

New South Wales Police

STATEMENT in matter of:

Place: Bega Police Station

Death of PAYNTER

Date: 30.10.89

Name: 150
(Surname in capitals)

Address: [REDACTED] Tel. No. [REDACTED]

Occupation: Student STATES:—

1. This statement made by me accurately sets out the evidence which I would be prepared, if necessary, to give in court as a witness. This statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I make it knowing that if it is tendered in evidence, I shall be liable to prosecution if I have wilfully stated in it anything which I know to be false or do not believe to be true.

2. My date of birth is the [REDACTED] 1973.

3. About 5pm on Friday, 13 October, 1989, I was walking around the rocks from Tathra Beach, towards the wharf. I walked along Shelley Beach and on the Eastern side of the beach, I saw a track going in around to the bush at the bottom of the cliff. I saw the body of a man lying on his right side. I couldn't see his head as it appeared to be covered by a shrub. I saw scratches down the side of him. I thought he had fallen from the top of the cliff. I didn't hang around too long, I raced back and told Dad, who rang the Police. We then waited at the Surf-Club for the Police to arrive.

4. When the Police arrived, I took them around the rocks and showed them the body.

Signed: 150

Witness: [Signature]
A. FERGUSON
30-10-1989

Witness: Signature: