EDMOND POLICE DEPARTMENT INVESTIGATION BUREAU FOLLOW-UP REPORT

TYPE INCIDENT: Homicide

VICTIM: Paul Howell

CASE #: 99-04005

LOCATION: 727 East Drive

DATE OF INCIDENT: 7-28-99

DETECTIVE: Sergeant Steve Thompson

PERSON INTERVIEWED: N/A

REPORT COMPLETED: 3-14-01

7-28-99

I was contacted by dispatch advising of a homicide at the above location. I proceeded to the scene and made contact with Lt. Smith who advised me of what they were aware of so far. I am acting as the CID supervisor on the scene and for the remainder of this investigation. Upon my arrival Howell had already been transported to Edmond Memorial Hospital. The CID technical were working the crime scene. Upon arrival of additional detectives we started a neighborhood canvass. Detective DeMoss was the Detective on call and was originally assigned the investigation.

Media was contacted with suspect information and the description and tag number of the victim vehicle. This was also broadcast to all law enforcement agencies.

All investigators met at Edmond Hospital after everything could be done that evening was done. We debriefed and went 10-7 for the evening.

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General Investigative. Media coverage, follow up on numerous leads.

7-30-99

0140 hours I received a call that OCPD had located the victim vehicle at 1800 South Central. I met TI Yardley at that location and we processed the scene outside of the vehicle and then had a wrecker roll back pick it up where it was escorted by Yardley and myself to EPD garage. While at the PD garage I assisted Yardley in the processing of the vehicle. It was sealed and secured.

Prior to going home I left word for Detective Fike to go to the area of south central to inquire of people in the area about the vehicle.

Between 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. I received information that Detective Fike may have a lead while talking to people on south Central.

I arrived at 12104 Greystone shortly before 1600 hours. It is soon apparent that we may have a suspect in the residence and start proceedings for a search warrant and arrest warrant for Julius Jones. Parents of S gave consent however OCPD requires a search warrant before they will send their tactical team in the residence.

I received a signed arrest warrant for Julius Jones and a search warrant for the residence from Edmond Detectives Fike and Pfeiffer at approx. 1930 hours, and immediately carry it and hand it over to Captain Koontz of the OCPD Tactical Unit.

The tactical team advised us that they would wait until the cover of darkness before entering the residence. At about 2120 hours the Tactical team moves in and clears the residence as safe by 2150 hours, it was at that time we were aware that Jones was no longer there.

7-30-99

Shortly after 0100 hours we received information from OCPD that they had located Jordans 1972 Cutlass that was used in the homicide. The car was disabled at the 7-11 122nd and May Avenue. I proceeded with other detectives to the location. Upon arrival we called for the manager to come in so that we might view the tape from the security camera. The manager arrived at approx. 0300 hours and Chris Jordan viewed the tape pointing out Demond Coleman in the tape. While at that location I assisted Detective DeMoss as he impounded and inventoried the 1972 Cutlass.

A manhunt runs all night which I participated in and Julius Jones was arrested @ 0630 hours at 2739 W. I-240 Apt E in OKC. OCPD transported Jones to 122nd and Western where he was turned over to Edmond Detectives/ Police and he was transported to Edmond Jail.