Tthe Pierced and Torn to Shreds: The Kent and Dollar Farms Incident

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A few facts about the Kent and Dollar Farms incident can be read in the context of the broader backdrop of the Sri Lankan Civil War.

The incident, which took place on April 30, 1976, was a brutal massacre of civilians by Tamil Tigers, a militant group in Sri Lanka. The attack occurred near the towns of Padaviya and Mullativu in northeastern Sri Lanka.

During the incident, which lasted from April 30 to May 1, 1976, over 300 civilians were killed, including women and children. The attack was part of a larger campaign by the Tamil Tigers to establish control over the area.

The attack on the Kent and Dollar Farms was one of the defining moments of the Sri Lankan Civil War, which lasted from 1983 to 2009. The conflict was fought between the Sri Lankan government and Tamil rebels, with the Tamil Tigers emerging as the dominant rebel group.

In the aftermath of the attack, the Sri Lankan government attempted to suppress the Tamil Tigers and other rebel groups. The conflict resulted in the displacement of over 3 million people and the deaths of an estimated 100,000 people.

Today, the incident is widely regarded as a massacre and a testament to the brutality of the conflict in Sri Lanka. The attack at Kent and Dollar Farms remains a symbol of the senseless violence and senselessness that characterized the conflict in Sri Lanka.