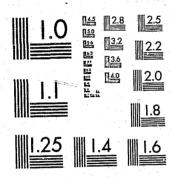
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CRIME VICTIM'S REPARATIONS BOARD

Third Report

January 1, 1981 — December 31, 1981

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# 1981 THIRD REPORT CRIME VICTIM'S REPARATIONS BOARD

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Honorable Paul L. Douglas, Chairman Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice

Dear Attorney General:

I have the honor to submit the third report of the Crime Victim's Reparations Board for the period January 1, 1981 through December 31, 1981 rendered pursuant to Section 81-1833 as amended in 1981.

Respectfully,

Verne More, or., Chairman Crime Victim's Reparations Board

March 1, 1982

THIRD REPORT

#### CRIME VICTIM'S REPARATIONS BOARD

STATE OF NEBRASKA

#### I. BACKGROUND

This report covers the period of January 1, 1981 through December 31, 1981. 1979 was the first year of the Board's existence.

The Nebraska Crime Victim's Reparations Board was created by L.B. 910, passed by the Nebraska Legislature in 1978, effective January 1, 1979.

Nebraska was the 29th state to implement compensations to victims of crimes. Today, 31 states and the Virgin Islands have established similar kinds of programs. A 32nd state, Rhode Island, has enacted a program that will begin when Congress authorizes federal funding for the states. Two other states, Georgia and Nevada, compensate only persons who try to prevent a crime or who help a police officer ("Good Samaritans").

In the three years, Nebraska has awarded \$111,506 in compensation to persons who otherwise would have sustained a financial loss for medical bills or loss of earnings or support otherwise reimbursed by insurance or public funds.

#### II. THE ACT

Sections 81-1801 - 81-1841 R.S. Supp. 1980, as amended in 1981.

Nebraska Crime Victim's Reparations Act was created to assist victims of crimes and persons assisting victims of crimes who suffer bodily harm as a direct result of criminal acts. It further compensates dependents of fatally injured victims of criminal acts. The assistance includes compensation for medical care, loss of wages, job retraining or rehabilitation services, pecuniary loss to dependents, and any other loss resulting from personal injury or death of the victim that the Board determines to be reasonable. The maximum award is \$10,000 unless the Board determines there are special circumstances under which an award may exceed that amount.

The operation of the CVRB, including administrative costs and awards to claimants, is funded through the General Fund.

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#### III. THE MERGER

The 1981 Nebraska Legislature passed L.B. 328 to merge the Crime Victim's Reparations Board within the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice (Crime Commission). The Governor signed the bill and the move was made on July 1, 1981.

The Board's functions are the same as before, but fall under the direction of the Executive Director of the Crime Commission for administrative and budgetary purposes and is a division of the Commission.

The merger has enabled the Board to make use of the Crime Commission's attorney as a hearing officer and Jail Standard's field representatives as investigators on certain claims. The Law Enforcement Training Center in Grand Island is including instructional information on the Crime Victim's Reparations program in their training courses for law enforcement personnel.

#### IV. THE BOARD

The Act provides for a three member Board. One member must be an attorney licensed to practice in the state. Board Members are appointed by the Governor and approved by the Legislature. Initial appointments were for two, four and six year terms. Successive terms will be six years. Board Members serve part-time and receive \$100 per diem plus expenses.

The Board has continued to treat each claimant not as an adversary, but rather to determine the full and true facts concerning each claim. The Board is dedicated to seeing that those people who are entitled to an award receive the same; and they are equally dedicated in making sure an award is denied to anyone who is not eligible or entitled to one.

The Board reviews the claims in conjunction with the Board Meetings. This enables expenses to be kept at a minimum.

#### V. THE STAFF

The staff consists of a Division Chief (administrator of the program) and a Staff Assistant with support help from the staff of the Commission, including the Crime Commission Attorney as hearing officer.

#### IV. ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Innocent victims and/or persons aiding victims of a crime who suffer bodily injury as a direct result of a crime are eligible for compensation. Dependents of fatally injured victims are also eligible. The victim must have suffered a financial loss as a result of the incident.

In order to be considered for compensation, the crime must have been reported to the law enforcement within three days and the claim must be submitted within two years of the incident.

No compensation will be awarded to anyone whose injuries or death were caused by a violation of the law, to relatives or anyone living with the offender who aids the offender in the commission of an unlawful act, or to anyone whose injuries resulted from the operation of a motor vehicle, boat or airplane unless the vehicle was used in a deliberate attempt to harm the victim.

Provocation, consent, and other behavior of the victim which directly or indirectly contributed to his injury or death will be taken into account by the Board when making an award. No award will be made for loss of personal property.

#### VII. APPLICATION AND CLAIM PROCESSING PROCEDURES

All claims must be submitted on a Nebraska Crime Victim's Reparations Board claim form. The application form is a very simplified form that a claimant can easily understand and fill out. The staff is always available to assist claimants in the preparation of the application. The application must be notarized and this service is provided in the CVR office for claimants who bring in their application. The form includes individual data, incident information and an itemization of the amounts being claimed. Itemized bills must be presented. Payroll deduction slips or IRS return (if self employed) are required if the victim is asking for loss of wages. A signed authorization for hospitals, physicians, mortuary, law enforcement agency, etc. is required to enable the staff to investigate and verify the claims.

Upon receipt of the application for compensation, the claim is acknowledged and a law enforcement official's report is requested. The staff verifies all claims completely before the claim is presented to the Board for review and a decision. Verification and information is requested from hospitals, physicians, funeral directors, employers, welfare agencies, insurance companies, county and city attorneys, witnesses, etc. Only after a claim has been thoroughly investigated and authenticated is it turned over to the Board for its decision.

When all of the necessary investigations have been completed, the claim is presented to the Board for review and decision. Board decisions are made in compliance with the Act and, although the Board strives for uniformity in its decisions, each claim is considered on its own merit.

If the claim is approved, a Decision and Order is sent to the claimant. The claimant must sign and return the Consent included with the Decision and Order before a warrant will be issued. When a claim is denied, the claimant receives a Decision and Order stating the reason the award was disallowed.

#### VIII. EMERGENCY AWARDS

Emergency Awards may be made prior to the final decision of the Board if it appears that compensation for the claim is probable and that undue hardship will result to the applicant if immediate payment is not made. The amount of the emergency award is deducted from the final award at the time the final award is made. Up to \$500 may be requested. The decision of the Board on emergency awards is final.

In 1981, two Emergency Awards totalling \$541.98 were granted.

#### IX. HEARING OFFICERS

The Board may appoint a hearing officer, who must be licensed to practice law in the state, to conduct hearings.

The Crime Commission has a staff attorney who is available to conduct hearings for the Board. Hearing officers were contracted for 12 claims and the Commission's staff attorney was hearing officer for two claims. The Board held one hearing.

#### X. HEARINGS

The Board or a hearing officer may order a hearing on the application for compensation. The decision of the Board may be made with or without a hearing. If a decision unfavorable to the claimant is made by the Board without a hearing, the claimant may thereafter request a hearing within thirty (30) days after receipt of the written decision by the Board. Claimants have the right to be represented by counsel at the hearing.

Following the hearing, a Recommended Order is made by the hearing officer. The Board will then consider the Recommended Order at their next Board Meeting and make a decision. If the claimant is not satisfied with the Board's decision, an Appeal may be filed in the District Court.

There were 15 hearings held in 1981.

#### XI. APPEALS

All determinations, decisions and awards made by the Board may be appealed in the District Court of the county where the action of the Board was taken by filing a Petition with the District Court within thirty days after the service of the final decision by the Board.

There were eight claims filed in District Court in 1981. One claim (Calabretto) was heard and dismissed. The rest are pending.

We acknowledge and appreciate the cooperation and service given by the Nebraska Attorney General's office on appeal cases.

#### XII. ATTORNEYS

The claimant may be represented by an attorney. The Board may allow reasonable attorney fees not to exceed 5% of a compensation award.

Attorneys assisted 22 claimants in filing their claims. Eight attorneys were paid a total of \$1,587.71. Two claims were held over from 1980. \$500 is encumbered to be paid to one attorney in 1982. The other claims that had an attorney were either denied or are pending.

#### XIII. AWARDS

Awards totalled \$55,378 in 1981. Of this, \$15,508.35 was for 1980 claims.

There were 69 claims received in 1981. Compensation was awarded to 28 claimants, denied in 15 claims and 26 claims are pending. A number of pending claims are incomplete on the part of the claimant. Seven claims are on appeal in District Court and three claims have been assigned for hearings.

The maximum award of \$10,000 was awarded to two claims. The smallest claim awarded was \$31.80. Approximate average awarded in 1981 was \$1500.

SCRIPNOTE: Figures in this report are based on calendar year and not fiscal year.

#### XIV. ENCUMBRANCES

The Legislature appropriated \$50,000 for the victim compensation fund for fiscal year 1981-82. In November the Governor asked every state agency to reduce their budget by three percent, bringing our victim fund to \$48,500.

As in 1980, pending claims totalled more than the budgeted victim compensation fund and award payments were encumbered. As before, a \$300 limit was placed on the payment of claims with the exception of claims for loss of wages and out-of-pocket expenses. The remainder of the awards were deferred subject to 81-1814, availability of funds.

Encumbrances at the end of 1981 total \$13,206.14. A \$15,000 deficit request was made in December for FY 1981-82.

#### XV. RESTITUTION

Restitution was part of the sentence to one of the claimant's offender. Since the victim had been awarded compensation from this Board, the County Court is reimbursing the State this money as it is being paid by the offender. The Award was \$398.35 and the State has received \$30 of that amount.

On a volunteer basis, one offender reimbursed the State \$507.45 to cover the amount that was awarded to a claimant. This was not a court sentence restitution. The offender was sentenced to the Nebraska State Penitentiary for three to five years for his crime.

#### XVI. PUBLIC AWARENESS

The Board recognizes the continuous need to inform the public. Only a small percentage of the public is aware of the program. We continue to discharge our responsibilities to advise the public concerning the benefits available under the Statute. We consider this duty of informing and advising our citizenry to be an extremely important and continuing one.

Crime Victim's Reparations has been the subject of numerous newspaper stories, various radio stations have aired stories of the program to inform the public and KOLN-TV has had us appear on their "Sunday Report" twice to explain the program. Presentations to numerous groups explaining the program has also been a form of public awareness.

We wish to acknowledge thanks to all those who help in this endeavor to inform the public, but particularly the law enforcement agencies and Douglas County Victim-Witness program who send out letters and/or pass out our information cards to each possible victim of a crime.

BROCHURES -- A brief, easy-to-read brochure is available for public distribution. It explains the CVR program, who is or is not eligible, what compensation may be paid and how to request and file a claim. The brochure explains the provisions of the Act in general terms and is given or sent to every prospective claimant, along with an application form.

INFORMATION CARD -- "Benefits Available to Innocent Victims of Crime", are distributed to all law enforcement agencies for the investigating officer to distribute to the victim. Some agencies send a letter to the victim explaining the program and where to request information and application. County Attorney offices are asked to hand out the cards also.

#### XVII. STATISTICAL INFORMATION - 1981 CLAIMS

TYPES OF CLAIMS FILED:	<u>WE/</u>	APONS	USED:
10 Homicides		28	Guns
21 Assault felonies		13	Knives
6 Assault robberies		25	Fists, feet
18 Assault misdemeanors		2	Automobiles
10 Sexual assaults		4	Misc. (including pipes, clubs, beer cans,
2 Purse snatchings			boiling water)
2 Motor vehicle homicides			
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EMPLOYMENT	STATUS	ΩĒ	CLAIMANTS:
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- 36 Employed
- 11 Unemployed
- 10 Students
- 5 Minor children of deceased
- 3 Housewives
- 2 Disabled

#### LOCATION OF INCIDENT:

- 18 Victim's residence
- 4 Offender's residence
- 8 Other residence
- 5 Place of business
- 12 Street, alley, lot
- 10 Bar or bar parking lot
- 1 On public transportation
- 2 At bus stops
- 4 Interstate, highways
- 5 Park or wilderness area

#### AGE OF VICTIMS:

Age	0 - 18	19 - 30	31 - 45	46 - 65	<u> Over 65</u>
Males	7	29	6	4	1
<b>Females</b>	_3	<u>14</u>	3	<u>2</u>	$\frac{1}{2}$
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#### SUMMARY OF CLAIMS

JANUARY 1, 1981 - DECEMBER 31, 1981

69 claims for compensation filed - total amount requested, \$580,488.30

27 claims <u>awarded</u> (\$120,859 requested) - amount awarded, \$39,452.80

17 claims <u>denied</u> (\$343,958 requested)

24 claims pending (\$114,681 requested)

1 claim withdrawn (\$990 requested)

STATUS OF CLAIMS CARRIED OVER FROM 1980

8 claims <u>awarded</u> (\$44,139 requested) - amount awarded, \$18,233.55

12 claims <u>denied</u> (\$70,349 requested)

5 claims pending (\$61,428 requested)

1 claim dismissed (\$265 requested) (improper filing)

#### APPENDIX

As required by 81-1833, the following is a register of claimants for 1981, including the name of the victim and claimant, a brief description of each case and the decision on the claim.

REGISTER OF CLAIMS ---

Claim # Claim Req.	Town and County	Date of Incident	Name of Victim and/or Claimant		Date Filed Date Decided	Disposition
01-81-3001 \$1,779.38 wages	Plattsmouth Cass	06-03-80	Charles V. Bax age 59, truck driver	Assault felony/robbery - shot while running from store that was being held up.	01-06-81 01-28-81	Awarded \$787.50 loss of wages, attorney fee
01-81-3002 \$758.20 medical	Lincoln Lancaster	10-11-80	Randall R. Conner age 26, employed by car dealer	Assault robbery - robbed by 3 men who had given him a ride, kicked and beaten.	01-09-81 01-28-81	Awarded \$180.40 medical
01-81-3003 \$5,565.40 medical, wages	Omaha Douglas	06-14-80	Robert Earlywine age 22, employed by Layne Western	Assault - shot after joining in fight he had been watching in 7-11 parking lot.	01-15-81 02-20-81	Denied - not victim of crime under the Act
01-81-3004-6 \$3,233.93 funeral, \$250,000.00 pecuniary los to minors	Columbus Platte s	01-23-79	Lynne C. Ditter age 26, employed, Bank (trustee) & 2 minor children	Murder - shot by estranged husband when police surrounded home.	01-21-81 10-28-81	Awarded \$787.50 funeral, atty. fee denied pecuniary loss
01-81-3007 \$13,996.90 medical wages	Omaha Douglas	11-29-80	Dean A. Williams age 28, employed by G.O.C.A.	Assault felony - shot in leg by occupants of passing truck.	y 01-23-81 06-17-81	Awarded \$10,000 medical, wages \$500 atty. fee
01-81-3008 \$4,543.72 medical, wages	Omaha Douglas	12-29-80	Gladys B. Mace age 47, employed by H.E.L.P., Inc.	Assault misdemeanor - assaulte by 3 intoxicated men while sleeping in apartment below a bar.	d 01-27-81	Incomplete - waiting for info. from claimant
01-81-3009 \$109.00 medical	Lexington Dawson	05-02-79	Rape Victim age 26, housewife	First degree sexual assault - abducted from car.	01-28-81 03-25-81	Awarded \$109.00 medical
01-81-3010 \$42.40 medical	Lincoln Lancaster	11-7-80	Rape Victim age 18, employed by car dealer	First degree sexual assault - accepted ride when car broke down.	01-30-81 02-20-81	Awarded \$42.40 medical
02-81-3011 \$47.10 medical	Lincoln Lancaster	10-18-80	Rape Victim age 23, steno- clerk	First degree sexual assault/ robbery - accused broke into victim's apartment.	02-04-81 02-20-81	Awarded \$47.10 medical
02-81-3012 \$3,557.80 medical	Omaha Douglas	06-01-80	Ronald D. Ross age 28, laborer in construction	Assault felony - stabbed in throat during fight outside of a bar.	02-06-81 03-25-81	Denied - no financial loss
03-81-3013 \$253.65 medical, wages, misc	Omaha Douglas	12-11-80	Rape Victim age 29, bookkeeper	First degree sexual assault - victim attacked as she opened apartment door.	03-09-81 04-29-81	Awarded \$204.04 medical, loss of wages
03-81-3014 \$990.00 medical	Omaha Douglas	10-24-80	William Masilko age 14, student Martha Masilko,	Assault felony - stabbed durin argument at party.	g 03-10-81	Withdrawn 12-18-81

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	Claim # Claim Req.	Town and County	Date of <u>Incident</u>	Name of Victim and/or Claimant	Type of Crime - Description	Date Filed Date Decided	Disposition
	03-81-3015 \$25,707.04 medical, wages	Lincoln Lancaster	12-21-79	Meno F. Hicken age 42, truck driver, Wahoo	Assault misdemeanor - kicked during fight outside of a bar, lost left eye.	03-10-81	Hearing 11-30-81 Pending
	03-81-3016 \$364.52 medical, out-of-pocke & moving	Omaha Douglas	09-06-80	Eva L. Lawson age 81, retired	Purse snatching - victim injured when knocked to ground.	03-12-81 05-22-81	Awarded \$364.52 medical & out-of- pocket; denied moving expense
	03-81-3017 \$4,071.10 medical	Omaha Douglas	01-24-81	Eddie Hill age 49, unempl.	Assault felony - assaulted & robbed while going to buy cigarettes.	03-12-81 04-29-81	Denied - insufficient evidence of a crime
	03-81-3018 \$10,100.00 medical, funeral	maha Douglas	12-21-80	Robert Crawford age 18, unempl. Teresa Crawford, wife	Homicide - gunshot wounds to head.	03-12-81 05-22-81	Denied - no financial loss
	03-81-3019	Mayaa					
	\$88.05 medical out-of-pocket	Wausa Knox t	01-12-81	Jeffrey Hinrichs age 16, student Donald Hinrichs, father	Assault - victim pulled from car & hit, suffered concussion.	03-12-81 04-29-81	Awarded \$68.05 medical & out-of- pocket
	03-81-3020 \$620.00 wages	Omaha Douglas	11-14-80	Catherine Ayala age 23, dairy store employee	Assault/robbery - struck in face during holdup at dairy store.	03-20-81 04-29-81	Awarded \$189.97 loss of wages, attorney fee
	03-81-3021 \$7,494.20 medical, wages	Omaha Douglas	12-19-80	Christopher Thomas age 22, employed by Standard Blue Print	Assault felony - stabbed by man who had given him a ride from Council Bluffs.	03-31-81 05-22-81	Denied - insufficient evidence of a crime
	04-81-3022 \$5,693.45 medical	Omaha Douglas	12-28-80	Lila M. Castillo age 23, unempl.	Assault felony - accidentally shot by friend while struggling with third party.	04-03-81	Incomplete - waiting for info from claimant
	04-81-3023 \$59.31 nedical	Lincoln Lancaster	10-10-80	Rape Victim age 55, disabled	Sexual assault in victim's home by acquaintance.		Awarded \$59.31 medical
5	04-81-3024 531.80 nedical	Lincoln Lancaster	01-08-81	Rape Victim age 23, employed by paint store	First degree sexual assault/ robbery in victim <sup>3</sup> s apartment.		Awarded \$31,80 medical
1	04-81-3025 644,120.08 medical, ages	Omaha Douglas	11-26-80	Angie D. Cutler age 20, ham boner for Aksarben Foods	Assault felony - multiple stab wounds during argument with fellow employee.	07-31-81	Awarded \$1,661.90 loss of wages, attorney fee - Welfare pd. medical
\$ m	4-81-3026-27 20,000.00 edical ecuniary oss	Omaha Douglas	11-06-80	Jesse M. Serrano age 27, unempl.	Murder - shot by neighbor in yard ા home.		Denied - no financial loss - court appeal pending

Claim # Claim Req.	Town and County	Date of Incident	Name of Victim and/or Claimant		Date Filed Date Decided	<u>Disposition</u>
05-81-3028 \$1,880.11 medical, out- of-pocket	Lincoln Lancaster	12-21-80	Scott E. Ward age 21, unempl.	Assault - victim beaten with pipe while trying to assist a friend.	05-01-81 06-17-81	Awarded \$1,880.11 medical, out-of- pocket
05-81-3029 \$16,494.80 medical, wages	Omaha Douglas	05-03-80	Duane S. Linnertz age 28, laborer Kiewit & Sons	Assault felony - stabbed from behind as victim left party.	05-01-81 12-22-81	Awarded \$1,169.36 medical, loss of wages (\$479.80 encumbered)
05-81-3030 \$5,319.39 medical, out- of-pocket	Omaha Douglas	02-27-81	Denise Y. Mosley age 29, unempl.	Assault - purse snatching while going from stalled car to phone.	05-11-81 06-17-81	Awarded \$5,313.39 medical, out-of- pocket
05-81-3031 \$304.70 medical,	Omaha Douglas	03-16-81	Rape Victim age 19, fast food employee	First degree sexual assault in victim's home.	05-13-81 05-22-81	Awarded \$291.32 medical, loss of wages
05-81-3032 \$6,904.74 medical, wages	Lincoln Lancaster	09-15-79	Geneva Blankenbaker age 40, secretary	Hit & run accident.	05-22-81 06-17-81	Denied - did not qualify under the Act
05-81-3033 \$398.35 medical, out-of-pocket	Lincoln Lancaster	01-23-81	Kent L. Brunzell age 33, computer programmer	Assault/robbery - victim beaten by several juveniles in robbery attempt.		Awarded \$398.35 out-of-pocket for medical
06-81-3034-36 \$30,000.00 medical, funeral, pecuniary loss	Douglas	11-01-80	Roby O. Hardin age 24, laborer Ruby Hardin, mother, & 2 minor children	Second degree murder - victim shot by estranged husband at her home.	06-02-81 10-28-81	Awarded \$787.50 funeral, atty. fee Denied pecuniary loss - court appeal pending
06-81-3037 \$1,150.00+ medical, wages	Reru Nemaha	06-19-79	Kent M. Coleman age 26, student	Assault felony - victim shot outside bar.	06-12-81	Incomplete - waiting for info from claimant
06-81-3038 \$13,309.77 medical	Omaha Douglas	04-13-81	Bryan K. Meister age 15, student U. Meister, father Council Bluffs, Ia.	Assault felony - victim shot while walking along Interstate by occupant of passing car.	06-15-81 12=?2=81	Emerg, Award \$41.98 Awarded \$10,000 medical, \$500 atty. fee (encumbered)
06-81-3039 \$2,999.35 medical	Omaha Douglas	05-02-81	Bradley Johnson age 26, student	Assault - victim knocked unconscious in a bar.	06-18-81 08-26-81	Denied - insufficient evidence of a crime
07-81-3040 \$1,136.25+ medical	Omaha Douglas	05-19-81	Anthony R. Brown age 20, unempl.	Assault - stabbed while trying to stop fight at birthday party in his home.	07+07-81	Incomplete waiting for info. from claimant
07-81-3041 \$50.00+ medical,	Lincoln Lancaster	05-28-81	Rape Victim age 22	Sexual assault by acquaintance who had given victim ride home.	07-09-81	Incomplete - waiting for info. from claimant

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	1-3042 70.85 cal	Omaha Douglas	04-24-81	Leon Straughn age 28, unempl.	Assault felony - shot following argument regarding payment of bet.	07-10-81 08-26-81	Denied - no financial loss by claimant
07-8 \$81. medi		Lincoln Lancaster	05-22-81	Kurosh Borashan age 23, fast food restaurant mgr.	Assault - punched in eye during argument at downtown intersection.	07-13-81	Denied - behavior contributed to injury
		Lincoln Lancaster	12-12-80	Zia A. Hossaini age 30, student	Assault misdemeanor - beaten by several men at supermarket.	07-14-81 10-28-81	Awarded \$936.00 medical, wages - hearing pending
07-8 \$254 medi		Omaha Douglas	12-20-79	Donald E. Turner age 47, carpenter	Assault felony - stabbed by tenant who had been evicted.	07-29-81	Pending
07-8 \$997 medi		Scottsbluff Scotts Bluf		Willis Robertson age 74, retired	Assault misdemeanor - beaten in mobile home park.	07-31-81 09-23-81	Awarded \$997.90 medical, atty. fee
	1-3047 71.65 cal	Scottsbluff Scotts Bluf		Raymond Cervantes age 46, unempl.	Assault felony - shot in face as left bar.	08-10-81 08-26-81	Denied - no loss by claiman†
08-8 \$239 medi		Lincoln Lancaster	07-20-81	David L. Conklin age 24, student	Assault felony - stabbed during robbery of apartment.	08-10-81 08-26-81	Awarded \$176.22 medical
	1-3049 94.85 cal	Omaha Douglas	05-29-81	Rape Victim age 45	First degree sexual assault	08-11-81	Incomplete - waiting for info from claimant
		Pawnee City Pawnee		Donald E. Schmitz age 34, farmer, Baileyville, KS filed by Estate	Homicide - shot by ex-wife.	08-14-81 10-28-81	Denied - claim needs to be submitted on behalf of a dependent
		Omaha Douglas	03-13-81	Carolyn Stopak age 34, auditor	Assault felony - shot by husband on day filed for divorce.	08-17-81 10-28-81	Awarded \$1,108.62 medical, loss of wages (\$722.17 encumbered)
		Omaha Douglas	07-1-80	Raymond E. Davies age 30, contractor	Assault felony - shot in parking lot of lounge.	08-21-81	Incomplete - waiting for info. from claimant
08-8 \$943 medi wage	cal,	Niobrara Knox	05-25-81	Jan A. Katrous age 21, mechanic, Verdigre	Assault misdemeanor - beaten up in rural area near Niobrara River.	08-27-81 (Fig. 10-28-81)	Awarded \$729.18 medical, loss of wages (\$618.45 encumbered)
08-8 \$391 medi wage	cal	Omaha Douglas	07-03-81	Mark G. Reedy age 29, lab worker	Assault misdemeanor - beaten and robbed as victim walked home from bar.	08-28-81 09-23-81	Awarded \$298.07 medical after insurance, loss of wages

Claim # Claim Req.	Town and County	Date of <u>Incident</u>	Name of Victim and/or Claimant		ate Filed ate Decided	<u>Disposition</u>
09-81-3055 \$3,213.00 medical, wages	Omaha Douglas	06-01-81	T. Michael Wiggins age 18, student E. Jane Wiggins, mother	Assault felony - stabbed in fight at bus stop.	09-08-81	Pending
09-81-3056 \$19,217.03 medical, funeral, wages	Sprague Lancaster	02-07-81	Geri L. Foster age 19, student Marie T. Foster, mother, Omaha	Automobile accident - died from injuries.	09-09-81 09-23-81	Denied - not covered under the Act
09-81-3057 \$190.73 out-of-	Lincoln Lancaster	07-21-81	Elizabeth McKee age 20, bookkeeper	Assault felony - stabbed during robbery of apartment.	09-11-81 09-23-81	Awarded \$56.17 loss of wages, out-of-pocket
pocket, loss of wages						
09-81-3058 \$2,220.85 medical, wages	Omaha Douglas	06-09-81	Milo B. Perry age 21, guard	Assault misdemeanor - accused threw boiling water on victim for making disparaging remarks.	09-17-81 12-22-81	Denied - behavior of victim contributed to injury
10-81-3059 \$11,237.75 medical, wages	Omaha Douglas	08-08-81	Sherman McShannon age 22, building maintainance	Assault felony - shot by man claiming to be a policeman.	10-09-81	Hearing pending
10-81-3060 \$6,162.85 medical	Omaha Douglas	09-25-81	Raymond McCowin age 22, unempl.	Assault felony - shot in back at bus stop.	10-29-81	Incomplete - waiting for info. from claimant
11-81-3061 \$2,507.45 medical, wages	Omaha Douglas	10-15-81	Edgar E. Mace age 53, temporary employee	Assault misdemeanor - beaten up in apartment by two men.	11-06-81	Pending
11-81-3062 \$227.55 medical	Omaha Douglas	08-14-81	Rape Victim age 21, student	First degree sexual assault as victim walked home from store.	11-09-81	Pending
11-81-3063 \$1,030.96 medical, wages	Lincoln Lancaster	09-07-81	Thomas J. Reinig age 24, laborer	Assault felony - beaten by two men, driven several miles and dumped out.	11-13-81	Pending
11-81-3064 \$468.25 medical, wages	Fremont Dodge	06-24-81	Steve A. Perkins age 32, bartender	Assault misdemeanor - beaten by two men in argument in bar.	11-16-81 12-22-81	Denied - behavior of victim contributed to injury
11-81-3065 \$541.00 wages	Omaha Douglas	08-07-81	Delbert Larsen age 41, bus driver	Assault misdemeanor - beaten by man boarding bus.	11-16-81	Pending

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Date Decided Disposition 12-81-3066 \$888.70 medical, Omaha Douglas 10-23-81 Edward Casey age 22, student Assault - knocked to pavement 12-03-81 during fight in bar parking lot Pending out-of-pocket 07-04-81 Gregory Albracht Assault robbery - victim beaten 12-17-81 Pending during robbery.

Alfred Albracht, father 12-81-3067 \$1,943.00 medical, Douglas wages 12-81-3068 \$1,455.05 medical 10-22-31 Jeffrey Schafer age 22, unempl. Lincoln Assault felony - shot by two men 12-29-81 Pending in Wilderness Park. Lancaster 12-81-3069 \$51.15 12-10-81 Kwang-Young Lee age 30, student Lincoln Assault robbery - beaten and 12-20-81 robbed in apartment. Pending Lancaster medical

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