



STATE OF GEORGIA
GEORGIA BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
DIVISION OF FORENSIC SCIENCES
OFFICIAL REPORT

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S92-01056
CASE NUMBER

DATE FEB. 26, 1992

VICTIM:

HAM, CAROLYN

SUSPECT:

OFFICERS:

DET. G. MITCHELL

AGENCY:

SAVANNAH PD
DA SUPERIOR COURT

COUNTY:

CHATHAM
CHATHAM

DESCRIPTION:

ON FEB. 24, 1992 AT 16:21 THE FOLLOWING EVIDENCE
WAS RECEIVED FROM DETECTIVE G. MITCHELL:

1. ONE MANILA ENVELOPE LABELED "920211841..." CONTAINING A MANILA
COIN ENVELOPE CONTAINING ONE CALIBER .38S(.357M) BULLET.

SERVICE REQUESTED:

FA FIREARMS AND TOOLMARKS

RESULTS:

EXAMINATION OF THE BULLET (ITEM 1) REVEALS THAT IT HAS EIGHT (8)
LANDS AND GROOVES WITH A RIGHT TWIST AND IS CONSISTENT WITH BULLETS
FIRED FROM ARMINIUS, CHARTER ARMS, ROHM AND SIMILAR .38S(.357M)
REVOLVERS. (RWP 1992-02-24)

MICROSCOPIC EXAMINATION AND COMPARISON OF THE BULLET (ITEM 1) WITH
THE TEST BULLETS FIRED FROM THE REVOLVER (ITEM 5 OF OUR CASE
S92-01030) (AN ARMINIUS CALIBER .38S S/N 0096117) REVEALS SUFFICIENT
EVIDENCE TO CONCLUDE THAT THE BULLET WAS FIRED FROM THE REVOLVER
(ITEM 5 OF OUR CASE S92-01030) (REFERENCE CHARLES HAM, JR.). (RWP
1992-02-26)

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

Roger W. Parian, M.S.
Director, Savannah Branch

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CHATHAM COUNTY POLICE DEPARTME

02/25/92

***** TECHNICAL SERVICE LOG UPDATE *****

INCIDENT DATA:

CRN: <92022530 > DATE: 02/24/92 CRIME: ASSIST OTHER AGENCY
LOC: SAVANNAH OAKS APTS DET:
SVC REQ: 0 DATE NEEDED: 02/24/92 NARR: Y EVIDENCE: 0 DISP:
RELEASED TO:
ADDR:
PH: 0 REASON:
SUSPECTS: 0 SUB OFF: < > DATE:
DATE COMP: 02/24/92 FORENSIC OFF: <HOYSER, RUSSELL L. >
REMARKS/INSTRUCTIONS:
PRINTS FOUND HAD INSUFFICIENT DETAIL FOR IDENTIFICATION.
CRIME SCENE LOG DATA:
SIG: 39 LATENTS: N PHOTOS: Y TYPE: 135 AUTOPSY: AUTOPSY RPT:
CRIME SCENE RPT: CRIME LAB RPT:
APP OFF: TECH SVC #: 1
F1 for Help () ESC to exit

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92022530
CPL. R. L. HOYSER 1107

February 25, 1992
CRIME SCENE REPORT

I examined a Titan 38 Cal. revolver brought to the Chatham County barracks by Savannah P. D. Officer Mario Cortez with the OmniChrome 1000 LASER. Several portions of fingerprints were visible with the LASER on the left frame near the cylinder release, on the right frame below the point where the barrel joins the frame and on the front strap behind the trigger guard. There was insufficient detail for identification on any of these partial prints.

After consulting with GBI Crime Lab Director Roger Parrian, we protected the weapon's bore with a rolled cotton swab and fumed the weapon with cyanoacrylate (super glue).

The weapon was again examined with the LASER and more print detail was found, but not enough for identification.

The weapon was reexamined using the LASER and Red Wop powder. Again, more print detail was found, but not enough detail for identification was found.

The weapon was returned to Savannah P. D. by Officer Cortez.

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