



Samuel Cronk 6 April 1867
Cottonville, Iowa

1. Weapon: part of a broken wood beam plow clevis.
2. Stick found near the body of Samuel Cronk. Cronk may have used the stick to defend himself.
3. Limb of a tree whee Cronk's horse was tied. Horse had eaten most of the limb before he starved to death. Body of the horse was found April 6, 1867.

Watkins was accused of the murder but not convicted.