

REPORT ON **Information re: incident at Philadelphia** ASSIGNED TO _____ M.O. FORM PREPARED BY COMPLAINT NO. _____

PLACE OF OCCURRENCE: **Linwood** YES NO

CENSUS TRACT: **07-180** SCOUT CAR AREA: **10-24**

TYPE OF BUSINESS: **Church** TYPE OF BUILDING: **2 story concrete**

PERSON REPORTING OFFENSE (AGE SEX/COLOR): _____ TITLE: _____ ADDRESS: _____ TELEPHONE: _____

COMPLAINANT'S NAME: _____ ADDRESS: _____ PHONE BUS. RES.: _____ AGE SEX COLOR: _____

RECEIVED BY OFFICER: **Sgt. Harold Smith** TIME: **3:00 AM** DATE: **3-29-69**

VICTIM AND PERPETRATOR ARE: RELATED ACQUAINTED STRANGERS UNKNOWN

METHOD OF ENTRY: _____ METHOD OF ESCAPE: _____ DESCRIBE WEAPON: UNKNOWN

STATE NUMBER OF PERPETRATORS HERE OR CHECK BOX IF NUMBER IS UNKNOWN: IF ONLY ONE PERPETRATOR, DESCRIBE HERE: MALE FEMALE JUVENILE ADULT WHITE NEGRO OTHER UNKNOWN

OTHER UNIT NOTIFIED: _____ NAME OF PERSON NOTIFIED: _____ TIME: _____ DATE: _____

IMPORTANT: PRIOR TO BODY OF REPORT BELOW, GIVE NAME, AGE, COLOR, ADDRESS, AND CHARGE OF EACH PERSON ARRESTED. (IF NONE, CHECK BELOW.) GIVE ADDITIONAL DETAILS OF OCCURRENCE, PERSONS, AND PROPERTY NOT INCLUDED ABOVE. IF MORE THAN ONE PERPETRATOR, DESCRIBE BELOW.

NO ARRESTS At approximately 11:45 PM this date Sgt Harold Smith and Patr. James Boylan, Vanguard #2, monitored an "Officer in Trouble" run at Linwood & Euclid. Seconds later while enroute to that location supplemental information was given by radio that the officers were shot. Upon arrival Patr. Czapski was found wounded and lying on the side walk on his back on Linwood south of Philadelphia. The writers assisted in putting him on a stretcher and into Scout 10-6, manned by Patr. Madsen and Marklin, and was sent to Ford Hospital. Patr. Worobeck was then found lying on the side walk next to his scout car on the east side on Linwood, north of Philadelphia. He was put into Sgt 10*18 and sent to Ford Hospital also. At this time Patr. Beatty and McGonag were assigned to Vanguard #2 came up to Sgt. Smith with an unidentified N/W in custody. The N/W stated that there were several men in the church with rifles. Patr. Beatty and McGonag were instructed to convey their prisoner into #10. At this time there were several shots from the direction of the Philadelphia entrance of the building. Officers were instructed to cover the various exits of the building and Sgt. Smith in company with several other officers, including Patr. Rossler #10 Cruiser, went to the front door and found it to be locked. The interior of the building at this time was dark except for a dim light at the far end of the auditorium. Repeated attempts to gain entry were to no avail and Patr. Rossler being armed with a shot gun was ordered to shoot out the glass door. This being done, Sgt. Smith in company with several unidentified officers entered the building and as we did so we observed what appeared to be a man pointing a rifle in our direction, this occurring after any occupants of the building had been ordered to come out with their hands up. Getting no response and seeing the man armed with the rifle in the vicinity of the Podium, Sgt. Smith fired 2 shots from his de t issued Smith and Wesson, .38 specila revolver, Serial # 3 795042, IPD # 12895 at the man. There were several more shots fired by others. An order was given to all police officers

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER RECEIVING REPORT: *Harold Smith* 5-234 VANGUARD 2

NAMES OF OTHER OFFICERS INVOLVED: *James B Boylan* 217 VANGUARD 2

SIGNATURE OF RANKING OFFICER CHECKING REPORT: *Joseph Porter* Lt. RANK: _____

to hold their fire when it appeared that ~~xxxxx~~ the firing from ~~ixix~~ had ceased. The order to any occupants the building to stand up with their hands up was repeated. a few persons stood up and were then followed by many more including women and children. all of the occupants were ~~xxxxx~~ ordered to the side of the building against the wall where they remained until each was searched and subsequently transferred by prisoner bus to Headquarters.

After putting the wounded officers in the wagons, Patr. Boylan went to the north entrance on the west side of the building. Finding the glass window in the door broken and observing movement inside the building, Patr. Boylan enlarged the broken portion of the glass and in company with two unidentified officers entered the building. observing a form crawling along the floor in the darkened auditorium Patr. Boylan ordered the person to stand up with his hands in the air. The form continued to crawl along the floor and Patr. Boylan fired one shot from his Dept Issued service revolver, .38 Cal Smith and Wesson serial # C 700877, DPD # 12665, at the form. At this time orders were passed for all officers to hold their fire. The Lights were put on and all of the occupants were ordered to the walls where they were held until they were searched and transferred.

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11/11/4* 3 SPENT .38 SPL CARTRIDGE CASINGS NEAR HOMICIDE BUREAU
EVIDENCE TAG # 824458-113.

* Q. Who did Boylan shoot?

James P. Boylan 510 University St

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