

Wolfer's Log

Los Angeles Police Department
EMPLOYEE'S REPORT

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Log of Work Performed

DATE & TIME REPORTED

6-20-68 to Present

Room 413, Firearms-Explosives

DIVISION OF OCCURRENCE

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NAME, ADDRESS, DIVISION

Lt. D.W. Mann, O-I-C, Criminalistics Section, S.I.D.

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DETAILS:

June 5, 1968 - Wednesday

- 1:00 a.m. - Received call at home
- 2:00 a.m. - Arrived at Ambassador.
Crime Scene - Sgt. MacArthur
Photographer - Charles Collier
Orientation photos taken.
Crime scene search for physical evidence.
- 4:00 a.m. - Requested Sergeant LaVallee for crime scene sketch.
Reconstruction of firing positions.
Second (2nd) search of crime scene.
- 8:00 a.m. - Returned to Parker Center for more equipment.
- 8:30 a.m. - Rampart Station - Lt. Hughes to discuss case.
- 9:30 a.m. - Ambassador Hotel - Further search of crime scene.
- 10:30 a.m. - Swept entire floor surface of kitchen and west ante room.
Searched debris for physical evidence.
- 1:30 p.m. - Parker Center.
- 1:45 p.m. - Central Property - Parker Center.
Item #29 - Poss. 22 cal. slug (Stroll)
Item #22 - Iver Johnson Rev.
Item #12 - 8 expended shells
Item #1 - 22 cal. slug (Goldstein)
Item #2 - Mt. slip
Item #3 - Receipt
- 2:00 p.m. - Laboratory.
Examined Iver Johnson to determine number of shots fired.
Type of ammunition used.
Working conditions of weapon.
- 3:30 p.m. - Examination of ceiling tile from scene.
Chemical and microscopic.
- 5:30 p.m. - End of Watch.

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June 6, 1968 - Thursday

- 7:00 a.m. - Examination of ceiling tile.
X-Ray.
- 8:30 a.m. - Microscopic examination of Goldstein and Stroll bullets.
- 9:30 a.m. - Meeting with Rampart Detectives.
- 10:00 a.m. - Infrared studies of Kennedy's coat.
- 11:00 a.m. - Regular lab work.
- 3:15 p.m. - Received Kennedy bullet from Rampart Detectives.
- 4:00 p.m. - End of Watch.
- 9:00 p.m. - Comparison of Kennedy and Goldstein bullets.
- 6-7-68 1:00 a.m. - End of Watch.

June 7, 1968 - Friday

- 7:00 a.m. - Laboratory Work.
- 8:00 a.m. - Reported to Grand Jury.
- 10:00 a.m. - Microscopic and chemical test on Kennedy's coat.
- 2:55 p.m. - Cascade Cartridge Company - Telephoned.
- 3:00 p.m. - Grand Jury.
- 5:00 p.m. - End of Watch.

June 8, 1968 - Saturday

- 8:00 a.m. - Chronograph tests on mini-mag ammunition -
2" Iver Johnson - California State College
at Long Beach.

June 9, 1968 - Sunday

- 9:30 a.m. - Meeting, Room 618, Parker Center.
- 4:00 p.m. - End of watch.

June 10, 1968 - Monday

- 7:00 a.m. - Laboratory work.
- 8:25 a.m. - Telephoned Iver Johnson.
- 9:00 a.m. - Reproduction of maps
Photography - Studies of evidence.
- 11:45 a.m. - Gun shop for ammunition.
Mr. Ben Herrick
Lock, Stock'n Barrel
8972 East Huntington
San Gabriel, California
- 1:30 p.m. - Coroner's Office.
- 3:30 p.m. - Construction of devices to conduct
muzzle test with Coroner.
- 5:00 p.m. - End of Watch.

June 11, 1968 - Tuesday

- 8:00 a.m. - Farmer John's - pig ears.
- 9:30 a.m. - Coroner's Office - Dr. Noguchii.
Study of X-Rays, photos, etc. of Kennedy's wounds.
- 10:30 a.m. - Academy (Dr. Noguchii)
Muzzle distance test.
- 2:40 p.m. - Ambassador Hotel.
Reconstruction of crime scene.
Ballistic studies.
- 5:35 p.m. - End of Watch.

June 12, 1968 - Wednesday

- 7:00 a.m. - X-Rays of evidence.
- 12:30 p.m. - Photographs of evidence bullets.
- 1:00 p.m. - Reconstruction of Kennedy's coat
and ballistic studies.
- 4:00 p.m. - Study of soot patterns made at the Academy
with photos of Kennedy's ear and H-Acid test.
- 5:35 p.m. - End of Watch.

June 13, 1968 - Thursday

- 7:00 a.m. - Ballistic studies - maps and questions to ask victims.
- 9:30 a.m. - Received Items #24 and #25, bullets from Kennedy's head (Lodola, Patchett and MacArthur).
- 12:30 p.m. - Coroner's Office.
- 2:00 p.m. - Reports.

June 14, 1968 - Friday

- 8:00 a.m. - Ballistic tests and clean fatal bullets. Ammunition and nitrite patterns.
- 1:00 p.m. - Photos taken in color of Kennedy's head bullet by Watson.
- 2:00 p.m. - H-Acid tests - for nitrite pattern.

June 17, 1968 - Monday

- 7:00 a.m. - Reports.
- 8:00 a.m. - Bullet comparison Kennedy's head.
- 12:00 Noon - Cartridge study - CCI Kennedy's bullet weight.
- 3:00 p.m. - X-Rays of door-jam.

June 18, 1968 - Tuesday

- 8:00 a.m. - Search and Ballistic study of Ambassador.
- 11:00 a.m. - Study of court exhibit of Ambassador Hotel.
- 11:15 a.m. - Discussion of sound test - Ambassador Hotel.
- 3:00 p.m. - 526 South San Pedro Sound Level Meter

June 19, 1968 - Wednesday

- 7:00 a.m. - Witness map changes
- 8:30 a.m. - Received Goldstein cloth from Patchett.
- 9:00 a.m. - Reports and maps.

CONTINUATION SHEET