


Witness Statement

Case	1242	
Officer	Sgt. Knight	
Evidence	#2	
Summary	Statement by witness Mrs. Maureen Stokes, of 29 Station Road, Broadclyst	
Statement	<p>“I was walking my dog, Trevor, as usual just after lunch on Friday afternoon. The time must have been about twelve-fifteen, as I always leave the house after I’ve listened to the mid-day news on the radio. I live at the bottom of Station Road, not far from the airport.</p> <p>I walked along Station Road and turned right at the Hungry Fox - that’s a pub on the corner and it does very good fish and chips if you ever need lunch during your investigation, Sergeant. This little road runs past the old station and engine house, which was the building where they used to keep the trains when I was a little girl, but there’s lots of businesses in there now. Anyway, as I got near the end of the engine house, I heard a train coming from the direction of Exeter. They aren’t very frequent and I hear this one every time I walk the dog at lunchtime – it was right on time on Friday as it had taken me five minutes to walk this far since I set out.</p> <p>I didn’t see what happened to that poor man, but I heard it. Just as the train was passing, I heard a man’s voice scream – no words, just a scream – and as I ran round the corner of the building with Trevor pulling me along, I saw the body of a man lying in the car park. The end of the train was just disappearing up the track. The man was very still and his eyes were fixed open. He looked quite surprised if you ask me. It made me feel very sick, I can tell you. I ran inside the engine house and made the receptionist call the police and an ambulance.”</p>	
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