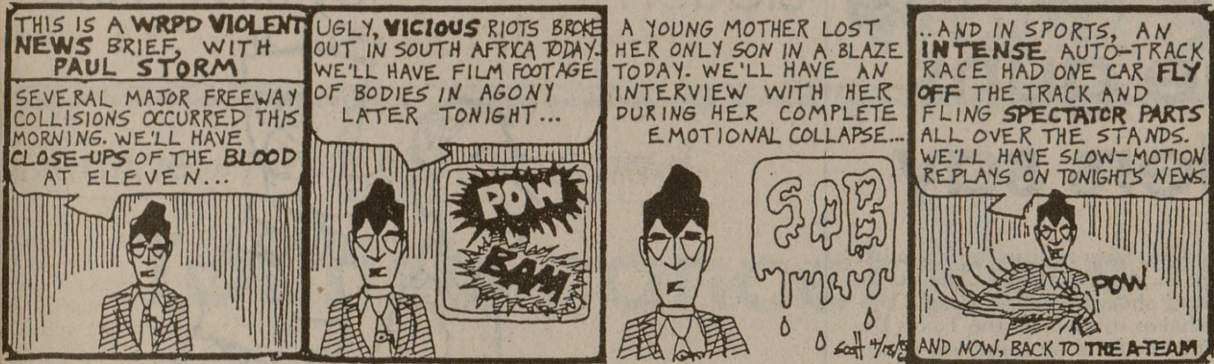


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by Scott McCullar Austin council seeks to aid crime victims

AUSTIN (AP) — The newly formed Victims of Crime Advisory Council was told Thursday that local organizations need help in assisting crime victims, particularly in rape and child abuse cases.

According to C.E. Evans, of San Antonio, past president of the Texas Association of Criminal Justice Planners, "You got a lot of victims out there and just a little money."

"The numbers of victims is increasing greatly, particularly in domestic violence," Evans told the council, which was appointed by Gov. Mark White last month to set guidelines for distribution of \$2.5 million in federal funds for crime victims.

Peggy Carroll, speaking for the district attorney's office in Collin County, said, "The criminal justice system cannot operate without victims as witnesses but currently the system operates more on behalf of the criminal than the victim."

According to Mike Curran, assistant district attorney in McKinney, "There has been a tremendous increase in child abuse. You especially need to fund for counties under 150,000 population."

The advisory council will announce its guidelines later and distribution of grant funds will be handled by the governor's office.

Kilgore Police Chief C.R. Headen, who is a director of the Kilgore Rape Crisis Center, said, "We need more funds at the local level. We are having a tremendous increase in the amount of physical and sexual abuse to children and we must help them."

by Jeff MacNelly

by Kevin Thomas

No leads found in Rio Grande murders

EL PASO (AP) — Law enforcement agencies on both sides of the border are working to find a lead in the rape-strangulations of four women found floating in the Rio Grande, officials said Thursday.

A fifth woman was drowned, and a sixth body was found Wednesday, but it was so decomposed that police haven't been able to determine whether she was also raped and strangled.

The discoveries, all within the last four weeks, prompted police to warn women to stay clear of the river after dark.

El Paso County Sheriff Leo Samaniego, whose office is investigating the murder of a woman found

March 25 in a canal fed by the Rio Grande, said, "To my knowledge, we haven't had anything like that before."

Authorities believe the body was dumped into the river before drifting into the canal.

"From time to time we find a body in the river, someone who drowned trying to cross," Samaniego said. "But to have a total of six, and at least five with the same characteristics, is something to worry about."

The sheriff's department is also cooperating with Juarez, Mexico, police on three of the investigations.

Roman Garcia said 75 people have been picked up for questioning in Juarez, and patrols were set up

along the river since two young women were found floating on the Mexican side Saturday.

"These people we've been picking up, it's just to see if they have any information, if they've heard anything," he said. "Someone's bound to have seen something."

In all but two of the cases, the women were in their teens or early 20s, were scantily clad and had no identification. The woman who drowned was fully dressed and has been identified as a Juarez resident, according to El Paso police.

Samaniego said all the victims appeared to be illegal aliens.

"There's a lot of theories," he said.

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