, 1937, at Parkview deceased was smoking a pipe when from the ashes his bathrobe caught fire and he was burned on the left thumb, hand, arm, and both buttocks. He was attended by Dr. A. Schmitz at Parkview. On December 22nd he was transferred to General Hospital. He died at 2:50 P.M. December 26th, 1937. Attended by Dr. H. Friedman.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRED SCRIBNER Date Found Dec. 27.

Place of Death	219 Washington Avenue So.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	219 Washington Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	$.87 cash; ring; knife; key; comb; 3 pencils; nail clip; 2 spectacles & 1 case; Health & Acc. Insurance for Masons & Odd Fellows tag 334149; Mpls. Gen. Hosp. out-patient dpt. card No. 53567; papers.
Age	77 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Richmond, Illinois		
Occupation	Peddler		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
Accident			
Suicide			
Homicide			
Place of Burial	Montevideo, Minnesota.	Effects delivered to	Effects sold at auction 12-14-38
Undertaker	Thomson-Nelson Mortuary	Address	To County Treasurer 12-16-38 P

Other effects listed To Mrs Nona Wilcox, 4348-11th Ave. So. in Morgue Record by order of Mrs Cassie Becker, Wainborne, Alta.

Clothes for burial delivered to Thomson-Nelson Mortuary.

REMARKS:

Deceased was found dead at 5:15 A.M. December 27th, 1937, by the proprietor of the rooming house, H. W. Bellin. He was partially lying across a small settee in the sitting-room upstairs in the rooming house. He was last seen alive at 9:30 P.M. December 26th sitting in a chair in the same room. He was fully clothed. His bed was disturbed a little indicating he may have gone to bed for a while.

Officers Dave Little and Dan Frinkman.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN H. FULLER Date December 28.

Place of Death	Asbury Hospital	Autopsy	Drs. Seashore & Hobbs
Place of Accident	Great Northern Railroad yards at 25th Ave. S.E.	Inquest	No
Residence	1000 Otto Ave., St. Paul, Minn.	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	69 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Vermont		
Occupation	Switchman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fall from railroad freight car.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	Fracture of skull and bruising		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	of brain.		
Place of Burial	Calvary Cemetery, St. Paul.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Kessler & Maguire	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased was admitted December 24th, 1937, at 8:50 A.M. in Emergency ambulance to the care of Dr. R. Webb. Died today at 7:45 P.M. Was brought from place of accident, Union Railroad yards of Great Northern at 25th Avenue S.E. Deceased was found at 7:45 A.M. alongside a freight box car where he apparently struck when he fell from the car. The car was not moving. E. Stabus, 614 Buchanana St. N. E., another switchman, had seen deceased a short time previous, and was the first man to see him after the fall. Mr. Hegar, yardmaster of Great Northern Railway, is informant.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JOHN WILLIAM ENGLUND Date Dec. 29

Place of Death	1500 Elliot Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	4032 21st Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	83 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Boston, Mass.		
Occupation	Retired farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Cannon Falls, Minn.	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Anderson Bros.	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at Minneapolis Sanatorium about 3:30 A.M. today. Deceased was seen 1/2 hour earlier by J. J. Baker, proprietor of the sanatorium. No doctor was in attendance. He had been taken to Minneapolis General Hospital on December 23rd but found to be not ill enough to remain, and was transferred to Minneapolis Sanatorium. He had been short of breath and dizzy, and had no appetite.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME LEWIS S. WILLETTS Date December 29th.

Place of Death	2917 First Avenue South	Autopsy	No	
Place of Accident		Inquest	No	
Residence	2917 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None	
Age	45 Sex Male			
Birthplace	Hamel, Minnesota.			
Occupation	Hand bill distributor.			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis.			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~				
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ X				
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~				
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects delivered to		
C Undertaker	Flynn-Wagner Mortuary	Address		

REMARKS:

Mrs. Lamoureaux, mother of deceased says that she heard deceased at the bottom of the stairs and looking down saw him leaning on the hand rails and his head bent forward. He then collapsed and slumped to the floor dead, at about 2 P.M. Dr. Dady arrived.

Deceased has complained for some time of pain in the chest and left arm but has not been examined by any doctor.

Ben Willetts arrived on the scene. Body viewed at the home and taken directly to undertakers.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME JAMES MUNRO Date Dec. 30

Place of Death	Third Ave. & Main St. S.E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3001 Tyler St. N.E.	Effects Taken in Charge	$10.00 cash; purse; spectacles and case.
Age	63 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Scotland		
Occupation	Plumber		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ X			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide X			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ X			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. Helen Munro, Wife
C Undertaker	Billman Mortuary	Address	3001 Tyler St. N.E.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 3:12 P.M. December 30th. Deceased worked on a WPA project building the University of Minnesota Hydraulic Laboratory on the south-east river bank at Third Avenue S.E. He was working at a bench inside when he suddenly collapsed dead on the floor. Some workmen carried him to the outside and Minneapolis General Hospital doctor arrived.

There are no marks of injury to the body. Workmen present were Steve Harrer, 2631 Third St. N., Wm. Delaney, August Guimond, and D. M. Miller, 740 37th Ave. N.E.

Officers Benzick and Kramer. Body taken to the morgue.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME HERMAN F. PETER Date Dec. 30.

Place of Death	7th Street Theatre in lobby	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2305 Emerson Avenue North	Effects Taken in Charge	$35.10 cash; 4 streetcar tokens; 1 watch (South Bend); chain and knife; fountain pen; pencil; spectacles; pipe; notebook; Anchor Casualty Co. mercantile robbery & safe burg. policy No. R.S.10433; receipt book with receipt blanks and receipt stubs; N.W.Natl.Bank North American office statement for rent of safe deposit box no. 912; letter; papers
Age	66 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Germany		
Occupation	Insurance		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects delivered to	Mrs. H. P. Peter, Wife.
H Undertaker	Sundseth Funeral Home	Address	2305 Emerson Avenue North

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 10:20 P.M. today. Deceased had come to the theatre to collect a payment on insurance from Lawrence Gauthier, 116 E. 27th St. He made the collection, started away and collapsed. General Hospital ambulance was called. Officer J. H. Cecil was present.

Dr. Rosenwald, whose relationship to deceased was through insurance, stated that he hadn't made any physical examination of deceased, but believed he was of build and temperament to have hypertension.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME MAE KRAEMER SMITH Date Dec. 30.

Place of Death	30 North 12th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	30 North 12th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	39 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Grand Forks, N. Dak.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Carcinoma of right breast		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
H Undertaker	Gill Bros. Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Death occurred at 5:35 P.M. today. Informant is deceased's mother, Mrs. Margaret Flaherty of Hibbing, Minnesota. With her at death was a friend, Mrs. Betty Wilkins, 28 North 12th Street. Three years ago deceased's right breast was removed at Minneapolis General Hospital, and since then she has been taking regular treatments at General Hospital. Apparently metastasis developed.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME BERTHA ESS Date December 31.

Place of Death	3601 E. Lake Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	2901 East 25th Street	Effects Taken in Charge	$4.28 cash; 1 streetcar token; spectacles and chain; ring; wrist watch; notebook; 2 keys; tooth brush; handbag.
Age	55 Sex Female		
Birthplace	Chaska, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Chronic myocarditis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	x		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Mount Pleasant Cemetery Chaska, Minn.	Effects delivered to	Arthur J. Ess, Son
Undertaker	J.H. Zamjahn, Chaska, Minn.	Address	3622 Logan Avenue North

Other effects listed on Morgue Record.

REMARKS:

Deceased suddenly collapsed outside an A & P store at 3601 East Lake Street, about 4:55 P.M. She was carried into the store by Henry Johnson, 3035 37th Avenue South, and others, where she died within a few minutes. Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance came. Dr. H. J. Brekke, 3543 E. Lake Street, was called but deceased had died.

A sister, Mrs. J. G. Gletne, 2935 46th Avenue South, came, also a brother Oscar Splettstoesser, 2308 27th Avenue South.

Officer Paul Kriesel was present. Dr. Silas Andersen stated that he attended deceased many years and that she had myocardial trouble.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1937. Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME FRANK LaHAY Date Dec. 31.

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident	2424 23rd Avenue South	Inquest	No
Residence	2424 23rd Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	85 Sex Male		
Birthplace	Scotland		
Occupation	Moulder - iron foundry.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Fracture of right hip due		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	x to fall on street		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	Billman (N.E.)	Address	

REMARKS:

Deceased slipped on the street outside of his home on December 26th. He was brought to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance, admitted 3:10 P.M. December 26th. He died at 11:20 P M. December 31st, 1937. He was attended by Dr. Hanssen.

Body viewed by deputy coroner at undertakers.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193 7.

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME THOMAS F. IVERS

Date Dec. 31.

Place of Death	3150 30th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Accident		Inquest	No
Residence	3150 30th Avenue South	Effects Taken in Charge	None
Age	77 Sex Male		
Birthplace	New Richland, Minn.		
Occupation	Retired farmer		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary sclerosis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
Place of Burial	Oak Hill Cemetery	Effects delivered to	
Undertaker	McDivitt Mortuary	Address	

REMARKS:

Dr. George Aagaard arrived after deceased was dead, about 6:00 P.M. He stated that deceased had been ill for a week with a pain in the chest, when exercising. His daughter, Mrs. Martin, stated that deceased had been in bed all day, but died very suddenly. Bessie Ivers, daughter, was present at time of death.

Body viewed by coroner at McDivitt's Mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193____

Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME

Date

Place of Death		Autopsy	
Place of Accident		Inquest	
Residence		Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	Sex		
Birthplace			
Occupation			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial		Effects delivered to	
Undertaker		Address	

REMARKS:

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 193____ Coroner, GILBERT SEASHORE, M. D.

FULL NAME Date

Place of Death		Autopsy	
Place of Accident		Inquest	
Residence		Effects Taken in Charge	
Age	Sex		
Birthplace			
Occupation			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural			
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CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide			
Place of Burial		Effects delivered to	
Undertaker		Address	

REMARKS:

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