Synopsis: Officers from the Denver Police Department were called to the Standish Hotel on a report of a deceased male within one of the rooms. The victim was identified as Edward Pelter, a registered guest at the hotel. Due to the suspicious nature of the victim’s death, which was caused by asphyxiation, this case was investigated as a homicide. Victim Edward Pelter honorably served in the United States Military and at the time of his murder, he was confined to a wheelchair.

The Denver Police Department’s Cold Case Unit is seeking information that will lead to the arrest and prosecution of the suspect(s) responsible for this murder. If you have information that could assist with this or any other unsolved case, you can help investigators by calling the Denver Police Department at 720-913-2000 (24 hours a day - seven days a week) or by calling the Crime Stoppers Tip Line at 720-913-STOP (7867). Callers may remain anonymous and receive a reward up to $2,000.

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