NEGRO KILLED NEAR FROGVILLE DANCE DOWN ON RED RIVER RESULTED IN KILLING OF OLIVER STANLY

Sheriffs Office Sends Deputy To Get Slayers Who Did Wholesale Business Thursday Night

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Frogville furnished a murder for Thursday night, and Oliver Stanley, negro, died, with one other Senegambian fatally wounded and another scrimmaged over with a knife and gun, but making a miraculous escape.

The trouble occurred at a negro dance in the thickly settled negro country near Frogville.

This morning the sheriff received word that a negro had been killed in a fight, and Deputy Sheriff P.C. Anderson was sent from Fort Towson, the nearest point, to ascertain what had transpired. At two o'clock this afternoon Anderson sent a message stating that a battle had been fought between negroes at Frogville, and that the first mentioned results were the certain facts.

How the trouble came about was not ascertainable this afternoon, as Frogville is located on the Red river border of the Texas frontier, and where those engaged in the affray could go with out much danger of being at once apprehended.