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TRAIN/PEDESTRIAN FATALITY ACCIDENT

UPDATE: March 26, 2016 – 2:00 PM – The victim in today's deadly train accident has been identified as 13-year-old Tanley Yacos. Yacos was a student at Dahlstrom Middle School.

UPDATE: March, 26, 2016 - 11:12 AM - An autopsy will be performed on the 13-year-old victim sometime this afternoon. The Justice of the Peace has also ordered toxicology tests as part of standard procedure. The results typically don't come back for three to four weeks. The other girl was spending the night at the victim's home. We're told the teens sneaked out of the home sometime prior to the accident.

Buda, TX – March 26, 2016 - The Buda Police Department is investigating a train/pedestrian fatality accident. At approximately 1:50 a.m. police responded to a call from a Union Pacific engineer at the railroad tracks between the South Loop 4 and Houston Street railroad crossings. According to the preliminary investigation, the train was traveling northbound when the engineer noticed two young females walking southbound on the railroad tracks. One of the females was hit. The 13-year-old victim was pronounced dead at the scene. The other female was not hurt. At this time the victim's name is not being released. The investigation is ongoing.

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