

# Six Strangulation Deaths Cause Terror in Boston

By JAMES CALOGERO  
BOSTON (AP)—Like a fog creeping inland from the harbor, a clammy fear pervades much of Boston.

It's like the anxiety London knew 74 years ago when Jack the Ripper was on the prowl. Here it's the Boston strangler. He has already killed half a dozen women, and he may strike again.

The greatest concentration of police in the history of the department — 65 detectives has been assigned to the case, but they don't know who they are looking for. They have no tangible clues.

But the identity remains concealed, the type of mind involved is pretty comprehensively deduced by psychiatrists. They believe the strangler is probably in his 30s, of at least average intelligence, and holds down a steady job. Maybe goes bowling with his colleagues once a week.

**URGE TO KILL**  
Up to this point he's like thousands among the 2,000,000 people in and around Boston. The difference is that this man, a periodic mental explosion makes him a homicidal maniac with an irresistible urge to kill.

Investigators feel sure one man is responsible for the six stranglings since June 14. The last occurred Aug. 20.

The Ripper never was caught and investigators of that time theorized he was a respectable surgeon or businessman with a Jewish-Irish complex.

The same theory of split personality is held strongly by investigators in the Boston murder.

These victims, too, have all been young, ranging from 35 to 15 in age. All lived alone, five in Boston and one in Lynn, about 12 miles to the north.

All were killed in their own homes, but in no case was there evidence of forced entry, and in no case a motive.

**TIMES THE SAME**  
The time of the killings has been established in each case as shortly before 6 p. m.

Dr. Robert W. Hyde, assistant to the Massachusetts commissioner of mental health, says:

Perhaps he is on his way home from work. If he finished work at 5 p. m. he could make such an excursion without altering his time table too greatly. Perhaps he could not leave his home without arousing suspicion.

The terror began Thursday, June 14. At 5:30 p. m. Mrs. Anna E. Slesers, 55-year-old divorcee, was seen entering her third floor apartment in the Back Bay after her day's work as a seamstress.

Two hours later her son arrived to take his mother to services at the Latvian Lutheran Church. He found her body on the kitchen floor. She was wearing only a housecoat, and her neck knotted around her neck.

Sixteen days later, June 30, Mrs. Nina G. Nichols, 68, was found strangled with her own nylon stocking on the bedroom floor of her apartment about eight blocks away.

**THIRD DEATH**  
July 2, neighbors discovered the body of Miss Helen E. Blake, on the bedroom floor of her apartment in Lynn. She had been dead about two days, strangled with her bra and stockings.

Two weeks later, the killer struck again. His victim was Mrs. Margaret Davis, 60, a widow, strangled with her hands in the room of a southeast hotel she called home.

chair, a pillow case pulled tightly around her neck.

A day later, Mrs. Jane Sullivan, 67, was strangled in the bathroom of her Dorchester district apartment. Her body was found 10 days later.

Of the six victims, three had worked in hospitals and two others had been to hospitals as patients not long before their deaths.

An exhaustive study of all present and former male employees of Boston hospitals has turned up no clue to the killer.

**WEDDING IN HAYSTACK**  
One theory publicly expressed is that the killer is a former patient with a deep resentment for his mother, thus the selection of elderly women as his victims.

Dr. Robert F. Moore, another assistant to the Massachusetts mental health commissioner, says, however:

The theory is doubtful, but it is difficult to screen the population of our state institutions for individuals who hate their mothers. Such a search is like looking for a needle in a huge haystack.

In addition, the stranger might be a man who never has been hospitalized—an ordinarily looking fellow who takes the subway to work every morning and bowls one night a week with the office team.

He may not be considered psychotic by people who know him.

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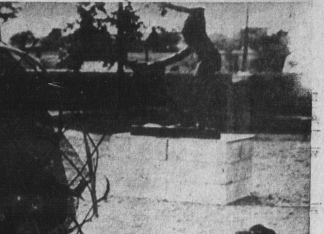
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## CANADIANS PARTICIPATE IN CZECH FAIR

Canadian businessmen and crown corporations have stopped participating in the annual international trade fair at Brno, Czechoslovakia.

Canada Day is set for Sept. 17 at this year's fair. Canadian exports to Czechoslovakia have increased sharply—to \$20,000,000 last year from \$8,000,000 in 1960.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
**CITY & QUEENS**  
RESERVE October 25th, for a hot Turkey Supper and Bazaar at Plus X Hall, Parkdale.

**KINGS COUNTY**  
DANCE At Lorne Valley cancelled until further notice.

**PRINCE COUNTY**  
RESERVE November 7th for hot turkey dinner in Carleton school auditorium.

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One Farmall 100 tractor; plough; one tractor trailer; one cattle trailer; one rubber tired cart; one roller; one sectional seeder; one sulky rake; hay fork rope and blocks; cow stanchions and water bowls. Quantity pipe; two sets blocks; electric fence; forks; shoeders, horse; ten tons hay; two propane gas broilers, two hundred gas tank. Other things too numerous to mention. If weather unfit sale will be held first five days.

Owner: LORNE J. BUELL  
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# Argentina Has Nazi-Type Group

By Ronald Arias  
BUENOS AIRES (AP)—The Argentine youth movement known with pride as the roomful of teen-agers fixed their gaze on him, standing once he raised his arm in a stiff Nazi-style salute and shouted "Hail Tacuara."

"Hail Tacuara," echoed others as their 24-year-old leader modestly pushed behind bolted doors in a small flat in the heart of Buenos Aires.

Thirty youngsters, most of them of high school age, had gathered to initiate new members into Argentina's Tacuara organization, whose keystone is anti-semitism.

**TAX EVADER**  
NEW YORK (AP)—On his 1957-58 federal income tax returns, former Army Capt. James F. Bertie listed Felix, his cat, and Sandy, his dog, as exemptions.

Saturday, fresh out of a federal jail, Bertie says he has a few new exemptions which the government probably won't go along with.

To wit: Russian Premier and Mrs. Khrushchev, Yugoslavia President Tito, Hungarian Premier Kadar and Poland's Communist chief Gomulka.

Bertie, with little off for good behavior, walked out of the federal House of Detention Friday after serving four months and 26 days of a six-month sentence for his cat- and-dog-type tax violations.

The Brooklyn resident, 43, said jail did not change his convictions and that he expects the income tax people to be looking for him again soon.

He figures Mr. and Mrs. Khrushchev are his dependents because when they visited the United States "the state department" refused to divulge how much money was spent to entertain them (and it shouldn't feel at all bad about missing the few bucks I would be expected to contribute).

"As for Tito, Gomulka and Kadar," he went on, "since they are on our foreign aid payroll, Americans should be able to claim them as tax deductions."

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to the "nationalist" cause. Tacuara's soft-spoken chief, Alberto Escorza, said the publication would be to "fight against capitalism and Zionism with our hand and with the other hand against communism."

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