

Boy's Killer

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home Saturday morning to complain that they'd missed their papers, and Jerry's brother Gordon, 15, found Jerry's bicycle and all but two of his papers abandoned at the house where the blood was found 24 hours later.

A farmer found Jerry's body, clad only in socks and stabbed several times in the back and neck, about 9 a.m. Saturday. The Bayles family heard a radio report of the discovery of the unidentified body, then went to a New Castle funeral home and identified the body Saturday night.

Henry County Coroner David L. Estell estimated Jerry was killed about 6:30 a.m. Saturday.

State police searched a wide area around where the body was discovered in an attempt to find a murder weapon or the rest of Jerry's clothes.