

Man Drowns In Quarry Pond

COLUMBUS (UPI) — Joseph Carl Smith, 28, Columbus, drowned in an abandoned quarry pond early Monday apparently while taking a night-time swim.

Franklin County sheriff's deputies said a woman, who was not identified, told them she and Smith had met in a bar here, then gone to the quarry because he told her he felt like a swim.

Smith, familiar with the quarry because he was a surveyor for an engineering firm, dived into the quarry and never emerged, the woman said. He drowned about 3 a.m., but the woman reported the drowning to construction workers who arrived in the area nearly five hours later.

1966 Jun Joseph Smith drowns at quarry
OH

Clipped By:
usmra_rob
Dec 11, 2024