

PEOPLE OF INTEREST, Peggy Schiller case (LP6275)
Nov. 5, 1963

IGOR SCHILLER - Peggy's step father. Was at theater with her that night. Alibi isn't lining up. Unhappy marriage with Sheila? 39 y.o.

SHEILA SCHILLER - Peggy's mother. Wrecked car that night. Why distraught before disappearance? Unhappy marriage? Drinking problem. 36 y.o.

STEVIE HANKIN - Peggy's school mate. Obsessed with her, very troubled home life and behavior. At theater that night. 13 y.o.

Cleared

GUS DIFILIPPO - Peggy's biological father. Threatened ex-wife Sheila and daughter Peggy the night before when denied visitation. 40 y.o.

GEORGE SULLIVAN - At theater that night. Erratic, weird behavior. 70 y.o.

HARRY KILGORE - Janitor. Disciplined at school day of disappearance. Was near theater that night. 54 y.o.

GRACE McKISSICK - Cult leader. Seen speaking to Peggy outside theater that night. 33 y.o.

EDDIE MACKLE - Bad kid. At theater that night. Rap sheet. 22 y.o.

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FRIDAY

Evening

November 1, 1963

43 SCIENCE REPORTER

7:00 3 ROUTE 66

"And Make Thunder His Tribute." Life isn't a bowl of cherries for Minnesota raspberry farmer Donato: He's set in his eccentric ways and his son is determined not to go along with them. Tod: Martin Milner. Line: Glenn Corbett. Script by Lewis John Carlino. (60 min.)

- GUEST CAST -

Mike Donato J. Carroll Naish
Joe Sky Alfred Ryder
Tony Lou Antonio
Vinny Michael J. Pollard
Jenny Linda Marsh
Mr. Whitney Thomas A. Carlin
Postponed from last week.

5 BOB HOPE — Drama

COLOR "Four Kings." During World War II, Army Intelligence pulls four "lifers" out of prison and sends them into Germany to steal top-secret rocket plans. Bob Hope is host. (60 min.)

- CAST -

Bert Graumann Peter Falk
Gabriella Susan Strasberg
Dr. Krug Paul Lukas
Erwin Robert Strauss
Harry Vito Scotti
Leonard Than Wyenn
Major Stern Simon Oakland

3 BURKE'S LAW — Drama

Carolyn Jones plays four sisters — Betsy, Jane, Olivia and Meredith — in "Who Killed Sweet Betsy?" Betsy was well-liked by almost everybody, but what killed her wasn't any love pat, and her three sisters are the prime suspects. Burke: Gene Barry. Tim: Gary Conway. Les: Regis Toomey. Henry: Leon Lontoe. (60 min.)

- GUEST CAST -

Nels Richard Carlson
Steiner Michael Wilding

Aunt Harriet Gladys Cooper
Gil John Erickson
Student Patricia Olson
Young Man Stuart Margolin
Little Old Lady Janet Clark
Mr. Nishikawa Harold Fong

25 VISITS WITH A SCULPTOR-Art

43 HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL
Lorain High School vs. Marion
SPECIAL Marion High School plays host to Lorain High School for this evening game. At this time Marion ranks first and Lorain places third in the Buckeye Conference, Paul Baumgartner, Sr. announces the play-by-play action. (Live)

8:00 3 5 8 WEATHER

8:30 8 TWILIGHT ZONE — Drama

"The Living Doll"
New Episode! Erich Streator's being tormented by a new member of his household-his stepdaughter's talking doll. Rod Serling is host, Script by Charles Beaumont

- CAST -

Erich Streator Telly Savalas
Annabelle Streator Mary LaRoche
Christie Streator Tracy Stratford

5 DEATH VALLEY DAYS — Drama

Brazilian Don Pedro, the Emperor of Brazil is accidentally deserted by his train at an isolated water stop. Then two imaginative youngsters take him "prisoner." Don Pedro: Glibert Roland. Becky: Andrea Dari. Tommy: Butch Patrick. Fern Mitchell: Patricia Muston. Sheriff: William Zuckert.

8 HARRY'S GIRLS- Comedy

In desperation, producer Lester Bailey decides to make Harry

"The Star" of his next film. After all, a producer who's bankin' can't be too fussy about casting. Harry: Larry Blyden. Lois: Dawn Nickerson Rusty: Susan Silo. Terry: Dianne Williams. Lester: Lionel Murton.

25 FARMER'S DAUGHTER
At the doctor's office, Katy is the 'Stand-In' for an expectant congresswoman who's so busy with her career that she hasn't any time for her approaching motherhood. Katy: Inger Stevens. Glen: William Windom, Agatha Coolidge

- GUEST CAST -

Congresswoman Jory Beverly Garland
Walter Jory Russell Johnson
Dr. Mays Justin Smith
Edna Jeanne Arnold
Nurse Marilyn Marry

28 PETER GUNN — Mystery

Two thugs murder an artist and steal one

9:00 25 WAR STORY - Silent Movie

Melly Moorville stars as his lovable tramp persona in this touching and quirky classic of unusual romance interrupted by the Great War.

Action Hours 10:30 pm



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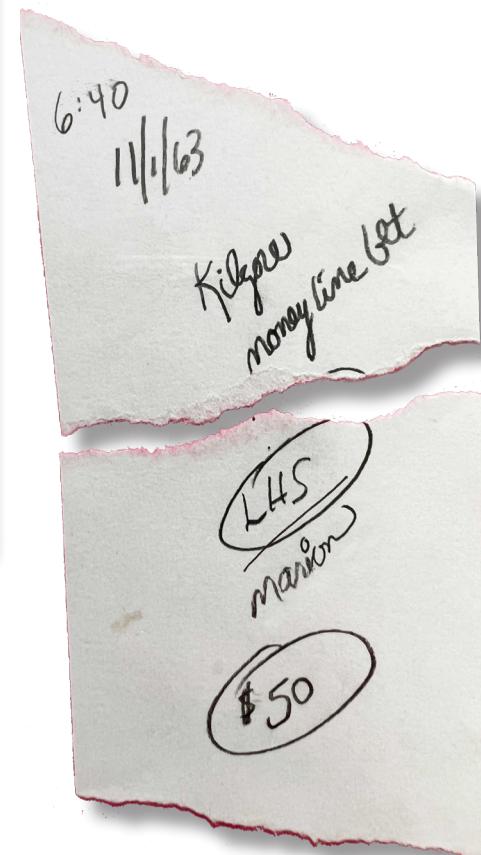
POLICE BLOTTER

(Oct 31 activity)

• A caller reported at 8:20p.m. that someone was on a porch yelling "help" from a residence on Park Street. Officers responded and learned the person was calling a cat named "Help."

• At 9:30pm, Sheila Schiller reported her ex-husband Gus DiFilippo arrived at her home inebriated and threatened her and her 13-year-old daughter with violence. DiFilippo was escorted home and given a warning.

• Jackson Bierfeldt of Amherst was fined \$11 for speeding.



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LORAIN POLICE DEPARTMENT
Interview of Person of Interest

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11/6/63

Case No. LP6275

POI: Steven James Hankin "Stevie" (age 14)

Detective: Det. Gethin

Date/Time: November 2, 1963, 11-2pm

Steven admits he had been disciplined at school (Irving Jr High) for multiple counts of fighting as well as harassing Peggy Schiller. Steven also admits to his police record (attached, report LP5829). Asked why he was stalking and harassing Peggy, suspect smiled, laughed, embarrassed.

On the evening of November 1, 1963:

Steven admits and witnesses confirm he was at the Tivoli Theater on Broadway, Lorain. Suspect claims he was only there to see the motion picture. Peggy Schiller's father, Igor confronted him about above cited school issues and told him to leave. Steven maintains that Mr. Schiller dislikes him "for no reason."

Steven Hankin said he left the theater (The Tivoli) at 8pm when made to by the manager (Igor Schiller) and was refused a ticket sale. Steven attempted to engage Peggy Schiller who was making popcorn behind the service counter when Steven was confronted by Igor.

Steven left with two of his friends, Jim and Bobby McConihe. They maintain they aimlessly walked the downtown area, but could not give any details of time or place.

Upon searching of Steven's pockets, a handwritten note which read "Leave me alone!" was discovered by myself (Lt Gethin) in a young girl's handwriting. Steven took the note and ate it, refusing to acknowledge it was from Peggy or anyone for that matter.

Suspect uncooperative.

Initials: LG

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POLICE DEPARTMENT
City of Lorain
REPORT OF CRIME
#LP5829

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Apr. 22, 62

1 Ward

Lorain, Ohio April 19, 1962

Name of Accused: Hankin, Steven James (age 13)

Residence: 1221 Oak Ave., Lorain

Location of crime: same

Day, Date, Hour Committed: 3:30pm, Friday, April 19, 1962

By Whom Reported: Mrs. Jim Unger

To Whom Reported: Officer Handyside

Time Reported: 4:13pm

If Arrested, by Whom: Officer Handyside

Where Arrested: Lakeview Park, Lorain

If Escaped, in What Manner:

Witnesses: Mrs. Jim Unger, Missy Unger (age 8)

DETAILED REPORT

Steven Hankin had taken the Unger family cat without their knowledge or permission and was found behind their garage attempting to insert a firecracker into the animal's anus, having wrapped the cat in a garage rag to prevent its escape or self defense. The sound of the cat's howling lead Mrs. Unger and daughter to Steven. He released the cat when ordered by Unger (having not yet succeeded in inserting the firecracker) and then proceeded to light the firecracker and throw it at her. It exploded near her head, causing Unger severe ear pain and a long lasting ringing. Steven swore profanities at her and ran off. He was found in Lakeview Park (south) on the swing set and taken without incident by myself, Officer Handyside. The cat appears unharmed. Mrs Unger declined transport to the hospital.

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**POLICE DEPARTMENT
City of Lorain
REPORT OF CRIME**

FILED

11/2/63

2nd Ward

Lorain, Ohio Nov 1, 1963

Name of Accused: Sheila Schiller

Residence: 1677 Miller Blvd, Lorain

Location of crime: street at 1504 Broadway Ave, Lorain

Day, Date, Hour Committed: Friday, Nov 1, 1963, 6:40pm

By Whom Reported: Mr. Lawrence Shure

To Whom Reported: Officer Reynolds

Time Reported: 6:50pm

If Arrested, by Whom:

Where Arrested:

If Escaped, in What Manner:

Witnesses: Lawrence Shure

DETAILED REPORT

Mr. Lawrence Shure was walking home along Broadway from Lou's cafe when he witnessed a "middle-aged, red-headed, caucasian woman" erratically driving a speeding MG Roadster (red). The driver was attempting to beat an approaching train to the crossing. She succeeded barely missing the train but lost control and crashed into a light-pole in front of 1504 Broadway Ave, Lorain. Mr. Shure did not see the actual crash as the passing train blocked his view. By the time it had passed and Mr. Shure made it to the car, the driver had left the scene abandoning the demolished car. A pink and yellow girl's jacket had been left in the passenger seat. The car is registered to Igor Schiller whose wife matches the driver's description.

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LORAIN POLICE DEPARTMENT
Synopsis of Witness Statements

Detective Officer: Handside

Case No. LP6275

Date: Nov. 7, 1963

ALAN CHEN, pharmacist

Owner of USA Pharmacy, 638 Broadway, next to Tivoli. Reluctant to talk (very distrustful, kept saying he didn't want trouble.) Says he didn't hear or see anything unusual on evening of 11/1. Did not hear a girl call for help, as Ms Freda reported, says his store was busy and the TV was loud. He was filling prescriptions until close at 9:30pm. The customer logs confirms as well as multiple customer corroborations. One reported Chen was angry with 3 teens for loitering (ages 13-14). When asked about this Chen did not want to ID the boys, saying "he didn't want any trouble."

BETTY FREDA, movie patron at Tivoli

Ms. Freda attended Friday (11/1) evening's screening of "The Wizard of Oz." She bought popcorn just as the movie was starting from Peggy Schiller, at 7:30pm. As the title of the film appeared, another patron (ID'd as GEORGE SULLIVAN, unknown to Freda) belligerently screamed at the screen, angry that the film was not the originally scheduled picture. He finally quieted but then at around 8:30pm, (Ms Freda, "When the green guard asks, 'Who rang that bell????'") he began screaming again. Ms. Freda went to the lobby to complain but saw Peggy exit the alley door with a bag of garbage, leaving the door open and popcorn popping. Freda stood in the back of the theater to watch the alley door and keep an eye on the man. After 5 minutes, the popcorn began to burn. "I checked the alley, but no one. I turned off the popcorn, I think, and noticed no one was in the lobby or the box office, either! Very weird." Ms Freda's not certain but thinks she heard the girl scream. "I wasn't thinking straight, I was so mad and assumed it was part of the movie but now I'm certain it wasn't. I think it came from that alley." When i went back into the cinema, the yelling man had left. I went home, racked with guilt.

LOU SPITOWSKY, owner Lou's cafe

Spitkosky reports a slow evening at the cafe that eve, which "was a good thing because my cook called off." He confirms IGOR SCHILLER came in for his "usual coffee during the movie" but stayed for only 2 minutes, which was unusual. Lou estimates it was 8:00pm when his waitress went on break, so he took the order. He confirmed HARRY KILGORE ate dinner from 6-7pm, as he frequently does. "Kilgore stiffed the tip, which he never used to do, he used to be a great tipper." Kilgore told Lou he was heading to Lonnie's bar, but left in the opposite direction. Lou closed at 9pm, claims he never saw Peggy.

JANET WILSON, friend of Sheila Schiller

She claims Sheila arrived at her apartment that eve "around 8pm" after Schiller's car accident. They claim to have ordered pizza and claim they watched TV until falling asleep. Says they'd been drinking. Ms Wilson's alibi is uncorroborated and she seemed unusually nervous.

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HOMETOWN PIZZA

1528 BROADWAY AVE - LORAIN

PHONE: CH-4345

CASH / CREDIT

Janet Wilson
344 15th Street
Syracuse

DATE:

11/1/63

TIME IN:

DRIVER: Howie

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