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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME BRIAN P. O'CONNOR

Date of Death January 1,

Place of Death	Veterans Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Roger Anderson
Place of Injury	County Road #2, Near Forest Lake, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	1186 Thomas Avenue, St. Paul, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 10, 1938 Age 21		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Active serviceman		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	John O'Connor Gladys Van Kampen		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~	Cerebral contusion and subdural hemorrhage due to trauma from automobile accident. Other conditions: Fractures of mandible and pelvis; pelvic hematoma; contusions of chest, lung, abdominal wall; aspiration of vomitus.		
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident-Auto			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~ xx			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Billman's House of Flowers	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran Active serviceman

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Veterans Hospital at 7:55 a.m., January 1, 1960.

At approximately 1:45 a.m., January 1, 1960, the deceased was injured critically when the car he was driving went out of control on County Road No. 2, north of Forest Lake, Minnesota, and crashed into a utility pole.

Deceased was removed to Forest Lake Hospital where he received emergency treatment. Because of the serious nature of his injuries, Veterans Hospital was requested to send an ambulance to transfer him to that hospital. While en route to Veterans Hospital, the deceased apparently expired and was pronounced dead on arrival at 7:10 a.m., January 1.

A passenger in the car at the time of accident, Judith Anne Novak, 1416 Hewitt Avenue,

BRIAN P. O'CONNOR - continued

suffered cuts and bruises, it was stated.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on the date of death. This revealed subdural and subarachnoid hemorrhage; cerebral contusion; fractures of mandible; pelvic hematoma; contusions of chest, lung, abdominal wall, and aspiration of vomitus.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME LOUIS URBANSKI

Date of Death January 1

Place of Death	2954 Grand Street N. E.
Place of Injury	
Residence	Same
Sex	Male
Birthdate	October 15, 1927 Age 32
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minn.
Occupation	Carrier - U. S. Postal Service
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married
Name of Husband or Wife	Anne Urbanski
Names of Parents	Louis Urbanski Rose Ledo
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident	Carbon monoxide poisoning.
CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide	
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — Undetermined	
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery
Funeral Director	Peter Kozlak Funeral Home

Autopsy	Dr. Craig W. Freeman
Effects Taken in charge	None
	None except listed On Morgue Record
Effects Released to	
Address	

Social Security No

Veteran WW II and Korean

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 10:35 a.m., January 1, 1960.

According to the deceased's wife, Anne Urbanski, she and the deceased had been to a New Year's eve party, where they had had a few drinks, arriving home again about 1:10 a.m., January 1, 1960. When they reached home, deceased let his wife off at side of house, stating he would put the car in the garage and then come to the house.

Mrs. Urbanski states she prepared for bed and fell asleep immediately. Upon awakening shortly after 9:00 a.m., she discovered the deceased was not in bed and began looking for him. He was discovered sitting behind the wheel of his car in the garage; she touched him and he fell on his right side. The police were notified, Officers Christensen and Ignatovitch responding.

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LOUIS URBANSKI - continued

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Telander, the ambulance physician, confirmed the man's death.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on right side across seat. Ignition of 1954 Chevrolet hardtop was in an "on" position; gas gauge was empty; and the motor was stopped and cold. All windows in the car were closed. Officers stated they could smell exhaust fumes upon their arrival. The rollup door on the garage was down and latched.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on January 2. There was no demonstrable pathology. Analysis of the deceased's blood revealed that death was due to carbon monoxide poisoning.

Detective Helin was also notified and assisted in the investigation of this case.

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FULL NAME NELLIE G. RUSSELL Date of Death Fd. January 1

	Place of Death	3234 Bryant Avenue N.	Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	Feb. 22, 1900 Age 59		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Telephone Operator - railroad		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	John Russell		
	Names of Parents	Wesley Scripture Cynthia Carothers		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Pulmonary congestion and edema, etiology unknown. Chronic cholecystitis. Atrophy with hydronephrosis left kidney.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~ x			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Billman Hunt Chapel	Address	

None except listed On Morgue Record

Social Security No RR 701-14-6279

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor R. J. Havel at 11:00 a.m., January 1, 1960.

According to the deceased's husband, the decedent was under the care of Doctor N. J. Berkwitz, a psychiatrist, who had prescribed twenty 3 gr. sodium amytal tablets for her.

Husband states the deceased was believed to have taken an overdose of the medication although he had attempted to hide the prescription from her.

When deceased was discovered at 10:15 a.m. in an unresponsive condition, Doctor R. J. Havel was summoned to the residence and pronounced the deceased dead.

NELLIE G. RUSSELL - continued

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on January 1. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the toxicology before determining the cause of this woman's death.

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FULL NAME FRED H. PALMER a/k/a FREDERICK PALMER Date of Death January 1

Place of Death	5205-12th Avenue S.	Autopsy	Dr. Craig W. Freeman
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Nov. 22, 1901 Age 58		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Owner-Driver - Airway Cab Company		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		Other effects listed on morgue sheet.
Name of Husband or Wife	Margaret Palmer		
Names of Parents	Henry E. Palmer Bertha Sachs		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Occlusion anterior descending coronary artery due to coronary arteriosclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Gill Brothers, Inc.	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No. 477-18-2181

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 12 midnight on January 1, 1960.

The decedent, according to his wife, had complained of a burning sensation in his chest for the past two weeks but had not seen his physician, Dr. William Goodchild for over six months. Late on the above evening after he had retired, the man had a severe attack of pain which was thought to have been brought on by gas so his wife went to the kitchen to fix him some soda water. While she was in the kitchen, the man collapsed to the floor in the hallway of their home.

Mrs. Palmer summoned a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and the physician aboard, Dr. Simonson, pronounced the man dead on arrival at 11:55 p.m.

Fred H. Palmer (continued)

Police Officers Butler and Gustafson, Squad 165, were on the scene of this death. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this case.

A deputy coroner went to the residence and found the man lying on his back in the hallway of his home. The body, still dressed in nightclothes, was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where, at the request of the widow, an autopsy was performed the following day. This revealed the cause of death to be occlusion of the anterior descending coronary artery due to coronary arteriosclerosis.

Survivors are wife, Margaret; brother, Henry; and sister, Mrs. Sylvia Kilday, all of Minneapolis.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME HAROLD E. HEIM Date of Death January 1

	Place of Death	4107 Nokomis Avenue	Autopsy	Dr. William J. Paule
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	July 6, 1912 Age 47		
	Birthplace	Faribault, Minn.		None except listed On Morgue Record
	Occupation	Linoleum installer		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Marion E. Heim		
	Names of Parents	Joe Heim Mary Pagenkopf		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Thrombosis right coronary and left descending branch with old myocardial fibrosis, due to myocardial fibrosis, severe.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 1:35 p.m. on January 1, 1960.

On the above afternoon the decedent had been out in his yard repairing a truck tire. He finished his work and came into the house, complaining to his wife of shortness of breath and chest pain. The man had never had any known heart disease, according to Mrs. Heim, although he had been treated for pleurisy several years ago. The decedent sat down on the davenport, gasped a few times and became unconscious. Mrs. Heim summoned a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and the rescue squad, which attempted to revive the man with no success. The ambulance physician, Dr. Adellson, pronounced him dead at 1:30 p.m.

Harold E. Heim (continued)

Police Officer Herman was on the scene to investigate this death and Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this case.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and the body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue, where, at the request of the widow, an autopsy was performed later that day. This revealed severe coronary sclerosis with complete occlusion of right coronary and left anterior descending branch of the left circumflex; left ventricular hypertrophy; myocardial fibrosis with probably old posterior subendocardial scar; probably hypertrophic gastritis; nodule, left lobe of prostate.

Survivors are wife, Marion E.; daughter, Elaine; sons, Ralph and Stephen, all of Minneapolis, Richard, St. Paul; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Heim; sisters, Mrs. Donald Johnson and Mrs. James Yeager; brothers, Clifford, Herbert and Kenneth.

CORONER'S RECORD

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME MICHAEL PAVILIK

Date of Death January 1

Place of Death	2519 Ninth Street S.	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	September 29, 1890 Age 73		
Birthplace	Austria		
Occupation	Laborer (ret.)-Mpls. Moline		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Irene Pavilik		
Names of Parents	John and ? Pavilik		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Asphyxia due to hanging.		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Shariton, Iowa	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Anderson-Peterson Funeral Chapel	Address	

None except listed On Morgue Record

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 4:10 p.m., January 1, 1960.

On January 1, 1960, the deceased had been drinking and apparently had some ill words with his son, John, who left the house about 1:00 p.m. Family stated the deceased was moody and insinuated to his wife and son that he was about to take his life.

Shortly after John left the house, the deceased also left and informed his wife to have John look in the shed when he returned home because he had a surprise for him. Son returned home again about 3:45 p.m. and found his mother quite concerned because the deceased had not yet been home. John went out to the shed and found the decedent hanging from a rafter. He states he did not touch the body, but immediately called a priest and the police, Officers Monahan and St. Mane of 301 responding.

MICHAEL PAVILIK - continued

While officers were waiting for the Coroner to arrive, the rope, which was an old clothes line rope, broke of its own accord, and the decedent dropped to the floor of the shed.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on January 2. Death was attributed to asphyxia due to hanging and was ruled a suicide. Analysis of the blood indicated it contained 0.25% alcohol.

CORONER'S RECORD

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME JUANITA WHARTON

Date of Death January 1

Place of Death	4812-38th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	December 1, 1879 Age 80		
Birthplace	St. Charles, Minn.		
Occupation	Stenographer		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Hose Frank Wharton Laura Belle Stebbins		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Cerebral vascular accident. Senility.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Henry W. Anderson Mortuary	Address	

Social Security No. None

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Henry W. Anderson at 9:40 p.m. on January 1, 1960.

The decedent, who had been under the care of Dr. Marbry Duryea for some time, had had several paralytic strokes, the last one being at Christmastime. She had been confined to her bed since a stroke in September 1959 and had been under the care of a practical nurse. The woman expired at 7:30 p.m. on January 1.

The Henry W. Anderson Mortuary was notified and Mr. Anderson informed this office. A deputy coroner examined the body before it was released for burial. There was no evidence of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to cerebral vascular accident and senility.

Juanita Wharton (continued)

Survivors are sisters, Mrs. Leonard (Mabel) Torrison, Mrs. Alex (Gladness) Luce, Mrs. Don (Margaret) Bird; brother, Fred Wharton; and nephews and nieces.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME JOHN PRESTON Date of Death January 1

Place of Death	Lake Independence, Medina Village,	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Route #2, Box 51, Maple Plain, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	April 10, 1911 Age 48		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Warehouse Supt. - clothing		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Dorothy Preston		
Names of Parents	Oscar Preston Emma Gustafson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			No clothing listed on morgue sheet.
Accident	Pulmonary congestion and atelectasis, bilateral, severe, due to exposure to cold following immersion in lake when automobile broke through ice. Minimal coronary sclerosis. Moderate fatty metamorphosis of liver.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Webster Funeral Home, Maple Plain, Minn.	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Sheriff's Office at 9:45 p.m., January 1, 1960.

According to the deceased's wife, Mrs. Dorothy Preston, she and her husband, the deceased, were driving their car across Lake Independence during a snow storm at about 8:30 p.m., January 1, 1960 when the car suddenly broke through the ice. Due to the fact the car sank slowly, they were both able to crawl out of the water and onto solid ice. They managed to get approximately 200 yards from the break through which had occurred about 600 yards from shore.

Mrs. Preston states the deceased collapsed several times on the ice; she tried to assist him, but he was unable to walk. Then she decided to leave him on the ice and went in search of help. Rescuers found him in an unresponsive condition and removed

JOHN PRESTON - continued

him to the George Pieh residence at Maple Plain. Doctor L. R. Christensen from Maple Plain was summoned to the scene and pronounced the deceased dead at 9:55 p.m.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the Pieh residence and viewed the body. Deceased was found lying on living room floor with all clothes removed. Body was cold and bluish. It was stated, the clothing was frozen when body was brought into the Pieh residence. Wife stated that before she left deceased to go in search of help, she talked to him but received no response.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on January 2nd. This revealed pulmonary congestion and atelectasis, bilateral, severe, due to exposure to cold. Other findings were minimal coronary sclerosis; moderate fatty metamorphosis of liver.

Deputy sheriffs Chester Seviola and Roland Wald were notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME OSCAR L. SNYDER — Date of Death January 2

	Place of Death	Star of Bethlehem Home, 4500 Minnetonka Blvd., St. Louis Park.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	1247 Garden Avenue, Roseville, Minn.		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	July 30, 1884 Age 75		
	Birthplace	Milton, Pa.		
	Occupation	Contractor		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Fannie Snyder		
	Names of Parents	Harry Snyder Mary Hunter		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Carcinoma of stomach.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Roselawn Cemetery, Roseville, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Listoe & Wold, St. Paul, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No. 471 07 0930

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Star of Bethlehem Home at 1:15 a.m. on January 2, 1960.

The decedent, a Christian Scientist, was transferred to the Star of Bethlehem Home at 2:30 p.m. on December 31, 1959, from the Midway Hospital, where examination had disclosed terminal carcinoma of the stomach. The man expired at 12:30 a.m. on January 2, 1960.

A deputy coroner examined the body before it was released to a funeral director. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to carcinoma of the stomach.

Oscar L. Snyder (continued)

Except for wife, Fannie, names of survivors are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19....60..... WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME HUGO LOUIS BUBOLTZ Date of Death January 2

Place of Death	On sidewalk - Fourth Avenue S. and Third Street	Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$12.50; 1 glasses; 1 spectacles; 1 purse; 6 keys.
Residence	2311 Upton Avenue North		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Feb. 8, 1900 Age 59		
Birthplace	Fairfax, Minn.		
Occupation	Maintenance Man - Commerce Club		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Anna Marion Buboltz		
Names of Parents	Carl Buboltz Pauline Rebein		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Myocardial infarction with myocardial fibrosis due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis.		
~~Accident~~ x			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	Dale F. Sheets, Welander Quist Company, Funeral Dir.
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 1200 West Broadway	Address	2301 Dupont Ave. S.

Hoppes

Social Security No. 472 05 4637

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 6:00 a.m., January 2, 1960.

On the morning of January 2, 1960, the deceased, maintenance man at the Commerce Club, was clearing snow from the Fourth Avenue side of the club at 4th Avenue and 3rd Street South when he apparently collapsed. His body was discovered by John Behum, of Route #4, Anoka, at 5:45 a.m. when he arrived at the club to remove their rubbish. At this time, the decedent was lying on the sidewalk with a snow shovel in his hand in an unresponsive condition.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Simco, the ambulance physician, pronounced the decedent dead.

HUGO LOUIS BUBOLTZ - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on sidewalk on back, clothed in outdoor wear. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue.

An autopsy was performed at the morgue on January 2. This revealed myocardial infarction; myocardial fibrosis; and severe coronary arteriosclerosis.

Police officers Carlson and Knickerbocker of squad 117 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Anna; daughter, Marianne; son, Donald; 3 grandsons; sisters, Mrs. Lewis Schraeder, Fairfax, Minn., Mrs. Pauline Hendrickson of Minneapolis, and Mrs. Gertrude Stolt, Hopkins; brother, Arthur, Minneapolis.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19....60.... WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME JOHN POLCZAK Date of Death January 2

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury	2123 Third Street N. E.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Feb. 15, 1873 Age 86		
Birthplace	Poland		
Occupation	Laborer - railroad		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife	Theresa Polczak		
Names of Parents	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Fracture of right hip. Senility.		
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Peter Kozlak Funeral Home	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No None

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis General Hospital at 6:40 a.m. on January 2, 1960.

On December 16, 1959, the decedent fell down two steps at his home and sustained a fracture of the right hip. He was brought to the Minneapolis General Hospital immediately and was admitted at 7:59 a.m. An internal fixation of the fracture was done. At 5:35 a.m. on January 2, 1960, the man expired.

A deputy coroner examined the body before it was released to a funeral director. Death was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease; fracture right hip; senility.

John Polczak (continued)

Survivors are newphews, Rev. John Sliwa, Lexington, Minnesota, Joseph, Andrew and Frank Sliwa, Albert Bukowski, all of Minneapolis; niece, Mrs. H. (Catherine) Wenzel.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME WILLIAM C. KEMPFF — Date of Death January 2

	Place of Death	On sidewalk in front of - 1721 Plymouth Avenue North	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$43.36; 1 ring; 1 bankbook; 1 spectacles 1 watch; 2 purses; 6 keys.
	Residence	1402 Morgan Avenue North		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	August 27, 1894 Age 65		
	Birthplace	Pennsylvania		
	Occupation	Elevator Operator		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Sadie Kempff		
	Names of Parents	William H. Kempff August Huester		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~ x			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Charles W. Kempff, son
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1200 West Broadway	Address	1402 Morgan Avenue N.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No 468 01 3545

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 8:27 a.m. on January 2, 1960.

On the above morning, the decedent stopped to chat for about ten minutes with Saul Schwartz in front of Schwartz Cleaners and Tailers, 1721 Plymouth Avenue North. As he turned to walk away, the man suddenly collapsed to the sidewalk. Schwartz summoned a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and the rescue squad. While awaiting help, Schwartz attempted artificial respiration to no avail. Dr. Simco, the physician aboard the ambulance, pronounced the man dead on arrival at 8:05 a.m.

William C. Kempff (continued)

Police Officers G. Shoemaker and L. P. Hanson, Squad 144, were on the scene of this death. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this case.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the fully dressed man lying on his back on the sidewalk. The body was warm, there was no rigor. There was nothing to indicate other than natural cause of death, which was ascribed to arterio-sclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

The family refused permission for autopsy.

Survivors are wife, Sadie; son, Charles W.; sister, Miss Ethel Kempff, Philadelphia.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME ELMER ANDREW BJORKLUND

Date of Death Fd. January 2

Place of Death	2834 Chicago Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$4.25; 2 billfolds; 1 coin purse; 1 check book; 1 glasses; 3 keys.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Sept. 20, 1896 Age 63		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Bus Driver		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		(Clothing destroyed for sanitary reasons)
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Daniel Bjorklund Emma Beckman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Parkinson's Disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Oak Hill Cemetery	Effects Released to	Barney Anderson Funeral Home T. D. Hartmark, mortician
Funeral Director	Barney Anderson Funeral Home	Address	3644 Chicago Avenue

Hoffman

Social Security No. 469-22-4317

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 3:45 p.m. on January 2, 1960.

The decedent, who had been under the care of Minneapolis General Hospital out-patient department for heart disease and Parkinson's disease, had not been seen by the caretaker of the building, Carles Kerbaugh, or anyone else for two days. On the above afternoon a friend came over to see the man and upon entering his apartment at 3:15 found him dead on the kitchen floor. This friend notified Kerbaugh, who summoned Police.

Officers Noble and Blanchel, Squad 151, responded to the call. Detectives Short and Rieman also investigated this case.

Elmer Andrew Bjorklund (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying face down on the kitchen floor. He was fully dressed. The body was warm and there was no rigor. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Death was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease and Parkinson's disease.

Names of survivors if any are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME ANDREW CHELMAN

Date of Death Fd. January 2

Place of Death	3½ Washington Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$0.22; 1 check - returned to O.A.A. 0 for $33.37; 1 coin purse; misc. letters, etc.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	May 31, 1889 Age 70		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Nursery and Landscaping		No clothing listed on morgue sheet.
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife	Clara Olson Chelman		
Names of Parents	Lars Chelman Caroline Human		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	Vernette Chelman Goodmanson, daughter
Hoffman Funeral Director	Henry W. Anderson Mortuary	Address	1809 Carl St., St. Paul, Minn.

Social Security No 473 10 0972

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 4:00 p.m. on January 2, 1960.

The decedent, who had been under the care of Minneapolis General Hospital from time to time, had been ill for the past four days. He was last seen alive on the morning of the above date by AliceVlisich, manager of the hotel. Miss Vlisich found the man dead in his room shortly after 2:00 p.m.

Miss Vlisich summoned Police; Officers Gardner, Strom and Fox responded. Detectives Short and Rieman also investigated this case.

Andrew Chelman (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and the body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue.

There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors are sons, Melvin and Conrad; daughters, Mrs. Eleanor Nielsen and Mrs. Vernette Goodmonson; 13 grandchildren.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19.60..... WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME ALBERT JOSEPH POULIN **Date of Death** Fd. January 2

	Place of Death	659 Jackson Street N. E.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$2.00; 2 billfolds; 1 knife; 3 keys; 1 ball pen; 1 small strong box misc. papers.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	November 13, 1882 Age 77		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Occupation	Machine Tender		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Lizzie Poulin		
	Names of Parents	Theodore Poulin Edwedge Richards		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Anthony Cemetery	Effects Released to	Henry J. Milstrok, stepson
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Billman-Hunt Funeral Home	Address	20 East 19th

Social Security No 473-01-2148 and 468-07-8638

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Mrs. George Merkl, 2701 N. E. Benjamin, at 5:20 p.m. on January 2, 1960.

At 12:15 p.m. the decedent was found dead in his bed by Peter Tabaka, owner of the house where the decedent had an upstairs room. Tabaka summoned his daughter, Mrs. Merkl, who upon arrival, notified this office.

Mrs. Merkl also summoned Police. Officers Almen and Rising, Squad 125, responded. Detectives Short and Rieman also investigated this death.

Albert Joseph Pohlin (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent, dressed only in underwear, lying on his back in bed. The fingers were drying. The body was in full rigor. Tabaka stated that they had heard no noise issuing from the upstairs room since the day before.

There was no indication of other than natural cause of death in this decedent, which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a mortuary.

Survivors are daughter, Lucille York, Monravia, California; step-sons, Henry J. and Joseph H. Milstroh, Minneapolis; sisters, Mrs. Martin Swanson, Los Angeles, Mrs. Emily Sutton, Flushing, N. Y., Mrs. Lydia Misselot, Anoka.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60 — WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME JOHN J. LUPA — Date of Death Fd. January 2

	Place of Death	425 Portland Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$4.87; 1 billfold; 1 glasses; 1 coin purse; 1 key; 1 pencil.
	Residence	1501 Fifth Street N. E.		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	April 16, 1888 Age 71		
	Birthplace	Poland		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Occupation	Mailer - Mpls. Star Journal		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Mary Lupa		
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota, Minnesota	Effects Released to	Thomas F. Glodek, creditor
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Kapala Funeral Home	Address	230 13th Avenue N. E.

Social Security No 472 07 3628

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 8:45 p.m., January 2, 1960.

It was stated, the deceased was employed as an extra in the mailing room at the Minneapolis Star and Tribune on the evening of January 2, 1960. According to foreman of mailing room, Joe Hinytzke, 1330 Hill Creast Drive, the decedent was not at work when the lines began to roll in the mailing room, therefore, another employee, John Kondrak, 1434 Jefferson Street N. E., went in search of him and found him in the lavatory, apparently expired, at 7:30 p.m.

The police were notified, Officers McKee and R. Anderson of squad 117 responding. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doc tor Spellacy, the ambulance physician, confirmed the man's death.

JOHN J. LUPA - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found seated on toilet, slumped to left. Marked cyanosis of nail beds and face noted. Body was warm and there was no rigor mortis evident. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Deceased had previously had medical care for heart disease from Doctor L. A. Zaworski, however, this was some time ago.

Family of the deceased were opposed to an autopsy.

Survivors of the decedent include 3 daughters, Miss Helen and Miss Phyllis, and Mrs. Stanley Mirocha; 4 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren.

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FULL NAME MYRTLE MARY REID Date of Death January 2

	Place of Death	8425-77th Avenue North, Brooklyn Park, Minn.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	July 18, 1894 Age 65		
	Birthplace	Okoboji, Iowa		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Irwin Reid		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	John Crowell Mary Robinson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Sundseth Anderson Funeral Home	Address	
			Social Security No	
			Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Quentin Johnson, driver for Smith Ambulance Company, at 12:35 a.m. on January 3, 1960.

The decedent, according to her son, had appeared to be under considerable strain following the death of her husband late in November, 1959. She had been under the care of Dr. Ralph Stromgren but as far as the son knew his mother had no heart trouble. However, for the past several days the woman had been short of breath and had had frequent coughing spells. On the night of January 2, the woman awakened from sleep with gasping sounds and suddenly collapsed. This was at 11:55 p.m.

A Smith ambulance was summoned to take the woman to Swedish Hospital; she was pronounced dead on arrival.

Myrtle Mary Reid (continued)

Brooklyn Park Police investigated this death.

A deputy coroner examined the body before it was released to a funeral director. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME CARL B. CARLSON — Date of Death January 3

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. John I. Coe
Place of Injury	1333 East Franklin Avenue	Effects Taken in charge	22 keys; 1 bankbook #40236 $987.78- Mpls. Savings & Loan Co.; 1 Howard pocket watch; 1 billfold.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 20, 1888 Age 71		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Truck driver - retired		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ ~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ Homicide ~~Undetermined~~	Myocardial infarction, acute, due to thrombosis right coronary artery, due to coronary arteriosclerosis. Cerebral contusion resulting from assault and battery by another person.		
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	Leonard A. Nelson
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1825 Chicago Avenue	Address	3041 13th Ave. S., Minneapolis, Minn.

Hoffman

Social Security No. 476 05 4889A

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 9:00 a.m., January 3, 1960.

Medical records at Minneapolis General Hospital indicate the deceased was admitted to hospital from 1333 East Franklin Avenue at approximately 11:43 p.m., December 29, 1959, following a beating. He was comatose on admission.

Bilateral trephine surgery and a tracheotomy were done during early morning hours of December 30. Deceased failed to respond to hospital treatment, expiring at 8:40 a.m., January 3, without regaining consciousness.

The beating apparently took place in Apartment 22 at the Franklin address, the apartment of Lillian Gulbranson, age 40. The deceased occupied the apartment

CARL B. CARLSON - continued

below her. Mrs. Gulbranson states a Clare R. Hendrickson, age 28, whom she has known for several years, administered the beating. From time to time he has stayed in her apartment; apparently she has asked him to leave many times. She states he forced his way into her apartment on the evening of December 29, 1959 and she summoned the deceased, Carl Carlson, for help by a pre-arranged signal because they had been expecting trouble from Hendrickson. When deceased arrived at her apartment, he asked Hendrickson to leave; a scuffle ensued with Hendrickson knocking the deceased to the floor. After deceased was down, Hendrickson kicked him several times in the head according to Mrs. Gulbranson. Then Hendrickson left the apartment.

Herman Kunde, age 74, of Apartment 30, and Christine Wiklund, of Apartment 48, both heard the commotion and came to the scene of the assault.

Mrs. Gulbranson directed officers to home of Viola Larson, 815 E. 18th Street, Apartment 234, in search of Hendrickson; he was not apprehended until the following day however. He has a previous record of 90 days for assault and battery which he began serving on September 15, 195; he was released on December 4, 1959.

An autopsy was performed on the body of deceased at the Hennepin County Morgue on date of death. This revealed myocardial infarction, acute; thrombosis of right coronary artery; and coronary sclerosis. Other findings were severe ecchymosis of both eyes, upper and lower lids; and cerebral contusion. No skull fracture was found.

Police officers Gruman and Meagher of squad 164 answered the initial call. Detectives Anschutz and Blanche, Finn and Pfeiffer continued the investigation.

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FULL NAME FRANS EMIL OLSON

Date of Death January 3

	Place of Death	2618 Lincoln Street N.E.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	July 24, 1879 Age 83		
	Birthplace	Sweden		
	Occupation	Farmer		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Cerebral vascular accident		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Chisago Cemetery Center City, Minnesota	Effects Released to	
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Billman Hunt Chapel	Address	

Social Security No None

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. D. M. Thysell at 9:25 a.m. on January 3, 1960.

The decedent, according to his family, had been up and around yesterday and apparently felt all right. However, on the above morning he complained to his sister of a severe headache and dizziness and indicated that he would remain in bed. The sister gave him a glass of milk and went downstairs to prepare breakfast. She heard him complain that the headache was getting worse. She hurried upstairs to his aid and found him unconscious. Dr. Thysell was summoned and he pronounced the man dead on arrival at 9:20 a.m. The body was warm and there were no signs of other than natural cause of death.

Frans Emil Olson (continued)

A deputy coroner examined the body before it was released to a funeral director. Death was ascribed to cerebral vascular accident.

Survivors are sisters, Mrs. Minnia Youngren, Mrs. Alma Palmquist, both of Minneapolis, and Mrs. Nannie Akerlund, Chisago City.

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FULL NAME MAGGIE A. RAAS

Date of Death January 4

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	1325 27th Avenue South		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	March 8, 1887 Age 72		
	Birthplace	Missouri		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Fred Raas		
	Names of Parents	Frank and Susan Allen		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Bronchopneumonia, bilateral, and pulmonary edema with hydrothorax, bilateral. Myocardial fibrosis. Coronary sclerosis. Generalized arteriosclerosis.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Gill Brothers, Inc.	Address	
			Social Security No.	
			Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 12:50 a.m., January 4, 1960.

According to Minneapolis General Hospital medical records, the deceased was admitted to the hospital at 6:22 p.m., January 3, 1960 after apparently taking an overdose of aspirin. She expired shortly after admission, death occurring at 12:15 a.m., January 4.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on the date of death. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the toxicology, before determining the cause of this woman's death. Gross findings at time of autopsy were old myocardial infarcts (3); bilateral hydrothorax; marked bilateral pulmonary edema; prepyloric ulcer of lesser curvature; generalized atherosclerosis; moderate coronary arteriosclerosis; chronic pyelonephritis; and bronchopneumonia.

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Survivors of the decedent include her husband, Fred; and one son, Kenneth A., Columbus, Ohio.

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FULL NAME MARTIN N. GONZALES

Date of Death January 4

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Robert D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury	In doorway of - 200 S. 12th Street	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	1411 Eighth Ave. N.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Nov. 12, 1909 Age 50		
Birthplace	Birth		
Occupation			
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced			
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Exposure to cold due to acute alcoholism.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	The Albin Chapel	Address	

Guthrie

Social Security No.

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. Martin Peterson, Minneapolis General Hospital, at 8:25 a.m. on January 4, 1960.

The decedent, a disabled World War II veteran on pension, was found lying in the entrance of 200 South 12th Avenue by Police on the above morning. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned. The man expired at 8:15 a.m. shortly after arriving at the hospital. It was noted that the decedent had been very cold.

An autopsy was performed later that day at the hospital. This revealed metamorphosis of the liver; mild pulmonary emphysema; cortical adenoma of the kidney.

Martin N. Gonzales (continued)

Analysis of the decedent's blood by the toxicological chemist revealed 0.14% alcohol.

Death was ascribed to exposure to cold due to acute alcoholism.

Survivors are daughters, Mrs. Hope Urvina and Mrs. Benny Garcia, Minneapolis; son, Martin, Randolph AFB, San Antonio, Texas; 2 grandchildren.

After examination by the Coroner, the body was released directly from the hospital to a mortuary.

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FULL NAME HENRY J. ADELMANN Date of Death January 4

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Donald J. Reynolds
Place of Injury	26th and Penn Avenue North	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	4210 James Avenue N.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	September 20, 1892 Age 67		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Salesman - advertising		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Lucy Noethen Adelmann		
Names of Parents	William Adelmann Mary Leach		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~ Accident-Auto ~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~ ~~Undetermined~~	Bronchopenumonia, bilateral, severe, due to subdural and subarachnoid hemorrhage with brain contusion, due to skull fracture sustained when struck by automobile.		
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	R. F. Bertch & Company Funeral Home	Address	

Guthrie

Social Security No

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Swedish Hospital at 9:10 a.m., January 4, 1960.

At approximately 2:36 p.m., December 30, 1959, the deceased, a pedestrian, was injured critically when struck by a car, a 1951 Studebaker, bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 3A 8492, while crossing Penn Avenue North approximately 30 feet south of 26th Avenue.

Larry Keith Olson, age 21, 2630 Girard Avenue North, driver of the car involved, was completing a turn onto Penn Avenue North from 26th Avenue when he struck the decedent. Driver claims his view was blocked by a car waiting for signal to cross.

The injured man was removed to Minneapolis General Hospital where he received emergency treatment. Later the same day, deceased was transferred to Swedish

HENRY J. ADELMANN - continued

Hospital, being admitted there at 6:40 p.m., December 30, where he was placed under the care of Doctor P. J. Schultz.

Deceased failed to respond to hospital treatment, expiring at 5:35 a.m., January 4.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on the date of death. This revealed extensive bronchopneumonia, bilateral; subdural and subarachnoid hemorrhage with brain contusion; skull fracture, comminuted, left parietal bone; and old coronary occlusion and myocardial fibrosis.

Police officers Haukom and Carlson were notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Lucy; two sons, William and Claude; one daughter, Mrs. Stanley Pschken; two brothers, John and Adolph, all of Minneapolis; and 6 grandchildren.

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FULL NAME WILLIAM A. CHESNEY Date of Death January 4

	Place of Death	2805 Polk St. N. E.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	September 3, 1895 Age 64		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Salesman - Crane Company		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Ada Donnahue Chesney		
	Names of Parents	Joseph Chesney Emma Stalzer		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Anthony Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	R. F. Bertsch & Company	Address	

Social Security No 472 05 5194

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance driver at 9:30 a.m. on January 4, 1960.

The decedent had not been under the care of a physician for some time, although his wife stated that he had been treated for high blood pressure at one time. The man had returned home from work on the above morning because of a burning sensation in his stomach that later extended to his chest. Mrs. Chesney summoned a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance but the man was dead on arrival, death having occurred at 9:00 a.m.

Police Officer Greeley, Squad 125, was on the scene to investigate.

William A. Chesney (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the residence and examined the body before it was released directly to a mortuary. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death, which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors are wife, Ada; step-son, Roger Kindom; 3 grandchildren; brothers, Joseph and Frank; sister, Mrs. Ray (Marie) Schneider, all of Minneapolis

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FULL NAME ANDREW PEARSON

Date of Death Fd. January 4

	Place of Death	Foster Hotel, 25 S. Second Street	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Feb. 14, 1887 Age 72		
	Birthplace	Unknown		
	Occupation	Laborer - railroad		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Unknown		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Unknown		Clothing list on morgue sheet.
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial		Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	Department of Anatomy, University of Minnesota	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 11:20 a.m. on January 4, 1960.

According to Frank Rezny, day clerk at the hotel where the decedent lived, the man had not been seen for about four days. Wondering if something was amiss, Rezny entered the man's room about 11:15 a.m. on the above date and found him dead.

Police were summoned; Officers R. C. Strom and D. Schilz, patrolmen on the beat, responded. Detectives Short and Rieman also investigated this case.

Andrew Pearson (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and the body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Since the decedent had no funds for burial and since there were no relatives known to the Coroner's Office who could arrange for the burial of the man, it was necessary to release his body to the Department of Anatomy of the University of Minnesota.

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FULL NAME DONALD N. HORAN

Date of Death Fd. January 4

Place of Death	1205 Hawthorne Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$36.05; 1 billfold; 1 glasses; 9 keys; 1 Westclox wrist watch; 2 rings; 1 check book.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	February 22, 1904 Age 55		
Birthplace	Cedar Rapids, Iowa		
Occupation	Instructor - Court Reporter		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	? and ? Horan		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Chronic asthma		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	Effects Released to	Howard Horan, brother
Funeral Director	Burr Funeral Home	Address	3233 Iowa Avenue, Cedar Rapids, Iowa

Wright

Social Security No 479-03-0497

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 1:45 p.m. on January 4, 1960.

On the above afternoon, according to Selmer Larson, caretaker, who lived in Apartment B at 1205 Hawthorne Avenue, the Minnesota School of Business secretary telephoned him and asked him to check to see if the decedent were ill since he had not come to work at the school that morning. Larson, who had last seen the man alive on January 2, complied with this request and found the man dead on his bed. This was at 1:10 p.m.

Larson summoned Police; Officers Brady and Dunstone, Squad 119, responded. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this death.

Donald N. Horan (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on his bed under blankets, one hand holding tight to the frame at the head of the Murphy bed. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease and chronic asthma.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

The family refused permission for autopsy.

Except for H. A. Horan, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, names of surviving relatives are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME ALVIN B. JENSEN Date of Death January 4

Place of Death	1828 Como Avenue S. E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$.04; 1 billfold.
Residence	2732 Nicollet Avenue		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	January 25, 1898 Age 61		
Birthplace	Hillsboro, North Dakota		
Occupation	Shipping Clerk - Distributing Co.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife	Helen Jensen		
Names of Parents	Arnold B. Jensen Barbara Saude		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	Mrs. A. B. Corcoran, sister
Funeral Director	Albin Funeral Chapel	Address	5732-22nd Avenue South

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Wright

Social Security No

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 4:00 p.m., January 4, 1960.

On January 4, 1960, the deceased was working as a helper for Mr. W. H. O'Brien, 6239 Aldrich Avenue South, a fruit trucker. While making a delivery at the Rhoades Grocery, 1828 Como Avenue Southeast, the decedent suddenly collapsed after taking a loaded two-wheel truck into the store.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Sanntog, the ambulance physician, pronounced the decedent dead, death apparently occurring about 3:30 p.m.

ALVIN B. JENSEN - continued

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on floor in front part of store, fully clothed, with head toward east door. Body was warm and there was no rigor mortis evident. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Family of deceased refused permission for an autopsy.

Police officers Lestersen and Larson of squad 123 were notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME EUGENE O. FREY Date of Death Fd. January 5

Place of Death	City Jail	Autopsy	Dr. John I. Coe
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$10.25; 1 coin purse; 1 comb; 2 keys; 1 ball pen; misc. papers.
Residence	1169 Churchill, St. Paul, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	May 5, 1920 Age 39		
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minn.		
Occupation	Musician (organist)		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Oscar E. Frey Lydian Janz		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Pulmonary congestion and edema, indeterminable etiology.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Oscar G. Frey, brother)
Funeral Director	Kenneth F. Spielman Mortuary, St. Paul, Minn.	Address	1768 Randolph Ave., St. Paul 5, Minn.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Kaplan

Social Security No 476-24-0091

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 8:17 a.m., January 5, 1960.

According to personnel at the City Jail, the deceased was brought to jail from Minneapolis General Hospital. Other prisoners stated they heard him moving about in his cell about 4:00 a.m., January 5, 1960, however, he was found dead in his cell at 8:00 a.m. that morning when roll call was made. His body was discovered by Russell Philstrom, who found the deceased sitting up with head bent over.

Upon arrival of a deputy coroner, the deceased was lying on right side in bunk, fully clothed. Some crusted blood noted on left side of face. Rigor mortis had begun to develop. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue.

EUGENE O. FREY - continued

Mr. Strain, an employee of the Record Department at Veteran's Hospital, Minneapolis, and also a friend of the decedent, stated the decedent is an accomplished musician. The records indicate the deceased had grand mal seizures in March of 1954 and that the decedent was a known barbiturate user.

A brother of the deceased, Oscar Frey, informed this office that the deceased was A.W.O.L. from Veterans Hospital in Tomah, Wisconsin, and that arrangements had been made to take him back today (January 5th). He also stated the decedent was a drug addict.

An autopsy was performed at the morgue on January 5. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic examination before determining the cause of this man's death.

3-24-60: This date a police report was received in this office which indicates the deceased was arrested at the Nicollet Hotel at 9:30 p.m., January 4, 1960 for drunkenness by Officers McKee and R. Smith of squad 117. He was picked up by the police wagon by Officers William Gardner and Leonard Miller. At the time of arrest, he was bleeding from cut on forehead and was, therefore, taken to Minneapolis General Hospital's receiving department by the wagon for examination by an intern. Laceration was treated and it was determined that he did not need further medical attention and was turned over to the wagon crew. Deceased was placed on bench in wagon; there were no other prisoners in the wagon. Upon arrival at the City Jail, deceased was found lying on floor of wagon and had sustained another minor injury to his face which was bleeding. He was booked in City Jail at 10:30 p.m. by Officer Ole Cleveland and Jailor Johnnie Esler and placed in B block.

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FULL NAME MARY REDER

Date of Death Fd. January 5

	Place of Death	100 East 16th Street	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	June 21, 1877 Age 82		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Michael Lardy Katherine Asselborn		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Peter's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 11:25 a.m. on January 5, 1960.

The decedent was under treatment at the Minneapolis General Hospital out-patient department for diabetes and was last seen there on December 27, 1959. She was found dead in her bed at 11 a.m. on January 5.

Police were summoned; Officers Madson and Gebanahan, Squad 118, responded.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and examined the body, which was in full rigor and cold. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Mary Reder (continued)

The body was released directly to a funeral home from the residence.

Survivors are sons, John, Yakima, Washington, Matthew, St. Cloud, Minnesota, Peter, Lewiston, Montana, Almo, San Diego, California; daughters, Mrs. Knute Nelson, Mrs. Aaron Johnson, Mrs. Thomas Woods, Minneapolis; brother, Ben Lardy, Thief River Falls, Minnesota; sister, Mrs. Susanna Greisen, Minneapolis; 29 grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren.

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FULL NAME ALVIN ERICKSON Date of Death Fd. January 5

Place of Death	City Workhouse (Parker's Lake), Plymouth Village, Minn.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Acme Hotel, 223½ Marquette Ave.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	February 4, 1906 Age 53		
Birthplace	Bagley, Minn.		
Occupation	Unknown		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Unknown		
Name of Husband or Wife	Unknown		
Names of Parents	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial		Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Department of Anatomy, University of Minnesota	Address	

None except listed On Morgue Record

Kaplan

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Parker's Lake City Workhouse at 12:45 p.m. on January 5, 1960.

The decedent, who had been in the workhouse many times because of inebriation, was admitted again on December 31, 1959, and put in cell 212, cell block A. He was found dead on his bed at 12 noon on January 5.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent, fully dressed, lying on his back on his bed. There was no rigor. There was ecchymosis of the right eye. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Alvin Erickson (continued)

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue. Since the decedent had no funds for burial and there were no relatives known to the Coroner's Office who could arrange for the burial of the decedent, it was necessary to release his body to the Department of Anatomy of the University of Minnesota.

CORONER'S RECORD

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME ERNEST B. NORDENSON

Date of Death Fd. January 5

Place of Death	2821-26th Ave. S.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$3.00; 1 billfold; 1 glasses; 1 knife; 1 Elgin pocket watch.
Residence	2529 East 22nd Street		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Nov. 27, 1901 Age 58		
Birthplace	Manistique, Michigan		
Occupation	Assembler - Mpls. Moline		Other effec's listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Siri A. M. Nordenson		
Names of Parents	Andrew Nordenson Amanda Pearson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	Welander Quist Company By: Marlin K. Rosen, Fun. Dir.
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1825 Chicago Avenue	Address	1825 Chicago Avenue

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Social Security No 475-03-0910

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 4:15 p.m. on January 5, 1960.

Late in the afternoon of the above day the decedent stopped in front of 2821 26th Avenue South and got out to clean his car windows. He was found collapsed on the street by Julius Kass, 1100 Knox Avenue North, who summoned Police. Kass stated to Police Officers, Alfred and Brink, Squad 164, who received the call, that he had found the man thus at 3:55 p.m. Police received the call at 3:58 p.m.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene and the physician aboard, Dr.Adelson, pronounced the man dead on arrival.

Ernest B. Nordenson (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying face down on the street. There was no rigor. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a mortuary.

Survivors are wife, Siri; sister, Mrs. Evelyn Lindgren; brother, Harold Nordenson, all of Minneapolis.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60 WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME JOSEPH PALAIA a/k/a PALAIN Date of Death Fd. January 5,

	Place of Death	About 200 feet north of Highway #15, Spring Park Village,	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$3.02; 1 billfold; 1 lock; 1 knife; 2 keys.
	Residence	34 Washington Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Unknown Age 79		
	Birthplace	Italy		
	Occupation	Laborer (ret.) City of Mpls. Paving Dept.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Anthony Cemetery	Effects Released to	Gill Brothers By: Art Johnson, Fun. Dir.
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Gill Brothers, Inc.	Address	1414 Laurel Avenue

Social Security No. Unknown

Veteran Unknown

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Hennepin County Sheriff's radio at 4:35 p.m. on January 5, 1960.

The decedent, a retired worker for the Paving Department of the City of Minneapolis, was last seen alive two days previous. He was found dead at 4:30 p.m. on the above date by a neighbor, Dennis Arrington, who immediately notified the Sheriff's office. Don Wilkes of the Spring Park Police responded to the call.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent, fully dressed, lying on his back on the bed in his heatless little shack. The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a mortuary.

Joseph Palaia (continued)

There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19..60..... WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME EUGENE HUESMAN Date of Death January 5

Place of Death	In automobile en route to - St. Andrews Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Robert Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	1840 Colorado Avenue, St. Louis Park, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	November 17, 1907 Age 52		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Display man - men's clothing		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Jane Huesman		
Names of Parents	Augustin Huesman Eva Motzko		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Occlusion anterior descending branch of left coronary due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Waterston Funeral Home	Address	

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Social Security No 473-01-2720

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the St. Andrews Hospital at 8:06 p.m. on January 5, 1960.

The decedent, who had had a severe headache all day long, came home from work and collapsed. Mrs. Huesman telephoned Dr. Harry Johnson, who told her to bring the man to St. Andrews Hospital. Accompanied by her daughter, Mary Jo, Mrs. Huesman took the decedent by automobile to the hospital. He was dead on arrival at 7:20 p.m.

The body was removed to the waterston Funeral Home where an autopsy performed the following day revealed occlusion of anterior descending branch of left coronary artery; marked sclerosis of right circumflex branch of right coronary artery; right myocardial infarct; probable pulmonary edema; probable fatty metamorphosis of liver; benign nodular hyperplasia of prostate; granulomas of spleen, old.

Eugene Huesman (continued)

Survivors are wife, Jane; daughter, Mary Jo, son, William Arthur; brother, Arthur, sister, Josephine Gatten.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME JOHN D. EKSTRUM Date of Death Fd. January 5

Place of Death	1005 Portland Avenue	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	1 Colt Automoatic 1911 model
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 15, 1905 Age 54		
Birthplace	Unknown		Other effec's listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Fleet Sales Manager - Downtown Chevrolet		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife	Elma A. Ekstrum		
Names of Parents	John D. Ekstrum Ida K. Nelson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Gun shot wound of head.		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects Released to	P.F.C. John F. Alt, Jr.
Kaplan Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	Ft. Snelling Military police

Social Security No 469 01 0930

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 12:40 a.m. on January 6, 1960.

The decedent, according to his daughter, Kathryn, had been despondent since the death of his wife, Elma, last July. From December 2 to December 23 the man had been hospitalized at St. Barnabas because of a heart condition and had been under the care of Dr. William E. Proffitt, Jr. Since his discharge from the hospital, the daughter stated, the man had been very worried about his health.

The man was last seen alive by Kathryn at 2:30 p.m. on January 5, when she left for St. Barnabas Hospital where she is employed as a nurse's aide. When Kathryn returned from work at 11:45 p.m. she found her father dead, a gunshot wound in his right temple.

John D. Ekstrum (continued)

Kathryn summoned Police; Officers Nelson and Thompson, Squad 118, and Detectives Pfeiffer and Finn went to the scene. Detectives Short and Rieman also investigated this case.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on his left side on the living room floor. He was dressed in pajamas and a sport coat. There were powder burns on the right temple. The body was warm and in slight rigor. A .45 caliber U.S. Army pistol with one bullet fired lay nearby. The bullet had entered the man's right temple, passed through his head and entered the west wall of the living room one foot from the ceiling.

Present on the scene when the deputy coroner arrived were, besides the above mentioned Police and Detectives, daughter Kathryn and son Jay David Ekstrum and his wife.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy performed later that morning revealed the point of entry of the bullet to be the right fronto-temporal region and the point of exit the left fronto-temporal region; multiple skull fractures; laceration of brain; subarachnoid, subdural and epicelial bleeding; moderate generalized coronary arteriosclerosis; subpleural atelectasis, left lower lobe.

Survivors are daughters, Mrs. Vernon Doss, Albert Lea, Kathryn, Carol Holly and Hazel Lynn; sons, J. David and Mark; mother, Mrs. Ida Ekstrum; brothers, Robert and Bertil.

CORONER'S RECORD

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME HALSEY JOHN HOOSLINE

Date of Death January 6

Place of Death	North Memorial Hospital, Robbinsdale, Minn.	Autopsy	Dr. Wayne A. Chadbourn
Place of Injury	Highway 65 and Mississippi St. N. E., Fridley, Anoka Cty., Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	R. R. #1, Anoka, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	April 16, 1908 Age 51		
Birthplace	Minnesota		No clothing listed on morgue sheet.
Occupation	Janitor		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Bernice Hoosline		
Names of Parents	Charles Hoosline (?) Madison		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident -Auto	Diffuse subarachnoid hemorrhage over entire brain with brain contusion, due to extensive depressed skull fracture over right parietal and occipital area, due to automobile accident.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Forest Hill Cemetery, Anoka, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Thurston & Sons, Anoka, Minnesota	Address	

Kaplan

Social Security No

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by North Memorial Hospital at 4:00 a.m., January 6, 1960.

At approximately 9:35 p.m., January 5, 1960, the deceased, a passenger in a car driven by his son, Neil R. Hoosline, age 27, 625 Madison, Anoka, Minn. was critically injured when the vehicle collided with another car at Highway 65 and Mississippi Street Northeast, in Fridley.

The Hoosline vehicle, a 1950 Ford bearing 1959 Minnesota license #3W 3644, was northbound on Highway 65 at the time it collided with another car, a 1952 Chevrolet bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 5D 3909, carrying six teenagers who were returning from a basketball game in Columbia Heights. Driver of the second car, David Thompson, age 17, 3819 Polk Street Northeast, Minneapolis, apparently went through a stop sign at the intersection.

HALSEY JOHN HOOSLINE - continued

Deceased was removed to North Memorial Hospital, via ambulance, being admitted the same evening with head injuries. He expired the following day, January 6, at 3:20 a.m.

Also admitted to the hospital for treatment of injuries incurred in this accident were the deceased's two sons, Neil Hoosline, driver of the Hoosline car, and Halsey, Jr., age 12, Sue Starry, age 16, 4405 2nd Street N. E., Barbara Yaeger, age 15, and Richard Yaeger, age 12, both of 4701 Central; David Johnson, age 16, 4938 Fifth Street N. E., Robert Dahlaeger, age 17, 4221 Quincy Street N. E., and David Thompson, driver of the other car involved.

Body of deceased was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed diffuse subarachnoid hemorrhage over entire brain; brain contusion; and extensive depressed skull fracture over right parietal and occipital area.

Officer H. Voigt of the Fridley Police Department was notified and attended the scene of accident.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19.60 WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME DENNIS P. DUGGAN Date of Death January 6

Place of Death	2316 Aldrich Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 13, 1929 Age 30		
Birthplace	Andalusia, Illinois		
Occupation	Salesman - Broadway Automotive		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Janne T. Duggan		
Names of Parents	Charles P. Duggan Edith Gibbs		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary insufficiency. Hypothyroidism. Obesity.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan Funeral Director	Flynn and Son Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran WW 1951-1953

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 4:55 a.m. on January 6, 1960.

In the past the decedent had been under the care of Dr. J. Y. Feinstein, who had treated him for hypothyroidism, extreme obesity and coronary insufficiency. However, Dr. Feinstein had last seen the man on May 9, 1959.

At 4:30 a.m. the man attempted to get out of bed but fell back and became unconscious. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned and the physician aboard pronounced the man dead on arrival.

Police Officer Anderson, Squad 151, was on the scene to investigate this death.

Dennis P. Duggan (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and examined the body before it was released directly to a mortuary. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to coronary insufficiency, hypothyroidism and obesity.

Survivors are wife, Joanne T., sons, Charles Joseph and Kevin Patrick; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Duggan.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19.60 WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME IRENE M. DE COURCY Date of Death January 6

	Place of Death	Abbott Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Craig W. Freeman
	Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	4000 Ingelwood Avenue, Morningside, Minn.		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	March 16, 1898 Age 61		
	Birthplace	Cosmos, Meeker County, Minn.		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Ernest J. DeCourcy		
	Names of Parents	Henry E. Dahl Annie J. Nelson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Multiple small pulmonary emboli, right lung. Fracture neck right femur. Occlusion anterior descending coronary, old. Pneumonectomy, left, old. General debility.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Abbott Hospital at 5:50 a.m., January 6, 1960.

The deceased was admitted to Abbott Hospital on December 24, 1959 because of her poor physical condition. She has a long and complete record at this hospital where she has been a patient of Doctor A. Boyd Thomes.

On December 27, 1959, the deceased fell out of bed, sustaining a fracture of her right femur. Because of her poor physical condition, no surgery was attempted. The decedent expired at 5:25 a.m., January 6.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This revealed multiple small pulmonary emboli of right lung; fracture neck of right femur; occlusion of anterior descending coronary, old; pneumonectomy, left, old; and general debility.

IRENE M. DE COURCY - continued

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, Ernest J.; a son, Robert E. of Chicago; a granddaughter; brothers, Harvey and Arnold Dahl of Los Angeles, Calif.; sisters, Mrs. Jack Baker of Seattle, Mrs. Leon Albright and Mrs. Esther Ziegler of Portland, Oregon.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME AGNES D. MILLER a/k/a MARY MILLER Date of Death Fd. January 6

	Place of Death	1225 Hawthorne Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$4.34; 1 coin purse.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	May 19, 1872 Age 87		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Clerk		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Thomas S. Miller		
	Names of Parents	John and Clare Donovan		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	Gill Brothers By: Art Johnson
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Gill Brothers, Inc.	Address	1414 Laurel Ave.

Social Security No None

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 10:30 a.m. on January 6, 1960.

At 7:00 a.m. on the above morning, Mrs. Florence Brown tried the bathroom door on the 4th floor and found that it was locked; at this time she noted that the door to the decedent's room was standing open. At 9:30 Mrs. Brown tried to get in the bathroom once more and found that the door was still locked. She thereupon notified the manager of the building, Mrs. Schoonever, who asked walter Jernverg, 1518 Linden Avenue, who happened to be visiting someone on the 4th floor, to break down the bathroom door. Jernverg complied and the decedent was found to be inside dead.

Police were summoned; Officers Foreman and Dunstone, Squad 119, responded. Detectives Short and Rieman also investigated this case.

Agnes D. Miller (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the elderly woman sitting partially on the toilet and slumped to the right over the tub. There was livor of the face and right arm and the body was in early rigor. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Names of survivors, if any, are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60 WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME FRANCIS A. STARK Date of Death January 6

Place of Death	Veterans Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. James Roman
Place of Injury	777 Dupont Ave. N., Apt. 92	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Nov. 12, 1872 Age 87		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Farmer (retired)		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Louise G. Stark		
Names of Parents	Lars Stark Kaise Peterson		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Extradural and subdural hematoma, due to accidental head injury from fall. Contusion left external ear; intertrochanteric fracture left femur; hypertensive cardiovascular disease; hemorrhagic diathesis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
uthrie Funeral Director	Albinson Peterson Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran Spanish American War

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. Semba of the Veterans Hospital at 12:55 p.m. on January 6, 1960.

The decedent fell on the floor of his home at 6:45 a.m. on January 2, according to the hospital records, and sustained a intertrochanteric fracture of the left femur. He was brought to the Veterans Hospital the following day and the fracture was pinned shortly after admission. The man expired at 10:20 a.m. on January 6.

An autopsy performed at the hospital later that day revealed the cause of death to be extradural and subdural hematoma due to accidental head injury from fall; contusion left external ear; intertrochanteric fracture left femur; hypertensive cardiovascular disease; hemorrhagic diathesis.

The body was released from the hospital directly to a mortuary.

Francis A. Stark

Except for wife, Louise G., names of survivors are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60 — WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME WILLIAM T. LOPP — Date of Death January 6

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. E. A. Hanske
Place of Injury	Lake Street & 29th Avenue South	Effects Taken in charge	No
Residence	5304-35th Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Feb. 4, 1893 Age 56		
Birthplace	Hanover, Ill.		
Occupation	Lathe Operator, Minneapolis Moline		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Minnie Lopp		
Names of Parents	William J. & Minnie Lopp		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident -Auto	Pulmonary emboli. Severe intra-cerebral hemorrhage right side. Fracture neck of right femur and left ankle.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No 468-07-8122

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Deaconess Hospital at 2:45 p.m., January 6, 1960.

At approximately 6:15 p.m., November 7, 1959, the deceased, a pedestrian, was seriously injured when struck by a car, a 1939 Ford, bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 5F5207, while attempting to cross East Lake Street about 100 feet east of 29th Avenue South.

Driver of the car involved, Dean S. Long, age 17, 2935-46th Avenue, Minneapolis, was traveling east on Lake Street at the time the accident occurred. Long swerved to avoid the deceased and struck another car, a 1953 DeSota bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 3M 5871, driven by Elroy Kaski, age 33, 456 N. Fairview, St. Paul, who was driving west on Lake Street.

William T. Lopp - continued

The injured man was removed by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital where he received emergency treatment. Later the same day, he was transferred to Deaconess Hospital and placed under the care of Doctors W. F. Widen, David R. Johnson and Sheldon M. Lagaard.

After deceased became comatose on November 10, 1959, bilateral trephine surgery was performed. Deceased was unable to recover from his injuries, death occurring at 2:25 p.m., January 6.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital at 4:30 p.m. on date of death. This revealed pulmonary emboli; severe intra-cerebral hemorrhage of right side; fracture of neck of right femur and fracture of left ankle.

Police officers Sorenson and Swenson were notified and attended the scene of accident.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19....60.....

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME ANTON KALLESTAD

Date of Death January 6

Place of Death	In ambulance en route to Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 Waltham wrist watch
Residence	6012 10th Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	September 19,1891 Age 68		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Shoemaker		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			(No clothing listed on morgue sheet)
Names of Parents	Johannes Kallestad Anna Opsanger		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	Barney Anderson Funeral Home By: K. D. Hartmark, mortician
Hoppes Funeral Director	Barney Anderson Funeral Home	Address	3644 Chicago Avenue
		Social Security No	None
		Veteran	No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance at 6:30 p.m. on January 6, 1960.

According to the decedent's relatives, the man had had a cold for the past week and on the morning of January 5 became very ill with respiratory distress. Mid-afternoon on the following day his condition worsened and he could not breathe except with extreme difficulty. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned but, according to a nephew, the ambulance was not sent for several hours because the persons contacted at the hospital did not consider this case a real emergency. Therefore, an Olsen ambulance was called to take the decedent to the Minneapolis General. The man expired en route at 6:25 p.m. In the meantime a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance had been dispatched.

Anton Kallestad (continued)

The body was brought directly to the Hennepin County Morgue by the Olsen ambulance.

According to Minneapolis General records, the man had been a patient there. He was last seen on March 31, 1958, when he had been examined in the psychiatry department. He was a chronic alcoholic and had siezures of unknown etiology.

Death was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19.60 WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME RICHARD F. CARLETON Date of Death Fd. January 6

Place of Death	5201 Morgan Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Robert D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	November 15, 1926 Age 33		None except listed On Morgue Record
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	None		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Frank H. Carleton Eloise W. Webster		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Status epilepticus, etiology unknown.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No 473-26-5784

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. Adam Smith at 7:00 p.m. on January 6, 1960.

The decedent, according to his parents, had had a convulsion at the age of 6 years which was followed by whooping cough and a mastoid operation. He was taken into the Army when he was 18 years old and after service training at Fort Collins, Colorado, was sent overseas in April of 1944. He was discharged in August of 1946. There was no history of seizures while in service but a psychosis developed in the man and he was hospitalized in 1948 in the Veterans Hospital in St. Cloud where he was considered to be a mental patient. He started at this time to have seizures.

Recently, the man's parents had made arrangements to hospitalize him again. On the afternoon of January 6, the parents returned home to find their son lying dead on the bathroom floor. This was at 6:00 p.m.

Richard F. Carleton (continued)

Dr. Smith was summoned, together with a Smith ambulance, but the physician pronounced the man dead on arrival. Dr. Smith stated that the decedent had shoveled snow for him a few days before and seemed to be all right physically then.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and the body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue.

The parents were eager to have an autopsy performed. This was done the following day and revealed status epilepticus; bilateral pulmonary congestion, marked; bilateral pulmonary edema; congestive hepatomegaly.

Survivors are parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Carleton; brother, Charles W.; sister, Mary F., all of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME DONALD C. IVERS Date of Death January 6

	Place of Death	2539 Fourth St. N. E.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Feb. 14, 1895 Age 64		
	Birthplace	Heartland, Minn.		
	Occupation	Engineer - American Linnen		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Marie Ivers		
	Names of Parents	Thomas Ivers Hannah Chapman		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~ x			
	~~Suicide~~ x			
	~~Homicide~~ x			
	~~Undetermined~~ x			
	Place of Burial	Riverside Cemetery, Grantsburg, Wis.	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Peter Kozlak Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 10:50 p.m. on January 6, 1960.

The decedent had been treated for a heart condition by Dr. Russell C. Lindgren and always kept nitroglycerine tablets close by. On the above evening, the man had a sudden attack of chest pains and collapsed over the dining room table before he could get to his nitroglycerine tablets. This was at 10:40 p.m.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned and the physician aboard, Dr. Spellacy, pronounced the man dead on arrival. He was then lying on the dining room floor.

Police Officers Arneson and Eberlein, Squad 124, were on the scene to investigate.

Donald C. Ivers (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and examined the body before it was released directly to a mortuary. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Except for wife, Marie, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME BERTHA FORSELL Date of Death January 6

	Place of Death	Park Avenue Rest Home, 2401 Park Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	2905 - 11th Ave. S.		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	Unknown 1868 Age 91		
	Birthplace	Wisconsin		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	(?) Forsell		
	Names of Parents	Peter and Emma Johnson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Hypertensive cardiovascular disease with valvular heart disease. Senility.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Thomson Brothers Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Thomson Brothers Funeral Home at 4:05 p.m. on January 7, 1960.

The decedent had been living at the Park Rest Home since 1957 and had not lived at 2095 11th Avenue South since 1917. In the interim she had been a patient in the Minnesota Sanatorium, Willmar State Hospital and other state institutions. She had been under the care of Dr. W. B. McMurtrie, who stated the woman had hypertension and mitral insufficiency. Mrs. Connor, nurse in charge of the Park Avenue Rest Home, stated that the doctor had examined the decedent at the home in October of 1959 and had prescribed for her over the telephone on December 24, 1959. Although the woman's death came suddenly at 6:05 p.m. on January 6, she had been failing in health for some time.

Bertha Forsell (continued)

The body was removed to the Thomson Brothers Funeral Home and since Dr. McMurtrie stated that he had not seen the woman as a patient since September, 1958, this office was notified. A deputy coroner examined the body before it was released and found no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to hypertensive cardiovascular disease with valvular heart disease and senility.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME WALTER HERBERT RISCHMILLER Date of Death January 7

	Place of Death	5345-47th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	October 31, 1905 Age 54		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Steamfitter - plumbing and heating		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Esther M. Rischmiller		
	Names of Parents	Rischmiller Mary Bilges		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Asthma.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Pleasant View Gardens, Dakota County, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Barney Anderson Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No 473 01 3256

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 4:30 a.m. on January 7, 1960.

The decedent had been under the care of physicians at the Belzer Clinic and was last seen there in August 1959. He had had tuberculosis at one time and had been a patient at the Walker Sanitarium. However, the tuberculosis had been arrested for about five years. The man was awakened by sharp chest pains and left arm pains early in the morning of January 7. According to his wife, Esther, he was in agony until his nose began to bleed; this gave some relief. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned and the physician aboard pronounced the man dead on arrival, death having occurred at 3:57 a.m. while he was sitting at the kitchen table.

Police Officers Butler and Conn were on the scene to investigate this death.

Walter Herbert Rischmiller (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and examined the body before it was released directly to a mortuary. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Except for wife, Esther, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME CHARLES J. RUDQUIST

Date of Death January 7

Place of Death	6044 Hampshire Avenue North, Crystal Village, Minn.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 3, 1882 Age 77		None except listed On Morgue Record
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Conductor - railroad		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Olive Rudquist		
Names of Parents	Axel and (?) Rudquist		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Borgholm Cemetery, Milaca, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Elmer E. Johnson, Milaca, Minn.	Address	

Hoffman

Social Security No

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Sheriff Robert Lindgren, Crystal Village, at 1:55 p.m. on January 7, 1960.

The decedent, according to his wife, had had medical care at the Milwaukee Road Railroad Hospital in Miles City, Montana, because of a heart condition. He had had intermittent chest and left arm pain usually following exertion such as bicycle riding, shoveling snow and so forth. On the above date the man had been shoveling snow. He came into the house and complained of severe chest pain and left arm pain. He sat down, began to cough and suddenly slumped over. This was at 1:30 p.m.

Mrs. Rudquist summoned the sheriff for help and he notified this office of the death.

Charles J. Rudquist (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and the body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Except for wife, Olive, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME HENRY N. NELSON Date of Death January 7

Place of Death	In automobile - 37th & University Ave. N. E.	Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$48.56; 1 billfold; 1 glasses; 1 wrist watch - Grand Prix election.
Residence	505 Seventh St. S. E.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	May 7, 1899 Age 60		
Birthplace	Minnesota		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Janitor		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Frances Nelson		
Names of Parents	Nels Nelson Betsy Holverson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Myocardial infarct with myocardial fibrosis, due to coronary arteriosclerosis. Cardiomegaly.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota, Minn.	Effects Released to	L. Shwarek, Funeral Dir. Peter Kozlak Funeral Home
Hoffman Funeral Director	Peter Kozlak Funeral Home	Address	Minneapolis, Minn.

Social Security No. 407-22-3471

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 2:40 p.m. on January 7, 1960.

About 2:15 p.m. the decedent was driving his 1956 blue Plymouth, bearing 1959 Minnesota licence No. MA6386, south on University Avenue when the automobile suddenly veered over into the northbound lane toward an automobile, a Ford, being driven by Duane A. Paschka, age 26, 807 South 22nd Avenue. According to Paschka, he stopped his automobile but that of the decedent continued forward, striking Paschka's vehicle head-on.

Police were summoned and Albert Linboe, Squad 515, responded.

Henry N. Nelson (continued)

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned and the physician aboard pronounced Nelson dead on arrival.

A deputy coroner went to the scene of the accident and found the decedent slumped behind the wheel of his automobile. The body was warm, there was no rigor, and no marks to indicate other than natural cause of death.

A bottle of nitroglycerine was found in the man's pocket, prescribed by Dr. J. S. Blumenthal.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy performed the following day revealed the cause of death to have been myocardial infarct with myocardial fibrosis due to coronary arteriosclerosis; cardiomegaly.

Survivors are wife, Frances; sisters, Mrs. Bertha Eckl, St. Paul and Mrs. Gina Landru, Brandon, Minnesota.

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FULL NAME JOHN ELSEN, SR.

Date of Death Fd. January 7

	Place of Death	Loretto Village, Minn.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	October 30, 1885 Age 75		
	Birthplace	Holland		
	Occupation	Farmer		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Elizabeth Elsen		
	Names of Parents	Nicholas Elsen Marie DeLew		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial		Effects Released to	
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Boyce Funeral Home, Delano, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Hennepin County Sheriff's Office at 3:32 p.m. on January 7, 1960.

The decedent, a retired farmer, had had no recent regular medical attention. About 2 p.m. on the above date he went out to clear the driveway of snow. At 3:10 p.m. Mrs. Elsen saw him lying out in the snow. She called her son, who carried the man into the house and summoned Dr. P. J. Guilfoile of Delano. Dr. Guilfoile pronounced the man dead on arrival.

Officer Kenneth Lundberg, Squad 722, Hennepin County Sheriff's Office, was on the scene to investigate this death.

John Elsen, Sr. (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on a couch. The body was cool, cyanotic, and there was no rigor. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was released directly to a mortuary.

The family did not desire an autopsy.

Survivors are wife, Elizabeth; daughters, Sister M. Flavia, SSND and Sister Honore, SSND; sons, Nick, John Jr. and Al; 8 grandchildren; 6 brothers and 4 sisters.

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FULL NAME MARY J. FINSTROM Date of Death Fd. January 7,

	Place of Death	812 East 14th Street	Autopsy	Dr. Robert D. Bloemendaal
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$2.41; 1 cloth handbag; 2 coin purses; 2 safety deposit keys; 6 keys; 2 scissors; 6 ball pens; 1 bankbook #13169 $5,461.14 N. W. National Bank; postage stamps.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	Nov. 6, 1881 Age 78		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Clerk - Amluxen's		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Eric Finstrom Carrie Larson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Lobar pneumonia right lung, with emphysema left lung. Severe coronary arteriosclerosis. Cardiac hypertrophy. Generalized arteriosclerosis. Nephrosclerosis.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	Fred D. Melrose, nephew
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Washburn-McReavy Mortuary	Address	2511 Pennsylvania Ave. South, Mpls. 26,
			Social Security No	468-03-3292
			Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 5:35 p.m. on January 7, 1960.

The decedent, according to a niece, Mrs. Dale Stanchfield, had been ill with the flu for the past several days although she did not complain of any pain. Prior to this bout she had worked quite regularly at Amluxen's, where she was employed as a clerk. About 2 p.m. Mrs. Stanchfield came over to see her aunt but received no reply to her knocking. At 5:10 p.m., Albert Granquist, caretaker of the building, noted that the woman's mail was still outside the door so he entered the apartment to find the woman unconscious. Granquist summoned Mrs. Stanchfield, who called a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and the rescue squad, who attempted to revive the woman with no success. At 5:30 p.m. the physician aboard the ambulance pronounced the woman dead.

Police Officers Morse and Smith, Squad 118, were on the scene to investigate this

Mary J. Finstrom (continued)

death. Detectives Short and Rieman also investigated this case.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the fully dressed decedent lying on her back on the bed. The body was warm, there was no rigor, there was minimal dry mucosa of the mouth. There were no marks to indicate other than natural cause of death.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed the following day. This revealed lobar pneumonia, right lung; emphysema, left lung; bilateral hydrothorax; severe coronary arteriosclerosis; generalized arteriosclerosis; generalized cardiac hypertrophy; cirrhosis of the liver; cyst of the left ovary; obesity; nephrosclerosis.

Survivors are nieces, Mrs. Marion Cokley and Mrs. Evelyn Stanchfield; nephews, Chester, Clifford and Fred Melrose, all of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME VERN LEONARD VON ESCHEN Date of Death January 7,

	Place of Death	Mound Village, Minn.	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 Masonic ring; 1 Elgin wrist watch.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	October 8, 1909 Age 50		
	Birthplace	Ortonville, Minn.		
	Occupation	Plumber		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Helen Von Eschen		
	Names of Parents	George A. Von Eschen Bertha Zumack		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Acute enterocolitis, etiology undetermined. Pulmonary congestion and focal pulmonary hemorrhages. Mild fatty metamorphosis of liver.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Union Cemetery, Mound, Minn.	Effects Released to	P. Seifert, Funeral Director
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Seifert Funeral Home, Mound, Minn.	Address	Mound, Minn.

Social Security No 469-05-4572

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor C. V. Carlson, Mound, Minn. at 7:00 p.m., January 7, 1960.

At approximately 3:00 p.m., January 7, 1960, the deceased became ill with vomiting and severe abdominal pain. For lunch on this date, the deceased was said to have eaten part of a ham which had been left over from a previous meal. Doctor Carlson saw the decedent for the above complaints about 5:15 p.m.

After the physician's departure, the deceased began to have diarrhea. Shortly thereafter, he suddenly gasped and became unresponsive. Neighbors summoned the Fire Department rescue squad and mouth to mouth resuscitation was commenced until arrival of rescue squad, however, the decedent failed to respond. He was pronounced dead at 6:30 p.m., January 7.

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Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on bed with blotchy livor of arms. Body was warm and slight cyanosis noted. There was no rigor mortis. It was stated, deceased has history of having been involved in an auto accident in spring of 1959, sustaining a head injury.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on January 8. This revealed acute hemorrhagic gastro-enteritis; hemorrhage in and about the area of pancreas; mild coronary and generalized arteriosclerosis; and diverticulum of duodenum. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the toxicology and microscopic examination before determining the cause of this man's death.

Officer Ralph Korozer of Mound was notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Helen; daughter, Mrs. James VanGuilder; sons, John, George, Vallery and Vern, Jr.; also 2 grandchildren; 4 brothers and two sisters.

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FULL NAME ERWIN W. ZAHN Date of Death Fd. January 7

	Place of Death	127 East 15th Street	Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$0.30; 1 billfold; 1 pipe; 1 glasses; 1 nail clipper; 1 knife; 2 lighters; 13 keys; 1 Elmont wrist watch; 1 tape measure; 1 wedding ring.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	May 19, 1911 Age 48		
	Birthplace	Wisconsin		
	Occupation	Painter		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Antonia Zahn		
	Names of Parents	Frank and Rose Zahn		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Pulmonary congestion and edema, etiology unknown.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	Irvin Glenn Zynn, son
Hoffman	Funeral Director	McDivitt Hauge Chapel	Address	139 E. 15th Street

Social Security No. 395-09-2599

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 7:30 p.m., January 7, 1960.

About 6:30 p.m., January 7, 1960, Melvin Teiman, caretaker at above address, found deceased lying face down, apparently expired, under bottom stairs at rear of building at 127 E. 15th Street, at basement level. The police were notified, Officers Smith and Morris of squad 118 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Telander, the ambulance physician, confirmed the man's death.

It was stated, the deceased had last been seen alive by his wife shortly before 5:00 p.m. at which time she allegedly left for the coroner grocery store. Upon her return, he was absent from the apartment. Deceased maintains a small shop in the basement of the apart-

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ment house which is located about 30 feet from where body was discovered. The shop was found locked.

Irvin Glen Lynn, age 21, 139 E. 15th Street, Apartment 5, stepson of deceased, stated he and the deceased have had many disagreements. Apparently stepson was quite argumentative and described the deceased as a "slob" and spoke of great dislike for deceased. He and deceased allegedly had a fight two weeks ago. A note was found on body of deceased addressed "To Whom It May Concern" stating that if anything should happen to him that his stepson would be a likely suspect because of previous problems he has had with him.

Wife states deceased occasionally blacked out; this would often occur when deceased would look up. He has no history of any serious illness or prior medical care.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to scene and viewed the body. Deceased was fully clothed with exception of cap which was nearby. Small abrasions noted on face and some dirt; hands of deceased were cool and there was no rigor. There was no indication of violence noted.

Remains were removed to Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on morning of January 8. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic and toxicological examination before determining the cause of this man's death.

Detectives Cronstrom, Stenberg, Short and Rieman assisted in the investigation of this case.

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FULL NAME HARRY HERMAN BLESI — Date of Death January 8

Place of Death	In automobile - Plymouth & Washington Aves. N.	Autopsy	Dr. Edward Segal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$76.11; 1 Kodak camera; 1 billfold; 1 Wyler wrist watch; 1 glasses; 1 samll package; 4 keys; 1 knife; 1 glasses; 1 notebook; 1 bankbook-#31486-$5,208.83 Twin City Federal; 1 bankbook #56835-$5,043.75 F & M Savings Bank.
Residence	R. F. D. #1, Osseo, (Dayton), Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 9, 1889 Age 70		
Birthplace	Dayton Township, Minn.		
Occupation	Farmer (retired)		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Name of Husband or Wife	Sadie Blesi		
Names of Parents	Henry Blesi Magdalene Muller		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Occlusion left descending coronary artery due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis, with myocardial fibrosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	Champlin Cemetery, Champlin, Minn.	Effects Released to	Wayne C. Blesi, son
Funeral Director	Thurston & Sons, Anoka, Minn.	Address	5924 W. Broadway

Wright

Social Security No. 475-18-7466

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 11:05 a.m. on January 8, 1960.

At 10:45 a.m. on the above morning, the decedent was driving north on Washington near Plymouth Avenue in his 1952 Plymouth 4-door automobile, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 3A1635, when the vehicle was seen to weave into an opening in a line of cars parked on the east side of Washington. The decedent's automobile rammed into the rear of a parked Ford owned by Dwight Lincoln, RFD 1, Box 194, Excelsior, and pushed the Ford into the rear of a parked truck owned by Winship Frozen Foods, Hopkins. There was no damage to the latter.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned but the man had expired before it arrived.

Harry Herman Blesi (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the elderly man slumped over the steering wheel of his automobile. The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue, where an autopsy was performed later that day.

This revealed the cause of death to be occlusion left descending coronary artery due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis with myocardial fibrosis.

Except for wife, Sadie, names of survivors are not known to this office.

Officers Jacobson and Wishart, Squad 515, were on the scene to investigate this accident.

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FULL NAME HERMAN WILLEKE — Date of Death January 8

Place of Death	40 East Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$6.80; 1 coin purse; 1 billfold; 1 folder; 1 glasses; misc. papers; 1 key.
Residence	6 Grove St., Apt. 5		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 16, 1886 Age 73		
Birthplace	Carroll County, Iowa		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Laborer - railroad		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Joseph Willeke Theresa Achroeder		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Maple River, Iowa	Effects Released to	Kenneth Thoreson, Funeral Director
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	2301 Dupont Avenue S.

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Social Security No 471-14-0319

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 8:32 a.m. on January 8, 1960.

The decedent, a recipient of old age assistance and social security, went into Stanley's Bar, 40 East Hennepin, on the above evening and just as he ordered a drink collapsed on the bar, gasping. He expired shortly thereafter at 8:20 a.m. and the body slid to the floor.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned and the physician aboard, Dr. Spellacy, pronounced the man dead on arrival.

Police Officers Erickson and Vooge, Squad 125, were on the scene to investigate this death. Detectives Short and Rieman also investigated this case.

Herman Willeke (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and the body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME HJALMER A. LEE Date of Death January 8

	Place of Death	2112 South 7th Street	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	February 12,1883 Age 76		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Sign Painter		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Clara Lee		
	Names of Parents	John and (?)Lee		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	McDivitt-Hauge Chapel	Address	

Social Security No. 469-34-2865

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. H. B. Sweetser at 8:15 p.m. on January 8, 1960.

The decedent had had chest pains for the past week, coupled with a feeling of numbness in the left thumb. On January 4, following a walk out in the cold, the pain was particularly distressing. On the evening of January 8, the man's son, Clarence H. Lee, returned from work to find his father complaining of these pains again. The son rubbed the elder Lee's chest for a time and left him to rest. A short time later the son heard peculiar noises and went in to find the man dead.

Dr. Sweetser was telephoned and he in turn notified this office.

Hjalmer A. Lee (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the residence to examine the body before it was released directly to a mortuary. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors are sons, Clarence H., Kenneth F. and Rolland C.; daughter, Mrs. LaVerne Marraquin; 3 granddaughters, Mrs. Marguerite Olson, Miss Sharon Lee and Miss Gloria Marraquin; 3 great-grandchildren.

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FULL NAME LAWRENCE J. KNAPP Date of Death January 8

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury	Washington & First Aves. N.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	1226 Marquette Avenue		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	June 15, 1912 Age 47		
Birthplace	St. Cloud, Minn.		
Occupation	Track maintenance - railroad		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife	Catherine Jaeger		
Names of Parents	August Knapp Hedwig Weisbrich		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident -Auto	Massive gastro-intestinal hemorrhage due to erosion of blood vessel in gastric and esophageal ulcers. Uremia. Compound fracture left tibia and fibula.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Wright Funeral Director	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

Social Security No. 472-01-6378

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 7:40 p.m., January 8, 1960.

At approximately 1:45 a.m., December 24, 1959, the deceased, a pedestrian, was seriously injured when struck by a car, a 1949 Buick, bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 3U 2995, while attempting to cross Washington Avenue North, about 25 feet east of First Avenue North.

Lauren E. Lewis, driver of the car involved, age 32, 5007 - 61st Avenue North, was driving on Washington Avenue and the decedent was crossing in a northerly direction near the intersection of First Avenue North. Driver apparently did not see deceased until time of impact.

The injured man was removed by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital, being admitted on

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date of injury with compound fracture of left leg. While hospitalized, the deceased developed uremia and gastrointestinal hemorrhage which could not be controlled by transfusions and treatment. He expired at 6:30 p.m., January 8.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on January 9. This revealed massive gastrointestinal hemorrhage due to erosion of blood vessel in gastric and esophageal ulcers; uremia; and compound fracture of left tibia and fibula.

Police officers C. W. Larson and Aigner of traffic squad 515 were notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include a son, Jerry, U. S. Navy; his mother, Mrs. August Knapp; brothers, Raymond, Joseph and John, Minneapolis, Donald, U. S. Navy; sisters, Mrs. Margaret Erickson and Mrs. Grover Shearer, Minneapolis, Mrs. Edward Traegde, San Diego, California.

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FULL NAME KARL ANDRIST

Date of Death Fd. January 9

Place of Death	3332 West 32nd Street	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	January 13, 1897 Age 62		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Violin teacher		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Alice Andrist		
Names of Parents	Charles Andrist Emily Miller		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary insufficiency due to coronary arteriosclerosis. Fatty metamorphosis of liver. Bilateral pulmonary congestion.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	

Social Security No. 477-34-0751

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the family physician, Doctor Smith, at 7:00 a.m., January 9, 1960.

At 7:30 p.m., January 8, 1960, the deceased arrived home intoxicated. He complained of feeling chilled on his arrival home and said that he did not feel like eating his dinner. Deceased went into the dining room and sat in a chair, leaning forward in an odd manner.

Wife states the deceased acted rather silly so she helped him to lie down on the dining room floor and covered him with blankets. She left him there when she retired but checked on him again at 1:00 a.m., January 9th; at this time,she was unable to feel his pulse but found his body so warm that she was certain he was all right. Upon awakening at 7:00 a.m. that morning, she realized there was no life and called Doctor Smith to the residence. The physician confirmed the man's death.

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According to Mrs. Andrist, the decedent rarely indulged in alcoholic beverages, therefore, she thought the few drinks he had consumed had had an unusual effect on him.

Remains were removed to the Welander Quist Mortuary where an autopsy was performed on January 9. This revealed bilateral pulmonary edema; moderate coronary sclerosis; fatty metamorphosis of the liver; and benign prostatic hypertrophy. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic and toxicological examination before determining the cause of this man's death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Alice; stepson, Doc tor Henry Carleton of Los Angeles, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. James P. Johnson of Portland, Oregon, Mrs. Carle Zimmerman of Winchester, Mass.

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FULL NAME WILLIAM TROOT Date of Death Fd. January 9

	Place of Death	318 Groveland Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	$12.08; 1 leather folder; 1 billfold; 1 bankbook #18379 $1483.38 First National Bank.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	August 6, 1889 Age 70		
	Birthplace	Belgium		(No clothing listed on morgue sheet)
	Occupation	Farmer		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Unknown		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Joseph and (?) Troot		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
	~~Accident~~ xx			
	Suicide	Asphyxia due to hanging.		
	~~Homicide~~ x			
	~~Undetermined~~ x			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Juliette Kinder, niece
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Lake Funeral Chapel	Address	Box 281, Hamles, Ohio

Social Security No. 476-10-4933

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 2:40 p.m. on January 9, 1960.

Last September the decedent, a World War I veteran, was referred to the boarding house at 318 Groveland Avenue by a social worker at the Veterans Hospital. Records at the hospital indicate that the man had kidney and heart ailments and was a victim of despondency. He stayed at the boarding house until December 1959, at which time he once more entered the Veterans Hospital for treatment. He was discharged from the hospital on January 8 and brought back to the boarding house where he arrived at 5 p.m. Jack Conway, landlord of the boarding house, last saw the man alive at about 11 a.m. on January 9, just before Conway went out to shop. When Conway returned at 2:30 p.m. he found the decedent hanging from a shower curtain rod, the shower curtain having been used as a rope.

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Conway summoned a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and the physician aboard, Dr. Strait, pronounced the man dead on arrival.

Detectives McHale and Beaty were on the scene to investigate this death. Detectives Short and Rieman also investigated this case.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent hanging as described, his feet just touching the floor. A belt and a necktie had also been looped around the shower rod. The decedent's body was dressed in long underwear and sox. The body was warm and there was no rigor.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Death was ascribed to asphyxia due to hanging.

The only survivor known to this office is a niece, Mrs. L. Kindler, Hamler, Ohio.

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FULL NAME GEORGE EDGAR OWEN

Date of Death January 9

	Place of Death	3406 Emerson Avenue N.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	October 7, 1900 Age 59		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Broom salesman		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Carrie Owen		
	Names of Parents	Gilbert Owen Ellen Handberg		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Sundseth Anderson Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. None

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Sundseth-Anderson Funeral Home at 3:50 p.m. on January 9, 1960.

The decedent, who was blind and got around with the aid of a seeing-eye dog, had been under the care of Dr. Peter Baleisis for a heart condition. He had last been seen by his physician about two months ago. He had not been feeling well during the past week. The man was found dead at 3:30 p.m. in the hallway of his residence by Don Dodge, 4837 36th Avenue South. The man had been scrubbing the floor apparently for his mop pail was beside him.

Sundseth-Anderson was notified and they in turn summoned this office.

George Edgar Owen (continued)

A deputy coroner examined the body before it was released to the funeral director. There were no indications of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors are mother, Mrs. Ellen Olen; son, George, Jr., Chicago; brother, Arthur; sister, Mrs. Agnes Anderson; nieces and nephews.

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FULL NAME ANDREW PETER BENGSTON Date of Death January 10

Place of Death	349 Garfield Street N. E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Warren, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 4, 1872 Age 87		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Farmer		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Carrie Bengston		
Names of Parents	Bengt and Mary Anderson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Generalized arteriosclerosis.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Warren, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company	Address	

Social Security No. None

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the decedent's daughter at 11:30 a.m. on January 10, 1960.

The decedent had had several small strokes during the past year; the man was very feeble and senile. He had been under the care of Dr. Carle H. Holmstrom, Warren, Minnesota, but had last been seen by him in July of 1959. Since September the man had been living with a daughter at 349 Garfield Street, N.E. At 10:25 a.m. on the morning of January 10 the decedent was having a cup of coffee at the kitchen table when he slid onto the floor and expired a few minutes later.

A deputy coroner went to the residence and found the decedent, fully dressed, lying on the kitchen floor. The body was warm and there was no rigor. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease and generalized arteriosclerosis.

Andrew Peter Bengston (continued)

The body was released from the residence directly to a mortuary.

Survivors are wife, Carrie; daughters, Mrs. Myrtle M. Powell, Mrs. Hazel E. Berge and Mrs. Leone A. Neighbors, all of Minneapolis; son, Quentin L., Lincoln, Nebraska; 4 grandchildren; 1 great-grandchild; 10 nieces and nephews.

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FULL NAME ANNA B. KRUEGER — Date of Death January 11

	Place of Death	4331 Girard Avenue North	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	October 28, 1875 Age 84		
	Birthplace	Rockford, Minn.		
	Occupation	Housewife & Kitchen helper-Daytons		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Emil Krueger		
	Names of Parents	Mathias Zepfi Agatha Strife		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Elmwood Cemetery, Rockford, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1200 West Broadway	Address	

None except listed On Morgue Record

Social Security No. 473-26-4340A

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis General Hospital at 1:15 a.m. on January 11, 1960.

The decedent, a recipient of social security, had not been feeling well for some time, but,according to her daughter with whom she had lived for the past ten years, refused to consult a physician. At 12:15 a.m. on the above date, the woman expired. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned and Dr. Spellacy, the physician aboard, pronounced her dead on arrival.

Police Officers D. E. Hanson and G. Millman were on the scene to investigate this death. Detectives Short and Rieman also investigated this case.

Anna B. Krueger (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the residence and the body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a mortuary. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors are daughters, Miss Emma Krueger and Mrs. Minnie Beier; sister, Miss Rose Zopfi, all of Minneapolis; half-brother, Albert Zopfi, Anoka; grandson, Harold Beier; nieces and nephews.

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FULL NAME GUY H. TEN EYCK — Date of Death January 11

Place of Death	D.O.A. St. Louis Park Fire Station, 5923 W. 37th St., St. Louis Park,	Autopsy	Dr. Craig W. Freeman
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 key; 1 knife; 1 box snuff.
Residence	4125 Utica Avenue, St. Louis Park, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	April 1, 1900 Age 59		
Birthplace	Wayzata, Minn.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Equipment Opr.-St.Louis Park, Street Dept.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Olive Ten Eyck		
Names of Parents			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Occlusion anterior descending and right circumflex coronary arteries due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis. Hypergensive cardiovascular disease. Cardiomegaly.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	Harold Peterson, brother-in-law
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	Monticello, Minn.

Hoppes

Social Security No 470-20-8252

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the St. Louis Fire Department at 9:40 a.m., January 11, 1960.

It was stated, the deceased apparently felt quite well on the morning of January 11, 1960, however, he had lost several days work one week ago due to the "flu" and was, therefore, taking things rather easy. He was on duty for the St. Louis Park street department on this date.

On County Road 18, near Wayzata Boulevard, in St. Louis Park, the deceased suddenly collapsed in the truck. A fellow worker immediately drove him to the St. Louis Park Fire Station at 5923 West 37th Street, where oxygen was administered to no avail.

Doctor Robert A. Green of the St. Louis Park Medical Center was summoned to the scene.

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Upon his arrival, the physician pronounced the decedent dead, death apparently occurring about 8:45 a.m.

Doctor Edward Murphy has been treating the deceased for hypertension. He first treated deceased on October 15, 1959 at which time deceased's blood pressure was 210/30. On October 26th, his blood pressure registered 110/90; the following month, November 11th, it was 160/88. He had not seen the decedent since that time.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased was cold but no rigor mortis was evident. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue.

An autopsy was performed at the morgue on date of death. This revealed occlusion of the anterior descending and right circumflex coronary arteries; severe coronary arteriosclerosis; hypertensive cardiovascular disease; and cardiomegaly.

Officer Bob Standahl of the St. Louis Park Police Department was notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Olive; daughter, Mrs. Frank Moran; son, William; a sister, Mrs. Harold Peterson of Monticello, Minn.; and three grandchildren.

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FULL NAME BEATRICE A. BUTTS

Date of Death January 11

Place of Death	Doctor's Memorial Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Aina Galejs
Place of Injury	Pleasant Nursing Home, 2548 Pleasant Avenue	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	72 Willow Street		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Sept. 27, 1886 Age 73		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	George Butts		
Names of Parents	Howard W. Malcolm Ellem Miller		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Hypostatic pneumonia due to fracture, intertrochanteric, left femur and left humerus.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctors Memorial Hospital at 4:05 p.m. on January 11, 1960.

On January 5 the decedent fell to the floor of the Pleasant Nursing Home and sustained a fracture of the left femur and the left humerus. She was taken to Doctors Memorial Hospital where she was admitted at 6:20 p.m. on the same day. On January 8, an internal fixation was done on the femur; the humerus was treated by traction with Kirchner wire. The woman contracted pneumonia and expired at 3:40 p.m. on January 11.

Beatrice A. Butts (continued)

An autopsy was performed later that day at the hospital. This revealed the cause of death to be hypostatic pneumonia due to fracture, intertrochanteric, of the left femur and left humerus.

Survivors are sons, Edgar A., Charles and Frederick Charles, Rochester, Minnesota; 4 grandchildren; sister, Mrs. Lillian M. Larkin; brother, H. R. Malcolm, both of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME HENRY M. ERPELDING Date of Death Fd. January 11

Place of Death	107 South Second Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$20.53; 1 key; 1 billfold; 1 coin purse; 1 folder.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	September 21, 1881 Age 78		
Birthplace	Iowa		
Occupation	Freight man - Great Northern RR.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Nicholas Erpelding Magdalen Leske		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Anthony Cemetery	Effects Released to	Harry Nye, Funeral Director Peter Kozlak Chapel
Hoppes Funeral Director	Peter Kozlak Funeral Home	Address	Minneapolis, Minn.

Social Security No 473-12-0663

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 5:15 p.m. on January 11, 1960.

The decedent, a recipient of old age assistance and railroad retirement pay, was last seen alive by his fellow hotel residents on January 9. He was found dead in his bed in Room #28 by John Bellinger, hotel clerk, at 4:00 p.m. on January 11.

Bellinger summoned Police and Officers Niessen and Klaus responded. Detectives Cronstrom and Gugisberg also investigated this death.

Henry Erpelding (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the hotel and found the decedent lying across his bed. The body was cold and rigid and severe rigor was noted. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME DOROTHY EDITH BUEHLER — Date of Death January 11

Place of Death	Highway No. 52, north of Cty.Rd. No. 30, Maple Grove Village,	Autopsy	Dr. Wayne A. Chadbourn
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	$28.48; 1 key; 1 Omega wrist watch; 2 rings - clear stones; 1 handbag; misc.
Residence	524 Benton Street, Anoka, Minn.		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	June 7, 1916 Age 43		
Birthplace	Gage County, Nebraska		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Orville A. Beuhler		
Names of Parents	Ernest Doty Edith Mort		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ xx			
Accident-Auto	Traumatic shock due to extensive basal skull, pelvic, sternal and rib fractures, with hemothorax, and fractures right radius and ulna, and right femur, due to automobile accident.		
~~Suicide~~ xx			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Forest Hill Cemetery, Anoka, Minn.	Effects Released to	C. B. Thurston, Funeral Director
Hoppes Funeral Director	Thurston & Sons, Anoka, Minn.	Address	Anoka, Minn.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Sheriff's Office at 6:30 p.m., January 11, 1960.

At approximately 5:39 p.m., January 11, 1960, the deceased, a passenger in a car driven by Arnold Anderson, age 46, 743 Polk Street, Anoka, Minnesota, was fatally injured when the vehicle collided with another car, a 1957 Plymouth Convertible, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. MF 1792, driven by Kay Knick, age 21, 1918 West 66th Street, Minneapolis, on Highway 52, approximately 6/10 mile north of County Road 30, in Maple Grove Village.

According to deputy sheriff Seitz, the cars collided when the speeding Knick vehicle, which was being pursued by Osseo Police Chief Gerald Getchell, skidded on a patch of ice and swerved into the southbound lane. The deceased was pinned in the Anderson vehicle, a 1955 Chevrolet bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 3A 6494, and expired before she could be removed, death apparently occurring about 6:15 p.m., January 11.

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A third car, a 1956 Pontiac bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 5P 8402, driven by Elmer Downing, age 42, 1026 Fremont, Anoka, which was following the Anderson machine, was unable to stop and crashed into the Anderson car. There was little damage to this third automobile and no injury to the occupants.

The Anderson machine was traveling south on Highway 52 when the Knick vehicle went out of control and slid into its pathway, causing a head-on collision. Arnold Anderson, driver of the Anderson machine, and his wife, Eleanor, sustained injuries and were removed to North Memorial Hospital via ambulance. Kay Knick, driver of the second car involved, and her passenger, Richard Robinson, age 27, 3422 Lincoln Street Northeast, Minneapolis, also incurred injuries and were taken to North Memorial Hospital.

Body of the deceased was removed to Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on January 12. This revealed basal skull fracture with hemorrhage; bilateral hemothorax; fracture of right ulna and radius; fracture of right femur; fracture superior ramus of pubic bone, bilateral; fracture 5th rib on right and 5th rib on left; fractu e of sternum; multiple small intraabdominal hemorrhages; minor laceration and hemorrhage of liver; bilateral laceration of pleura; and retrovisceral hemorrhage.

Officer Don Warneke of Brooklyn Park was also notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, Orville; daughter, Dorothy Anne; sons, Maurice Lee and Larry.

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FULL NAME VIRGINIA E. ELLISON

Date of Death Fd. January 11

	Place of Death	4001 Third Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	7 keys; 1 suit case misc.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	May 14, 1898 Age 61		
	Birthplace	Bedford, Virginia		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	George Ellison		
	Names of Parents	John Cobb Anna Thompson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	Mrs. Josephine Veasey, sister
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Woodard Funeral Home	Address	3178 E. 121 St., Cleaveland 20, Ohio

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 8:15 p.m. on January 11, 1960.

The decedent was last seen alive on January 8. When she failed to appear to do her customery housework for Rabbi M. A. Shapiro, he tried to telephone her. When after repeated calls he still failed to get a response, Rabbi Shapiro notified Police who gained entrance to the woman's house and found her dead.

Police Officers Hokans and Olson, Squad 152, investigated this case. Detectives Short and Rieman also investigated.

Dr. Louis A. Fried, her physician, had seen her last on November 27, 1959.

Virginia E. Ellison (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the woman lying on her bed dressed in night clothes. The body was cold, rigid and slightly decomposed. The eyes were quite dried out and bulging due to thyroid disease. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a mortuary.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME HAROLD M. LIND

Date of Death Fd. January 12

Place of Death	In automobile - in alley rear of 3139 Pierce St. N. E.	Autopsy	Dr. Rob't. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge **	$10.35; 1 ball pen; 1 billfold; 1 spectacles; *1 marlin 30-30 rifle, model 93.
Residence	3139 Pierce Street N. E.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	August 1, 1916 Age 43		
Birthplace	Cambridge, Minn.		
Occupation	Plater, Superior Plating Company		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Dorothy M. Lind		
Names of Parents	Lawrence Lind Vina Chilstrom		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Gun shot wound of head, self-inflicted, (Marlin 30-30 caliber rifle).		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to *	Gerald Bagley, Funeral Director
		Released to **	Gerald Bagley, Funeral Director
Hoffman Funeral Director	Billman-Hunt Chapel	Address *	
		Address **	2701 Central Ave. N. E.

Social Security No 473-16-5512

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 10:00 a.m., January 12, 1960.

At about 7:00 a.m., the deceased's daughter noted her father's car parked in rear of house and notified her mother, Mrs. Dorothy M. Lind. Mrs. Lind requested a neighbor, Mr. John McLellan, 3143 Pierce Street, to check the car about 9:25 a.m., January 12. Upon investigation, he found the deceased seated behind wheel of car, clutching a 30-30 Marlin rifle in left hand. There was a wound in the decedent's head and he was apparently dead. The police were notified, Officers Helin and Nord responding.

Gun butt was resting on floor of car on left side of transmission hump; deceased's left hand was wrapped around forearm of gun. There was a dent in the roof of car about 1/2 inch high. One spent cartridge found in chamber of gun.

HAROLD M. LIND - continued

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Body was warm and there was very little rigor. Portion of tongue found hanging from mouth; there was also a laceration of left cheek with extreme deformity of head. Wound of exit noted in occiput with tear in ceiling upholstery of car.

It was stated, the deceased has been separated from wife for over a year and there has been a restraining order in effect. Deceased had last been seen by wife at about 4:00 p.m., January 11 at which time he stated he wanted to give them some money and said he had obtained a loan. He also said he was planning on going to Alaska to work and would send them money from there.

About 8:00 p.m. on January 11, the deceased's daughter, Jean, took the garbage out and saw no car in the yard at that time.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed that death was due to gunshot wound of head and the death was ruled a suicide.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Dorothy M.; 3 daughters, Jean Ann, Janet Ellen and Judy Elaine; mother, Mrs. John Chilman; two brothers, Virgil and Walton Chilman; also a sister, Mrs. Gilbert Kluck.

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FULL NAME BERTHA V. MONSON Date of Death Fd. January 12

Place of Death	1521 East 25th Street	Autopsy	Dr. Robert Bloemendaal
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	1 key.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Feb. 7, 1896 Age 63		
Birthplace	Glencoe, Minn.		(Clothing destroyed for sanitary reasons)
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	William Monson		
Names of Parents	Frederick Keehn Mary Snyder		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Exsanguination due to severance of radial, left wrist, due to slashing wrist with butcher knife.		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Pelican Lake Lutheran Cemetery Ashby, Minn.	Effects Released to	Jeanne M. Helland, daughter
Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	6700 Irving Ave. S.

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 7:35 p.m. on January 12, 1960.

According to the Police, the decedent's daughter, Mrs. Clarence Helland, 6700 Irving Avenue South, became alarmed when she telephoned her mother many times between 2 and 7 p.m. on the above date and failed to get a response. Finally, Mrs. Helland got in touch with Mrs. Carol Van Sickle, 3201 Grand Avenue South, and asked her to investigate. Mrs. Van Sickle obtained a key to the decedent's apartment from the caretaker, Carl Swenson, entered the apartment and found the woman dead. This was at 7:20 p.m.

Police were summoned and Officer Leonard, Squad 360, responded. Detectives Cronstrom and Gugisberg also investigated this case.

Bertha V. Monson (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the woman, fully dressed, lying on her back on her bed, her feet on the floor. The decedent's left side and the bed was saturated with blood. The obese body was cold and in minimal rigor. There was a deep laceration of the volar aspect of the left wrist. A trail of dried blood led to the kitchen sink where there was a butcher knife and a bread board blood-stained and dry.

Mrs. Helland stated to the Police that her mother had had two strokes recently and was quite worried about that and the fact that she had had carcinoma of the breast and numerous other diseases in the past few years. Mrs. Helland further stated, however, that the decedent had been quite cheerful for a time recently; but after going through the University of Minnesota clinic she had become depressed again. Mrs. Helland had been unable to learn from the decedent what had been discovered at the clinic.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed the following morning. This revealed blood loss due to laceration of left wrist; aortic stenosis and insufficiency; generalized cardiac hypertrophy; mild senile emphysema; absence of right breast; absence of gallbladder; right adrenal adenoma; polyps of uterus.

Except for daughter, Mrs. Clarence Helland, and niece, Mrs. Carol Van Sickle, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME MARTHA MIKELS — Date of Death January 13

Place of Death	112 Third Avenue N. E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	August 16, 1901 Age 58		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Joseph Mikels		
Names of Parents	Lewis Runyon (?) Buss		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright Funeral Director	Rainville Brothers Chapel	Address	

Social Security No. 477-18-2939

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Rainville Brothers Chapel at 7:55 a.m. on January 13, 1960.

According to the decedent's husband, the woman had had a paralytic stroke five or six years ago for which she was treated at the Minneapolis General Hospital. Partial paralysis followed this episode. She had not been well of late but had never seen a doctor with any regularity; the last time she had consulted a physician was over a year ago.

On the evening of January 12 the decedent had severe chest pain and felt quite ill; her husband had to help her to bed. He stated that the decedent got up once because of nausea but returned to bed and fell asleep. Mikels got up about 4 a.m. to go to the bathroom and then discovered that his wife was dead. Because there was no telephone in the home, Mikels waited until several hours later when "things had opened up" to call a funeral director.

Martha Mikels (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the residence and found the obese, elderly woman, dressed in a housedress, stockings and sweater, lying dead on her left side in a position of sleep. There was marked rigor mortis. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was released to the Mainville Brothers Chapel directly from the home.

Survivors are husband, Joseph; daughters, Mrs. Bernard (Bernice) Kiley, St. Paul, Mrs. Raymond (Betty) Zellner and Mrs. Eugene (Ruth) Zellner, both of Waite Park, Minnesota, Mrs. Charles (Delores) Flood, Tampa, Florida; sons, Gene Evers, Circle Pines, Henry Evers, Jr., Little Canada, Minnesota, Wilbert Evers, Minneapolis; sister, Dixie Montgomery, Minneapolis; brother, Joseph Runyon, Minneapolis

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FULL NAME ADOLPH T. WARNKE Date of Death Fd. January 13

	Place of Death	19½ Fifth Street N. E.	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Pfahl
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	October 2, 1893 Age 66		
	Birthplace	Beauford, Minn.		None except listed On Morgue Record
	Occupation	Laborer - construction		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Mildred Warnke		
	Names of Parents	Fred Warnke Bertha Allbright		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Pulmonary congestion and edema.		
	~~Accident~~	Fatty metamorphosis of liver.		
	~~Suicide~~	Prostatic adenocarcinoma.		
	~~Homicide~~	Acute alcoholism 0.13%.		
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Jon's Cemetery, New Brighton, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	Brighton Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 8:30 a.m., January 13, 1960.

According to the deceased's wife, Mrs. Mildred Warnke, the deceased did considerable drinking,however, on January 12, 1960 she states deceased did not have more than two or three drinks of wine and several beers. In spite of fact that deceased was reasonably sober, he was staggering about and fell on several occasions. She found a bottle of his sleeping pills in the bathroom and another tenant found one on the bathroom floor,therefore, she felt he had taken some of the medication. When he subsequently went into a deep sleep as he usually did after taking a sleeping medication, she was not alarmed.

Mrs. Warnke states she found him apparently sleeping very quietly about 4:00 a.m., January 13. When she awakened later at 8:15 a.m., she noted he was in same state and

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position. At this time, she decided he was dead and notified the police, Officers Rowels and Erickson of squad 125 responding.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying in bed in undershirt and shorts in marked rigor. There was no evidence of external trauma. A prescription bottle, #317356, filled at Ideal Drug for Doctor O. Lewis Zahrendt and referred to by wife as medication found on bathroom floor was found to be tuinal.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on January 13. Gross findings were bilateral pulmonary edema; possible bronchopneumonia; cirrhosis of the liver; and benign prostatic hypertrophy. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic and toxicological examination before determining the cause of this man's death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Mildred, and three sons.

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FULL NAME TONY B. OGDAHL

Date of Death Fd. January 13

	Place of Death	In garage - 4937-33rd Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Robert D. Bloemendaal
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	4937-33rd Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	August 6, 1913 Age 46		
	Birthplace	Brooten, Minn.		
	Occupation	Machinist - Mpls. Moline Co.		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Helen Ogdahl		
	Names of Parents	Thomas Ogdahl Bella Fosse		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	~~Accident~~			
	Suicide	Carbon monoxide poisoning.		
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	

None except listed On Morgue Record

Social Security No. 476-07-4514

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 12:45 p.m., January 13, 1960.

Sharon Ogdahl, daughter of deceased, age 15 years, was unable to find her father in house and came out to garage. Upon opening door, she found the deceased sitting in front seat of car in an unresponsive condition. The police were notified, Officers Knutson and Oakvick responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was also dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the man's death. The body was discovered at 12:30 p.m., January 13.

Mrs. Helen Ogdahl, wife of deceased, states the decedent was in the habit of going

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to the basement on his return from work, therefore, she left for work thinking he was there. She had heard the deceased come in after midnight and had heard him go out again.

Deceased was not under care of a physician but had seen a chiropractor in summer of 1959. He has had check-up in past at Bloomington Clinic. He has history of a nervous stomach and has complained of difficulty in breathing with nervous spells. Mrs. Ogdahl states he was in good spirits when she had talked to him and hadn't complained of any pains at that time. It was also stated, the decedent has gone out to sit in car by himself on occasion before but not for a long time. Son of deceased stated the deceased liked to be off by himself quite a bit.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying slumped on right side on front seat of his car, a 1953 Chevrolet bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 4T9365. Ignition key was in an "on" position, car was cold, and a faint odor of carbon monoxide could be detected in trunk of car. A cherry-colored livor was present.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on the date of death. A subsequent report upon analysis of the deceased's blood indicated that death was due to carbon monoxide poisoning.

Police officers Knutson and Oakvik of squad 165 were notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME ELAINE H. HECHT

Date of Death Fd. January 14

Place of Death	8348 Dupont Ave. S., Bloomington,	Autopsy	Dr. Craig W. Freeman
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	June 1, 1924 Age 35		None except listed On Morgue Record
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife and Clerk - Investors Diversified		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Harvey F. Hecht		
Names of Parents	Frederick J. Bevers Harriet Winger		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Myocardial failure due to		
~~Accident~~	thyroid insufficiency, due to		
~~Suicide~~	struma lymphomatosis of thyroid.		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	

Guthrie

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor E. G. Benjamin at 7:55 a.m., January 14, 1960.

At approximately 6:45 a.m., January 14, 1960, the deceased was found unresponsive in her bed by husband, Harvey F. Hecht. Doctor E. G. Benjamin was summoned to the residence. Upon arrival, he confirmed the woman's death.

Deceased appeared to be in good health when she retired on the preceding evening. Husband states he heard the deceased moan and toss a little about 4:00 a.m. She had been examined by Doctor J. F. Shandorf about six months ago and was found to be in good physical condition at that time.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased

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found lying in bed on back, clothed in pajamas. Body was cool and early rigor was evident.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on January 14. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic examination before determining the cause of this woman's death.

Police officer Schroder of the Bloomington Police Department was notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME WALTER GORDON SCHNELL Date of Death Fd. January 14

	Place of Death	Augsburg College, 22nd St. & 7th Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$35.50; 1 billfold; 1 Wyler wrist watch; 8 keys; 1 glasses.
	Residence	418 West 8th Ave., Kennewick, Wash.		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	June 19, 1939 Age 20		
	Birthplace	LaCrosse, Wis.		
	Occupation	Student - Augsburg College		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Walter Schnell Aino Larkin		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Congestive heart failure due to		
	~~Accident~~	acute myocarditis, type undetermined.		
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Pasco, Franklin County, Wash.	Effects Released to	R. F. Burr, Funeral Director
Guthrie	Funeral Director	The Burr Funeral Home	Address	Minneapolis, Minn.

Social Security No. 535-36-6024

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor S. T. Thorson at 8:20 a.m., January 14, 1960.

On the day preceding death, January 13, 1960, the deceased had complained to the school nurse of aching in shoulders and arms. Doctor C. R. Wall then saw the deceased and thought he had the"flu". He also complained of aching in left wrist.

At approximately 7:15 a.m., David Ratvold, a roommate of the deceased, found the decedent unresponsive in his bed. Doctor S. T. Thorson was summoned to the scene. Upon his arrival, he confirmed the deceased's death.

It was stated, the deceased had undergone a physical examination in Washington State on December 22, 1959.

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Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on back, clothed in pajamas. Body was warm and there was no rigor evident.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on the date of death. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic examination before determining the cause of this man's death.

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FULL NAME WILLIAM HOWARD SOLON Date of Death Fd. January 14

	Place of Death	2801 Colorado Avenue, St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	Dr. Walter Subby, Jr.
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$12.00; 10 keys; 1 gold band; 1 Longines wrist watch.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	June 26, 1926 Age 33		
	Birthplace	Duluth, Minn.		
	Occupation	Salesman - electrical		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Sallee Solon		
	Names of Parents	William Robert Solon Sadie Schneider		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Occlusion anterior descending coronary artery, recent, due to coronary atherosclerosis.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Adas Israel Cemetery, Duluth, Minn.	Effects Released to	Murray Abry, Funeral Director Hodroff Funeral Home, Funeral Dir.
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Hodroff & Sons Funeral Homes	Address	Minneapolis, Minn.

Social Security No 469-24-2662

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the St. Louis Park Police Department at 11:45 a.m. on January 14, 1960.

The decedent, who had been under the care of Dr. C. O. Erickson for some time because of a psychosis, had been separated from his wife, Sallee, since last August. She stated that he had threatened suicide on several occasions. Mrs. Sallee stated that she had telephoned him on the evening of January 13 to inform him that divorce action was going through.

The following morning, the decedent called Dr. George Friedell and told him that he thought he was having a heart attack. He had once consulted Dr. Friedell because of asthma. Dr. Friedell called the man back but there was no answer; therefore, Dr. Friedell drove over to the man's home, walked in and found him dead on the floor at 11:35 a.m.

William Howard Solon (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on the floor in the front room. The body was warm and there was no rigor.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy performed later that day revealed that the cause of death was occlusion of the anterior descending coronary artery, recent, due to coronary atherosclerosis.

St. Louis Park Police Officers C. A. Sorenson, R. Sorenson and John Hubach were on the scene to investigate this death.

Names of survivors are not known to this office except that of wife, Sallee.

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FULL NAME MARY E. HOVELAND

Date of Death JANUARY 1h

Place of Death	1820 Second Street N. E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	June 23, 1890 Age 69		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Telephone Operator - Railway Express		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Albert Hoveland		
Names of Parents	Robert McGowan Mary Mallon		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~ x			
~~Suicide~~ x			
~~Homicide~~ x			
~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	R. F. Bertch & Company	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by R. F. Bertch & Company at 6:10 p.m. on January 14, 1960.

The decedent had last consulted a physician in California three months ago. She was last seen alive about 2:30 p.m. on the above afternoon by her husband, Albert, just before they both took an afternoon nap. Mr. Hoveland awakened about 5:30 p.m. and he thought that his wife was still sleeping. About 6:05 he attempted to arouse her and telephoned Dr. Leo A. Zaworski, 1229 NE Second Street, when these attempts failed. She was dead when the doctor arrived a few minutes later.

A deputy coroner examined the body before it was released to the funeral home. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Mary E. Hoveland (continued)

Except for husband, albert, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME MARY W. ARCHER **Date of Death** January 15

	Place of Death	Milwaukee Railroad Depot	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$263.20; 2 rings; 1 watch; 1 purse; 1 key; 1 ring (left on finger).
	Residence	3223 Nicollet Avenue		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	May 19, 1905 **Age** 54		
	Birthplace	Clontarf, Minn.		
	Occupation	Housewife		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Ernest Archer		
	Names of Parents	Timothy Foley Bridget McMann		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota, Minn.	Effects Released to	Darlene Archer, daughter
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Fox Sullivan Mortuary	Address	3223 Nicollet Avenue South

Social Security No. 470-24-0692

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 11:15 p.m. on January 15, 1960.

The decedent was a patient of Dr. Philip E. Gordon, who was treating her for heart disease. On the above morning the woman was about to board a train at the Milwaukee depot to travel to Milwaukee, Wisconsin, to visit relatives when she suddenly collapsed, and expired at 10:50 p.m. Her daughter, Darlene, age 18, who was with her, sought help and a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned. The physician aboard, Dr. Sontag, pronounced the woman dead on arrival at 11:07 p.m.

Police Officers O'Brien and Dickinson, Squad 119, were on the scene to investigate this death. Detectives Cronstrom and Gugisberg also investigated the case.

Mary W. Archer (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on the concrete station platform. The body was warm and there was no rigor. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a mortuary.

Survivors are sons, Donald E. and Dwain T., daughters, Mrs. Vince (Donna May) Kirsch, Mrs. Margaret Ann Brown, Darlene Archer; sisters, Mrs. Clyde Ryan and Miss Patricia Foley; brothers, John and Patrick Foley, all of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME DAVID W. FORNELL

Date of Death Fd. January 18

Place of Death	2024 Glenwood Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$2.47; 1 Westclox watch; 8 keys; 1 coin purse; 1 bankbook #42916-$1,961.22 Twin City Federal; 1 bankbook #66629-$2,049.40-Mpls. Savings & Loan; 1 green metal box misc. papers; 1 knife; 1 Army discharge paper.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	September 10, 1894 Age 65		
Birthplace	Straudburg, S. Dakota		
Occupation	Farmer		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife			Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Names of Parents	Olaf B. Fornell Mina Dahlgren		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Suffocation due to hanging.		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Olof G. Lief, Spec. Adm.
Wright Funeral Director	Thomson Brothers Funeral Home	Address	1829 Louisiana, Mpls. 26, Minn.

Social Security No None

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 11:00 a.m., January 18, 1960.

It was stated, the deceased lived alone at the above address and owned the property. He had been ill and was quite depressed. A sister, Anna Fornell, 5009 Interlachen Boulevard, stayed with decedent over the weekend, leaving at 4:00 p.m., January 17.

On the morning of January 18, 1960, two sisters, a Mrs. Frances Lief, also of 5009 Interlachen, and Mrs. Gus Blomquist, 2539 Columbus Avenue South, came to see how deceased was feeling and could not find him. They commenced searching for deceased and found him hanging in coal bin from rafter, apparently expired, at 10:40 a.m. The police were notified, Officers Foreman and Brady of squad 119 responding.

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A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the man's death.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found hanging from rafter with feet touching floor, clothed in shoes, shirt, trousers and underwear. Beside him was a paint can, 1 gallon size. According to Mrs. Lief, she had noted the rope which he had used on the kitchen shelf on the preceding day. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to suffocation due to hanging and was ruled a suicide.

Detectives Cronstrom and Gugisbefg of 301 were also notified and assisted in the investigation of this case.

Survivors of the decedent include five sisters, Miss Lillian Fornell and Mrs. William Zamow of Watertown, S. Dak., Miss Anna C. Fornell, Mrs. O. G. Lief and Mrs. Gust Blomquist of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME ROY ALEXANDER SIMONSON Date of Death JANUARY 18

	Place of Death	Star of Bethlehem Home, 4500 Minnetonka Blvd., St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	3643 Lyndale Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	October 26, 1891 Age 68		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Insurance salesman		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Florence M. Simonson		
	Names of Parents	Frank Simonson Marie Laugerson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Cerebral thrombosis.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	The Burr Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No 477-34-4717

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Star of Bethlehem Home at 3:55 p.m., January 18, 1960.

On January 4, 1960, the deceased had collapsed on the street and had been taken to Minneapolis General Hospital where he remained to January 7th. On this date, he was transferred to the Star of Bethlehem Home where he remained until a few days prior to his death at which time he returned to his home.

On January 18, he was re-admitted to the rest home a second time at about 2:30 p.m. He expired shortly after admission, death occurring at 3:50 p.m. Apparently his greatest difficulty was his speech.

Examination of the medical records at Minneapolis General Hospital and also the remains indicated this was a natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and

ROY ALEXANDER SIMONSON - continued

death was attributed to cerebral thrombosis.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Florence M.; daughter, Mrs. Joyce M. Griffith, Denver, Colo., and two grandchildren; brothers, A. K. Simonson, Mound, Minn., Frank E., Leo V. and Oliver H.

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FULL NAME	CARL MALM		Date of Death	January 18
	Place of Death	University Hospitals	Autopsy	Dr. Rex B. Conn
	Place of Injury	Highway 242, 330 Ft. west of Riesling Blvd.N. W., Coon Rapids,	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	2742-131st Avenue, Coon Rapids, Anoka County, Minn.		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	January 27, 1886 Age 73		
	Birthplace	Sweden		
	Occupation	Tailor - Maurice L. Rothschild Co.		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Helga E. Malm		
	Names of Parents	Andrew Malm Johanna Lindquist		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Accident -Auto	Myocardial infarction involving interventricular septum and myocardium of left ventricle. Compound fracture tibia and fibula, bilateral.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~	Hypostatic pneumonia. Generalized arteriosclerosis.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Albinson-Peterson Chapel, 1701 Chicago Avenue	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by University Hospitals at 11:25 a.m., January 19, 1960.

On October 22, 1959, at 8:00 p.m., the deceased, a pedestrian, was struck by an automobile driven by Raymond L. Moe, age 56, of 404 Monroe Street, Anoka, while walking along State Highway 242 (East Main Street N. E.), Coon Rapids, Minn. The accident occurred approximately 330 feet west of Riesling Boulevard, N. W.

The injured man was removed to University Hospitals, being admitted with fracture of tibia and fibula, bilateral. He was placed under the care of Doctor George L. McDonald.

Deceased expired at 10:15 p.m., January 18, 1960.

CARL MALM - continued

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on January 19. This revealed myocardial infarction involving interventricular septum and myocardium of left ventricle; compound fracture tibia and fibula, bilateral; hypostatic pneumonia; generalized arteriosclerosis.

While he died because of the myocardial infarction and hypostatic pneumonia, it is the opinion of the Doctors at University Hospital that the accident was a contributing factor in death.

Survivors of the decedent include a daughter, Mrs. Charles Hirschi, Coon Rapids; sons, Carl H., Bemidji, Arthur K., Excelsior, Minn.; and 6 grandchildren and one great- grandchild. He is also survived by a sister, Mrs. Hannah Lindstrom, living in Sweden.

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FULL NAME BERTHA ETHELYN DAHL

Date of Death January 19

Place of Death	Grant St. and Fourth Avenue S.
Place of Injury	Same
Residence	1315 Fourth Avenue South
Sex	Female
Birthdate	July 1, 1901 Age 59
Birthplace	Estherville, Iowa
Occupation	Music teacher
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single
Name of Husband or Wife	
Names of Parents	Chris and Emma Dahl
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~	
Accident -Auto	Transection of brain stem through pons due to extensive comminuted basal and occipital skull fractures. Crushing injury of chest, fracture all ribs, bilateral; fracture pelvis, left ankle and left knee.
~~Suicide~~	
~~Homicide~~	
~~Undetermined~~	
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery
Funeral Director	Nielsen Funeral Home

Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
Effects Taken in charge	$3.84
Less:	1.40 (telephone call - Omaha)
	$2.44
	1 billfold; 1 glasses (broken); 3 keys; 1 handbag.
	Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Effects Released to	Lillian B. Tate, sister
Address	5111 Cuming St., Omaha 32, Nebr.

Kaplan

Social Security No. 477-20-6150

Veteran Yes / No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 6:55 a.m., January 19, 1960.

At approximately 6:43 a.m., January 19, 1960, the deceased, a pedestrian, was fatally injured when struck by a car, a 1956 Mercury, bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 5G 4013, while attempting to cross the street at Fourth Avenue South and E. Grant Street.

Leon Norton Reinke, age 42, 509 E. 14th Street, driver of the car involved, was traveling east on East Grant Street and stopped for the stop sign at Fourth Avenue, then made a right turn onto Fourth Avenue South to proceed south. While making the turn, Reinke struck the deceased, who was crossing from east to west in crosswalk.

The deceased expired at the scene shortly after the accident occurred. It was stated, the vehicle had to be lifted to remove her.

BERTHA ETHELYN DAHL - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deputy found the deceased lying on left side of street, directly across from the entrance of Hotel Fuller, just west of midline.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed transection of brain stem through pons; extensive comminuted basal and occipital skull fractures; crushing injury of chest; fracture of all ribs, bilateral; fracture of pelvis, left ankle and left knee.

Police officers Bahr and Bruce Ahr were notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include a sister, Mrs. Carl A. Tate of Omaha, Nebr.; nieces, Miss Ida G. Borreson, St. Paul; Mrs. Frank Constable, Monticello, and Miss Minnie Johnson, Turtle Lake, N. D.

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FULL NAME JOHN L. TIGHE Date of Death January 19

	Place of Death	977 Dupont Avenue North	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	September 4, 1889 Age 70		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Painter - Nicollet Hotel		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Ethel Tighe		
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 1200 West Broadway	Address	

Social Security No 468-01-1776

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 12 o'clock, noon, January 19, 1960.

Officers Stolp and Neary of squad 144 were called to 11th Avenue North and Lyndale on the morning of January 19, 1960 where they found the deceased sitting on the steps. He asked the officers to take him home because he felt ill. When they arrived at the decedent's home, the deceased commenced walking up the steps and suddenly collapsed, becoming unreponsive.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene, however, the man expired before their arrival, death apparently occurring about 11:25 a.m.

It was stated, the decedent had been seen by Doctor Peter Baleisis on December 24, 1959. He has also been treated by Doctor Myron Lysne in the past.

JOHN L. TIGHE - continued

Upon arrival of a deputy coroner, the deceased was found lying on couch on back, fully clothed in streetwear. Body was warm and there was no rigor and no indication of other than natural death. It was stated, the deceased had complained of dizzy spells. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Only survivor known to the Coroner's Office is his wife, Ethel.

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FULL NAME ALFRED C. STRAND — Date of Death January 19

	Place of Death	Veterans Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Herbert A. Blough
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Grafton, North Dakota, Box 285		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	April 4, 1916 Age 43		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Bartender-Eagles Club		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Anton A. Strand Clara B. Yaeger		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~	Cerebral concussion and exposure due to injury sustained by jumping from hospital window. Retroperitoneal lymphsarcoma. Advanced pulmonary tuberculosis.		
	~~Accident~~			
	Suicide			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Albinson & Peterson Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No 380-10-6369

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Veteran's Hospital at 9:00 p.m., January 19, 1960.

Hospital records indicate the deceased was transferred to Veterans Hospital from North Dakota, being admitted on December 1, 1959, with a working diagnosis of pulmonary tuberculosis and cancer.

On Tuesday evening, January 19, 1960, the decedent apparently jumped from a second-story window at the hospital. His body was discovered at 7:00 p.m.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on January 20. This revealed cerebral concussion and exposure due to injury sustained in fall. Other findings were retroperitoneal lymph-

ALFRED C. STRAND - continued

sarcoma and advanced pulmonary tuberculosis.

Survivors of the decedent include his father, Anton Strand, Breckenridge, Minn.; a daughter, Mrs. David Lugg, Michigan; a son, Charles Strand, Kansas City, Mo., and a brother, David Strand, N. Y. City.

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FULL NAME ROBERT CARL GEITNER

Date of Death Fd. January 20

	Place of Death	On Great Northern Railroad tracks under North 7th Street bridge	Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$0.08.
	Residence	3758 Upton Avenue North		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	October 9, 1933 Age 26		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Worker - railroad		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		Effects listed on morgue sheet.
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Rupert Geitner Anna Spielhofer		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Exposure to extreme cold, due to multiple pelvic fractures, with severe post peritoneal hemorrhage, due to fall from bridge onto frozen ground.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Undetermined			
	Place of Burial	St. Vincent dePaul Cemetery, Brooklyn Park, Minn.	Effects Released to	Harold B. Knaeble, Funeral Director
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Knaeble Funeral Home	Address	2648 W. Broadway

Social Security No. 473-34-3182

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 4:45 a.m., January 20, 1960.

At approximately 4:25 a.m., January 20, 1960, Phil Jakubic, 6924 Irving Avenue South, an employee of the Great Northern Railroad, was walking the tracks beneath the Seventh Street bridge when he discovered the body of deceased. His foreman, Delwin Swanson, of 216 West 29th, summoned the police, Officers Knickerbocker and Carlson of squad 117 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Sonntag pronounced the man dead at 4:45 a.m.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on railroad track on north side of 7th Street bridge, fully clothed with exception of his hat which was found about 40 feet west of body. Abrasions were noted

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over knuckles. Both hands, chin and knee caps were frozen; trunk of body was noted to be warm. No rigor was evident. A January 19th Minneapolis Morning Tribune was found in his top coat pocket. There was no jewelry, no billfold and no identification on the body. He was clean shaven and well dressed.

Below the bridge there was evidence that the deceased had been crawling some distance; the crawl marks extended from the vicinity where his hat was found. Officers went to the Seventh Street bridge and checked spot where it was assumed this man had originally stood or sat before falling or jumping to area where his body was discovered; they were unable to locate any further evidence.

While officers were on the bridge, a car stopped and a Mr. Richard Frank Lee, age 23, 5042 Sixth Street North, came over and volunteered the information that he had been driving across the bridge at 10:40 p.m., January 19th, and saw a man sitting on bridge railing. He reduced his speed and watch deceased for a time, but was forced to move on because of the traffic. He was taken to the morgue and viewed deceased; he thought decedent and his overcoat were similar to the man he had seen on the bridge.

A brother-in-law, Donald Wallerius, 4251 Queen Avenue North, came to the morgue and made a positive identification of the decedent.

Deceased lived with his mother, who last saw him alive when he left the house at 4:30 p.m., January 19. She did not know of his absence from home when she left home on morning of January 20 to baby-sit at daughter's home, Mrs. Betty Walerius. Mother of deceased states he has been mentally disturbed and under care of Doctor A. J. Leemhius.

Doctor Leemhius states he has not seen the decedent since 1957 but he had previously attended him through two episodes of psychosis of short duration but he knew of no threats of suicide on part of decedent.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on January 20. This revealed exposure to extreme cold; multiple pelvic fractures; and severe post peritoneal hemorrhage.

Detectives Rieman, Tripp, Meehan, Finn and Pfeiffer assisted in the investigation of this case.

Survivors of the decedent include his mother, Mrs. Anna Geitner; sisters, Carol Geitner and Mrs. Betty Walerius.

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FULL NAME ERICK NORSEN

Date of Death January 20

	Place of Death	Rex Hotel, 253 Second Ave. S.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$108.95; 1 coin purse; 1 billfold; 2 keys & lock; 1 glasses; 1 scissor; 1 knife; 1 nail file.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	May 7, 1884 Age 75		
	Birthplace	Lake Park, Minn.		
	Occupation	Unknown		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	E. Narsen Anna Anderson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Senility.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Millersburg, Minn.	Effects Released to	Thorne Helgesen, Funeral Director
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Albinson Peterson Mortuary 1701 Chicago Avenue	Address	1701 Chicago Avenue

Social Security No. 468-10-3217

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 10:45 a.m., January 20, 1960.

At approximately 10:30 a.m., January 20, 1960, the deceased was found lying across his bed, apparently expired, by the bedmaker, Mike T. Obata. The police were notified, Officers Strom and Gardner responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the man's death.

According to Mr. Obata, he had seen the deceased on the preceding evening at which time he appeared to be in his usual health. He had been under the care of Doctor O. F. Lindquist.

ERICK NORSEN - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying across his bed, clothed in house clothes. He appeared very frail and weak. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include two brothers, John of Los Angeles, Calif., and Nels Norsen, San Jose, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. H. Vanderhaden, Cardena, Calif.; and a brother-in-law, Doctor O. F. Lindquist, Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME HANS WEIKLEENGET — **Date of Death** January 20

	Place of Death	In ambulance en route to - Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	4544 Fourth Avenue S. 427 Logan Avenue N.		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Dec. 27, 1884 **Age** 75		
	Birthplace	Norway		
	Occupation	Farmer		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Regina Weikleenget		
	Names of Parents	Ole and Anne Kleven		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Senility		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Grygla, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Barney Anderson Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 12:10 p.m., January 20, 1960.

The deceased has been under the care of Minneapolis General Hospital physicians and was transferred from General Hospital to the Angelus Nursing Home on January 13, 1960. He has history of several previous heart attacks and family had been told that he could not live long.

Today, January 20, 1960, the deceased had a late breakfast and then began to dress. Shortly thereafter, the deceased took a few steps and suddenly collapsed to the floor, becoming unresponsive. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician pronounced the deceased dead, death apparently occurring about 11:45 a.m.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary.

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FULL NAME RICHARD CHARLES ROBINSON Date of Death January 20

Place of Death	North Memorial Hospital, Robbinsdale, Minn.	Autopsy	Dr. Wayne A. Chadbourn
Place of Injury	Highway #52, north of Cty.Rd.30, Maple Grove Village, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	3422 Lincoln Street N. E.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	June 8, 1932 Age 27		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Police Officer - Mpls. Police Dept.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Mary Lou Robinson		
Names of Parents	Charles Robinson Mae Dutton		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH Accident-Auto	Massive hemorrhages into left pleural cavity due to rupture thoracic aorta in mediastinum.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~	Fracture 2nd, 3rd and 4th ribs, anterior. Diffuse small cerebral hemorrhages.		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Washburn-McReavy Chapel	Address	

Social Security No 473 28 7600

Veteran Air Force

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by North Memorial Hospital at 8:45 p.m., January 20, 1960.

The facts surrounding this death are identical with those of a preceding case, Dorothy Buehler, Case No. 63, with the following exceptions:

Deceased, who was a passenger in a car involved in a head-on automobile crash in Maple Grove Village, was admitted to North Memorial Hospital following the accident which occurred on January 11, 1960.

On admission, the deceased was found to have a crushed chest with considerable laceration over face, nose and some possible cerebral injury. In the early evening of January 20, the deceased developed rather severe chest pain, went into shock, and was taken to surgery where he expired at 8:30 p.m.

RICHARD CHARLES ROBINSON - continued

An autopsy was performed at the Washburn McReavy Chapel on January 21. This revealed massive hemorrhage into left pleural cavity; rupture thoracic aorta in mediastinum; fracture of 2nd, 3rd and 4th ribs, anterior; and diffuse small cerebral hemorrhages.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Mary Lou; daughter, Nichole; mother, Mrs. Mae Robinson; father, Charles Robinson; two brothers, Clark and Terrence; 5 sisters, Mrs. Robert Sather, Mrs. Dale Nelson, Mrs. Don Olin, Mrs. John Ihle, and Mrs. Don Bushy.

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FULL NAME FRANK LEONARD — **Date of Death** January 20

	Place of Death	229 Cedar Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 key; 1 savings book #48407-$190.71-N. W. Federal Savings & Loan Ass'n.; 1 billfold.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Sept. 4, 1906 **Age** 53		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Occupation	Machinist		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Michael and Mary Leonard		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	Clifford Peterson, Funeral Director
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Anderson Peterson Chapel	Address	920-27th Avenue South

Social Security No 468-14-9835

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 11:00 p.m., January 20, 1960.

It was stated, the deceased has been ill since the preceding Sunday. According to his hotel neighbors, he has been drinking alcoholic beverages to excess.

On the evening of January 20, 1960, the hotel maid, Alvina Brown, found the deceased in critical condition. A Minneapolis General Hospital was summoned to the scene and the doctor was about to take the patient to the hospital when he suddenly expired while getting dressed, death apparently occurring about 10:45 p.m.

Upon arrival of a deputy coroner, the deceased was found lying on the hotel room floor, clothed in street clothes. Body was warm and there was no indication of other than natural death. Decedent was very pallid and appeared chronically ill. Remains

FRANK LEONARD - continued

were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers Stenbakken and Porter were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include a sister, Mrs. Margaret Pott of Plymouth, Michigan.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME CHARLES ARNOLD GOBERSHOCK

Date of Death Fd. January 21

	Place of Death	In automobile in yard - 3338-37th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 Hamilton pocket watch; 1 glasses; 3 keys; 1 knife; 1 ball pen.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	March 24, 1901 Age 58		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Yard conductor - railroad		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Alice Gobershock		
	Names of Parents	John V. Gobershock Margaret Alice Harris		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Pulmonary emphysema		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Donald R. Buhe, son-in-law
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Thomson Brothers Funeral Home	Address	2901 Independence Ave. S.

Social Security No. None

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 7:55 a.m., January 21, 1960.

Deceased had been receiving careat the Belzer Clinic for high blood pressure and emphysema with noticeable ankle swelling in the past, however, he had not been seen there recently.

According to the deceased's wife, Mrs. Alice Gobershock, the decedent had complained of back pain on the morning of January 21, 1960 before leaving for work. Deceased left the house at 7:10 a.m., however, when wife looked out window about 7:50 a.m., she noted the car was still outside and went out to investigate. The deceased was sitting behind wheel of car in an unresponsive condition. The police were notified, Officers Swanson and Sgt. Travis responding.

CHARLES ARNOLD GOBERSHOCK - continued

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the man's death.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease; pulmonary emphysema being a contributing factor.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Alice; son, John C.; daughter, Mrs. Donald Burke; mother, Mrs. Margaret Gobershock and an uncle, Frank.

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FULL NAME PETER P. PIKALA Date of Death January 21

Place of Death	317 12th Ave. N. E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 1, 1887 Age 72		
Birthplace	Czechoslovakia		
Occupation	Flour packer - General Mills		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	John and ? Pikala		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Hypertensive cardiovascular disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoffman Funeral Director	Kapala Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No 468-07-7340

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor Leo Zaworski at 1:45 p.m., January 21, 1960.

Following his noon meal, the deceased was sitting in a living room chair on the afternoon of January 21, 1960 when he suddenly collapsed becoming unresponsive. Doctor Leo Zaworski was summoned to the home, however, the deceased was pronounced dead on his arrival at 1:40 p.m. This physician had never attended the deceased previously.

Deceased had been under the care of Doctor Cyril P. Dargay in the past. There is history of a "stroke" four years ago at which time he was hospitalized at Fairview Hospital; one and one-half years ago, there was a second admission to Fairview following a heart attack. There is history of persistent hypertension.

PETER P. PIKALA - continued

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were released to a mortuary and death was attributed to hypertensive cardiovascular disease.

Family of deceased were opposed to an autopy.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Florence; two sons, Peter P., Jr. and John P.; 2 daughters, Mrs. Bernard Healy, Mrs. LeRoy Johnson; one brother, Frank Pikala; one sisters, Mrs. Anna Fudali; 12 grandchildren; and 5 great grandchildren.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME MARSHALL JONES — Date of Death January 21

Place of Death	Mount Sinai Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. S. S. Barron
Place of Injury	?	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	2001 Glenwood Avenue North		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	December 10, 1894 Age 65		
Birthplace	Fargo		
Occupation	Salesman - Automatic Eng. & Mfg.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Mathilda G. Jones		
Names of Parents	Albert E. Jones Blanche Durrell		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Carcinoma with metastis due to primary lesion, probably in liver.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	

Hoffman

Social Security No 479-14-5770

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Mount Sinai Hospital at 8:15 p.m., January 21, 1960.

Deceased was driving his car on November 10, 1959 and found it necessary to slow down due to fact a car preceding him was making a turn at the corner. As he was decreasing his speed, he was struck from behind by a truck, driven by John Alfred Orstad, age 59, of 4118 Sheridan Avenue North, incurring a whiplash injury of neck. On December 12,1959, at 5:00 p.m., deceased was admitted to Mount Sinai Hospital for treatment of this injury.

While hospitalized, deceased developed metastatic disease to vertebrae with jaundice and subsequently an abdominal mass. He expired at 6:02 p.m., January 21, 1960.

MARSHALL JONES - continued

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. Doctor Steven Barron, pathologist, states the autopy failed to reveal any evidence of injury. There was no evidence of injury to spinal column or cord and he is of the opinion that the accident was not a contributing factor in death.

Doctor B. A. Gingold, physician who attended deceased, states he did not intend to imply that the accident did contribute to the death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Mathilda; two sons, Albert E., Minneapolis, and Marshal D., Jr., Marshalltown, Iowa; also 4 grandchildren; and one brother, Jerome B., Everett, Washington.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME ELEANOR ELSIE DENNY Date of Death January 22

Place of Death	4625-15th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	June 7, 1910 Age 49		
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	George L. Denny		
Names of Parents	Bror August Sandine Louise Bergdahl		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	1. Unknown. (Toxicological examination of blood negative). 2. Ascites, severe. Palpable upper left epigastric mass. Severe cachexia. (Husband desired no autopsy).		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	

Wright

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Welander Quist Company at 8:55 a.m., January 22, 1960.

Deceased has been a bed patient for the past two days according to husband. She has not complained of pain but has refused to eat and has refused to have any medical attention. She has history of a nervous condition over a long period of time and had been treated by Doctor J. W. Johnson in the past. It was stated, the deceased had taken nembutal capsules at bedtime, on January 21st.

On morning of January 22nd, the deceased had nausea and vomiting. Husband states she had some coffee ground emesis. She expired at 8:15 a.m.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying in bed with protuberant, fluid-filled abdomen and questionable left

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epigastric mass. There was no indication of other than natural death.

Husband of deceased did not desire an autopsy.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, George L.; mother, Mrs. B. A. Sandine of St. Paul; two sisters, Mrs. Goodwin Fonnier of Minneapolis and Mrs. John Haglund of St. Paul,also one brother, Roger Sandine of Spring Lake Park.

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FULL NAME GEORGE SHIAN Date of Death January 22

	Place of Death	Angelus Nursing Home, 4544 Fourth Avenue South,	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$0.30; 1 billfold; 1 glasses.
	Residence	34 Washington Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	July 9, 1887 Age 72		
	Birthplace	Russia		
	Occupation	Railroad worker and dishwasher		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	Nilsen Funeral Chapel
Wright	Funeral Director	Morris Nilsen Funeral Chapel, Richfield, Minn.	Address	Richfield, Minn.

Social Security No 401-16-7214

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 12:35 p.m., January 22, 1960.

The decedent was admitted to the above rest home from Minneapolis General Hospital on January 13, 1960. While at the hospital, there was a diagnosis of chronic brain syndrome;cerebral arteriosclerosis; and chronic urinary tract infection.

It was stated the decedent had been watching television on January 22nd. He got up to go to the bathroom and suddenly collapsed. A nurse commenced giving the deceased oxygen and a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician, Doctor Mitchell, pronounced the decedent dead at 12:30 p.m.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There

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was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officer Nordahl of squad 152 was notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent are unknown to the Coroner's Office.

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FULL NAME SAMUEL G. JOHNSTON — Date of Death January 22

Place of Death	In alley - Franklin and Fremont Aves. S.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$29.67; 1 Hamilton wrist watch; 13 keys; 1 Cameo ring; 2 pens; 1 billfold; 1 tie clasp; 4 tokens
Residence	1937 Fremont Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Sept. 4, 1884 Age 75		
Birthplace	Ireland		
Occupation	Insurance salesman		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Adelaide D. Johnston		
Names of Parents	Thomas Johnston Margaret Gowan		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	Adelaide D. Johnston, widow
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	1937 Fremont Avenue South

Wright

Social Security No 342-07-8240

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 3:40 p.m., January 22, 1960.

Mrs. Richard Atkins of Apartment No. 3, same address as the deceased, states her son, Charles, age 9, found the decedent lying on driveway. When she arrived on the scene, the deceased was still breathing. The police were notified, Officers Oltman and Meyers of squad 512 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, at 3:32 p.m., the deceased was pronounced dead.

It was stated, the deceased had been under the care of Doctors A. A. Wohlrabe, A. C. Wohlrabe and William Duryea. Doctor Wohlrabe stated the deceased had had several

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myocardial infarctions and had severe arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, AdelaideD.; daughter, Mrs. Dennis Broderick, Jamestown, N. Dak.; son, Paul G. Johnston, Minneapolis; 5 grandchildren; 5 brothers, William, James, Hugh and David Johnston, all of Kansas City, Kan.; Robert and 3 sisters, Christina, Alice and Agnes, all of northern Ireland.

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FULL NAME SARAH JEANNETTE GREEN — Date of Death January 22

	Place of Death	Methodist Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Edward Segal
	Place of Injury	Masonic Home, Bloomington Village,	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	August 3, 1880 Age 79		
	Birthplace	Long Island, New York,		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Linden Pierce Green		
	Names of Parents	Charles Howard Higgins Sarah Jane Young		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	Accident	Bronchopneumonia, terminal, due to cerebral thrombosis, multiple, due to cerebral arteriosclerosis.		
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~	Fracture, intertrochanteric, right hip.		
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	Davies Mortuary	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Methodist Hospital at 5:55 p.m., January 22, 1960.

On January 16, 1960, the deceased was found on floor of her room at the Masonic Home, Bloomington Village, with fracture of right hip at approximately 8:45 a.m. Deceased was removed to Methodist Hospital, being admitted at 9:00 a.m. on date of injury, and placed under the care of Doctor G. Linner.

Doctor Linner feels the deceased apparently had last of many cerebral thromboses prior to fall and was unconscious and had a flaccid paralysis upon admission to hospital. Deceased made no voluntary movement thereafter. She expired at 5:00 p.m., January 22.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on the date of death. This revealed terminal bronchopneumonia; cerebral thrombosis, multiple; cerebral arteriosclerosis; and fracture,

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intertrochanteric, of right hip.

Only survivor known to the Coroner's Office is a son, Homer Green, Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME VICTOR OLSON

Date of Death Fd. January 22

Place of Death	4108-20th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	December 22, 1896 Age 63		
Birthplace	Ports Mills, Wis.		
Occupation	Clerical - Standard Oil Company		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Etta Olson		
Names of Parents	Carl Olson Angeta Davidson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Carcinoma of lungs.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan Funeral Director	McDivitt-Hauge Chapel	Address	

Social Security No. 468-10-1950

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the McDivitt Funeral Home at 12:00 a.m., January 23, 1960.

At approximately 5:00 p.m., January 22, 1960, the deceased was found lying on the floor, dead, by his wife, Etta Olson, upon her arrival home.

It was stated, the deceased has history of carcinoma of lungs and has been a patient at Veterans Hospital, having last been seen there on August 14, 1959. He has also been seen at the Belzer Clinic.

Medical records at Veterans Hospital indicate the deceased underwent surgery of the left lung in 1957 and was treated for pneumonia of right lung in 1958.

VICTOR OLSON - continued

A deputy coroner viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to carcinoma of lungs.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Etta; one son, Victor William of Orangevale, Calif.; one daughter, Mrs. Patricia Gabe of St. Paul; two brothers, David H. Olson of Minneapolis, Andrew W. Olson, Altadena, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. Valborg Nicholson of Minneapolis; 6 grandchildren.

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FULL NAME SUZANNE J. FINCHAM Date of Death January 23

	Place of Death	Methodist Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Martin A. Segal
	Place of Injury	On hillnear 16244 S. Temple Drive, Minnetonka Village, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	16244 S. Temple Drive, Minnetonka Village, Minn.		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	Dec. 27, 1948 Age 11 years		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Student		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Gerald V. Fincham Lois E. Schwarz		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
	Accident	Hemorrhage, intraperitoneal, due to rupture of liver.		
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Acacia Park Cemetery, Mendota, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	Strobeck-Johnson Chapel, Hopkins, Minn.	Address	
			Social Security No	
			Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Methodist Hospital at 6:50 p.m., January 23, 1960.

According to hospital records, the deceased was sliding down hill on a toboggan near her home on the afternoon of January 23, 1960. She was injured when the toboggan struck a telephone pole and collapsed shortly thereafter in a neighbor's home.

Deceased was brought to Methodist Hospital at 5:15 p.m. in her father's car; she was unconscious and there was very little pulse. Cardiac massage was done and abdomen opened with finding of complete laceration of liver dividing it into right and left halves with laceration of hepatic artery and portal vein system. Child was pronounced dead at 6:40 p.m., January 23.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital. This revealed that death was due to hemorrhage,

Suzanne J. Fincham - continued

intraperitoneal, due to rupture of liver. Abrasions of face also noted.

Survivors of the decedent include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald V. Fincham; sister, Dianne and twin sister, Suzette; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fincham of Minneapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Berthold Schwarz, Fargo, N. Dakota.

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FULL NAME LIZZIE SATRE Date of Death January 23

	Place of Death	5224-14th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same (Former address: (Pequot Lakes, Minn.)		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	April 29, 1877 Age 82		
	Birthplace	Sweden		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Martin Satre		
	Names of Parents	Andrew Erickson Breta Anderson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary thrombosis due to arteriosclerosis.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Pequot Lakes, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Barney Anderson & Son	Address	

Social Security No 721 18 7013

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 11:20 p.m., January 23, 1960.

On January 23, 1960, the deceased was talking to her daughter, Mrs. Perry Richmund, with whom she lived, when she suddenly collapsed, becoming unresponsive. The police were notified, Officers William Hokans and G. S. Van Devere responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Adelson, the ambulance physician, pronounced the decedent dead, death apparently occurring about 11:10 p.m.

It was stated, the deceased had apparently been ill with the"flu". She had not been seen by a doctor during this illness but Doctor W. G. Schaefer had prescribed for her

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over the phone. He had not seen her personally during the past six months.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to a mortuary and death was attributed to coronary thrombosis due to arteriosclerosis. The death certificate was subsequently signed by Doctor Schaefer.

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FULL NAME LOUISE E. MONTGOMERY

Date of Death January 23

	Place of Death	Doctors Memorial Hospital	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury	3320 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	3320 First Avenue South		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	January 25, 1868 Age 91		
	Birthplace	Ottawa, Illinois		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Edmund A. Montomgery		
	Names of Parents	William S. Easton Sarah Bacon		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	Accident	Uremia due to cerebral thrombosis due to. Intertrochanteric fracture of right femur.		
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Thomson Brothers Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor's Memorial Hospital at 11:40 p.m., January 23, 1960.

On January 6, 1960, the deceased fell in her home in some manner, incurring a fracture of right femur. She was removed to Doctors Memorial Hospital, being admitted at 8:50 a.m. Doctor George Eitel was the attending physician.

Doctor Eitel states the deceased suffered a cerebral thrombosis following fracture and during stay in hospital had a complete renal shutdown. No surgery was performed because of general debility of patient. The decedent expired at 10:40 p.m., January 23.

Death was attributed to uremia due to cerebral thrombosis, the intertrochanteric fracture of the right femur being a contributing factor.

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Survivors of the decedent include a son, Edmund T.; grandson, Roger E.

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FULL NAME THOMAS PETER WREN

Date of Death Fd. January 23

	Place of Death	7720 Garfield Avenue, Richfield, Minn.	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	June 26, 1959 Age 6 months		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	None		Clothing not listed on morgue sheet.
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Griffith B. Wren Mildred K. Foreman		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Pulmonary edema and congestion, etiology unknown.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Assumption Cemetery, Richfield, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Flynn and Son Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Richfield Police Department at 5:20 p.m., January 23, 1960.

At approximately 4:40 p.m., January 23, 1960, Mr. Griffith B. Wren, father of deceased, went in to bedroom to check on deceased and found him unresponsive. He put his hand on the infant's back and found he wasn't breathing. Mouth to mouth respiration was attempted while awaiting the arrival of the Fire Department rescue squad.

Doctor C. A. Friend was summoned to the scene. Upon his arrival at 5:05 p.m., the physician pronounced the baby dead.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the infant. Child had been found wedged between railing of crib and twin brother. Body was warm when discovered by father,

THOMAS PETER WREN - continued

who had last seen child alive at about 1:00 p.m. Child has history of having been a normal full term infant.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on the date of death. This revealed pulmonary edema and congestion, etiology unknown.

Police officers Wullnitz and Brustad of the Richfield Police Department were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Griffith B. Wren, twin brother of Christopher Paul, other brothers, Michael Steven and Kevin Joseph; sisters, Katherine Juanita, Theresa Jean, Colleen Bernadette; grandmother, Mrs. Susan Foreman, Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME DONALD LEE NEWTON

Date of Death Fd. January 23

	Place of Death	In garage - 2840-27th Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	2840-27th Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	June 1, 1935 Age 24		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Salesman - Niagara Company		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Guy L. Newton Edna M. Thomas		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	Accident	Carbon monoxide poisoning		
	Suicide			
	~~Homicide~~			
	Undetermined			
	Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1825 Chicago Avenue	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 12:10 a.m., January 24, 1960.

The deceased had been working on his car in the garage at the rear of his home on the evening of January 23, 1960. Evidently he had the motor running and was overcome by the carbon monoxide gas; the motor was running when mother of deceased, Mrs. Edna Newton, discovered deceased lying, face down, along side of car. Body was discovered at 11:45 p.m.

The police were notified, Officers Tornes and Lindgren of squad 163 responding. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the deceased's death at 12:05 a.m.

Sister of deceased had looked for him in garage at 10:30 p.m. and states he was not there at that time.

DONALD LEE NEWTON - continued

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on floor of garage. Body was warm but there was no rigor. Emesis noted against side of car. Apparently deceased had been working on choke of car; hood was up and place was filled with smoke.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on January 24. Analysis of the deceased's blood indicated that death was due to carbon monoxide poisoning.

Survivors of the decedent include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy L. Newton; sister, Mrs. Vernon LaBeau, all of Minneapolis; brother, Richard, Sioux Falls, S. Dakota.

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FULL NAME JAMES RAYMOND NORWICK

Date of Death Fd. January 24

Place of Death	3100 Weenonah Place	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 22, 1909 Age 50		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Abstractor - Minneapolis Abstract Co.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Florence A. Norwick		
Names of Parents	James Norwick Minnie Berg		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Thrombosis right anterior descending coronary artery, due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	
		Social Security No	
		Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 4:20 a.m., January 24, 1960.

About 4:00 a.m., January 24, 1960, the deceased was found collapsed on the bathroom floor by his wife, Florence Norwick, who summoned her physician, Doctor Harold Miller, to the residence.

The police were also notified, Officers Flint and Butler of squad 165 responding. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Adelson, the ambulance physician pronounced the deceased dead.

It was stated, the deceased has been complaining of angina pain for the past two weeks but has had no recent medical attention.

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Remains were removed to the Werness Brothers Chapel where an autopsy was performed on January 24. This revealed thrombosis of right anterior descending coronary artery; severe coronary sclerosis; cardiomegaly; and bilateral pulmonary edema.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Florence A.; two sons, James, Duluth, John, Minneapolis; one grandson; one brother, Richard, Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME ROBERT L. WILLIAMS Date of Death January 24

Place of Death	2901 Second Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$1.11; 1 Bulova wrist watch; 1 billfold; 6 keys and knife; 1 ring - (2 clear stones);
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	August 10, 1919 Age 40		
Birthplace	Hayward, Wis.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Real estate salesman		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Hazel Williams		
Names of Parents	Adolph Williams Orpha Monty		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Cerebral contusion due to head injury, and fracture between 4th and 5th cervical vertebrae. Alcocholism, acute. Pulmonary edema.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Hayward, Wis.	Effects Released to	Benford Williams, brother
Wright Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1825 Chicago Avenue,	Address	2106 Garfield Avenue S.

Social Security No 476-10-7296

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 9:05 a.m., January 24, 1960.

According to Detective Ball, the deceased was found about 8:50 a.m., January 24, 1960, by John Kaputa, who lives in basement apartment at above address. Deceased was lying dead on stair landing to attic apartment of the deceased's mother, Mrs. Orpha M. Williams.

On evening of January 23, 1960, the deceased and Kaputa had been out drinking at Dantis Bar, near Nicollet and 15th Street; later the deceased left Kaputa and joined a negro man whom he met at the Flame Bar, 16th and Nicollet, it was stated. Kaputa also states he arrived home by himself about midnight and heard two male voices and the voice of Hazel Williams, wife of deceased, arguing in their 1st floor apartment.

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Detective Ball also reports that the occupant of a 2nd floor apartment, a Fred Haggerty, heard sounds of scuffling and loud, abusive talk coming from attic apartment about 1:00 a.m. and then heard glass breaking, a stumbling sound and a loud thud on the stairs. For several minutes, Haggerty heard nothing, and then heard footsteps leaving attic stairs and going out the building. Haggerty states he then went out for a ride because he couldn't sleep and as he left noted the decedent's car was missing. On his return about 15 minutes later, automobile of deceased was parked in driveway as usual.

Apparently the deceased was an alcoholic who had become increasingly abusive when intoxicated during the past few years. Police state there have been many calls to his residence because of domestic trouble.

When questioned, mother and wife of deceased stated the deceased arrived home in a drunken condition whereupon his wife fled to apartment of deceased's mother (attic apartment). Deceased followed, but Mrs. Williams blocked the door. In attempting to throw her down stairs from level of attic apartment, deceased fell with his mother and struck head on radiator; he did not respond thereafter. Wife and mother left immediately in fear that deceased might regain consciousness and continue abusing them.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased, fully clothed, was lying with head crumpled to right, face down, on floor of lading to attic apartment in pool of dried blood. There was a 2" laceration of right frontal region of scalp, laceration above left eyebrow and in left frontal region of scalp. Bloodstains noted on 3rd, 4th and 5th sections of cast iron radiator; also blood on steps above deceased and on stairwall.

Remains were removed to Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on January 24. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic and toxicological examination before determining the cause of this man's death.

Only survivors known to the Coroner's Office are those previously mentioned in this case, mother, Mrs. Orpha Williams, and his wife, Hazel.

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FULL NAME LEMUEL A. TAUTE Date of Death January 24

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Donald P. Reynolds
Place of Injury	2½ St. and Cedar Avenue	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	260 Cedar Avenue		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	April 10, 1872 Age 87		
Birthplace	Patton, Iowa		
Occupation	Farmer (retired)		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Elda Taute		
Names of Parents	Gustaf and ? Taute		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident -Auto	Bronchopneumonia, terminal, due to fractures, multiple, left ribs, 2nd to 10th, inclusive; fracture left humerus; subdural and subarachnoid hemorrhage.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	Oakwood Cemetery, Mora, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Wright Funeral Director	Anderson Peterson Chapel	Address	

Social Security No. None

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor Y. T. Johnson at 9:10 a.m., January 24, 1960.

At approximately 6:20 p.m., January 13, 1960, the deceased, a pedestrain, was seriously injured when struck by a car, a 1951 Chrysler coach, bearing Minnesota license No. 3B7781, while attempting to cross Cedar Avenue South at the intersection of 2½ Street.

Carl August Hurtig, 830 Winter Street Northeast, driver of the car involved, which had been traveling south on Cedar Avenue, made a sharp turn at corner of 2½ Street, striking the decedent who was crossing in the crosswalk from west to east.

The injured man was removed by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital Receiving Department at 6:34 p.m., January 13. X-ray examination revealed fracture of left shoulder which was treated in out-patient Orthopedics by strapping and then the deceased

LEMUEL Taute - continued

was sent home. He was readmitted as "disposition" problem to Medical Service at 5:52 p.m., January 15, because landlady said the deceased was unable to care of himself.

On January 17, 1960, the deceased was transferred to Swedish Hsoptial, being admitted at 9:30 p.m., and placed under the care of Doctor Y. T. Johnson. Deceased expired at 8:40 a.m., January 24.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This revealed fracture of left humerus; fracture of ribs 2nd through 10th, left, at midaxillary line; subdural and subarachnoid hemorrhage; laceration of left eyebrow with periorbital bruising; bruise of left leg; bronchopneumonia with aspiration, terminal; old healed surgical scar over left lateral upper thigh.

Officers B. Lutz and Jahr were notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Ella; 3 sons, Leo and John of Minneapolis, and Albert of Mora, Minnesota.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19...60.....

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME ROY A. LOITZ

Date of Death Fd. January 24

Place of Death	Vacant lot - 20th St. between Grand and California Sts. N. E.	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$1.00; 1 Elgin wrist watch; 1 key and knife; 1 glasses.
Residence	2124 Marshall Street N. E.		
Sex	Male		Other effects listed on morgue record.
Birthdate	July 19, 1899 Age 60		
Birthplace	St. Louis, Missouri		
Occupation	Laborer - Gluek's Brewery		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife	Elizabeth Loitz		
Names of Parents	Robert Loitz Agnes Villemonte		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Subdural and subarachnoid hemorrhage due to injury resulting in occipital skull fracture. Atelectasis left lower lobe. Fatty metamorphosis of liver. Arteriolar-nephrosclerosis. Fibro and cystic pancreatitis.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota, Minn.	Effects Released to	Gerald Bagley, Funeral Director
Wright Funeral Director	Billman Hunt Chapel	Address	2701 Central Avenue

Social Security No. 469 22 5240

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 11:30 a.m., January 24, 1960.

At approximately 11:25 a.m., January 24, 1960, the deceased was found lying, face up, in a field adjoining the railroad tracks on 20th Street, between Grand and California Streets Northeast, by Gary Burkhardt, age 15, 1929 Grand Street Northeast, while he was out looking for rabbits. The police were notified, Officers Ignatowicz and L. C. Johnson responding.

Deceased had last been seen alive by a neighbor, Oscar Ostlund, 2124 Marshall, Apartment No. 3, on January 22nd, 1960, when he fell outside his residence on the sidewalk. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the scene at that time and administered first aid. He was then taken to his apartment.

ROY A. LOITZ - continued

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on ground on back, fully clothed; his right shoe was off and untied. There was no indication of foul play. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue.

An autopsy was performed on January 25. This revealed occipital skull fracture; diffuse subarachnoid and subdural hemorrhage; atelectasis of left lower lobe; fatty metamorphosis of liver; arteriolar-nephrosclerosis; and fibro and cystic pancreatitis.

Survivors of the decedent include a daughter, Mrs. Geraldine O'Neil; 2 grandchildren; and mother, Mrs. Agnes Loitz.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60 WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME HENRY O. RICE Date of Death January 24

	Place of Death	700 West Broadway	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$9.13; 1 glasses; 1 coin purse; 1 billfold.
	Residence	313 West Broadway		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	January 1, 1885 Age 75		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Laborer		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Ole Rice Karen Thoring		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~ x			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	William Rice, brother
Wright	Funeral Director	Sundseth Anderson Funeral Home	Address	3314 Dupont Avenue North

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 8:25 p.m., January 24, 1960.

Mr. Eugene Carlson of 3355 James Avenue North was in the Merwin Drug Store, 700 W. Broadway, when the deceased entered the store after falling on sidewalk. He noted the deceased was staggering as if he might fall, therefore, he got a chair for the deceased and seated him in same. Deceased was breathing heavily and soon collapsed onto floor from chair, becoming unresponsive.

John Hafner, an employee, 3364 Zarthon, Minneapolis, notified the police, Officers Kondzielski and Hansi of squad 142 responding. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the man's death at 8:10 p.m., January 24.

HENRY O. RICE - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on back on floor of first aisle of drugstore, fully clothed. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include two brothers, William O. and Morris, both of Minneapolis.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60 — WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME LOIS MARIE BOTTESI — Date of Death January 24

Place of Death	Highways #100 & #169 (West River Road), Brooklyn Center Village,	Autopsy	Dr. Robert D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	1 Timex wrist watch; 2 rings; 1 folder; 1 billfold; 4 keys; 2 ball pens; 1 glasses; 1 check book; 1 memo book; 1 Savings book #6513 - $10.88 - F. & M. Savings bank; 1 leather hand bag.
Residence	3106 Emerson Avenue North		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	October 14, 1937 Age 22		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Mailer and Filing - Mailers Service		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Joseph Bottesi Carol Coleman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident - Auto / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~ / ~~Undetermined~~	Massive hemorrhage and shock due to avulsion of intestines through lower abdominal wound, and compound, comminuted pelvic fractures; transection of right common iliac artery, right renal artery vein, and ureter; laceration of small bowel and mesentery.		
Place of Burial	Glen Haven Cemetery	Effects Released to	A. Kenneth Malone, Funeral Director
Funeral Director	Malone Funeral Home	Address	902 W. Broadway

Wright

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Sheriff's Office at 9:45 p.m., January 24, 1960.

At approximately 9:20 p.m., January 24, 1960, the deceased, a passenger in a car driven by Marvin Richard Pino, age 22, 7524 59th Avenue North, was fatally injured when the car in which she was riding, a 1956 Buick bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 3T1605, collided with an ambulance driven by Patrick Martin, 10021 Quince Street N. W., Coon Rapids, Minnesota, at the intersection of State Highway 100 and Lyndale Avenue North (Highway 169), in Brooklyn Center.

The ambulance, a 1952 Cadillac, bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 4H 3124, was traveling west on Highway 100 and the Pino vehicle was proceeding south on Lyndale Avenue North at the time the accident occurred. Patrick Martin, the ambulance driver, who was en route to North Memorial Hospital with a patient, stated his red lights and siren were operating as he approached the intersection. Deceased was sitting in middle of front seat of Pino

LOIS MARIE BOTTESI - continued

machine and was thrown out by the impact; the vehicle spun around and struck the signal post, breaking the steel base. A fragment of the broken base pierced lower abdomen of deceased. She expired at the scene shortly thereafter.

Marvin Pino and another passenger in his car, Darlene Johnson, age 22, 200 Oak Grove, Minneapolis, were removed to North Memorial Hospital. Pino was admitted with head injuries, however, Darlene Johnson was checked and released.

Virginia Bryson, 8451 Cottagewood Terrace, Spring Lake Park, patient in ambulance, was also removed to North Memorial Hospital. The ambulance driver, Patrick Martin, apparently escaped injury.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying with head partly under side of car in which she had been a passenger with feet toward intersection just off southwest corner of intersection, approximately 2 feet west and 6 feet south of broken base of automatic corner signal. There were multiple lacerations of abdomen and rupture of pubic area with evisceration of intestinal segment through body wall.

Remains were removed to Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on January 25. This revealed multiple lacerations and puncture wounds; tearing off of right renal artery, vein and ureter; avulsion of right common iliac artery; multiple fractures of pelvis; multiple lacerations through small bowel and mesentery; bilateral displacement of kidneys; bilateral hydrothorax; hemoperitoneum; and bilateral contusion of lungs.

Officers Wayne Ruud of the Brooklyn Center Police Department and Don Johnson of the Minnesota Highway Patrol were notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bottesi; two sisters, Janice and Patricia; grandmothers, Mrs. Florence Bottesi and Mrs. Mabel Coleman, Cambridge, Minn.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19.....60..... WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME CHRISTINE ANDREWS Date of Death January 24

Place of Death	On sidewalk in front of - 2317 East Franklin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$7.25; 1 coin purse; 1 necklace; 1 glasses-broken; 1 ring; 2 ear clips.
Residence	2412 East Franklin Avenue (upstairs)		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	August 20, 1896 Age 63		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Frank E. Andrews		
Names of Parents	Peter Modeen Christine Johnson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Hypertensive heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	Mrs. Russell H. Johnson, daughter
Wright Funeral Director	Henry W. Anderson Mortuary	Address	5732-14th Avenue South
		Social Security No	474-16-6437
		Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 10:15 p.m., January 24, 1960.

According to Mr. Albin Peterson of 2321 E. Franklin Avenue, the deceased left the Fireside Inn at 22nd and East Franklin at the same time as he did on the evening of January 24, 1960. She walked along with him because she didn't like to walk alone. While walking, she stated that she had had too many beers. As they approached his residence, she suddenly collapsed to the sidewalk, becoming unresponsive. The police were notified, Officers T. A. Nelson and Tovsen of squad 163 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Adelson, the ambulance physician, pronounced the deceased dead at 9:55 p.m.

CHRISTINE ANDREWS - continued

Mrs. Russell Johnson, daughter of deceased, informed this office that the decedent has been under the care of the U. S. Naval Air Station the past year for treatment of high blood pressure.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on sidewalk, clothed in dress, coat, sweater, et cetera. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to hypertensive heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include a son, Master Sgt. James D.; daughters, Mrs. Berton Gilles and Mrs. Russell H. Johnson; 4 grandchildren; brothers, Otto and Peter Modeen; sisters, Mrs. Helen Wehland and Mrs. Annie Nyberg and Auvurey Gilroy.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60 — WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME RAYMOND BARTON — Date of Death January 24

Place of Death	34½ Washington Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	Misc. letters; 2 keys.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Feb. 1, 1889 Age 71		
Birthplace	Brookings, South Dakota		
Occupation	Truck driver - Plaster tender		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife	Margaret Zoia		
Names of Parents	Clifton Barton Ida Fassett		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Malnutrition due to chronic alcoholism.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	Donald B. Barton, son
Wright — Funeral Director	Billman Hunt Funeral Chapel	Address	3607-54th Ave. N.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No 470 14 0462

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 11:00 p.m., January 24, 1960.

At approximately 10:50 p.m., January 24, 1960, the deceased was found in his room in an unresponsive condition by a friend, Mary Voss, who works as a waitress at the Senate Cafe, when she came to his room with some food. The police were notified, Officers Fox and Baker responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Strobel, the ambulance physician, confirmed the man's death.

According to the owner of hotel, Marie King, the deceased was a wino, who lived in his room and waited for his pension check, which he spent for wine. A girl friendbrought him food, otherwise, he did not leave his room very often.

RAYMOND BARTON - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on bed under some overcoats with a partly empty pint of wine under his pillow. He was very cachectic. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to malnutrition due to chronic alcoholism.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19.....60..... WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME JOHN O. HAFFIE Date of Death January 25

Place of Death	First National Bank Building, Second Avenue South & 6th Street	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$63.05; 1 Westclox watch; 1 coin purse; 1 billfold; 1 glasses; 1 comb; 2 scratch awls; 1 end wrench; 6 keys; 4 tokens.
Residence	3210 Vincent Avenue North		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	February 3, 1905 Age 54		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Sheet metal worker - The Shupp Company		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Mary Haffie		
Names of Parents	William Haffie Mary Bocher		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Acute myocardial ischemia due to arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	A. C. Sundseth, Funeral Director
Hoppes Funeral Director	Sundseth Anderson Funeral Home	Address	2024 Lyndale Avenue North

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 8:15 a.m., January 25, 1960.

The deceased, a sheet metal worker employed by Commercial Air, 1715 South Eighth Street, was just coming to work on the morning of January 25, 1960 when he suddenly slumped to the floor near the elevators on the first floor of the First National Bank Building. The police were notified, Officers Keller and Mattson of squad 117 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician pronounced the deceased dead, death apparently occurring about 8:05 a.m., January 25.

Nitroglycerine tablets were found in the decedent's pocket which had been prescribed by Doctor H. L. Ulrich on November 17, 1956.

JOHN O. HAFFIE - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on floor of bank, clothed in work clothes and a topcoat. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue.

An autopsy was performed at the morgue on date of death. This revealed acute myocardial ischemia; marked coronary atherosclerosis; old myocardial infarction; old coronary occlusion; and bilateral lower lobe bronchiectasis.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Mary; one daughter, Mrs. Chester Mlekoday; a son, Thomas; mother, Mrs. Mary Scone; a brother, William Hafie; sisters, Mrs. Al Kratzke and Mrs. Edward Kammerer; and three grandchildren, all of Minneapolis.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19.....60 WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME FRED ARTHUR SWENSON Date of Death January 25

Place of Death	2812 Dupont Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Robert D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$27.62; 1 payrool check - $94.56; 1 billfold; 1 knife; 1 lighter; 1 ball pen; 4 keys.
Residence	2505 28th Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	February 18, 1890 Age 69		
Birthplace	Murdock, Minn.		
Occupation	Truck driver - general construction		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Ethyl M. Swenson		
Names of Parents	Gust Swenson Maria Monson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Acute coronary occlusion		
Accident			
Suicide			
Homicide			
Undetermined			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	Chas. T. Jones, Funeral Director
Hoppes Funeral Director	Albin Funeral Chapel	Address	2200 Nicollet Avenue

Social Security No 469-09-6666

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 9:00 a.m., January 25, 1960.

The deceased, a truck driver for Libby and Libby Company, had arrived at work about 7:00 a.m., on January 25, 1960. Shortly thereafter, he complained that he did not feel well and went to rest room to lie down for awhile. Some time later, he went to his desk in the paint room. A few minutes later, he was found on floor near his desk chair in an unresponsive condition. The police were notified, Officer Fristrom of squad 153 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician pronounced the decedent dead, death apparently occurring about 9:15 a.m.

FRED ARTHUR SWENSON - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on floor of paint room, in carpenter shop, dressed in work clothes. Body was warm and there was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue.

An autopsy was performed at the morgue on date of death. This revealed acute coronary occlusion of anterior descending branch of left coronary artery; marked pulmonary emphysema, bilateral; mild myocardial fibrosis; benign prostatic hypertrophy; and left perirenal hemorrhage.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Ethyl; daughter, Sandra; sister, Ruth; two brothers, Eric and Chester, all of Minneapolis.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME MARY ANN BUDDE

Date of Death January 25

Place of Death	St. Barnabas Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. F. Soriano
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	615 N. E. Buchanan		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	July 31, 1875 Age 84		
Birthplace	Iowa		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Charles J. Budde		
Names of Parents	Albert Hollenbeck Margaret McDonald		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Occlusion anterior descending coronary artery due to generalized coronary arteriosclerosis. Fracture of sternum and 2nd and 3rd ribs, anterior. Bronchopneumonia.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Knaeble Company	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by St. Barnabas Hospital at 10:30 a.m., January 27, 1960.

At 3:30 p.m., January 21, 1960, the deceased was admitted to St. Barnabas Hospital for treatment of pneumonia and cardiac disease. There is also a history of hypertension over a period of many years.

On January 22nd, at 11:40 p.m., the patient attempted to get out of bed over the bedrails and fell to the floor, sustaining a fracture of the sternum and 2nd and 3rd ribs. Patient was mentally irresponsible. It was stated, the bed was in down position with bed rails up.

Deceased expired at 11:15 a.m., January 25.

MARY ANN BUDDE - continued

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This revealed occlusion of anterior descending coronary artery; generalized coronary arteriosclerosis; fracture of sternum, 2nd and 3rd ribs, anterior; and bronchopneumonia.

Survivors of the decedent include three sons, Charles J, Jr., Elmer H. and Milton F.; daughter, Mrs. Jack Conway; 4 grandchildren; 6 great-grandchildren.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME LORETTA M. HEINTZ

Date of Death January 26

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Robert D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	201 West 15th Street		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	March 25, 1906 Age 53		
Birthplace	North Dakota		
Occupation	Housewife - Clerk, Dyckman		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Fred S. Heintz		
Names of Parents	Charles Christiansen Tena Mojeska		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Poisoning due to ingestion of indeterminable drug. Empyema of gallbladder. Moderate coronary arteriosclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Undetermined			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Chapel	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No 472 10 9831

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 6:25 a.m., January 26, 1960.

At approximately 2:56 a.m., January 25, 1960, the deceased was admitted to Minneapolis General Hospital after apparently taking 24 1-1/2 gr. nembutal tablets which had been prescribed for her husband by Doctor A. J. Greenberg. She expired the following day, January 26th, at 3:35 a.m.

History was given to the hospital by her husband, Fred Heintz, who the admitting resident described as intoxicated. Husband states the deceased had worked at the cigar counter at the Dyckman Hotel until January 8th. On that date, she was taken to Minneapolis General Hospital receiving department at which time there was a diagnosis of alcoholic intoxication. The decedent was admitted at this time to Abbott Hospital under the care of her personal

LORETTA M. HEINTZ - continued

physician; she remained in the hospital for three days and subsequently lost her job. Husband states the deceased has been despondent since that time.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on the date of death. This revealed that death was due to poisoning by an unidentifiable drug. It is unknown whether death was accidental or a suicide.

Officers Malinosky and Campbell conducted the initial investigation. Detectives Rieman and Short continued the investigation.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, Fred S.; two sisters, Mrs. Violet Seiga, East Chicago, Indiana, and Mrs. Mae Montgomery, El Cajon, Calif.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME ELMER K. LAURENT

Date of Death January 26

	Place of Death	University Hospitals	Autopsy	Dr. Marthella Frantz
	Place of Injury	Unknown	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Rogers, Minn.		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	January 21, 1921 Age 39		
	Birthplace	Hamel, Minn.		
	Occupation	Farmer		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Bette Laurent		
	Names of Parents	Jule Laurent Theresa Klaers		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
	Accident	Uremia due to burns over 45% of body surface. Bronchopneumonia.		
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Ann's Cemetery, Hamel, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Gearty Davis Chapel, Robbinsdale, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No None

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by University Hospitals at 9:40 a.m., January 26, 1960.

According to University Hospitals' medical records, the deceased was admitted on January 10, 1960 following a burn alleged to have occurred while burning trash. Uremia developed and the decedent expired at 8:40 a.m., January 26.

Deceased is a known epileptic and it is felt he suffered a seizure and fell on the burning trash, sustaining body burns about face and upper body. Following injury, the deceased was taken to Buffalo, Minnesota where fluids were started and he was sedated. On admission to University Hospitals, a tracheotomy was done.

ELMER K. LAURENT - continued

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This revealed uremia; burns over 45% of body surface; and bronchopneumonia.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19...60.....

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME PAUL EARNEST FREEMAN

Date of Death January 26

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shephard
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	707 Freemont Avenue North		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	December 21, 1903 Age 56		
	Birthplace	Jackson, Tenn.		
	Occupation	Porter		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Alma Freeman		
	Names of Parents	Paul L. Freeman Henrietta Anthony		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Spontaneous intracerebral hemorrhage due to hypertension.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Cerro Gardo Cemetery, Jackson, Tenn.	Effects Released to	
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Woodard Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 9:30 a.m., January 26, 1960.

Medical records at Minneapolis General Hospital indicate the deceased was admitted to the hospital at 7:08 p.m., January 25, 1960, in a comatose condition, having been found on floor of his residence in an unresponsive condition by a roommate. His roommate stated he had appeared well when he had left for work on morning of January 25.

Deceased expired the following date, January 26, at 7:15 a.m.

There is history of the decedent having sustained a beating several weeks ago, at which time he had been seen in receiving department of hospital. In view of recent trauma, an autopsy was ordered.

PAUL FREEMAN - continued

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This revealed that death was due to spontaneous intracerebral hemorrhage due to hypertension.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME MARTHA MACHLITT GRAF

Date of Death January 27

	Place of Death	St. Andrews Hospital	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	1507 Lowry Avenue N. E.		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	April 28, 1877 Age 82		
	Birthplace	Germany		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	George Philip Graf		
	Names of Parents	William Schwartzrack Ernstina Kroll		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
	Accident	Terminal pneumonia due to fracture of left femur, intertrochanteric. Cerebral hemorrhage, old.		
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1200 West Broadway	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by St. Andrews Hospital at 10:20 a.m., January 27, 1960.

On December 23, 1959, the deceased attempted to climb over railing of bed and fell to floor, sustaining a fracture of the left hip. The hip was nailed on date of injury.

Deceased developed pneumonia, expiring at 9:30 a.m., January 27, 1960.

It was stated, the decedent had history of having suffered a stroke one week prior to Thanksgiving, in 1959.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, George P.; grandsons, Lloyd Machlitt

MARTHA MACHLITT GRAFF - continued

of Houston, Texas and Glenn Machlitt of Lancaster, Calif.

CORONER'S RECORD

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME THEODORE H. ERICKSON

Date of Death Fd. January 27

	Place of Death	9 South 9th Street	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$5.05; 1 Model 922 H & R Arms revolver; 1 glasses; 1 Chargeaplate; 2 keys.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	February 4, 1897 Age 62		
	Birthplace	Black River Falls, Wis.		
	Occupation	Salesman		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Name of Husband or Wife	Adel M. Erickson		
	Names of Parents	Christ Erickson Olina Peterson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	Welander Quist Co. Carl L. Lundgren, Funeral Director
Wright	Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 2301 Dupont Avenue S.	Address	Minneapolis, Minn.

Social Security No None

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 11:05 a.m., January 27, 1960.

Mr. Joe Chambers, clerk at the Fairmont Hotel, states he had not seen the deceased since Sunday, January 24, 1960, therefore, he went to his room to check on him. After receiving no response to his knock, he forced the door, finding the decedent dead in bed at 10:45 a.m., January 27.

A Mr. Heglie, who occupies Room 414, states he took the decedent's wife to St. Peter State Hospital on January 24. He states she went on a voluntary basis. On his return to the hotel, he stopped in to report on the matter to the deceased about 3:45 p.m. that date. Both the deceased and his wife were said to be alcoholics.

THEODORE H. ERICKSON - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying in bed on right side in position of sleep, clad in underwear. There was no indication of other than natural death. It was stated, the deceased had been under the care of Doctor M. Sherman.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers F. W. Johnson and T. S. Keller of squad 117 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Adel M.; son, Russell, Colorado Springs, Colo.; and a sister, Carrie Shaw, St. Paul.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME OLIVE M. TUSCANY

Date of Death Fd. January 27

	Place of Death	3506 West Sunrise Drive, Minnetonka Village,	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	June 3, 1890 Age 69		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	William A. Tuscany		
	Names of Parents	Olaf and Mary Johnson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	White Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the White Funeral Home at 4:20 p.m., January 27, 1960.

On January 26, 1960, the deceased's son, Donald, had talked to the deceased by phone about 11:00 a.m. When he came to check on her the following morning, January 27th, at 10:00 a.m., she was found lying on the floor by telephone with receiver in her hand, apparently expired.

It was stated, the decedent had been under the care of Doctor Allan Blake for many years for a heart condition but Doctor Blake had not attended the deceased during the past seven months.

Doctor Blake informed this office that the deceased had hypertension and hypertensive heart disease as well as arteriosclerotic heart disease.

OLIVE M. TUSCANY - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include a son, Donald W., Glen Lake; and two grandchildren.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME CHARLES P. CHRISTIE

Date of Death January 27

	Place of Death	4181 Zarthan Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	March 20, 1876 Age 83		
	Birthplace	Anoka, Minn.		
	Occupation	Maintenance - Mpls. Honeywell Co.		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Mary Christie		
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	White Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No 475 07 2733

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the White Funeral Home at 4:25 p.m., January 27, 1960.

Deceased has history of having been under care at the University Hospitals out-patient department for arteriosclerotic heart disease with auricular fibrillation and myocardial fibrosis and basilar artery thrombosis.

Today, January 27, 1960, the deceased was just entering a cab which was to take him to University Hospitals for his regular checkup when he suddenly collapsed. Deceased was removed from cab and taken into his home where he was placed on the davenport. Doctor W. L. Jefferies was summoned to the residence but he expired before the physician's arrival, death apparently occurring about 8:30 a.m.

CHARLES P. CHRISTIE - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers of St. Louis Park were also notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Mary; son, Charles, Mound; daughters, Mrs. Louis Scattarelli, Minneapolis, Mrs. Harold Flavin, St. Louis Park, Mrs. Clifford Livingston, St. Paul, Mrs. Ollie Hall, Mound; stepdaughter, Mrs. Bernice Coolbaugh; stepsons, Melvin and Lyle Welander, Minneapolis; and 18 grandchildren.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME CARL G. BECHNER

Date of Death January 28

Place of Death	100 Washington Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Robert Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 billfold; 1 glasses; 1 knife; 1 nail clipper; 2 safety razors.
Residence	999 West Topping, St. Paul, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	June 6, 1906 Age 53		
Birthplace	New Ulm, Minn.		
Occupation	Laborer		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife	Eleanor Bechner		
Names of Parents	Gustave and (?) Bechner		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Convulsions, etiology unknown.		
~~Accident~~	Minimal myocardial fibrosis.		
~~Suicide~~	Mild hyaline arteriosclerosis.		
~~Homicide~~	Cerebral degeneration. Cortical adenoma.		
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. John's Cemetery, Little Canada, Minn.	Effects Released to	John Adams, Funeral Director
Funeral Director	The John Adam & Son Funeral Home, St. Paul, Minn.	Address	1078 Rice Street, St. Paul 17, Minn.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Kaplan

Social Security No. 395 09 6060

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 8:37 a.m., January 28, 1960.

On the morning of January 28, 1960, the deceased appeared to be having a seizure outside 100 South Washington. The police were notified, Officers Shields and Strom responding. A pencil was placed between deceased's teeth, but he stopped breathing. Then, the decedent was taken into liquor store at this address and given artificial respiration.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene, however, the deceased expired before its arrival, death apparently occurring about 8:30 a.m. Doctor Straubel confirmed the man's death.

noted the deceased
William R. Bliss, of 100 South Washington, hanging onto awning and shaking before he collapsed.

CARL G. BECHNER - continued

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on floor of store, fully clothed. Body was warm and there was no rigor. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue.

An autopsy was performed at the morgue on date of death. This revealed mild pulmonary congestion; chronic passive congestion of liver; left adrenal tumor and benign prostatic hypertrophy. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopics before determining the cause of this man's death.

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FULL NAME ALVINA TERESA SCHONBAUM Date of Death January 28

Place of Death	5509 Fremont Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Nov. 14, 1888 Age 71		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Clerk-Great Northern Railroad		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	August Schonbaum Marrie Budde		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Buchinger Gearhart Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No 701 14 6732

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 9:40 a.m., January 28, 1960.

The deceased, who lived with a sister, Marie, at the above address, complained of feeling ill about 9:05 a.m., January 28, 1960, and suddenly collapsed on the kitchen floor. The police were notified, Officer Hanson of squad 495 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician pronounced the deceased dead.

According to sister, the deceased had been examined by doctor for Great Northern Railroad one week ago and had been pronounced in satisfactory condition for work. Deceased has history of a heart attack in 1942.

ALVINA TERESA SCHONBAUM - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include a sister, Marie; and two brothers, Henry of Minneapolis, and Theodore of Bemidji.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME EDWARD GUST SWANBORG

Date of Death January 28

Place of Death	106 East 14th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Little Sauk, Todd County, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	September 7, 1896 Age 63		
Birthplace	Rockford, Ill.		
Occupation	Tool and Die Maker		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Ethel Mae Swanborg		
Names of Parents	Gust Swanborg Alvida Floor		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Bronchopneumonia. Emphysema. Bronchiectasis. Old pulmonary tuberculosis, inactive.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Henry W. Anderson Mortuary	Address	
		Social Security No.	
		Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor Percy Ward at 1:05 p.m., January 28, 1960.

The decedent had been hospitalized for an ulcer recently, having been home from hospital only two weeks on this date. He has complained of shortness of breath and had to be carried into residence upon his return home. Recently he has had pain in his chest.

Shortly after noon today, January 28th, the deceased was found in a semi-conscious condition. Doctor Percy Ward was summoned to the residence. Upon his arrival, at 12:15 p.m., the physician pronounced the deceased dead.

Veterans Hospital records show repeated hospitalization for old inactive pulmonary tuberculosis, emphysema, and bronchiectasis.

EDWARD G. SWANBORG - CONTINUED

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Ethel M.; two brothers, Leslie, Rockford, Ill. and Leonard, Calif.

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FULL NAME PATRICIA ANN SANDS

Date of Death January 28

Place of Death	Dead on arrival - Methodist Hospital, St. Louis Park	**Autopsy**	Dr. Martin A. Segal
Place of Injury	86th St. and 12th Avenue South, Bloomington, Minn.	**Effects Taken in charge**	None
Residence	8320-10th Avenue South, Bloomington,		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	October 12, 1948 **Age** 11 years		
Birthplace	Denver, Colorado		
Occupation	School girl		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Kenneth Sands Mildred Knettel		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
Accident -Auto	Severe cerebral contusion with crushing of brain stem, due to extensive comminuted skull fracture. Rupture of liver and spleen.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	**Effects Released to**	
Kaplan **Funeral Director**	Charles A. Godbout & Son, St. Paul, Minn.	**Address**	
		Social Security No	
		Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Methodist Hospital at 8:25 p.m., January 28, 1960.

At approximately 6:35 p.m., January 28, 1960, the deceased, a pedestrian, was fatally injured when struck by a hit-run driver on 86th Street, approximately 68 feet west of 13th Avenue South, in Bloomington Village.

According to Officer C. F. Myhr of the Bloomington Police Department, the deceased was one of a group of five girls who were walking east on 86th Street on the north side of the roadway. The hit-run car was traveling west on 86th Street. On approaching the girls, the vehicle swerved over onto the shoulder of the road (north side), striking two of the girls, the deceased and Leslie Parsons, age 10, 8428 Columbus Avenue South, then continued west on 86th Street. Both of the victims were removed by Smith

PATRICIA ANN SANDS - continued

ambulance to Methodist Hospital, being admitted at 7:20 p.m.

Deceased was found to be pulseless and the body was cool upon arrival at the hospital. It is presumed the decedent expired at the scene of accident.

Christine Parsons, age 13, 8428 Columbus Avenue South, one of the five girls, described the car as a 1957 or 1958 Ford, black in color. Upon searching the accident area, broken pieces of a plastic parking light were found which were later identified as belonging to the left front parking light of a 1957 Ford.

A house to house search was commenced by Bloomington Police Department. At approximately 3:00 a.m., January 29th, Officer Richard J. Carlquist located a car at 8600 Colfax Avenue South, parked in back yard, which answered the description of the vehicle involved in this accident, a 1957 black Ford, bearing Minnesota tax-exempt license No. 12-893.

Questioning revealed that Thomas F. Meany, residing at the Colfax Avenue address, admitted driving this car from his place of employment, the Minnesota Highway Department, St. Paul, to his home, having left work at 5:30 p.m. and arriving home about 6:30 p.m. or shortly thereafter. He stated he had driven out Cedar Avenue to 86th Street and then across 86th Street to his home, which would place him in the vicinity of this accident at its approximate time.

An autopsy was performed on the deceased at the Methodist Hospital at 9:15 p.m., January 28. This revealed severe cerebral contusion with crushing of brain stem; extensive comminuted skull fracture; and rupture of liver and spleen.

Chief Elmer Hart, Sgt. James Pixley, and Officers Carlquist, Mhyr, Linville and Schroader assisted in the investigation of this accident.

Survivors of the decedent include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sands; sister, Jeanne Carol; brother, Thomas William; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter W. Sands and Mrs. John Knettel.

2-9-60: On this date, Thomas F. Meany was indicted by the Hennepin County Grand Jury for criminal negligence in the hit-run death of Patricia Sands.

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FULL NAME JOSEPHINE V. SHERMAN

Date of Death Fd. January 28

	Place of Death	3236 Park Avenue	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 Landro wrist watch.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	Feb. 14, 1914 Age 45		
	Birthplace	Beaulieu, Minn.		
	Occupation	Cook - boarding house		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Perle Sherman		
	Names of Parents	William James Margaret Starke		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Septicemia. Peritonitis. Salpingo-oophoritis.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	D. B. Hansen, Ass't. Funeral Director
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Hanson Nugent Funeral Home	Address	2116 Nicollet Avenue

None except listed On Morgue Record

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 2:35 p.m., January 28, 1960.

On the afternoon of January 28, 1960, at approximately 2:00 p.m., Henry Starken, 3431 Clinton, brother of the deceased, came over to visit the deceased and received no response, therefore, he forcedthe door open and found the decedent lying on floor of bedroom in an unresponsive condition.

Brother called Doctor W. R. Goodchild who sent an ambulance to the residence. Upon arrival of ambulance, the deceased was found to have expired.

Mr. Starkey, brother of deceased, states he had seen the decedent on the preceding day.

JOSEPHINE V. SHERMAN - continued

Perle Sherman, husband of deceased, states he last saw the decedent alive at 5:00 a.m. at which time he left for work. At that time, she complained of diarrhea and vomiting. Deceased was a diabetic and was taking insulin. She had last been seen by Doctor Goodchild on October 23rd, 1959.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on bedroom floor on stomach, clothed in panties only. Body was cool and there was 3+ rigor.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed septicemia, peritonitis; salpingo-oophoritis; and cirrhosis of liver.

Police officers Vick and C. H. Johnson of squad 151 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, Perle; mother, Margaret; father, William; two sisters, Agatha LaRoche and Barbara Bester; 3 brothers, Henry W., Frank E. and Albert J. Starkey, all of Minneapolis; also 14 nieces and nephews.

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FULL NAME ANTHONY STEVEN WEEKS — **Date of Death** January 28

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Pfohl
Place of Injury	25½ St. & Cedar Avenue	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	1911 East 25½ Street		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 10, 1954 Age 5 years		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	None		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Clifford J. Weeks Laura Langaard		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident -Auto	Severe cerebral contusion with brain stem compression due to fracture dislocation of 1st cervical vertebra. Hemoperitoneum and hemothorax due to rupture of liver, spleen and right kidney. Fracture right femur.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Kaplan — Funeral Director	Gleason Mortuary	Address	
		Social Security No	
		Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 8:45 p.m., January 28, 1960.

At approximately 6:40 p.m., January 25, 1960, the deceased, a pedestrian, was fatally injured when struck by a car, a 1958 Ford, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 3G 9664, while crossing Cedar Avenue at its intersection with 25½ Street.

James Wilbur Attridge, age 32, 3339 Columbus Avenue, driver of the car involved, was proceeding north on Cedar Avenue and the deceased was crossing from west to east in the south crosswalk at the time the accident occurred.

The injured boy was removed to Minneapolis General Hospital, being admitted at 6:54 p.m., with head injuries. He expired at 7:55 p.m., January 28.

ANTHONY STEVEN WEEKS - continued

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on January 29. This revealed severe cerebral contusion with brain stem compression; fracture dislocation of 1st cervical vertebra; hemoperitoneum and hemothorax due to rupture of liver, spleen and right kidney; and fracture of right femur.

Police officer Kallestad was notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford J. Weeks; sisters, Mrs. Rodney Gagnon, Mrs. Richard Holm, Rosemary and Roxanne Weeks; brothers, Clifford J.,Jr., Richard B. and Michael T.; grandparents, Anton Langaard and Mrs. Elizabeth Weeks, all of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME HAROLD E. R. ENSTROM

Date of Death January 29

Place of Death	Fairview Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. R. W. Koucky
Place of Injury	4230 Hampshire Avenue North, Crystal Village, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	December 6, 1906 Age 53		
Birthplace	Dalbo, Minn.		
Occupation	Owner, Johnson Mfg. Co.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Edna Enstrom		
Names of Parents	Edward Enstrom Jennie Anderson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Bilateral bronchopneumonia due to cerebral hemorrhage, due to basal skull fracture.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Sundseth Anderson Funeral Home	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No 468 09 6645

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Fairview Hospital at 4:10 p.m., January 29, 1960.

On January 23, 1960, the deceased fell down stairs in his home in some manner, striking his head. He was removed to Fairview Hospital on that date and placed under the care of Doctor Karl Pleissner. X-ray examination revealed a skull fracture.

Deceased failed to respond to hospital care, expiring at 3:30 p.m., January 29.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on the date of death. This revealed bilateral bronchopneumonia; cerebral hemorrhage; and basal skull fracture.

HAROLD E. R. ENSTROM - continued

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Edna; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Enstrom; and sisters, Mrs. Mabel Enger and Mrs. Agnes Anderson; also a brother, LeRoy, of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME GERALD FRANCIS KOCH

Date of Death January 29

Place of Death	University Hospitals	**Autopsy**	Dr. George Winter
Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	None
Residence	2716 West 44th Street, Apt. 1		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	February 8, 1935 **Age** 24		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Graduate Student - Univ. of Minnesota		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Kathleen Koch		
Names of Parents	Henry Koch Eleanor Geib		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Acute occlusion posterior coronary artery due to severe generalized atherosclerosis.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	**Effects Released to**	
Guthrie **Funeral Director**	White Funeral Home	**Address**	

Social Security No 473 32 3347

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by University Hospitals at 4:15 p.m., January 29, 1960.

About 2:00 p.m., January 29, 1960, the deceased suddenly collapsed in the chemistry building at the University of Minnesota. He was removed to University Hospitals' emergency receiving department where he expired shortly thereafter.

There is no history of any previous illnesses.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital at 9:00 p.m., January 29. This revealed acute occlusion of posterior coronary artery due to severe generalized atherosclerosis.

GERALD FRANCIS KOCH - continued

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Kathleen; daughter, Laurie; mother, Mrs. Eleanor Koch, Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME CHARLY WILLIAM MICHALS **Date of Death** Fd. January 30

	Place of Death	925 Chicago Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	July 9, 1888 **Age** 71		
	Birthplace	Kansas		
	Occupation	Laborer - Soo Line Railroad		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Carrie Michals		
	Names of Parents	John and Margaret Michals		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~	Generalized arteriosclerosis.		
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Glenwood Cemetery, Glenwood, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Albinson Peterson Chapel	Address	

Social Security No 475 09 2202

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 10:40 a.m., January 30, 1960.

The deceased has been receiving medical care at University Hospitals for bladder condition and has had gangrene of legs due to poor circulation with amputation of both legs above the knee.

During the past two days, deceased has complained of substernal pain. He appeared to be in his usual health when he retired on evening of January 29. When daughter, Mrs. Fern Olson, attempted to arouse him the following morning at 10:30 a.m., she found him unresponsive.

Swen Palmer, who rooms with deceased, stated the decedent did not change position or cry out during night.

CHARLY WILLIAM MICHALS - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on right side in bed; there were no marks of trauma. Mucous membranes are noted to be dried. Body was cold. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease and generalized arteriosclerosis.

Police officers G. Dols and K. Johnson of squad 132 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include daughters, Mrs. Fern Olson, Mrs. Lucille Getchell, Minneapolis, Mrs. Mary Scheel, Alexandria, Minn., Mrs. Lillian Dryer, Watertown, S. Dak., Mrs. Francis Olson, Detroit Lakes, Minn., Mrs. Florence Baker, Summer, Wash., Marvel Michals, Caledonia, Wis.; brothers, Phil, Norcross, Minn., Oscar, Glenwood, Minn, sisters, Effie Martin, Mrs. Grace Martin, Glenwood, Minn., Mrs. Lola Benjamin, Minot, N. Dakota, Mrs. Rosie Harris, Mrs. Edna Hall, Elbow Lake, Minn.; 28 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren.

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FULL NAME JAMES B. KRAMCHUK — Date of Death January 30

	Place of Death	721 Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 billfold; 1 glasses.
	Residence	1515 Hawthorne Avenue		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	July 5, 1903 Age 56		
	Birthplace	Dickinson, North Dakota		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Occupation	Dishwasher - restaurant		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Jim and Anna Kramchuk		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial		Effects Released to	D. B. Hansen, Ass't. Funeral Director
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Hanson Nugent Funeral Home	Address	2116 Nicollet Avenue

Social Security No 473 18 5452

Veteran Peace time army - Ft. Lewis, Wash.

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 7:30 p.m., January 30, 1960.

On the evening of January 30, 1960, the deceased was seated on bench at Lincoln Recreation Parlor. Suddenly, without any expression of pain, he collapsed, becoming unresponsive. The police were notified, Officers C. C. Nelson and G. E. Godfrey responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician, pronounced the decedent dead, death apparently occurring shortly after 7:00 p.m., January 30.

Tom Kramchuk, living at Union City Mission, works as dishwasher at the scene of death (the Lincoln Recreation Parlor). He states the deceased has had care in the

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past at Minneapolis General Hospital and is a chronic alcoholic.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on bench on south wall. Body was warm and there was no rigor evident. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include a sister, Katherine Baranko of St. Paul; brothers, Steve and Tom of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME RUTH ELIZABETH SARSONS

Date of Death January 31

Place of Death	3521 - 38th Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Robert D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 Omega wrist watch.
Residence	1925 - 10th Avenue N. W., Calgary, Alberta, Canada		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Feb. 3, 1900 Age 59		
Birthplace	Bernadotte, Canada		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Philemon Sarsons		
Names of Parents	Elfred Larson Anna Nelson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Occlusion anterior branch left coronary artery due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Calgary, Alberta, Canada	Effects Released to	Welander Quist Company Victor G. Martin, Funeral Director
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	Minneapolis, Minn.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Hoffman

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 3:55 a.m., January 31, 1960.

Since December 8, 1959, the deceased, a resident of Canada, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ellen Bergum, at the above address. She has no history of illness and has had no medical care either here or in Canada.

At approximately 3:00 a.m., January 31, 1960, the deceased called her sister and complained of a severe chest pain. Mrs. Bergum wanted to call a doctor but deceased thought pain was easing and did not want a doctor. Mrs. Bergum sat with her for awhile and at 3:40 a.m., she appeared to stop breathing and produced a gurgling sound in her throat.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the residence. Upon arrival

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at 3:50 a.m., the deceased was pronounced dead by the ambulance physician, Doctor Adelson.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying in bed on back, dressed in nightclothes. Body was warm and there was no rigor evident; there was no cyanosis and no indication of other than natural death.

Remains were removed to Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed an occlusion of the anterior branch of left coronary artery due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis.

Police officers Tornes and Lindgren were notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME ALBERT R. MINOR Date of Death January 31

	Place of Death	221 West 27th Street	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shepard
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Sept. 1894 Age 65		None except Listed On Morgue Record
	Birthplace	Baton Rouge, La.		
	Occupation	Electrical worker - Kvalsten Contractors		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Edna Minor		
	Names of Parents	Archie and Victoreen Minor		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Acute coronary occlusion, both right and left coronary arteries, due to severe diffuse coronary sclerosis.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor David Gold at 6:20 a.m., January 31, 1960.

Deceased has history of a right hemiplegia about a year ago due to a central left hemiplegia and has had hypertension. He has a case presently pending before the industrial commission for compensation regarding the above mentioned stroke which occurred at his place of employment.

On the morning of January 31, 1960, the deceased took his wife and son out to distribute Sunday newspapers and then returned home again in his car. When wife arrived home at 6:10 a.m., she found him lying on the living room floor with his coat on.

The Fire Department rescue squad and a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance were summoned to the scene. Doctor David Gold, the deceased's private physician was also

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summoned to the scene, however, the deceased was dead on arrival of the ambulance.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed acute coronary occlusion of both rightand left coronary arteries due to severe diffuse coronary sclerosis.

Police officer R. Madryga of squad 151 was also notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Edna L.; son, James; daughters, Ellen and Patricia, all of Minneapolis;sister, Wilma Minor of Arizona.

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FULL NAME VICTOR JOSEPH NELSON Date of Death January 31

	Place of Death	Fairview Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
	Place of Injury	3812 - 42nd Avenue South	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	December 5, 1903 Age 56		
	Birthplace	Oak Park, Minn.		
	Occupation	Machinist - Pioneer Engraving Company		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Ellen Nelson		
	Names of Parents	John A. Nelson Anna Wall		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	Accident	Subdural and subarachnoid hemorrhage due to extensive skull fracture, due to fall down stairs.		
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoffman	Funeral Director	Anderson Peterson Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No. 468-05-9317

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Fairview Hospital at 6:25 a.m., January 31, 1960

On January 30, 1960, the decedent fell on the steps at his home. When his wife, Mrs. Ellen Nelson, arrived home at 4:45 p.m., she found deceased lying at foot of stairs leading to basement in a comatose condition.

Deceased was removed to Fairview Hospital where trephine surgery was performed on January 30. He expired the following morning, January 31st, at 4:15 a.m., without regaining consciousness.

Son states no one else was at home and no one saw the decedent fall.

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An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This revealed subdural and subarachnoid hemorrhage; and extensive skull fracture.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Ellen; son, Arthur C.; one sister, Mrs. Ellen Youngmark of Minneapolis; 5 brothers, Gust of Minneapolis, Charles of LaCrosse, Wis., Oscar of Independence, Mo., Fred and Harry of Wales, Wis.; also two grandchildren.

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FULL NAME CHARLES R. PENCE

Date of Death January 31

	Place of Death	3029 Columbus Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	December 31, 1893 Age 66		
	Birthplace	Decatur, Ill.		
	Occupation	Produce Clerk - Grocery, retail		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Olga Pence		
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. 475-07-3924

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 2:50 p.m., January 31, 1960.

About 2:00 p.m., January 31, 1960, the deceased complained to his wife, Olga Pence, of severe chest pain and went to his bedroom to rest. She checked on him at 2:30 p.m., and found him in an unresponsive condition.

The police were notified, Officers Gillette and Revak of squad 151 responding. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician, Doctor Copple, pronounced the deceased dead.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on his bed, fully clothed. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was

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attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Olga; son, Bruce; sister, Mrs. Fay Merrel.

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FULL NAME RALPH DEWEY FARNHAM

Date of Death January 31

	Place of Death	Northwestern Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
	Place of Injury	Argus Publishing Company 2333 Central Avenue N. E.	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	3320 Beard Avenue N. Robbinsdale, Minn.		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Sept. 26, 1898 Age 61		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Truck driver - Argus Publishing Co.		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Hannah Farnham		
	Names of Parents	Stanley W. Farnham Lilly Tompkins		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
	Accident	Myocardial infarct, acute, due to coronary occlusion right coronary artery, due to arteriosclerosis. Fractured pelvis. Diabetes mellitus.		
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Washburn-McReavy Chapel	Address	

Social Security No 472 07 6684

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor Harold Miller of Northwestern Hospital at 3:55 p.m., January 31, 1960.

The decedent, a truck driver for the Argus Publishing Company, 2333 Central Avenue Northeast, sustained injury on January 25, 1960 when his truck rolled backward, pinning him against the company's loading dock.

When released, the deceased was unable to put weight on his right leg. He was removed to Minneapolis General Hospital on date of injury. X-rays were negative and the decedent was released. Immediately thereafter, the deceased was admitted to Northwestern Hospital, complaining of severe pain in back. He was placed under the care of Doctor Harold Miller.

Deceased failed to respond to hospital care, expiring at 3:45 p.m., January 31.

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Doctor Miller stated the deceased was found to be diabetic while hospitalized; prior to his admission to the hospital, this condition had never been diagnosed. Mother of deceased had history of diabetes.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital at 4:30 p.m., January 31. This revealed myocardial infarct, acute; coronary occlusion of right coronary artery; arteriosclerosis; fracture of pelvis; and diabetes mellitus.

Survivors of the deceased include his wife, Hannah; son, James W.; sister, Mrs. Arthur Williams.

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FULL NAME MABEL M. CORE **Date of Death** Fd. January 31

	Place of Death	4619 Pillsbury Avenue	Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	August 19, 1888 Age 71		
	Birthplace	Olathe, Kansas		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Louis E. Core		
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Acute myocardial infarct anterior septal wall due to occlusion anterior descending coronary, due to coronary arteriosclerosis.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 11:50 a.m., January 31, 1960.

At approximately 11:30 a.m., January 31, 1960, the deceased was found lying on the couch in her home in an unresponsive condition by a boarder, Duncan Blaynely. The police were notified, Officers Wagner and Loye of squad 152 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the residence. Upon arrival, Doctor Robert Sonntag, the ambulance physician, confirmed the woman's death.

According to a brother-in-law, Harold Core, the deceased had been seen by Doctor M. W. McInerny during the preceding week.

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An autopsy was performed at the Werness Brothers mortuary on February 1. This revealed acute myocardial infarct of anterior septal wall; occlusion of anterior descending coronary; and coronary arteriosclerosis.

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FULL NAME CECIL E. LLOYD

Date of Death January 31

Place of Death	Northrop Auditorium	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	6201 Crescent Drive, Edina, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 15, 1904 Age 55		
Birthplace	Danville, Ill.		
Occupation	Regional Manager - Phillip Morris Co.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Laura L. Lloyd		
Names of Parents	Edgar Lloyd Frances Dodson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Hope Moravian Cemetery, Hope, Indiana	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 230. Dupont Avenue S.	Address	

None except listed On Morgue Record

Cuthrie

Social Security No. 110-03-5635

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the University Police Department at 4:30 p.m., January 31, 1960.

On January 31, 1960, the deceased and his wife, Laura Lloyd, were attending the Sunday afternoon concert at the University. During the entertainment, the deceased suddenly collapsed about 4:20 p.m., without any struggle or expression.

Doctor George Fahr was sitting nearby and got to the decedent immediately. Body was removed at once from the auditorium to a room adjoining. Doctor Fahr stated there was no sign of life that he could detect. An intern from University Hospitals was called to the scene and pronounced the decedent dead.

Wife of deceased states the decedent had been under the care of a Doctor Rice but she could not recall the physician's first name. Mrs. Lloyd was unable to give much history.

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The Lloyds were Christian Scientists.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased was found lying on a stretcher in office room adjoining the auditorium, fully clothed. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers Sgt. John Brookes and Officer Gould were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Laura Louise; son, C. Robert, Albuquerque, N. M.; mother, Mrs. Frances Lloyd, Indianapolis, Ind.; three sisters, Mrs. Russell McKinney and Mrs. Nelson Wyle, both of Indianapolis, and Mrs. Thelbert Lowenstien, Caruthersville, Mo., and one granddaughter.

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FULL NAME MARTIN S. AAMOTH

Date of Death February 1

	Place of Death	108 - 17th Avenue S. Hopkins, Minn.	**Autopsy**	No
	Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	$29.66; 1 billfold; 1 RR. ticket; 13 keys; 1 brush; 3 ball pens; 2 pencils; 1 knife; 1 Westclox watch; 1 glasses;
	Residence	Franville, North Dakota		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	October 23, 1889 **Age** 70		
	Birthplace	North Dakota		
	Occupation	Merchant		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Gina Aamoth		
	Names of Parents	Johannes Aamoth Elsie Peterson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Granville Cemetery, Granville, N. Dakota	**Effects Released to**	Albin Chapel Chas. T. Jones, Funeral Director
Wright	**Funeral Director**	Albin Chapel	**Address**	2200 Nicollet

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No. 502 32 1150

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Hopkins Police Department at 9:40 a.m., February 1, 1960.

According to Mr. W. H. Gaulke, of Janney Semple Hill, Bismarck, N. Dakota, the decedent, a residence of Granville, N. Dakota, had arrived here by train to attend a dealer's meeting.

About 9:25 a.m., February 1, 1960, the deceased was found lying on driveway at the above address by Mr. H. H. McGin, of 717 E. Wayzata Boulevard, Wayzata, with suitcase beside him. The police were notified, Officers Hegberg of the Hopkins Police Department, and Deputy Sheriff Vern Anderson of Hennepin County responding. A rescue squad was summoned to the scene, however, the deceased was found to have expired before their arrival.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on driveway, fully clothed. There was no indication of other than natural

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death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

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FULL NAME HARLAN W. BUCK

Date of Death Fd. February 1

Place of Death	1800 Taylor Street N. E.
Place of Injury	
Residence	Same
Sex	Male
Birthdate	February 26, 1915 **Age** 44
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.
Occupation	Bartender - Johnny's Bar
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced
Name of Husband or Wife	Lois Buck
Names of Parents	Frank W. Buck Olga E. Dahl
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Myocardial infarction, acute, due to occlusion anterior descending coronary artery, acute, due to generalized coronary arteriosclerosis.
~~Accident~~	
~~Suicide~~	
~~Homicide~~	
~~Undetermined~~	
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 2301 Dupont Avenue South

Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shepard
Effects Taken in charge	None
	None except listed On Morgue Record
Effects Released to	
Address	

Social Security No. 468-03-0750

Veteran No

Wright

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 10:50 a.m., February 1, 1960.

John Y. Thomas, stepfather of the decedent, states the deceased had complained of chest pain about 6:15 a.m., February 1, 1960. He brought the deceased some soda and alka-seltzer. He heard the decedent coughing considerably and went up to check on him about 10:15 a.m. at which time he found him unresponsive.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician, Doctor Mitchell, confirmed the man's death.

Mr. Thomas states the decedent has made no previous complaints of illness with the exception of"stomach flu" on Saturday, January 30th. To his knowledge, deceased has had

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no medical attention recently.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed acute coronary occlusion of left anterior descending coronary artery; myocardial fibrosis; acute myocardial infarction; empyema of left pleural space; fatty metamorphosis with hepatomegaly; cirrhosis; cyanosis; generalized coronary sclerosis; left ventricular hypertrophy; and pulmonary edema, right.

Officer Eberlein of squad 124 was notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include two daughters, Barbara and Lina; mother, Mrs. John Thomas; sister, Mrs. John Roback, Minneapolis; brother, Russell, Detroit Lakes.

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FULL NAME WILLIAM EARL MC KENZIE Date of Death February 1

Place of Death	Mount Sinai Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. S. S. Barron
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	1311 East 37th Street		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	May 4, 1889 Age 70		
Birthplace	Pinconning, Michigan		
Occupation	Catering manager - Hotel Francis Drake		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Anne M. Ryan McKenzie		
Names of Parents	John Duncan McKenzie Sarah Beacham		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Diffuse intracerebral subarachnoid and subdural hemorrhage due to injury causing extensive basal skull fractures. Moderate coronary and aorta arteriosclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

Wright

Social Security No 475 07 8997

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Mount Sinai Hospital at 12:45 p.m., February 1, 1960.

Doctor George Werner the deceased was found unconscious in basement corridor of the Francis Drake Hotel where he worked as Catering Manager, bleeding from his right ear.

Deceased was removed to Mount Sinai Hospital, being admitted at 12:54 a.m., January 30. Bilateral trephining with evacuation of subdural and subarachnoid hemorrhage was done by Doctor Paul Blake. Clinically there were signs of basilar fracture of skull.

Deceased was also seen for neurological consultation by Doctor Harold Berris.

Hospital records indicate that a small swelling was found over left temple on admission. Bullous lesions were first noted on right hand about 12:40 p.m., January 30, in nurses

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notes. There is a previous record of deceased having been treated as out-patient at Mount Sinai under care of Doctor George Werner on Feb. 1, 1959 for fractures of left ribs incurred when deceased slipped and fell on icy walk at 10th Avenue South and E. 37th Street.

The man expired at 9:20 a.m., February 1, 1960.

According to hotel people, deceased was found on floor of basement corridor about 6 ft. north of entrance to Catering Manager's office by Bellman Albert Kucklock, at about 11:30 p.m., January 29. Mr. Wittman, hotel manager, states he was noted to be having some trouble walking about an hour prior to time he was found lying on floor.

Detectives Kelly and Scully investigated this case and found no reason to believe there was any foul play.

An autopsy was performed at Mount Sinai Hospital at 3:00 p.m., February 1. This revealed diffuse subdural hemorrhage; fracture right posterior, middle fossas of skull base into sphenoid sinus and across right petrous bone; encephalomalacia, extensive; hemorrhage, intracerebral, bilateral; pulmonary congestion, atelectasis and early bronchopneumonia; moderate atherosclerosis; chronic passive congestion of liver; benign prostatic hypertrophy; bullous lesions dorsum right hand; and fractures of ribs 7th, 8th and 9th, left, healed.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Anne; daughter, Mrs. Vincent Olson; 3 granddaughters, Donna-Anne, Susan and Patricia; brother, I. Duncan McKenzie of Flint, Mich.; and two sisters, Mrs. Ethel Berry of Flint and Mrs. Gladys Draheim of Flushing, Mich.

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FULL NAME (JACK) JOHN ROBERT CAMPBELL

Date of Death February 2

Place of Death	2520 Nicollet Avenue	**Autopsy**	Dr. F. H. Lott
Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	$101.56; 1 Eterna-Matic wrist watch; 1 billfold; 1 glasses; 1 ball pen; 1 lighter; 1 tke clasp; 1 pr.cuff links; 1 nail clipper; 1 comb.
Residence	6327 Nicollet Avenue, Richfield, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	October 10, 1909 **Age** 50		
Birthplace	Edinburgh, Scotland		
Occupation	City Desk - N. W. Service Station Equip.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Betsy W. Campbell		
Names of Parents	John Campbell Agnes Hogg		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Thrombosis anterior and posterior coronary arteries, with extensive myocardial fibrosis, due to severe generalized coronary arteriosclerosis.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	**Effects Released to**	Welander Quist Company By: Robert C. Haedrich
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 2301 Dupont Avenue South	**Address**	2301 Dupont Avenue South

Kaplan

Social Security No 474-30-0132

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 8:55 a.m., February 2, 1960.

The deceased, an employee of the Northwest Service Station Equipment Company at above address, was working at the files about 8:50 a.m., February 2, 1960, when he suddenly collapsed, becoming unresponsive.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician pronounced the decedent dead.

According to wife, who is employed by the same company, the deceased had stated on morning of death that he felt like he was "coming down with a cold".

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased

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found lying on floor on back, fully clothed. Body was warm and there was no rigor evident.

Remains were removed to Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death at 10:30 a.m. This revealed thrombosis of anterior and posterior coronary arteries; extensive myocardial fibrosis; and severe generalized coronary arteriosclerosis.

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FULL NAME JEAN MEYER Date of Death February 2

Place of Death	University Hospitals	Autopsy	Hospital post
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	
Residence	6336 21st Avenue South		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	October 26, 1954 Age 5 years		
Birthplace	Shakopee, Minn.		
Occupation	None		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Carvel Meyer Joan Garry		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Atelectasis and pneumonia due to 60% 3rd degree burns.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Morris Nilsen Chapel	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Croner's Office by University Hospitals at 8:35 a.m., February 2, 1960.

On morning of January 8, 1960, the deceased and a two year old male companion were playing in the basement of the deceased's home. The boy threw a towel on a stove, which ignited; the deceased attempted to extinguish the flames. In doing so, her pajamas became ignited and she suffered severe burns. The accident occurred about 9:45 a.m.

Deceased was removed to St. Barnabas Hospital on date of injury where her burns were found to cover approximately 65% of body surface. On January 14, the decedent was transferred to University Hospitals. She expired there at 6:30 a.m., February 2nd.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. Death was attributed to

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atelectasis and pneumonia due to 3rd degree burns of body surface.

Survivors of the decedent include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carvel E. Meyer; and a sister, Judy.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME JONAS M. NYGARD

Date of Death February 2

	Place of Death	In front of 1313 East Old Shakopee Road, Bloomington Village,	Autopsy	Dr. Wayne A. Chadbourn
	Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	$726.00; 1 Elgin pocket watch; 1 purse; 2 folders; 1 notebook; 1 ball pen; 16 keys; 1 bankbook #630 - $306.62 Midland Bank; 1 bankbook #9248-$6,306.25- N. W. Federal; 8 shares Detroit National Bridge Co.; misc. books, papers, etc.
	Residence	512-19th Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	August 16, 1886 Age 73		
	Birthplace	Norway		
	Occupation	Clergyman		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Jonas Nygard Christine Olson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~	Severe pulmonary hemorrhage, bilateral, with extensive laceration both lobes, left, due to crushing injury of chest, transverse fracture sternum, fracture 1st through 7th ribs, left, and 1st through 6th, right, and crushing fracture of nose.		
	Accident -Auto			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	Christian Jorgenson, cousin& Spl. Adm.
Guthrie	Funeral Director	Anderson Peterson Funeral Home	Address	1505 Russell Ave.

Social Security No 473 05 2958

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Bloomington Police at 12:40 p.m., February 2, 1960.

At approximately 12:10 p.m., February 2, 1960, the deceased was fatally injured when his car, a 1951 Pontiac, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 50 6232 collided head-on with a 1949 Chevrolet panel truck, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. T77-888 on E. Old Shakopee Road in Bloomington Village.

The truck, which was traveling east on the Old Shakopee Road, driven by William Edward Blood, age 68, Route #1, Rosemount, Minnesota, apparently veered over the center line striking the Nygard vehicle which was proceeding west on the same highway. The accident occurred in front of 1313 East Old Shakopee Road.

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Upon arrival of the Bloomington Police, Sgt. J. Pixley found the deceased sitting behind steering wheel of his car in an unconscious condition. He was removed from the vehicle and placed on a stretcher; he was having a very difficult time breathing. Deceased expired shortly thereafter, death occurring about 12:20 p.m.; he was pronounced dead by Doctor A. Johnson of the Oxboro Clinic.

William Blood, the truck driver, was also found in a sitting position in his machine and was removed by ambulance to Methodist Hospital, being admitted with severe injuries.

Deceased was removed to Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed severe pulmonary hemorrhage, bilateral; extensive laceration of both lobes, left; crushing injury of chest; transverse fracture of sternum; fracture 1st through 7th ribs, left, and 1st through 6th, right; and crushing fracture of nose.

Other officers assisting in the investigation of this accident are Officers Gale and Leador of Bloomington.

Survivors of the decedent include one brother, living in Norway.

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FULL NAME THOMAS LIGOURI O'MEARA — Date of Death February 2

Place of Death	820 Washington Avenue S. E.	Autopsy	Dr. Robert D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$46.53; 1 check - $20.00; 1 billfold.
Residence	3253 Aldrich Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	August 2, 1902 Age 57		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Clinton, Iowa		
Occupation	Foreman Sampler - State of Minnesota		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Thomas O'Meara Catherine Jane Hynes		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Occlusion right circumflex and right coronary artery, with marked myocardial fibrosis, due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Farmington, Minn.	Effects Released to	Mrs. Thomas L. O'Meara, wife
Guthrie Funeral Director	McPhee Funeral Home, Farmington, Minn.	Address	3253 Aldrich Avenue S.

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 12:45 p.m., February 2, 1960.

While writing a post card at the counter in Post Office at the above address on afternoon of February 2, 1960, the deceased suddenly collapsed to the floor without making a sound.

The rescue squad was summoned to the scene and administered oxygen until arrival of a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance with Doctor Addelson aboard. On arrival of physician, the decedent was pronounced dead, death apparently occurring about 12:30 p.m.

Richard Pembrook of 5296 Territorial Hall, University of Minnesota, was present when the deceased collapsed.

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Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed fresh occlusion of right circumflex branch of right coronary artery; marked sclerosis of left coronary artery; myocardial fibrosis; generalized cardia hypertrophy; minimal atelectasis of lungs; and nodular prostatic hyperplasia.

Police officers Boysen and Nichols of squad 611 were notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME FRED THOEN

Date of Death February 2

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Pfahl
Place of Injury	Hennepin & Washington Aves. S.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	40 Washington Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 13, 1893 Age 66		
Birthplace	Farwell, Minn.		
Occupation	Laborer		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Andrew Thoen Johanna Mattson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident -Auto	Massive subdural, subarachnoid and intraventricular brain hemorrhage due to extensive comminuted fracture of left occipital and basal skull, with severe brain contusion, due to automobile accident.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Kaplan Funeral Director	Albinson Peterson Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 1:20 p.m., February 2, 1960.

At approximately 1:48 p.m., February 1, 1960, the deceased, a pedestrian, was fatally injured when struck by a car, a 1957 Ford, bearing 1960 Wisconsin license No. C89-101, while crossing the street at the intersection of Hennepin and Washington Avenues.

Herman Paul Rauhut, age 58, 214 E. 16th Street, Ladysmith, Wisconsin, driver of the car involved, who had been traveling north on Hennepin Avenue, was completing a right turn onto Washington Avenue and the deceased was crossing Washington Avenue at the time the accident occurred.

The injured man was removed by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital, being admitted on date of injury with bleeding from left ear. Deceased was confused and gradually

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became unconscious and lapsed into deep coma. X-ray examination revealed occipital and petrous bone fractures. He expired at 11:40 a.m., February 2nd, 1960, without regaining consciousness.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This revealed massive subdural, subarachnoid and intraventricular brain hemorrhage; extensive comminuted fracture of left occipital and basal skull; and severe brain contusion.

Officers Arnold and Lindman of squad 515 were notified and attended the scene of accident.

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FULL NAME JOHN THOMAS GEARTY — Date of Death February 2

	Place of Death	400 Court House	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$103.23; 1 Omega wrist watch; 1 glasses; 3 keys; 1 money clip; 1 knife; 1 tie clasp; 1 pen & pencil; 1 token.
	Residence	5540-11th Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Dec. 21, 1901 Age 58		
	Birthplace	Golden Valley, Minn.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Occupation	Ass't. County Attorney		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Adella A. Gearty		
	Names of Parents	Patrick W. Gearty Elizabeth Skully		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota, Minn.	Effects Released to	B. J. Gearty, brother
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Gearty Davis Funeral Chapel, Robbinsdale, Minn.	Address	Robbinsdale, Minn.

Social Security No. None

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 2:10 p.m., February 2, 1960.

About 2:00 p.m., February 2, 1960, the deceased collapsed in his office, becoming unresponsive. He was found slumped over his desk by Norman Henry.

The rescue squad and a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance were summoned to the scene. Oxygen was administered, however, the deceased was pronounced dead by Doctor Mitchell, the ambulance physician, death apparently occurring about 2:03 p.m.

It was stated, the deceased has history of a heart condition over a period of the past

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five years.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on floor of his office, fully clothed. Body was warm and there was no rigor evident. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers Morris and Anderson of squad 117 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Adella; two daughters, Kathleen, and Della Ann; two sisters, Mrs. James D. Ryan, Alice Gearty, both of Minneapolis; two brothers, Rev. Patrick Gearty of Washington, D. C. and Bernard of Robbinsdale.

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FULL NAME GERTRUDE A. SACHS Date of Death Fd. February 2

	Place of Death	3400 Dupont Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	3 rings, clear stones; 1 brooch - clear stones; 1 Hamilton wrist watch, clear stones.
	Residence	2617 West 44th Street		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	Sept. 20, 1892 Age 67		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Housewife		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Abram Sachs		
	Names of Parents	Harry Aria and Hana Lippman		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Herzl Memorial Cemetery, New Hope, Minn.	Effects Released to	Abram Sachs, husband
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Aaron-Zeesman Funeral Chapel	Address	2612 W. 44th Street
			Social Security No	
			Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 2:25 p.m., February 2, 1960.

On the afternoon of February 2, 1960, the deceased was attending a luncheon at the above address when she apparently became ill. She went to the rest room where she collapsed. She was discovered in an unresponsive condition at 2:15 p.m. by a Mrs. Marcus.

The police were notified, Officer Kehoe responding. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician pronounced the woman dead.

It was stated, the deceased had been a patient in Abbott Hospital about two weeks ago under the care of Doctor Johannes Moen. According to Doctor Moen, the deceased has

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history of coronary insufficiency and was last seen by him on January 26.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on floor of ladies room on back, fully clothed. Body was warm and there was no rigor evident. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, Abram; son, Emanuel, Minneapolis, Mrs. Leon Zitver, Bethesda, Md., a daughter.

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FULL NAME J. NORMAN ARSETH Date of Death February 2

Place of Death	3618 Van Buren Street N. E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Sept. 1, 1883 Age 76		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Street car conductor (retired)		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Saddie Arseth		
Names of Parents	John and ? Arseth		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Miller Funeral Home	Address	

Guthrie

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Miller Funeral Home at 10:45 a.m., February 3, 1960.

On the afternoon of February 2, 1960, the deceased had gone to the garage to start the car with intention of taking his wife to do her grocery shopping. While she was dressing, the deceased entered the house and sat down in a chair. She heard him make a noise, as if intending to speak; entered the room to check and found him lying on the floor in an unresponsive condition.

Doctor Earl W. Eli was summoned to the residence, however, the decedent expired before the physician's arrival, death apparently occurring about 2:30 p.m. Doctor Eli confirmed the man's death.

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According to wife, the deceased has been subject to pain in chest with difficult breathing when walking in cold weather. For that reason, he has avoided walking any distance in very cold weather.

Doctor Willis L. Herbert has previously attended the decedent but not during the past year. Doctor Herbert states deceased has history of hypertension and obesity. He had attempted to place the deceased on a reducing diet.

Examination of the body by the Coroner indicated this was a natural death. Death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease and remains were released directly to a mortuary. Mrs. Saddie Arseth, wife of deceased, did not desire an autopsy.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Saddie; two sisters, Mrs. Myron Northway of Foreston, Minn. and Mrs. Frank Eldred of Milaca, Minn.; two brothers, Roy and Ole of Princeton.

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FULL NAME ANN C. KVAALE Date of Death February 3

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
	Place of Injury	43rd St. & Third Avenue South	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	4843 Fifth Avenue South		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	August 5, 1898 Age 61		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Leif Kvaale		
	Names of Parents			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~ / Accident-Auto / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~ / ~~Undetermined~~	Diffuse subarachnoid hemorrhage with severe brain contusion. Multiple rib fractures, bilateral. Pulmonary atelectasis. Bilateral pelvic fractures. Dislocation head left femur through acetabulum.		
	Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	
Guthrie	Funeral Director	Thomson Brothers Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor Peterson of Minneapolis General Hospital at 10:15 a.m., February 3, 1960.

At approximately 11:25 p.m., January 28, 1960, the deceased, a passenger in a car driven by Mrs. Dorothy McIntyre, age 55, 3637 41st Avenue South, was seriously injured when the vehicle collided with a car driven by Robert E. Curry, age 34, 605 8th Avenue North, South St. Paul, at the intersection of Third Avenue South and 43rd Street.

The Curry automobile was traveling east on 43rd Street and the McIntyre vehicle was proceeding south on Third Avenue at the time the accident occurred. Apparently the Curry machine failed to stop for a "Thru Stop Sign" at 43rd Street.

Deceased, injured critically, was removed by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital, being admitted at 12:03 a.m., January 29. Bilateral trephine surgery was performed on

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February 3, however, the decedent failed to respond, expiring at 8:55 a.m., February 3.

Other occupants in the McIntyre car sustaining injuries were the driver, Dorothy McIntyre, Eva Smith, age 65, 3832 Longfellow, and Gladys Svitak, age 47, 3826 19th Avenue South. Two passengers in the Curry machine also incurred injury; they are James Hawkins, 2073 Conway Street, St. Paul, and William Walfort, age 42, 1145 Argyle Street, St. Paul.

An autopsy was performed on the decedent at Minneapolis General Hospital on date of death. This revealed diffuse subarachnoid hemorrhage with severe brain contusion; multiple rib fractures, bilateral; pulmonary atelectasis; bilateral pelvic fractures; and dislocation head of left femur through acetabulum.

Officer Arneson of squad 152 was notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, Leif; daughter, Mrs. Thomas Abelin of Manila, Phillipines; son, Ronald; sisters, Mrs. James Long, Minneapolis, Mary Polata, Buffalo, N. Y.; brother, Frank Gluck of Minneapolis; and two grandchildren.

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FULL NAME CECILE M. HEIM Date of Death Fd. February 3

Place of Death	126 South 12th Street	Autopsy	Dr. Robert D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$0.05; 1 handbag; 3 keys; 13 tokens; misc. papers.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	May 2, 1912 Age 47		
Birthplace	St. Stephens, Minn.		
Occupation	Clerk		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Mary Shebat John C. Heim		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Pneumonia, lobar, bilateral		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Sauk Rapids, Minn.	Effects Released to	Bernard L. Heim, brother
Hoppes Funeral Director	Malone Funeral Home	Address	R#1, Morristown, Minn.
		Social Security No.	
		Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 10:35 a.m., February 3, 1960.

Mrs. Arthur E. Keller, caretaker, stated she had not seen the decedent for several days and went to her apartment to check on the decedent; she found her lying on floor, clothed in blouse and slip, dead. The police were notified, Officers G. Smith and Nordmeyer of squad 118 responding. When discovered at 9:30 a.m., body was cold and rigor was marked.

Marilyn McDonald, of 338 East 17th Street, maid at above address, apparently was the last person to see deceased alive. She saw deceased on January 29, 1960.

Mamie Steabner, basement apartment at this address, states deceased has been a patient

CECILLE M. HEIM - continued

in General Hospital on several occasions and has been in poor health for a long time. Deceased was subject to asthmatic attacks.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on February 4. This revealed that death was due to pneumonia, lobar, bilateral.

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FULL NAME TAMARA A. MAC DONALD **Date of Death** Fd. February 3

	Place of Death	1818 Park Avenue, Apt. 32	Autopsy	Dr. Robert D. Bloemendaal
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	October 19, 1960 Age 3 months		None except listed On Morgue Record
	Birthplace	St. Paul, Minn.		
	Occupation	None		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	E. Michael Mac Donald Carolyn Bruers		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Pulmonary edema and congestion.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Calvary Cemetery, St. Paul, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Kessler Maguire Funeral Home, St. Paul, Minn.	Address	
			Social Security No	
			Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 1:30 p.m., February 3, 1960.

Mrs. Carolyn Mac Donald, age 16, mother of deceased, states she last fed the infant at 11:00 p.m., February 2, 1960 and placed her in her crib on abdomen. Baby had been fussing slightly on morning of February 3 but fell back to sleep before mother was ready to give baby her 7:00 a.m. feeding, therefore, child was not fed. Mother stated she thought she heard baby fussing again at 10:00 a.m. but did not check.

When mother went to check on infant at about 1:00 p.m. at time of her mother-in-law's arrival, she found child very stiff and face discolored. The police were notified, Officers Smith and Nordmeyer of squad 118 responding.

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Father of deceased, Edward M. Mac Donald, states he left for his place of employment, Huot Mfg. Company, St. Paul, at approximately 6:45 a.m. on morning of February 3rd and that baby was fussing a little at that time.

It was further stated, the infant had been check/ed by Doctor F. J. Bonella, 711 S. Smith Street, St. Paul, on January 28th, at which time infant was found to be in good health.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the baby. Deceased found in its crib on back. Pink foam was present at its nostrils. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue.

An autopsy was performed at the morgue on the date of death. This revealed that death was due to pulmonary edema and congestion.

Detectives Finn and Pfeiffer of 301 assisted in the investigation of this case.

Survivors of the decedent include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. MacDonald; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bruers and Mrs. Mary MacDonald.

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FULL NAME EFFIE OLSON

Date of Death Fd. February 3

Place of Death	207 Cedar Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	June 7, 1889 Age 70		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Retaurant worker		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Olaf Olson Christine M. Johnson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Gill Brothers Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No 475 03 9777A

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 2:15 p.m., February 3, 1960.

At approximately 1:45 p.m., February 3, 1960, the deceased was found lying on daybed in living room of her apartment by a sister-in-law, Mrs. Walter Olson, of 4342 15th Avenue South, apparently expired. The police were notified, Officers Heinrichs and Stenbakken of squad 132 responding.

Apparently the decedent had last been seen alive by Larry Paguay, husband of a niece to the deceased (Pa. 2-8379). It was stated, the deceased had been under the care of Doctor T. J. Sisterman in the past, however, he has not seen her during the past year.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. De-

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ceased found lying on bed, clothed in houseclothes. Body was cold and rigid. Legs were intensely swollen and ulcerated; decedent was obese. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

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FULL NAME WILLIAM F. PFLEGHAAR

Date of Death February 3

Place of Death	Black Lake, Island Park Village, Minn.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$6.53; 1 billfold; 1 coin purse; 1 knife; 1 Genoa wrist watch.
Residence	Cologne, Carver County, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 17, 1890 Age 69		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	School bus driver		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Eleanor Weinzierl Pfleghaar		
Names of Parents	Conrad Pfleghaar Cresencia Guettler		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Bernards Cemetery, Cologne, Minn.	Effects Released to	Leon F. Gatz, Funeral Director
Funeral Director	Yetzer Funeral Home, Waconia, Minn.	Address	Waconia, Minn.

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Social Security No 468 38 1530

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HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. Kenneth B. Romness, Mound, Minnesota, at 2:30 p.m. on February 3, 1960.

The decedent, an out-patient at the Veterans Hospital, was ice fishing on the above date with John Wickenhauser in a fishhouse on Black Lake, a division of Lake Minnetonka. About 1:30 p.m., according to Wickenhauser, the decedent was about to sit down on a chair when he fell over and became unconscious. Wickenhauser contacted a Mr. Miller on shore and together they put the man into Miller's station wagon. They drove to a liquor store at Island Park and Dr. Romness was summoned. He pronounced the man dead on arrival.

Hennepin County Sheriff's Deputy, Officer Dehn, was on the scene to investigate this death.

William F. Pfleghaar (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and the body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Except for wife, Eleanor, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME ZELLA G. GRUNDY

Date of Death Fd. February 3

Place of Death	8640 Penn Avenue South, Bloomington, Minn.
Place of Injury	
Residence	Same
Sex	Female
Birthdate	May 27, 1914 Age 45
Birthplace	Forest City, Iowa
Occupation	Housewife - clerical
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married
Name of Husband or Wife	Eben M. Grundy
Names of Parents	Louis H. Gragert Caroline Christensen
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Subarachnoid hemorrhage due to rupture of cerebral artery, spontaneous.
~~Accident~~	
~~Suicide~~	
~~Homicide~~	
~~Undetermined~~	
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery,
Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel

Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shepard
Effects Taken in charge	None
	None except Name On Morgue Record
Effects Released to	
Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Bloomington Police Department at 7:15 p.m. on February 3, 1960.

For years the decedent had had respiratory difficulties, believed to be due to allergies. She had been under the care of Dr. Harley J. Racer, but had not consulted him for over six months. She was last seen alive on the morning of the above date by her husband of three years, who stated that when he left for work at 7:45 a.m. she had gone back to sleep. Mr. Grundy denied that the decedent had been depressed at any time. When Mr. Grundy returned from work at 6:30 p.m. that day, he found the decedent lying dead on the bathroom floor.

Zella G. Grundy (continued)

Grundy summoned the Bloomington Police; Officer Carlquist responded.

A deputy coroner went to the residence and found the woman, dressed in bed jacket and panties, on the bathroom floor. The body was stiff and cold and blood was oozing from her mouth.

Dr. Walter Kraft was on the scene at this time.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed the following day. This revealed subarachnoid hemorrhage due to rupture of cerebral artery; bilateral pulmonary congestion and edema; interatrial septal defect; absent uterus, right and left fallopian tubes, right ovary, appendix; possible fatty metamorphosis of liver.

Survivors are husband, Eben M.; sons, Norton B., David M.; 2 grandchildren; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Gragert, Deephaven, Lake Minnetonka; sisters, Mrs. Earl Eckman, Mrs. Earl Engstrom, Mrs. Gordon William, all of Minneapolis, Mrs. George Rubald, San Francisco, Mrs. Mahlon Newsom, Dixon, Illinois; brothers, Adrian Gragert, Chester, Iowa, Harold, Waukegan, Illinois, Don, Biloxi, Mississippi, Calvin, Des Moines, Iowa, Oliver, Minneapolis.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME FRANK X. MECHENICH

Date of Death February 3

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. E. A. Hanske
Place of Injury	32nd St. & Bloomington Avenue	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	1418 East 22nd Street		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Dec. 27, 1876 Age 83		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Railroad man - Minnesota Transfer		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Mary Hefter Mechenich		
Names of Parents	Mathias Mechenich Caroline Angernecker		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident - Auto	Bilateral hypostatic bronchopneumonia, with pneumothorax, left, due to crushing injury of chest, multiple rib fractures, bilateral, and fractured sternum. Infarct right cerebral pedicle and pons.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

Social Security No 468 05 8665

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Deaconess Hospital at 8:20 p.m., February 3, 1960.

At approximately 1:39 p.m., January 22, 1960, the deceased was seriously injured while driving south on Bloomington Avenue South in his car, a 1950 Plymouth, bearing Minnesota license No. 5B 5290.

According to a witness, the deceased sideswiped a car owned by Russell S. Paulson, 2122 24th Avenue South, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 5K 3690, approximately 200 feet north of Lake Street but continued south on Bloomington Avenue. As he approached 32nd Street, he lost control of the automobile, striking five other parked cars - a 1953 Ford owned by Fred Slick, 3025 Taylor Street Northeast, a 1956 Oldsmobile owned by Beatrice Foss, 2807-15th Avenue South, a 1957 Pontiac owned by Gordon Martin, 4208 Chicago, a 1959 Cadillac owned by Rainbow Sales, 3206 Bloomington, and a Rambler Station wagon owned by Dorothy

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LaFond, 394 N. Fairview, St. Paul.

It was stated, the deceased was subject to black-outs and had been under the care of a Doctor Swanson of the Bloomington Clinic.

Deceased was removed to Deaconess Hospital, being admitted with multiple rib fractures and fracture of sternum. He expired at 7:43 p.m., February 3.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on February 4. This revealed bilateral hypostatic bronchopneumonia with pneumothorax, left; crushing injury of chest; multiple rib fractures, bilateral; fracture of sternum; and infarct of right cerebral pedicle and pons.

Officers Christenson and Robert Byrnes were notified and attended the scene of accidents.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME WILLIAM S. PEARSON **Date of Death** February 3

Place of Death	Abbott Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Craig Freeman
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Route #2, Box 361, Mound, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 3, 1896 **Age** 63		
Birthplace	Fargo, North Dakota		
Occupation	Food broker - Kuehn Pearson Co.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Marjorie L. Pearson		
Names of Parents	Frank W. Pearson Emma Spotts		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Acute massive upper gastro-intestinal hemorrhage, etiology unknown. Progressive myocardial degeneration. Severe arteriosclerotic heart disease. Myocardial fibrosis and hypertrophy.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No. 501 01 0710

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Health Department at 4:10 p.m., February 5, 1960.

The original death certificate in this case was signed by Doctor Raymond W. Scallen but was referred to this office because the following appeared on the certificate: "Subacute hepatic degeneration believed to be due to carbon tetrachloride intoxication. Renal insufficiency on some toxic basis". The terminal cause of death, however, was given as massive intestinal hemorrhage. Due to the above statement, the case was referred to this office for investigation.

According to information from family of deceased, the decedent had visited G & K Cleaners, 4500 Excelsior Blvd, on Friday morning, January 22, 1960. He was a customer and was in the front part of quarters only and not in rear where the cleaning was done, however, he stated the fumes of carbon tetrachloride were strong in this area. During the afternoon,

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deceased complained of not feeling well and Doctor Scallen was called to his residence. An anuric odor was noted on the deceased's breath. He was admitted to the hospital upon Doctor Scallen's order. On admission to Abbott Hospital, he presented signs of severe pulmonary congestion.

Deceased expired at 2:30 a.m., February 3, 1960.

On morning of February 12, 1960, the Coroner and Doctor Warren Lawson of the Industrial Division of the State Board of Health as well as Mr. Labernik, engineer from State Board of Health, visited the G & K Cleaning establishment at 4500 Excelsior Blvd. The plant manager, Mr. Murray Leddy, and the supervisor, Mrs. M. Lindahl, were interviewed and the plant equipment was carefully inspected. Clothes are cleaned in a closed unit which recovers the cleaning material; the plant was in operation at time of inspection and in perfect operating order. The only fumes in the building were from the clothes recently removed from the plant. Mr. Leddy assured this group that carbon tetrachloride had never been used as a cleaning fluid in this plant; material used is perchlorethylene.

Mr. Leddy further stated that he knew Mr. Pearson, the deceased, well and that he waited on him the last day he was in the office. He states the deceased was not in the building over two to four minutes; he did not have his clothing cleaned here but brought them in to be pressed after cleaning elsewhere.

Doctor Lawson stated that, in his opinion, it would have been impossible for deceased to have inhaled an amount of fumes during his brief stay in building to have been injurious.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on the date of death. Death was attributed to acute massive upper gastrointestinal hemorrhage, etiology unknown; progressive myocardial degeneration; severe arteriosclerotic heart disease; and myocardial fibrosis and hypertrophy.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Marjorie L.; two daughters, Mrs. Robert Rogers, Atlanta, Ga., and Miss Nan Pearson; son, William A. Pearson, Mound; and 4 sisters.

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FULL NAME JOSEPHINE BRADFORD — Date of Death February 4

	Place of Death	Nicollet Convalescent Home, 4429 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	1914 Emerson Avenue South		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	July 4, 1876 Age 83		
	Birthplace	Ishpeming, Michigan		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	James Bradford		
	Names of Parents	John Warenberg Charlotte Wallin		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Pneumonia due to congestive heart failure, due to arteriosclerotic heart disease. Rheumatic heart disease.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident X			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Suicide X			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Homicide X			
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Undetermined X			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects Released to	
Maldonado	Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 6:45 a.m. on February 4, 1960.

On March 4, 1957, the decedent slipped on the ice and fractured her right hip. Since that time she had had frequent urinary tract infection, for which she had been treated both at the Minneapolis General Hospital clinics and by ambulance physicians. For the past several months, according to Mrs. Winifred Williams of the Nicollet Convalescent Home, the woman's condition had deteriorated steadily and she had been disoriented for some time. She was found unconscious about 5:25 a.m. on February 4 by an orderly, N. Eide, who summoned the Police and a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance.

Josephine Bradford (continued)

Police Officers Wagner and Nordaal, Squad 152, responded to the call.

The physician aboard the Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance, Dr. Peggy Copple, pronounced the woman dead on arrival at 5:50 a.m.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and examined the body before it was released directly to a mortuary. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death, which was ascribed to pneumonia due to congestive heart failure due to arteriosclerotic heart disease; rheumatic heart disease.

Survivors are sisters, Mrs. Ruth Bennett and Miss Elsie Warnberg, both of Ishpeming, Michigan.

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FULL NAME HARRY H. HALPER

Date of Death February 4

	Place of Death	Dead on arrival - Methodist Hospital, St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	Dr. H. D. Bloemendaal
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$284.92; 1 Omega wrist watch; 1 pill box; 1 billfold.
	Residence	28 Orme Court, St. Paul, Minn.		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	January 18, 1896 Age 64		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Birthplace	St. Paul, Minn.		
	Occupation	Box manufacturer		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Florence Millunchick Halper		
	Names of Parents	David W. & Rebecca L. Halper		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Myocardial infarction with fibrosis due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis.		
	~~XXXXXX~~			
	~~Suicide~~	Nephrosclerosis, bilateral. Old infarct right kidney.		
	~~XXXXXX~~			
	~~XXXXXX~~			
	Place of Burial	Mount Zion Cemetery, St. Paul, Minn.	Effects Released to	J. M. Halper, son
Maldonado	Funeral Director	Dampier-Baird Mortuary St. Paul, Minn.	Address	1751 Rowe, St. Paul

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Methodist Hospital at 4:00 p.m. on February 4, 1960.

According to the St. Louis Park Police, the decedent was returning from a fishing trip to Lake Minnetonka on the above afternoon when he lost control of his automobile near West 42nd Street. The vehicle veered off the road for 200 feet across front yards and boulevards before glancing off a tree in front of 4245 South Vernon Avenue, Police said, then went another 140 feet, skidded back onto the highway, struck a car and a truck and swerved another 150 feet across the road before stopping in a hedge. The decedent was found collapsed at the wheel.

A Smith ambulance was summoned; ambulance driver was Harvey Howard, his helper, Terry Lampmann. The man was pronounced dead on arrival at the Methodist Hospital at 3:35 p.m.

Harry H. Halper (continued)

A deputy coroner had the body removed to the Hennepin County Morgue, where an autopsy was performed later that day. This revealed coronary sclerosis; old occlusion of right circumflex; myocardial fibrosis and infarction, multiple; cerebral arteriosclerosis; senile emphysema; old infarct, right kidney; nephrosclerosis, bilateral.

Although the man's sons stated that they knew nothing of the decedent's having a history of cardiac disease, personal effects included a prescription bottle filled with nitroglycerine, prescribed by Dr. George S. Levitt. Investigation revealed that this prescription has been issued in June, 1951, and had last been refilled in November, 1959.

Survivors are sons, Dr. Bernard Halper, Hibbing, Minnesota, Leonard and Jerome, St. Paul; daughter, Mrs. Arthur Katz, Little Falls, Minnesota; wife, Florence.

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FULL NAME FRANK A. KASTANEK — Date of Death February 4

Place of Death	In automobile in parking lot - 317 E. Wayzata Blvd., Wayzata,	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$13.45; 1 Elgin wrist watch; 1 billfold; 1 glasses; 7 keys; 1 coin purse; 1 knife; 2 rings.
Residence	1402-21st Avenue North		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	June 14, 1889 Age 70		
Birthplace	Jordan, Minn.		
Occupation	Steel worker - American Steel & Wire		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Dora Kastanek		
Names of Parents	Anton Kastanek Anna Lanucak		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Vincent's Cemetery, Osseo, Minn.	Effects Released to	Welander Quist Company, By: Victor G. Martin
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1200 West Broadway	Address	230 Dupont Ave. S.

Social Security No 477 18 8259

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. Elmer J. Martinson, Wayzata, Minnesota, at 10:15 a.m. on February 4, 1960.

On the above morning the decedent and Alfred Nash, 2106 Irving Avenue North, were fishing on Lake Minnetonka at Gray's Bay. According to Nash, the decedent left him and went to sit in Nash's 1954 Oldsmobile, where Nash found him breathing heavily and unable to speak a short time later. Nash immediately drove to the Martinson Clinic in Wayzata, where upon examination, Dr. Martinson pronounced him dead at 10:15 a.m.

Nash informed Dr. Martinson that he had taken the decedent to a clinic at North Broadway and Lyndale about two weeks ago and the man had been informed that he was

Frank A. Kastanek (continued)

in good health. However, the decedent was dissatisfied with the examination made at that time and had made arrangements to be seen at the University of Minnesota Heart Hospital on February 5.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent, fully dressed, sitting in the front seat of Nash's automobile. The body was warm and there was no rigor. A moist material had dribbled from the mouth. A bottle of nitroglycerine tablets was found in the man's pocket.

There was no indication of other than natural cause of death, which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Except for wife, Dora, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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Year 19 60

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME WILLIAM G. HUEBSCH

Date of Death February 4

Place of Death	Danny's Diner, 15th St. & Chicago Avenue	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shepard
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	$0.11; 1 lighter; 1 billfold; 1 coin purse; 1 key; 1 knife; 1 ball pen; 1 tie clasp.
Residence	3028 Portland Avenue		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 25, 1912 Age 47		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Gunsmith		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Albert and Bessie Heubsch		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Asphyxia due to bolus of meat lodged in hypopharynx while eating.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Hanson Nugent
Funeral Director	Hanson Nugent Chapel	Address	2116 Nicollet

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Social Security No 475 01 2846

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 9:30 p.m. on February 4, 1960.

On the above evening the decedent was eating a small steak after having two mixed drinks at Danny's Bar. With him was Jack V. Ediskuty, 3028 Portland Avenue, with whom the decedent had been living since Christmas. A few minutes after 9:00, according to Ediskuty, the decedent got up without a word and disappeared into the men's washroom. About 9:15, Ediskuty went to see why the man did not return to his meal; he found him dead, apparently, on the floor.

Police were summoned; Officers D. Parker and D. Engel, Squad 138, responded. Detectives Finn and Ennen also investigated this death.

The physician aboard the Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance pronounced the man dead on arrival.

William G. Huebsch (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the man lying on his back on the men's washroom floor, his legs around the toilet bowl. The face and hands were cyanotic. The hands hands were cold, the body warm. There was no rigor. The tie was loosened and the shirt unbuttoned. There was no evidence of other than natural cause of death.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy performed the following day revealed the cause of death to be asphyxia due to bolus of meat lodged in the hypopharynx.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME ERNEST C. KAST

Date of Death February 5

	Place of Death	Veterans Hospital	Autopsy	Veterans Hospital post
	Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	3124 Columbus Avenue		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	11-13-1872 Age 87		
	Birthplace	Michigan		
	Occupation	Supervisor (ret.) Telephone Co.		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Unknown		
	Names of Parents	Adolph Kast Julia Blunt		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~	Acute staphylococcal endocarditis of aortic and mitral valves with emboli to liver, kidney and brain, due to staphylococcal infection of herpes zoster ophthalmicus, due to rheumatic heart disease with mild aortic valvulitis. Subdural hematoma.		
	Accident			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Guthrie	Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Chapel	Address	

Social Security No. 475 24 1761

Veteran Spanish-American War

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Veterans Hospital at 10:30 a.m. on February 8, 1960.

On December 30, 1959, this old soldier was admitted to the Veterans Hospital. He was quite feeble and continued to go downhill fast. On January 28 he was found to have endocarditis. At noon on January 30, the decedent was sitting on the side of his bed eating lunch. A short time later he was found on the floor and he was helped back to bed. There appeared to be no obvious injury and the man finished eating. Later he became quite confused. He expired at 3:30 a.m. on February 5.

Autopsy revealed a small skull fracture and subdural hemorrhage and in view of the accident this office was notified.

Ernest C. Kast (continued)

The Coroner released the body directly from the hospital to a mortuary.

Death was ascribed to acute staphylococcal endocarditis of aortic and mitral valves with emboli to liver, kidney and brain, due to staphylococcal infection of herpes zoster ophthalmicus, due to rheumatic heart disease with mild aortic valvulitis; subdural hematoma.

No survivors are known to this office.

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FULL NAME ELAINE D. MEEKER — Date of Death February 5

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Pfohl
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$6.73; 2 billfolds; 1 handbag; 2 keys; 1 ring; 2 suitcases; 2 radios; 1 electric washing machine; 1 ironing board; 1 box clothing, etc.; 1 Guitar in case; 1 coat(inCedar room).
Residence	1518 Third Avenue South		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	August 18, 1915 Age 44		
Birthplace	Unknown		
Occupation	Unknown		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Unknown		
Name of Husband or Wife	Unknown		
Names of Parents	Unknown		Sold at Auction; proceeds deposited with County Treasurer
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Cerebral hemorrhage, spontaneous, due to hypertensive cardiovascular disease. Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Cirrhosis of liver. Alcoholism.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	Unclaimed cash deposited with County Treasurer
Funeral Director	Dillman's Park Funeral Home, St. Louis Park, Minn.	Address	

Wright

Social Security No. 502 24 7956

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis General Hospital at 9:20 a.m. on February 5, 1960.

According to Mrs.Alice Stonelake, manager of the Wilmington Hotel, 1518 Third Avenue South, the decedent was found comatose on the floor of the bathroom she shared with Mr. Goekie, Apartment 146, by Mr. Goekie on the night of February 3. He reported this to the desk and then, together with the houseman, Ray Carlson, carried the woman into her room. Mrs. Stonelake further stated that about 6:00 p.m. on February 4 a youth who was climbing the fire escape to visit the son of a Mrs. Stenson, Room 351, looked into the decedent's window and saw her lying on the floor of her bedroom; the boy notified Mrs. Stenson, who called the hotel desk. Carlson entered the decedent's apartment and, when he failed in his attempts to get her up into bed, put a pillow under her head and left. Checking later, he found the decedent in the same position; therefore he called the resque squad and a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance.

Elaine D. Meeker (continued)

The woman was taken by ambulance to the Minneapolis General Hospital, where she expired at 7:50 a.m. the following morning, February 5.

An autopsy performed at the hospital revealed the following gross findings; multiple ecchymoses of skin of right shoulder, left arm, left flank at iliac crest; appearance of jaundice; fatty metamorphosis of liver; pulmonary congestion; coronary atherosclerosis, marked; occlusion, old, anterior descending branch of left coronary artery; arteriosclerotic kidneys; left ventricular type cardiac hypertrophy; massive hemorrhage into right cerebrum; questionable bleeding disorder. Death was ascribed to cerebral hemorrhage due to hypertensive cardiovascular disease; arteriosclerotic heart disease; cirrhosis of liver; alcoholism.

Except for husband, Frank Meeker, also known as Clifford C. Mitchell, Hotel Rey, Melchor Campo, 336, Mexico 5, D. F. Mexico, names of survivors are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME MICHAEL A. ZDON Date of Death Fd. February 5

	Place of Death	On City dump - at approximately 37th Avenue N. E. and California St.	Autopsy	
	Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge *	$1.25; 1 glasses; 1 checkbook.
	Residence	3646 Third St. N. E.	**	1 38 Cal. Smith & Wesson Revolver; 1 Box of shells.
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	January 29, 1933 Age 27		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Warehouse foreman -Robinson & Siedl		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Joseph Zdon Elizabeth Kosik		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
	~~Accident~~			
	Suicide	Gun shot wound of head		
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to **	Eugene J. Rafferty, son-in-law
			*	Joseph Kapala, Funeral Director
Wright	Funeral Director	Kapala Funeral Home	Address **	3646 3rd St. N. E., Mpls.
			*	Minneapolis, Minn.

Social Security No 473 32 2452

Veteran Korean Conflict

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 2:55 p.m. on February 5, 1960.

The decedent, according to his mother, Mrs. Betty A. Zdon, was home on a birthday pass from the Veterans Hospital in St. Cloud, where he was a mental patient. Mrs. Zdon further stated that the man had received a head wound in service. The mother last saw her son on Saturday, January 30, when he came home to get his storm coat; he said "Goodbye" in a manner that Mrs. Zdon later realized suggested that she would not see him again. He had with him about $30 in cash, a checkbook but no wallet. The decedent owned a gun but it was kept locked up and hidden away, so it was Mrs. Zdon's opinion that the decedent used the money to purchase a gun.

The decedent failed to return home, so Mrs. Zdon notified the East Side

Michael A. Zdon (continued)

Police Station on February 1 and again on February 2, when Lt. Olson made a Missing Person Report on the man.

About 10 a.m. on February 3, according to the Police, Ted Lorenz, 3700 California Street, saw the man go into the sand pit.

At 2:30 p.m. on February 5, the decedent was found dead in the City Dump by Fred Elzore Barrieault, 2323 Fremont Avenue North, a city employee. Barrieault summoned Police and Officers Arneson and Guzek, Squad 124, responded. Detectives Pfieffer, Finn and Ennen also investigated this case.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the young man lying frozen on his back against the side of the gully in the dump approximately half a block southwest of 37th Avenue NE and Grand Avenue. The body was facing northeast, and dressed in dark slacks, brown military oxfords, white sox, gray and black Ivy league jacket, black tie, white shirt, and gray storm coat. The man was wearing semi-horned rimmed glasses.

Between the decedent's legs on paper wrappings was a .38 caliber Smith and Wesson white, pearl-handled revolver, bearing serial number V390970, with two expended cartridge cases and four live rounds in the cylinder. On another smaller piece of wrapping paper was a box of .38 S&W cartridges (Western Super X) containing 44 live rounds.

There was a wound approximately 3/8 inch in diameter surrounded by powder burns on the right side of the scalp 1 inch above and 1/2 inch anterior to the right ear. There was a wound, apparently of exit, 3-1/2 inches above the left ear.

Officers Arneson and Guzek stated that when they arrived on the scene, there were no tracks near the decedent except old tracks leading to where the decedent lay and apparently made by him.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Survivors are mother, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Zdon; brother, Joseph Zdon, Minneapolis; sister, Mrs. Eugene (Anna) Rafferty, Minneapolis; grandmother, Mrs. Julia Kasik.

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FULL NAME JOHN F. ROE — Date of Death February 5

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Donald P. Reynolds
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	1507 Lowry Avenue N. E.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 29, 1877 Age 82		
Birthplace	Beeton, Ontario, Canada		
Occupation	Engineer - Railroad		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife	Hattie Roe		
Names of Parents	James Roe Mary Jane Fleming		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Generalized peritonitis due to perforation of large duodenal ulcer, due to burns, 2nd degree, over 20% of body surface. Area cerebral softening due to cerebrovascular accident.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Billman Hunt Chapel	Address	

Wright

Social Security No 701 10 7058

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner Office by Swedish Hospital at 5:10 p.m. on February 5, 1960.

According to information from hospital authorities, the decedent was admitted to the hospital on January 23 following a stroke and was placed under the care of Doctors H. T. Gustafson, William J. Carr and Walter C. Hildebrandt. About 8 p.m. on January 30 the man tried to light a cigar that he had wrapped in a paper napkin and stuck into a cigar holder. The napkin caught fire and dropped on his gown, setting it on fire and severely burning the decedent. He expired at 4:00 p.m. on February 5.

Autopsy performed at the hospital revealed the cause of death to be generalized peritonitis due to perforation of large duodenal ulcer, due to burns, 2nd degree, over 20 per cent of body surface; area cerebral softening due to cerebrovascular accident.

John F. Roe (continued)

A deputy coroner released the body from the hospital directly to a mortuary.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME ETHEL HAYDA — Date of Death FEBRUARY 5

Place of Death	3101 University Avenue N. E.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	May 17, 1898 **Age** 62		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		No clothing listed on morgue sheet.
Name of Husband or Wife	John Hayda		
Names of Parents	John and Angelis		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Anderson Peterson Funeral Chapel	Address	

Wright

Social Security No

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 7:20 p.m. on February 5, 1960.

John Hayda, husband of decedent, the night watchman of the Cedar Service Company, 3101 University Avenue N.E., stated that she had been ill for about four days, but refused to see a doctor. He further stated that she acted as though she were out of her head at times and complained of a great deal of pain, especially stomach pain. On the above evening, the woman got out of bed to change her nightgown because she had been sick and collapsed by the closet door. Hayda summoned a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and the physician aboard, Dr. Edelson, pronounced the woman dead on arrival at 7:10 p.m.

Ethel Hayda (continued)

Police officers Woodruff and Robertson, Squad 124, were on the scene of this death. Detectives Finn and Ennen also investigated this case.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the woman's body to be hot, moist and cyanotic. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Survivors are husband, John, and other relatives.

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FULL NAME GARY LEHMANN Date of Death February 6

Place of Death	North Memorial Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. John Popowich
Place of Injury	County Road #10 - 192 ft. west of Wisconsin Avenue, New Hope Vil.,	Effects Taken in charge	6 keys; 1 ring.
Residence	5858 County Road #18, (Mpls. 27) New Hope Village, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Nov. 2, 1941 Age 18 years		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Student		No clothing listed on morgue sheet.
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Virgil L. Lehmann Rosanna Robinson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident-Auto	Severe contusion and laceration of anterior cerebral lobes of brain due to compound, comminuted, frontal skull fracture. Fracture 4th through 9th ribs, left, posteriorly, and mandible.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	Gearty Davis Funeral Home
Wright Funeral Director	Gearty Davis Funeral Home, Robbinsdale, Minn.	Address	Robbinsdale, Minn.
		Social Security No	469 46 5918
		Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by North Memorial Hospital at 4:45 a.m., February 6, 1960.

The deceased was fatally injured and six other persons sustained injuries in a head-on crash of two automobiles, moving in opposite directions, at 1:35 a.m., February 6, 1960, on County Road 10 (Bass Lake Road) in New Hope Village. The accident occurred approximately 192 feet west of Wisconsin Avenue.

It was stated, the car in which deceased was a passenger, a 1958 Ford Convertible bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 5S 3614, driven by Harry J. Champlin, age 24, 3517 Quail Avenue North, was traveling east on County Road 10 when it collided with a 1954 Ford bearing 1960

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Minnesota license No. 3E 3441, driven by William A. Asleson, age 25, 5831 Aquilla Avenue North, which was proceeding west on the same road. Officers felt both vehicles were traveling over the center line at the time the accident occurred; there appeared to be no skid marks from either car from use of brakes.

Deceased was removed by ambulance to North Memorial Hospital, being admitted at 2:15 a.m. He expired shortly thereafter, death occurring at 3:20 a.m., February 6.

Other passengers in the Champlin car who incurred injury are Dennis Sendzig, 4003 Nevada Avenue, New Hope, Barbara Bertelson, 3940 Sandhoff Lane, Plymouth, and Marge Karkhoff, age 18, 4544 Lake Drive, Robbinsdale. Drivers of both vehicles, Harry Champlin and William Asleson, incurred critical injuries. Phyllis L. Kelly, age 28, 5445 Lakeland Avenue, Crystal, only passenger in the Asleson machine, was also injured. All were removed to North Memorial Hospital via ambulance.

Body of deceased was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on the date of death. This revealed severe contusion and laceration of anterior cerebral lobes of brain; compound, comminuted frontal skull fracture; multiple rib fractures, left, posteriorly; fracture of mandible; bilateral pulmonary edema; and left hemothorax.

Deputy sheriffs Harris and Grandstrom were notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lehmann; one sister, Bonnie Jean; grandfather, Arthur Robison, Minneapolis.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60 — WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME CORNELIUS CALLAHAN — **Date of Death** February 6

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	**Autopsy**	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury	In street in front of - 907 Washington Avenue South	**Effects Taken in charge**	None
Residence	1704 Second Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	May 1, 1890 **Age** 69		
Birthplace	Mankato, Minn.		
Occupation	Odd jobs		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Eugene Callahan Anna Cotter		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
Accident-Auto	Septicemia due to gram negative bacteremia, due to infection of decubitus ulcers. Fracture right tibia and fibula, and right femur.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	**Effects Released to**	
Funeral Director	Gill Brothers, Inc. 1414 Laurel Avenue	**Address**	

Kaplan

Social Security No — **Veteran** WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 8:45 a.m., February 6, 1960.

At approximately 1:25 a.m., September 5, 1959, the deceased, a pedestrian who used a cane when walking, sustained injury when struck by a truck, a 1956 Ford 1/2 ton truck, while attempting to cross Washington Avenue South, near the intersection of 9th Avenue South.

Robert Wahl, age 32, of 553½ University Avenue, St. Paul, driver of the vehicle involved, was traveling east on Washington Avenue and the deceased was crossing Washington in a southerly direction at the time the accident occurred.

The injured man was removed by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital, being admitted with fractures of right tibia, fibula and right femur. During hospitalization, the

CORNELIUS CALLAHAN - continued

decedent developed decubitus ulcers and a rectal abscess with fever. Blood cultures were positive for gram negative bacteria.

Deceased expired at 8:25 a.m., February 6, 1960.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This revealed septicemia due to gram negative bacteremia; infection of decubitus ulcers; fractures of right tibia, fibula and right femur.

Police officers D. Vick and Lindeman of traffic squad 515 were notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include 3 brothers, William and Joseph of Minneapolis, and Eugene of Park Falls, Wisconsin.

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FULL NAME KENNETH S. OLSON

Date of Death Fd. February 6

Place of Death	4058 Meadowbrook Lane, St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Nov. 10, 1907 Age 52		
Birthplace	Battle Lake, Minn.		
Occupation	Owner - Quality Rug Company		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife	Adaline Olson		
Names of Parents	Andrew C. Olson Elsie Paulson		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Pulmonary edema and congestion, etiology unknown. Extensive left thoracoplasty, old. Pulmonary emphysema. Myocardial fibrosis. Fatty metamorphosis of liver. Arteriolar nephrosclerosis, marked.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan Funeral Director	McDivitt Hauge Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the St. Louis Park Police Department at 12:30 p.m., February 6, 1960.

Mrs. Glenn Weakley, sister of deceased, 5328-45th Avenue South, states she attempted to phone the decedent about 11:00 a.m ., February 6, 1960 but received no answer. Deceased had told her that he was ill with the"flu", therefore, she notified the police, Officer Robert Smetak of St. Louis Park responding.

Upon entry, Officer Smetak found the deceased lying between bed and night stand, dead, at 11:20 a.m., February 6.

Richard R. Adams, 4060 Meadowbrook Lane, neighbor in adjoining apartment, states he heard the deceased in bathroom about 3:30 a.m. on morning of February 6.

KENNETH S. OLSON - continued

A deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on back with knees and arms drawned up, clothed in pajamas. Body was cold and rigor mortis was complete. A bottle containing some seconal capsules was noted on table.

Deceased had been under the care of Doctor David Sharp who states the deceased has history of tuberculosis. He also states the deceased had been ill with the "Flu" about two weeks ago.

Remains were removed to the McDivitt Hauge Chapel where an autopsy was performed on February 6. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the toxicology before determining the cause of this man's death.

Survivors of the decedent include a son, Kenneth L.; one brother, Roland of Mankato; two sisters, Mrs. Gladys Weakly of Minneapolis and Mrs. Doris Berg of Elbow Lake, Minn.; also two grandchildren.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME CHARLES L. ANDERSON Date of Death February 6

Place of Death	First St. near 19th Ave. S. (Under 10th Ave. bridge)	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$0.10; 1 billfold; misc. papers; 1 ring.
Residence	2631 Girard Avenue North		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	April 26, 1920 Age 39		
Birthplace	Quincy, Mass.		
Occupation	Truck driver		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Name of Husband or Wife	Rita Seppelt Anderson		
Names of Parents	Charles and ? Anderson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident -Auto / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~ / ~~Undetermined~~	Subdural hemorrhage with multiple brain contusion and transection of trachea, due to comminuted skull fracture and trauma of neck. Multiple rib fractures, right ilium, right clavicle, nose and maxilla, bilateral. Alcohol 0.25%.		
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Mrs. Charles Anderson, wife
Kaplan Funeral Director	Knaeble Company	Address	2631 Girard Ave. N.

Social Security No 475 07 6357

Veteran II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 7:55 p.m., February 6, 1960.

At approximately 7:43 p.m., February 6, 1960, the deceased, who was alone in his car, a 1958 Buick bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 6J 2108, was fatally injured when the vehicle, which was traveling east on First Street South, drove off the roadway and struck the cement bridge abutment under the 10th Avenue bridge. The accident occurred about 53 feet west of 19th Avenue South.

The seriously injured man expired at the scene within a few minutes. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance physician confirmed the man's death.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found seated in left front seat of above described automobile.

CHARLES L. ANDERSON - continued

Officers T. Seawell and H. Shoemaker of traffic squad 515 were notified and attended the scene of accident. They stated the abutment was well lighted.

Remains were removed to Hennepin County Moruge where an autopsy was performed on February 7. This revealed subdural hemorrhage; multiple brain contusions; transection of trachea; comminuted skull fracture; multiple rib fractures; fracture of right ilium, right clavicle, nose and maxilla, bilateral. A subsequent report from the toxicologial chemist indicated the blood contained 0.25% alcohol.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Rita; father, Dr. C. B. Anderson; 3 brothers, Albert and Neil Anderson and Richard Carlise; also a sister, Mrs. Don E. Scott.

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FULL NAME MAURICE O. LAWRENSON **Date of Death** February 7

Place of Death	Room 511, Nicollet Hotel,	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	R#5, Austin, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 11, 1910 **Age** 49		
Birthplace	Moorhead, Iowa		
Occupation	Proprietor - hdwe. store		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Marion Lawrenson		
Names of Parents	William Lawrenson Clara Gibbs		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary insufficiency due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis.		
~~Accident~~			
Suicide			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Onawa Cemetery, Onawa, Iowa	Effects Released to	
Kaplan Funeral Director	Waterston Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. 482 01 8248

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 2:20 p.m. on February 7, 1960.

According to the man's wife, the decedent had consulted Dr. James Allen Nesse in Austin about two weeks ago because of a shoulder pain. While in the office the man went into shock after a shot of vitamin B_{12}. On the morning of February 7, he complained of extreme indigestion; the house doctor examined him, said he apparently had a gallbladder attack, and prescribed 7-UP.

About 2 p.m. Mrs. Lawrenson told him that she was going downstairs. The decedent said that he felt somewhat better but asked her not to go right away. With that he fell backwards on the bed and expired.

Maurice O. Lawrenson (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the man, fully dressed, lying on his back on the bed. The body was still warm and there was no rigor.

The body was released directly to a mortuary where an autopsy was performed later that day. This revealed severe coronary sclerosis; slight cardiomegaly; bilateral pulmonary edema; chronic passive congestion of liver, spleen and kidneys; absent appendix; gastritis.

Except for wife, Marion, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME AXEL A. ANDERSON Date of Death February 7

Place of Death	7th St. & Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	2902 Idaho Avenue N., Crystal Village,		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Sept. 14, 1879 Age 80		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Bricklayer and Stone Mason-construction		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife	Elin Anderson		
Names of Parents	Andrew Johnson Magda Lena Henrickson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Park Hill Cemetery, Duluth, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Kaplan Funeral Director	Du Schane Funeral Home, Robbinsdale, Minn.	Address	

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No. 468 18 9460

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 10:15 p.m. on February 7, 1960.

The decedent, who was said to have been under the care of a physician since last July because of convulsions, was leaving the World Theatre with his friend, Mrs. Herbert Anderson, when he suddenly complained of severe chest pain and collapsed. Police were summoned and Officer A. M. Gustafson, Squad 210, who received the call at 10:04 p.m. responded.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and rescue squad was called; but their efforts were unsuccessful and the man was pronounced dead.

Axel A. Anderson (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and the body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors are sons, Herbert A., Crystal, and Frank A., St. Paul; daughters, Mrs. Margaret E. Jacott, Duluth, Mrs. Alice Swanson, Superior, Wisconsin, Mrs. Ingeborg Barstad, Robbinsdale; 10 grandchildren.

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FULL NAME ANNA CABAK **Date of Death** Feb. 7

	Place of Death	University Hospitals	**Autopsy**	No
	Place of Injury	Hinckley, Minn.	**Effects Taken in charge**	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	Sept. 11, 1879 **Age** 80		
	Birthplace	Czechoslovakia		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Unknown		
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~ xx			
	Accident	Septicemia due to staphylococcus wound infection, thigh. Intertrochanteric fracture right hip. Pneumonitis.		
	~~Suicide~~ xx			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~ xx			
	Place of Burial	Calvary Cemetery, Beroun, Minn.	**Effects Released to**	
Kaplan	**Funeral Director**	Donald E. Tatting, Hinckley, Minn.	**Address**	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the University of Minnesota Hospitals at 8:25 a.m. on February 10, 1960.

On November 30, 1959, the decedent slipped on a throw rug in her home and sustained a fracture of the right hip. She was taken to the Sandstone Hospital in Sandstone, Minnesota, but was transferred to the University of Minnesota Hospitals on December 1. She expired at 2:20 p.m. on February 7. In view of the accident, this office was notified.

Cause of death was septicemia due to staphylococcus wound infection, thigh; intertrochanteric fracture, right hip; pneumonitis.

Anna Cabak (continued)

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME ADELAIDE B. MEYERS

Date of Death Fd. February 8

Place of Death	3221 Bryant Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	January 19, 1882 Age 78		
Birthplace	Minneapolis		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Albert J. Meyers		
Names of Parents	Albert F. Miller Mathilda F. Hinz		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel at 10:50 a.m. on February 8, 1960.

The decedent, a Christian Scientist, was last seen alive by her brother, Edward B. Miller, at 9:30 a.m. on the above morning, just before he left to go to breakfast at the home of his sister, Claire Miller, 3316 South Aldrich Avenue. At 10 a.m. Claire Miller entered her sister's home and found her dead on the kitchen floor. Miss Miller telephoned Werness Brothers.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent, dressed in house clothes, lying on the kitchen floor. The body was cold and rigid. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Adelaide B. Meyers (continued)

The body was released directly to the mortuary.

Survivors are sisters: Mrs. George B. Van Suan, Mrs. Kay Grubb, Miss Claire B. Miller; brothers, H. E. Miller and Edward B. Miller.

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FULL NAME CURTIS MYRON REED Date of Death Fd. February 8

Place of Death	Kenesaw Hotel, 10 West 14th St.	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shepard
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$38.68; 1 billfold; 1 wrist watch - LeDuc; 1 glasses; 1 key.
Residence	10 West 14th Street		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	April 17, 1910 Age 49		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Automobile salesman		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife	Margery Reed		
Names of Parents	Joseph Reed Josephine Johnson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Pneumonia, bilateral, lobar.		
~~Accident~~ x	Fatty metamorphosis of liver.		
~~Suicide~~ x	Minimal coronary arteriosclerosis.		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Mrs. Josephine Reed, mother
Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	Oak Grove Hotel

Other Effects listed on Morgue Record

Hoppes

Social Security No

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 1 p.m. on February 8, 1960.

The decedent, a war cripple who had to walk with a cane, was last seen alive about 8 p.m. on February 7 by Mrs. Charles Baldwin, room 421, Kenesaw Hotel. At 12:40 p.m. the following afternoon the hotel maid found the man dead; she summoned Charles Baldwin who, after checking to see if the man were really dead, summoned Police.

Officers Anderson and Mudge, Squad 118, responded to the call. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this death.

Curtis Myron Reed (continued)

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance went to the scene and the physician aboard, Dr. Adelson, pronounced the man dead at 1:00 p.m.

A deputy coroner went to the hotel and found the decedent lying on his bed dressed only in a jersey. The body was cool, but not rigid.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy performed the same day revealed the cause of death to be pneumonia, bilateral, lobar; fatty metamorphosis of liver; minimal coronary arteriosclerosis.

The decedent is survived by his mother, Mrs. Joseph Reed, and 9 cousins.

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FULL NAME LOUIS G. MILLER Date of Death February 8

	Place of Death	On sidewalk in front of - 622 Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$2.88; 1 billfold; 1 checkbook; 1 Westfield wrist watch; 1 Cameo ring; 1 glasses; 3 keys; 1 ball pen; 1 lapel pin.
	Residence	3109 Lyndale Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	December 25, 1886 Age 73		
	Birthplace	Patrass, Greece		
	Occupation	Restaurant owner		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	George and Mary Malliaris		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	D. B. Hansen, Spec. Adm.
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Hanson Nugent Funeral Home	Address	2116 Nicollet Avenue, Mpls.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 10:25 p.m. on February 8, 1960.

The decedent, who had been a patient of Dr. H. W. Darby for over ten years, was standing in front of Luigi's Restaurant on the above date when he fell to the sidewalk. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned and the physician aboard pronounced the man dead at 10:15 p.m.

Police Officers, Clark and Quinn, patrolmen on this beat, were on the scene to investigate.

Louis G. Miller (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on the sidewalk. The body was cool but no rigidity was evident. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

The decedent is survived by a niece of Rochester, Minnesota, and relatives in Greece.

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FULL NAME LONNIE BELL

Date of Death February 8

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Senate Hotel, 34 Washington Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Dec. 18, 1910 Age 49		
	Birthplace	Unknown		
	Occupation	Laborer - railroad		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Unknown		
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Unknown (History of chronic alcoholism).		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Undetermined			
	Place of Burial		Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Dept. of Anatomy, University of Minnesota	Address	

None except listed On Morgue Record

Social Security No 300-14-1262

Veteran Unknown

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis General Hospital at 11 p.m. on February 8, 1960.

At 9:32 a.m. on February 8, the decedent was brought to the Minneapolis General Hospital from the City Jail, where he had had a seizure. There was no record against the man in the Police Department other than his having been picked up for drunkenness shortly before he had this seizure. Records at the hospital disclosed that he had been there from October 21 to October 24, 1958, because of a fracture in the right parietal area, allegedly received when after much drinking he got into a fight. The man expired at 10:50 p.m. on February 8.

Lonnie Bell (continued)

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue. Since the decedent had no funds and since no relatives were known to the Coroner's Office who could arrange for burial of the man, it was necessary to release his body to the Department of Anatomy of the University of Minnesota.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME ROBERT EMMETT RYAN **Date of Death** Fd. February 9

Place of Death	In garage - 1429 Logan Avenue North	Autopsy	Dr. R. D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$10.51; 1 checkbook; 1 billfold; 1 stamp; 1 knife; 1 nail clipper; 1 pr. cuff links; 1 tie clasp; 1 key; 5 tokens.
Residence	518 Knox Avenue North		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Dec. 7, 1928 **Age** 31		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Salesman - Waterman-Waterbury Company		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Emmet P. Ryan Mary Fitzsimmons		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Carbon monoxide poisoning.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Undetermined			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Emmett Ryan, father
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1200 West Broadway	Address	Apple Rd., Excelsior, Minn.

Social Security No.

Veteran WWII

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 4:10 p.m. on February 9, 1960.

At approximately 4 p.m. on the above date, Mrs. Ethyl Thorsen, fiancee of the decedent, opened her garage door and found the man lying beside the rear left wheel of his automobile. Mrs. Thorsen palpated the man's extremities and found that they were cold.

Mrs. Thorsen summoned Police and Officers L. Walsh and W. Reiman, Squad 301, and Officers F. Schafer and P. Seidel, Squad 144, responded. Upon investigation, Police found the key in the automobile ignition turned on, the motor cold, and the gasoline gauge indicated that the tank was empty. They also noted that there was a strong smell of "gas" in the garage and in the

Robert Emmett Ryan (continued)

house. Mrs. Thorsen stated that she and her two children by a former marriage had had headaches associated with nausea and vomiting all day long.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying dead beside the left rear wheel of a green 1951 two-door Chevrolet, bearing 1959 Minnesota license number 3A1920. He was fully dressed. The body was cold and in full rigor. Pink livor was evident. There was no evidence of trauma. There were two bottles of beer in the car, one full, the other partially empty.

Mrs. Thorsen stated that she had last seen the decedent about 11 p.m. the previous evening, when he left her house apparently to go home. She added that the man had had three beers during the evening. She also said that the man had been beaten up five or six days before by friends of her former husband.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed the following day. This revealed pinkish discoloration of the skin and organs; bilateral marked pulmonary congestion and edema; focal fatty metamorphosis of the liver; benign prostatic nodular hyperplasia.

Besides the officers previously mentioned, Captain Kawkinson and Detective Short also investigated this case.

Survivors are wife, Agnes; daughters, Rebecca, Karen, Colleen, Linda, Laura and Shelia; sons, Patrick and Michael; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett P. Ryan, five sisters and one brother.

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FULL NAME HOWARD DONALD NELSON — **Date of Death** February 9

Place of Death	1600 Traymore Road, Minnetonka Village,	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Nov. 24, 1915 Age 44		None except listed On Morgue Record
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Painter - Bob Knowles Ford Company		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Hulda Marie Nelson		
Names of Parents	Albin O. Nelson Emily Johnson		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary insufficiency due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 1200 West Broadway	Address	

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Social Security No

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minnetonka Police at 9:45 p.m. on February 9, 1960.

According to the man's wife, the decedent had a history of "ulcers" for eight or more years duration. He had frequent episodes of indigestion for which he took antacids. On the above date, the man had had frankfurters and sauerkraut for lunch and had complained throughout the afternoon and evening of epigastric fullness. At 8:15 p.m. the man and his wife were in the basement of their home, when he complained of extreme epigastric and substernal distress. Soon thereafter the decedent fell to the floor, striking the back of his head.

Howard Don Nelson (continued)

Mrs. Nelson called a neighbor, Mrs. Richard Bastian, 1608 Traymore Road, who attempted mouth-to-mouth resuscitation without success.

Police were summoned and Chief Kucera and H. R. Drobey of the Minnetonka Police responded at 8:38 p.m.

Dr. Kaiser of North Memorial Hospital arrived and pronounced the man dead at 8:55 p.m.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on his back in the basement of his home. He was fully dressed. There was no rigor or livor. A large amount of non-clotted blood was noted about an approximately 7 cm. occipital scalp laceration.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where, at the request of the widow, an autopsy was performed the following day. This revealed coronary sclerosis with relative myocardial insufficiency; bilateral pulmonary congestion and edema; aspiration of gastric contents; old healed duodenal ulcer; myocardial infarction, anterior superior septum; laceration of scalp.

Survivors are wife, Hulda; daughters, Carole and Bonnie; father, Albin O. Nelson, Braham, Minnesota; sisters, Mrs. Marvel Vos, Eleanor Larson and Jane Ebert, all of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME MARK LEROY STERN **Date of Death** Fd. February 10

	Place of Death	2810-18th Avenue North	Autopsy	Dr. Richard A. Pfohl
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Dec. 8, 1959 Age 2 months		
	Birthplace	Golden Valley, Minn.		None except listed On Morgue Record
	Occupation	None		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	LeRoy Stern Selma Eggert		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Septicemia, etiology unknown.		
	~~Accident~~ x	Adrenal hematoma.		
	~~Suicide~~ x			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~ x			
	Place of Burial	Rush Creek Cemetery, Maple Grove, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Maldonado	Funeral Director	Evans Nordby Funeral Home, Osseo, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 1:50 a.m., February 10, 1960.

According to the deceased's parents, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Stern, the deceased had rhinorrhea and felt warm on the morning of February 9, 1960. About noontime, mother noted "blood spots" on extremities of infant and took him to Doctor R. Valgemae. Examination revealed the deceased's temperature to be 102.8° and illness was diagnosed as "flu" and medications were prescribed. It was stated, the decedent had been eating well.

On evening of February 9, baby was noted to be "very warm" and respirations were "hard and fast". Deceased was placed in his crib, face down, at 11:40 p.m. Mother

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awakened at 1:10 a.m., February 10th, and was unable to hear baby breathing. On checking, she found infant unresponsive and a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the scene. Upon arrival at 1:30 a.m., Doctor Copple, the ambulance physician, pronounced the infant dead.

Examination of the body was made by a deputy coroner. Deceased found lying on back in early rigor with beginning livor of face, dressed in bed clothes. Numerous petechie and ecchymotic areas noted on skin. Evidence of rhinorrhea was present. There was no evidence of abnormality.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and an autopsy was performed on Feb. 10. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the bacteriology before determining the cause of this baby's death.

Officers Stolp and Neary of squad 144 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Stern; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. August Stern of Osseo, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eggert of Rogers.

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FULL NAME ANNA VAN DERLOOP

Date of Death February 10

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. E.A. Hauske
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$21.19; 1 case watch & chain; 1 glasses; misc. papers; 1 handbag; 1 coin holder; 4 keys.
Residence	2441 Nicollet Avenue		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Dec. 13, 1883 Age 76		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Unknown		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Names of Parents	Walter Verkuilen Marie Clausen		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Coronary insufficiency due to coronary arteriosclerosis, severe. Generalized arteriosclerosis.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~	Encephalomalacia, left temporal lobe, old. Nephrosclerosis.		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	John Billman, Funeral Director
Funeral Director	Billman Mortuary	Address	2121 Nicollet Avenue

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Miss Borgman, night supervisor at Lutheran Deaconess Hospital, at 2:30 a.m. on February 10, 1960.

On January 22, 1960, the decedent was hospitalized at Lutheran Deaconess where a diagnosis of arteriosclerotic heart disease with decompensation was made. She was under the care of Dr. B. A. Cohen. The patient was apparently improving. On February 1, about 3 a.m., after using the bedpan and while attempting to get into bed, the woman fell, striking her right forehead. However, physical examination at this time revealed no change from her previous status except for a subcutaneous hematoma in the right frontal area. Her condition remained essentially unchanged until 2:10 a.m., when she was found dead in bed.

Anna Van Derloop (continued)

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue, where an autopsy performed later that day revealed the cause of death to be coronary insufficiency due to coronary arteriosclerosis, severe; generalized arteriosclerosis; encephalomalacia, left temporal lobe, old; nephrosclerosis.

Survivors are daughters, Mrs. Leona Brown, South Bend, Indiana, Mrs. William Sullivan, Portland, Oregon; and son, M. J. VanDerloop, Santa Anna, California.

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FULL NAME LINUS E. CARLSON

Date of Death February 10

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Alan R. Jay
Place of Injury	Hector, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	620-22nd Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 1, 1890 Age 69		
Birthplace	Jonkoping, Sweden		
Occupation	Maintenance - Twin City Rapid Transit		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Jeveda Carlson		
Names of Parents	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Cerebral hemorrhage, spontaneous, due to encephalomalacia due to old cerebral thrombosis. Fracture occipital region of skull.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright Funeral Director	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No 472-07-7121

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Swedish Hospital Nurse Special Care Unit at 12:50 p.m. on February 10, 1960.

According to the hospital records, the decedent was admitted at 7 p.m. on February 9 from Hector, Minnesota, and was put under the care of Dr. Leonard Titrud. The man apparently had fallen down the stairs of his home for he was found unconscious at the foot of the basement stairs by his brother at approximately 2:30 p.m. on the above date. Bilateral trephining was done by Dr. Titrud shortly after his admission to the hospital but the decedent expired at 8:20 a.m. the following morning. Medical opinion was that the man apparently had had a hemorrhage from natural causes into an old area of encephalomalacia from a previous cerebrovascular accident and fell down the basement stairs, incurring the skull fracture.

Linus E. Carlson (continued)

An autopsy was performed at the hospital about 3 p.m. which revealed the following gross findings: obesity, marked; bilateral trephines; hemorrhage into area of encephalomalacia, right cerebrum; fracture, occipital region of skull.

The body was released directly from the hospital to a mortuary.

Except for wife, Jeveda, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME HARVEY LE ROY LINDBERG

Date of Death February 10

Place of Death	7238 - 11th Avenue S., Richfield,	Autopsy	Dr. R. D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Dec. 11, 1925 Age 34		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Plasterer		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Yvonne Lindberg		
Names of Parents	August Lindberg Emma Munson		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary insufficiency due to generalized coronary sclerosis with myocardial infarction.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Albin Chapel	Address	

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Social Security No. 477 18 1155

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Albin Chapel at 9:35 a.m. on February 11, 1960.

The decedent had been under the care of Dr. H. S. Trueman for heart disease for some time. On February 10, the man became ill at work and shortly after returning home became very ill. Dr. Trueman was summoned but the man was dead when he arrived at 2:30 p.m.

The body was removed to the Albin Chapel where, at the request of the family, an autopsy was performed in view of the fact that the man had become ill at work. This revealed the cause of death to be coronary insufficiency due to generalized coronary sclerosis with myocardial infarction.

Harvey LeRoy Lindberg (continued)

Survivors are wife, Yvonne; daughters, Linda, Joy Alice, and Jan Ellen; sons, James and Kevin; mother, Mrs. Emma Lindberg; sister, Mrs. George (Elna) Burge, all of Minneapolis; brothers, Eric and Robert, Minneapolis, and Arthur, Mankato.

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FULL NAME WILLIAM A. ASLESON **Date of Death** February 11

	Place of Death	North Memorial Hospital, Robbinsdale, Minn.	Autopsy	Dr. Gerald K. Palmer
	Place of Injury	County Rd. #10 - 192 Ft. west of Wisconsin Ave., New Hope Village,	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	5831 Aquila Avenue N. New Hope Village, (Mpls. 27)		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Oct. 23, 1934 Age 25		
	Birthplace	Eagle Point, Oregon		
	Occupation	Machinist - Pioneer Hydraulic, Inc.		No clothing listed.
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Geraldine Groves Asleson		
	Names of Parents	Olaf Asleson Olive Petty		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident-Auto	Severe contusion of cerebellum, bilateral, due to head injury, severe, in automobile accident. Laceration of liver and spleen. Fracture, compound, right tibia. Fracture sumphysis pubis of pelvis.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Guthrie	Funeral Director	Gearty Davis Chapel	Address	

Social Security No. 468-42-2310

Veteran Korean

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by North Memorial Hospital at 4:30 a.m., February 11, 1960.

The facts surrounding this case are identical with those of a preceding case, Gary Lehmann, Case No. 162, with the following exceptions:

Deceased was admitted to hospital from scene of accident at 2:15 a.m., February 6, 1960, in a comatose condition. He remained in a deep coma and expired without regaining consciousness at 4:10 a.m., February 11.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on February 11. This revealed contusion of cerebellum, bilateral; lobular pneumonia, bilateral; comminuted fracture of facial bones; compound fracture of right tibia;

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comminuted fracture of symphysis pubis; rupture of liver; and rupture of spleen.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Geraldine; one son, Timothy William; two daughters, Connie Lea and Lori Dee; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Asleson; two brothers, Eugene and Thomas; four sisters, Mrs. Ralph Lennie, Mrs. Raymond Sheeley, Mrs. David O'Bannan, amd Marjory Ann Asleson.

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FULL NAME FREDERICK WILHELM MEYER

Date of Death February 11

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$3.02; 1 key; 1 glasses; 1 coin purse.
Residence	1619 Park Avenue		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Oct. 23, 1887 Age 72		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Deerfield township, Steele County, Minn.		
Occupation	Millwright-Pillsbury Mills		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Marie Meyer		
Names of Parents	Gustav and Emma Meyer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		Sold at Auction; proceeds deposited with County Treasurer
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial		Effects Released to	Unclaimed deposited with County Treasurer
Funeral Director Kaplan	Department of Anatomy University of Minnesota	Address	

Social Security No. 468 07 7373

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis General Hospital at 9:50 a.m. on February 11, 1960.

Shortly before 9 a.m. on the above morning, according to Police, Robert Palya, 1700 Elliot , who was looking out the window of the Tunnel Bar, 1515 Chicago Avenue, saw the decedent start across the street and fall about five feet from the curb and fifteen feet north of the crosswalk. Palya went out to help the man up and walked him across the street to the sidewalk in front of 1519 Chicago Avenue. Palya then summoned Police; Officers Rolsing and Bauman, Squad 118, responded to a call received at 9 a.m. When these Officers arrived, they found the decedent sitting on the sidewalk in front of 1519 Chicago Avenue, being held up by Donald Gordhamer, 3659 Morgan Avenue North.

Frederick Wilhelm Meyer (continued)

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance arrived soon thereafter with Dr. Mitchell aboard; the man was taken to the hospital where he was admitted at 9:09 a.m. He expired at 9:10 a.m.

A deputy coroner passed by 1519 Chicago Avenue just as the decedent collapsed; he stopped and found that the man was alive.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue from the hospital. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Since the decedent had no funds for burial and since no relatives were known to the Coroner's Office who could arrange for his burial it was necessary to release his body to the Department of Anatomy of the University of Minnesota.

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FULL NAME ANNA AUGUSTA OSTROM

Date of Death February 11

Place of Death	In street at Emerson Ave.N. & West Broadway	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	R#L, Ogilvie, Minn.		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Sept. 9, 1886 Age 73		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Ingeman Ostrom		
Names of Parents	Lars and ? unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	Lewis Lake Mission Cemetery Ogilvie, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Rock Funeral Home	Address	
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HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 1:40 p.m. on February 11, 1960.

The decedent, according to her son, Vernon Ostrom, had been under the care of a Dr. Nordenstrom for some time because of a heart condition but the date of her last visit was not known. She had been staying with this son for awhile. About 9 a.m. on the morning of February 11, she left his home to keep an appointment at a beauty parlor. At 1:27 p.m. she was crossing West Broadway at the intersection with Emerson Avenue when she suddenly dropped to the pavement in the middle of the street.

Officer Haney saw the woman collapse; he summoned a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and Dr. Roberts, the physician aboard, pronounced her dead on arrival at 1:37 p.m.

Anna Augusta Ostrom (continued

A deputy coroner went to the scene to remove the body to the Hennepin County Morgue. The decedent was dressed in outdoor winter clothes. There was no rigor. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Except for son, Vernon, and husband, Ingeman, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME ELMER C. HAUGEN

Date of Death February 12

Place of Death	In ambulance en route to - Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 glasses; 1 billfold; misc. papers.
Residence	260 Cedar Avenue		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Feb. 13, 1902 Age 58		
Birthplace	Dawson, Minn.		
Occupation	Caretaker		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife	Mabel		
Names of Parents	Erick Haugen Annie Ellefson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	Clifford C. Peterson, Funeral director
Hoppes Funeral Director	Anderson Peterson Funeral Chapel	Address	27th & Franklin Ave.

Social Security No. 473 03 4309

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance crew at 11:20 a.m. on February 12, 1960.

On the above morning the decedent became very ill and a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned. However, the man expired while en route to the hospital at 11:15 a.m. and the body was brought directly to the Hennepin County Morgue.

There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Elmer C. Haugen (continued)

Survivors are son, Dennis; daughter, Walborg Haugen; 2 grandchildren; 4 sisters.

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FULL NAME JUANITA M. JOHNSON

Date of Death February 12

Place of Death	3101 Rhode Island Avenue, St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	Dr. R. D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	4 keys; 1 ring (small chip stones); 1 ring (small, clear stones); misc. papers; 1 bankbook #575 - $436.12- 5th N. W. bank.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Feb. 6, 1921 Age 39		
Birthplace	Oak Grove Township, Wis.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Housewife - Nurses aid		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Richard Johnson		
Names of Parents	Herman Malveg Mathilda Lindenberg		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
Homicide	Gun shot wound of head		
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Herman H. Malveg, brother
Hoppes Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	645 - 12th St., Red Wing, Minn.

Social Security No. 468 20 6695

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the St. Louis Park Police Department at 4:00 p.m., February 12, 1960.

It was stated, the deceased's husband, Richard Johnson, called the St. Louis Park police department on the afternoon of February 12, informing them he had shot his wife and intended to take his own life.

Upon arrival of officers at the Johnson residence, the deceased was found dead on her bed with wounds in right side of head.

Richard Johnson, husband of deceased, was found lying on the concrete floor in basement of his home in a pool of blood, with a .22 caliber rifle beside him according to officers. He was found to be alive and was removed by ambulance to Methodist Hospital, being admitted at 4:05 p.m., February 12.

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Also found at the scene of shooting, was a four page letter, apparently written by Richard Johnson, in which he thanked his friends, relatives, and neighbors for their help but states this is the best way out for his children. He also left some instructions regarding his children.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body of deceased, which was found lying on bed in face down position, with two bullet holes in front of right ear; the holes were about 1 inch apart. A pool of fresh blood surrounded the elbow on which deceased was lying. Body, which is clad in houseclothes, was noted to be warm and no rigor is evident. An unspent and a spent shell are on floor of bedroom between the dresser and bed.

Remains were removed to Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on February 13. This revealed gunshot wounds of brain; multiple skull fractures; and multiple brain trauma. The death was ruled a homicide.

Officer Clyde Sorenson of St. Louis Park and Deputy Sheriff Stanley P. Hurley of Hennepin County were notified and assisted in the investigation of this case.

Survivors of the decedent include two sons, David and Thomas; one daughter, Kathleen; mother, Mrs. Mathilda Malveg, Prescott, Wis.; 3 sisters, Mrs. Harry Kyhn, Minneapolis, Mrs. Harry Kyhn, Minneapolis, Mrs. Oscar Nelson, Robbinsdale, Mrs. Rolland Everts, Hager City, Wis.; and 5 brothers, Howard, Minneapolis, Herman, Red Wing, Chester, Raymond and Charles Malveg of Prescott, Wis.

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FULL NAME RICHARD JOHNSON

Date of Death February 12

Place of Death	Methodist Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Martin A. Segal
Place of Injury	3101 Rhode Island Avenue, St. Louis Park, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 2, 1915 Age 44		
Birthplace	Finlayson, Minn.		
Occupation	Machinist - Ford Motor Company		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife	Juanita Johnson		
Names of Parents	Matt Johnson Kristine Riipinen		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Gun shot wound of head - self inflicted with suicidal intent.		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Chapel	Address	

Social Security No. 472 14 1457

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Methodist Hospital at 6:12 p.m., February 12, 1960.

The facts surrounding this case are identical with those of a preceding case, Juanita Johnson, Case No. 183, with the following exceptions:

Deceased was admitted to Methodist Hospital at 4:05 p.m., February 12, 1960, with gunshot wound of head. He expired shortly after admission, death occurring at 5:30 p.m.

Police officers found the deceased lying on the floor of basement in his home with a .22 caliber rifle, Stevens pump model #R378, beside him. Apparently deceased had shot himself through the mouth after killing his wife, Juanita Johnson. When interviewed, Kathleen, daughter of deceased, indicated her father had been acting peculiar of late.

RICHARD JOHNSON - continued

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. Death was attributed to gunshot wound of head and was ruled a suicide.

Survivors of the decedent include two sons, David and Thomas; one daughter, Kathleen; 3 sisters, Mrs. Mayme Ranta, Minneapolis, Hilda and Evelyn Herrala, both of Detroit, Mich.; and a brother, Carl, Sandstone, Minn.

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FULL NAME DANIEL HOFFSTROM

Date of Death February 12

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	3933-30th Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Dec. 10, 1884 Age 75		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Baker - retail bakery		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife	Anna Hoffstrom		
Names of Parents	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Acute cardiac decompensation due to arteriosclerotic heart disease. Fracture neck of right femur. Cerebral arteriosclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Elmhurst Cemetery, St. Paul, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Lake Funeral Home	Address	

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Social Security No. 469-18-3404

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. Stromgren of Swedish Hospital at 7 p.m. on February 12, 1960.

On December 15, 1959, the decedent fell in the rest home at 3933 30th Avenue South and fractured his right hip. He was brought to the hospital on the same day and on December 19 an internal fixation of the fracture was done. The man expired at 6:30 p.m. on February 12.

A deputy coroner examined the body before it was released directly from the hospital to a mortuary. Death was ascribed to acute cardiac decompensation due to arteriosclerotic heart disease; fracture of neck of right femur; cerebral arteriosclerosis.

Daniel Hoffstrom (continued)

Survivors are daughters, Viola Hoffstrom and Mrs. LeRoy Swanson; son, Clifford; 7 grandchildren; 1 great-grandchild.

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FULL NAME HENRY L. TOURANGEAU

Date of Death February 12

Place of Death	4419 Blaisdell Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Sept. 18, 1897 Age 62		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Clerk - Northern States Power Co.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Hazel C. Tourangeau		
Names of Parents	Osias Tourangeau Josephine Bourassa		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	

Social Security No. 469 09 8323

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 7:35 p.m. on February 12, 1960.

For some time the decedent had complained of severe chest pain which radiated down the left arm. After supper on the above evening, the man complained that he did not feel well and went to bed. The man's wife stated that she talked to him about 6:55. At about 7:25 she heard the man gasp and found him unconscious.

Police were summoned and Officers Blanchet and Juntillia, Squad 152, responded. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this death.

Henry L. Torangeau (continued)

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and the rescue squad was called; Dr. Mitchell, the physician aboard the ambulance, pronounced the man dead on arrival at 7:25 p.m.

A deputy coroner went to the residence and examined the body before it was released directly to a mortuary.

There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors are wife, Hazel; daughter, Jennie Brown; sisters, Mrs. Emma Badger and Mrs. Laura Wheldon, Minneapolis; brother, Fred, Rice Lake, Wisconsin.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME CAROLINE H. LILLY

Date of Death February 13

Place of Death	3021 Humboldt Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	1323 McDonald, Sioux City, Iowa		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	August 18, 1903 Age 56		
Birthplace	Varing, Iowa		
Occupation	Clerk - grocery store		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Edward Lilly		
Names of Parents	Hugo Elsasser & ? Gehrig		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Sioux City, Iowa	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	White Funeral Home	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No. 485-32-1807

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 5:20 a.m. on February 13, 1960.

For the past two years, according to her daughters, the decedent had been under the care of a heart specialist, Dr. Tiedeman, in Sioux City, Iowa. On February 12, the woman arrived in the city at about 11 p.m. for a visit with her three daughters who live at 3021 Humboldt Avenue South. About 5 o'clock next morning the daughters heard a gasping sound coming from their mother's room.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and rescue squad was summoned; the physician aboard the ambulance, Dr. Strobel, pronounced the woman dead on arrival a few minutes after 5 a.m.

Caroline H. Lilly (continued)

Police Officers C. H. Johnson and Fristrom, Squad 151, were on the scene to investigate this death. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this case.

A deputy coroner went to the residence and found the decedent, dressed in nightclothes, lying on her back on the living room davenport. A box of tablets, resembling digitoxin, were found in her purse. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was released from the residence directly to a mortuary.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME GEORGE STONE

Date of Death February 13

Place of Death	115 East Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$2.47; 1 key.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	January 5, 1895 Age 65		
Birthplace	Unknown		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Yard man - restaurant		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	D. B. Hansen Hanson Nugent Chapel
Hoppes Funeral Director	Hanson Nugent Funeral Home	Address	2116 Nicollet Ave.

Social Security No. 502 03 9915

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 6:08 a.m. on February 13, 1960.

About 5:20 a.m. on the above date, Adeline Hill, Apartment 25, 115 East Hennepin, heard a loud thump; she went out into the hall and saw that the door to Apartment 24, where the decedent lived, was open. Miss Hill entered to find the man lying on the floor next to his bed. She summoned Police; Officers, Erickson and Switzer, Squad 125, responded. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this case.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was called and Dr. Strobel, the physician aboard, pronounced the man dead.

George Stone (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the man lying on his back, dressed in street clothes, on the floor of his apartment. The body was warm and there was no rigor. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death, which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME GINA SYVERSON

Date of Death Fd. February 13

Place of Death	In driveway - 1527 West 26th Street	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	4 rings; 1 glasses.
Residence	2540 Humboldt Avenue South		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	April 27, 1877 Age 82		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Buxton, North Dakota		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Syver Syverson		
Names of Parents	J. and ? Myrland		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident			
~~Suicide~~	Coronary insufficiency due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis. Generalized and cerebral arteriosclerosis. Arterionephrosclerosis. Acute suppurative cholecystitis. Sub-phrenic abscess. Exposure to cold.		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	E. B. Syverson, son
Maldonado Funeral Director	Enger Funeral Home	Address	4633 Washburn Avenue S.

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 8:30 a.m. on February 13, 1960.

Since February 1, 1960, the decedent had been staying at the home of Mrs. Charles Donahue, 2540 Humboldt Avenue South, who identified herself as a retired nurse and added that she had three or four other elderly people staying with her. Before coming to live with Mrs. Donahue the decedent had been under observation at Glenwood Hills.

Mrs.Donahue stated that the decedent had been very restless, stayed up most of the night, and tried to run away. At suppertime on February 12, Mrs. Donahue said, she gave the woman 50 mg. of Thorazine and a sleeping pill but she could hear her walking and talking throughout the house until about 5 a.m.; she had last seen her at 10 p.m.

Gina Syverson (continued)

At 8:15 on the morning of February 13, the woman was found lying dead in the driveway of 1527 West 26th Street by a passerby, Miss Mary McCloskey, 2549 Aldrich Avenue South, who was on her way to meet her sister who lives at 1527 West 26th Street.

Miss McCloskey summoned Police and Officers C.E. Johnson and I. Guzek, Squad 151, responded, together with Detective A. L. Williams. Detectives Lindberg, Rieman and Short also investigated this death.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent, dressed in a nightgown and a pair of brown shoes, lying face down in front of a 1959 4-door Ford, bearing 1960 Minnesota license number SN6856. The body was in full rigor and very cold on palpation; there was livor on the ventral surfaces. Seven or eight drops of blood were evident on the front of the woman's gown and she had a 2 cm. laceration on the left parietal area.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where, at the request of the woman's sons, Emery and Bennet Syverson, an autopsy was performed later that day. This revealed the cause of death to be coronary insufficiency due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis; generalized and cerebral arteriosclerosis; arterionephrosis; acute suppurative cholecystitis; subphrenic abscess; exposure to cold.

Survivors are sons, Emery and Bennet; daughter, Mrs. Fred A. (Marion) Link, Glenview, Illinois; 5 grandchildren.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME ELLEN C. PALM

Date of Death February 13

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. E. A. Hanske
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	1022 East 21st Street		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	October 27, 1877 Age 82		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Peter Palm		
Names of Parents			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Cardiac tamponade due to rupture of myocardial infarction due to coronary thrombosis.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Maldonado Funeral Director	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. 469 10 3749

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. Daniel McDonald, Lutheran Deaconess Hospital, at 8:30 a.m. on February 13, 1960.

The decedent was a patient at Deaconess because of a heart condition. Her blood pressure was 160/90. Dr. McDonald was summoned to her bedside about 1 a.m. on the above date because the woman had a sudden attack of pain; the woman stated to him at that time that she remembered having fallen at one time striking her chest. She apparently had no further complaints that night. She was found dead in bed at 7:55 a.m.

An autopsy performed at the hospital later that day revealed the cause of death to be cardiac tamponade due to rupture of myocardial infarction due to coronary thrombosis.

Ellen C. Palm (continued)

A deputy coroner released the body from the hospital directly to a mortuary.

Survivors are daughters, Mrs. Ella Ahlstrom and Mrs.Elvira Campbell; sons, Oscar and Elmer Palm, 14 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME MARIE EVANGELINE LUNDHOLM

Date of Death February 13

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury	3024-17th Avenue South	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	May 1, 1878 Age 81		
Birthplace	Carver County, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	J. G. Lundholm		
Names of Parents	Solomon and Helen Anderson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident / ~~Suicide~~	Bronchial pneumonia. Fracture right wrist.		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Henry W. Anderson Mortuary	Address	

Maldonado

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Lutheran Deaconess Hospital at 9:10 p.m. on February 13, 1960.

On February 4, 1960, the decedent, who was subject to dizzy spells, fell down in her home and suffered multiple bruises and a fracture of the right wrist. She was brought to Deaconess Hospital, where she was under the care of Dr. C. R. Wall and Dr. S. V. Thorson. Bronchial pneumonia followed and the woman expired at 8:30 p.m. on February 13.

Death was attributed to bronchial pneumonia; fracture of right wrist.

Marie Evangeline Lundholm (continued)

A deputy coroner released the body from the hospital directly to a mortuary.

Survivors are husband, Prof. J. G. Lundholm; daughter, Mrs. K. L. (Violet) Lawrence; son, C. Harold; 6 grandchildren; 4 great-grandchildren.

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FULL NAME ELDON R. WHEELER

Date of Death February 14

	Place of Death	Olson Highway and Thomas Avenue	Autopsy	Dr. R. A. Pfohl
	Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	$25.98
	Residence	2311 Glenwood Avenue North	Less:	.50 (phone to Milaca)
	Sex	Male	Balance:	$25.48
	Birthdate	June 24, 1930 Age 29		1 ring; 1 purse; 6 keys.
	Birthplace	Fairmont, Minn.		
	Occupation	Taxicab driver		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Name of Husband or Wife	Gloria Wheeler		
	Names of Parents	Clifford Wheeler Emma Gellman		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ x			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident-Auto	Cerebral contusion with small subarachnoid hemorrhage, due to head injury resulting in fracture, comminuted, 4th cervical vertebra.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~ x	Superficial laceration of liver and spleen.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Rice Lake Cemetery, Braham, Minnesota	Effects Released to	Walter Evenson
Maldonado	Funeral Director	Thomson Brothers Funeral Home	Address	Milaca, Minn.

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 2:00 a.m., February 14, 1960.

At approximately 1:40 a.m., February 14, 1960, the deceased, a passenger in front seat of car driven by Joel Merrills Huelskamp, age 24, 4137 Vernon Avenue South, was fatally injured when the vehicle crashed into the left rear of a parked Twin City Rapid Transit bus on Olson Highway, approximately 83 feet east of its intersection with Thomas Avenue.

The Huelskamp car, a 1953 Buick bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 3F8994, was traveling east on Olson Highway and the parked bus, a 1955 GM bearing Minnesota license No. BTC 654, was also headed east at the time the accident occurred. It was stated, the bus was on the right hand parking lane at a turn-around point, awaiting the start of another run. Driver of the bus was Gerald Clyde Olson, 737 Pelham Boulevard, St. Paul. There were no passengers on the bus.

ELDON R. WHEELER - continued

The impact caused the deceased to be thrown from the car which caught fire. Deceased expired at the scene shortly thereafter, death apparently occurring about 1:50 a.m.

Huelskamp escaped with only minor injuries.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed cerebral contusion; small subarachnoid hemorrhage; head injury; fracture, comminuted, of 4th cervical vertebra; and superficial laceration of liver and spleen.

Police officers W. Brady and D. Olson of squad 119 were notified and attended the scene of accident. Officers Lindeman and Arnold also assisted in the investigation of this case.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME FRANCIS PATRICK DENNY

Date of Death February 14

	Place of Death	1916 Irving Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Dec. 1, 1959 Age 2½ months		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	None		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Charles M. Denny Carol Easley		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Pulmonary edema and congestion, etiology indeterminable.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Davies Mortuary	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor Elizabeth Lowry at 8:25 a.m., February 14, 1960.

The deceased, one of twins, was born at Northwestern Hospital and delivery was normal. Apparently infant was doing well and had been eating well. Baby appeared to have a slight cold past few days and was seen by Doctor J. D. Tobin on February 13. Dr. Tobin is an associate of Doctor Lowry.

On the morning of February 14th, at approximately 8:00 a.m., the deceased was found expired in his crib.

An autopsy was performed at the mortuary on February 14. This revealed that death was due to pulmonary edema and congestion, etiology indeterminable.

FRANCIS PATRICK DENNY - continued

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME CLARENCE O'NEAL BAARDSON

Date of Death February 14

Place of Death	516 S. 10th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$1.00; 1 billfold; 1 Timex wrist watch.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 11, 1903 Age 56		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Baker - Wonder Bread Company		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		(Clothing destroyed for sanitary reasons.)
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Burt Baardson Anna Larson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	W. A. Baardson, son
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 1200 West Broadway	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No. 472 03 9053

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 9:04 a.m. on February 14, 1960.

The decedent, who was said to be losing his sight gradually, was found lying unconscious on the floor of his all-purpose room by a neighbor, Charles Brown. Brown aroused another neighbor, who summoned Police. Officers Mudge and Longman, Squad 118, responded.

The Police called for a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and the rescue squad, whose attempts to revive the man were unsuccessful. The physician on board the Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance, Dr. Strobel, pronounced the man dead at 8:55 a.m.

Clarence O'Neal Baardson (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on the floor of his room. The body was still warm and no rigor was evident. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Survivors are son, William of Minneapolis; daughter, Mrs. Beverly Anderson of Syracuse, N. Y.; 3 grandchildren; mother, Mrs. Anna Baardson of Minneapolis; sisters, Miss Evelyn Baardson of Minneapolis, Mrs. Henry Sorenson of Spring Valley, Wisconsin; brother, Arthur Baardson of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME CORNELIUS CRAWFORD a/k/a FRANK SNYDER Date of Death February 14

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury	Unknown	Effects Taken in charge	$26.17; 1 glasses; 1 knife; 1 ball pen; 1 coin purse.
Residence	120 Hennepin Avenue		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 16, 1880 Age 79		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Salt Lake City, Utah		
Occupation	Butcher		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Alexander Crawford Mary Dowd		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Cerebral contusion due to injury causing skull fracture.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Undetermined			
Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	Thorne Helgeson, Funeral Director
Funeral Director	Albinson Peterson Chapel, 1838 Central Avenue	Address	1838 Central Avenue, St. Paul,

Guthrie

Social Security No. 473 18 0107

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis General Hospital at 10 a.m. on February 14, 1960.

The decedent, a recipient of Old Age Assistance, was picked up at 34 South Washington Avenue on February 13 by a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and brought to the hospital where he was admitted at 5:56 p.m. The man had head injuries and a skull fracture; no information was available as to the circumstances surrounding these wounds. A bilateral trephine was done shortly after he entered the hospital. The man expired at 9:35 a.m. on the following morning.

Death was ascribed to cerebral contusion due to injury causing skull fracture.

Cornelius Crawford a/k/a Frank Snyder (continued)

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME ANDREW SIVERTSEN

Date of Death Fd. February 14

Place of Death	202 Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 knife; 1 lock; 1 box misc. papers.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	October 9, 1899 Age 60		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Section hand - railroad		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Dorothy Sivertsen		
Names of Parents	Anton Folleso Martha Hanson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	Rainville Brothers By: Peter Rainville,
Hoppes Funeral Director	Rainville Brothers Chapel	Address	222 E. Hennepin Avenue

Social Security No. 475 09 3752

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 10:00 a.m. on February 14, 1960.

The decedent, a recipient of Old Age Assistance, had been ill for a time and a few days before his death his case worker visited him and urged him to seek medical care at the Minneapolis General Hospital. This the man refused to do. He was found dead in Cage 2 by Carl J. Neubeck, caretaker and bedmaker of the hotel, at 9:50 a.m. on the above date.

Neubeck notified Robert Meyer, manager of the hotel, who summoned Police. Officers G. Smith and O'Brien, Squad 117, responded.

Andrew Sivertsen (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying crossways on his bed dressed in house clothes. His skin was jaundiced. The body was warm and no rigor was evident. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arterio-sclerotic heart disease and malnutrition.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Except for wife, Dorothy, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

62

FULL NAME ETHEL PRAUS

Date of Death February 14

Place of Death	5415 Emerson Avenue South	Autopsy	
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	
Residence	Same		
Sex			
Birthdate	Age		
Birthplace			
Occupation			
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced			
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Undetermined			
Place of Burial		Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Flynn Mortuary	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor Emil Johnson at 1:10 p.m., February 14, 1960.

It was stated, the deceased has history of several strokes and has been under the care of Doctor R. J. Leiferman. Deceased became critically ill and Doctor Emil Johnson was summoned to the home. He found the deceased dead on his arrival and he had never attended the decedent at any prior time.

Therefore, the case was referred to this office and investigated by a deputy coroner. The death certificate was subsequently signed by this decedent's private physician.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME ERNEST FABIAN BERGFAST

Date of Death February 14

Place of Death	2213 Chicago Avenue,	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Dec. 19, 1891 Age 68		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Plasterer - building contractors		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Gerda S. Bergfast		
Names of Parents	Erik and Emma Bergfast		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1825 Chicago Avenue	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No. 473 07 5682

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 8:20 p.m. on February 14, 1960.

The decedent's wife returned from an out of town visit with one of their daughters to find her husband in bed, where he had been for a week sick with the flu. Another daughter had called earlier in the day, about 3 p.m., to invite him over to dinner, but he declined in view of his illness. About 8 p.m. the man became unconscious.

Mrs. Bergfast summoned Police and Officers Matsen and Mahnard, Squad 164, responded.

Ernest Fabian Bergfast (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the residence and found the decedent, dressed in night clothes, lying on his back in bed. The body was warm and there was no rigor. Blood-tinged froth was evident on his mouth. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was released from the home directly to a mortuary.

Survivors are wife, Gerda S.; daughters, Mrs.Allen W. Thomas, Navarre, Mrs. G. L. Chalifour, Chicago, Illinois, Mrs. Charles T. Harding, Minneapolis; son, Bengt Bergfast, Bell, California, 8 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren.

CORONER'S RECORD

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

62

FULL NAME John A. Marking

Date of Death February 14

	Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Alan R. Jay
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	4309 Dupont Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Feb. 11, 1880 Age 80		
	Birthplace	Redalen, Norway		
	Occupation	Draftsman - Lake St. Sash & Door Co.		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Ragna J. Marking		
	Names of Parents	Andreas Marking Ingeborg Amundrud		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Bronchial pneumonia, bilateral. Comminuted fracture head right femur.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Guthrie	Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Werness Brothers Chapel at 10:25 a.m., February 15, 1960.

It was stated, the deceased had been admitted to Swedish Hospital following a fall in which he fractured a hip on January 14, 1960. Doctors R. C. Lindgren and Doctor Wesley H. Burnham were called in consultation.

Surgical repair of the fractured head of femur was done on January 16 with removal of fragments of femur head and introduction of prosthesis. Patient did well for several weeks and then began to fail, gradually going downhill and expiring at 9:30 p.m., February 14, with evidence of a coronary attack.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital at 10:00 a.m., February 16. In the opinion

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of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic examination before determining the cause of this man's death.

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FULL NAME MYRTLE WOLD

Date of Death February 15

Place of Death	Highway 65 (on bridge over Minn. River), Bloomington Village,
Place of Injury	Same
Residence	1419 East Old Shakopee Rd., Bloomington, Minn.
Sex	Female
Birthdate	July 5, 1907 Age 52
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.
Occupation	Clerk - Continental Machines, Inc.
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married
Name of Husband or Wife	Fred D. Wold
Names of Parents	David Leonard & Elsie Wood
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident - Auto	Cerebral contusion, severe, due to extensive transverse basal skull fracture, and fractured 2nd and 3rd cervical vertebrae. Multiple rib fractures.
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~	
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery
Funeral Director	Henry W. Anderson Mortuary

Autopsy	Dr. Richard Pfohl
Effects Taken in charge	$0.10; 1 handbag; 1 Wittnauer wrist watch; 4 keys; 1 wedding ring; 1 engagement ring; 1 glasses; 1 billfold; 1 nail set; 1 checkbook-First Bloomington Lake; 1 coin purse; 1 watch case.
	Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Effects Released to	Charles Wood, brother
Address	1419 E. Old Shakopee Rd.

Wright

Social Security No. 470 14 7177

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Bloomington Police Department at 7:33 a.m., February 15, 1960.

At approximately 7:08 a.m., February 15, 1960, the deceased, a passenger in her husband's car, was fatally injured when the car collided with an automobile driven by Kent Fredrick Dowd, age 21, 8500 Wentworth, Bloomington, Minnesota, on Highway #65 in Bloomington Village. The accident occurred on the north approach of Lyndale Avenue bridge over the Minnesota river.

The Dowd automobile, a 1956 Ford Convertible bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 4W4676, was traveling north on Highway 65 (Lyndale Avenue). Apparently the machine skidded out of control on the frosty road surface and went over the center line, striking the Wold car, a 1958 DeSoto, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 5P9225, which was southbound on Highway 65. The impact knocked the Wold vehicle into the bridge railing.

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Doctor Henry S. Block of Oxboro Clinic was called to the scene and pronounced the deceased dead.

Runo Westman, passenger in the Dowd vehicle, also expired at the scene. Dr. Block confirmed the man's death.

Frederick Wold, driver of the southbound DeSoto, and Kent Dowd, driver of the northbound Ford, sustained serious injuries and were removed to Methodist Hospital via Smith ambulance.

Body of deceased was removed to Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed cerebral contusion, severe; extensive basal skull fracture; fractured 2nd and 3rd cervical vertebrae; and multiple rib fractures.

Officers Carl Myhr, Kenneth Jensen, Lawrence Linville and John Gale of the Bloomington police department were notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, Fred D.; brother, Charles Wood, Santa Monica, California.

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FULL NAME RUNO GUNNAR WESTMAN **Date of Death** February 15

Place of Death	Highway 65 (On bridge over Minn. River), Bloomington Village,	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shepard
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	$2.75; 1 billfold; 1 pipe; 1 lighter; 1 knife; 4 keys.
Residence	1346 West 90th Street, Bloomington Village, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 2, 1927 Age 32		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Sheet metal worker-Thermo King		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Oscar Westman Hannah Johanson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident-Auto / ~~Suicide~~ xx / ~~Homicide~~ / ~~Undetermined~~ x	Intra-peritoneal hemorrhage due to severe laceration of liver and spleen. Subdural and subarachnoid hemorrhage due to fracture right frontal and mid-cranial fossa. Compound fracture right patella.		
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Conrad F. Westman, brother
Funeral Director	Albinson Peterson Chapel, 1701 Chicago Avenue	Address	3740 Snelling Avenue South

Wright

Social Security No. 470 24 9128

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Bloomington Police Department at 7:33 a.m., February 15, 1960.

The facts surrounding this case are identical with those of the preceding case, Myrtle Wold, Case No. 200, with the following exceptions:

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed intraperitoneal hemorrhage due to severe laceration of liver and spleen; subdural and subarachnoid hemorrhage; fracture of skull in right frontal and middle cranial fossa; compound fracture right patella; and bilateral multiple rib fractures.

Survivors of the decedent include his father, Oscar Westman; a sister, Mrs. William

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Higgins; and 6 brothers, Conrad, Nels and Leonard, all of Minneapolis, Ivar, Rochester, Minn., Evert, Chicago, Ill., and Roy Westman, Novoto, Calif.

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FULL NAME GOODWIN C. THOMPSON

Date of Death February 15

	Place of Death	Northwestern Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
	Place of Injury	Milwaukee Railroad track at 14th Avenue South	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	3637-33rd Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	January 27, 1912 Age 48		
	Birthplace	Hazel Run, Minn.		
	Occupation	Brakeman - Milwaukee Railroad Company		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Stella Thompson		
	Names of Parents	Christopher Thompson ? Anderson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	Accident - RR.	Fracture of skull with subdural hemorrhage and contusion of brain.		
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Montevideo Cemetery, Montevideo, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	McDivitt-Hauge Chapel	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Northwestern Hospital at 11:15 a.m., February 15, 1960.

The deceased, a brakeman for the Milwaukee Railroad Company, sustained injuries when he lost his balance and fell while standing in the caboose of a train which was about to stop. The accident occurred on the Milwaukee Railroad tracks at 14th Avenue South, in Minneapolis, at about 7:15 a.m., February 15, 1960.

Deceased was removed by ambulance to Northwestern Hospital, being admitted at 8:15 a.m., on date of injury. He expired several hours after admission, death occurring at 10:35 a.m.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on the date of death. This revealed fracture of skull with subdural hemorrhage and contusion of brain; fracture of sternum; contusion

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of 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th thoracic vertebrae; laceration of occipital region of scalp; and pericardial hemorrhage.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Stella; son, Dan; daughter, Mrs. John Madson, Minneapolis; two brothers, Conrad of Benson, Minn., and Leland of Starbuck; sister, Mrs. Morris Johnson of Granite Falls; 4 grandchildren.

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FULL NAME KENT FREDERICK DOWD

Date of Death February 15

Place of Death	Methodist Hospital, St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	Dr. Edward Segal
Place of Injury	Highway 65 (on bridge over Minnesota River, Bloomington Vil.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	2640 South 309th Street, Federal Way, Wash.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	April 10, 1939 Age 20		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Bowling Alley Maintenance		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Robert Dowd Margaret Burgett		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ xx			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident -Auto	Diffuse subarachnoid hemorrhage with cerebral contusion, due to extensive comminuted basal and occipital skull fracture. Pulmonary contusion, bilateral. Pulmonary edema.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ xx			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright Funeral Director	Morris Nilsen Funeral Chapel, Richfield, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran 1958-60

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Methodist Hospital at 2:20 p.m., February 15, 1960.

The facts surrounding this case are identical with those of the preceding two cases, Myrtle Wold, Case No. 200, and Runo Gunnar Westman, Case No. 201, with the following exceptions:

Deceased was critically injured in head-on collision on Lyndale Avenue Bridge over the Minnesota River on Highway 65 in Bloomington Village and was removed by Smith ambulance to Methodist Hospital, being admitted at 8:00 a.m., February 15, 1960. He expired later the same day, death occurring at 1:47 p.m., February 15.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital at 4:00 p.m. on date of death. This revealed extensive comminuted basal and occipital skull fracture; contusion of spinal cord and

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brain stem; subarachnoid hemorrhage, diffuse; pulmonary edema, bilateral; contusion both lungs; hemorrhage into superior and anterior mediastinum; lacerations, multiple, right lobe and superior aspect of liver; laceration of left kidney with perirenal hemorrhage; agenesis, complete, right kidney; contusion of scalp; contusions and abrasions of both legs; contusion of colon; and bilateral hemothorax.

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FULL NAME JULIA SLOAN

Date of Death February 15

	Place of Death	University Hospitals	Autopsy	Dr. Wayne Schrader
	Place of Injury	600 Gleason Street, Austin, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	University Hospitals None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	Jan. 4, 1893 Age 67		
	Birthplace	Iowa		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Owen Sloan		
	Names of Parents	Mark Toal Julia Galvin		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~	Pulmonary embolism due to burns, 3rd degree, over thorax and arms. Coronary arteriosclerosis.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Austin, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Guthrie	Funeral Director	Mayer Funeral Home, Austin, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Mrs. Kubias of University of Minnesota Hospitals at 2:50 p.m. on February 15, 1960.

On January 3, a box of matches exploded in the decedent's hands, fell into the front of her dress and severely burned the thorax and arms. On January 29 the woman was brought to the hospital for treatment. She appeared to be doing well but at 1:15 p.m. on February 15, as she was being taken to the surgical dressing room to have her bandages changed she suddenly expired.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital later that day which revealed the cause of death to be pulmonary embolism due to burns, 3rd degree over thorax and arms; coronary arteriosclerosis.

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The body was released by the Coroner to a funeral home directly from the hospital.

Except for husband, Owen, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME TOLAF HERMANSON

Date of Death Fd. February 15

Place of Death	11 Washington Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$9.65; 1 billfold; letters.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 6, 1886 Age 73		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Woodworker-Ski Mfg. Co.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Thor Hermanson Tone Bendickson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Marsh Lake Cemetery, Marsh Lake, Wis.	Effects Released to	Elsie Lee, sister
Maldonado Funeral Director	Gill Brothers, Inc. 1414 Laurel Avenue	Address	4211 Beard Avenue North

Social Security No. 477 01 9090A

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 5:39 p.m. on February 15, 1960.

At approximately 5:25 p.m. on the above date, Otto Hammler, who lived in Room 40 next to the decedent's, thought he heard the man fall. Hammler called Valalie Refling, Room 41, who in turn contacted the desk clerk, John Ruymann. Ruymann entered the man's room and found him dead on his back on the floor.

Ruymann summoned Police Officer A. Pufahl, Badge 423, who reached the man's room at 5:27 p.m. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this case.

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A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance had been summoned in the meantime and the physician aboard, Dr. Roberts, pronounced the man dead on arrival.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying face down on the floor with his hands folded under his body. The face was dusky. There was no rigor or livor. There was a bruise over the left eyebrow and in the left frontal region. The man was fully dressed. The left arm had been amputated and prosthesis attached; the right ring and middle fingers were amputated at the distal phalanx.

There was no evidence of other than natural cause of death, which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease. No one could offer any knowledge of the man's medical history except the clerk Ruymann, who stated the man often drank to excess.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Names of survivors are not known to this office, except a sister, Elsie Lee.

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FULL NAME JOSEPHINE BUSKE **Date of Death** February 15

	Place of Death	Milwaukee Depot	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$31.56
	Residence	Bowbells, North Dakota	Less:	3.00 (telephone call to Bowbells)
	Sex	Female	Balance:	$28.56
	Birthdate	July 31, 1878 **Age** 81		1 watch; 2 keys; 1 safety box key; 1 checkbook; 1 handbag; 1 ring; 1 railroad ticket.
	Birthplace	Minnesota		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Joseph Buske		
	Names of Parents	Frank Desterhoff Eva Sock		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Bowbells, North Dakota	Effects Released to	Willwerscheid Mortuary
Wright	Funeral Director	Willwerscheid Mortuary	Address	1167 Grand, St. Paul,

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 9 p.m. on February 15, 1960.

For the past week, according to Police, the decedent had been in the Twin Cities visiting various persons, including Mrs. Anna Jaske, 1609 Huron Street, St. Paul. On the above evening Mrs. Jaske had taken the woman to the Milwaukee Station to put her on the train for her home, Bowbells, North Dakota. As they walked from the station down the length of the train shed the decedent, according to Mrs. Jaske, was in fine spirits although she did complain that it was a very long walk. The two women got on the Soo Line Railroad Train No. 13 and as the decedent was about to sit down she slumped to the floor without uttering a sound. This was at 8:35 p.m.

Josephine Buske (continued)

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned and the physician aboard pronounced the woman dead.

Officer Roehl and Carlson, Squad 117, were on the scene of this death. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated the case.

Mr. A.E. Hanlon, 2307 Filmore Street, N.E., was conductor on the train when the woman expired.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the elderly, obese woman to be very cyanotic. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death, which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

A bottle of medication found in the decedent's purse indicated that she had been under the care of a Dr. Halliday, Kenmore, North Dakota.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME JULIE ANN HAUGE — Date of Death February 15

Place of Death	D.O.A. Fire Station, 2900 Kenzie Terrace N. E., St. Anthony Village,	Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	2704-31st Avenue N. E., St. Anthony Village, Minn.		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	August 23, 1958 Age 1 Year 5 months		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	None		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		None except Listed On Morgue Record
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Barbara Hauge		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ ~~Accident~~ ~~Suicide~~ Homicide ~~Undetermined~~	Exsanguination into peritoneal cavity due to laceration of liver, severe. Severance of pancreas. Extensive left parietal skull fracture. Multiple rib fractures.		
Place of Burial	Greenwood Cemetery, Thief River Falls, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Wright — Funeral Director	Billman-Hunt Chapel	Address	
		Social Security No.	
		Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the St. Anthony Village Police at 9:25 p.m. on February 15, 1960.

About 4:30 on the afternoon of the above date Charles L. Wessel, 21, an unemployed farm laborer, who had married Barbara Hauge, the mother of Julie Ann, the decedent, about ten months ago, returned home tired after an unsuccessful day of job-hunting. At 7 p.m. he went to bed in the basement recreation room of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Valerian J. Hauge, 2704 31st Avenue NE, where he and his family had lived for the past six weeks. Mr. Hauge is Barbara Hauge Wessel's cousin.

Julie Ann Hauge (continued)

About 8 p.m. Mrs. Wessel brought Julie Ann downstairs and put her to bed in her crib; then Mrs.Wessel returned to the living room to watch television with her cousin and his wife. About 9 p.m. Wessel came running up from the basement carrying the unconscious Julie Ann. Mrs. Wessel quoted him as saying, "Call the doctor. There is something wrong with the baby." Then,Mrs. Wessel added, he attempted mouth-to-mouth resuscitation without success.

Wessel and Hauge then took the child to the St. Anthony fire station where Firemen Earl Smide and John Androyechowicz attempted to revive her by using the resuscitator. Their attempts failed and the child was pronounced dead at 9:20 p.m. by Dr. W. C. Hildebrandt, who had been summoned to help.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and at this time Wessel stated that the child became restless shortly after she was put to bed. He said that he got up with her once and then put her back in her crib. He added that a short time later he found her in convulsions with her back arched and her right hand making plucking movements alternating with jerking movements of the right hand and leg.

Wessel further stated that the child had had a cold for about a week and had been taken to Dr. Richard Sartor, who had prescribed a cough mixture, penicillin and a nose spray. He also stated that the child had a vitamin C and K deficiency and had been examined in the out-patient department of North Memorial Hospital about three weeks ago.

It was assumed at first that the child died of natural causes.

The child's body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy performed the following day revealed exsanguination into the peritoneal cavity due to laceration of liver, severe; severance of pancreas; extensive left parietal skull fracture; multiple rib fractures.

Wessel was brought in to the Hennepin County jail where he was held for questioning. The Sheriff's Office reported that at 4 p.m. on February 16 he admitted to Deputies Fred Weegman and Archie Baisner that he had beat the child with his fists the night before.

Dr. Sartor stated that he treated the child on February 11, 1960, for burns on the back of the hand which looked to be about two days old.

Mrs. Hauge stated that this burn was inflicted when Wessel and the baby were alone. Other members of the family had no knowledge of how this injury occurred.

Mrs. Wessel stated that Wessel was not the father of her child but said that he had planned to adopt her. Wessel later verified this statement. Mrs. Wessel also stated that her husband had received a dishonorable discharge from the Army and said that he had had psychiatric treatment in the past.

Wessel was interviewed in the Hennepin County jail at 11:05 a.m. on February 18 by the Coroner in the presence of Lieutenant Stanley P. Hurley, Sheriff's Office, and Deputy Sheriff V. L. Canton. At this

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Date of Death

Place of Death		Autopsy	
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	
Residence			
Sex			
Birthdate	Age		
Birthplace			
Occupation			
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced			
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Homicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Undetermined			
Place of Burial		Effects Released to	
Funeral Director		Address	

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HISTORY:

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time Wessel stated that he did not know how the burns were inflicted but thought that the baby must have put her hand against a hot heater at the side of her crib. During this interview Wessel again admitted beating the child on the night it died and also stated that he had abused the baby on former occasions.

Wessel also stated at this time that he was sent to Fort Leavenworth to serve a ten month sentence and then was given a dishonorable discharge from the Army on April 14, 1958, because of the theft of an electric razor from the officer's quarters, where he served as orderly. He said that he enlisted in the Army on February 2, 1956.

Julie Ann Hauge (continued)

The Coroner, Lieutenant Hurley and Deputy Sheriff Weegman went to the Hauge residence and after examining the location of the crib and the heater found that it would have been impossible for the child to have burned herself as Wessel related. On returning to the jail and questioning Wessel further, he admitted that about a week before he deliberately had held the back of the child's right hand against the heater but could give no reason why he did this. He did not mention this injury to the rest of the family. Mrs. Wessel discovered it the following morning. This wound was inflicted when Wessel and the child were alone in the basement and the rest of the family was upstairs.

It was learned that Wessel was orphaned when very young and that he had had several guardians. He quit school when a freshman at the Thief River Falls high school because he did not like to study.

His present guardian, Maynard Mehrkens, Route 4, Thief River Falls, stated that Wessel had been in his home for six years and that he and the rest of his family tried to treat him like one of them. However, Mr. Mehrkens stated, Wessel was a problem; Mehrkens had tried without success to obtain psychiatric treatment for him. Mr. Mehrkens denied that Wessel had ever shown any tendencies toward violence.

Mrs. Doreen Hauge, sister-in-law of Mrs. Wessel, stated that the child had been in Northwestern Hospital in Thief River Falls on one occasion when there were black and blue marks on her face, forehead and abdomen and bleeding from the vagina.

The child is survived by her mother, Mrs.Barbara Hauge Wessel.

Wessel pleaded guilty to first-degree manslaughter in the death of this child and was sentenced to from 5 to 20 years in St. Cloud state reformatory.

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FULL NAME JOHN EDWARD CARLSON Date of Death Fd. February 15

Place of Death	1819 Fifth Street South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	P. O. Box 43, Birds Eye, Indiana		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Unknown Age 72		
Birthplace	Oslo, Norway		
Occupation	Bricklayer		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Margaret Carlson		
Names of Parents	Carl Carlson Helen Bohansen		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Chronic alcoholism.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Wright Funeral Director	Hanson Nugent Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. 325-12-6143

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 10:33 p.m. on February 15, 1960.

The decedent, whose wife is an invalid and lives in Indiana, came to Minneapolis to live on social security in October of 1959. He was last seen alive by Oscar Carlson, Room 12, on February 13 just before Carlson went to visit a sister; the decedent was in bed at that time. When Carlson returned from his visit on the night of February 15, he noticed that the man's light was still on. Carlson tried to arouse his friend and when he failed looked in the room through the transom. The decedent was lying in bed in the same position he had been in when Carlson had last seen him.

Johnson Edward Carlson (continued)

Oscar Carlson summoned Police; Officers Parker and Eagel, Squad 132, responded to the call and opened the man's door to find him dead at 10:30 p.m.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the elderly man lying dead in bed on his left side in a position of sleep. The body was in rigor with some post mortem shriveling; apparently he had been dead from 36 to 48 hours.

There were empty whiskey bottles under the bed and a partly empty bottle of rubbing alcohol near the bed. Oscar Carlson volunteered the information that the decedent was an alcoholic. Carlson also stated that the window of the man's room apparently had been open from the time Carlson last saw the decedent until the time he was found dead.

There was no evidence of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease and alcoholism.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Except for wife, Margaret, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME GRACE NOE LANG

Date of Death February 15

Place of Death	Abbott Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	3249 Second Avenue South		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	April 16, 1871 Age 88		
Birthplace	Fort Edeward, New York		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	George L. Lang		
Names of Parents	John J. Noe & Mary Wilcox		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Hypertensive cardiovascular disease. Cerebral arteriosclerosis. Severe arthritis. Senility.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Davies Mortuary	Address	

Wright

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. A. M. McFarland of Abbott Hospital at 11 p.m. on February 15, 1960.

About 2 a.m. on the above date, the decedent fell down in her home and was brought to the hospital at 4:30 a.m. Examination disclosed bruises on the woman's jaw and legs; there was no neck rigidity and no paralysis and the patient was responsive. Shortly thereafter Babinski's ear reflex developed and then the patient became unconscious and did not regain consciousness prior to death at 4 p.m.

Grace Noe Lang (continued)

The woman at one time had been a patient of Dr. M. Wetherby, who had treated her for heart disease, arthritis and senility.

The family of the decedent refused permission for autopsy on the basis that no medico legal problem was evident.

Death was ascribed to hypertensive cardiovascular disease; cerebral arteriosclerosis; severe arthritis; senility.

Survivors are husband, George L.; daughters, Mrs. D. A. Geiser, Tucson, Arizona and Mrs. John S. Andrews, St. Paul; 4 grandchildren; 6 great-grandchildren.

The body was released from the hospital directly to a mortuary by a deputy coroner.

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FULL NAME GUY D. TREDWAY

Date of Death Fd. February 15

Place of Death	61½ Glenwood Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$0.26; 1 billfold.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	October 13, 1893 Age 66		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Duluth, Minn.		
Occupation	Gardener - R. H. Nursery		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife	Helen		
Names of Parents	Charles Tredway Carrie Britton		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Parkinsonism.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Lyn T. Robinson, nephew
Funeral Director	Wright — Washburn McReavy Chapel	Address	2542 37th Ave. S.

Social Security No. 473 10 5107

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 11:10 p.m. on February 15, 1960.

The decedent, who had Parkinson's disease, had fallen on the floor about 2 p.m. on the above date and Roy Sanford, caretaker at 61½ Glenwood, had helped the man to bed. Sanford checked to see how he was at 8 p.m. and the man was alive; however, when Sanford went in his room again at about 10:30 p.m. the man was dead.

Sanford summoned Police and Officer A. M. Gustafson, Squad 210, responded. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this death.

Guy D. Tredway (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent, a very obese man, lying face down on his bed. The skin was cyanotic and rigor mortis had set in.

At this time Sanford stated that the decedent had fallen backwards from about two steps from the top of the stairs to the first floor a few days ago; he was checked at the Minneapolis General Hospital following this and found to be all right.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Survivors are sisters, Leta R. Robinson and Mrs. H. H. Allen.

There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease; Parkinsonism.

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FULL NAME PETER F. O'HERN a/k/a HERIN Date of Death FEBRUARY 16

	Place of Death	4135-25th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Feb. 13, 1890 Age 70		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Potato broker		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Michael O'Hern Ellen Burke		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Cerebral vascular accident.		
	~~Accident~~ x			
	~~Suicide~~ x			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~ x			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Guthrie	Funeral Director	Gill Brothers, Inc. 1414 Laurel Ave.	Address	

Social Security No. 470 14 8377

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. W. S. Eisenstadt at 3:30 p.m. on February 16, 1960.

The decedent, a heavy drinker, had had several admissions to the Workhouse because of this. He had been under treatment by Dr.Eisenstadt, who at one time had had the man in Old Asbury Hospital. On the morning of February 16 the man had a convulsion and expired shortly thereafter at 8:45 a.m. Dr. Eisenstadt was called and he notified this office.

The Coroner released the body directly from his residence to a mortuary. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to cerebral vascular accident.

Peter F. O'Hern a/k/a O'Herin

Survivors are sisters, Mrs. Isabella O'Brien and Mrs. Josephine O'Herin.

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FULL NAME ADELINE B. POYE

Date of Death February 17

	Place of Death	3301 Fremont Avenue North	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	May 15, 1903 Age 56		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	James Poye		
	Names of Parents	Leo Gagne & Diana Gibeau		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Vincent's Cemetery, Osseo, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Malone Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 9:30 a.m., February 17, 1960.

Deceased has history of a heart condition and diabetes and had been seen by Doctors F. M. Hass and J. N. Giebenhaim the preceding week.

Today, February 17, 1960, the deceased was on her way to the above doctor's office, when she suddenly collapsed on sidewalk in front of her own home. Husband and son of the decedent were present at this time.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the woman's death, death apparently occurring at 9:20 a.m.

ADELINE B. POYE - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on front sidewalk, clothed in outdoor wear. No rigor mortis was evident. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers Kormanik and Streed of squad 143 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, James, Sr.; three sons, James, Jr., and Richard, Minneapolis, Robert of Hoyt Lake, Minn.; 3 daughters, Mrs. Carol Walbruch, Tacoma, Wash., Mrs. Donna St. Marie and Mrs. Virginia Hedin, Seattle, Wash.; also 16 grandchildren.

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FULL NAME OLAF WESTBERG

Date of Death Fd. February 17

Place of Death	253 Second Avenue South	**Autopsy**	No
Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	$80.94; 1 Westclox watch; 1 glasses; 1 key; 1 billfold.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	January 19, 1890 **Age** 70		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Laborer		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Erick Westberg Olina Johnson		
CAUSE OF DEATH — **Natural**	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	**Effects Released to**	John Westberg, brother
Hoppes **Funeral Director**	Anderson-Peterson Funeral Chapel	**Address**	745 Appleton St., Menasha, Wis.

Social Security No. 473 10 8474

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 9:35 a.m., February 17, 1960.

At approximately 8:15 a.m., February 17, 1960, the deceased was discovered dead in his bed by the bedmaker, Sam Yamuchi, of Room 248, when he attempted to enter his room.

According to Clarence Shoop, the assistant manager, the deceased, who apparently had not been seen about for several days, drank alcoholic beverages to excess.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on bed, dressed in houseclothes. Body was cold and rigor was marked. There

OLAF WESTBERG - continued

was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers G. Smith and Creighton of squad 117 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include 5 sisters and two brothers. Only relative known to the Coroner's Office is John Westberg, brother, Menasha, Wis.

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Year 19.....60..... WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME ELIZABETH JEAN KING Date of Death February 17

Place of Death	Rear of - 1227 Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	Dr. R. A. Pfahl
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	$3.73; 1 handbag; 1 purse; 1 Rosary; misc. papers.
Residence	1714 Jefferson St. N. E.		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	August 26, 1904 Age 55		
Birthplace	Castlewood, S. Dakota		
Occupation	Cashier - Goodwill Industries		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Gilbert W. King		
Names of Parents	John Tenold Anna Johnson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
Accident			
Suicide			
Homicide			
Undetermined	Severe subarachnoid hemorrhage, with brain contusion and hemoperitoneum and hemothorax, due to multiple skull fractures, laceration of liver and spleen, and long bone fractures.		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	O. E. Larson Mortuary
Hoppes Funeral Director	O. E. Larson Mortuary	Address	2301 Central Ave. N. E.

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 9:10 a.m., February 17, 1960.

According to the Belview Hotel records, the deceased checked into the hotel at 4:50 p.m., February 16, 1960. The clerk on duty at that time was Daisy Bennon, 74 Spruce Place, Apartment 108. She states the deceased was somewhat incoherent but did not smell of liquor.

On the following morning, February 17th, at approximately 8:30 a.m., the deceased's came to the hotel desk and purchased a package of cigarettes from Helen Gaynor, the maid, who lives in apartment 508 at the hotel.

At 8:55 p.m., February 17th, Harlen Severtson, an employee of S & M Company, whose home address is 3160 Sumpter, noted the decedent lying on ground in rear of hotel. The

ELIZABETH J. KING - continued

police were notified, Officers Rolsin and Bauman of squad 118 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician pronounced the deceased dead.

Phil Seiff, also an employee of S. & M. Company, stated he had parked his car at the rear of this building at 8:45 a.m. that morning and deceased was not lying on the ground at that time.

Investigation indicated the deceased had apparently opened a rear door, leading to a fire escape, and leaped to her death at the rear of the hotel shortly after 8:45 a.m.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on ground in rear of hotel, clothed in housedress. Left side of face is crushed and left forehead noted to be severely lacerated.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed severe subarachnoid hemorrhage with brain contusion; multiple fractures of skull; fractures of left maxilla, right and left mandible, right humerus, right and left femur; multiple contusions of lungs; lacerations of liver and spleen; bilateral hemothorax; hemoperitoneum and retroperitoneal hematoma.

The death was ruled a suicide.

Police officers Short and Rieman of squad 301 also assisted in the investigation of this case.

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FULL NAME SCOTT THOMAS WATSON **Date of Death** February 17

Place of Death	University Hospitals	Autopsy	University Hospital post
Place of Injury	Near 3724 Second St. N. E. Columbia Heights, Anoka County,	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	3724 Second St. N. E. Columbia Heights, Anoka County,		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 31, 1954 **Age** 5 years		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	None		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Harold Watson Dorothy Sierbinsky		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident-Truck	Hemoperitoneum due to rupture of interior vena cava, due to trauma.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Kapala Funeral Home	Address	

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Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by University Hospitals at 5:55 p.m., February 17, 1960.

At approximately 12 o'clock, noon, February 17, 1960, the deceased was fatally injured when he was struck by a dump truck, a 1958 Ford, bearing Minnesota license No. Y31-615, while sliding downhill on his sled. He went into the street on his sled on 38th Avenue Northeast, approximately 80 feet east of Second Street, in Columbia Heights, Anoka County.

Ray O'Connell, age 54, 4464 2½ Street Northeast, Columbia Heights, driver of the truck involved, was traveling east on 38th Avenue and was unable to avoid the boy.

Deceased was removed by ambulance to Univerisity Hospital, being admitted at 12:11 p.m., on date of injury. The boy expired on date of admission during exploratory surgery, death occurring at 4:45 p.m., February 17.

SCOTT WATSON - continued

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This revealed hemoperitoneum due to rupture of inferior vena cava. The death was ruled an accident.

Police officers R. Jones and Chief Cottrill of Columbia Heights were notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Watson; two sisters, Kim and Lynn; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Sierbinsky, and Mrs. Ruby Kam.

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FULL NAME ANNA SHOTTLANDER

Date of Death February 17

Place of Death	Glenwood Hills Hospital, Golden Valley, Minn.	**Autopsy**	Dr. Martin A. Segal
Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	None
Residence	3706 Inglewood Avenue, St. Louis Park, Minn.		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	June 20, 1907 **Age** 52		
Birthplace	Austria		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	John Shottlander		
Names of Parents	Simon Lichtig Johanna Ehrlich		
CAUSE OF DEATH — **Natural**	Uremia. Pneumonia, lower lobes, bilateral. Multiple small brain hemorrhages, cause unknown.		
~~**Accident**~~			
~~**Suicide**~~			
~~**Homicide**~~			
~~**Undetermined**~~			
Place of Burial	Temple Israel Cemetery	**Effects Released to**	
Hoppes **Funeral Director**	Hodroff & Sons Funeral Home	**Address**	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Glenwood Hills Hospital at 9:30 p.m., February 17, 1960.

It was stated, the deceased has been under the care of Doctor N. J. Berkwitz and has history of several hospitalizations during the past year for depression. One year ago, she had attempted suicide.

On February 8, 1960, the deceased was found in her home in an unconscious condition and was admitted to Glenwood Hills on that date. She expired at 8:35 p.m., February 17, without regaining consciousness.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital at 9:00 a.m., February 18. This revealed uremia; pneumonia of lower lobes, bilateral; and multiple small brain hemorrhages, cause unknown.

ANNA SHOTTLANDER - continued

Survivors of the decedent include one brother, Robert Lawton, of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME BERNARD JOHN HARTIG Date of Death February 18

Place of Death	3700 - 35th Ave. S.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Sept. 3, 1906 Age 53		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Salesman - Sears Roebuck & Co.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Ann Hartig		
Names of Parents	Frank Hartig Minnie Beckman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Richard Gill Funeral Chapel	Address	

Name accept Noted On Morgue Record

Social Security No. 473 05 2931

Veteran 1924 to 1928.

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 12:25 p.m., February 18, 1960.

According to the deceased's wife, the decedent had complained of anterior chest pain on evening of February 17, 1960; he had vomited several times.

On morning of February 18, the deceased left for work at his usual time despite continued complaints of anterior chest pain. He was seen at work by nurse who advised him to go home and contact a doctor. He returned home and made an appointment to see Doctor Belzer at 2:00 p.m. that day.

While sitting in the kitchen of his home about lunchtime, he suddenly began to breathe heavily. Wife summoned a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and the rescue squad,

BERNARD JOHN HARTIG - continued

however, the deceased was dead on arrival of the ambulance physician, Doctor Mitchell, at 12:30 p.m.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying in bed on back with shirt unbuttoned. There was no rigor or livor; cyanosis of face and fingers noted. There was no evidence of other than natural death. Remains were released to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Although the deceased had not been under the care of a physician, wife did not desire an autopsy.

Officer Eklo of squad 566 was notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Ann; son, George; brother, Howard; and a sister, Phyllis Hartig.

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FULL NAME JOHN B. KNOBLAUCH

Date of Death February 18

Place of Death	Asbury Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	2928 East 22nd Street		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 15, 1873 Age 86		
Birthplace	Dakota County, Minn.		
Occupation	Machinist - C. M. & St. Paul RR.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife	Alice Knoblauch		
Names of Parents	Joseph Knoblauch Pauline Hamerisky		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Fracture, impacted, intertrochanteric, right femur.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Calvary Cemetery, Cannon Falls, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	McDivitt-Hauge Chapel	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Asbury Hospital at 5:55 a.m., February 18, 1960.

The deceased, who lived alone, was found on the floor of his residence complaining of pain in right hip on January 29, 1960. He was discovered by his son, Clarence Knoblauch, 2802-32nd Avenue South, who came to visit his father. Son took the deceased to Northwestern Hospital immediately.

X-ray examination revealed a fracture of the right femur. Due to the decedent's advanced age and weakened physical condition, no surgery was attempted, however, traction was used part of the time.

On February 13, the decedent was transferred to Asbury Hospital. In spite of exten-

JOHN B. KNOBLAUCH - continued

sive therapy, the deceased experienced a progressive downhill course, expiring at 5:10 a.m., February 18.

Death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease; the impacted, intertrochanteric fracture of the right femur being a contributing factor.

Survivors of the decedent include four sons, Ernest, Clarence, Glenn, all of Minneapolis, and Earl of Glendale, Calif.; also one daughter, Mrs. Grace Lendo, Minneapolis, and 13 grandchildren.

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FULL NAME KEVIN J. BUECHLER Date of Death Fd. February 19

Place of Death	2627 Polk St. N. E.	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	May 6, 1958 Age 1 yr. 9 mos.		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	None		(No clothing listed on morgue sheet)
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Lloyd Buechler Leona Krien		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural / ~~Accident~~ / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~ / ~~Undetermined~~	Dehydration due to severe enterocolitis, etiology unknown. Pneumonia, bronchial.		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Billman Hunt Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 3:35 a.m., February 19, 1960.

According to parents, the deceased had developed diarrhea two days, having 12 to 15 white liquid stools a day. Father contacted Doctor C. J. Olson who advised giving the deceased kaopectate, which they did. Physician also advised bringing child to his office if not improved by morning of February 19.

When parents retired at 10:30 p.m., they took child to bed with them. At this time he appeared quite "listless". They awakened about 3:00 a.m., February 19th, and found the decedent "cold, stiff and apparently not breathing". The police were notified, Officers D. Greeley and P. Ignatowicz of squad 124 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival,

KEVIN J. BUECHLER - continued

Doctor Rikkers, the ambulance physician, confirmed the child's death.

Doctor C. J. Olson confirms the above information and states the parents have been worried about the child's eyesight. Deceased has had "severe nystagmus" since birth.

Parents desire an autopsy and wish to be informed with regard to the appearance of the "Optic nerves".

A deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on back on large bed, dressed in bed clothes. There was evidence of dehydration with sunken eyeballs. Rigor mortis was moderate.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed severe dehydration due to enterocolitis, etiology unknown; bronchial pneumonia; and pulmonary edema, bilateral.

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	FULL NAME	PAUL R. LORENCE	Date of Death	February 19
	Place of Death	810 West 24th Street	Autopsy	Dr. R. D. Bloemendaal
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$42.77; 1 billfold; 1 card case; 1 glasses; 1 wrist watch; 2 keys; 1 tie clasp.
	Residence	2447 Bryant Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	May 1, 1903 Age 56		
	Birthplace	Fayette City, Pa.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Occupation	Panel Division - Mpls. Honeywell Co.		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Lucille G. Lorence		
	Names of Parents	George Lorence & Anna Wanzak		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Thrombosis anterior descending and right circumflex coronary arteries, with marked myocardial fibrosis, due to coronary arteriosclerosis, severe.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	Joseph L. Lorence, brother
Guthrie	Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 2301 Dupont Avenue S.	Address	142 Fifth Avenue N. E.

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 2:15 p.m., February 19, 1960.

Apparently the deceased was walking west on 24th Street on the south side of the street when he fell forward striking face. He was discovered lying on the sidewalk, fully clothed, with right hand in overcoat pocket; deceased's hat and glasses were found near his head. John Clark, of 3529 Lyndale Avenue South, noted body at about 2:00 p.m., February 19, and reported same to the police, Officers C. E. Johnson and I. Suek of squad 151 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Rikkers pronounced the deceased dead.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed

PAUL R. LORENCE - continued

on February 20. This revealed thrombosis of anterior descending and right circumflex coronary arteries; marked myocardial fibrosis; pulmonary congestion and edema, moderate; and nodular hyperplasia of the prostate gland.

Only survivor known to the Coroner's Office is a brother, Joseph L. Lorence, Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME EARL WILLIAMS Date of Death February 19

	Place of Death	In automobile in front of - 4211 Fourth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$10.75; 1 ring (clear stones); 1 Croton wrist watch; 1 billfold; 1 knife; 1 ball pen; 1 cigarette lighter; 3 keys.
	Residence	3717 Fifth Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	March 2, 1906 Age 53		
	Birthplace	Pennsylvania		
	Occupation	Postal employee - U. S. Government		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Lucille Williams		
	Names of Parents	John Williams Carrie Wills		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	John L. McHie, Jr., friend
Guthrie	Funeral Director	Alexander Funeral Home, St. Paul, Minn.	Address	3945 Third Avenue South

Other Effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 2:55 p.m., February 19, 1960.

On the afternoon of February 19, 1960, the deceased was driving north on Fourth Avenue South. About 2:45 p.m., he complained to his wife, who was a passenger in the car, of feeling faint, then suddenly lost control of the car and slumped over. The vehicle struck the left rear of a parked car, a Pontiac owned by Hobart Mitchell, bearing license No. 30-9310, in front of 4211 South 4th Avenue. The police were notified, Officer M. Christianson responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the man's death.

EARL WILLIAMS - continued

Doctor E. W. Posey, 4805 Fourth Avenue South, had seen the decedent shortly before the accident and states the deceased had recently been hospitalized for treatment of arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue before being released to a mortuary. Wife of deceased did not desire an autopsy.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

62

FULL NAME WILLIAM BERT WILLIAMS **Date of Death** Fd. February 19

Place of Death	3434 Emerson Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	October 28, 1883 Age 76		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Private printer - Mono Trade Company		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife	Margaret Elizabeth Williams		
Names of Parents	Bert and ? Williams		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1200 West Broadway	Address	

Wright

Social Security No. 468 05 9859

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 4:05 p.m., February 19, 1960.

Mrs. Nancy Brynteson, who lives with the deceased and is his granddaughter, had been to the hospital to visit her child. When she left her home en route to the hospital, the deceased was taking a nap on couch in living room. Upon her return home at 3:30 p.m., she found the deceased in an unresponsive condition in the same position as when she left the house.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the residence. Upon arrival, Doctor Strait, the ambulance physician, confirmed the man's death.

James V. Williams, 10927 Olive Street, Coon Rapids, son of the deceased, states his

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father has not had any medical attention for a number of years. He was last seen by a Doctor Carlson at 42nd and Aldrich Avenue North. There is history of a stomach disorder and an operation about seven years ago, son stated.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers D. Levens and G. Millman of squad 143 were notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME C. H. DIEDRICK

Date of Death February 19

Place of Death	In automobile in front of - 52 South 12th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$113.60; 1 check (unsigned) - $100.00; 1 billfold; 1 Rolex wrist watch; 1 lighter; 1 glasses; 1 ring (clear stone); 1 tie clasp; 15 keys.
Residence	Pheasant Road, (R#2, Excelsior), Orono Village, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	January 21, 1902 Age 58		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Owner - Diedrick Supply		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Lucille (Myhra) Diedrick		
Names of Parents	Herman Diedrick Augusta Christnagel		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Chaska, Minn.	Effects Released to	Lucille Diedrick, wife
Wright Funeral Director	J. H. Zamjahn, Chaska, Minn.	Address	Pheasant Rd., R#2, Excelsior, Minn.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No. 470-36-1686

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 4:30 p.m., February 19, 1960.

According to Roy Nylander, 201 E. 27th Street, a delivery man for the Dayton Company, he noted the deceased slumped against door on driver's side of his car near the intersection of 12th and LaSalle. When he next noticed the deceased, he was parked at the curb in front of 52 South 12th Street. However, the deceased apparently struck a parked car owned by Charles A. Nelson of 35 Langford Park, St. Paul, bearing license No. 38-4441, before coming to a stop.

The police were notified, Officer Frentz of squad 511 responding. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician pronounced the deceased dead at 4:16 p.m., February 19.

C. H. Diedrick - continued

A deputy coroner examined the body at the scene of death. Deceased found lying slumped on back in front seat of 1957 Ford Station Wagon, bearing license No. 2T 5342 (Minn. 1960). There was no indication of other than natural death.

It was stated, the deceased has not been under the care of a doctor recently but had what his wife thought was a heart attack two days ago. He had complained of severe pain across chest and in arms while out for dinner; his arm went limp but this passed and he appeared to be all right again while he sat at the dinner table.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

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FULL NAME JANET ROWELSON

Date of Death Fd. February 19

Place of Death	605 Park Avenue, Apt. 10	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$8.12; 1 Cort wrist watch; 3 keys; 1 coin purse; 2 notebooks; misc. papers.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	May 10, 1897 Age 63		
Birthplace	New Ulm, Minn.		
Occupation	Housework		No clothing listed on morgue sheet
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	William Lindeman Mary Kastner		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Catholic Cemetery, New Ulm, Minn.	Effects Released to	Mrs. Arnie Unverworn, sister
Wright Funeral Director	Wayzata Funeral Home, Wayzata, Minn.	Address	1110 N. Minnesot St., New Ulm, Minn

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 6:20 p.m., February 19, 1960.

At approximately 6:00 p.m., February 19, 1960, the deceased was found dead on floor of her apartment by Lester Boynton, also a tenant at above address, when he unlocked door and entered after a Mrs. Frances Hanahan of Apartment No. 14, 609 Park Avenue, told him she been unable to arouse deceased all day.

Mr. Boynton states he, Mrs. Hanahan and a Mrs. Oscar Hammarstrom, Apartment 19, 609 Park Avenue, entered deceased's apartment together after he opened door by using a knife to slip hook on door to bathroom which he and the deceased shared.

Mrs. Hanahan had talked to the deceased on the preceding day at which time she complained

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of aching all over and feeling ill. She states deceased has had quite a cough ever since she had had a parakeet.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Body was found on floor beside studio couch bed, nude. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers Knickerbock and Keavey of squad 117 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Deceased is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Arnie Unverworn and Mrs. C. L. Peterson of New Ulm, Minn.

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FULL NAME ESTHER AVILDA WIRTZ a/k/a ESTHER A. WIRTZ Date of Death Fd. February 19

Place of Death	1227 Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Sept. 26, 1894 Age 65		
Birthplace	Michigan		
Occupation	Court Reporter - Dunn & Bradstreet		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		No clothing listed.
Name of Husband or Wife	Frank Wirtz		
Names of Parents	Edward A. Rhodes Effie Alexander		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Enga Memorial Chapel, St. Louis Park	Address	

Wright

Social Security No. 468 10 3022

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 11:50 p.m., February 19, 1960.

According to the deceased's husband, Frank P. Wirtz, he arrived home about 6:00 p.m., February 19, 1960, at which time wife stated she did not want anything to eat. Therefore, he went out to eat alone at 7th and Hennepin, returning home again about 8:15 p.m.

He talked to the deceased for a short while before going into the bedroom to listen to the radio. When he came back to the living room again about 11:30 p.m., he found the decedent unresponsive. The police were notified, Officers D. Olson and Fort of squad 119 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the

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ambulance physician confirmed the woman's death.

It was stated, the deceased had last been seen by Doctor J. P. Korchik but he has not seen her for some time.

Only survivor known to the Coroner's Office is the husband, Frank Wirtz, previously mentioned herein.

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FULL NAME CHARLES B. (OLSON) BRODD Date of Death February 20

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. R. H. Pfohl
Place of Injury	Washington and Second Aves. S.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	123 Washington Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Feb. 14, 1885 Age 75		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Farmer		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Andrew Olson Christine Carlson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident - Auto	Massive intraperitoneal hemorrhage and cerebral contusion, due to laceration of liver and head injury. Multiple pelvic and right tibia fractures. Retroperitoneal hemorrhage. Bilateral atelectasis and pulmonary edema.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright Funeral Director	O. E. Larson Mortuary	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 1:15 a.m., February 20, 1960.

At approximately 9:15 p.m., February 19, 1960, the deceased, a pedestrian, was seriously injured when struck by a car, a 1960 Studebaker Lark, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 3V 6548, while crossing the street at the intersection of Second Avenue South and Washington Avenue.

Grant W. Volkman, 4729 Pillsubry Avenue, age 23, driver of the car involved, was proceeding south on Second Avenue and the decedent was crossing in an easterly direction at the time the accident occurred. Officers stated that witnesses stated the deceased was crossing against the red light. Driver failed to see pedestrian until impact and was tagged for driving with a dirty windshield, it was stated.

CHARLES B. BRODD - continued

Deceased was removed by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital, being admitted in critical condition at 9:27 p.m. on date of injury. He expired a few hours later, death occurring at 1:15 a.m., February 20.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This revealed massive intraperitoneal hemorrhage; cerebral contusion; laceration of liver; head injury; multiple pelvic and right tibia fractures; retroperitoneal hemorrhage; bilateral atelectasis; and pulmonary edema.

Police officers C. W. Larson and Linboe of squad 515 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include one brother, Anton Olson, Huntington Park, California.

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FULL NAME HOLGER LEONARD FLODIN **Date of Death** February 20

Place of Death	Carmen Bay, Lake Minnetonka, Orono Village,	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$37.13; 1 wallet; 5 keys; 1 spectacles.
Residence	5825 Chicago Avenue		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Sept. 29, 1890 **Age** 69		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Carpenter		No clothing listed
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Walberg M. Flodin		
Names of Parents	John and Mathilda Flodin		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	Clifford J. Flodin, son
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1825 Chicago Avenue,	Address	5825 Chicago Avenue South

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Social Security No. 468-03-6864

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HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Sheriff's Office at 8:30 a.m., February 20, 1960.

It was stated, the decedent had arrived at Carmen Bay, Lake Minnetonka, in Orono Village, to do some ice fishing on the morning of February 20. He was in the process of chopping a hole in the ice about 8:00 a.m. when he suddenly collapsed, becoming unresponsive, according to a witness, James Rich, 5375 Riverview Road (Pa. 9-9073).

Officer Barnard of Orono notified the Sheriff's Office, who sent their rescue squad to the scene, however, the deceased expired before its arrival.

Deceased has history of a heart ailment and has been under the care of Doctor A. N. Noran, Minneapolis.

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Examination of the body indicated this was a natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Only survivor known to the Coroner's Office is a son, Clifford J. Flodin, and his wife, Walberg Flodin.

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FULL NAME MARTHA L. HAGEDORN **Date of Death** Fd. February 20

Place of Death	1708 - 11th Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. R. D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Nov. 4, 1910 Age 48		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		No clothing list on morgue sheet
Name of Husband or Wife	Henry Hagedorn		
Names of Parents	Mike Swalbowski Augusta Dropps		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Cirrhosis of liver, severe.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Paul's Lutheran Cemetery Foley, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Leon Bock, Foley, Minn.	Address	

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Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 2:15 p.m., February 20, 1960.

At approximately 1:30 p.m., February 20, 1960, the deceased was found dead on her bed by the caretaker, Mr. Thomas Fiebin, of Apartment No. 3, and the landlord, Clifford Johnson, who also lives at this address. They entered at the request of the deceased's husband, Mr. Henry Hagedorn, when he was unable to get any response when he knocked on the door. Mr. Hagedorn occupies another room in the building.

It was stated, the deceased had last been seen alive about 5:00 p.m. on the preceding afternoon by Mr. Fiebin. She complained at that time of not feeling well.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on bed on left side, naked. Body was cold and rigor mortis was

MARTHA L. HAGEDORN - continued

complete.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on February 21. This revealed marked cirrhosis of the liver; bilateral pulmonary congestion and edema; bilateral hydrothorax; ascites; congestive splenomegaly; colloid adenoma of the thyroid; multiple myomata of the uterus; hemosalpinx, right; and bilateral swollen enlarged kidneys.

Police officers Heinrichs and Porter of squad 132 were notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME EMIL FELIX MALECHA **Date of Death** February 20

Place of Death	313 West Lake Street	Autopsy	Dr. R. H. Pfohl
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$7.30; 1 billfold; 1 coin purse; 1 nail clipper.
Residence	3029 Grand Avenue		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Sept. 11, 1899 **Age** 60		
Birthplace	Lonsdale, Minn.		
Occupation	Laborer		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Christine M. Malecha		
Names of Parents	Thomas Malecha Rose Frejlach		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Acute occlusion left anterior descending coronary artery, due to severe coronary and generalized arteriosclerosis. Fatty metamorphosis of liver.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota, Minn.	Effects Released to	Ross Haidle, son-in-law
Funeral Director	Gleason Mortuary	Address	5714 W. Moore Lake Drive

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Social Security No. 469 01 8025

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 7:45 p.m., February 20, 1960.

The deceased, a bartender at the above address, had apparently been drinking some and became involved in an altercation with a customer who appeared quite intoxicated according to witnesses. Deceased notified Police Officers Bennon and John Carlson of squad 153 about the argument after the man with whom he had argument had left the bar. Officers then picked up the man and brought him back to the bar, but at this time the deceased refused to make a complaint against him, therefore, Officers released the man. However, the deceased appeared very upset about the episode.

A short while later, the Officers were again summoned to the above address. At this time, the deceased was lying on the floor in an unresponsive condition. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance

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physician confirmed the man's death, death apparently occurring about 7:15 p.m.

Witnesses to the above mentioned altercation were Harvy Johnson, 3007 Grand Avenue South, Donald A. Orstad, 3125 Garfield Avenue South, and G. M. Feran of 3429-15th Avenue South.

Deceased has history of a heart condition and had been seen at Minneapolis General Hospital out-patient department by Doctor Larson in June of 1959.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Deceased found lying on back behind bar. Body was warm and there was no rigor.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on February 21. This revealed acute occlusion of left anterior descending coronary artery; severe coronary and generalized arteriosclerosis; and fatty metamorphosis of liver.

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FULL NAME CECILIA MALARK

Date of Death February 21

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	**Autopsy**	Dr. R. H. Pfohl
Place of Injury	Central Ave. N. E. & St. Anthony Blvd.	**Effects Taken in charge**	None
Residence	811 University Ave. N. E.		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	April 21, 1906 **Age** 53		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Andrew Malark		
Names of Parents	Edward Connors Ellen Franklin		
CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
Accident - Auto	Subarachnoid and subdural hemorrhage, and contusion of brain, due to fracture, basilar, anterior fossa of skull. Crushing injury of left chest. Fractures pelvis, left femur and right tibia.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota, Minn.	**Effects Released to**	
Kaplan **Funeral Director**	R. F. Bertch & Company	**Address**	

Social Security No. 470-24-3701

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 6:30 a.m., February 21, 1960.

At approximately 7:26 p.m., February 18, 1960, the deceased, a pedestrian, was seriously injured when struck by a car, a 1957 Oldsmobile bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 4E 9571, while attempting to cross Central Avenue Northeast, approximately 300 feet north of its intersection with 31st Avenue Northeast.

Donald H. Sever, 2204 Fremont Avenue South, age 22, driver of the car involved, was traveling south on Central Avenue and the deceased was crossing Central in an easterly direction at the time the accident occurred. The impact caused the deceased to be thrown across the center island into the northbound lane. Deceased was removed to Minneapolis General Hospital by ambulance, being admitted in critical

CECILIA MALARK - continued

condition with head injuries and fractures of left femur and right tibia at 7:54 p.m. on date of injury.

A craniotomy, bilateral, with removal of subdural hematoma, exploratory laparotomy, and debridement and reduction of compound fractures of left femur and right tibia were done on February 19. Deceased failed to respond to hospital treatment, expiring at 6:10 a.m., February 21.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This revealed basilar skull fracture of anterior fossa; subarachnoid and subdural hemorrhage; fracture, compound, of right tibia (upper 1/3); fracture, compound, of left femur (lower 1/3); fracture of pelvis with extensive retroperitoneal and intraperitoneal hemorrhage; bilateral hemothorax; fractures of right ribs, anterior and anterior axillary; ribs, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, left; atelectasis of left lung; hiatus hernia with stomach herniated into left chest; contusions of liver and spleen; contusions of right atrium of heart; and multiple abrasions.

Officers C. W. Larson and A. Lindboe of squad 515 were notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, Andrew; 5 daughters, Mrs. Irving Gorsen, Mrs. James Steber, Mrs. David Gage, Mrs. Kenneth Hart, and Mrs. Thomas Strauss, all of Minneapolis; 7 sons, John, Robert, Richard, Raymond, Kenneth, and James, all of Mpls., and George of St. Paul.

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FULL NAME GUSTAF K. SEGER

Date of Death Fd. February 21

Place of Death	3427 Irving Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$41.00; 1 billfold; 1 check book cover; 6 keys; misc. papers; 1 bankbook #120671-$2,217.24 F & M. Savings Bank; 1 bankbook #154257-$537.71 - F & M Savings Bank.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Oct. 3, 1883 Age 76		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Lumberman		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			No clothing listed.
Names of Parents	Magnus C. Seger Amelia Ramstedt		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Exsanguination due to hemorrhage from laceration left wrist (ulnar artery).		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	Erick M. Seger, brother
Wright Funeral Director	Billman-Hunt Funeral Home	Address	3427 Irving Avenue North

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Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 1:30 p.m., February 21, 1960.

Mrs. E. M. Lycke, of 3800 Upton Avenue North, had invited the deceased to dinner on the preceding day, February 20th, 1960, and had told him her husband would be around to pick him up.

At about 1:00 p.m., February 21st, Mr. Lycke arrived at the deceased's home and noted that the walk had not been shoveled, the newspaper had not been picked up, and there were no signs of activity. He did not have the key with him, therefore, when he was unable to arouse any response he returned home. When he returned to the deceased's residence, he was accompanied by his wife, Clara Lycke. Together they checked the house and found the deceased on the basement floor. Examination disclosed his left wrist

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had been slashed with a razor blade. Deceased left a little case with a note attached which said, "Clara, you take care of this". Inside the case were several savings account books.

It was stated, the deceased lived in his brother's home, Eric Seger, who had left for California in mid-December and is presently in Long Beach, Calif. He was contacted by phone and informed this office that his brother has threatened suicide previously.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on floor in pool of dried blood with left wrist slashed. Fine cuts of right forefinger and thumb were noted; a double edge razor blade lay nearby. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to exsanguination due to hemorrhage from laceration of left wrist (ulnar artery).

Police officers Soderlund and Streed of squad 143 were notified and attended the scene of death. Detectives Holt and Shelstad of squad 301 continued the investigation.

Only survivor known to the Coroner's Office is the brother, Eric Seger, previously mentioned herein.

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FULL NAME CLARENCE ARTHUR HOGAN **Date of Death** Fd. February 21

Place of Death	440 Builders Exchange 609 Second Avenue South	**Autopsy**	Dr. F. H. Lott
Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	$48.10; 1 billfold; 1 Zodak wrist watch; 1 ring; 12 keys; 1 knife; 1 reading glass; 1 folder; 4 $10.00 travelers checks #G22-350-700 to G-22-350-703 American Express.
Residence	4040 Upton Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	August 1, 1897 **Age** 62		
Birthplace	Portland, Oregon		
Occupation	Accountant		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Anne R. Hogan		
Names of Parents	George C. Hogan Annie Bostrom		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Coronary insufficiency due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis. Moderate generalized arteriosclerosis.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	**Effects Released to**	James C. Hogan, son
Wright **Funeral Director**	Albin Funeral Chapel	**Address**	4040 Upton Avenue S., Mpls.

Social Security No.

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 5:40 p.m., February 21, 1960.

According to James Hogan, of 1309 W. Maynard Drive, St. Paul, son of the deceased, the deceased left home at 11:00 a.m., February 21st, ostensibly to go to church. When he did not return, Mrs. Anne R. Hogan, wife of deceased, called her son, James Hogan, and they went to the building where he maintains an office. Son states he often went to his office this time of year to work because of the increased volume in tax filing business. Outer doors to building were locked but were opened for them by Bill Diehl of WDGY; door to deceased's office was also found locked. The police were notified and Mel Johnson of the Midwest Gun and Key Shop, a locksmith, was summoned to open the door. Prior to opening the door, James Hogan looked through the mail slot and seen his father lying on the floor.

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Upon entry at 5:20 p.m., the deceased was found lying on floor in an unresponsive condition. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Roberts, the ambulance physician, confirmed the man's death.

Doctor A. F. Bratrud, the deceased's personal physician, states the decedent has history of a heart condition and was hospitalized at Asbury Hospital for this condition two years ago. Doctor Bratrud also states he saw the decedent on the street several days ago and talked to him at that time, and noted that he looked poorly.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Deceased found lying on back with crusted abrasions on forehead. Body was cool to touch and rigor mortis was present. Deceased was completely "transvested".

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on February 22. This revealed that death was due to coronary insufficiency; severe coronary arteriosclerosis; and moderate generalized arteriosclerosis.

Officers Kaminski and Keave of squad 118 made the initial investigation which was continued by Detectives Deason and Green of squad 301.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Anne; daughter JoAnne, Washington D. C.; two sons, Robert, Albuquerque, N. M. and James, St. Paul; also 3 grandchildren.

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FULL NAME KATE BELL

Date of Death February 21

Place of Death	Star of Bethlehem Home, St. Louis Park, Minn.	**Autopsy**	No
Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	None
Residence	Minnetonka Village, Minn.		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Nov. 18, 1882 **Age** 77		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Proprietor - retail gift store		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Fred and ? Bell		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Cerebral thrombosis.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	**Effects Released to**	
Funeral Director	Thomson Brothers Funeral Home	**Address**	

Wright

Social Security No. 468 07 4241

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Star of Bethlehem Home at 8:05 p.m., February 21, 1960.

The deceased has been in failing health for some time and was admitted to the Star of Bethlehem Home on November 17, 1959. Her condition continued to deteriorate and she became very weak, expiring at 8:00 p.m., February 21, 1960.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased noted to have small cut on forehead which was said to be the result of a fall. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to cerebral thrombosis.

Survivors of the decedent are unknown to the Coroner's Office.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME CHARLOTTE A. BUTLER

Date of Death February 21

Place of Death	2317 Grand Avenue S.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Nov. 2, 1864 Age 95		
Birthplace	East Otto, New York		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Patrick J. Butler		
Names of Parents	? and ? Badley		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Cerebral thromboses, multiple, due to cerebral arteriosclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Wright Washburn-McReavy Mortuary	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor Donald C. MacKinnon at 9:30 p.m., February 21, 1960.

Deceased made her home with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Campbell, at the above address.

She has history of a fractured left hip about seven years ago and had remained bedridden since that time. She has had no medical attention during the past four years.

Her condition became critical on evening of February 21, 1960 and Doctor Donald C. MacKinnon was summoned to the residence. Upon arrival, he found the deceased had expired, death apparently occurring about 9:30 p.m.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Remains

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were removed to the mortuary and death was attributed to cerebral thromboses, due to cerebral arteriosclerosis.

Only survivor known to the Coroner's Office is the daughter, Eleanor Campbell, previously mentioned herein.

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FULL NAME JOHN MARKOVICH — **Date of Death** February 22

Place of Death	1601 Hawthorne Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$733.76; 1 Illinois watch; 1 coin purse; 1 postal savings certificate #44404 - $2,500.00
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 15, 1887 **Age** 72		
Birthplace	Serbia		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Laborer - Produce		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	Estate of John Markovich, Donald B. Hansen, Spec. Adm.
Hoppes — Funeral Director	Hanson Nugent Funeral Home	Address	2116 Nicollet Ave., Mpls.

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 8:20 a.m., February 22, 1960.

At approximately 9:00 a.m., February 22, 1960, the deceased was found dead on kitchen floor of his apartment by the caretaker, Joe Hoffman, of 1605 Hawthorne, Apartment No. 5. The police were notified, Officers Mudge and Nordmeyer of squad 118 responding.

Mrs. Spooner, a neighbor of the deceased, had last seen the decedent alive on February 12th, however, she had noted a light burning steadily in his apartment and asked the caretaker to investigate..

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on kitchen floor, dressed in houseclothes, and wearing two pairs of

JOHN MARKOVICH - continued

trousers, the pockets of which contained important papers, currency, and a postal savings certificate. Body was stiff and in rigor. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent are unknown to the Coroner's Office.

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FULL NAME WERNER G. WESTEEN Date of Death February 22

Place of Death	4037 Ewing Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Dec. 16, 1883 Age 76		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Marble and Tile Contractor		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Esther O. Westeen		
Names of Parents	Gustav and ? Anderson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 1825 Chicago Avenue	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No. 472 03 5372

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor Robert Meyer at 12:20 p.m., February 22, 1960.

On the morning of February 22, 1960, the decedent became ill in his home and Doctor Robert Meyers was summoned to the residence. He was unable to come and sent an ambulance and an interne from North Memorial Hospital, however, the deceased was dead on his arrival at 11:30 a.m., February 22.

It was stated, the deceased had been experiencing difficulty in eating and incontinence. According to son, he had had no medical care because he had refused it.

A deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found dead in bed, clothed in nightclothes. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains

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were removed to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Esther O.; two sons, Richard W., Minneapolis and Dr. John E.., Asheville, N. C., also 5 grandchildren;and one sister and one brother living in Sweden.

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FULL NAME INA TAYLOR **Date of Death** February 22

Place of Death	973 Aldrich Avenue North	**Autopsy**	No
Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	$7.49; 1 key; 1 scissor; 1 coin purse; 1 glasses.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	August 26, 1877 **Age** 82		
Birthplace	LaGrange		
Occupation	Housewife		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Unknown		
Names of Parents	Joseph Price (?) Tanner		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	**Effects Released to**	Aletha L. Commodore, cousin
Hoppes **Funeral Director**	Woodward Funeral Home	**Address**	1126 Dupont Avenue N.

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 12:25 p.m., February 22, 1960.

On the morning of February 22, 1960, the deceased was cleaning snow from the sidewalk in front of her home when she suddenly collapsed to the ground, becoming unresponsive. A neighbor, Mrs. Vern Foster, of 979 Aldrich, saw the decedent lying on the ground and summoned the police, Officers Streed and Steele of squad 144 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Dr. Strobel, the ambulance physician, pronounced the woman dead at 12:20 p.m.

Another neighbor, Mrs. Padula, states the deceased had been visited approximately three times a week by a nurse from the Health Center, a Mrs. Williams.

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Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on ground, clad in outdoor clothes, in front of 973 doorway. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME HARRY HAROLD GRIFFITH

Date of Death February 22

Place of Death	In Minneapolis Auditorium	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$62.63; 1 billfold; 1 coin purse; 6 keys.
Residence	1926 Clinton Avenue		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	April 10, 1891 Age 68		
Birthplace	Preston, Minn.		
Occupation	Painter - building maintenance		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Theresa Griffith		
Names of Parents	George Griffith Allen Dibble		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	Mrs. Theresa Griffith, widow
Hoppes Funeral Director	Thomson Brothers Funeral Home	Address	1926 Clinton Avenue

Social Security No. 473 03 8821

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 8:00 p.m., February 22, 1960.

The deceased and a friend, David Kundert, same address as the deceased, were in the southwest corner of the Minneapolis Auditorium waiting for the Golden Glove Matches to begin on the evening of February 22, 1960. David Kundert noticed that the deceased was having trouble breathing and called for help. Doctor Proffitt, the ringside doctor, and the rescue squad came to his aid and deceased was placed flat on the floor but soon ceased to breathe, death apparently occurring about 7:40 p.m.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on floor, dressed in streetwear. Body was warm and there was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and

HARRY HAROLD GRIFFITH - continued

death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

It was stated, the deceased had been under the care of Doctor R. E. Buirge of the treatment of a heart ailment and diabetes.

Police officers Stevens and Allenson of squad 119 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Theresa; sisters, Miss Hazel Griffith and Mrs. Lillian Moore.

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FULL NAME ANDREW GEORGE MORRIS **Date of Death** Fd. February 22

Place of Death	4920 Second Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. R. D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	August 17, 1959 Age 6 months		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	None		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		No clothing listed on morgue sheet.
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	William R. Morris Birgit Thiberg		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Pulmonary edema and congestion.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Holy Rood Cemetery, Morristown, New Jersey	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	White Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 5:45 p.m., February 22, 1960.

Mother of deceased and three other children had gone skating on the afternoon of February 22nd, while the deceased was asleep in car bed in the back seat of the automobile.

When they arrived home, mother left child in car because he was asleep and went about her other household duties. When father arrived home at 5:00 p.m., he checked on the child at mother's request and baby seemed all right at that time. About 20 minutes later, mother went out to bring the baby in for his evening meal and found him blue. She brought child into house and attempted mouth to mouth respiration while awaiting arrival of an ambulance. Upon arrival, the General Hospital ambulance physician

ANDREW GEORGE MORRIS - continued

pronounced the baby dead. Motor of automobile was not running while child was sleeping.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on February 23. This revealed that death was due to pulmonary edema and congestion.

Police officer Kunde of squad 152 was notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME HENRY B. MCBEE

Date of Death Fd. February 23

Place of Death	254 Hennepin Avenue	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$97.96
Residence	Same	Less:	3.80 (2 telephone calls)
Sex	Male	Balance	$94.16
Birthdate	October 3, 1911 Age 48		1 check - Olivia McBee-$420.00; 1 Timex wrist watch.
Birthplace	Greenville, S. Carolina		
Occupation	Boiler maker - Factory		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Name of Husband or Wife	Pearl McBee		
Names of Parents	Frank McBee Nina Briggs		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Bronchopneumonia, bilateral, with bilateral hydrothorax. Early cirrhosis of liver.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	Pearl I. McBee, widow
Hoppes Funeral Director	Anderson Peterson Funeral Chapel	Address	Ft. Yates, N. Dakota

Social Security No. 579-11-7106

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 12:30 a.m., February 23, 1960.

According to hotel employees, the deceased had registered at the hotel(Stone Hotel) on January 31st and had been looking for work. Because he had no service of any type for 24 hours, Harold Haenze, the elevator man, looked through the transom when he was unable to arouse deceased and notedhim lying with his feet on the bed and head on the floor. The police were notified, Officers Mattson and Keller of squad 117 responding.

Mr. Haenze stated he had last seen the decedent alive at approximately 11:30 p.m., February 22nd. His body was discovered at 12:20 a.m., February 23.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased was clothed in thermal type underwear. Body was warm and cyanosis of head and neck

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were noted.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on February 23. This revealed that death was due to bronchopneumonia, bilateral, with bilateral hydrothorax. Early cirrhosis of liver also noted.

Only survivor known to the Coroner's Office is his wife, Pearl, Fort Yates, North Dakota.

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FULL NAME MARIA LYDEN Date of Death February 23

	Place of Death	4537 Colfax Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	February 27, 1866 Age 93		
	Birthplace	Providence, Rhode Island		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Martin J. Lyden		
	Names of Parents	John Trimble Margaret Hunt		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Calvary Cemetery St. Paul, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Maldonado	Funeral Director	Gill Brothers, Inc.	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 10:40 a.m., February 23, 1960.

At approximately 9:30 a.m., February 23, 1960, the deceased was found lying in bed in an unresponsive condition by her daughter, Mr. George Pierce. The police were notified, Officer Don Nichols of squad 152 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the man's death.

It was stated, the deceased had last been seen alive about 9:30 p.m., February 22nd, at which time she retired.

MARIA LYDEN - continued

Deceased had last been seen by Doctor William Trow about six months ago. She had been told there was some"hardening of the arteries ".

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying in bed on right side in full rigor. There was no indication of other than natural death.

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FULL NAME MABEL PETERSON Date of Death February 23

	Place of Death	3320 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Eagle Bend Village, Minn.		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	July 8, 1892 Age 67		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	John A. Peterson		
	Names of Parents	Nels and ? Larson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Hope Cemetery, Wykeham Twp., Todd County, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Maldonado	Funeral Director	Domian Memorial Home, Eagle Bend, Minn.	Address	

None except Noted On Morgue Record

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

The deceased, a resident of Eagle Bend, Minnesota, has been living with her daughter, Joyce Peterson, at the above address since November of 1959 at which time she had a cholecystectomy and esophageal hernia repair at Swedish Hospital and has been under the care of Doctors John and Paul Linner.

According to daughter, the deceased has complained of anterior chest pain precipitated by exposure to cold. This chest pain has increased in severity in past month. On afternoon of February 23, 1960, deceased was found in front of apartment building at above address in an unresponsive condition by Mrs. Louis Watson of 5843 SunriseDrive, who had arrived to visit a friend living at 3325 Nicollet Avenue South.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the scene. Upon arrival at

MABEL PETERSON - continued

1:40 p.m., the deceased was pronounced dead by the ambulance physician, Doctor Strobel.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. On arrival of deputy, deceased was lying on back, fully clothed, and covered with a blanket. Rigor mortis had not begun to develop. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers C. E. Johnson and P. P. Holvenstot of squad 151 were notified and attended the scene of death.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME ROYAL A. BUHSE

Date of Death February 23

Place of Death	2012 Fourth Street South	Autopsy	Dr. R. D. Bloemendaal
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$83.05; 2 checks - $3.50 &$79.55; 1 wrist watch; 1 lighter; 1 knife; 1 glasses; 5 keys; 1 tape rule; 1 billfold.
Residence	723 E. 22nd Street		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	August 6, 1896 Age 63		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Laborer - Board of Education		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Hattie Buhse		
Names of Parents	Albert Buhse Julia Hirt		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Occlusion, acute, right coronary artery, due to severe generalized coronary arteriosclerosis.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Albert B. Buhse, brother
Maldonado Funeral Director	Knaeble Company	Address	2928 Colorado Ave., St. Louis Park,

Social Security No. 469 18 5623

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 3:50 p.m., February 23, 1960.

While at work in basement of school building at this address, the deceased apparently collapsed and was found by Andrew Hudak at 3:30 p.m. He was lying on the basement floor on back in a comatose condition; his breathing was rapid.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the scene, however, the deceased expired before its arrival, death apparently occurring about 3:45 p.m. The ambulance physician confirmed the man's death upon his arrival.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on February 24. This revealed occlusion, acute, of right coronary artery due to severe

ROYAL A. BUHSE - continued

generalized coronary arteriosclerosis.

Police officers W. Quinn and D. Parker of squad 132 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Hattie; daughter, Mrs. Fern Plankers; two grandchilden; 4 great-grandchildren; and one brother, Albert.

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FULL NAME ELDEE CLEMONS Date of Death February 23

	Place of Death	Missions Farms, Plymouth Village, Minn.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence			
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	January 10, 1897 Age 63		
	Birthplace	Plumberville, Arkansas		
	Occupation	Laborer		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		No clothing listed on morgue sheet.
	Name of Husband or Wife	Rose Clemons		
	Names of Parents	Jack and Mary Clemons		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Congestive heart failure due to valvular heart disease and mitral insufficiency. Cerebral atrophy. Senile emphysema. Chronic alcoholism.		
	~~Accident~~ x			
	~~Suicide~~ x			
	~~Homicide~~ x			
	~~Undetermined~~ x			
	Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Maldonado	Funeral Director	Woodard Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. 482 16 2374

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Mr. Peterson of the Mission Farm at 3:55 p.m., February 23, 1960

The decedent has been at the Mission farm for approximately one year during which time he has been under the care of Minneapolis General Hospital's out-patient department for treatment of arthritis and urinary tract infections. He has been doing poorly for some time.

At approximately 1:45 p.m., February 23, 1960, he commenced vomiting and became "cold and clammy". Blood pressure could not be obtained at 2:00 p.m. and he expired at 2:15 p.m.

Medical records at General Hospital indicate there was a diagnosis of progressive mental deterioration; brain atrophy; chronic alcoholism; senile emphysema; asthma and

ELDEE CLEMONS - continued

mitral insufficiency.

Only survivor known to the Coroner's Office is a brother, Bruce Clemons, Plumberville, Ark.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME CLARA EVELYN BEDNORZ

Date of Death FEBRUARY 23

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shepard
Place of Injury	2937 First Avenue South	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Sept. 26, 1906 Age 53		
Birthplace	Sherman, Dunn County, Wis.		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	John Bednorz		
Names of Parents	Edward Johnson Ericka Christianson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Burns, 3rd degree, over 50% of body surface. Pulmonary edema and congestion and atelectasis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Highland Cemetery, Menomonie, Wis.	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	

Maldonado

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 3:30 p.m., February 23, 1960.

John Bednorz, Jr., son of the deceased, arrived home about 3:10 p.m., February 22, 1960, and noted smoke emanating from his home. He kicked in the back door but was unable to enter because of the smoke and the heat, therefore, he summoned the Fire Department who extinguished the fire and removed the deceased from the apartment. The origin of the fire was believed to have been on the east wall of the living room in an overstuffed chair.

Deceased sustained severe burns over a large area of her body and was removed by ambulance to Minneapolis General Hospital, being admitted at 3:39 p.m. She expired the following day, February 23rd, at 11:25 a.m.

CLARA EVELYN BEDNORZ - continued

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on the date of death. This revealed 2nd and 3rd degree burns over 45-50% of body surface; pulmonary edema and congestion of right lung; atelectasis of left lower lobe; trachitis; and congestion of brain.

It was also learned that the deceased drank quite heavily from time to time and was known to have been drinking considerably for several days prior to this episode.

Police officers Carl Johnson and Nichols of squad 151 were at the scene and investigated this case. Detectives Rieman and Short later took statements from the son, John, Jr. and husband, John, Sr.

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FULL NAME PETER HELMER SKAR **Date of Death** February 23

Place of Death	4248-11th Avenue S.	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 key; 1 Driver's license.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	October 11, 1886 Age 73		
Birthplace	Eau Claire, Wis.		
Occupation	Collector - N. W. Bell Telephone Co.		No clothing listed on morgue sheet.
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Natalie H. Skar		
Names of Parents	Andrew Skar Anne Moe		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Pulmonary edema, severe, unknown etiology. Fatty liver, severe, alcoholic. Pulmonary atelectasis, unknown etiology.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	Florence A. Hurtig, Spec. Adm., by Verne W. Moss, Jr., Atty.
Maldonado Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	635 N. W. Bank Bldg., Mpls.

Social Security No. 468 09 2779 B

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 4:20 p.m., February 23, 1960.

Mrs. Alice Skar, sister-in-law of the deceased, states she had talked to the decedent by phone on February 20th and 21st at which time he stated he was ill and wanted to see a doctor. On February 23, she went to see the decedent and was unable to enter the front door and received no response, whereupon, she forced the back door open and upon investigation found the deceased had expired. She discovered his body at approximately 2:40 p.m.

The police were notified, Officers J. Sullivan, A. W. Lindfors and D. Butler of squad 165 responding.

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Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on face, fully clothed, with moderate rigor of all extremities. Clothing was soiled with feces and urine.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on February 24. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic examination before determining the cause of this man's death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Natalie H.; two sisters, Mrs. Mabel Smith, Midvale, Utah, Mrs. Ann Kastorff, Eau Claire, Wis., and a brother, Engvald, Minneapolis.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME ELIZABETH IRENE O'CONNOR

Date of Death February 23

Place of Death	3721 13th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	March 20, 1960 Age 88		
Birthplace	Anoka, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widowed		
Name of Husband or Wife	James E. O'Connor		
Names of Parents	? and ? Gorham		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Maldonado Funeral Director	White Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. None

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 8:15 p.m., February 23, 1960.

According to the deceased's daughter, Mrs. John Moran, she had fed the decedent her evening meal at 6:30 p.m., February 23, 1960, at which time she appeared to be in her usual health. At 7:45 p.m., daughter returned to the decedents bedroom to find her in an unreponsive condition.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the home. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician pronounced the woman dead at 8:15 p.m.

Deceased has history of severe "strokes" during past 20 years, the last "stroke" being in November 1958 at which time she was under the care of Doctor Wm. T. Walsh. She

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has been unable to talk or care for herself. During the past month, daughter states she has had quite a cough.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Deceased found lying in bed; there was no rigor or livor. Death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers D. Buhler and A. W. Lindfors of squad 165 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include a daughter, Mrs. John Moran, previously mentioned here, and a son, J. Russell O'Connor, Minneapolis; brother, Patrick Gorham, Anoka, and a sister, Miss Katherine Gorham.

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FULL NAME ELMER F. BRANDT Date of Death February 24

Place of Death	University Hospitals	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Pfohl
Place of Injury	66th St. & Nicollet Avenue, Richfield, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	5151-36th Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Jan. 6, 1893 Age 67		
Birthplace	Morris, Minn.		
Occupation	Clergyman - Lutheran Church		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		Clothing listed on morgue sheet.
Name of Husband or Wife	Clara S. Brandt		
Names of Parents	Peter and Amelia Brandt		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident - Auto	Severe brain contusion and laceration due to severe compound, comminuted, skull fracture.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

Wright

Social Security No. 477 38 4314

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by University Hospitals at 3:05 p.m., February 24, 1960.

At approximately 12:50 p.m., February 24, 1960, the deceased incurred critical injury when the car he was driving, a 1955 Chevrolet, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 5C 9634, was involved in a three-vehicle collision at the intersection of 66th Street and Nicollet Avenue South, in Richfield.

It was stated, a 1956 Buick, bearing 1959 Nebraska license No. 1-127328 and driven by Joseph Edward Schraad, age 22, 2204 E. 66th Street, was proceeding east on 66th Street when it collided with the Brandt car, which had been traveling west on 66th Street, while the Brandt vehicle was making a left turn onto Nicollet Avenue. The impact caused the Brandt machine to spin around and collide with a third vehicle, a 1956 3/4 Ton Ford truck,

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bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. Y-4500 and driven by James Oliver Brubakken, 804 27th Avenue Northeast. The Brubakken machine was not in motion; it waswaiting for the traffic signal to change.

Deceased, seriously injured, was removed to University Hospitals via Smith ambulance, being admitted at 1:30 p.m. He expired an hour later, death occurring at 2:30 p.m., February 24.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on February 25. This revealed severe brain contusion and laceration due to severe compound, comminuted skull fracture; mild coronary sclerosis; atelectasis of left upper lobe; bilateral pulmonary congestion; arteriolar renal disease; and multiple large bowel diverticuli.

Officers R. W. Schutz, Floyd Roman and L. Dahlquist of the Richfield Police Department were notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Clara; son, Rev. Leslie F. Brandt; daughter, Mrs. Donald Sateren; 5 grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Walter Farwell and Mrs. Edward Olson; also three brothers, Alvin, Conrad and Henry Brandt.

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FULL NAME CORRINE CAROL HILDEBRAND

Date of Death Fd. February 25

Place of Death	1204 Harmon Place	Autopsy	Dr. Wayne Chadbourn
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	$3.62; 1 checkbook; 1 billfold; 1 card case.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	October 8, 1931 Age 28		
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minn.		
Occupation	Factory assembly-Mpls. Honeywell Co.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Jule Hildebrand Gladys Shore		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
Homicide	Air emboli due to injection of air into uterus by person or persons unknown to induce abortion. (Pregnancy 4 months).		
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Cemetery, Montevideo, Minn.	Effects Released to	Patrick G. Hildebrand, brother
Wright Funeral Director	Anderson Funeral Home, Montevideo, Minn.	Address	2041 Brunswick Avenue N.

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 4:00 a.m., February 25, 1960.

Cherylrae Hildebrand, age 9 years, daughter of deceased, awakened at about 3:00 a.m., February 25, 1960 and heard the television going. She got up to investigate and found her mother, the deceased, on couch but was unable to awaken her. Daughter then called her aunt, Vione Zdarsky, 4338 Pillsbury, who came to the apartment. Mrs. Zdarsky notified the police, Officers R. H. Kroger and J. Shanahan of squad 118 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Mitchell, the ambulance physician, pronounced the woman dead at 3:45 a.m.

Examination of the body indicated deceased had been dead for some time. Rigor mortis had begun to develop. Deceased found slumped on couch in living room, apparently

CORRINE CAROL HILDEBRAND - continued

dressed for bed. There was no indication of violence or any disarray in the apartment.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on February 25. This revealed that death was due to an air emboli due to injection of air into uterus. A pregnancy of approximately 4 months was found. The death was ruled a homicide.

Because of the above findings which would indicate an attempted abortion, DetectivesRieman and Short questioned the deceased's daughter and other relatives in an effort to find out who her friends and associates were. To date, no pertinent information has been uncovered.

The decedent's daughter, Cherylrae, states she went to bed at 8:30 p.m., February 24th, which was her usual bedtime. No one was in the apartment at that time. She knew of no men callers.

Only survivors known to the Coroner's Office is her daughter, Cherylrae, previously mentioned; mother, Mrs. Gladys Hildebrand, Montevideo; sister, Mrs. Vione Zdarsky; and a brother, Patrick Hildebrand.

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FULL NAME HARRY S. MILLER Date of Death Fd. February 25

	Place of Death	4053 Aldrich Avenue S.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	July 21, 1885 Age 74		
	Birthplace	Reading, Pa.		
	Occupation	Automobile mechanic		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Judith Henry Miller		
	Names of Parents	Simpson Miller Leanda Berger		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Elton Bjorklund Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. 475 05 1895

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital's ambulance driver at 8:40 a.m., February 25, 1960.

According to the decedent's wife, he had appeared to be in his usual health at 6:30 a.m. When she looked in on him again at 7:30 a.m., she noticed that he was not breathing.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Roberts, the ambulance physician, confirmed the man's death.

Deceased has been a bed patient for some time and has been followed by General Hospital's out-patient department for some time. He has also been a patient in the hospital and was to be returned to the hospital on date of death.

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Medical records at General Hospital indicate there had been a diagnosis made of old cerebrovascular accident and arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Judith; 3 sons, Howard, Harry, and Robert of Minneapolis; 3 brothers and two sister in Pennsylvania; 12 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Police officer G. S. VanDevere of squad 152 was notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME DIANE SCHNEIDER — Date of Death February 26

Place of Death	3216-10th Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shepard
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	August 21, 1959 Age 6 months		
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minn.		
Occupation	None		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Roger Schneider Aida Marini		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Bilateral pulmonary edema and congestion.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Richard Gill Funeral Chapel	Address	

None except listed On Morgue Record

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 7:02 a.m., February 26, 1960.

On February 24th, 1960, the deceased commenced having diarrhea and developed a fever. It was stated, the child had been checked at the Wold Chamberlain Navy Base in Minneapolis by a Doctor Bynum on February 19, 1960. The child appeared well at that time except for a slight cough.

Doctor Bynum did not see the child during this last illness, however, he prescribed a medication for the diarrhea which was started on Wednesday, February 19. Baby did not improve so an antibiotic was added to the diarrhea preparation.

On the morning of February 26, 1960, mother went to check on child and found her lying

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in crib in an unresponsive condition at 7:00 a.m. The police were notified, Officers Gruman and Marx of squad 164 responding. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the baby's death.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner revealed no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue.

An autopsy was performed at the morgue on February 26. This revealed that death was due to bilateral pulmonary edema and congestion.

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FULL NAME LLOYD DARWIN RABERGE Date of Death February 26

Place of Death	3245 Grand Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$46.05; 1 knife; 8 keys; 1 billfold.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	April 13, 1892 Age 67		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Janitor - hotel		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Frank Raberge Caroline Fischer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	Joe Billman, Funeral Director
Funeral Director	Billman's House of Flowers	Address	2121 Nicollet Avenue, Minneapolis

Hoppes

Social Security No. 476-09-2189

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 9:20 a.m., February 26, 1960.

Deceased was in habit of having his meals at the home of Jessie Berg, 3243 Grand Avenue, a neighbor. When he failed to show up for breakfast on morning of February 26, 1960, she went to the deceased's home to check on him and found him lying on the bathroom floor in an unresponsive condition. The police were notified, Officers C. E. Johnson and D. E. Cameron of squad 151 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Roberts, the ambulance physician, pronounced the decedent dead at 9:30 a.m., February 26.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body.

LLOYD D. RABERGE - continued

Deceased found lying on floor of bathroom, clothed in pajamas. Body was warm and some blood exuded from his mouth and covered his right forearm. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Only survivor known to the Coroner's Office is a brother, Milton.

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FULL NAME JOHN PETER LAUER

Date of Death February 26

Place of Death	21st and Lyndale Avenue North	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	$26.25; 1 billfold; 3 keys; 1 glasses; 1 ticket book; 1 checkbook; 1 savings book-#24061-$119.42-Camden Park State Bank.
Residence	4918 Emerson Avenue N.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Nov. 26, 1898 Age 61		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Boiler washer - Soo line railroad		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		Clothing listed on morgue sheet.
Name of Husband or Wife	Hazel M. Lauer		
Names of Parents	Joseph Lauer Anna Brunes		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident - Auto	Cerebral contusion with subarachnoid hemorrhage, due to injury causing extensive basal skull fracture.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~	Fracture right femur, and symphysis pubis. Severe pulmonary edema.		
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	William C. Bengtson, son-in-law
Hoppes Funeral Director	Sundseth Anderson Funeral Home	Address	4918 Emerson Avenue N.

Social Security No. 701-05-7430

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 6:45 p.m., February 26, 1960.

At approximately 6:15 p.m., February 26, 1960, the deceased, a pedestrian, was fatally injured when struck by a car, a 1958 Ford bearing Wisconsin license No. HN 5763, at the intersection of Lyndale and 21st Avenue North.

Elaine Claire Mattson, age 18, 3419-2½ Street Northeast, driver of the car involved, was proceeding north on Lyndale Avenue and the decedent was crossing Lyndale in the north crosswalk at the time the accident occurred. Mrs. Violet Weatherly, 3339-3rd Street North, was also crossing in the north crosswalk with the decedent and was struck by the Mattson vehicle; she sustained head and leg injuries and was removed to Minneapolis General Hospital.

Apparently death was instantaneous for the decedent.

JOHN PETER LAUER - continued

Body of deceased was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on February 27. This revealed cerebral contusion with subarachnoid hemorrhage; extensive basal skull fracture; fractures of right femur and symphysis pubis; and severe pulmonary edema.

Officer Lindman was notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include two daughters, Mrs. William Bengtson, Minneapolis, and Darlene of Cambridge; two grandsons; 2 sisters, Mrs. Mamie Berda, S. St. Paul, and Mrs. Rose Bohach of Hopkins.

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FULL NAME AGNES MOSBERG

Date of Death Fd. February 28

Place of Death	3832 Zenith Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Jan. 22, 1888 Age 72		
Birthplace	Denmark		
Occupation	Housewife and clerk		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Carl C. Mosberg		
Names of Parents	Julius Koefoed Laura Falmoe		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Maldonado Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 2301 Dupont Avenue S.	Address	

Social Security No. 470-36-1522

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor Olga Hansen of the Nicollet Clinic at 1:15 a.m., February 28, 1960.

At approximately 9:00 p.m., February 27, 1960, the deceased retired without any complaints of illness, however, she had complained from time to time during the past week of anterior chest pain.

When the deceased's husband came to bed at 12:15 a.m., February 28, 1960, he found the deceased in an unresponsive condition. The police were notified, Officers Mikelson and R. W. Loye of squad 152 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the woman's death.

AGNES MOSBERG - continued

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Deceased found lying in bed on back; early livor noted on back. Body was cold and there was no rigor. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Deceased had previously been under the care of Doctor Olga Hansen, however, Doctor Hansen has not seen the deceased professionally for the past two years.

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FULL NAME OLIVER NELSON LOOP Date of Death February 28

Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. E. A. Hanske
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	3304 Nicollet Avenue		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 22, 1897 Age 62		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Truck Driver		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Frances Loop		
Names of Parents	Miles Loop Letty Cook		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Cerebral infarct due to occlusion left middle cerebral artery, due to cerebral arteriosclerosis. Hypertensive cardiovascular disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Pine Island Cemetery, Pine Island, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Maldonado Funeral Director	Billman's House of Flowers	Address	

Social Security No. 468-05-4614

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Deaconess Hospital at 7:35 a.m., February 28, 1960.

According to Deaconess Hospital records, the decedent apparently fell from the cab of his truck, a Pratt's Express Company truck, a distance of three to four feet. He was apparently rational following the fall but was "dizzy". The accident occurred about noontime on February 25, 1960. On the following day, February 26th, the deceased was admitted to Deaconess Hospital at 2:40 p.m.

On admission, there was no evidence of abdominal or head trauma, however, he had been having tarry and grossly bloody stools on date of admission. He was a known hypertensive but without an ulcer history. On February 26th, his speech was noted to be slurred and he became incoherent. On February 27, Doctor Sidney Shapiro noted increased lethargy and

OLIVER NELSON LOOP - continued

aphasia. After 7 units of whole blood, the deceased's blood was checked at 8:00 a.m., February 27 and the hemoglobin was 8.7 gm.%; blood pressure remained elevated around 240/120. On February 28th at 1:00 a.m., the hemoglobin was 10.2 gm.% and deceased was noted to be more disoriented and was thrashing about wildly in bed. Respirations became increasingly labored and deceased became cyanotic. Deceased expired at 6:40 a.m., February 28.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This revealed cerebral infarct, left; marked cerebral arteriosclerosis with almost complete occlusion of left middle cerebral artery; duodenal ulcers with massive gastro-intestinal bleeding; pneumonia of both lower lobes; pulmonary edema; and hypertensive cardiovascular disease.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Frances; 3 sons, Kenneth, John and Jerry; daughters, Mrs. Margaret Broadway, Mrs. Carol Nelson; and 18 grandchildren; 4 sisters and one brother.

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FULL NAME DONALD ANTILLA **Date of Death** February 28

	Place of Death	University Hospitals	Autopsy	Dr. Rex Conn
	Place of Injury	Near Sandstone, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Moose Lake, Minn.		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	May 16, 1930 Age 29		
	Birthplace	Ely, Minn.		
	Occupation			
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Walter and Anna Antilla		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ x			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident-Auto	Uremia due to renal insufficiency, due to traumatic shock and exposure. Acute alcoholism.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ xx			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~ x	Fractured ribs, 9th, 10th and 11th, left posterior. Broncho-pneumonia and frostbite.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~ x			
	Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Cemetery, Moose Lake, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Maldonado	Funeral Director	Billman's House of Flowers	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by University Hospitals at 12:40 p.m., February 28, 1960.

At approximately 3:00 a.m., February 9, 1960, the deceased was injured when he apparently lost control of his automobile which overturned. He was discovered about five hours later, lying outside in the cold. The accident occurred on County road No. 5 (also known as the Brown road), approximately 3 miles west of Barnum, Carlton County.

Deceased was removed to the Sandstone Hospital where a scalp laceration was sutured and was then transferred to University Hospitals, being admitted in shock on February 9th with frostbite of hands and feet. Examination revealed no fractures.

On February 28, the deceased suddenly became hypotensive and expired, death occurring at 8:50 a.m.

DONALD ANTILLA

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. Death was attributed to uremia due to renal insufficiency due to traumatic shock and exposure. Other findings were fractures of ribs, 9th, 10th and 11th, left posterior; bronchopneumonia and frostbite.

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FULL NAME PETER MOE Date of Death February 28

	Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. E. A. Hanske
	Place of Injury	40 Washington Avenue South	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	May 19, 1887 Age 72		
	Birthplace	Norway		
	Occupation	Section laborer - M. & St. L. RR.		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Unknown		
	Names of Parents	John Moe Bertha Sandbacy		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
	Accident	Bilateral hemorrhagic adrenals, etiology unknown. Intracapsular fracture left femur.		
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Mound Cemetery, Brooklyn Center, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Maldonado	Funeral Director	Henry W. Anderson Mortuary	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 6:45 p.m., February 28, 1960.

On February 5, 1960, the deceased was admitted to Minneapolis General Hospital with an intracapsular fracture of the left femur sustained in his room at 40 South Washington.

Reduction and internal fixation of the fractured left femur were done on February 8.

On February 26, deceased was discharged to nursing home at 2122 Portland for convalescent care. Apparently he was doing well until the late afternoon of February 28. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the nursing home. Ambulance physician could not obtain a pulse and deceased was removed to General Hospital. Shortly after arrival he went into shock. He vomited bloody coffee ground vomitus and expired at 6:45 p.m., February 28.

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An autopsy was performed at the hospital on February 29. This revealed bilateral adrenal hemorrhage, etiology unknown; dilitation of colon, small bowel and stomach; aspiration of gastric contents; and intracapsular fracture of left femur.

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FULL NAME WILLIAM PRESTON AULT Date of Death February 28

	Place of Death	806 East Minnehaha Parkway	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	4216-18th Avenue South		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	July 29, 1890 Age 69		
	Birthplace	Eckmansville, Ohio		
	Occupation	Minister - Baptist General Conference		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	E. Mercedes Ault		
	Names of Parents	Willian and ? Ault		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Maldonado	Funeral Director	Albin Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No. 296 10 1493

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor William T. Anderson at 9:20 p.m., February 28, 1960.

The deceased, a member of Edgewater Lutheran Church at 55th and Chicago Avenue, went to 806 E. Minnehaha Parkway with a group of friends for coffee after church services. He complained of chest pain and stated he had suffered with substernal pressure all day.

His condition became severe and the decedent suddenly collapsed, becoming unresponsive. Doctor W. T. Anderson was summoned to the residence, however, the decedent expired before his arrival, death apparently occurring about 9:05 p.m., February 28.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

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Police officers Mattson and Robens of squad 496 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, E. Mercedes; 3 sisters, Mrs. Laura Boyd, Santa Ana, Calif., Mrs. Bert Ames, Eckmonsville, Ohio, Mrs. Susan Koch, St. Joseph, Ill.; 3 brothers, Albert, Zenia, Ohio, Clarence F. of Canton, Ohio, Daniel, Cincinnati, Ohio.

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FULL NAME BERTHA ANNA ANDERSON

Date of Death February 28

	Place of Death	Deaconess Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. E. A. Hanske
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	4408 Brookside Avenue, Edina, Minn.		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	Sept. 3, 1899 Age 60		
	Birthplace	Lake City, Minn.		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	David R. Anderson		
	Names of Parents	Frank A. Anderson Helen Molin		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Intracerebral hemorrhage, right cerebellar. Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Hypertensive cardiovascular disease.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Maldonado	Funeral Director	Albin Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Deaconess Hospital at 10:00 p.m., February 28, 1960.

On the evening of February 28, 1960, the deceased drove to church alone in her car. Later the same evening, she was found slumped against side of her garage by Elsie Dahlstrom, 4333 Mackey Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Lundberg of County Road 18. They summoned Doctor A. B. Johnson who called an ambulance and had the decedent taken to Deaconess Hospital, however, the decedent expired before being admitted to the hospital, death apparently occurring about 8:30 p.m.

Doctor Johnson had previously treated the decedent for hypertension and cardiac failure, however, he had not attended her during the past two years.

BERTHA ANNA ANDERSON - continued

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on February 29 at the request of the deceased's husband. This revealed that death was due to an intracerebral hemorrhage (right cerebellar); arteriosclerotic heart disease; and hypertensive cardiovascular disease.

Officer Blood of the Edina Police Department was notified and investigated this case.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, David R.; daughter, Mrs. Paul Swanson, St. Paul, Nebr.; two sons, A. Dean of Minneapolis and Bryan Richard, U. S. Navy.

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	FULL NAME	LORENZ W. HANSON	Date of Death	February 29
	Place of Death	In automobile in front of - 4303 Fourth Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	760 Mt. Curve Blvd., St. Paul, Minn.		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	June 24, 1898 Age 61		
	Birthplace	Houstin, Minn.		
	Occupation	Steam fitter		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		Clothing listed on morgue sheet.
	Name of Husband or Wife	Helen M. Halvorson Hanson		
	Names of Parents	Olous Hanson Wilhelmina Jensen		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Rushford Lutheran Cemetery, Rushford, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Maldonado	Funeral Director	Gleason Mortuary	Address	

Social Security No. 473 01 7871

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 11:20 a.m., February 29, 1960.

On the morning of February 29, 1960, the deceased was taking a driver's license examination when he complained of feeling hot and parked the car at 3rd Avenue South between 42nd and 43rd Street. According to Mr. Harold Peterson, the examiner who was in car with deceased, the decedent started shaking and his respirations became labored. About five minutes later, deceased stated he felt better and wanted to continue the driving test.

As they approached the southwest corner of 2nd Avenue and 42nd Street, the deceased fell backwards in the driver's seat and respirations became labored. The car veered off the road and into a vacant lot before Mr. Peterson could gain control of the vehicle. At 10:55a.m., the deceased ceased breathing.

LORENZ W. HANSON - continued

Mr. Robert Volk, 1336 Melrose, St. Louis Park, a student driving examiner, was in back seat of car during this episode.

Wife of deceased states the decedent had myocardial infarction in 1947 and was treated at that time by Doctor J. Ryan of St. Paul. He has used nitroglycerine tablets since that time, however, wife said deceased has not complained of chest pain for over a year.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers Nichols and Newham of squad 151 were notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME MARTIN EVANSON

Date of Death Fd. February 29

Place of Death	121 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	2 billfolds; 1 knife.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male . 189		
Birthdate	May 28, 1893 Age 66		
Birthplace	Fisher, Minn.		
Occupation	Cook - restaurant		Clothing destroyed for sanitary reasons.
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Ole Evanson Mary Seely		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Rosedale Cemetery, Ramsey County, Minn.	Effects Released to	Mrs. Luther L. Millard, niece
Maldonado Funeral Director	Albin Funeral Chapel	Address	6575 Fridley St. N. E.

Social Security No. 472 34 8104

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 5:40 p.m., February 29, 1960.

At approximately 5:00 p.m., February 29, 1960, Jack DeLorme, same address as the deceased, and Hjalmer Sutherlund, St. James Hotel, friends of the decedent, came to the decedent's room to visit him and were unable to get any response. Peter Johnson, the clerk, opened the door for them and found the decedent dead in bed.

John Harper, also a tenant at this address, thought he had seen deceased alive at 2:00 a.m., February 29th, at which time he was in hallway outside his room. Peter Johnson, the clerk, stated he had seen the deceased alive on the afternoon of February 28th at which time he appeared to be well.

MARTIN EVANSON - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body of deceased. Blue livor was noted about face and neck; scleras were injected. Deceased was lying across bed on back with feet on floor, fully clothed. Rigor was absent and abdomen distended. A red fluid was noted exuding from mouth and nose. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease and chronic alcoholism.

Police officers Pedersen and Peterson were notified and attended the scene of death.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME ANNA E. HUEBSCH

Date of Death February 29

Place of Death	401 West 34th Street	Autopsy	
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$2.73; 1 ring (3 clear stones); 1 wedding band; 1 Hamilton wrist watch; 1 folder; 1 coin purse; 1 glasses; 1 broach; 1 necklace; 1 arm band; 1 key; 1 Chargeaplate; 1 handbag.
Residence	4528 Grand Avenue South		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Nov. 27, 1880 Age 79		
Birthplace	St. Louis, Missouri		
Occupation	Housewife		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Charles C. Huebsch		
Names of Parents	G. O. and Anna Beste		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Huebsch Memorial Cemetery, Buffalo City, Wis.	Effects Released to	C. A. Huebsch, son
Maldonado Funeral Director	Thomson Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	324 Bushaway, Wayzata,

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 6:40 p.m., February 29, 1960.

At approximately 6:20 p.m., the deceased collapsed outside the above address which is a grocery store. The owner of the store, Mr. J. C. Stanek, his wife, and an unknown motorist carried the decedent inside the store. The police were notified, Officers Olson and Carlson of squad 151 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Severin, the ambulance physician, pronounced the woman dead.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on back, fully clothed. There was no rigor or livor present. In the deceased's personal effects was a prescription issued by Doctor J. C. Miller for

ANNA HUEBSCH - continued

digitoxin. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include a son, Charles A.; two grandchildren; sister, Miss Emma Beste; and a brother, August Beste.

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FULL NAME ALMA PETRONELLA HANSON Date of Death March 1

	Place of Death	Nicollet Convalescent Home, 4429 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	4048-32nd Avenue South		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	July 27, 1890 Age 70		
	Birthplace	North Dakota		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Gust Hanson		
	Names of Parents	Olaf I. and ? Tryhus		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Cerebro-vascular accident due to cerebral arteriosclerosis. Arteriosclerotic cardio-vascular disease. Diabetes mellitus.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Danbury Cemetery, Danbury, Wis.	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Carlson Funeral Home, St. Paul, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 8:05 a.m., March 1, 1960.

According to the Nicollet Rest Home, the deceased was partially paralyzed. On the evening of February 29th, the deceased had difficulty swallowing and became unconscious. She remained comatose and expired at 7:15 a.m., March 1, 1960. Doctor Mitchell of General Hospital confirmed the woman's death.

On September 1st, 1959, the deceased was seen at Minneapolis General Hospital. There was a diagnosis at this time of chronic brain syndrom; old cardiovascular accident; and. arteriosclerotic cardiovascular disease with fibrillation. She was seen as late as February 9, 1960 at General Hospital in the urology department at which time no definite conclusion was reached.

ALMA HANSON - continued

Death was attributed to cerebrovascular accident due to cerebral arteriosclerosis, arteriosclerotic cardiovascular disease, and diabetes mellitus.

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FULL NAME MARGARET TAYLOR

Date of Death March 1

Place of Death	4517 Grand Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	(Former address: Same (5330 France Ave. S., Edina)		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Feb. 14, 1886 Age 74		
Birthplace	Washington		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	L. O. Taylor		
Names of Parents	Edmund Canby Frances Bornside		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Parkinson's disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~ x	Decubitis ulcer.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects Released to	
Kaplan Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 2301 Dupont Ave. S.	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Welander Quist Chapel at 4:55 p.m., March 1, 1960.

The deceased, a Christian Scientist, has been under the care of a Practitioner for the past five years, apparently for the treatment of Parkinson's disease. There is no history of any medical attention.

She expired at home in her bed at 4:30 p.m., March 1, 1960.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to Parkinson's disease; a decubitis ulcer being a contributing factor.

MARGARET TAYLOR - continued

Survivors of the decedent include two daughters, Mrs. G. B. Herman, Jr., Mrs. K. F. Kaliher, both of Minneapolis; a son, L. O. Taylor, Jr., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio; 13 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

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FULL NAME LE ROY ALVIN LUNDAY Date of Death Fd. March 1

Place of Death	In automobile at - Hwy. #5 and County Road #4	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury	Eden Prairie Township,	Effects Taken in charge	$41.00; 1 billfold; 1 check book - Richfield State Bank; 1 folder misc. papers; 1 Toppler model 48 - 410 shotgun.
Residence	220 E. 60th Street		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	June 27, 1926 Age 33		
Birthplace	North Dakota		
Occupation	Service Repair - Construc. Equip.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Loretta		
Names of Parents	Otto Lundy and Beatrice Hicks		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
Suicide	Gunshot wound of head.		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Morris Nilsen Chapel, M. A. Nilsen, Funeral Director
Kaplan Funeral Director	Morris Nilsen Chapel	Address	6527 Portland Ave. S.

Social Security No. 469 30 5717

Veteran Korean

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Sheriff's Office at 5:45 p.m., March 1, 1960.

At approximately 5:00 p.m., March 1, 1960, the deceased was found sitting in left front seat of his car, a 1957 Ford bearing license No. 3K 2144, apparently expired, by Louis Strom, Route #4, Excelsior. The motor and radio were running. A gun, a Toppler Model 48, 410 Ga. shotgun, lay against front of deceased with butt of gun on floor to right of body; a wound was noted in right side of head.

The police were notified, Deputy sheriffs Walsh and Kemper and Sgt. Williams of Hennepin County responding.

A relative of the deceased stated there was history of a nervous breakdown during the

LEROY ALVIN LUNDAY - continued

past two months. Deceased was supposed to have gone to see a doc tor today.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. A wound was noted in right temple with powder burns surrounding same. Body was warm and there was no rigor present. There were also powder burns on left thumb and left forefinger. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to gunshot wound of head and was ruled a suicide.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Loretta; son, Kevin; daughter, Donna Jean; and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lunday of Buffalo, Minn.

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FULL NAME EDWARD SCHLIEN

Date of Death March 1

Place of Death	1516 Harmon Place	**Autopsy**	No
Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	$49.77; 1 card case; 2 spectacles; 14 keys; 1 nail clipper; 3 rings on chain; 1 lighter; 3 ball pens; 1 knife; 4 coins; misc. papers.
Residence	9055 S. Pillsbury Avenue		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 10, 1904 **Age** 55		
Birthplace	Kansas City, Mo.		
Occupation	Self employed broker-Bldg. Construc.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Josephine L. Schlien		
Names of Parents	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	United Hebrew Brothers Cemetery	**Effects Released to**	Josephine L. Schlien, widow
Kaplan **Funeral Director**	Aaron Zeesman Funeral Chapel	**Address**	9055 Pillsbury Avenue

other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 10:05 p.m., March 1, 1960.

According to Edward Goldberg, assistant manager of the Jewish Veterans Club at above address, the deceased was seated at a table playing cards when he suddenly collapsed. The police were notified, Officers Kolars and Mattice responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and the rescue squad were summoned to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician, Doctor Ellingham, pronounced the deceased dead, death apparently occurring about 9:45 p.m., March 1.

It was stated, the deceased was recently a patient in Mt. Sinai Hospital under the care of Doctor Moses Barron.

EDWARD SCHLIEN - CONTINUED

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Josephine; daughter, Mindy-Jo; son, Allen; brother, Michael, Minneapolis, and sister, Frieda Klien, Kansas City, Mo.

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FULL NAME ROSE JACOBSON

Date of Death March 2

	Place of Death	Star of Bethlehem Home, 4500 Minnetonka Blvd., St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	1725 Randolph Ave., St. Paul,		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	August 16, 1896 Age 63		
	Birthplace	Little Falls, Minn.		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Carl B. Jacobson		
	Names of Parents	John Smith Kathryn Chmarowski		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Oaklawn Cemetery, Little Falls, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Listoe & Wold, St. Paul, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Mrs. Chamberlain of the Star of Bethlehem Home at 3:38 p.m., March 2, 1960.

The deceased has been in failing health for some time and has been a bed patient at home since September 1959.

Her condition has continued to deteriorate and she was admitted to the above rest home on January 7th. She expired at 3:00 p.m., March 2nd.

There is no history of any medical attention.

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A deputy coroner viewed the body and attributed death to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent are unknown to the Coroner's Office.

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FULL NAME CHARLOTTE MAY MURPHY — **Date of Death** March 4

Place of Death	5123 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	February 2, 1890 **Age** 70		
Birthplace	Ida Grove, Iowa		
Occupation	Saleslady - Powers Dept. Store		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife	John W. Murphy		
Names of Parents	James and ? Fagan		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Bloemendaal Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	

Social Security No. 468-10-3138

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Welander Quist Company at 3:00 a.m., March 4, 1960.

On the day preceding her death, the deceased complained of being very tired and of difficulty in breathing. She has history of a similar condition about 12 years ago with shortness of breath, at which time she was hospitalized by Doctor Daniel MacDonald. She has not been seen by Doctor MacDonald during the past five years and was not taking any medications at this time.

Deceased retired at 7:00 p.m. on the evening of March 3rd, however, she awakened at 1:30 a.m. with shortness of breath and chest pain. She expired shortly thereafter, death occurring at 2:55 a.m.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased

CHARLOTTE MAY MURPHY - continued

found lying in bed, dressed in nightclothes. Body was warm and there was no rigor evident. Death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease and remains were released directly to a mortuary.

Survivors of the decedent include a son, Harold J.; grandson, James R. Murphy; niece, Mrs. William Logan, all of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME ELEANOR NEYERS

Date of Death Fd. March 4

Place of Death	2439-14th Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$2.51; 1 handbag; 1 coin purse; 2 ball pens; 5 keys.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	July 22, 1915 Age 44		
Birthplace	Menomonie, Wis.		
Occupation	Waitress - restaurants		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Name of Husband or Wife	George Neyers		
Names of Parents	Louis Anderson Inga Paulson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Exposure to cold. Alcoholism.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial		Effects Released to	L. M. Anderson, brother
Popowich Funeral Director	Department of Anatomy, University of Minnesota	Address	254 Hennepin Avenue

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 7:05 p.m., March 4, 1960.

Murray Fredrickson, proprietor of the Commodore Tavern, 2500 Bloomington Avenue South, discovered the decedent dead in her apartment at above address at 6:45 p.m., March 4, 1960. The police were notified, Officers Marx and Roach of Squad 164 and Lt. Copeland responding. It was stated, the deceased had last been seen at the Commodore Tavern on February 28.

The house in which the decedent had been living was condemned and there was neither heat or light in it. Evidence of considerable drinking was noted. Mother of decedent is a patient in the Third Avenue Rest Home.

ELEANOR NEYERS - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased was found lying on her back on a sofa bed with feet on floor and arms folded across chest; she was wearing a light textured blouse, skirt, anklets, boots, but no shoes or panties. Apparently face had been partially eaten away by rats and there was a similar finding over the right lower leg measuring 3 cm. Some clotted blood with small amounts of unclotted blood noted over the posterior scalp, but there was no apparent laceration. Abdomen was protuberant and the entire body was frozen solid. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to exposure to cold; alcoholism being a contributing factor.

Since there were no funds for burial, it was necessary to release her body to the Anatomical Department of the University of Minnesota.

Only survivors known to the Coroner's Office are her mother, Inga Anderson, previously mentioned, and a brother, Luzern Anderson, Stone Hotel, Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME HELEN K. WELCH

Date of Death Fd. March 4

	Place of Death	15 West 22nd Street	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shepard
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$16.40; 1 check book; 7 keys; 1 pen; 1 Bulova wrist watch; 1 hand bag; 1 ring - clear stone; 1 wedding ring.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	May 24, 1902 Age 57		
	Birthplace	Willmar, Minn.		
	Occupation	Power Machine Operator - Display Adv. Co.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Leo George Welch		
	Names of Parents	Christian Solberg Marie Holt		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Poisoning by overdose of		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	unidentifiable drug.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Undetermined			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Guy E. Welch, brother-in-law
Popowich	Funeral Director	Albin Funeral Chapel	Address	4548 Pleasant Ave. S.

Social Security No. 473 28 2118

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 9:55 p.m., March 4, 1960.

At approixmately 9:30 p.m., March 4, 1960, the deceased was found dead in her bed by the caretaker, Howard Shank, Mrs. Violet Welsh, 4528 Pleasant Avenue South, and Theodore Arlander, 4524 Pleasant Avenue South, when they entered to investigate after being notified by a friend that she was unable to contact the decedent.

Deceased had been under the care of Doctor J. J. Boehrer, who last checked the decedent about three months ago. Her blood pressure was about 160 systolic at that time. There is a 20 year history of hypertension and one year ago a nephrectomy was performed for pyelonephritis. She suffered some temporary congestive failure post operatively and later her blood pressure fell considerably. She was on mild sedation and diuretics. Doctor Boehrer felt she was somewhat depressed. Her husband died recently and the estate

HELEN K. WELCH - continued

has not been settled.

A deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on back in bed, clothed in a nighgown with full rigor mortis and livor mortis which did not blanch. There was white frothy foam about the mouth. Three small medicine containers were found in the dining room and were empty.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on morning of March 5. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic examination and toxicology before determining the cause of this woman's death.

Police officers Shanahan and Farrell were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include an aunt, Mrs. Anna Hagen, Minneapolis, and several cousins.

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FULL NAME WILLIAM JOSEPH CONNOR **Date of Death** March 5

	Place of Death	249½ Second Avenue	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shepard
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$19.20; 1 billfold.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Nov. 6, 1891 **Age** 68		
	Birthplace	Hinckley, Minn.		
	Occupation	Unknown		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Unknown		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Michael T. and Nellie Connor		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Hypertensive cardiovascular disease. Cardiomegaly. Cystic area right frontal region of brain, (Old cerebrovascular accident).		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Thorne Helgesen,
Popowich	Funeral Director	Albinson Peterson Chapel 1701 Chicago Avenue	Address	1701 Chicago Avenue

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No. 472 14 2619

Veteran Yes

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 3:15 a.m., March 5, 1960.

The deceased and his brother, Mike, went out for a glass of beer about 12:30 a.m. and then returned to their room. After undressing, the deceased suddenly collapsed to the floor, apparently becoming unresponsive; he had made no complaints of feeling ill. His brother, who is feeble-minded, let the decedent lay there for some time before summoning the police; Officers O'Brien and Creighton responded.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Roberts, the ambulance physician, confirmed the man's death at 3:33 a.m., March 5.

Deceased has history of a cardiac condition and has been under the care of Doctor

WILLIAM JOSEPH CONNOR - continued

Karl Andresen over a long period of time.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on his back at right side of bed, clothed in long length underwear. The head and neck were intensely cyanotic. Rigor mortis was not present.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on March 8. This revealed arteriosclerotic heart disease; hypertensive cardiovascular disease; cardiomegaly; and cystic area, right frontal region of brain (Old cerebrovascular accident).

Survivors of the decedent include a brother, Michael T. Connor, Minneapolis, and a cousin, Mike Hurley, Excelsior, Minn.

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FULL NAME GUSTAF D. OSTERBERG **Date of Death** March 5

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
Place of Injury	Broadway and Washington Avenue N.	Effects Taken in charge	$842.05; 2 checks $114.35 and 108.30; 1 billfold; 1 coin purse.
Residence	6633 N. E. Eagle Lake Drive, Eagle Grove, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	October 6, 1908 **Age** 51		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Electrician		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife	Bernice Osterberg		
Names of Parents	Knute J. Osterberg Julia C. Lindstrom		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident-Auto	Rupture of dissecting aneurysm, ascending aorta, due to trauma.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	Richard D. Osterberg, son
Kaplan Funeral Director	Sundseth Anderson Funeral Home	Address	5411 Utah Avenue North

Social Security No. 477 10 0301

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 12:50 p.m., March 5, 1960.

While driving his car, a 1950 Chrysler, bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 5G 7458, west on Broadway about 2:00 a.m., February 29, 1960, the deceased apparently suffered a fainting spell at the intersection of Washington Avenue North and lost control of his car. The vehicle struck the Pliam Linoleum Company building which is located on the corner of this intersection. Deceased regained consciousness while being removed from the automobile. He was alone in his car at the time the accident occurred.

The injured man was removed to Minneapolis General Hospital via ambulance, being admitted in shock with evidence of superior vena cava obstruction. Chest films and intravenous aortagram revealed an aneurysm of ascending aorta which was ruptured by the accident. Deceased expired while in surgery at 11:50 a.m., March 5.

GUSTAF D. OSTERBERG - continued

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on the date of death. Death was attributed to rupture of dissecting aneurysm of ascending aorta due to trauma.

Police officers Seawell and R. Smith were notified and attended the scene of accident.

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FULL NAME JOHN H. MOHR Date of Death Fd. March 5

	Place of Death	5541 Zenith Avenue S., Edina,	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Jan. 7, 1902 Age 58		
	Birthplace	Davenport, Iowa		
	Occupation	Service Manager-National Cash Register		Clothing left on body.
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	May Mohr		
	Names of Parents	Henry J. and Ella Mohr		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
	~~Accident~~			
	Suicide	Asphyxia due to hanging.		
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Davenport, Iowa	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 2301 Dupont Avenue S.	Address	

Social Security No. 288-07-0034

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 12:50 p.m., March 5, 1960.

On morning of March 5, 1960, the deceased's wife, Mrs. May Mohr, found the decedent missing and upon investigation discovered him hanging from the crossbar of garage. He was cut down by Harold W. Freese, 3217 West 56th Street. It was stated, when body was first found, the deceased was hanging with toes touching bottom of rung of step ladder. Garage was also noted to be filled with gas fumes.

The police were notified, Officer Grames and Sgt. Christy of the Edina Police Department and Deputy Baisner of the Sheriff's Office responding. Doctor C. V. Rockwell was summoned to the scene. Upon his arrival, Doctor Rockwell pronounced the deceased dead. Deceased was first discovered at 11:55 a.m.

JOHN H. MOHR - continued

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on floor on back with rope mark around neck. Body was warm and there was no rigor.

It was stated, the deceased has been under the care of Doctor O. W. Foster for a nervous condition.

Death was attributed to asphyxia due to hanging and was ruled a suicide.

CORONER'S RECORD

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME GROVER C. SUKEY

Date of Death Fd. March 5

	Place of Death	2422 Girard Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	July 4, 1983 Age 66		
	Birthplace	Ann Arbor, Michigan		
	Occupation	Book salesman and sculpture		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Paul George and Augusta Sukey		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Davies Mortuary Company	Address	

Social Security No. 472 30 5141

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 6:50 a.m., March 5, 1960.

On the afternoon of March 5, 1960, the deceased had gone to his bedroom to take his usual afternoon nap. At 6:45 p.m., his nephew called to the deceased to awaken him for his evening meal but received no response. Upon investigation, he found the decedent was unresponsive. The police were notified, Officers Plough and Brooks of squad 133 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the man's death.

It was stated, the deceased has been retired for the past twenty years due to

GROVER C. SUKEY - continued

paralysis of the right arm.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME FELIX CHAPNISKY Date of Death March 6

Place of Death	In taxicab in front of - 126 Washington Avenue N.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$74.64; 2 checks $50.00 & 43.90; 1 purse; 1 key; 1 spectacles.
Residence	921 Oliver Avenue N.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 15, 1903 Age 57		
Birthplace	Poland		
Occupation	Inspector - Kosher Meat Products		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Minnie Chapnisky		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Names of Parents	Hyman and ? Chapnisky		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	United Hebrew Brotherhood Cemetery Richfield, Minn.	Effects Released to	Mrs. Chapnisky, wife
Kaplan Funeral Director	Aaron-Zeesman Funeral Chapel	Address	921 Oliver Avenue N.

Social Security No. 473 32 4874

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 4:00 p.m., March 6, 1960.

Police officers Keller and Mattson of squad 117 were stopped by Charles M. Carlson, of 4239 Cedar, driver of Yellow Cab No. 68, who told the officers he had picked the decedent up at 5th and Hennepin. The cab proceeded down Hennepin to Washington at which time deceased informed the cab driver to turn north on Washington.

At 2nd and Washington Avenue North, the deceased suddenly slumped forward and driver was unable to rouse him. A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Doctor Mitchell, the ambulance driver, pronounced the man dead on his arrival at 3:52 a.m., March 6.

FELIX CHAPINSKY - continued

In the past the decedent had been under the care of Doctor T. I. Goldman, however, Doctor Goldman had not attended him during the past year.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME CLAY WILLIAM ROGERS — **Date of Death** Fd. March 7

	Place of Death	4319 Lyndale Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Jan. 31, 1960 Age One month		None except listed On Morgue Record
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	None		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Arlie W. Rogers Sandra Wedeking		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Pulmonary edema and congestion.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Glen Haven Memorial Gardens, Crystal Village, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	McDivitt Hauge Chapel	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 9:00 a.m., March 7, 1960.

Mother of deceased, Sandra Rogers, states she put the baby to bed about 2:00 a.m., March 7, 1960, after his feeding. She also states the child had appeared to have the "sniffles" during the past few days.

The following morning at approximately 8:30 a.m., Mrs. Rogers' 10 year old sister came upstairs to tell her the baby was blue as it lay in its crib. Upon investigation, the child was found lying face downward in crib, apparently lifeless.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and Fire Department rescue squad were summoned to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician, Doctor Robertson, confirmed the baby's death.

CLAY WILLIAM ROGERS - continued

It was stated, the child had been delivered at St. Barnabas Hospital by Doctor John E. Smith. This physician has not seen the infant since that time.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This revealed that death was due to pulmonary edema and congestion.

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FULL NAME OTTO GEORGE KOENIG — Date of Death March 7

Place of Death	3542 Washburn Avenue North	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Jan. 2, 1894 Age 66		
Birthplace	Alma, Wis.		
Occupation	Vice President - Creamette Co.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Martha Koenig		
Names of Parents	George Koenig Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes — Funeral Director	Sundseth Anderson Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. 472 01 5824

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Mr. Walter Griffin, son-in-law of deceased, at approximately 9:30 a.m., March 7, 1960.

It was stated, the deceased had had the "flu" for the past few days and had vomited several times. He had no special complaints when he retired on the evening of March 6, 1960. When wife awakened the following morning, March 7th, at 8:00 a.m., she found the deceased dead in bed.

Deceased has been treated in the past by Doctor J. N. Giebenhain, however, he has not treated the deceased recently.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

OTTO GEORGE KOENIG - continued

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Martha; one daughter, Mrs. Carol Griffin; two grandchildren, Minneapolis; brother and sister in Wisconsin, and a sister in California.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME DAISIE G. SAMSON

Date of Death March 7

Place of Death	Star of Bethlehem Home, 4500 Minnetonka Blvd., St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	2829 Park Avenue		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	April 7, 1878 Age 81		
Birthplace	Nashua, Iowa		
Occupation	Beauty Consultant		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Fay W. Samson		
Names of Parents	F. S. Gibson Saphronia Clarke		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Congestive heart failure		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Elton Bjorklund Funeral Home	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No. 476 32 2077

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Star of Bethlehem Home at 7:45 p.m., March 7, 1960.

The decedent was admitted to the Star of Bethlehem Home from her home one week ago. At time of admission, her abdomen was markedly distended and edema of the legs was noted. She expired at 7:00 p.m., March 7.

There is no history of any medical attention.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the home and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to congestive heart failure.

DAISIE G. SAMSON - continued

Survivors of the decedent are unknown to the Coroner's Office.

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FULL NAME MINNIE A. LARSON

Date of Death March 7

	Place of Death	1706 Stevens Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	April 25, 1887 Age 72		
	Birthplace	Carlisle, Minn.		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Herman Larson		
	Names of Parents	Ole Sathre Toni Lider		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Aortic stenosis. Diabetes mellitus		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Guthrie	Funeral Director	Werness Bros. Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No. No

Veteran None

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Werness Brothers Chapel at 9:25 a.m., March 8, 1960.

The deceased became critically ill in her home and Doctor John W. Johnson, who had previously attended the decedent, was summoned to the home, however, the woman expired before his arrival, death apparently occurring about 1:30 a.m., March 7.

Doctor Johnson states the decedent had definite aortic stenosis and was a diabetic; diabetes was well controlled under treatment. Brother of deceased had been to see Doctor Johnson in regard to deceased on day preceding her death.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Death was attributed to aortic stenosis;

MINNIE A. LARSON - continued

diabetes mellitus being a contributing factor.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, Herman; one daughter, Mrs. Henry Berg, Minneapolis; two sons, Lloyd O., Great Falls, Montana, and Bernard I., Hopkins; also 13 grandchildren.

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FULL NAME NEWMAN M. PHILLIPS Date of Death March 7

Place of Death	1520 Hawthorne Avenue	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Jan. 16, 1892 Age 68		
Birthplace	Minnetonka Township, Minn.		
Occupation	Mechanic, Northern States Power		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife	Phyllis Phillips		
Names of Parents	Albert Phillips Augusta Lundgren		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Groveland Cemetery, Hopkins, Minnesota	Effects Released to	
Hoppes — Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 9:30 p.m., March 7, 1960.

It was stated, the deceased had had dinner with his son, Wesley, and his brother, Robert, at Robert's home at 10600 Minnetonka Blvd. in Belle Grove, on Saturday night, March 4. Later that evening, he developed nausea and vomiting.

Deceased remained ill over the week end and was still feeling poorly on morning of March 7th, at 11:00 a.m., at which time his son, Wesley, 2822 Third Avenue South, talked to him by telephone. Later the same day, son again attempted to contact his father and received no answer. The police were notified, Officers Brady and Mattice of squad 119 responding. Upon entry, which was forced, officers found the decedent dead in bed at 9:15 p.m.

NEWMAN M. PHILLIPS - continued

Deceased has history of hospitalization in Veterans Hospital for a heart attack about 1-1/2 years ago for a period of one month. He also had claudication with walking and complained of chest pain on exertion. He had been seen by Doctor F. McCandy about six months ago.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Deceased found lying in bed clothed in sweater and two union suits, covered by an electric blanket. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include three sons, Robert A., Hopkins, Wesley M., Minneapolis, and Thomas O., Los Angeles; daughter, Mrs. Harold Gullikson, Bloomington; and 8 grandchildren.

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FULL NAME MINNA A. OWENS — Date of Death March 8

Place of Death	Star of Bethlehem Nursing Home, St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	3408 Hickman Des Moines, Iowa		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Sept. 5, 1881 Age 78		
Birthplace	Illinois		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widowed		
Name of Husband or Wife	Allen B. Owens		
Names of Parents	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. General debility.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Highland Memory Gardens Des Moines, Iowa	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Willwerscheid Mortuary, St. Paul, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Mrs. Chamberlain of the Star of Bethlehem Home at 12:30 a.m., March 8, 1960.

The deceased, a Christian Scientist, is a residence of Des Moines, Iowa, and arrived in Minneapolis by air ambulance at 4:00 p.m., March 7, 1960. She was immediately admitted to the Star of Bethlehem Home.

On admission, she appeared quite ill and complained of pain in chest and around her heart; she also experienced difficulty in eating. Deceased failed to respond to good nursing care and expired in bed at 12:01 a.m., March 8.

MINNA A. OWENS - continued

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

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FULL NAME	BENJAMIN L. CARLSON		Date of Death	March 8
Place of Death	Stockholm Cafe, 33 S. Washington,		Autopsy	No
Place of Injury			Effects Taken in charge	$2.38; 1 knife.
Residence	1222 25th Avenue N.			
Sex	Male			
Birthdate	May 25, 1916 Age 43			
Birthplace	Minneapolis,			
Occupation	Laborer			
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced			
Name of Husband or Wife	Florence Carlson			
Names of Parents	Gustav Carlson Hattie Eck			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Congestive heart failure due to idiopathic myocardial degeneration. Thrombophlebitis greater saphenous veins, bilateral. Cardiomegaly.			
~~Accident~~ xx				
~~Suicide~~ xx				
~~Homicide~~ xx				
~~Undetermined~~ xx				
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery		Effects Released to	David Carlson, brother
Bloemendaal Funeral Director	Sundseth Anderson Funeral Home		Address	1222-25th Avenue N.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 6:50 a.m., March 8, 1960.

At approximately 6:10 a.m., March 8, 1960, the decedent entered the Stockholm Cafe and sat down. About 6:20 a.m., the decedent suddenly collapsed to the floor, becoming unresponsive. The police were notified, Officers Baufield and Fox responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, Doctor Roberts, the ambulance physician, confirmed the man's death.

It was stated, the deceased had been treated at Veterans Hospital, Minneapolis, for a heart condition.

BENJAMIN L. CARLSON - continued

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Deceased found lying on back near the rear of Cafe with several layers of clothing on his body. Remains were warm; some cyanosis of head and neck noted. There was no rigor. Freshly clotted blood noted on face which appeared to be coming from nose. Body was released to a mortuary and death was attributed to congestive heart failure due to idiopathic myocardial degeneration; thrombophlebitis of great saphenous veins, bilateral; and cardiomegaly.

A brother and sister of the decedent came to this office and requested that no autopsy be done.

Survivors of the decedent include a son, Larry; two daughters, Linda and Ruth; two sisters, Mrs. Dorothy DuBois, Long Beach, Calif., and Mrs. Margaret Swanson, Minneapolis; also three brothers, Arthur, David and Burton, Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME OTTO H. ROSS

Date of Death Fd. March 9

	Place of Death	3913 Garfield Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Sept. 19, 1899 **Age** 60		
	Birthplace	Turtle Lake, Wis.		
	Occupation	Punch Press Operator		Clothing destroyed for sanitary reasons.
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Dorothy Ross		
	Names of Parents	Louis and Wilhelmina Ross		
	CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Acute myocardial ischemia due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis. Generalized arteriosclerosis. Myocardial fibrosis. Pulmonary edema and congestion.		
	~~Accident~~ x			
	~~Suicide~~ x			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~ x			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Bloemendaal	Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	

Social Security No. 473 03 5020

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 6:15 a.m., March 9, 1960.

Deceased had been working daily as a punch press operator and was apparently in good health. On the evening of March 8, 1960, he was feeling fine and went bowling. Upon his return home, he retired at about 11:00 p.m. without any complaints of illness.

At 5:45 a.m., March 9th, his alarm clock rang but there was no response from the deceased. His wife went into the bedroom to investigate and discovered the deceased had expired. The police were notified, Officers Nichols and Johnson of squad 151 responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival,

OTTO H. ROSS - continued

the ambulance physician confirmed the man's death.

A deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying in bed, clad in pajamas. Mild rigor was present; body was still warm.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on March 9 at the request of deceased's wife. This revealed acute myocardial ischemia; marked coronary sclerosis; mild myocardial fibrosis; generalized arteriosclerosis; and pulmonary edema and congestion.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Dorothy; daughter, Marilynn; one brother; and 5 sisters.

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FULL NAME FLORENCE S. KOHN

Date of Death March 9

	Place of Death	6245 Stevens Avenue, Richfield,	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	May 15, 1892 Age 67		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
	Name of Husband or Wife	John M. Kohn		
	Names of Parents	John Sward Amanda Peterson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~ xx			
	~~Suicide~~ x			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~ x			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor A. J. Meyer at 11:15 a.m., March 9, 1960.

It was stated, the deceased has been under the care of Doctor A. J. Meyer for many years, however, he has not seen her professionally for several months. She has had diabetes but it had appeared to be cured.

In the early hours of March 9, 1960, the deceased complained of pain in chest and shortness of breath. Doctor Meyer was summoned and went to the residence, however, the deceased expired before his arrival, death apparently occurring about 4:00 a.m.

Deceased was found sitting on davenport in living room. Doctor Meyer felt that death was due to a coronary attack. Remains were released directly to a mortuary.

FLORENCE S. KOHN - continued

Survivors of the decedent include three daughters, Mrs. Albert Grage, Mrs. Dorothy Anderson, and Mrs. Bernice Kelly, all of Minneapolis; son, John, Houston, Texas, also 3 grandchildren.

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FULL NAME MICHAEL MOKITA

Date of Death Fd. March 9

	Place of Death	2013 Fifth St. N. E.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	April 30, 1882 Age 77		
	Birthplace	Czechoslovakia		
	Occupation	Car man - Chicago, Great Western Ry.		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Anatasia Mokita		
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~ x			
	~~Suicide~~ x			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~ x			
	Place of Burial	St. Mary's Russian Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	Peter Kozlak Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Kozlak Funeral Home at 5:10 p.m., March 9, 1960.

At approximately 5:00 p.m., March 9, 1960, the deceased's daughter, Mrs. Helen Delaney, came to visit him and found him dead in bed.

It was stated, the deceased has been under the care of Doctor C. P. Dargay for a heart condition over a long period of time, however, this physician has not seen the decedent professionally during the past year.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

MICHAEL MOKITA - continued

Survivors of the decedent include three daughters, Mrs. Mary Semanko, Mrs. Helen Delaney, Minneapolis, and Mrs. E. Kroll, Sturgis, S. Dakota; one son, Nicholas, Minneapolis; and six grandchildren.

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FULL NAME ROGER G. SCHROEDER **Date of Death** March 10

Place of Death	23rd Ave. & Washington St. N. E.	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	$0.30; 1 billfold.
Residence	1031-22nd Avenue N. E.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	June 13, 1943 Age 16 years		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Student - high school		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Glenn W. Schroeder Mary Ellen Simpson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident-Auto / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~ / ~~Undetermined~~	Massive hemothorax and subarachnoid hemorrhage due to rupture of thoracic aorta, and contusion of brain. Fracture left femur, left pubis and right sterno-clavicular articulation. Contusion of lungs.		
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	Robert B. Knaeble, Mortician
Kaplan Funeral Director	Knaeble Company	Address	Robbinsdale, Minn.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No. 470 48 0565

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 3:55 p.m., March 10, 1960.

At approximately 3:45 p.m., March 10, 1960, the deceased was fatally injured when the car in which he was a passenger, a 1956 Plymouth, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 5B 1426, owned by the Larson Brothers Chevrolet, 420 Central Avenue, crashed into a pole at the intersection of Washington Street Northeast and 23rd Avenue.

Walter Kycia, age 16, driver of the car involved, was traveling south on Washington Street Northeast when he lost control of the vehicle after car wheels apparently caught in old street car tracks and skidded into a power pole on the northwest corner of 23rd Avenue Northeast. Deceased, a passenger in the left rear seat of automobile, sustained serious injury and expired at the scene. His death was confirmed by the

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General Hospital ambulance physician upon his arrival.

Two passengers in the car, who incurred injuries, were Jerome Mickelson, 829 University Avenue Northeast, and Dennis Kaczmarczyk, 1803 Jackson Street Northeast. They were removed to Minneapolis General Hospital. Walter Kycia, driver of the car, had no visible injuries.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on right side of rear seat of the damaged car. Remains were removed to Hennepin County Morgue.

An autopsy was performed on March 11. This revealed rupture of aorta; massive hemothorax; subarachnoid hemorrhage; contusion of brain; fractures of left femur, left pubis and right sternoclavicular joint; contusions of lungs; and abrasions and laceration of skin.

Police officers Shoemaker and Robert Smith of traffic squad 515 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn W. Schroeder; two sisters, Mrs. Richard Ince, Mrs. Donald Lundeen; grandmother, Mrs. Pauline Schroeder.

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FULL NAME WALTER HENRY SELLERGREN **Date of Death** March 10

Place of Death	Entrance to Powers Store - 5th St. and Marquette Ave.	**Autopsy**	No
Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	$79.05; 1 Waltham watch & chain; 1 billfold; 1 folder; 1 glasses; 1 tie clasp; 2 ball pens; 1 cigarette holder; 5 keys; 1 Masonic penny.
Residence	1824 Elliot Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	April 14, 1890 **Age** 69		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Chief Draftsman - M.& St. L. Railway		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Name of Husband or Wife	Bertha A. Sellergen		
Names of Parents	Carl John Sellergren Bertha Erickson		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
Accident~~x~~			
Suicide~~x~~			
Homicide~~x~~			
Undetermined~~x~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	**Effects Released to**	Leonard C. Sellergren, brother
Kaplan **Funeral Director**	Welander Quist Company, 1825 Chicago Avenue,	**Address**	639 E. 17th Street

Social Security No. 701 10 6924

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 3:57 p.m., March 10, 1960.

An unidentified person observed the deceased when he collapsed on sidewalk in front of Marquette Entrance to Powers Department Store. The police were notified, Officers F. W. Johnson and T. S. Keller of squad 117 responding.

The rescue squad and a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance were dispatched to the scene. Artificial respiration was administered without response. Doctor McKee, the ambulance physician pronounced the deceased dead, death apparently occurring about 3:35 p.m., March 10.

It was stated, the deceased has history of a coronary condition for the past twelve years.

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Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on back in doorway, fully clothed. Body was warm and there was no rigor. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include one sister, Mrs. Della Kuepfer; one brother, Leonard C. Sellergren; both of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME JULIUS C. TRICK **Date of Death** Fd. March 10

Place of Death	211 West Lake Street, Excelsior, Minn.	**Autopsy**	No
Place of Injury	Same	**Effects Taken in charge**	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	August 19, 1914 **Age** 45		
Birthplace	Carver County, Minn.		
Occupation	Truck driver		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Henrietta Trick		
Names of Parents	Julius Trick Alvina Verch		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural			
Accident			
Suicide			
Homicide	Asphyxia due to hanging.		
Undetermined			
Place of Burial	Mau Memorial Cemetery, Young America, Minn.	**Effects Released to**	
Kaplan **Funeral Director**	Yetzer Funeral Home, Waconia, Minn.	**Address**	

None except listed On Morgue Record

Social Security No. 474-05-9756

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Sheriff's Office at 5:00 p.m., March 10, 1960.

At approximately 4:30 p.m., March 10, 1960, the deceased was found hanging from a water pipe in his home by his sister, Henriette Trick, when she returned from her place of employment. The Excelsior Police department was notified, Officers H. C. Gillespie and Wold responding.

Deceased was cut down and Doctor J. A. Dupont was summoned to the residence. Upon arrival, the physician pronounced the decedent dead.

It was stated, the deceased has a history of alcoholism; he was divorced from his wife and was despondent because she would not allow him to see the children.

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A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on floor on back, fully clothed. Body was warm and there was no rigor. The decedent had used a fish stringer to wrap around his neck and attach to the water pipe.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to asphyxia due to hanging. The death was ruled a suicide.

It was stated, the deceased had recently been treated by Doctor Dupont for a leg infection.

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FULL NAME MARGARET HAUCK

Date of Death March 11

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
Place of Injury	3735 Fremont Avenue North	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	May 25, 1892 Age 67		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Power Operator - H. D. Lee Co.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife	Clarence Hauck		
Names of Parents	Maurice Luby Bridget F. Fryer		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Infarct left cerebral hemisphere, cause unknown. Fracture, intertrochanteric, left femur.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Malone Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. 469 01 0398

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Offfice by Minneapolis General Hospital at 11:10 a.m., March 11, 1960.

On February 19, 1960, the deceased fell down the stairs in her home in some manner, sustaining a fracture of the left femur and pelvis. She was removed to Minneapolis General Hospital, being admitted on date of injury.

An internal fixation of the fractured left femur was performed on February 22nd. Deceased underwent surgery a second time on March 11th for a perforated peptic ulcer.

The woman expired at 9:46 a.m., March 11th.

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An autopsy was performed at the hospital on the date of death. This revealed an infarct of the left cerebral hemisphere, cause unknown.

Survivors of the decedent include a daughter, Mrs. Clarice LaClare; son, Harold G.; six grandchildren; and one brother, Maurice Luby, Zimmerman, Minn.

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FULL NAME CHARLES S. GRAY **Date of Death** March 11

Place of Death	On sidewalk in front of - 4013 Salem Ave., St. Louis Park,	**Autopsy**	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	$4.40; 1 wrist watch - Timex; 1 glasses; 1 billfold; 1 coin purse; 1 knife; 3 keys.
Residence	630 Bryant Ave. N., Apt. 406		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	April 13, 1897 **Age** 62		
Birthplace	Chicago, Ill.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Warehousman - Powers Dept. Store		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Ada Gray		
Names of Parents	Frank and Anna Gray		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Myocardial infarction due to occlusion circumflex artery, acute, due to coronary arteriosclerosis. Aortic and mitral sclerotic valvular disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	**Effects Released to**	Mrs. Jerry Smith, niece
Hoppes **Funeral Director**	Flynn and Son Funeral Home	**Address**	3067 Boone Avenue, Minneapolis,

Social Security No. 338-01-1549

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor W. E. Jacobson of the St. Louis Park Medical Center at 3:38 p.m., March 11, 1960.

The decedent, an employee of the Powers Department Store, was delivering a package at the above address when he suddenly collapsed outside the house, becoming unresponsive. The police were notified, Officer Markuson of St. Louis Park Police Department responding.

A rescue squad and Doctor W. E. Jacobson were summoned to the scene, however, the deceased expired before their arrival. Doctor Jacobson confirmed the man's death which apparently occurred about 3:30 p.m., March 11.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body.

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Deceased found lying on sidewalk in front of home at above address, clothed in outdoor clothing. There was no indication of other than natural death.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on March 12. This revealed myocardial infarction; occlusion, acute, of circumflex artery; coronary arteriosclerosis; and sclerosis of aortic and mitral valves.

Only survivor known to the Coroner's Office is his wife, Ada.

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FULL NAME JENNIE HENQUIST Date of Death March 11

Place of Death	Mount Olivet Nursing Home, 5511 Lyndale Ave. S.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	5516 Nokomis Ave. S.		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	August 9, 1871 Age 88		
Birthplace	Princeton, Ill.		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	John A. Henquist		
Names of Parents	Andrew and ? Colberg		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Exsanguination secondary to peptic ulcer. Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~ XX			
~~Suicide~~ XX			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Winthrop, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Henry W. Anderson Mortuary	Address	

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Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Henry Anderson Funeral Home at 6:45 p.m., March 12, 1960.

Deceased has history of a fall in June 1959 at which time she sustained a hip fracture and was admitted to Swedish Hospital. During her hospitalization, she was found to have peptic ulcers that should probably have been removed surgically. Because she did not desire surgery and also because of the operative risk, no surgery was attempted.

Since her discharge from the hospital, the deceased has been under the care of Doctor C. G. Arvidson. She had been bleeding from the ulcers and during the past month had had considerable gastrointestinal bleeding; her general health had been slowly deteriorating. On February 29th, she was transferred from her home to the Mount Olivet Nursing Home.

Doctor Arvidson had been in ill health and had gone on a vacation several days ago.

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During his absence, Doctor M. Duryea had been covering his practice. On March 11th, deceased began vomiting and bleeding but expired before Doctor Duryea could get there, death occurring at 5:30 p.m.

Because Doctor Duryea had never seen the decedent alive, this case was referred to this office. There was no evidence of other than natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to exsanguination secondary to peptic ulcer.

Survivors of the decedent include a son, Richard, of Winthrop; two daughters, Mrs. Fremont Malm, Minneapolis, and Mrs. George Wickstrom of Indianapolis; 4 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

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FULL NAME GERALDINE PEARL WOLFF Date of Death March 12

	Place of Death	West River Road, Champlin Village,	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	February 6, 1914 Age 46		
	Birthplace	Champlin, Minn.		
	Occupation	Machine Operator - Munitions		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Wilbert Wolff		
	Names of Parents	William Petrie Leta Hullet		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ xx			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ xx			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~ xx			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~ x			
	Place of Burial	Champlin Cemetery, Champlin, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Bloemendaal	Funeral Director	Thurston & Sons, Anoka, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No. 463-20-8601

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor Kenneth St. Cyr at 7:20 a.m., March 12, 1960.

On the morning of March 12, 1960, the deceased was preparing her husband's breakfast when she suddenly collapsed to the floor, breathing very heavily. Doctor Kenneth St. Cyr was summoned to the home, however, the deceased expired before his arrival, death apparently occurring about 6:30 a.m.

It was stated, the decedent had complained of chest pain on March 10th and had felt poorly on March 11th. Doctor St. Cyr states he has attended the deceased as well as her father and mother for the past 30 years and states her parents both expired suddenly of heart disease. He had not seen the deceased professionally however since November of 1959.

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Death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, Wilbert; daughter, Mrs. Dallas Burns of Minneapolis; 2 grandchildren, Sherree and Candice.

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FULL NAME CHARLES WOODROW WARD **Date of Death** March 12

Place of Death	4247 James Avenue North	**Autopsy**	No
Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Sept. 30, 1883 **Age** 76		
Birthplace	Alden, Minn.		
Occupation	Conductor - Soo Line RR.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Lena C. Ward		
Names of Parents	Freeman Ward Blanche Hall		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~ x			
~~Suicide~~ x			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	**Effects Released to**	
Funeral Director	O. E. Larson Mortuary	**Address**	

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Social Security No. 701-05-1104

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor D. B. Frane at 9:20 a.m., March 12, 1960.

On the morning of March 12, 1960, the deceased went outside to clean the snow from the sidewalk. When he finished, he returned to the house and sat down; his breathing became difficult and Doctor D. B. Frane was summoned to the residence, however, the deceased expired before his arrival, death apparently occurring about 9:05 a.m.

Doctor Frane has attended the decedent for some time but had not treated him since August 1959.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found sitting in living room chair, clad in outdoor clothing. Body was warm and there was no rigor evident. Moderate cyanosis of face noted. There was no indication of

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other than natural death. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Lena C.; daughter, Mrs. Warren Paulson; brother, Ray Ward, Superior, Wis., and Mrs. Ed. Emerson of Elmore, Minn.; also two grandchildren.

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FULL NAME HARRY G. WATSON Date of Death March 12

	Place of Death	7908 Sunkist Blvd., Brooklyn Park, Minn.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	October 27, 1879 Age 80		
	Birthplace	New Brunswick, Canada		
	Occupation	Tiler		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Florence Watson		
	Names of Parents	Robert N. Watson (?) Campbell		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park	Effects Released to	
Bloemendaal	Funeral Director	Thurston & Sons, Anoka, Minn.	Address	

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Veteran Spanish American

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Sheriff's Office at 10:05 a.m., March 12, 1960.

On the morning of March 12, 1960, the deceased was outside helping his neighbor, Eugene R. Hippe, 7906 Sunkist Boulevard, who was loading logs and kindling wood onto a truck. Suddenly, the deceased became very short of breath and went to sit down behind the home of his neighbor. Shortly thereafter, he became unresponsive and expired before a doctor reached the scene, death apparently occurring about 9:30 a.m.

It was stated, the deceased has been under the care of Doctors J. J. Pattee and L. A. Stelter. He had been seen by his physician only a week ago and had been in the hospital about a month ago with a prostate condition. About one year ago, he had some heart trouble and has been taking a medication since that time.

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A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on back, dressed in outdoor clothing. Rigor was absent and body was warm. There was no evidence of trauma. Remains were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Officer Kaufmann of Brooklyn Park was notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his son, Robert N. Watson, Brooklyn Park.

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FULL NAME EDWARD C. WOZNIAK Date of Death March 12

	Place of Death	2632 Third Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	510 East 8th Street, Duluth, Minn.		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Dec. 12, 1906 Age 53		
	Birthplace	St. Louis County, Minn.		
	Occupation	Maintenance man - Lakeside Plastics		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Lucille Wozniak		
	Names of Parents	John Wozniak Mary Sczybynski		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Duluth, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Bloemendaal	Funeral Director	Gleason Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. 470-09-5293

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 10:55 a.m., March 12, 1960.

It was stated, the deceased has had a cold for the past three weeks with a cough and some shortness of breath but had not been seen by a physician.

On the morning of March 12, 1960, the deceased had been working about the house and had had no unusual complaints. He went to the bathroom but did not return. Mrs. Lucille Wozniak, wife of deceased, went to investigate and found him slumped over but still breathing.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the scene. Deceased was moved to a bed, but expired before arrival of ambulance, death apparently occurring about 10:15 a.m.

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Wife states the decedent had been in a sanitorium for several months in 1956 because of "pleurisy" and had chest tubes in at that time. He has not been seen by a physician recently.

A deputy coroner went to the residence and viewed the body. Deceased found lying in bed on back with feet on chair, dressed in winter underwear. Body was warm and there was no rigor evident; the nailbeds and lips were noted to be cyanotic. There was no evidence of other than natural death. Death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The decedent's wife and two sons refused permission for an autopsy.

Police officers Revak and Benon of squad 151 were notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME SOPHIA HEDIN

Date of Death Fd. March 12

	Place of Death	1760 Hennepin Avenue, Apt. 10	**Autopsy**	No
	Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	$373.33; 1 coin purse.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	April 1, 1882 **Age** 77		
	Birthplace	Fargo, North Dakota		
	Occupation	Domestic worker		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Peter A. Hedin Ella Quamstrom		
	CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Grandview Cemetery, Edina,	**Effects Released to**	Arthur C. Johnson, Funeral Dir. Strobeck-Johnson Chapel
Bloemendaal	**Funeral Director**	Strobeck-Johnson Funeral Home, Hopkins, Minn.	**Address**	1400 Excelsior Ave., Hopkins,

Social Security No. 470-37-0376

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 11:55 a.m., March 12, 1960.

A Mrs. Palm, who lives in same building as the decedent, came to visit deceased on morning of March 12. She knocked on the door but received no response. Knowing the decedent was not in the habit of leaving her apartment, she summoned the landlady to investigate.

Upon entry, the decedent was found at 11:35 a.m., March 12th, sitting in a chair, dead. She was holding the previous evening's newspaper. It was stated, the deceased was not under a doctor's care.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Rigor

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mortis was complete and livor mortis was present in dependent portions. There was no cyanosis or jaundice noted. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers M. Nelson and J. Comptom of squad 118 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include several cousins, Mrs. Edwin Hedman, St. Paul, and Mr. Forrest Eckland of W. Duluth.

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FULL NAME THOMAS G. CECKA **Date of Death** March 12

	Place of Death	Curtis Hotel, Apt. 496	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	7 keys; 1 Safety deposit key; 1 Rosary; 1 knife; 1 ball pen.
	Residence	Curtis Hotel, Apt. 469		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	March 3, 1887 **Age** 73		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Miller - flour mills		Clothing not listed on morgue sheet.
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Anna Cecka		
	Names of Parents	Joseph Cecka Mary Havlicek		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Myocardial infarction, recent, due to occlusion right coronary circumflex artery, due to coronary arteriosclerosis.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Wenceslaus Cemetery, New Prague, Minn.	Effects Released to	James T. Cecka, son
Bloemendaal	Funeral Director	Gleason Mortuary	Address	Curtis Hotel

Social Security No. 134-01-5815

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 1:10 p.m., March 12, 1960.

At approximately 11:30 a.m., March 12, 1960, the decedent went up to the roof to shake some small throw rugs. When he did not return, his daughter, Miss Elizabeth Alice Cecka, went to investigate and found deceased at top of stairway, lying facedown on roof with feet inside. Doctor George Dorsey, the hotel physician, was summoned to the scene and pronounced the decedent dead.

It was stated, the deceased had been living at the Curtis Hotel with his daughter for the past twenty years.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying at top

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of stairs, face down. It appeared he had fallen forward; nose was bruised and there was a small amount of fresh blood apparently from nose.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on March 13. This revealed myocardial infarction, recent; occlusion of right coronary circumflex artery; and coronary arteriosclerosis.

Police officers Reynolds and Yale of squad 119 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include a daughter, Elizabeth Alice Cecka, Minneapolis; 3 sons, Edward J., Hamburg, N. Y.; M. Cyrill of Minneapolis, and Major James T., of Fort Ord, Calif.

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FULL NAME JOHN R. SHUMAN **Date of Death** Fd. March 12

	Place of Death	Route #3, Excelsior, St. Albans Bay, Minn.	Autopsy	Dr. Edward Segal
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$213.68; 12 American Exp. travelers checks; 1 billfold; 1 Etena wrist watch; 1 lighter.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Dec. 25, 1909 Age 50		
	Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
	Occupation	Writer and Teacher - College		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Jesse W. Shuman Martha Rogers		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	1. Coronary insufficiency due to severe hemorrhagic pulmonary edema, bilateral.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~	2. Cardiac hypertrophy.		
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects Released to	Northwestern National Bank of Mpls. By: Weston M. Sailer, Asst. Trust Officer, Letter of Testamentary
Bloemendaal	Funeral Director	Davies Mortuary	Address	Minneapolis, Minn.

Social Security No. None

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Sheriff's Office at 9:45 p.m., March 12, 1960.

Deceased was living at the above address with his houseboy, Brendan Nigel Costigan. The houseboy states the deceased had been taking a number of different medications. He also states he had checked on the deceased at 8:30 p.m., March 12, 1960 at which time he appeared to be all right.

At 9:00 p.m., March 12, 1960, he found the decedent lying on the floor in a comatose condition. The police and a physician were summoned, however, the deceased expired before their arrival.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased was found in bedroom, naked, with abrasions over right forehead, under chin and over right elbow. Body was warm and no rigor mortis was evident. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County

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Morgue.

A letter, signed by Doctor Nathaniel J. Berkwitz, and addressed"to Whom It May Concern" was found in his possession stating deceased had been a patient of his for the past three years. It stated deceased often developed extreme anxiety, depression, and tachycardia when under emotional stress and explained the treatment he had followed at such times. Apparently the deceased was going abroad and was taking the letter with him in the event of a recurrence of this condition.

An autopsy was performed at the morgue on March 13. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the toxicology examination before determining the cause of this man's death.

Deputy sheriffs Grandstrom and Lundeen as well as officers from Excelsior and Deep Haven were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include a sister, Mrs. Richardson B. Okie, St. Paul; 4 nieces and nephews, Susan Rogers Okie, Francis Gurney Okie, Mary Elizabeth Okie, and Jessie Shuman Okie.

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FULL NAME Inez Elizabeth Smith — **Date of Death** March 13

Place of Death	Asbury Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Edward Segal
Place of Injury	50th St. and Chicago Avenue	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	(Former address: Madison, Wis.) 3602 - 12th Avenue S.		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Sept. 27, 1908 **Age** 51		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Nurse - Veterans Administration		No clothing listed on morgue sheet.
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Adam Smith Josephine LaVelle		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ ~~Automobile~~ Accident	Bronchopneumonia, severe, bilateral, due to cerebral concussion, causing paralysis lower limbs, bilateral. Large duodenal stress ulcer. Fatty metamorphosis and passive congestion of liver. Pyelonephritis left kidney.		
~~Suicide~~ ~~Homicide~~ ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Bloemendaal Funeral Director	Henry W. Anderson Mortuary	Address	
		Social Security No.	
		Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Asbury Hospital at 5:50 a.m., March 13, 1960.

At approximately 2:00 a.m., December 25, 1959, the deceased, a passenger in a car driven by her brother, Donald N. Smith, age 49, 4012 Queen Avenue South, was fatally injured in a two car crash at the intersection of Chicago Avenue South and East 35th Street. Six other occupants of the two cars were also injured.

The Smith car, a 1953 Chevrolet, bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 4P 2428, which had been traveling south on Chicago, was making a left turn when the machine collided with a 1959 DeSoto, bearing 1959 Minnesota license No. 4Z6946, which was traveling north on Chicago Avenue, driven by Michael K. Richardson, age 17, 874 Rondo, St. Paul.

INEZ ELIZABETH SMITH - continued

Deceased was removed to Minneapolis General Hospital, via ambulance, being admitted at 2:24 a.m. On February 20, 1960, she was transferred to Asbury Hospital and placed under the care of Doctor S. D. Thorsen.

During the period of hospitalization, the deceased remained comatose. She expired at 5:30 a.m., March 13, 1960.

Other occupants in the Smith machine that were injured are the driver, Donald Smith, age 49, and his daughter, Melanie Smith, age 16. Eveline R. Smith, age 50, wife of Donald Smith, also incurred injury in this accident and expired in General Hospital on date of injury.

Passengers in the Richardson car were Howard Dodd, age 17, 895 Carroll Avenue, St. Paul, and Gene Barber, age 17, 925 Marshall Avenue, St. Paul. All of the occupants involved in the accident incurred injury and were hospitalized at Minneapolis General Hospital.

Body of deceased was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic examination before determining the cause of this woman's death.

Officers Merrill and Ahr of traffic squad 516 and Officers T. A. Nelson and D. Holden of squad 163 were notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include two brothers, Lawrence E. and Donald N. of Minneapolis; sister, Mrs. Alma Mantle, Tucson, Ariz.; several nieces and nephews.

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FULL NAME WILLIAM MC GAUGHEY, JR. **Date of Death** March 13

Place of Death	51 Merriam Street	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$1.10; 1 purse.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	August 29, 1912 **Age** 47		
Birthplace	Louisiana		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Occupation	Radio Officer - U. S. Coast Guard		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife	Unknown		
Names of Parents			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	D. B. Hansen, Funeral Director
Hoppes Funeral Director	Hanson-Nugent Funeral Home	Address	2116 Nicollet Ave.

Social Security No. 523-01-3037

Veteran In Coast Guard

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 7:05 a.m., March 13, 1960.

The decedent allegedly went to the staircase with the intention of going down to a coffee machine at approximately 6:15 a.m., March 13, 1960. While on the stairs, he apparently blacked out and fell down the stairway, but no one knows how many stairs. After he fell, he was able to get up under his own power and return to his bed on the second floor. He sat on the edge of his bed and complained of dyspnea. Then he lay down and ceased breathing, death apparently occurring about 7:00 a.m., March 13, 1960.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the man's death.

WILLIAM MC GAUGHEY, JR. - continued

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed coronary sclerosis, mild to moderate, and myocardial infarction.

Police officers Burns and Cronquist of squad 125 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include a son, Gene, U. S. Naval Reserve, Des Moines, Iowa, and also one daughter, name unknown.

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FULL NAME ADOLPH KADLEC **Date of Death** March 13

Place of Death	Minneapolis Moline Plant, Hopkins, Minn.	**Autopsy**	Dr. R. A. Pfohl
Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	$32.00; 1 Westclox watch; 1 ring; 1 key; 1 clipper; 1 glasses; 1 billfold; 1 folder.
Residence	City View Acres, Wayzata, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Jan. 6, 1887 **Age** 73		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Birthplace	Czechoslovakia		
Occupation	Painter		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Mary J. Kadlec		
Names of Parents	Vincent Kadlec & Josephine Kosek		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Congestive heart failure, due to rheumatic aortic stenosis. Hydrothorax, bilateral.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Margaret's Cemetery, Minnetonka Village, Minn.	**Effects Released to**	R. W. Johnson, Strobeck-Johnson
Hoppes **Funeral Director**	Strobeck-Johnson Chapel, Hopkins, Minn.	**Address**	Hopkins, Minn.
		Social Security No.	
		Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Hopkins Police Department at 4:30 p.m., March 13, 1960.

According to the Hopkins Police Department, the deceased drinks considerably and is inclined to crawl into this particular window well at the above address and go to sleep. The window well has a huge exhaust fan in it which pulls out warm air, and is therefore, quite a comfortable spot. They are in the habit of making a routine check of this spot because he has been found sleeping here in below zero weather.

Today, March 13, 1960, during a routine check, Officer Kvam found the decedent sitting in the window well. He told Officer Kvam he had taken a pill and gone to sleep at this site; he also stated that he lived with his son in Wayzata. As he was getting out of the window, he suddenly collapsed and was caught by Officer Kvam. Doctor James Blake was summoned to the scene, however, the deceased expired before his arrival,

ADOLPH KADLEC - continued

death apparently occurring at 4:15 p.m., March 13.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found clothed in outdoor clothing. There was no indication of other than natural death.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on March 14. This revealed congestive heart failure; rheumatic aortic stenosis; hydrothorax, bilateral.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Mary J.; 5 sons, Henry, Wayzata, Albert, Glen Lake, John, Robert and Donald of Hopkins; 3 daughters, Mrs. Alice Manthey, Minneapolis, Mrs. Carl Hendrickson and Mrs. Gilbert Tweed, both of Hopkins, 31 grandchildren.

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FULL NAME PAUL G. NAUMAN **Date of Death** March 14,

	Place of Death	5929 Elliot Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	September 27, 1896 Age 63		
	Birthplace	Eau Claire, Wis.		Clothing left on body.
	Occupation	Auditor - Grimsrude Hanson Co.		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Lillian M. Nauman		
	Names of Parents	William Nauman Elizabeth McCarthy		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 7:40 a.m., March 14, 1960.

On the morning of March 14, 1960, the deceased was chopping ice away from entrance to garage when he collapsed on the driveway. The police were notified, Officers Flint and Conn of squad 165 responding.

The rescue squad and a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance were dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician, Doctor McGee, confirmed the man's death, death apparently occurring about 7:40 a.m.

It was stated, the deceased has history of a heart condition and had been under the care Doctor Harold Wahlquist, however, Doctor Wahlquist had not seen the decedent professionally for the past three years.

PAUL G. NAUMAN - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Lillian; 1 nephew and two nieces.

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FULL NAME GENE MC INTYRE Date of Death March 14,

Place of Death	University Hospitals	Autopsy	Dr. Bertram Woolfrey
Place of Injury	Duluth, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	1041 Highway #23, Duluth, Minn.		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	July 27, 1931 Age 28		
Birthplace	Duluth, Minn.		
Occupation	Secretary - insurance firm.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	John E. McIntyre Julia Haney		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
Homicide	Septicemia due to criminal abortion. Bronchopneumonia, hemorrhagic, origin undetermined. Acute nephropathy with uremia.		
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Duluth, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Wright Funeral Director	Vernon Iwanoski, St. Paul, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by University Hospitals at 9:25 a.m., March 14, 1960.

The deceased was admitted to University Hospitals by transfer from St. Luke's Hospital, Duluth, Minnesota, on March 9, 1960 for treatment of uremia and anuria following septic criminal abortion performed in Duluth (first attempted March 3, 1960, second attempt March 5, 1960) by a person who is under arrest by the Duluth Police Department. According to medical records at University Hospital, the deceased had conceived on or about January 10, 1960. She had been admitted to St. Luke's Hospital under care of Doctor J. D. Barker on March 6, 1960.

A hysterectomy was done at University Hospitals on March 10, 1960. Deceased developed a generalized hemorrhagic diathesis with petechial hemorrhage over entire body and

GENE MC INTYRE - continued

gastrointestinal bleeding, expiring at 4:45 a.m., March 14.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital at 10:00 a.m., on date of death. This revealed generalized petechial hemorrhages of myocardium, skin, mucous membrane of intestinal tract, etc.; hepatomegaly with congestion; acute congestion of kidneys; retroperitoneal hemorrhage; recent hysterectomy, subtotal; tracheotomy with hemorrhage about site into peritracheal structures; infarcts of spleen, multiple with splenomegaly; pleural effusions, bilateral; hemorrhagic pneumonia, bilateral, generalized; cystitis, traumatic, due to catheter indwelling.

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FULL NAME JOHN ANTHONY GREENWOOD **Date of Death** March 14

Place of Death	Court House, Second Floor,	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$34.24; 1 billfold; 8 keys; 1 knife; 1 nail clipper; 1 glasses 9 broken; 2 ball pens.
Residence	3738 Thomas Avenue N.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 15, 1960 **Age** 64		
Birthplace	Colby, Wis.		
Occupation	Bus driver - Twin City Rapid Transit		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Leone Greenwood		
Names of Parents	Henry Greenwood Phoebe LaFee		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Mrs. John A. Greenwood, wife
Funeral Director	Sundseth Anderson Funeral Home	Address	3738 Thomas Avenue N.

Guthrie

Social Security No. 468 09 8133

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Doctor William G. Guthrie at 10:30 a.m., March 14, 1960.

On the morning of March 14, 1960, the deceased was in the Court House transacting some business. While walking down hallway directly opposite to door of Judge LaBelle's courtroom, the deceased suddenly collapsed, becoming unresponsive. Artificial respiration was of no avail; deceased was pulseless and face congested. Apparently deceased was dead when he fell at 10:00 a.m.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene, with physician aboard. Their efforts to resuscitate the decedent were futile.

Present at time of death were the Court Bailiff and Doctor William G. Guthrie, the Coroner, who was just reporting to court as witness in another case when deceased collapsed.

JOHN ANTHONY GREENWOOD - continued

Doctor Donald B. Simonson, the deceased's personal physician, states he has been treating the deceased over a period of years for definite coronary disease.

Examination of the body by the Coroner indicated this was a natural death. Deceased was lying on floor of hallway, fully clothed. Remain were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Officer McKee of squad 119 was notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Leone R.; sister, Mrs. Jane Horton; and several nieces and nephews.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME MARSHALL REES COBURN — **Date of Death** March 14

Place of Death	704 Fourth Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. F. H. Lott
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$75.74; 1 billfold; 1 Hamilton wrist watch; 9 keys; 1 patent; 1 glasses; 1 lighter; 1 ring; 1 pr. Cuff buttons; 1 tie clasp; 1 pen and pencil; 1 ball pen; 1 knife; misc. papers, etc. 1 Lapel button; railroad ticket.
Residence	210 Seymour Street, Florence, Alabama		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Sept. 5, 1911 **Age** 48		
Birthplace	Alabama		
Occupation	Foreman - Reynolds Metal Co.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Evelyn Coburn		
Names of Parents	L. D. and (?) Coburn		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Coronary insufficiency due to coronary arteriosclerosis, severe, anterior circumflex and descending coronaries.		
~~Accident~~ xx			
~~Suicide~~ x			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	Florence City Cemetery, Florence, Alabama	Effects Released to	K. D. Hartmark, mortician Barney Anderson Funeral Home
Wright — Funeral Director	Barney Anderson Funeral Home	Address	3644 Chicago Ave. S.

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No. 421-10-6340

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 6:00 p.m., March 14, 1960.

The deceased, a resident of Florence, Alabama, was staying at the Guest Motel at the above address. On March 14, 1960, the deceased complained of not feeling well and asked for the house physician. Doctor David Gold talked with the decedent by phone and then came to see him. After examination, Doctor Gold was in process of phoning for bed at Mount Sinai Hospital when the decedent collapsed and expired, death occurring about 5:55 p.m., March 14. Doctor Gold administered adrenalin in attempt to resuscitate deceased.

Doctor Gold states the decedent complained of severe precordial pain radiating into both arms and had a regular tachycardia before he collapsed. Decedent had stated he had recently been passed in a physical examination for the Reynolds Metals Company.

MARSHALL REES COBURN - continued

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found clothed in undershirt, trousers, and stockings. There was no indication of other than natural death.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on March 15. This revealed coronary insufficiency due to coronary arteriosclerosis, severe, of anterior circumflex and descending coronaries.

Police officers C. L. Mattson and F. W. Johnson of squad 117 were notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME ALFRED JACOBSON — **Date of Death** March 14

Place of Death	University Hospitals	Autopsy	Dr. John J. Raich
Place of Injury	Malone Rest Home, Monticello, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same Former: 3504 Florida Ave. N., Crystal, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Jan. 13, 1874 **Age** 86		
Birthplace	Sweden		
Occupation	Head waiter (retired) hotel		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife	Engel Hokanson Jacobson		
Names of Parents	Johannas and Anna Marie Jacobson		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Coronary insufficiency due to severe coronary arteriosclerosis. Fracture neck right femur.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~	Cerebral arterial atherosclerosis. Cardiac hypertrophy.		
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright — Funeral Director	Gearty Davis Funeral Home, Robbinsdale, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No. 476 07 0241

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by University Hospitals at 7:30 p.m., March 14, 1960.

Medical records at University Hospitals indicate the decedent fell at the Malone Rest Home, Monticello, Minnesota, on March 9, 1960, incurring a fracture of neck of right femur. He was removed to University Hospitals, being admitted on March 10.

On March 12, 1960, an internal fixation of the fractured right femur was done. Following surgery, the deceased's condition deteriorated rapidly, death occurring at 7:05 p.m., March 14.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on March 15. This revealed coronary insufficiency; severe coronary arteriosclerosis; fracture of neck of right femur; cerebral

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arterial atherosclerosis; and cardiac hypertrophy.

Survivors of the decedent include three sons, George of Crystal, Fred of Portland, Oregon, and Manifred of San Francisco; two daughters, Mrs. Robert Wilde and Mrs. Llewellyn Mathews, both of Crystal; and 15 grandchildren.

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FULL NAME HARVEY ERICKSON **Date of Death** Fd. March 14

Place of Death	5216-41st Avenue S.	**Autopsy**	Dr. Richard Shepard
Place of Injury		**Effects Taken in charge**	$5.92; 1 check - Jensen Plating Co.- for $99.51; 1 Rolex wrist watch; 1 glasses; 5 keys; 1 pocketbook; 1 coin purse; 5 keys; 1 safety deposit key; 1 small strong box; 3 bankbooks-Peoples Fed'l. Svgs. & Loan #840-$6,536.29, #6447-$5,602.25, and #3300-$1,262,12, Other effec's listed on Morgue Record 2 bankbooks Mpls. Savings & Loan #35558-$195.47 and #35553-$627.94.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	May 24, 1901 **Age** 59		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Printer - Jensen Printing Co.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Sander Erickson Hanna Reppe		
CAUSE OF DEATH Natural	Pulmonary edema and congestion, severe, etiology unknown. Anoxic atrophy of liver; prostatic abscess and nodular hyperplasia.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Sunset Memorial Park Cemetery	**Effects Released to**	James D. Olson, Executor
Funeral Director	Anderson Peterson Funeral Chapel	**Address**	1121 First Nat'l. Soo Line Bldg., Mpls.

Social Security No. 468 03 1713

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 10:25 p.m., March 14, 1960.

Police officers Oakvik and Mc Ilvaine of squad 165 stated neighbors stated the deceased had not been seen about house and requested them to check residence. When they received no response, they looked in a bedroom window and noted deceased lying in bed, therefore, entry was forced and examination disclosed the deceased had expired. His body was discovered at 10:25 p.m., March 14.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found in bed, clothed in pajamas. There was no indication of other than natural death. Numerous medicine bottles containing miltown and various barbiturates

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prescribed by Doctor D. P. Head found in deceased's possession. Deceased was lying on right side in position of sleep. There was marked rigor and livor.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on March 15. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the toxicological examination before determining the cause of this man's death.

Only survivors known to the Coroner's Office is a brother, Sander, of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME JOHN ALBIN ZETTERBERG **Date of Death** Fd. March 15

	Place of Death	505 West Broadway	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Feb. 4, 1890 Age 69		
	Birthplace	Sweden		
	Occupation	Janitor - Stephens Motor Co.		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Olaf Zetterberg Karen Pearson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Sundseth Anderson Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 11:25 a.m., March 15, 1960.

The decedent's brother, Herman Zetterberg, Wayzata, Minnesota, came to visit the deceased on the morning of March 15, 1960. Upon entry, he found his brother lying in bed, dead, at 11:15 a.m.. The police were notified, Officers E. C. Johnson and R. M. Stiras of squad 144 responding.

It was stated, the decedent has been under the care of Minneapolis General Hospital in July and August of 1959 with a diagnosis of occlusion of the left femoral artery.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated this was a natural death. Deceased found lying across bed, partly dressed. Rigor mortis was complete. Remains

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were released directly to a mortuary and death was attributed to arterio-sclertoic heart disease.

Survivors of the decedent include a brother, Herman Zetterberg, previously mention herein; sister, Miss Emma Zetterberg, and a 2nd brother, living in Sweden.

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FULL NAME JOHN LARKIN — **Date of Death** March 15

Place of Death	Railroad siding - rear of 3225 Como Avenue S. E.	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	$5.17; 1 billfold; 1 coin purse; 1 glasses; 1 Hamilton watch; 1 Rosary and cross; 1 token.
Residence	514 North Prior Ave., St. Paul,		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	June 18, 1900 Age 59		
Birthplace	Superior, Wis.		
Occupation	Switchman - Minnesota Transfer		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	John Larkin Barbara McDonough		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Natural~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — Accident -RR	Crushing injury of head and chest, due to compound, comminuted, skull fractures and multiple rib fractures, bilateral.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	Multiple pelvic and long bone fractures. Laceration right auricle of heart, liver and lungs.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	Calvary Cemetery, St. Paul, Minn.	Effects Released to	O'Halloran and Murphy R. P. Childers, Funeral Director
Funeral Director	O'Halloran and Murphy, St. Paul, Minn.	Address	St. Paul, Minn.

Kaplan

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 2:35 p.m., March 15, 1960.

At approximately 2:15 p.m., March 15,1960, the deceased was ladder riding on the first of two boxcars being pushed along a side track by a Minnesota Transfer Railway Company switch engine. He was standing on the bottom step of the boxcar ladder when the boxcar became derailed and crashed into side of a building occupied by the Korhumel Steel and Aluminum Company; deceased was crushed against the building and expired at the scene almost immediately. Switchman, who was at the scene, was John H. Boos, 1898 Dorothea, St. Paul.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased was lying on ground with cigar in mouth; face and head were noted to be badly crushed. Body was warm and there was no rigor evident.

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Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on March 16. This revealed multiple fractures of skull and face bones; multiple fractures of ribs, bilateral; fracture of 3rd thoracic vertebra; multiple comminuted fractures of pelvis, bilateral; and laceration of right auricle of heart, liver and lungs.

Police officers Robert Rauner and Smith of squad 515 were notified and attended the scene of death.

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FULL NAME CLARENCE OLIVER LOKEN

Date of Death Fd. March 16

Place of Death	40 Washington Avenue S.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 billfold; 1 knife; 3 keys; misc. papers.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	August 6, 1893 Age 66		
Birthplace	Mantorville, Minn.		
Occupation	Unknown		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Ole and Marie Loken		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~ x			
~~Suicide~~ x			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Thorne Helgesen, Funeral Director
Funeral Director	Albinson Peterson Chapel, 1701 Chicago Avenue,	Address	1701 Chicago Avenue

Other Effects listed on Morgue Record

Hoppes

Social Security No. 473 10 3540

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 4:00 p.m., March 16, 1960.

At approximately 3:40 p.m., March 16, 1960, the deceased was found lying on his bed, apparently expired, by the hotel clerk, Herman Trzeciok. The police were notified, Officers Bigerstaff, and R. C. Strom responding.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician, Doctor Rickard, confirmed the man's death.

According to the clerk, the decedent had not appeared ill but had been drinking heavily for the past two weeks. Prior to that time he had allegedly been abstaining for several months.

CLARENCE OLIVER LOKEN - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. There was no indication of other than natural death. Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

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FULL NAME ROBERT E. ARNETT Date of Death Fd. March 17

	Place of Death	22 Washington Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$6.55; misc. papers; 1 notebook; 8 keys; 1 Bulova watch.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Unknown Age 72		Clothing destroyed for sanitary reasons.
	Birthplace	Unknown		
	Occupation	Laborer - railroad		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Unknown		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Unknown		
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		Sold at Auction; proceeds deposited with County Treasurer
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			Unclaimed cash deposited with County Treasurer
	Place of Burial		Effects Released to	
Bloemendaal	Funeral Director	Department of Anatomy, University of Minnesota	Address	

Social Security No. 710 16 4529 A

Veteran Unknown

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 7:10 a.m., March 17, 1960.

When the deceased was not heard in his room on the morning of March 17, 1960, the hotel clerk investigated and found him dead in bed at 7:10 a.m.

According to Walter Lovhaug, the clerk, the deceased had lived at this address for approximately 10 years. He states deceased has drank heavily during this period. Deceased last talked to the room clerk about 11:00 p.m. on evening prior to death. It was stated, he had complained of not feeling well before he went to bed on evening of March 16th and stated he was going to see a doctor on the following day.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying in bed in Room 85, fully clothed. Rigor mortis was complete. Remains

ROBERT E. ARNETT - continued

were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and death was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Police officers Biggerstaff and Wolfe, beatmen, and Officers Crieghton and Longman of squad 117 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Since the efforts of the Coroner's Office to locate relatives were ineffective; it was, therefore, necessary to release the body to the Anatomical Department of the University of Minnesota.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19...60..... WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME CHARLES JOHN LENARTSON Date of Death March 17

	Place of Death	829 South 8th Street, Apt. 16	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	R#1, Box 3, Cyrus, Minn.		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Dec. 29, 1872 Age 82		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Farm Machines		None except listed On Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Emma Lenartson		
	Names of Parents	John and Caroline Lenartson		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Cyrus Lutheran Cemetery, Cyrus, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Bloemendaal	Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1825 Chicago Avenue	Address	

Social Security No. 468-44-5387

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 4:27 p.m. on March 17, 1960.

The decedent had been under the care of Dr. Paul A. Swedenburg, Glenwood, Minnesota, and had been taking medication for high blood pressure and hypertension for many years. In November of 1959 the man and his wife, Emma, came to spend the winter in Minneapolis with their daughter, Sylvia Fransen, 829 South 8th Street. They planned to return to their home in Cyrus, Minnesota, sometime in April.

On the afternoon of March 17 the man was sitting on the living room couch

Charles John Lenartson (continued)

watching television when suddenly, according to his wife who was with him at the time, he became short of breath, collapsed back on the couch and expired at 4:15 p.m.

Police were summoned; Officers Reimer and K. E. Johnson, Squad 132, responded. Detectives Pfeiffer and Finn also investigated this case.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance went to the scene and the physician on board, Dr. Ricker, pronounced the man dead at 4:20 p.m.

A deputy coroner went to the residence and found the decedent lying on the couch. The body was warm; rigor and livor were absent. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Except for daughter, Sylvia Fransen, and wife, Emma, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME EDWARD M. REILLY

Date of Death March 17

	Place of Death	On sidewalk in front of - 601 Second Ave. S.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$11.25; 2 coin purses; 1 billfold; 2 keys; 2 notebooks; 2 glasses; 1 ball pen; 3 tickets to Ben Hur; 1 wrist watch-Seth Thomas; 1 bill holder; 2 Rosaries; 1 ring; 1 St. Christopher modal; 1 checkbook; 2 medals.
	Residence	1815 Goodrich Avenue, St. Paul,		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	August 8, 1878 Age 81		
	Birthplace	Philadelphia, Pa.		
	Occupation	Salesman (ret) Gerber Baby Foods		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Marian Reilly		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Names of Parents	Thomas E. Reilly Cecilia Quinn		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Calvary Cemetery, St. Paul, Minn.	Effects Released to	Harold J. Carroll, son-in-law
Bloemendaal	Funeral Director	Kessler McGuire Funeral Home, St. Paul, Minn.	Address	4831 S. Penn Avenue

Social Security No. 477 01 4527

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 6:15 p.m. on March 17, 1960.

The decedent, according to his physician, Dr. Donald C. Deters of St. Paul, had had a coronary attack recently and because of this was being watched very closely by Dr. Deters.

At 6 p.m. on the evening of March 17, the decedent was walking down the street toward the Athletic Club, where a daughter, Mrs. H. J. Carroll, was waiting to meet him, when he suddenly collapsed and fell to the sidewalk in front of 601 Second Avenue South.

Edward M. Reilly (continued)

An unknown passerby summoned the Police and Officers Keller and Mattice, Squad 117, responded. Detectives Pfeiffer and Finn also investigated this case.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned together with the Rescue Squad, whose attempts to revive the man failed. Dr. Ricker, the ambulance physician, pronounced the man dead.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on his back on the sidewalk, his feet on the edge of the curb. The body was warm; rigor and livor mortis were absent. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Survivors are son, Edward T., St. Paul; daughters, Mrs. Harold J. (Gertrude) Carroll, Minneapolis, Mrs. Henry J. (Marcellaine) Walters, Grand Rapids, Michigan; daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lorraine Reilly, Oakland; 13 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild.

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Year 19....60.... WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME ELIZABETH DOUGLAS CLEVELAND Date of Death Fd.March 17

Place of Death	Old Long Lake Road, O rono Village,	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	1 Wrist watch; 2 rings.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	April 29, 1902 Age 57		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		No clothing
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Donald C. Cleveland		
Names of Parents	George P. Douglas Bessie Pettit		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ xx			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Complete charring of body due to conflagration in bedroom.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ xx			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood (cremation)	Effects Released to	Meredith Rettinger, Fun. Director
Funeral Director	Rettinger Funeral Home, Long Lake, Minn.	Address	Long Lake, Minn.

Bloemendaal

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Hennepin County Sheriff's Office at 10:20 p.m. on March 17, 1960.

The decedent, according to the family physician, Dr. W. W. Rieke, Wayzata, Minnesota, had alcoholic neuritis which made walking so difficult she relied on a wheelchair to get around. She had a habit of smoking in bed.

On the evening of March 17, the woman went to bed about 8 p.m. in the bedroom she occupied alone. In order not to disturb her rest, her husband slept in another room because he has lung cancer and has to get up frequently during the night.

Elizabeth Douglas Cleveland (continued)

Mr. Cleveland stated that at 8:30 that evening he looked in on the decedent and found her to be all right. About 9:45 he got out of bed to go to the bathroom. He smelled smoke and when he opened the decedent's bedroom door found the room full of smoke. He tried to get to her but smoke and flames surrounding the bed drove him back. He hurried to the kitchen for a pitcher of water which he threw toward the area where he thought she was.

The fire department and rescue squad were summoned but they found the woman lying dead on the floor beside her bed.

Hennepin County Sheriff's Deputies Grandstrum and Kominski were on the scene to investigate this death.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the charred remains of the decedent lying on its dorsal side on the floor of the bedroom near the window to the left of the bedroom door, the head opposite the door. The room, including the floor, was badly burned. The bed frame had been moved out of the room.

The woman's entire body was badly burned with areas of flesh protruding. The hair on the head was entirely gone. Fingers and toes were badly burned with partial disarticulation of the left ankle. There was a charred ring with a red stone flanked by two white stones on the fourth finger of the right hand. There was a set of wedding rings on the badly burned left hand and a burned wrist watch on the left wrist.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Analysis of the decedent's blood by the toxicological chemist revealed 0.26% alcohol.

Death was ascribed to complete charring of the body due to conflagration of the bedroom.

Survivors are husband, Donald C.; sons, Donald S., George D. and Richard T.; daughters, Mrs. Eleanor C. Howe, Mrs. Elizabeth C. Morgan, and Mrs. Judith C. Gluek; sister, Mrs. Eleanor D. Robinson; 13 grandchildren.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME CHESTER KENNETH PETERSON — Date of Death Fd. March 18

Place of Death	21 North 15th Street	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$2.48; 1 billfold; 4 keys; 1 box-misc. jewelry.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	June 4, 1921 Age 38		
Birthplace	Grand Forks, North Dakota		
Occupation	Laborer		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Dorothy Nordbye Peterson		
Names of Parents	Unknown		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Carbon monoxide poisoning.		
~~Suicide~~	Burns, 2nd and 3rd degree, over entire body.		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	D. B. Hansen, Ass't. Funeral Director
Bloemendaal Funeral Director	Hanson Nugent Funeral Home	Address	2116 Nicollet Avenue

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Social Security No.

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 2:30 a.m., March 18, 1960.

The deceased and his wife, Dorothy Lucille Peterson, were living in an apartment in the rear on the northside at the above address with bedroom on the third floor and living room and kitchen on the second floor.

About 1:30 a.m., March 18, 1960, a fire broke out, apparently in a first floor front apartment. The fire spread rapidly and when brought under control, the deceased and his wife were found in a narrow hallway on the second floor in rear of building. Apparently they were both overcome by smoke as they tried to escape.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body of deceased, found lying on back, clothed in shirt, trousers and stockings. Extensive burns were noted over his body.

CHESTER KENNETH PETERSON - continued

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. Death was attributed to carbon monoxide poisoning. Other findings were 2nd and 3rd degree burns over entire body.

Police officers Dickenson and Godfrey of squad 119 were notified and attended the scene of death.

Survivors of the decedent are unknown to the Coroner's Office.

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FULL NAME DOROTHY LUCILLE PETERSON — Date of Death Fd. March 18

	Place of Death	21 North 15th Street	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	March 10, 1921 Age 39		
	Birthplace	Palermo, North Dakota		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Chester K. Peterson		
	Names of Parents	George and Anna Nordbye		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Natural~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH Accident	Carbon monoxide poisoning.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Suicide~~	Burns, 2nd and 3rd degree, over entire body.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Bloemendaal	Funeral Director	Hanson Nugent Funeral Home	Address	

None except listed On Morgue Record

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 2:30 a.m., March 18, 1960.

The facts surrounding this case are identical with those of the preceding case, Chester Kenneth Peterson, Case No. 315, with the following exceptions:

Deceased was found lying on back, clothed in a tee shirt and panties. Severe burns covered her body. There were no rings on her fingers and her hair was put up in pin curls.

Body of deceased was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on date of death. This revealed carbon monoxide poisoning and 2nd and 3rd degree burns over entire body.

DOROTHY LUCILLE PETERSON - continued

Survivors of the decedent include her mother, Anna Nordbye of Minot, North Dakota; two sisters, Mrs. Lillian Stromme of Minot and Mrs. August Zaturski of Milwaukee; also two brothers, Earl of Spokane and Lloyd of Minneapolis.

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FULL NAME FRANK F. KUHN Date of Death March 19

	Place of Death	5305-43rd Avenue South	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	March 15, 1888 Age 72		
	Birthplace	Connerville, Indiana		
	Occupation	Salesman - retail		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Elna J. Kuhn		
	Names of Parents	Adam Kuhn Mary Elizabeth Price		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Carcinoma of prostate.		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Lake Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. 473 03 8144

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 9:35 a.m. on March 19, 1960.

The decedent had been a patient at the Veterans Hospital, where he had been operated on twice for cancer and where he had been treated for coronary heart disease. He had been in the hospital last in the fall of 1959 and had been released on September 28. He had had a heart attack on March 13, 1960 but at that time had refused to go to the Veterans Hospital.

About 9:15 on the morning of March 19, the man experienced severe chest pain. Mrs. Kuhn telephoned the Police Department and requested an ambulance and resque squad.

Frank F. Kuhn (continued)

Officers Conn and Butler, Squad 165, responded to the call; they stated that the decedent gave a final gasp and expired just as they entered his bedroom. He was pronounced dead by Dr. Rakkle, the ambulance physician, at 9:30 a.m.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and examined the body before it was released directly to a mortuary. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was attributed to arterio-sclerotic heart disease and carcinoma of the prostate.

Survivors are wife, Alma J.; daughters, Mrs. Franklin B. (Alyce Mary) Orfield, LaMesa, California, and Mrs. E. A. (Arlyle) McKennzie, Santa Anna, California; 2 grandsons; sister, Mrs. Violet Morison, Minneapolis; brother, William H., Stevens Point, Wisconsin.

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FULL NAME GLENN R. NOBLE

Date of Death March 19

Place of Death	DOA North Memorial Hospital, Robbinsdale, Minn.	Autopsy	Doctor Richard Pfohl
Place of Injury	63rd Avenue N. & Highway 52, Brooklyn Park Village,	Effects Taken in charge	$10.55; 2 rings; 1 lighter; 1 bill-fold.
Residence	6289 Edgewood Avenue N., Brooklyn Park Village, Minn.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Sept. 18, 1900 Age 59		
Birthplace	Wisconsin		
Occupation	Truck Driver		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Delores Noble		
Names of Parents	Albert Noble Myrtle Aelen		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident - Auto	Massive hemothorax with extensive laceration of lungs, bilateral, due to crushing injury of chest, multiple rib and sternum fractures.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~	Fracture between 5th and 6th thoracic vertebrae. Compound, comminuted, fracture right humerus.		
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Glen Haven Memorial Gardens	Effects Released to	Bob Garrow, nephew
Kaplan Funeral Director	Lake Funeral Chapel	Address	5289 Edgewood

Social Security No. 468 05 3720

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by North Memorial Hospital at 7:45 p.m., March 19, 1960.

At approximately 6:45 p.m., March 19, 1960, the deceased, alone in his automobile, a 1950 Cadillac, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 4F 5991, was fatally injured in a two car collision at the intersection of Highway 52 and 63rd Avenue North in Brooklyn Park Village.

According to deputy sheriffs Gillespie and Benver, the deceased was eastbound on 63rd Avenue North when his car collided with another automobile, a 1959 Oldsmobile, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 7M 4168, driven by Dennis Edward Weisgram, Villard, Minnesota, which was proceeding south on Highway 52. Apparently the deceased had halted for a stop sign and then pulled into the path of the approaching Weisgram machine.

GLENN R. NOBLE - continued

The deceased, critically injured, was removed by ambulance to North Memorial Hospital, however, he was pronounced dead on arrival at the hospital.

Dennis Weisgram, age 21, driver of the other car involved, and his two passengers, Larry Weisgram, age 18, Villard, Minnesota, and Lloyd Kalapperich, age 23, Villard, Minnesota, incurred injuries and were also removed to North Memorial Hospital via ambulance.

Body of deceased was removed to Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on March 20. This revealed massive hemothorax with extensive laceration of lungs, bilateral; crushing injury of chest; multiple rib and sternum fractures; fracture between 5th and 6th thoracic vertebrae; and compound, comminuted fracture of right humerus.

Officer Robertson of Brooklyn Park was also notified and attended the scene of accident.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Deloris; son, Frank, of California; daughter, Mrs. Edward Jacoby of Mandota, Ill. and 3 grandchildren.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME ELSIE MAE MEYERS — **Date of Death** Fd. March 19

Place of Death	724 E. 16th Street, Apt. 3	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$4.65; 1 billfold; 1 key and knife; misc. letters, etc.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Unknown Age 76		
Birthplace	Ohio		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Ernest L. Conway		
Names of Parents	Unknown & Alice R. Harriman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Carcinoma of breast with metastasis.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Glendale Cemetery, Des Moines, Iowa	Effects Released to	Margaret E. Grecca, sister
Kaplan Funeral Director	Washburn McReavy Chapel	Address	2828 N. Pine Grove, Chicago, Ill.

Social Security No. 472 10 3271

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 10:20 p.m. on March 19, 1960.

For some time the decedent had been under the care of Dr.David Eisenstadt for dropsy and carcinoma of the breast. On the evening of the above date, the woman's landlady, Mrs. Gladys Cowan, helped her to bed at about 9 o'clock, at which time she complained of feeling ill and weak. When Mrs.Cowan came to see how the woman was at about 9:30 p.m., she found her dead.

Mrs. Cowan called a neighbor, who advised her to notify the Police. Officers Hagstrom and Kolars, Squad 118, responded to her call. Detectives Pfeiffer and Finn also investigated this death.

Elsie Mae Meyers (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on her back in bed. She was dressed in a night gown. The body was warm and there was no rigor. Marked edema of the legs and a large carcinoma of the right breast area was noted.

Death was ascribed to carcinoma of the breast with metastases.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Survivor is a daughter, Mrs. Margaret Grecco, Chicago, Illinois.

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FULL NAME TERRANCE OLSON Date of Death March 20

Place of Death	University Hospitals	Autopsy	Hospital post
Place of Injury	St. Peter, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Kasota, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Dec. 29, 1957 Age 2		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Child		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Verne Olson Joan Reaser		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Respiratory failure due to septicemia due to 3rd degree burns of 50% of body surface.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Norseland Lutheran Cemetery Norseland, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

Guthrie

Social Security No. None

Veteran ~~Yes~~ No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office at 9:55 p.m., March 20, 1960 by University Hospitals.

According to hospital records at University Hospitals, the deceased, his brother, Michael Olson, age 8, and their baby sitter, Steven Kranz, age 14, were critically burned in a garage at St. Peter, Minnesota, about 9:00 p.m., March 13, 1960. They were admitted to University Hospital on March 14.

The deceased expired at 8:35 p.m., March 20.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on date of death. This case was referred to this office, however, the death certificate was subsequently signed by Doctor Raymond Peterson of University Hospitals.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME MATHILDE VILARREAL

Date of Death March 20

Place of Death	3542 Hiawatha Ave.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Carrizo Springs, Texas		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Unknown Age 70		
Birthplace	Mexico		
Occupation	Laborer - farming		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Emilia C. Villarreal		
Names of Parents	Domingo Villarreal Auarista Mendoza		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~ x			
Place of Burial	St. Anthony Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Wright Funeral Director	Lake Funeral Home	Address	

None except listed On Morgue Record

Social Security No. 466 30 7350

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 9:15 a.m. on March 20, 1960.

According to this decedent's family, the man was born in Lompassos, Mexico, and came to the United States in 1920. Although he remained a citizen of Mexico, he worked here as a laborer until his retirement on social security. The family further stated that the decedent had been well all of his life, except for a cough, and had never seen a physician. They said that the man complained of the noise made by his grandchildren on the morning of March 20 and, stating that he was tired, he had gone back to bed. Mrs. Emilia Villarreal, his wife, went to check up on him at 9:05 a.m. and found him dying.

Matilde Villarreal(continued)

Police were summoned; Officers Lindfors and Flint, Squad 163, responded. Detectives Pfeiffer and Finn also investigated this death.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance arrived on the scene a few minutes before the Police and the ambulance physician, Dr. Rikkers, pronounced the man dead.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the elderly Mexican of Indian extraction lying on his back dead in bed. He was dressed in trousers, shirt, sweater and sox. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arterio-sclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Except for wife, Emilia, names of survivors are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME ELKA GOLDISH Date of Death March 20

Place of Death	University Hospitals	Autopsy	Hospital post
Place of Injury	4857 Irving Avenue South	Effects Taken in charge	No
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Jan. 27, 1911 Age 49		
Birthplace	Duluth, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Sidney Goldish		
Names of Parents	Jacob Kohn Sadie Polinsky		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Post-traumatic encephalopathy with involvement of brain stem, and softening in area of pons.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Adath Jeshurun Cemetery Edina, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Hodroff & Sons Funeral Homes	Address	
		Social Security No.	
		Veteran	

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the University of Minnesota Hospitals at 3:50 p.m. on March 21, 1960.

According to Dr. J. Y. Feinstein, the family physician and friend of the Goldish family, about 10:30 a.m. on October 24, 1959, the decedent slipped and fell on the kitchen floor in her home, striking her head against the refrigerator. A daughter was upstairs in the home when this accident occured. Dr. Feinstein was summoned and he said that about 250 cc. of blood and spinal fluid had oozed from the left ear of the decedent by the time he arrived.

Elka Goldish (continued)

On November 23, 1959, the woman was taken to University Hospitals for neurosurgery. On November 24, a bilateral carotid angiogram was taken and an emergency tracheotomy performed. On November 27 a ventriculostomy was performed and on December 5 a trephine. For a time the woman seemed to improve then she began to have convulsions, became irrational and suffered with a stiff neck. It was thought she had a left parietal lesion.

On February 19, 1960, a right temporal craniotomy was done. On March 4 a lamisectomy was done for peritoneal shunt. The woman expired at 8:38 a.m. on March 20, 1960.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital. This revealed the cause of death to be post-traumatic encephalopathy with involvement of brain stem and softening in area of pons.

The body was released by a deputy coroner from the hospital directly to a mortuary.

Except for husband, Sidney, names of survivors are not known to this office.

Additional findings on autopsy of this decedent were alteration of condition by right temporal decompression with ventriculostomy; subarachnoid peritoneal shunt; pulmonary edema; thrombosis at junction of inferior vena cava and left iliac vein; mural thrombus in right pulmonary artery with slight narrowing of lumen.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60 — WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME FRED A. CAMPBELL — Date of Death March 21

Place of Death	1905 Stevens Avenue	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shepard
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 8, 1906 Age 53		
Birthplace	Anoka, Minn.		None except listed On Morgue Record
Occupation	Laborer - construction		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Ruth Campbell		
Names of Parents	Fred and (?) Campbell		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Severe coronary arteriosclerosis, with old myocardial infarction. Pulmonary emphysema and congestion. Aortic atherosclerosis.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Forest Hill Cemetery, Anoka, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Thurston & Sons, Anoka, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No.

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HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance driver at 1:10 p.m. on March 21, 1960.

The decedent, who had been in and out of the Veterans Hospital several times during the past few years, also had been under the care of Dr. Walter E. Krafft, Southdale, and was seen by him last on August 28, 1959.

On the afternoon of March 21, the decedent was scraping old paint from an overhead heating pipe when he became very fatigued. Then he became very short of breath and came to sit down on the living room sofa, complaining to his wife of extreme epigastric distress.

Fred A. Campbell (continued)

Mrs. Campbell summoned Police; Officers Compton and Nelson, Squad 118, responded. Detective Finn also investigated this death.

Police called for the rescue squad and an ambulance, but the physician aboard the ambulance, Dr. Rikkers, pronounced the man dead on arrival at 1:05 p.m.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the man, dressed in houseclothes, lying dead on the sofa in the living room. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy performed later that day revealed severe coronary sclerosis; old myocardial infarct with possible recent extension; pulmonary emphysema and fibrosis; nodular hyperplasia of prostate; aortic atherosclerosis; localized area of congestion in left upper lobe of lung. Toxicological analysis of the blood revealed no alcohol.

The body was released from the Hennepin County Morgue to a funeral director.

Survivors are wife, Ruth; son, Dale, Minneapolis; daughter, Phyllis, Michigan; stepsons, Robert and Roy Smith, Minneapolis; sister, Mrs. Vern (Olive) McLaughlin, Anoka, Mrs. Clarence (Mildred) Spahn, Minneapolis, Mrs. Meryle Babb, Kansas City; brothers, Kenneth, Superior, Wisconsin, Allen, Medford, Oregon.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60 — WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME MARY H. KELLNER — Date of Death March 21

Place of Death	3626 Harriet Avenue South
Place of Injury	
Residence	Benson, Minn.
Sex	Female
Birthdate	April 15, 1889 Age 70
Birthplace	New Jersey
Occupation	Housewife
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow
Name of Husband or Wife	John Kellner
Names of Parents	James and (?) McGee
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.
~~Accident~~	
~~Suicide~~	
~~Homicide~~	
~~Undetermined~~	
Place of Burial	Visitation Cemetery, Danvers, Minn.
Funeral Director	Barney Anderson Funeral Home

Autopsy	No
Effects Taken in charge	None
Effects Released to	
Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. Charles Kelly at 3:50 p.m. on March 21, 1960.

The decedent had been under the care of Dr. Norman W.Wagner for many years because of a heart condition. However, she had not consulted him during the past year.

On the afternoon of March 21, the woman was sitting in the kitchen of her daughter's home at 3626 Harriet Avenue South having coffee with her daughter and son-in-law, Donald Langaard. Suddenly, according to Langaard, the decedent started to gaze up at the ceiling and then began to waver out of her chair. Langaard caught her before she fell to the floor and carried her to a bed.

Mary H. Kellner (continued)

Dr. Kelly was summoned and he pronounced her dead on arrival, death having occurred at 3:30 p.m.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and examined the body before it was released directly to a mortuary. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME HAROLD K. COLTER Date of Death March 22

Place of Death	109 Washington Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$0.60; 1 billfold; 1 lighter; 1 key; 2 discharge papers.
Residence	813½ 12th Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	February 14, 1911 Age 49		
Birthplace	Marquette, Michigan		
Occupation	Laborer		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Divorced		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Samuel and ? Colter		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	Fred Colter, brother
Funeral Director	Anderson Peterson Funeral Chapel	Address	Crane Lake, Minn.

Bloemendaal

Social Security No. 470 16 3662

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 2:45 p.m. on March 14, 1960.

For the past seven or eight years the decedent, a laborer, had been a resident of Minneapolis. About eight months ago he was a patient in the Veterans hospital and their records reveal that in July 1959 the following diagnoses were made: arteriosclerotic heart disease; angina syndrome; coronary insufficiency; heart classification: grade 3. Since this period of hospitalization the man had been followed by the out-patient department and had last been seen there about a week ago.

Harold K. Colter (continued)

It was the habit of the man to come almost daily to the Persian Palms, 109 South Washington Avenue, and sit at the lunch counter for several hours. He was sitting at the counter talking to Arthur Joyner, the manager of the lunch counter, on the afternoon of March 22, when about 2:35 p.m., he suddenly slumped forward. Joyner laid the man on the floor and summoned the Police.

Officers W. L. Peterson and Gary Stevens, beatmen at Hennepin and Washington, responded to the call. Detective Finn also investigated this case.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned and the physician aboard, Dr. Rikkers, pronounced the man dead on arrival at 2:40.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on his back near the front of the lunch counter on the north side of the Persian Palms. The body was warm, rigor was absent, and there was moderate cyanosis of the head. There was no evidence of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Survivor is a brother, Fred Colter.

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FULL NAME MARVIN ANDERSON

Date of Death Fd. March 23

Place of Death	818 21st Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Richard A. Pfohl
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$9.37; 1 billfold; 1 box misc. coins; 1 Elgin watch; 1 lighter; 2 keys; 1 class ring; 1 stick pin; 1 bankbook #3788-$241.38-4th N. W. Nat'l. Bank.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	January 10, 1910 Age 50		
Birthplace	Hettinger, S. Dakota		
Occupation	Glass (Mirror) finisher		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Gilbert Anderson Anna Thompson		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Fatty metamorphosis of liver with early Laennec's cirrhosis.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~	Pulmonary congestion and edema, severe.		
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Blair, Wis.	Effects Released to	? Thompson, Uncle
Bloemendaal Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company 2301 Dupont Avenue South	Address	Blair, Wis.

Social Security No. 398 10 2802

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 1:05 a.m., March 23, 1960.

Larry Sly, a University student living in same apartment building as the decedent, states he had not seen the deceased on March 22nd. When he could not arouse any response when he knocked on the decedent's door, he looked in the window and thought someone was lying on floor, therefore, the police were notified, Officers Samuelson and Stenbakken of squad 132 responding.

Officers forced entry by breaking down door and found deceased dead on the floor of bedroom at approximately 12:45 a.m., March 23.

Mrs. Carlson, who lives in rear apartment at above address, states she heard a loud crash

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from apartment of deceased at about 2:30 a.m., March 22nd.

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on floor of bedroom, face down, fully clothed with the exception of his shoes. Rigor mortis was complete. A few drops of blood noted on floor beneath nose. There was no indication of other than natural death.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autospy was performed on March 23. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic and toxicological examination before determining the cause of this man's death.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME DANIEL A. LINDA

Date of Death March 23

Place of Death	Swedish Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Donald P. Reynolds
Place of Injury	4048 Central Ave. N. E., Columbia Heights, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	Sept. 10, 1959 Age 6 months		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	None		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Arthur Linda Patricia Pariseau		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Cerebral concussion and edema, due to fall resulting in comminuted fracture right occipital bone, with minimal extradural hemorrhage along fracture line.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Albinson Peterson Chapel, 1838 Central Ave.,	Address	

Bloemendaal

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Swedish Hospital at 3 a.m. on March 23, 1960.

At 7:30 on the evening of March 21, the infant fell out of his bassinet and landed on the back of his head. He was brought to the emergency room of Swedish Hospital at 8:30 p.m. and was seen by Dr.W. H. Thompson and Dr. White. Parents stated that the child did not lose consciousness, he cried after his fall and his eyes turned to the right in a fixed stare. The child was still conscious when brought to the hospital, he played with toys, his pupils were equal and regular, the eyegrounds negative and his reflexes equal. Xray of the skull was negative. The parents were allowed to take him home with a warning to bring him back immediately if anything unusual developed.

Daniel A. Linda (continued)

At 11 p.m. the parents telephoned the hospital and were told to bring the child back. He was admitted at 12:10 a.m. on March 22 and further examination disclosed neurological manifestations. A bilateral trephine was performed. The child expired at 2:35 a.m. on March 23.

Autopsy performed at the hospital disclosed cause of death to be cerebral concussion and edema due to fall resulting in comminuted fracture of right occipital bone with minimal extradural hemorrhage along fracture line.

A deputy coroner released the child's body from the hospital directly to a mortuary.

Survivors are parents, Arthur and Patricia Linda; sister, Susan K.; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur V. Linda and Mr. and Mrs. James E. Pariseau.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME ELDOR L. HANSON

Date of Death March 23

Place of Death	G. N. RR. tracks-28th St. & Virginia Ave., St. Louis Park,	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
Place of Injury	Same	Effects Taken in charge	$1.00; 3 checks - $20.00, 8.00, and $5.00; 1 Longines wrist watch; 1 billfold; 5 keys & knife; 3 ball pens; 1 lighter; 1 check book; 1 suit case; 1 valise.
Residence	1421 Hillsboro Ave., St. Louis Park, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 10, 1901 Age 59		
Birthplace	Montevideo, Minn.		
Occupation	Salesman - Automobile Club		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Valborg Hanson		
Names of Parents	Richard Hanson Mathilda Jacobson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Auto-RR. Accident -	Cardiac tamponade and left hemothorax, due to rupture right ventricle of heart, and multiple rib fractures, right, with laceration lower lobes of lungs, bilateral. Occipital skull fracture. Fractured pelvis. Laceration of spleen.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Brono Cemetery, Montevideo, Minn.	Effects Released to	G. Robert Werness, Funeral Director
Wright Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Funeral Chapel	Address	3700 Nicollet Ave. S.

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office at 9:05 p.m., March 23, 1960, by the St. Louis Park Police Department.

At approximately 8:31 p.m., March 23, 1960, the deceased, alone in his car, a 1959 Volvo bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. LR8205, was fatally injured when his automobile collided with a Great Northern Railroad Engine, #108, at the Virginia Avenue railroad crossing, approximately 65 feet north of West 28th Street in St. Louis Park.

According to the engineer, Mr. Anton Hagen, 5500 James Avenue North, Minneapolis, his train, known as the "Hopkins Transfer" was proceeding in an easterly direction on the Great Northern Hopkins spur line at about 10 miles per hour. The engine's lights were on bright and as it approached crossing of Virginia Avenue, the bell was ringing and whistle sounding. The Hanson vehicle, traveling north on Virginia Avenue from West 28th Street, apparently saw the engine of train as it started across roadway and turned right in an effort to avoid the engine. The right front corner of engine and left side of vehicle at rear made contact,

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pushing vehicle sharply to right where forward portion of right front wheel caught iron standard of railroad crossing sign between wheel and fender. Car started to climb sign post and left door of automobile sprung open, discharging driver on the ground. Vehicle then broke loose from sign post and jumped forward, coming to rest on body of deceased. When engine came to stop after accident, the train crew returned to scene of accident and lifted car from deceased. Deceased expired at the scene several minutes later.

Gene Hagen, 519 Eighth Street Southeast, fireman and Leonard Passon, train foreman, 4732 2½ Street Northeast, confirm the engineer's statement. Mr. A. R. McKeen, trainmaster, Great Northern Railroad, Minneapolis, states the train is approximately 130 feet in length and distance from center of crossing to rear of caboose where train came to stop was approximately 140 feet. He also stated regulations require speed of not more than 20 miles per hour for trains on this line at point of accident.

A witness to the accident, Mr. George Thompson, of 3225 Cavell Lane, stated he heard thetrain whistle for the crossing.

The police were notified, Officers R. Sorenson and Brooks of St. Louis Park responding. Other officers at the scene were Fred Stimson, Gramer, Sgt. Standal and Sgt. Schaefer, also of St. Louis Park Police Department.

A deputy coroner went to scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying beside his car, clothed in suit, overcoat and shoes. Heavy damage was noted to rear of automobile and to left side just in front of windshield and door. Right front step of switch engine bent back and under the engine; gray paint noted on right front handrail of engine and on Camelback carried on right side of engine. There were no lights at crossing except street light at 28th Street and Virginia Avenue.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on March 24. This revealed cardiac tamponade and left hemothorax; rupture right ventricle of heart; multiple rib fractures, right; laceration lower lobes of lungs, bilateral; occipital skull fracture; fracture of pelvis; and laceration of spleen.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Valborg; 4 sons, Robert and Burton, both of Minneapolis, Alan, FortAtkinson, Wis., 1st Lt. Paul, Abilene, Texas; two brothers, Bernt and Adolph, both of Montevideo; one sister, Mrs. Jerry Simonson, St. Paul; and 7 grandchildren.

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FULL NAME JOHN M. HEGG — Date of Death March 24

	Place of Death	109 Nicollet Avenue	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$4.10; 1 billfold; 1 card case; 1 Westclox watch; 1 glasses; 1 coin purse; 1 cigarette case; 3 keys.
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	Sept. 6, 1892 Age 67		
	Birthplace	Finland		
	Occupation	Laborer - railroad		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Unknown		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Unknown		Sold at Auction; proceeds deposited with County Treasurer
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Department of Anatomy University of Minnesota,	Effects Released to	Unclaimed cash deposited with County Treasurer
Kaplan	Funeral Director		Address	

Social Security No. 475 01 5183

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 9:15 a.m. on March 24, 1960.

At 8:50 a.m. on the above morning the decedent returned to the Mission after breakfast, sat down in the hotel lobby, collapsed and expired. Police were notified and Officer Jahr, Squad 511, responded.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent sitting in a chair with his overcoat on. The body was still warm, there was no rigor. There was no evidence of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

John M. Hegg (continued)

The man was said to have been going to the out-patient department of the Minneapolis General Hospital but the hospital had no records whatsoever on this man.

Railroad retirement fund records indicated that he began drawing $72.00 per month in 1958 at the age of 65. Papers in his possession indicated that he had been in Chicago, Duluth and in the South. The man was presumed to have a sister in Chicago but the minister at the Mission stated that he had been unable to obtain any information from him. He had told Police that he had no relatives.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue. Since the decedent had no funds for burial nor were there any relatives known to the Coroner's Office who could arrange for the burial of the man, it was necessary to release his body to the Department of Anatomy of the University of Minnesota.

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FULL NAME MARTHA BJERKE

Date of Death March 24

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury	3145 Second Avenue South	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	March 19, 1880 Age 80		
Birthplace	Norway		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Andrew Bjerke		
Names of Parents	Hans Henderson Martha Hjemdahl		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Bronchopneumonia. Fracture right femur. Generalized arteriosclerosis.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Orleans Cemetery, Cresco, Iowa	Effects Released to	
Kaplan Funeral Director	White Funeral Home,	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis General at 11:30 a.m. on March 24, 1960.

On January 10, 1960, the decedent fell on the floor in her home and fractured her right femur. She was brought to the Minneapolis General Hospital where an internal fixation was done with pinning on January 12. After a suitable length of time the woman was discharged and apparently was making satisfactory progress three months later when pneumonia developed. She was taken to Swedish Hospital for treatment but on March 22 she was transferred to General Hospital where she was admitted at 11:49 a.m. She expired at 11 a.m. on March 24.

Martha Bjerke (continued)

The body was released by a deputy coroner directly from the hospital to a funeral director. Death was ascribed to bronchopneumonia; fracture right femur; generalized arteriosclerosis.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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FULL NAME HENRY NELSON

Date of Death March 24

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	3701 Columbus Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	April 11, 1904 Age 55		
Birthplace	Willmar, Minn.		
Occupation	Real Estate Salesman		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Dorothy W. Nelson		
Names of Parents	Nels H. Nelson Pauline B. Hanson		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Intercerebral hemorrhage due to hypertensive heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Chapel	Address	

Kaplan

Social Security No. 472 03 3363

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Minneapolis General Hospital at 5:25 p.m., March 24, 1960.

It was stated, the deceased was driving west on 38th Street when he apparently suffered a "stroke" and lost complete control of his car, striking an approaching car in middle of intersection with Chicago Avenue. The accident occurred at 3:00 p.m., March 24, 1960. Driver of other vehicle involved reportedly told police officers that the deceased was traveling on wrong side of roadway but was moving very slowly.

Deceased was found slumped in his car in a comatose condition and was removed to Minneapolis General Hospital where he expired at 5:00 p.m. on date of admission.

There is a past history of long standing hypertension with an acute coronary thrombosis

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about 2½ years ago. He has apparently been in congestive failure since that time and has been under the care of Doctor O. Nelson.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital on March 25. This revealed that death was due to an intercerebral hemorrhage due to hypertensive heart disease. There was no evidence of any injury found at time of autopsy.

Survivors of the decedent include his wife, Dorothy W.; brothers, George N., Frederic P.; sisters, Mrs. Lettie Greathouse, Minneapolis, and Mrs. Tony Ruddy, Toledo, Ohio.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME STEVEN KRANZ

Date of Death March 24

Place of Death	University Hospitals	Autopsy	Dr. Bertram Woolfrey
Place of Injury	St. Peter, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Kasota, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	June 8, 1945 Age 14		
Birthplace			
Occupation	Student		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Harvey Kranz Bernice Matske		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Hypovolemic shock due to massive gastrointestinal hemorrhage due to azotemia, septicemia, third degree burns of 70% body surface.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Peter, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Robert V. LaMere St. Peter, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office at 5:35 p.m., March 24, 1960 by University Hospitals.

According to medical records at University Hospitals, the deceased and two children with whom he was baby sitting, Michael Olson, age 8, and his brother, Terrance Olson, age 2, were critically burned in a garage at St. Peter, Minnesota, about 9:00 p.m., March 13, 1960. They were admitted to University Hospitals on March 14.

Deceased expired on March 24.

This case was referred to this office, however, the death certificate was subsequently signed by Doctor Raymond Peterson of University Hospitals.

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FULL NAME WILLIAM C. KOBS

Date of Death March 25,

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Richard Pfohl
Place of Injury	3214 Logan Avenue N.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	3214 Logan Avenue North		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	August 7, 1901 Age 58		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Plant instructor - Board of Education		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Vivian Kobs		
Names of Parents	Fred Kobs Otellia Erndt		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Intracerebral hematoma due to fractured skull, due to fall down steps.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Crystal Lake Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes Funeral Director	Malone Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. 469 22 4357

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis General Hospital at 11:10 p.m. on March 25, 1960.

On March 20, 1960, the decedent fell down the stairs at home while drinking, according to the hospital records, and fractured his skull. He was brought to the Minneapolis General Hospital where he was admitted at 10:54 a.m. Later that day a trephine was performed. The man expired at 8:40 p.m. on March 25.

Autopsy performed at the hospital revealed the following: diffuse hypostatic pneumonia, both lower lobes; subarachnoid and subdural hematoma; extensive lacerations of the inferior portion of the right temporal and occipital lobes due to left temporal skull fracture.

William C. Kobs (continued)

The body was released by a deputy coroner from the hospital directly to a mortuary.

Except for wife, Vivian, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME JOHN ASK

Date of Death March 25

	Place of Death	Methodist Hospital, St. Louis Park, Minn.	Autopsy	Dr. Edward Segal
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	618 South Seventh Street		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	April 29, 1888 Age 71		
	Birthplace	Unknown		
	Occupation	Laborer		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Unknown		
	Names of Parents	Unknown		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Bilateral bronchopneumonia. Severe portal cirrhosis.		
	~~Accident~~ x			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Hoppes	Funeral Director	Hanson Nugent Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. Karl Andresen at 11:45 p.m. on March 25, 1960.

Some time ago the decedent fell down and injured his head. He was taken to the Montrey Rest Home for nursing care and later moved to the Swen Rest home. Then he entered the Methodist Hospital where he was a patient of Dr. Karl Andresen. He expired at 7:15 p.m. on March 25.

An autopsy performed at the hospital revealed the cause of death to be bilateral confluent bronchopneumonia; severe portal cirrhosis.

John Ask (continued)

A deputy coroner released the body from the hospital directly to a mortuary.

Names of survivors if any are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 1960 — WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME MICHAEL OLSON — Date of Death March 26

	Place of Death	University Hospitals	Autopsy	Dr. Bertram Woolfrey
	Place of Injury	St. Peter, Minn.	Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Kasota, Minn.		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	July 20, 1951 Age 8		
	Birthplace			
	Occupation	Student		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
	Name of Husband or Wife			
	Names of Parents	Verne Olson Joan Reaser		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	Accident	Shock, irreversible due to septicemia due to 3rd degree burns covering 50% of body surface.		
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Peter, Minn.	Effects Released to	
loemendaal	Funeral Director	Enger Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by University Hospitals at 8:20 a.m., March 26, 1960.

According to medical records at University Hospitals, the deceased, his brother, Terrance Olson, age 2, and their baby sitter, Steven Kranz, age 14, were critically burned in a garage at St. Peter, Minnesota, about 9:00 p.m., March 13, 1960. They were admitted to University Hospitals on March 14.

The deceased expired at 5:20 a.m., March 26.

This case was referred to this office, however, the death certificate was subsequently signed by Doctor Raymond Peterson of University Hospitals.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19....60.....

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME LEON A. FLANAGAN

Date of Death Fd. March 26

Place of Death	40 Washington Avenue South
Place of Injury	
Residence	Same
Sex	Male
Birthdate	February 5, 1893 Age 67
Birthplace	Ireland
Occupation	Flagman - railroad
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widower
Name of Husband or Wife	Iva Winder Flanagan
Names of Parents	William Flanagan Anna Rice
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~	
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~	
Place of Burial	
Funeral Director	Dept. of Anatomy, University of Minnesota,

Autopsy	No
Effects Taken in charge	1 Billfold; misc. papers.
	Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Effects Released to	(Destroyed - no value)
Address	-

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Social Security No. 481 01 7797

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 9:12 a.m. on March 26, 1960.

The decedent had been a patient of Dr. Elliot M. Latts, but was seen by him last in September 1959 at which time examination revealed emphysema, mild cirrhosis, blood pressure: 150/80; electrocardiogram: normal.

The man was found dead in his bed at 9:00 p.m. on March 26 by Henry Lueth, room clerk, who had last seen him alive at about 4:00 p.m. the previous day. Leuth summoned Officers Biggerstaff, Badge 141, and Stevens, Badge 199, beatmen at Marquette and Washington, who upon investigation notified this office.

Leon A. Flanagan (continued)

Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this death.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent, fully dressed, lying on his back on his bed, his feet on the floor. Vomitus was present at the corner of the mouth, the head and neck were intensely cyanotic, the body was in full rigor and essentially cool. There was no evidence of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue. Since the decedent had no funds for burial and no relatives were known to the Coroner's Office who could arrange for the burial of the decedent, it was necessary to release his body to the Department of Anatomy of the University of Minnesota.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60 — WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME SUSAN ANN MATHIES — Date of Death Fd. March 26

Place of Death	2801-93rd Ave. N., Brooklyn Park Village,	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Pfohl
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	March 3, 1960 Age 23 days		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	None		No clothing list on morgue sheet.
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Wendell Mathies Marcella Kappell		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Pulmonary congestion and edema.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Vincent's Cemetery Osseo, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Bloemendaal — Funeral Director	Gearty Davis Funeral Chapel, Robbinsdale, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 11:00 a.m. on March 26, 1960.

Three weeks ago this infant was born at Fairview Hospital: it was a full term delivery and a normal birth. Dr. William Thysell was the obstetrician. Since birth, according to the mother, the infant had not been ill at any time. At 6:00 a.m. on March 26, the mother fed her and put her back to bed. At 10:00 a.m. when she went to awaken the infant the mother stated that the infant was stiff and purple. The mother tried mouth-to-mouth resuscitation without success. Therefore, she summoned her sister and had her drive them to the fire station at 41st and Lyndale. The captain at the fire station summoned a Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance and the physician aboard, Dr. Severine, pronounced the infant dead on arrival.

Susan Ann Mathies (continued)

Police Officers D. E. Hanson and G. Millman, Squad 143, were on the scene to investigate this death.

A deputy coroner went to the fire station and found the infant's body cool and moderately cyanotic.

The mother stated that the five other siblings in the family all had been well except for "colds."

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where at the request of the parents an autopsy was performed later that day. This revealed pulmonary congestion and edema (possible incipient pneumonia); patent ductus arteriosus; patent ductus ovale; patent ductus venosum.

Except for parents, Wendell and Marcella Mathies, names of survivors are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME AVERILL J. MARKUSON

Date of Death March 26

Place of Death	5700 Wentworth Avenue South	Autopsy	Dr. Wilford Maldonado
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	1 ring (6 sm. 1 lg. clear stones); 1 ring (9 clear stones); 1 Benrus wrist watch.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	July 14, 1904 Age 55		
Birthplace	Wadena, Minn.		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Name of Husband or Wife	Gordon H. Markuson		
Names of Parents	Charles Walkder Ella Crosgrove		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Poisoning by ingestion of overdose of Thiopental.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Undetermined			
Place of Burial	Lakewood Cemetery	Effects Released to	Werness Brothers Chapel,
Bloemendaal Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Chapel	Address	3700 Nicollet Avenue, Minneapolis,

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Police Department at 8:55 p.m., March 26, 1960.

According to the deceased's husband, Gordon Markuson, the decedent had been at a party and had about six drinks since noon. They arrived home about 8:00 p.m. and deceased went upstairs. Shortly thereafter husband heard deceased falling down the stairs. He was unable to get door at bottom of stairway open, therefore, he notified the police, Officers responded and removed the door.

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was dispatched to the scene. Upon arrival, the ambulance physician confirmed the woman's death at 8:35 p.m., March 26.

AVERILL J. MARKUSON - continued

Upon being notified, a deputy coroner went to the scene and viewed the body. Deceased found lying on back at foot of steps leading upstairs. Body was warm and no rigor was evident. Multiple superficial abrasions were present. There was no evidence of fractures. House was orderly and panel in door was partially pushed out, apparently from fall.

It was stated, the deceased has been under the care of Doctor W. R. Goodchild for treatment of high blood pressure.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on March 27. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic and toxicological examination before determining the cause of this woman's death.

Survivors of the decedent include her husband, Gordon H.; daughter, Miss Mary K.; sister, Mrs. Doris Peterson, Aldrich, Minn.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME ROSE L. CAOUETTE

Date of Death Fd. March 26

Place of Death	1820 Stevens Avenue, Apt. 19	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	May 11, 1885 Age 74		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Occupational therapist - rest home.		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			No clothing listed on morgue sheet.
Names of Parents	Paul Caouette Anna Longosh		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Bloemendaal Funeral Director	Richard Gill Chapel	Address	

Social Security No. 475 07 0738

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 10:50 p.m. on March 26, 1960.

Floyd Fero, caretaker at 1820 Stevens Avenue, noticed that the evening papers for both March 25 and March 26 were laying outside the decedent's door. Using his passkey he tried to open the door of Apartment 19 to throw the papers inside; however, the night lock was fixed and his attempts to arouse the occupant failed. Therefore, he summoned Police. Officers Fort and Kolars, Squad 118, responded to the call. When the door was opened the decedent was found dead in her bed. This was at 10:30 p.m.

Rose L. Caquette (continued)

Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this case.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on her back naked in her bed. The body was cool, rigor was full and livor was present in dependent portions. Vomitus was on the pillow next to the head. There was no evidence of other than natural cause of death, which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

The family refused permission for autopsy.

Survivors are sisters, Anna Caquette and Mrs. Mary Mccormick; brother, John Caquette, all of Minneapolis.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19....60.....

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME PHOEBE MARGARET WALKER

Date of Death March 26

Place of Death	Fairview Hospital	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury	3411 - 33rd Avenue S.	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	October 28, 1872 Age 87		
Birthplace	Canada		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Widow		
Name of Husband or Wife	Thomas R. Walker		
Names of Parents	Charles Dupont Emile Blanger		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident	Subdural hematoma due to fall down stairs.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	McDivitt Hauge Chapel	Address	

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Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Fairview Hospital at 3:30 a.m. on March 27, 1960.

On March 20, 1960, the decedent fell down the stairs in her home and struck her head. She was taken to Fairview Hospital where a trephine was done that day. Dr. Joseph Geller of the Belzer Clinic was her physician. He had been treating her for some time for hypertension. She also had carcinoma of the breast. The woman expired at 3:10 a.m. on March 27.

Death was ascribed to subdural hematoma due to fall down stairs.

Phoebe Margaret Walker (continued)

The body was released by a deputy coroner from the hospital directly to a mortuary.

The family did not want an autopsy performed and Dr.Geller did not consider one necessary. The Coroner did not think that an autopsy should be ordered in this case against the wishes of the family.

Survivors are sons, Charles and James, Minneapolis, and Leon, Chicago; daughter, Mrs. Irene Grain and brother, Charles Dupont, Minneapolis; sisters, Mrs. Alice Dade and Mrs. Florence Repine, Salem, Oregon, and Mrs. Rosa Morton, Warren, Indiand; 17 grandchildren; 15 great grandchildren.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19....60.... WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME ARCHIBALD (ART) T. BENSON Date of Death Fd. March 27

Place of Death	In yard - rear of - 729 East 16th Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	729 East 16th Street		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	May 27, 1904 Age 55		
Birthplace	Lidgerwood, North Dakota		
Occupation	Transfer - self employed		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		No clothing listed on morgue sheet.
Name of Husband or Wife	Myrtle Benson		
Names of Parents	Oscar Benson Lena Boman		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Hillside Cemetery	Effects Released to	
loemendaal Funeral Director	Albinson Peterson Chapel, 1701 Chicago Avenue	Address	

Social Security No. 469 18 0891

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 3:20 p.m. on March 27, 1960.

The decedent had been under the care of Dr. David Eisenstadt for some time and was being treated for heart trouble and hypertension. He had last seen his physician about ten days ago and had been told at that time not to do any manual labor. However, on the afternoon of March 27, the man went out to drain water from his back yard which was very muddy. About 3:10 p.m. a neighbor, Gordon Boise, noticed that the man had fallen and was lying on the ground.

Archibald (Art) T. Benson (continued)

Boise summoned Police; Officers M. Nelson and E. F. Johnson, Squad 118, responded. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this case.

A Minneapolis General Hospital was also summoned and the physician aboard, Dr.Severin, pronounced the man dead on arrival at 3:20 p.m.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on his back in the mud. He was fully dressed. The body was warm, there was moderate cyanosis of the face, rigor was absent. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Survivors are wife, Myrtle; daughter, Mrs. Ronald (Marie) Spurlin; sons, Peter J. and James E. Benson; brothers, Carl J., Minneapolis, Theodore, Green Bay, Wisconsin, William, Schayler, Iowa, and John Benson, Lidgerwood, N. D.; 7 grandchildren.

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Year 19 60

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME PAULINE C. CORBETT — Date of Death March 27

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	1907 Fourth Avenue South		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	August 27, 1889 Age 70		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Men's Tailoring		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Thomas A. Corbett Odelia Glass		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Encelphalomalacia due to severe cerebral arteriosclerosis. Pneumonitis. Dehydration.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Gill Brothers Chapel	Address	

Bloemendaal

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis General Hospital at 9:00 p.m. on March 27, 1960.

The decedent, according to her sister, Virginia, with whom she had been living, went to bed one evening in December and did not get up from that time on. She had pain, swelling and paralysis in her arms and legs which became progressively worse. Her sister thought she had polio. The woman had not had medical attention since 1927. On March 25, 1960, according to the sister, the decedent became drowsy and would not eat. The following day a priest was summoned and she was given the last rites of the Roman Catholic Church. No medical care was sought.

Pauline C. Corbett (continued)

When she finally was admitted to the Minneapolis General Hospital the decedent was severely dehydrated, cachetic and moribund. A 9 x 9 cm. decubitus was found over her sacrum and she was covered with feces. Four and a half hours after her admission to the hospital, at 8:30 p.m. on March 27, the woman expired. Clinically the cause of death could not be determined.

An autopsy performed at the hospital revealed encephalomalacia; severe cerebral arteriosclerosis; pneumonitis; dehydration.

The body was released from the hospital by a deputy coroner directly to a mortuary.

Except for the above-mentioned sister, Virginia, names of survivors are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19.....60.....

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME JOSEPH HENRY NEUMANN

Date of Death March 28

	Place of Death	In woods - 1/4 mi. east of deceased's home, Plymouth Village,	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Box 281, Route #1, Hamel (Plymouth Village)		
	Sex	Male		
	Birthdate	February 13, 1907 Age 53		
	Birthplace	Plymouth Village		
	Occupation	Truck driver		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		No clothing listed on morgue sheet.
	Name of Husband or Wife	Sophie Blachowiak		
	Names of Parents	Clem Neumann Mary Fries		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
	~~Accident~~			
	Suicide	Asphyxia due to hanging.		
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	St. Joseph's Cemetery Plymouth Village,	Effects Released to	
Wright	Funeral Director	Gearty Davis Funeral Chapel, Robbinsdale, Minn.	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Hennepin County Sheriff's Office at 1:30 a.m. on March 28, 1960.

The decedent, according to his family, had been depressed recently because of an old back injury which prevented him from working. He also thought that a lesion on his lower lip was carcinoma. He had been under the care of Dr. W.W. Rieke.

About 7:30 p.m. on March 27, the decedent left his home and his family thought he was going over to a neighbor's home to pay his rent. However, when the lights were put out in the neighbor's home and the decedent failed to return the sons of the decedent, Paul and Henry Neumann, went out to look for him.

Joseph Henry Neumann (continued)

Paul Neumann went out into the woods east of the house with his dog and when he started to leave the woods the dog did not follow. Paul returned to where his dog had stopped and found his father hanging from a tree by a half-inch rope tied around his neck, his feet just touching the ground. This was at 12:30 a.m. on March 28.

The Sheriff's Office was notified and Deputies Seveola and Wald responded. Plymouth Village Police Chief Liem and Officer Wilson were also on the scene to investigate.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying on the ground under the tree, the rope still looped around his neck and the other end looped over the branch to which it had been tied. The man was fully clothed. The body was cool and rigor mortis was present.

Police Officers stated that when they arrived on the scene the man was still hanging to the tree, his feet just touching the ground.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Death was attributed to asphyxia due to hanging.

Survivors are wife, Sophie; sons, Paul and Henry, both of Hamel; daughters, Mrs.Arch (Agnes) Sonenstahl, Wayzata, Mrs. Don (Shirley) Faue, Hamel; mother, Mrs. Clem Neumann, Plymouth; brothers, Raymond, Rogers, and Clement, Holy Name; sisters, Mrs. Ray Ulhstrom and Mrs. Frances Theis, both of Minneapolis, Mrs. C. O. Dorweiler, Hamel, Mrs. Arnold Lehn, Anoka; 3 grandchildren.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19.....60..... WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME OTTO WANDRIE Date of Death March 28

Place of Death	1009 Marquette Avenue	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shepard
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$3.00; 1 billfold; 1 knife; 1 tape measure; 11 keys; 1 checkbook; 1 ball pen; 1 parking ticket.
Residence	1427 Bryant Avenue N.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	October 21,1898 Age 61		
Birthplace	Minnesota		
Occupation	Carpenter		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Ruth Wandrie		
Names of Parents	? and ? Wandrie		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease. Occlusion of right vertebral artery.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Lakewide Cemetery, Frazee, Minn.	Effects Released to	Mrs. Otto Wandrie, widow
Funeral Director	Miller Funeral Home, Frazee, Minn.	Address	1427 Bryant Avenue North

Wright

Social Security No. 472-20-2452

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 2:30 p.m. on March 28, 1960.

On the afternoon of the above date the decedent, who began working as a carpenter for the Stahr Company, 2809 Wayzata Boulevard, two weeks previously, complained to a fellow worker, Ed Berg, 5353 Fillmore, that he felt ill. He then laid down on the floor and within a few minutes was unable to talk. The foreman, Harold Smith, 3555 Girard Avenue South, summoned Police.

Officers Nelson and Kominski, Squad 118, responded to a call received at 2:25 p.m. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this death.

Otto Wandrie (continued)

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance went to the scene and the physician aboard pronounced the man dead on arrival at 2:27 p.m.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent, dressed in overalls, lying on his back on the floor. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed later that day. This revealed severe coronary sclerosis; occlusion of right vertebral artery; hypo development of left vertebral artery; myocardial fibrosis; minimal fatty infiltration of liver.

Except for wife, Ruth, names of survivors are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

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Year 19 60

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME EDWARD ST. JOHN CONDON

Date of Death Fd. March 28

Place of Death	1812 First Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$5.60; 1 key; 3 car tokens; misc. letters etc.
Residence	2618 Park Avenue		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	February 8, 1886 Age 74		
Birthplace	Chicago, Ill.		
Occupation	Attorney at Law		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Thomas Duggan Condon Katherine Carberry		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~ x			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Mary's Cemetery	Effects Released to	John P. Becker, Jr., Funeral Director
Funeral Director	Gleason Mortuary	Address	2650 Nicollet Avenue

Other effect's listed on Morgue Record

Wright

Social Security No. None

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. D. V. Jordan at 6:50 p.m. on March 28, 1960.

On the above date Dr. Jordan was called to 1812 First Avenue South by the sisters of the decedent and upon arriving at 6:30 p.m. found the man had been dead for two or three days. Dr. Jordon further stated that he had had the man hospitalized in Northwestern Hospital because of a cardiac condition several months ago but had not seen him professionally since that time. The doctor has previously attended the decedent from February 18 until March 5, 1953.

Edward St. John Condon (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent lying crumpled up on his right side on the floor. He was fully dressed except for shoes which were laying nearby. There was no remaining rigor; there was marked dependent livor. There was a black, discolored area of pressure necrosis on the right side of the face, the right anterior chest and both prepatellar areas. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death. There was no evidence of old or new blood in the apartment. Coins and housekey in the pockets of the decedent were already discolored green, the clothes were stained, the trousers almost dry, the leather belt rotten. It was the impression of the deputy coroner that the man had been dead at least 72 hours.

Mrs. Grace E. Richards, Apartment 104, the caretaker, stated that Olav LaGreide, the handyman, tried to get the decedent into a cab on March 26. LaGreide stated that he went up to help the man into a cab between 4 and 5 p.m. on that date, but when the cab driver refused to take a passenger who couldn't walk he lifted the decedent up into a chair and left. LaGreide further stated that at that time he noted what looked like a bruise on the face of the man something stuck to the eye like a patch on the side of the bruise. He added that he thought the decedent was alive although he apparently could not talk; however, the decedent did make a gasping sound when he picked him up.

In the apartment where the man was found dead was Mary E. Nilon, the occupant, who stated that she had lived there for 12 years. She stated that she did not know when the decedent came to visit but thought it was Friday (March 25). She added that the man came in and sat down in the chair but did not say anything; then he fell off and "lay there resting." Miss Nilon did not remember LaGreide being in the apartment. It was the impression of the deputy coroner that this woman was unable to take care of herself.

Police Officers J. Shanahan and W. Dunn, Squad 119, were on the scene to investigate this death. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this case.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

Death was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Names of survivors are not known to this office.

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CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME PETER GEORGE DOVOLOS

Date of Death March 29

Place of Death	Minneapolis General Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Pfohl
Place of Injury	Unknown	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	3323 Oakland Avenue South		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	May 25, 1912 Age 47		
Birthplace	Niata, Greece		
Occupation	Cook - restaurant		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Julia A. Dovolos		
Names of Parents	George Dovolos Chrisoula Brandetsas		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~			
Accident	Subarachnoid and subdural hematoma due to right occipital skull fracture.		
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan Funeral Director	Barney Anderson Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. 095-09-1807

Veteran WW II

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis General Hospital at 9:55 a.m. on March 29, 1960.

On March 27, 1960, the decedent was brought to the hospital by ambulance and was admitted at 12:55 a.m. He had been found at the bottom of the stairs at the Ponsford Apartments, 2222 Nicollet Avenue, where apparently he had fallen. The man was unconscious at the time of admission and alcohol was noted on his breath. He was found to have a right occipital skull fracture. A trephine operation was performed and subdural hematoma was found. The man expired at 9:40 a.m. on March 29.

Peter Dovolos (continued)

An autopsy was performed at the hospital that afternoon and this revealed the cause of death to be subarachnoid and subdural hematoma due to right occipital skull fracture.

The body was released by a deputy coroner from the hospital directly to a mortuary.

Police Officers Christiansen and Brucciani, Squad 533, and Detectives Rieman and Short, Stenberg, Wetherille, McHale and Meehan investigated this accident and death.

Except for wife, Julia, names of survivors are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME ISABELLE A. ANDERSON — Date of Death Fd. March 29

	Place of Death	1114 Fourth St. N.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	Dec. 14, 1913 Age 46		
	Birthplace	Grand Forks, North Dakota		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Norman Anderson		
	Names of Parents	Chris Bruce Hattie Henske		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Cerebral hemorrhage due to hypertension.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan	Funeral Director	Sundseth-Anderson Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 4:15 p.m. on March 29, 1960.

The decedent, according to her daughter, had had two "strokes" and a history of hypertension. She had been a patient in Minneapolis General Hospital in November 1959.

On the morning of March 29, according to the decedent's husband, the woman was all right when he left for work. However, when he returned home at 3:55 p.m. he found her dead in bed.

Isabelle Anderson (continued)

Police were summoned; Officers O. Stolp and D. Johnson, Squad 144, responded. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this case.

A Minneapolis General Hospital went to the scene and the physician aboard, Dr. Severin, pronounced the woman dead on arrival.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the woman lying in bed as described. The body was cold but there was no rigor mortis. There was no evidence of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to cerebral hemorrhage and hypertension.

Except for husband, Norman, names of survivors are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME FREDERICK J. FIBIGER — Date of Death March 29

Place of Death	Asbury Hospital	Autopsy	Dr. Richard Shepard
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$5.00; 1 billfold; 1 Westclox watch; 1 glasses.
Residence	1830 County Road H 2, Spring Lake Park, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	May 30, 1910 Age 49		
Birthplace	North Dakota		
Occupation	Carpenter - Haglund Construction Co.		Other effects listed on Morgue Record
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Helen Fibiger		
Names of Parents	Anton and Juliana Fibiger		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Accident			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Suicide	Barbiturate poisoning due to ingestion of overdose of barbiturates.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: Undetermined			
Place of Burial	St. John's Cemetery, New Brighton, Minn.	Effects Released to	Miller Funeral Home, By: Wallace Miller,
Funeral Director	Miller Funeral Home, Columbia Heights, Minn.	Address	Columbia Heights, Minn.

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Asbury Hospital at 11:10 p.m., March 29, 1960.

The deceased had been admitted to Asbury Hospital at 9:00 p.m., March 29, 1960, by order of Doctor A. N. Besseson. He expired several hours after admission, death occurring at 11:00 p.m.

Remains were removed to the Hennepin County Morgue where an autopsy was performed on March 30. In the opinion of the pathologist, it was deemed advisable to await completion of the microscopic and toxicological examination before determining the cause of this man's death.

Deceased has history of stomach surgery in 1958. In December of 1959, he again underwent surgery for removal of tumor in intestine according to his wife. Since surgery in 1959,

FREDERICK J. FIBIGER - continued

he has been in constant pain which became very severe after eating, it was stated. Deceased had worked from March 16th, 1960 through March 28th, the day preceding his death, arriving home about 4:30 p.m. on March 28th. Wife noted his face was an odd color upon his arrival. He sat down to eat about 15 minutes later, then commenced having difficult breathing and complained of pain in chest and back between shoulders; he went to lie down. On the following morning, the deceased did not feel well enough to work but went to see a chiropractor during the morning of March 29th. Wife states she noted at breakfast time that deceased had twitching on right side of face and eye appeared to be pulled down.

Deceased had been under the care of Doctor Bessesen and had not been drinking since 1958 although he had past history of heavy drinking. Wife states deceased was sober when she left for work on morning of March 29, but when she arrived home about 4:30 p.m., deceased had been drinking. She states she had him admitted to the hospital at this time because of his severe pain and her fear that it would cause him to commence drinking again.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60

WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME GEORGE FROSTAD

Date of Death March 30

Place of Death	In ambulance en route to-Veterans Hospital, Fort Snelling Reservation.	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	7633 Grand Avenue South Richfield, Minn.		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	January 28, 1893 Age 67		
Birthplace	St. Paul, Minn.		
Occupation	Plumber		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	John Frostad Valborg Tobiesen		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Kaplan Funeral Director	Werness Brothers Chapel	Address	

None except listed On Morgue Record

Social Security No. 475 07 7729

Veteran WW I

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by an Olson Ambulance driver, Ruddy Carlson, at 5:20 a.m., on March 30, 1960.

According to the decedent's sister, with whom the man lived, he had been a patient at Veterans Hospital, principally for an examination for pension and an old luetic condition was found.

For three days and nights prior to his death, the man had had severe chest pains and had been unable to sleep. At 1:30 a.m., March 30th, the deceased went to bed but got up again about 3:30 a.m. A sister, Mrs. Edwin C. Benson, states the deceased did not appear to know where he was for a short time after arising.

An Olson ambulance was summoned to take the decedent to Veterans Hospital. As the ambulance entered the gates of Veterans Hospital property, the deceased made a peculiar

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sound. The ambulance driver stopped the vehicle, and he and the assistant went to investigate. At this time, the man expired, death occurring at about 5:00 a.m.

The body was not taken to the hospital; instead the driver phoned this office and was advised to bring the body to the morgue.

Examination of the body by a deputy coroner indicated that death was due to natural causes. Death was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

Except for a sister, Mrs. Edwin C. Benson, previously mentioned herein, names of survivors are unknown to this office.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME GRACE MARGARET MC EACHERN

Date of Death March 30

Place of Death	Glenwood Hills Hospital Golden Valley, Minn.	Autopsy	Dr. Martin A.Segal
Place of Injury	914 N. 25th Avenue	Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Female		
Birthdate	Oct. 8, 1893 Age 66		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minnesota		
Occupation	Housewife		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Ronald G. McEachern		
Names of Parents	Fred Theriault Mary Fennell		
CAUSE OF DEATH: ~~Natural~~ / Accident / ~~Suicide~~ / ~~Homicide~~ / ~~Undetermined~~	Pulmonary embolism due to contusion and lacerations both frontal lobes of brain, and subdural hematoma, due to left occipital skull fracture.		
Place of Burial	Ft. Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	The Burr Mortuary	Address	

Hoppes

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office at 7:45 a.m. on March 30, 1960.

On February 28, 1960, the decedent fell downstairs in her home and fractured her skull. She was taken to Mount Sinai Hospital on that day and on March 17 was transferred to Glenwood Hills Hospital, where she was under the care of Dr. Paul Blake and Dr. Gordon S. Morrell. She expired at 6:35 a.m. on March 30.

An autopsy was performed at the hospital. This revealed the cause of death to be pulmonary embolism due to contusion and lacerations of both frontal

Grace Margaret McEachern (continued)

lobes of the brain and subdural hematoma due to left occipital skull fracture.

Except for husband, Ronald, names of survivors are not known to this office.

The body was released by a deputy coroner from the hospital directly to a mortuary.

CORONER'S RECORD

Year 19 60 — WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME JACOB LAIDERMAN — Date of Death March 30

Place of Death	Plymouth at Girard Avenue North	Autopsy	Dr. John G. Popowich
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$6.42; 1 billfold; 1 ring; 1 Hamilton wrist watch; 1 glasses; misc. papers, etc.
Residence	1654 Thomas Avenue North		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	May 30, 1893 Age 66		
Birthplace	Russia		
Occupation	Wholesale fruit		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Rose Laiderman		
Names of Parents	Joseph and (?) Laiderman		
CAUSE OF DEATH — Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Accident~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Suicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Homicide~~			
CAUSE OF DEATH — ~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	United Hebrew Brotherhood Cemetery, Richfield, Minn.	Effects Released to	L. N. Laiderman, son
Funeral Director	Hodroff & Sons Funeral Homes, Minneapolis, Minn.	Address	

Other effects listed on Morgue Record

Hoppes

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 7:20 a.m. on March 30, 1960.

On the morning of the above date the decedent was driving east on Plymouth Avenue North by himself in his 1953 Chevrolet two-door automobile, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. MR9023, when the vehicle apparently went out of control, climbed the curb and ended up on the lawn of the Hodroff Funeral Home, 1306 Plymouth Avenue North. The driver was found dead.

Mr. A. A. Hodroff summoned Police; Officers Steal and Ersbo, Squad 144, responded. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this death.

Jacob Laiderman (Continued)

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance went to the scene and the physician aboard, Dr. Rikkers, pronounced the man dead at 7:15 a.m.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the man, dressed in street clothes, lying in the front seat of his automobile. The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue.

Autopsy performed later that day revealed severe coronary sclerosis; old infarction, left ventricular wall and posterior septum; severe myocardial fibrosis; cardiomegaly.

Toxicological examination of the decedent's blood was negative for alcohol.

Except for wife, Rose, names of survivors are not known to this office.

The automobile of the decedent did some damage to the Hodroff lawn and it was necessary to tow the vehicle to Bishop's garage.

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

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FULL NAME DONALD E. FARLEY

Date of Death March 31

Place of Death	3432 Bryant Avenue South	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	July 19, 1908 Age 51		
Birthplace	Minneapolis, Minn.		
Occupation	Welder - Remington Rand Univac		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
Name of Husband or Wife	Ruth B. Farley		
Names of Parents	Edward P. Farley Rose A. Baden		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	Resurrection Cemetery, Mendota, Minn.	Effects Released to	
Funeral Director	Flynn & Sons Funeral Home	Address	

Social Security No. 470-32-5800

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 8:05 a.m. on March 31, 1960.

The decedent according to his wife, Ruth, had complained of chest pain and indigestion last evening. He took some alkaseltzer but obtained no relief from this. He was restless most of the night and vomited several times. In the morning he still had some indigestion but decided to go to work; he left the house about 6:30 a.m. About 7:40 a.m. Mrs. Farley looked out of the window and saw that the automobile was still in the yard and the motor was running. She went to investigate and found the man slumped over the steering wheel of his 1954 Plymouth, bearing 1960 Minnesota license No. 5R-6422.

Donald E. Farley (continued)

A Minneapolis General Hospital ambulance was summoned but the ambulance physician pronounced the man dead on arrival at 8:05 a.m.

Officer Petterson, Squad 153, was on the scene to investigate this death.

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent slumped over the steering wheel as described. The window of the automobile was rolled down on the driver's side. The body was warm, livor and rigor mortis were absent. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The man's son stated that a new muffler had been put on the automobile. However, carbon monoxide poisoning was not suspected in view of the absence of pink discoloration of the skin and the fact that the car was parked outside with the window rolled down.

Except for the man's wife, Ruth, names of survivors are not known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

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FULL NAME JOSEPH SVENKO — Date of Death Fd. March 31

Place of Death	14 Grove Street	Autopsy	No
Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	$6.57; 1 key; 1 knife.
Residence	Same		
Sex	Male		
Birthdate	March 14, 1879 Age 81		
Birthplace	Poland		
Occupation	Laborer - railroad		
Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Single		
Name of Husband or Wife			
Names of Parents	Mickel and Mary Svenko		
CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
~~Accident~~			
~~Suicide~~			
~~Homicide~~			
~~Undetermined~~			
Place of Burial	St. Anthony Cemetery	Effects Released to	Rainville Funeral Home
Bloemendaal Funeral Director	Rainville Funeral Home	Address	Minneapolis, Minn.

Social Security No.

Veteran No

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by the Minneapolis Police Department at 1:00 p.m. on March 31, 1960.

About 10:00 a.m. on March 30, Dace Ingalls, who lives in apartment 7 at 14 Grove Street, had soup with the decedent. When Ingalls did not hear the man moving about his room the next morning, he got a key from the caretaker, entered and found the man dead. This was at 12:20 p.m.

Ingalls summoned Police: Officers Klaussen and Ochu, Squad 125, responded. Detectives Rieman and Short also investigated this case.

Joseph Svenko (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent, fully dressed, lying on the floor of his room. The body was cold, rigor mortis and livor were full. There was no evidence of other than natural cause of death which was attributed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was removed to the Hennepin County Morgue and later released to a funeral director.

No survivors are known to this office.

CORONER'S RECORD

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WILLIAM G. GUTHRIE, M. D., Coroner

FULL NAME BESSIE DUKATZ

Date of Death Fd. March 31

	Place of Death	770 Emerson Avenue N.	Autopsy	No
	Place of Injury		Effects Taken in charge	None
	Residence	Same		
	Sex	Female		
	Birthdate	July 10, 1897 Age 62		
	Birthplace	Minnesota		
	Occupation	Housewife		
	Single, Married, Widowed, Divorced	Married		
	Name of Husband or Wife	Arthur W. Dukatz		
	Names of Parents	Frank and ? McCoy		
	CAUSE OF DEATH: Natural	Arteriosclerotic heart disease.		
	~~Accident~~			
	~~Suicide~~			
	~~Homicide~~			
	~~Undetermined~~			
	Place of Burial	Fort Snelling National Cemetery	Effects Released to	
Bloemendaal	Funeral Director	Welander Quist Company, 1200 West Broadway,	Address	

Social Security No.

Veteran

HISTORY:

This case was reported to the Coroner's Office by Dr. Robert Kohlhase at 2:20 p.m. on March 31, 1960.

The decedent had been under the care of Dr. Kohlhase for some time for arteriosclerotic heart disease and luetic aortic insufficiency. He had last seen the woman on October 5, 1959. For the past two years she had been confined to bed with a leg fracture. She was last seen alive by her husband about 2:00 a.m. on March 31. He stated that when he got up later in the morning he decided to let her sleep. When he went to awaken her at about 1:30 p.m.,he found her dead.

Mr. Dukatz summoned Dr. Kohlhase, who notified this office as soon as he arrived at the home.

Bessie Dukatz (continued)

A deputy coroner went to the scene and found the decedent, dressed in bed clothes, lying on her back in her bed. The body was cool, rigor was full, livor was present. There was no indication of other than natural cause of death which was ascribed to arteriosclerotic heart disease.

The body was released from the home directly to a mortuary.

Except for husband, Arthur, names of survivors are not known to this office.

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