

New South Wales Police

STATEMENT in matter of:
MURDER OF ROBERT HART MALCOLM

Place: REDFERN POLICE STATION.
Date: 4 March, 1992

Name: PERRY Matthew Lawrence

Address: [REDACTED] WATERLOO.

Tel. No:

Occupation: Unemployed

Tel. No:

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.
2. The statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I made 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.
3. I am 40 years of age.
4. I live at the above address with my son Matthew. I have lived there for the past two years and I am unemployed.
5. On Friday night about a quarter to eleven, in January of this year, I don't remember the date, I was at my sisters place at Petersham. I left there at that time and went to the train station and waited for the train. I was with my niece Maxine EDWARDS. The train came at about ten to eleven and we got on it and came to Redfern. The train got there at Redfern at about 11.00pm. From the train station we both went to the Clifton Hotel and I think it was about a quarter past eleven.
6. When I got there I walked into the toilet and after I got out I sat over in front of the restaurant with a few people and had a drink. I then saw

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Beaver and he was hanging around the pool table. He came over to me and he said,

"Hello. Do you want to come to the Cross."

I then said,

"No."

I then saw him walk away and then he left the Hotel with a few other people. This would have been about a quarter past or half past eleven because it was closing time. When the Clifton closed I hung around for a while and then I went to Eveleigh Street.

7. About 2.00am the Saturday morning, I went with my two nieces to the Mansions Hotel at Kings Cross. When I got there I don't remember seeing Beaver there. I stayed at the Mansions Hotel for a while and about 5.00am I got into a cab with my two nieces, Shaneen and Maxine EDWARDS and came home.
8. On the Saturday afternoon when I got up, I was listening to the wireless and I heard that a man had been bashed up in Eveleigh Street. That's the first time I heard about it and I was disgusted.
9. I have known Beaver HOOKEY since he was born and he's my cousin. The only time I saw Beaver on the Friday night was for that short minute at about a quarter past eleven.

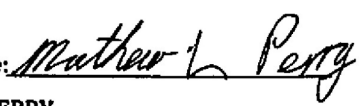
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R.A. YANNAKIS

Detective Constable 1/C

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Matt PERRY

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