

April 28, 1956

Mr. C. F. Hansson  
Chief of Police

Subject: Injuries sustained on duty.

Sir:

The following report is submitted for your information.

While working district 10, April 28, 1956 we received a call at 8:28 P.M., to 731 N. Edgefield, regarding a demented person.

Upon our arrival at this location we contacted Mrs. Vicki Shaver, w/f/25, who was standing in front yard and stated that her husband had run her out of the house with an ice pick and threatened to kill her and commit suicide. She further stated that she wanted us to go into the house and get him out.

We went to the front door where the suspect, Robert Lee Shaver, w/m/25, was standing and creating a disturbance by talking loud and threatening his wife. We asked him to come outside and he refused.

We pulled the screen door open as he shut the wood door. We opened the door and as officer D. H. Smith and I went in, he stabbed officer Smith in the left shoulder with an ice pick and I was stabbed in the stomach and right knee.

Suspect was subdued and handcuffed and was transported to City jail by officers L. G. Speers and J. D. Cober. Suspect was charged with assault to murder.

I received treatment at Parkland Hospital by Dr. Greathouse and returned to duty.

Respectfully Submitted

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