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Registration District No. 26

Primary Registration District No. 5034

Registrar's No. 53

1. PLACE OF DEATH: Unknown
 (a) County Unknown, body found about one
 (b) City or town mile east of Molina, Mo
 (If outside city or town limits, write "RURAL" and name of township)
 (c) Name of hospital or institution: Salt River Sup
 (If not in hospital or institution, write street number or location)
 (d) Length of stay: In hospital or institution..... (Specify whether
 In this community.....
 years, months or days)

2. USUAL RESIDENCE OF DECEASED:
 (a) State Mo (b) County Andrew
 (c) City or town Rural
 (If outside city or town limits, write "RURAL")
 (d) Street No..... (If rural, give location)
 (e) Citizen of foreign country?..... (Yes or No)
 If yes, name country.....

3. (a) PRINT FULL NAME Unidentified
 3. (b) If veteran, name war..... 3. (c) Social Security No.....

4. Sex male 5. Color or race white 6. (a) Single, widowed, married, divorced XXXX
 6. (b) Name of husband or wife XXXX 6. (c) Age of husband or wife if alive..... years

7. Birth date of deceased: unknown
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

8. AGE: Years Months Days If less than one day
 about 35 hr. min.

9. Birthplace unknown
 (City, town, or county) (State or foreign country)

10. Usual occupation.....

11. Industry or business.....

MOTHER FATHER
 12. Name.....
 13. Birthplace..... (City, town, or county) (State or foreign country)
 14. Maiden name.....
 15. Birthplace..... (City, town, or county) (State or foreign country)

16. (a) Informant.....
 (b) Address.....

17. (a) Burial (b) Date thereof April 5 1942
 (Burial, cremation, or removal) (Month) (Day) (Year)

(c) Place: burial or cremation Elmwood

18. (a) Signature of funeral director Charles Small Jr.
 (b) Address Mexico, Mo

19. (a) Apr 5 1942 (b) Margaret H Mackie
 (Date received local registrar) (Registrar's signature)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATION

20. DATE OF DEATH, Month ap unknown, found 2
state April 5, 1942, afternoon
 year hour minute M.

21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from.....
to have died about one
 that I last saw him..... alive on....., 19.....
 and that death occurred on the date and hour stated above.

Immediate cause of death Coroner's Verdict:
I find that the deceased
was murdered by being
shot through the neck
and thrown in a creek with
weight unroof to etc
body
 Due to.....
 Due to.....
 Other conditions.....
 (Include pregnancy within 3 months of death)

Major findings:
 Of operations..... 168
 Of autopsy.....
 PHYSICIAN
 Underline the cause to which death should be charged statistically.

22. If death was due to external causes, fill in the following:
 (a) Accident, suicide, or homicide (specify) murder
 (b) Date of occurrence unknown, about March 14, 1942
 (c) Where did injury occur?..... (City or town) (County) (State)
Andrew Mo
 (d) Did injury occur in or about home, on farm, in industrial place, in public place?
Body found about 1 mi east of Molina, Mo
 While at work?..... (Specify type of place) (e) Means of injury.....

23. Signature E. B. Burton, Coroner (M. D. or other) 3
 Address Mexico, Mo Date signed 4/5/42

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District Health Officer No. 10

District File Number 542-918

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Embalmed

STATEMENT BY LICENSED EMBALMER

I hereby certify that the body whose name is recorded on the reverse side of this certificate was embalmed by me, or by.....
....., Registered Apprentice No.....
working under my personal supervision.

not

Signed.....

Licensed Embalmer No.....

P. O. Address.....

Note: The above MUST BE SIGNED BY THE LICENSED EMBALMER in his OWN HANDWRITING. (Failure to comply with the above constitutes grounds for revocation of license.)

If this body is not embalmed, fact should be so stated above.

FINN MURDERED MAN IN SALT RIVER SUNDAY

An unidentified man, believed to have been dead for more than a month, was found weighted down with a rock in Salt River, 2 miles east of Molino about 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning by a group of children. Two bullet holes in his throat and his temple bashed in, along with the approximate 30-pound weight tied to his body, produced the verdict of murder from Coroner E. Y. Burton.

The body was found face down under the Heizer bridge, the back of the head and shoulders above the water. It was found by Ola Mae Heizer, 9, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Heizer, who live about 200 yards east of the bridge; Henry Lee Hebel, 16, Howard Wayne Hebel, 14, and Frances Hebel, 10, children of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hebel of Jefferson City who were visiting the Heizers, and Bobby Williams, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Williams of Molino.

Heavily Dressed

The man was dressed in a brown suit coat and denim over-all pants. Under his coat he wore a green zipper sweater, a dress shirt, a heavy-ribbed brown sweater and an undershirt. Besides the denim pants, he also wore a pair of seersucker trousers and a pair of blue wool trousers. A shirt pocket held cigarettes and some paper to roll cigarettes.

The man was about 35 years old, had sandy or red hair, was about 5 feet 11 inches tall, and weighed about 175 pounds.

Officers suggested there may have been a connection with the death of this man and the robbery February 16 of the Molino School and Perry Davis store at Santa Fe.

Stops In Molino

On that day, men in a Model A Ford stopped at the filling station of Clark Williams of Molino to buy oil for the car, which leaked oil. Mr. Williams said that in the car were two strange men, with possibly a third in the back seat. Later residents of the Heizer community said they saw a fire beneath the bridge where the man was found.

Buried Sunday

The condition of the body made immediate burial necessary. It was buried Sunday evening. His clothes was kept and will be more carefully inspected later.

The coroner's verdict was that the man "came to his death by being murdered by bullet wounds through the neck, head crushed, and submerged in Salt River, his body weighted down with a large stone."

Miss Nancy Curtright, Miss Mary Evelyn O'Brien and Miss Betty Burch. Later lovely refreshments were served.

All-here's where I get to
hotel **Ben**

WM. F. VICTOR
MANAGER

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Baptist Church at a covered dish supper at the church. Bouquets of jonquills with lighted yellow tapers on each side formed the table centerpiece. Miss Hazel Guthrie was in charge of the program which followed the business meeting presided over by the president, Miss Louise Dollens. Miss Lovola Elam gave the Devotional and the Rev. George Hammon was the guest speaker. Mrs. Hammon was an additional guest. Others present were Miss Blanche Neely, Miss Fannie Edwards, Mrs. Reva Collins, Mrs. Ellis Davis, Miss Ida Lee Bush, Mrs. H. A. Gorrell, Mrs. Ben C. Elliot, Mrs. H. L. Klutz, Miss Bessie Denton, Miss Ruth Barton, Miss Bess Woods, Miss Mildred Glandon, Mrs. J. M. Smith.

MISS SAMPSON HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB (1942)

Miss Willadene Sampson was hostess to members of the Monday Night Bridge Club at her home last night. Guests invited were Miss Lucile Hall and Miss Gloria Ravelo. Miss Lutie Holtman won the high score award at bridge for members. Others present were Miss Bernadine Bartels, Miss Josephine Truitt,