

Connersville Woman Found Stabbed

Knifing Similar To Murder Of Newspaper Carrier

STAR STATE REPORT

An attractive young woman was found stabbed to death yesterday afternoon in an old orchard at the north edge of Connersville.

The woman, Mrs. Arletta Sue Remley, 21, Connersville, was found about 22½ miles from where the stabbed body of an Indianapolis Star carrier was discovered on Oct. 3.

SHE HAD BEEN STABBED 12 times in the chest and the boy, Jerry M. (Mike) Bayles, 19, Indianapolis, had been stabbed nine times in the back and lower abdomen.



ARLETTA SUE REMLEY



ARMY SGT. W. D. REMLEY



MAP SHOWS WHERE BODIES FOUND
Locations Are About 22½ Miles Apart

She was reported missing Thursday night.

Five hours after the body of Mrs. Remley was found, Connersville police, who are conducting an investigation of her death, had not notified the Indiana State Police Post at Connersville for assistance.

State police said they learned of the murder from a news report on a commercial radio station.

IT WAS THEORIZED the same person might be responsible for both murders because of the stabbings and the viciousness of the crimes.

The similarity in the two deaths was further strengthened by reports of several attempts by a man or men to entice children into cars in the last two weeks in the vicinity of a shopping center near the site where Mrs. Remley's body was found.

Because of these reports, parents of children attending Grandview Elementary School near the shopping center have started a "Helping Hand" program. It provides for a window sticker in a house in each block where children can go for help.

TWO YOUNG MEN shooting arrows in the orchard found the woman's body at 1:30 p.m. Police said a pair of red bikini panties was stuffed in her mouth, her levis and pantyhose pulled down around the ankles and cord was tied tightly about her neck.

The cord, the type used on venetian blinds, extended in criss-cross fashion from the neck across her back. Her right hand was tied behind her. She had partially freed her left arm.

Robbery was ruled out as her purse contained \$7 was near the body. A package found about four feet from the body contained a pair of women's levis. A sales tag showed she had bought the levis Thursday afternoon at Grant's Store in Grandview Shopping Center, near the orchard.

However, the undergarment, also purchased at the store, had been removed from a package.

There were indications she had been sexually assaulted, police said. An autopsy was being continued to determine the time of death.

Death was due to a stab wound in the heart Dr. Arlington M. Hudson, Fayette heart, Dr. Arlington M. Hudson, Fayette also had been strangled, he said.

Mrs. Remley, whose husband, Army Sgt. William D. Remley, is serving with a military police unit in South Korea, was reported missing about 2 p.m. Thursday by Carlos Largen of Connersville.

MRS. REMLEY had been living with Largen and his wife, who is a stepmother of the dead woman.

Largen said he and his father, Paul

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