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Among these it listed the Genocide Convention, ratified by more than 80 nations but stalled in the Senate for 30 years, and pacts for the elimination of racial discrimination and for the defense of civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights.

Police-Caused Deaths Held Underestimated

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (UPI) — A New York criminologist contends that the actual number of citizens killed by the police each year could be underestimated by 50 percent or perhaps even more.

Lawrence W. Sherman of the State University of New York at Albany, writing in the current issue of *The Journal of Criminal Law and Criminology*, said that society "simply does not know how many of its citizens are killed each year under the authority of the state."

He said that "the vital statistics data may underestimate the absolute incidence of police-caused homicides by 50 percent or more, and that the police may account for up to 3.6 percent of all homicides — but even those estimates are questionable."

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Dear Wendy,

It was nice to hear from you. Tony stopped by and we went over a few ideas for funkin' the video tapes. he will relay them to you. Perhaps we could meet when you get to new york

Love




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