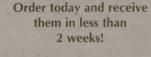
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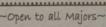
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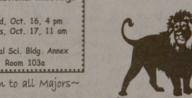
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DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) - Eleven suspected illegal immigrants whose badly decomposed bodies were found in a locked railroad car probably died slowly and painfully from severe overheating or asphyxiation, authorities said Tuesday.

The victims apparently boarded the grain hopper in Mexico four months ago and may have been smuggled into the country, said Jerry Heinauer, district director of

Immigration and Naturalization Service for Nebraska and Iowa. Their nationalities were unknown and authorities said

they did not know if the victims were men, women or children. The car had been latched from the outside and there was no evidence of food or water inside, Sheriff Tom Hogan said. He said it was difficult to count the hud-

dled bodies; authorities said there Authorities removed the bodies Tuesday, one day after they were discovered near Denison, 60

miles northeast of Omaha, Neb. The rail car was sealed and moved to Des Moines for examination by investigators.

The medical examiner will try to determine causes of death, and authorities will then begin trying to identify the remains.

Corinne Stern, the chief medical examiner in El Paso County, Texas, said the victims may have become delirious and suffered hallucinations, severe cramping, headaches and vomiting before succumbing to the heat or a lack of oxygen.

"They were probably subjected to temperatures equivalent to those inside a locked car during the heat of summer," said Stern, who is not involved in the investigation.

Heinauer said authorities did not yet know if the victims were being smuggled, but he said the case fits the pattern of some smuggling operations.

He said he was told by Mexican officials that the rail car left Matamoros, Mexico, in June. It had been parked long-term in Oklahoma since then, before being brought to Denison.

Julio Salinas, a supervisory agent with the U.S. Border Patrol at McAllen, Texas, said it is not unusual for immigrants to cross the border in rail cars. He said trains are often checked by Border Patrol and customs agents pass through cities.

"Most recently, a couple of months ago, we found 26 that had been inside a hopper car a couple of hours and some of them were

dehydrated," Salinas said. "There were no fatalities. We do come across situations like that."

He said immigrants take life-threatening risks when they climb into a grain car on a smuggler's promise of freedom.

"There are some boxcars or grain hoppers that can only be opened from the outside," Salinas said. "Once they shut the door they leave their life in the hands of a smuggler."

Sniper

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heard a muffled gunshot and a white van the night before

Young said as he backed truck out of his parking spo white Astro van with two inside tried to turn into his la He said the driver appeared agitated to find his way bloo and instead drove by a neigh ing Chinese restaurant and of sight.

Young described the dr as a short man of slight who appeared to be Mideaster He said, "I got a good look the guy.

The driver "seemed to excessively irritated because couldn't pull into my lane," said. "I thought this fool w going to want to get out of van and duke or something. he didn't. He kept on going

All the victims have been down by a single bullet fi from a distance with a hi powered rifle as the victims w about their everyday tasks." sniper's only apparent comm cation with investigators been a tarot death card inscri

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Moose said there appear to be similarities between van seen at Friday's shoo and the van from Monday night's attack.

Manger would not whether witnesses to the late attack were able to give conplete license plate numbers in nvestigators.

"Each shooting has revealed more to this investigation. We encouraged every day," said Michael Bouchard, an ag with the Bureau of Alcoho Tobacco and Firearms.

The sniper escaped a hu dragnet around Falls Church, miles west of the nation's cap tal. Traffic was backed up miles as police surrounded searched dozens of white va

Tod Burke, a former Maryl police officer who teaches on nal justice at Radford University in Virginia, said the killer is em escaping before the drag comes down or has some kind hideout where he can watch t

chaos that erupts. The tension has clim steadily in the Washington st urbs. On Tuesday, the flood tips, many of them false alam from edgy residents, promp Maryland Glendening to ban outdo shooting in four Washington area counties.

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