# **JACK THE RIPPER**

# (The Whitechapel Murders)

# **OVERVIEW**



1888 - 1891

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#### Introduction

The following material is a general overview of the Whitechapel murders - 1888-1891.

#### The Victims

The Whitechapel Murders were a series of eleven murders which occurred between Apr 1888 and Feb 1891. Ten of the victims were prostitutes and one was an unidentified female (only the torso was found).

It was during this period that the Jack the Ripper murders took place.

Even today, 2012, it still remains unclear as to how many victims Jack the Ripper actually killed. However, it is generally accepted that he killed at least four of the "Canonical" five.

#### Victims - Colour Code

- Green Murders prior to the Canonical Five Murders
  Yellow The canonical Five Murders
  Blue Murders after the Canonical Five Murders

Date	Victim (* = organs removed)	Location
Tue, 03 Apr 1888	Emma Elizabeth Smith	Assaulted, raped, and robbed in Entrance to Brick Lane, Osborn Street, Whitechapel Died in London Hospital, Wed, 04 Apr 1888 of peritonitis resulting from her injuries
Tue, 07 Aug 1888 Aug Bank Holiday, Mon, 06 Aug 1888	Martha Tabram	1st floor landing, George Yard Buildings, George Yard (now Gunthorpe Street), Whitechapel
Fri, 31 Aug 1888	Mary Ann (Polly) Nichols	Buck's Row (now Durward Street), Whitechapel
Sat, 08 Sep 1888	Annie Chapman*	Rear Yard, 29 Hanbury Street, Spitalfields
Sun, 30 Sep 1888	Elizabeth Stride	Dutfield's Yard, at side of 40 Berner Street (now Henriques Street), St Georges-in-the-East
Sun, 30 Sep 1888	Catherine Eddowes*	Mitre Square, Aldgate, City of London
Fri, 09 Nov 1888 Holiday, Lord Mayor's Show, Fri, 09 Nov 1888	Mary Jane Kelly*	13 Miller's Court, 26 Dorset Street, Spitalfields
Thu, 20 Dec 1888	Catherine (Rose) Mylett	Clarke's Yard, between 184 and 186 Poplar High Street, Whitechapel
Wed, 17 Jul 1889	Alice McKenzie	Castle Alley, Whitechapel
Tue, 10 Sep 1889	Female torso	Found under a Railway Arch, Pinchin Street (arch closest to Back Church Lane), Whitechapel
Fri, 13 Feb 1891	Frances Coles	Found under Railway Arch, Swallow Gardens, Whitechapel

Note: All the murders were committed within a single square mile.

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### Sunrise

Victim	Date	Apparent Sunrise Local Time London
Emma Elizabeth Smith	Tue, 03 Apr 1888	5:31am
Martha Tabram	Tue, 07 Aug 1888	4:34am
Mary Ann (Polly) Nichols	Fri, 31 Aug 1888	5:12am
Annie Chapman	Sat, 08 Sep 1888	5:25am
Elizabeth Stride	Sun, 30 Sep 1888	6:00am
Catherine Eddowes	Sun, 30 Sep 1888	6:00am
Mary Jane Kelly	Fri, 09 Nov 1888	7:09am

Victim	Date	Apparent Sunrise Local Time London
Catherine (Rose) Mylett	Thu, 20 Dec 1888	8:04am
Alice McKenzie	Wed, 17 Jul 1889	4:03am
Female torso	Tue, 10 Sep 1889	5:28am
Frances Coles	Fri, 13 Feb 1891	7:19am

Sunrise calculator used: http://www.srrb.noaa.gov/highlights/sunrise/sunrise.html

# Relevant Calendars 1888, 1889, 1891

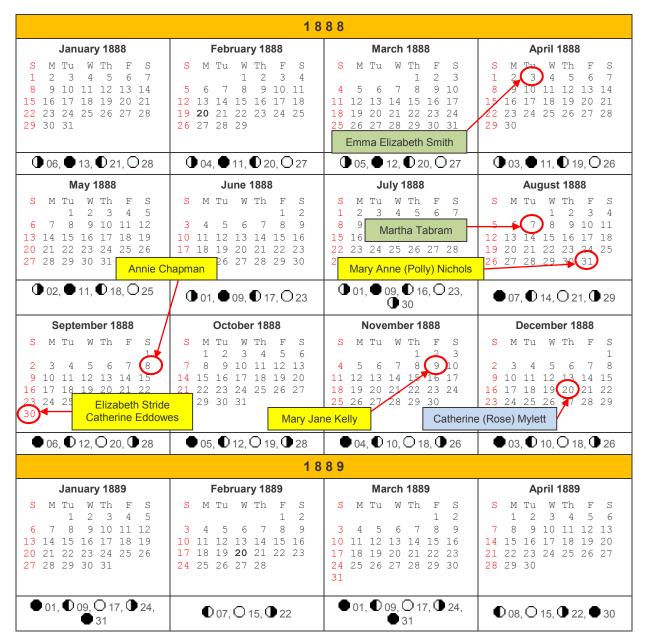
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#### Moon Phases - 1888, 1889, 1891

Symbols:

- E = New Moon
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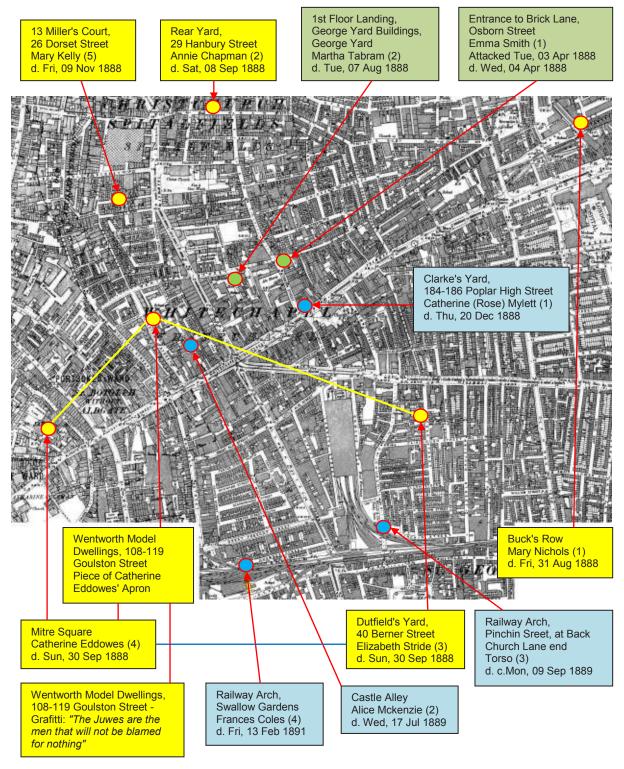
#### Whitechapel Murders - Site Summary

#### **Colour Key:**

O - Green - Murders prior to the Canonical Five Murders (order of demise in parenthesis)

- Yellow - The canonical Five Murders (order of demise in parenthesis)

- Blue - Murders after the Canonical Five Murders (order of demise in parenthesis)





# Government, Police, Doctors, and Others

Name	Office	Freemason?		
Government				
Queen Victoria (24 May 1819 - 22 Jan 1901)	Monarch 20 Jun 1837 - 22 Jan 1901	n/a		
Robert Cecil, Marquess of Salisbury, Conservative	Prime Minister of a minority administration 1885 to 1886 Prime Minister of a majority administration 1886 to 1902	No		
Henry Matthews 1st Viscount Llandaff PC, QC	Home Secretary 1886 - 1892	No		
	Police			
Sir Charles Warren	Metropolitan Police Commissioner 1886 - 1888	Yes See "Masonic Conspiracy" below		
James Monro	First Assistant Metropolitan Police Commissioner 1884 -1888 Metropolitan Police Commissioner 1888 - 1890	No		
Sir Robert Anderson	Second Assistant Metropolitan Police Commissioner 1888 - 1901 <b>Attributed 6 murders to the Ripper:</b> Martha Tabram, Polly Nichols, Annie Chapman, Elizabeth Stride, Catherine Eddowes, Mary Kelly	No		
Donald Sutherland Swanson	Chief Inspector at the time 15 Sept 1888 to 6 Oct 1888	No		
Thomas Arnold	Police Superintendent - Head of H Division (Whitechapel) 1888 On Sir Charles Warren's orders, Arnold had the Goulston Street Graffiti washed off <b>Attributed 9 murders to the Ripper:</b> <i>Emma Smith, Martha Tabram, Polly Nichols, Annie</i> <i>Chapman, Elizabeth Stride, Catherine Eddowes,</i> <i>Mary Kelly, Alice McKenzie, Frances Coles</i>	No		
Edmund Reid	Inspector - Head of CID at H - Division (Whitechapel) at the time 1888 <b>Attributed 4 murders to the Ripper:</b> Polly Nichols, Annie Chapman, Elizabeth Stride, Mary Kelly	No		

Dr George Bagster Phillips Divisional Surgeon of Police He believed that the Ripper had a great degree of anatomical knowledge and surgical skill	Annie Chapman, Elizabeth Stride, Catherine Eddowes, Mary Kelly, Alice McKenzie, Frances Coles <b>Three Definite Ripper Victims:</b> Annie Chapman, Elizabeth Stride, Mary Kelly <b>One Serious Doubt:</b> Catherine Eddowes	No
Dr Rees Ralph Llewellyn Maintained a surgery at 152 Whitechapel Road He believed that the Ripper had some degree of anatomical knowledge and surgical skill	Called to the scene and later performed a post- mortem on 1 of the victims: <i>Polly Nichols</i> Performed or attended post-mortems related to 6 of the victims:	No
Dr Timothy Killeen Lived at 68 Brick Lane He believed that the Ripper had some degree of anatomical knowledge and surgical skill	Called to the scene and later performed a post- mortem on 1 of the victims: <i>Martha Tabram</i>	No
Dr George Haslip House Surgeon London Hospital	Doctors Attended 1 of the victims: Emma Smith	No
Major Henry Smith	at the time 1888	No
Walter Dew	Detective Chief Inspector at the time 1888 Attributed 7 murders to the Ripper: Emma Smith, Martha Tabram, Polly Nichols, Annie Chapman, Elizabeth Stride, Catherine Eddowes, Mary Kelly Acting Commissioner of the City of London Police	No
Melville Macnaghten	Chief Constable of Scotland Yard at the time 1888 Attributed 5 murders to the Ripper: Polly Nichols, Annie Chapman, Elizabeth Stride, Catherine Eddowes, Mary Kelly	No
Frederick George Abberline	Inspector - Head of the "On The Ground" Investigation 1888 Attributed 6 murders to the Ripper: Martha Tabram, Polly Nichols, Annie Chapman, Elizabeth Stride, Catherine Eddowes, Mary Kelly	No

Dr Frederick Gordon Brown City Police Surgeon 6, North-buildings, Eldon-Street, Finsbury-Circus He gave an extensive Post- Mortem report on <i>Catherine</i> <i>Eddowes</i> He believed that the Ripper had a great degree of anatomical knowledge and surgical skill	Performed or attended post-mortems related to 1 of the victims: Catherine Eddowes Examined the body of 1 victim: Alice McKenzie Took Part in: The Pinchin Street Torso investigation	No
Dr Thomas Bond Consultant called in to help "profile" Jack the Ripper He believed that the Ripper had no anatomical knowledge	Attributed 6 murders to the "same man": Examined the wounds of 2 victims: Mary Kelly, Alice McKenzie Studied medical notes of 4 victims: Polly Nichols, Annie Chapman, Elizabeth Stride, Catherine Eddowes	No
	Others	
Sir William Withey Gull 1st Baronet of Brook Street	One of the Physicians-in-Ordinary to HM Queen Victoria	No

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#### **Masonic Conspiracy**

John Hamill, former Librarian for the Freemasons' United Grand Lodge of England (subsequently the Director of Communications) writes:

The Stephen Knight thesis is based upon the claim that the main protagonists, the Prime Minister Lord Salisbury, Sir Charles Warren, Sir James Anderson and Sir William Gull were all high-ranking Freemasons. Knight knew his claim to be false for, in 1973, I received a phone call from him in the Library, in which he asked for confirmation of their membership. After a lengthy search I informed him that only Sir Charles Warren had been a Freemason. Regrettably, he chose to ignore this answer as it ruined his story. [http://www.mgmagazine.co.uk/issue-2/p-48.php]

Further, from the Grand Lodge of British Columbia and Yukon:

Was Jack the Ripper a freemason or part of a masonic cover-up? The Royal Conspiracy theory was first floated in 1960 and given publicity by a hoax concocted by Joseph Sickert, the son of the famous artist Walter Sickert in 1973. Although Sir Charles Warren was a freemason, the Marquess of Salisbury, Sir William Gull and Sir Robert Anderson were not. [http://freemasonry.bcy.ca/texts/masonic\_myths.html]

## Last Known Residence of Victim

Date of Taking up Residence	Victim	Last Known Residence
c.Oct/Nov 1886	Emma Elizabeth Smith	Lodging House, 18 George Street (now Lolesworth Street), Spitalfields Attacked at entrance to Brick Lane, Osborn Street, Whitechapel
c.Jun/Jul 1888	Martha Tabram	Satchell's Lodging House, 19 George Street (now Lolesworth Street), Spitalfields Body found George Yard Buildings after drinking around Whitechapel in company with another prostitute and two soldiers
c.Aug 1888 approx. one week prior to death	Mary Ann (Polly) Nichols	The 'White House', Lodging House, 56 Flower and Dean Street On the night of her murder she tried to return to Wilmott's Lodging House, 18 Thrawl Street, Spitalfields (previous address), but was turned away (no money) - body found +/- 1 hour later, <3/4 mile away at Bucks Row
c.May/Jun 1888	Annie Chapman	Crossingham's Lodging House, 35 Dorset Street, Spitalfields (went out to get dos money) Body found 300 to 400 yards away at Hanbury street
c.1882	Elizabeth Stride	1882 onwards, on and off staying at a Lodging House, 32 Flower and Dean Street - there two days prior to death
On and off from 1881	Catherine Eddowes	Cooney's Lodging House, 55 Flower and Dean Street - arrived in London on Friday, 28 Sep 1888
Arrived in London 1884 - moved into Miller's Court Feb or Mar 1888	Mary Jane Kelly	13 Miller's Court, 26 Dorset Street, Spitalfields Found mutilated at place of residence
Unknown	Catherine Mylett	Lived in various lodging houses over the years, ranging from the Limehouse/Poplar district and 18 George Street, to her mother's lodgings in Pelham Street (north of Hanbury Street), Baker's Row, Spitalfields
c.Apr 1888	Alice McKenzie	Mr. Tenpenny's Lodging House, 54 Gun Street, Spitalfields
Unknown	Female torso	Unknown

Date of Taking up Residence	Victim	Last Known Residence
Unknown	Frances Coles	"Living with an elderly woman in Richard Street, Commercial Road" Just prior to death - Spitalfields Chambers Lodging House, 8 White's Row, Spitalfields

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## **Other Dates of Interest**

Date	Event
1888	The "Whitechapel Murders" period - Tue, 03 Apr 1888 - Fri, 13 Feb 1891
Mon, 10 Sep 1888	"Leather Apron" (John Pizer) arrested by Detective Sergeant William Thick of H Division. However, it was soon established that he was not the "Ripper".
10 Sep 1888	Mile End Vigilance Committee formed and consisted largely of Jewish tradesmen. Its president was George Akin Lusk (a builder and contractor)
Sep 1888	Following the Chapman murder, Hanbury St (Sat, 08 Sep 1888), anti-Semitic feelings and the abuse of Jews dramatically escalated
	The "Goulston St Graffiti" and piece of Catherine Eddowes' apron.
30 Sep 1888	Catherine Eddowes was murdered at c.1.45am
	The Graffiti and piece of apron appeared between 2:20am and 2:55am
Mon, 08 Oct 1888 & Tue, 09 Oct 1888	Bloodhound evaluation (8th and 9th Oct) - though promising, by 23 Oct 1888 the bloodhound initiative had fallen apart and was not pursued further
23 Oct 1888	Dr Sir Robert Anderson, Second Assistant Metropolitan Police Commissioner, in a minute admitted that even with five successive murders, the CID had not unearthed "the slightest clue of any kind."
Dec 1888	Within a month of the murder of Mary Jane Kelly (Fri, 09 Nov 1888), the extra police were withdrawn and the Whitechapel Vigilance Committee was told to disband because" their services were no longer required". It was as if "someone" knew that the Ripper had finished his work

## Overviews

Name Age	Date of Death	Time Discovered	Place	Throat Cut	Mutilation	Missing Organs	Strangle Indication	Recent Sex
Emma Smith c.45 yrs	Wed 04 Apr 1888 9:00am at London Hosp.	Attacked Tue, 03 Apr 1888 Before 4:00am	Entrance to Brick Lane, Osborn St	No No bladed instrument involved	No Beaten, raped, and a blunt instrument rammed into vagina	No	No	Yes Raped
Martha Tabram 39 yrs	Tue 07 Aug 1888	c.4:50am	1st floor landing, George Yard Blds	No Stabbed	No Stabbed 39 times - neck, breasts, stomach, abdomen, & vagina	No	Inferred by hands clenched & face swollen & distorted	No
Polly Nichols 43 yrs	Fri 31 Aug 1888	c.3:40am	Buck's Row, in street across entrance to a stable yard with closed gates	Yes Twice	Yes Abdomen had been slashed open from the breast bone exposing the intestines	No	Inferred by bruise on one side of neck & an abrasion on the other side. Her face was discoloured and her tong slightly lacerated	None identified
Annie Chapman 47 yrs	Sat 08 Sep 1888	c.6:00am	Rear Yard, 29 Hanbury St	Yes	Yes Abdominal extensive	Yes Uterus and its appendages, upper portion of the vagina, posterior 2/3 of the Bladder, part of the Belly Wall that included the Navel	Inferred by possible signs of gagging / suffocation - swollen livid face & swollen protruding tongue. Also a bruise on right side of neck & several scratches on the other side	None identified
Elizabeth Stride 45 yrs	Sun 30 Sep 1888	c.1:00am	Dutfield's Yard, 40 Berner St	Yes	No	No	None identified	None identified
Catherine Eddowes 46 yrs	Sun 30 Sep 1888	1:45am	Mitre Square	Yes	Yes Face Abdominal extensive Some of the cuts had been made through the clothes	Yes Uterus, L Kidney ("deliberately sought for" by the killer)	None identified	No
Mary Kelly c.25 yrs	Fri 09 Nov 1888	c.3:30-3:45 estimated time of death	13 Miller's Court, 26 Dorset St	Yes	Yes Face extensive Chest extensive Abdominal extensive	Yes Heart	None identified	None identified

Name Age	Date of Death	Time Discovered	Place	Throat Cut	Mutilation	Missing Organs	Strangle Indication	Recent Sex
Catherine (Rose) Mylett 29 yrs	Thu 20 Dec 1889	4:15am	Clarke's Yard, 184-186 Poplar High St	No	No	No	Yes Light cord mark on neck	None identified
Alice McKenzie 40 yrs	Wed 17 Jul 1889	12:50am	Castle Alley	Yes	Yes Abdomen light	No	None identified	None identified
Torso c.30-40 yrs	c.Mon 09 Sep 1888	Tue 10 Sep 1889 05:15am	Railway Arch, Pinchin St	Decap.	No Abdomen single wound light	Yes Head Arms	n/a	n/a
Frances Coles 31 yrs	Fri 13 Feb 1891	02:15am	Railway Arch, Swallow Gdns	Yes	No	No	None identified	None identified

Name Age	Time of Death	Health	Weapon	Right/Left Handed Assailant	Cause of Death	Anatomical Knowledge Evidenced
Emma Smith c.45 yrs	Wed 04 Apr 1888 9:00am at London Hosp.	Unknown	Blunt instrument	n/a	Peritonitis	n/a
Martha Tabram 39 yrs	c.2:30am	Heavy drinker Fatty heart	2 x instruments "Ordinary knife" or "penknife" for all but one wound Poss. a dagger or bayonet for one wound (strong long blade)	All wounds but one - right h One wound (heart) - poss. left h	Haemorrhage and loss of blood	No
Polly Nichols (Mary Ann Nichols) 43 yrs	3:30- 3:40am	Heavy drinker	Strong bladed, moderately sharp knife as used by cork cutters or shoemakers The whole process could have been done in 4 or 5 mins	At first Dr Llewellyn thought it was a left h person; but later he was "doubtful" Right h killer generally accepted	Not specified	Yes "some rough anatomical knowledge"
Annie Chapman 47 yrs	c.5:30- 6:00am Sunrise- 5:25am	"Over-fond of liquor" & generally drunk on Saturdays "Tuberculous" In the last extremities of want	Very sharp weapon with a thin narrow blade 6 to 8 inches long (not a bayonet or that used in leather trade) e.g. a well ground slaughterman's knife, or such as a "small amputating knife"	Right h killer generally accepted	syncope (loss of blood supply to brain) because of throat severance	Yes "In-depth knowledge"

Name Age	Time of Death	Health	Weapon	Right/Left Handed Assailant	Cause of Death	Anatomical Knowledge Evidenced
Elizabeth Stride 45 yrs	c.1:00am	Past history of venereal disease Noted as a drinker No major health issues noted	Sharp pointed, [strong backed,] shorter knife inferred - such as used by slaughtermen [cork cutters or shoemakers] The whole process could be done in a couple of seconds	Right h killer generally accepted	"loss of blood from the left carotid artery and the division of the windpipe"	Some knowledge evinced - where to cut "he knew what he was doing" (e.g. was the throat was cut to deliberately direct the blood away from the murderer?)
Catherine Eddowes 46 yrs	c.1:45am	Because of conflicting reports, it is not possible to establish kidney disease	"a sharp instrument like a knife and pointed" Blade +/- 6" long	Right h killer generally accepted	"escape of blood from the left common carotid artery"	Evinced "both anatomical knowledge and surgical skill It required a great deal of knowledge to have removed the kidney"
Mary Kelly c.25 yrs	between 1:00am and 2:00am		A strong knife, very sharp, pointed at the top, about an inch in width and at least six inches long "It may have been a clasp knife, a butcher's knife or a surgeon's knife I think it was no doubt a straight knife"		"The blood was produced by the severance of the carotid artery, which was the cause of death. The injury was inflicted while the deceased was lying at the right side of the bedstead"	
Catherine (Rose) Mylett 29 yrs	c.4:00am	Drinker?	Cord		Strangulation	n/a
Alice McKenzie 40 yrs	Between 12:25am and 12:50am		Sharp pointed weapon, but smaller than used in the canonical murders	Neck wound suggests Right h; but abdominal wounds suggest Left h	Loss of blood from the severing of the left carotid artery	The perpetrator "knew the position of the vessels, at any rate where to cut with reference to causing speedy death" (Phillips)
Torso c.30-40 yrs						
Frances Coles 31 yrs	c.2:15am	Drinker?	Not a very sharp knife	Right h killer generally accepted	Loss of blood	No

Name Age	Anomalies	Motive	Victim killed where found?	Modus
Emma Smith c.45 yrs	Why was this considered by some to be the 1st Ripper attack?	Robbery Rape	n/a	Beaten
Martha Tabram 39 yrs	Why did no one hear anything? Why two knives?	Unknown	Yes	Partially strangled Repeatedly stabbed

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Polly Nichols (Mary Ann Nichols) 43 yrs	Why did no one hear anything? Why so little blood (1/2 pint max) at the scene? No cuts/slashes in cloths	Unknown	Yes	Partially strangled Possibly dead, before injuries inflicted Throat was cut with victim lying on back Throat cut left to right Abdomen cut open, <u>no viscera</u> taken Attacker may have been disturbed and left
Annie Chapman 47 yrs	Why rip open pocket (tied under skirts) and remove contents? What was the significance of pocket's contents being placed by the feet and the head? What was the significance of the water saturated leather apron lying nearby (2ft from tap) - none Brass rings (poss. 3) "wrenched" from ring finger of L hand Daylight (5:25am sunrise) People heading to work - Spittlefields market opened at 5:00am Why remove organs?	Unknown	Yes	Partially strangled/asphyxiated - Phillips Throat was cut with victim lying on back Throat cut left to right Cause of death - syncope (loss of blood supply to brain) because of throat severance Intimation of attempted decapitation Abdominal mutilation after death Pelvic organs were secured "with one sweep of a knife" There were "no meaningless cuts"
Elizabeth Stride 45 yrs	Why no mutilation? Disturbed by Diemschutz's arrival at c.1:00am? Poss. 2 men involved	Unknown	Yes	Throat was cut with victim lying on back Throat cut left to right No struggle Attacker(s) may have been disturbed and left No other mutilation
Catherine Eddowes 46 yrs	Why the 2nd victim in one night? Why remove organs? Did the Lusk kidney come from Eddowes? What is the relevance of the Goulston St Graffiti? Where did the chalk used to scribe the message come from? Did the killer have it on him? How did the piece of Eddowes' apron (cleanly cut diagonal half) get to Goulston St? Why was it dropped there? Catherine Eddowes was murdered at c.1.45am The graffiti and piece of apron appeared between 2:20am and 2:55am - what was the killer doing during that hour?	See [1]	Yes	Throat was cut with victim lying on back Throat cut left to right No struggle Head was turned to the left (direct blood away from the attacker?) Some cuts were made through the clothing
Mary Kelly c.25 yrs	Why such extensive mutilation? Why remove the heart?	Unknown	Yes	Throat was cut with victim lying on back Direction of cut undetermined because of other mutilation Some struggle inferred
[2] Catherine (Rose) Mylett 29 yrs	No obvious sign of injury No alcohol in stomach (one witness claimed that Mylett was drunk the night before)	Unknown	Yes	Strangled from behind with a thin cord (the marks were faint and only covered 1/4 of the neck)
Alice McKenzie 40 yrs	Abdominal wounds dissimilar to those of the canonical murders	Unknown	Yes	Victim held down and left side of neck cut (two stabs, then the knife being carried forward in the same skin wound) Neck cut left to right What observed was not congruent with the Ripper

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Torso c.30-40 yrs	Why remove the head and the legs?	Unknown	No	Unknown What observed was not congruent with the Ripper
Frances Coles 31 yrs		Unknown	Yes	Throat was cut (3 x) with victim lying on back

[1] The East London Observer of 13 Oct 1888 carried the following comment:

#### Kate Eddowes

A reporter gleaned some curious information from the Casual Ward Superintendent of Mile End, regarding Kate Eddowes, the Mitre Square victim. She was formally well-known in the casual wards there, but had disappeared for a considerable time until the Friday preceding her murder [Fri, 28 Sep 1888]. Asking the woman where she had been in the interval, the superintendent was met with the reply that she had been in the country "hopping", "But," added the woman, "I have come back to earn the reward offered for the apprehension of the Whitechapel murderer. I think I know him." "Mind he doesn't murder you too," replied the superintendent jocularly. "Oh, no fear of that," was the remark made by Kate Eddowes as she left. Within four and twenty hours afterwards she was a mutilated corpse.

This material has not been verified.

[2] Dr Thomas Bond was asked to conduct a further post-mortem. He proposed that Mylett had choked to death while drunk, and the mark on her neck having been caused by her stiff velvet collar. This was thrown out at the coroner's inquest by Wayne Baxter, who resented the intrusion.

Robert Anderson later wrote that if not for the Jack the Ripper scare, "no one would have thought of suggesting that it [the Mylett death] was a homicide".

Other Attac	Other Attacks								
Name Age	Date & Time of Attack	Location of Attack	Assailant	Weapon	Wounds	Survived?	Reason for Attack?		
United Kingdom									
Anni Millwood 38 yrs Widow	Sat 25 Feb 1888 5:00pm	White's Row off Commercial St	Unknown man Never caught J the R? No	Clasp knife	Numerous stabs in legs and lower part of body	Yes 31 Mar 1888 died of natural causes	Unknown		
Ada Wilson Machinist	Wed 28 Mar 1888 12:30am	Home - No 9 Maidman st, Burdett Rd, Mile End	Unknown man Never caught J the R? No	Clasp knife	Stabbed 2 x in throat	Yes	Money demand		
United States									

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Carrie Brown Prostitute	Night of Thu/Fri 23/24 Apr 1891	Room 31, East River Hotel, Southeast corner of Catherine Slip and Water Streets, New York, USA	Ameer Ben Ali was suspected and arrested - he was subsequently released after his conviction J the R? No Seweryn Antonowicz Kłosowski (alias George Chapman) was also a suspect J the R? No	Filed down cooking knife, which was found by the bed	Strangled and then mutilated - especially the abdomen and lower area	No	Jealousy was the suspected motive

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