

VOLUNTARY STATEMENT

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DATE: 2/14/94 TIME: 8:44P PLACE: 1726 E Marion Rd, Bucyrus, Ohio

I, Nancy L. Smathers as 40 years old. My Date of Birth is 9/6/53

Address: 1726 E. Marion Rd;

Phone #: (740) 562-1798 My SSN#: 300-52-3981

I am giving this statement to P.H. D.A. Koeckle I.D. # 15

I do hereby knowingly, intelligently and voluntarily make the following statement at my own freewill and without any promises or offers of leniency or favors and without compulsion or persuasion by any person or persons whatsoever:

Q: Can you tell what you saw regarding events of 2/13/94?

A: Sitting in living room, heard six loud pops, counting them. Got up to door, then I saw someone run to the parking lot, got in his car, he backed in like he knew he'd be leaving in a hurry. He turned the lights on, and went speeding out of here. He could make the curve. Tires would turn and he slid into the snow bank. When he slid into that he got out and was pulling on the frame rocking the car and shifting gears back and forth at the same time. He was panicked, trying to get it out in a hurry. After a couple times he got it backed out. He got in, gave it the gas, and sped out of here. When he was standing out of the car it was a 2 door, creme color, real light, green, yellow or blue, light color car. It wasn't a small or big car, just a medium size car. Most back windows slope. This one was cut straight down, then the trunk came out. He was dressed in dark clothes, had on one of those dark brown jackets that has the fur in them, and had a toboggan on. 6 foot tall or close to it, on the husky size build. After he got out and sped out, he went right, like back to town. Once he went out I didn't think anything of it, like a fight and him getting out. I called the landlady.

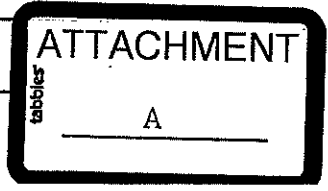
Q: Before all that did you notice anyone suspicious in the area? A: No.

Q: After ambulances arrived did you notice anyone similar to who you saw in the car using the pay phone or around? A: No I saw a big husky dude at the pay phone, but saw him later on, where they did the plaster cast. The man driving was colored he was a black man. Here lately we've had an

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Nancy L. Smathers
signature of person making voluntary statement
P.H. D.A. Koeckle
(statement taken by)

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Excessive amount of black people out here. With the apartment back here where there's a fucker. Q: Was the driver wearing a hat when you saw him? A: Yes a dark colored toboggan. Q: Can you describe the shape of his head? A: Pretty much round, nothing distinctive to it, round face, round head. Q: How about pants and shoes? A: They were like dark dress pants, not jeans, and not tennis shoes, pants might have been grey, the shoes black, a dark color, pants dark too. Q: Was he carrying anything? A: He didn't act as if he was, he got out 1 foot out, then grabbing the window trying to get it loose, he was panicked. Q: If you saw him again would you recognize him? A: I don't think so. Q: How about the car? A: It's possible, I don't know the make and model. Q: Any front end damage? A: I saw only the side, there was just 1 person in the car. Q: You heard him cussing? A: Heard him mumbling something, acted as if anytime he would give up and just try to get out. Q: Could you see taillights? A: Seems they were rectangular, I think two with a round one in the middle, light was out on license plate, it was dark. Q: Had exhaust? A: The way he was gunning it I was surprised, it was quiet, and the sides were smooth, no moulding, and the dome light was burnt out, when the door was open it wasn't on. Q: Did he have gloves on? A: He didn't have gloves on. Q: Color coat? A: It was a dark brown, fur lined, short coat, not a parka.

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