



COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA  
DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
Bureau of Forensic Science

75-10986

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May 4, 1976

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LABORATORY REPORT  
SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT

TO: Investigator W. P. Schmitze  
Department of State Police  
P. O. Box 9108  
Ballvue Station  
Richmond, Virginia 23227

Re: Homicide, Robbery

Your Case # 75-18271

FS Lab # 75-10986

Victim(s): [REDACTED]

Examiner: Mary Jane Burton

Suspect(s): [REDACTED]

Laboratory: Central  
P. O. Box 999  
Richmond, Virginia 23208

Date Received: 12-3-75

Evidence Submitted By: Office of Chief Medical Examiner

Item #22- Physical Evidence Recovery Kit from victim.

Evidence Submitted By: Investigator W. P. Schmitze

Date Received: 2-6-76

Item #31- Saliva samples from [REDACTED]

Evidence Submitted By: Investigator W. P. Schmitze

Date Received: 3-8-76

Item #31- Hair sample from [REDACTED]

Item #32- Hair sample from [REDACTED]

Item #33- Hair and saliva sample from [REDACTED]

RESULTS OF EXAMINATION:

Item #22- No evidence of seminal fluid was found on the swabs or smears. No foreign hairs were found in the combings.

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*3/8 Saliva*

Item #31- Tests on the swab indicate the secretions are type A.

*5/11 hair*

Two (2) Caucasian head hairs recovered from the clothing from the floor beside the bed, Item #2, are consistent with head hair samples from [REDACTED]

IN FUTURE CORRESPONDENCE REFERENCE THIS MATTER PLEASE REFER TO THEFS LAB # ABOVE

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Item #32- A Caucasian head hair recovered from the pillow case, Item #3, and two (2) Caucasian head-hairs recovered from the bed clothing, Item #9, are consistent with head hair samples from [redacted]

Item #33- Tests on the smabs indicate the secretions are type O.

No hairs similar to the known hairs from [redacted] were recovered in any of the items submitted.

The evidence can be picked up at the laboratory.

HJB:esp  
cc: Office of Chief Medical Examiner

STATE OF VIRGINIA  
CITY/COUNTY OF Richmond, to wit:

Mary Jane Burton  
Forensic Scientist

THIS day personally appeared before me, Shirley M. Patterson, a notary public, in and for said city/county in the Commonwealth of Virginia, Mary Jane Burton, who signed the foregoing Certificate of Analysis, before me, and after being duly sworn, made oath (1) that he performed the analysis and/or examination the results of which are herein contained, (2) that said analysis and/or examination was performed in a laboratory operated by the Division of Consolidated Laboratory Services of the Commonwealth or authorized by such Division to conduct such analysis and/or examination and (3) that this Certificate of Analysis is true and correct.

Given under my hand this 4 day of May, 19 76

My commission expires September 29, 19 79

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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA  
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February 4, 1976

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LABORATORY REPORT  
 CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

TO: Investigator W. P. Schultze  
 Department of State Police  
 P. O. Box 9108  
 Bellevue Station  
 Richmond, Virginia 23227

Re: Homicide, Robbery

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FS Lab # 75-10986

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Examiner: Mary Jane Burton

Suspect(s): [REDACTED]

Laboratory: Central  
 P. O. Box 999  
 Richmond, Virginia 23208

Date Received: 12-3-75

Evidence Submitted By: Investigator W. P. Schultze

- Item #1 - Samples of stain from floor beside bed.
- Item #2 - Clothing from floor beside bed.
- ✓ Item #3 - Pillow case.
- Item #4 - Pillow case and liquid from bed.
- Item #5 - Panties and panty hose from victim.
- Item #6 - Cigarette butts from ash tray on dresser.
- Item #8 - Ladies watch.
- ✓ Item #9 - Bed clothing.
- Item #16 - Stains from top and bottom of toilet seat.
- Item #17 - Towel from kitchen #2.
- Item #18 - Knife from table in kitchen #2.
- Item #20 - Cigarette butts from ash tray on table in kitchen #2.

Evidence Submitted By: Office of Chief Medical Examiner

Date Received: 12-3-75

- Item #21 - Sample of blood from victim.
- Item #22 - Physical Evidence Recovery Kit from victim.
- Item #23 - Debris from hands of victim.

Evidence Submitted By: Investigator W. P. Schultze

Date Received: 12-8-75

- Item #24 - Knife from suspect vehicle.
- Item #25 - Floor mat from suspect vehicle.
- Item #26 - Shirt from [REDACTED]
- Item #27 - Brake and clutch pedals from suspect vehicle.

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IN FUTURE CORRESPONDENCE REFERENCE THIS MATTER PLEASE REFER TO THE FS LAB # ABOVE

Evidence Submitted By: Investigator W. P. Schultze

Date Received: 12-18-75

- Item #28- Clothing from [redacted]
- Item #29- Clothing from [redacted]

Evidence Submitted By: Investigator W. P. Schultze

Date Received: 1-16-76

- Item #30- Saliva sample from [redacted]

**RESULTS OF EXAMINATION:**

- Item #1 - The stains were identified as human blood. Tests indicate the type is B DEcc. (*legis*)
- 12/8/76 Item #2 - Both the bra and the white uniform contained blood stains. Some of the stains were diluted blood stains. In addition, a clump of hair consistent with head hair samples from the victim was found inside the uniform. 2 bits (3)
- Item #3 - Stains on the pillow case were identified as human blood. Further tests indicate the type is B Rh positive. 1 Hair bit (3) fallen (root -> tip -> keratin)
- Item #4 - The liquid was identified as human blood. Further tests indicate the type is B DEcc.
- 12/8/76 Item #5 - No evidence of seminal fluid was found. A white animal hair and a head *Victim* hair was recovered. Blood stains were noted on both the panties and the panty hose. In addition, a cut across the front of the panties at the top of the crotch area was noted. No cuts or tears were noted on the panty hose.
- Item #6 - The sample contained two (2) non-filter type cigarette butts. Saliva residue on these cigarette butts was either insufficient in amount for testing or from a non-secretor.
- Item #8 - Stains on the watch were identified as human blood. Further tests indicate the type is B Rh positive. In addition, the presence of a small amount of the A factor was also noted.
- Item #9 - Three (3) slits were noted in the quilt. One (1) approximately 5/8 of an inch long, one (1) approximately one (1) inch long and the third approximately 3/8 of an inch and not through all layers of the quilt.

The debris from the fitted sheet included a hook consistent with those on the bra, dried skin and a bloody kleenax. In addition, Caucasian head hairs were recovered. 2 bits (3) 1 pulled root -> tip 1 fallen 11 victim 1 pulled

- Item #16- Tests on each of the stains indicate the presence of human blood. The amount was insufficient for typing.
- Item #17- Stains on the towel were identified as human blood. Tests for blood type were inconclusive. Rh+
- 12/8/76 Item #18- No visual evidence of blood was noted on the blade. However, tests indicate the presence of human blood. The blade is approximately one (1) inch wide.
- Item #20- The sample contained three (3) non-filter Lucky Strike cigarette butts and one (1) non-filter unidentified as to brand. Tests on each of these cigarette butts indicate the saliva residue is insufficient in amount for testing or is from a non-secretor.

- 12/8/76 Item #21- Tests indicate the blood is type B URee EAP-BA.
- Item #22- The results of these tests will be reported at a later date.
- Item #23- The debris from the hands contained hairs. *Victim*
- 12/8 Item #24- No evidence of blood was found on the knife.
- Item #25- No evidence of blood was found on the floor mat.
- 12/18 Item #26- A small stain on the front center of the shirt was identified as human blood. Further tests indicate the type is B EAP-BA.
- Item #27- No evidence of blood was found on the pants.
- 12/22 Item #28- A small splash on the toe of each shoe was identified as human blood. Tests for blood type were inconclusive. No blood was found on any of the other items.
- Item #29- No evidence of blood was found on any of the items.
- 2/3 Item #30- Tests indicate the secretions are type O.

The other requested examination is the subject of another report.

HJB:sup

cc: Office of Chief Medical Examiner (CMB 563-75)

STATE OF VIRGINIA  
CITY/COUNTY OF

Richmond, to-wit:

*Mary Jane Burton*  
Forensic Scientist

THIS day personally appeared before me, Shirley H. Patterson, a notary public, in and for said city/county in the Commonwealth of Virginia, Mary Jane Burton, who signed the foregoing Certificate of Analysis, before me, and after being duly sworn, made oath (1) that he performed the analysis and/or examination the results of which are herein contained, (2) that said analysis and/or examination was performed in a laboratory operated by the Division of Consolidated Laboratory Services of the Commonwealth or authorized by such Division to conduct such analysis and/or examination and (3) that this Certificate of Analysis is true and correct.

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# Request For Laboratory Examination 75-10986

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FS LAB #

75-10986

TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

75-10986

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schmitz**

TELEPHONE #: **266-5445**

DATE: **December 3, 1975**

**Bellevue Station, P. O. Box 9108, Richmond, Virginia**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police - Division of Investigation**

AGENCY CASE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Date received: **12/3/75**

Age 50 RACE W SEX F

Time: **12:45 p.m.**

Examiner: **M. J. Burton**

Age 31 RACE W SEX M

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



*M. J. Burton*

Age 27 RACE W SEX M

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE, ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **(SEE BELOW)**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # \_\_\_\_\_

Specify manner of return of evidence: Regular Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Registered Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Certified Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Personal Pick-up

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

1. Samples of red stain from floor beside bed;
2. Clothing from floor beside bed (dress);
- 2a. Same (Bra);
3. Pillow Case with red stain;
4. Red liquid from bed;
- 4b. Pillow Case from beside Victim's head;
5. Pantyhose and panties from Victim;
6. Cigarette Butts from ashtray on dresser;
8. Ladies Watch with red stain on band;
9. Bed-Clothing;
16. Reddish stains from top of toilet seat;
- 16a. Reddish stains from bottom of toilet seat;
17. Towel with reddish stains from Kitchen #2;
18. Knife from Kitchen table in Kitchen #2; - *blood + fingerprint*
20. Cigarette Butts from ashtray on table in Kitchen #2.

Controls for Items No. 1, 4, 16 and 16a.

Items: 1, 2, 3, 4, 4b, 8, 16, 16a, 17 - Determine: if human blood, blood type, if all samples same type.

Item 5: Check for hairs and body fluids.

Items 6 & 20: Determine blood type.

Item 9: Check for hairs, fibers and body fluids.

*Rec'd Oct 18 from  
M. J. Burton 12-8-75  
W-E Int.*

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SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schaleso,** TELEPHONE #: **266-5443**  
**Ballew Station, P. O. Box 9108, Richmond, Virginia**  
 AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police - Division of Investigation**

DATE: **December 3, 1975**

AGENCY CASE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF VICTIM(S): [REDACTED]

Age 50 RACE W SEX \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF SUSPECT(S): [REDACTED]

Age 31 RACE W SEX M

Date received: 12/3/75  
Time: 12:45 p.m.

Examiner: Walter Forst *W. Forst*

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **MURDER, HOMICIDE - Victim found dead in her bedroom**  
**on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body**  
**nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **Check for Latents**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # \_\_\_\_\_

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EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

- 7. **eyeglasses;**
- 14. **Plastic Bowl;**
- 15. **Plastic Honey Tray.**
- 19. **DNE bottle of Vodka**

12-8-75  
 No latent fingerprints palm prints were  
 found & developed.  
 Disposition of evidence - *Certified mail - Forst*

*Turned over to M. J. Burke*  
 12-8-75  
*W. E. Forst*

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SUBMITTING OFFICER: *Wesley - GOME*

TELEPHONE # :

DATE *12-3-71*

AGENCY AND ADDRESS:

AGENCY CASE #: *563-71*

NAME OF VICTIM(S): *Dr. Eppers - MC (Harova)*

Age *60's* RACE *W* SEX *M*

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):

Age \_\_\_\_\_ RACE \_\_\_\_\_ SEX \_\_\_\_\_

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACTS

*Hand vest + shirt*

*REC'D 12/8/75 @ 1215  
Law. to P. Schultz*

### EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED:

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- (21)*
- 2 Photo*
- 1 Bulb*
- Liver*
- Pancreas*
- Coarct.*

*also + type*

- (22) PER KIT*
- (23) Hair + scales from hands (victim) removed by MJOS*
- & nails from hands*

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TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

SUBMITTING OFFICER: Inv. W. P. Schultze

TELEPHONE #: (804)266-5445

DATE 12/8/75

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23231

AGENCY CASE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF VICTIM(S):

[Redacted]

Age 56 RACE W SEX F

(Middle name added, age corrected)

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):

[Redacted]

Age 31 RACE W SEX M  
27 W M

(Spelling of Suspect #1 corrected)

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: HOMICIDE, ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.

*MJ Burton*

Time Received: 11:40 A.M.

12-8-75

Examiner: Mary Jane Burton

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: Determines: presence of human blood, blood type

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

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EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

- 24 Item 1. Knife recovered from escape vehicle (As received from P.D. Baltimore - no blood. Evidence Section, Baltimore, Maryland, on 12/5/75)
- 25 Item 2. Two (2) pieces of floor mat recovered from escape vehicle (As received from P.D. Baltimore Evidence Section, Baltimore, Maryland, on 12/5/75)
- 26 Item 3. Knit pullover shirt with stains, worn by Suspect #2 *stains - no blood*
- 27 Item 4. Rubber brake and ~~accelerator~~ clutch pedals from escape vehicle

Rec'd ITEMS 24, 25 12/8/75 @ 1235  
*Inv. W. P. Schultze*

27 No blood  
26 Sm bloodstains front center  
Rec'd ITEMS 26 & 27 12/18/75 @ 1235

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SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultze**

TELEPHONE #: (804)266-5445  
Home (703)784-8878

DATE: **December 17, 1975**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23227**

AGENCY CASE # **MD-62933**

NAME OF VICTIM(S): [REDACTED]

Age 56 RACE W SEX M

NAME OF SUSPECT(S): [REDACTED]

Age 31 RACE W SEX M

27 W M

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE \* ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

Date received: 12/18/75, 11:05 am.

Examiner: M. J. Burton

*M. J. Burton*

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **Examine for human blood, blood type, and hairs**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # 75-10986

Specify manner of return of evidence: Regular Mail  Registered Mail  Certified Mail  Personal Pick up

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

Item 28. Clothing from Suspect #1 ([REDACTED]), as received from Sheriff's office, Anoka County, Minn.

Item 29. Clothing from Suspect #2 ([REDACTED]), as received from Sheriff's Office, Anoka County, Minn.

*Rec'd 12/22/75 12:05P  
Inv. W. P. Schultze*

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TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

SUBMITTING OFFICER: Inv. W. P. Schultze

TELEPHONE # : 804-266-5445

DATE 1/16/76

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23227

AGENCY CASE # : 75-2827

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Age 56 RACE W SEX F

Date received: 1/16/76, 12:55 p.m.

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



Age 32 RACE W SEX M

Examiner: M. J. Burton 27 W M

*M. J. Burton*

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: Homicide, Robbery - Victim found dead in her bedroom  
on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered  
by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: Determine ABO

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EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

Item 30. Saliva swabs from Suspect #1, 

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*RCVD 2/3/76*  
*To P. Schultze, Inv.*  
*1432*

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75-10986

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultze**

TELEPHONE # **804-266-5445**

DATE **Feb. 6, 1976**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. Of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23227**

AGENCY CASE # **75-18271**

NAME OF VICTIM(S):

[REDACTED]

Age **56** RACE **W** SEX **F**

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):

[REDACTED]

Age **31** RACE **W** SEX **M**

**27** **W** **M**

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE - ROBBERY: Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

Time received: 1:50 P.M.

Date received: 2-6-76

Examiner: Mary Jane Burton

*Mary Jane Burton*

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **Determine ABO**

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**Item 32. Saliva swab from** [REDACTED]

*RCV'S 3/8/76  
Inv. W. P. Schultze  
1:30 PM*

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BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultze**

TELEPHONE #: **804-266-5445**

DATE: **March 8, 1976**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23227**

AGENCY CASE #: **75-18271**

NAME OF VICTIM(S):

[REDACTED]

Age **56** RACE **W** SEX **F**

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):

[REDACTED]

Age **31** RACE **W** SEX **M**

**27** **W** **M**

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE - ROBBERY: Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

time received: 1:30 P.M.

date received: 3-8-76

Examiner: **Mary Jane Burton**

*M. J. Burton*

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **Determine ABO; compare known hair samples with hair found at scene**

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- Item 31: Head hair sample from [REDACTED]
- Item 32: Head hair sample from [REDACTED]
- Item 33: Head hair sample from [REDACTED]
- Item 34: Saliva sample from [REDACTED]

RCVD 6/11/76  
Inv. to P. Schultze

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SUBMITTING OFFICER: Inv. W. P. Schmitze

TELEPHONE #: 804-266-5445

DATE: March 8, 1976

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Ballou Station, Richmond, Va. 23227

AGENCY CASE #: 75-18273

NAME OF VICTIM(S): 

Age 56 RACE W SEX F

NAME OF SUSPECT(S): 

Age 31 RACE W SEX M

27 W M

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: HOMICIDE - ROBBERY; Victim found dead in her bedroom  
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by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.

time received: 1:30 P.M.

date received: 3-8-76

Examiner: Mary Jane Burton

*M. J. Burton*

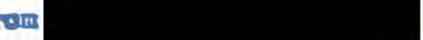
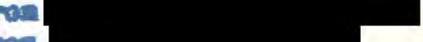
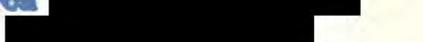
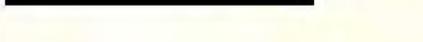
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- Item 32: Head hair sample from 
- Item 33: Head hair sample from 
- Item 34: Saliva sample from 

PATRICK R. BYNUM  
COMMONWEALTH ATTORNEY

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HANOVER COUNTY, VIRGINIA

September 28, 1978

75-10986

Mr. Warren G. Johnson  
Deputy Director, Bureau of  
Forensic Science  
1 North 14th Street  
Richmond, Virginia 23219

Re: Commonwealth of Virginia Vs. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Dear Mr. Johnson:

It has recently come to my attention that certain rumors have been circulating at the Consolidated Laboratories that the recent dismissal of the above-styled case by the Hanover Circuit Court was primarily the responsibility of Mary Jane Burton. The news of such rumors is very distressing since such rumors have no basis in fact.

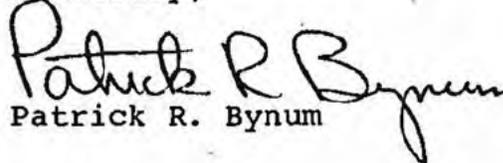
The case at Hanover against [REDACTED] was dismissed by the Court because of the lack of evidence. This case was retried after the Virginia Supreme Court reversed the same because certain evidence introduced at the first trial was considered hearsay by the Court and thus inadmissible. As a result of this decision the Commonwealth's case was considerably weaker from the first time the case was tried, and, as a result, dismissed. This dismissal came from an insufficiency of the evidence and was not the fault of Ms. Burton or anyone at the Consolidated Lab.

This office considers Ms. Burton an excellent witness, possessing an exceptional ability to get complicated, technical data across to a jury in an understandable manner. Ms. Burton's testimony and performance in the Stevenson case was especially commendable and substantially aided in the first conviction of the defendants [REDACTED] and [REDACTED].

Warren G. Johnson  
Deputy Director, Bureau of  
Forensic Science  
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September 28, 1978

This office feels that Ms. Burton acted in a highly professional manner and materially aided the Commonwealth's efforts in the trial of Stevenson, et als. If you have any questions concerning the above, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

  
Patrick R. Bynum

PRB:bl

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

To the Sheriff of the City of Richmond, Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU, That you summon Mary Jane Burton

Virginia State Consolidated Lab.  
Bureau of Forensic Science  
1 North 14th Street

Richmond, Va.

to appear before the Judge of our Circuit Court of the County of Hanover  
at the Courthouse thereof, on the 14th & 15th of July, 1976, at 10:00 o'clock  
A.M., to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the plaintiff, in a certain  
matter of controversy in our said Court before the said Judge, depending and undetermined, between the  
Commonwealth of Virginia, Plaintiff, and

[REDACTED], Defendant.

And have then there this writ.

WITNESS Richard L. Shelton, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this

9th day of June, 1976, and in the 200th year of the Commonwealth.

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Edna B. Reese, Clerk.

Commonwealth of Virginia,  
Hanover Circuit Court  
County of Hanover, to-wit:

To the Sheriff or Sergeant of said ~~County~~/City, Greeting: Sheriff, City of Richmond

WE COMMAND YOU, In the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia, that you summon \_\_\_\_\_  
Mary Jane Burton, c/o Bureau of Forensic Science, 1 N. 14th Street,  
Richmond, Virginia

to produce in The Clerk's Office of this Court and lodge same on or before the 22nd day of March, 1978,  
at 10:00 clock A.M., certain writing, to-wit:

All writings, notes and other objects that are in her  
possession, taken or made concerning the defendant,

[Redacted]

\_\_\_\_\_ on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ defendant

in a certain matter of controversy in our said Court, now pending and undetermined, wherein  
Commonwealth of Virginia is plaintiff, and  
[Redacted] a defendant.

And have then there this writ and make return how you have executed the same.

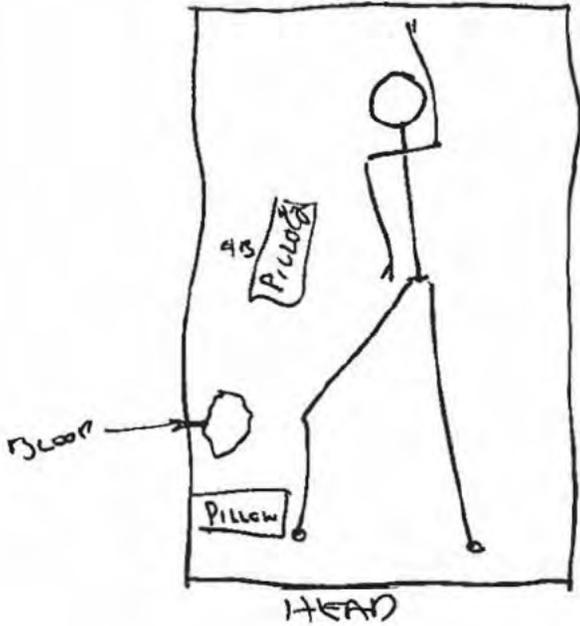
WITNESS, Richard L. Shelton, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this 15th day of March, 1978,  
and in the 202nd year of the Commonwealth.

Requested by:  
C. Willard Norwood, Atty.

*Etta B. Reed* Deputy Clerk

FACE UP

KNIFE WOUND. LT Side of neck  
Lt breast  
Blood / nose  
Lt eye black & swollen  
Lips dressed  
Vividly or back



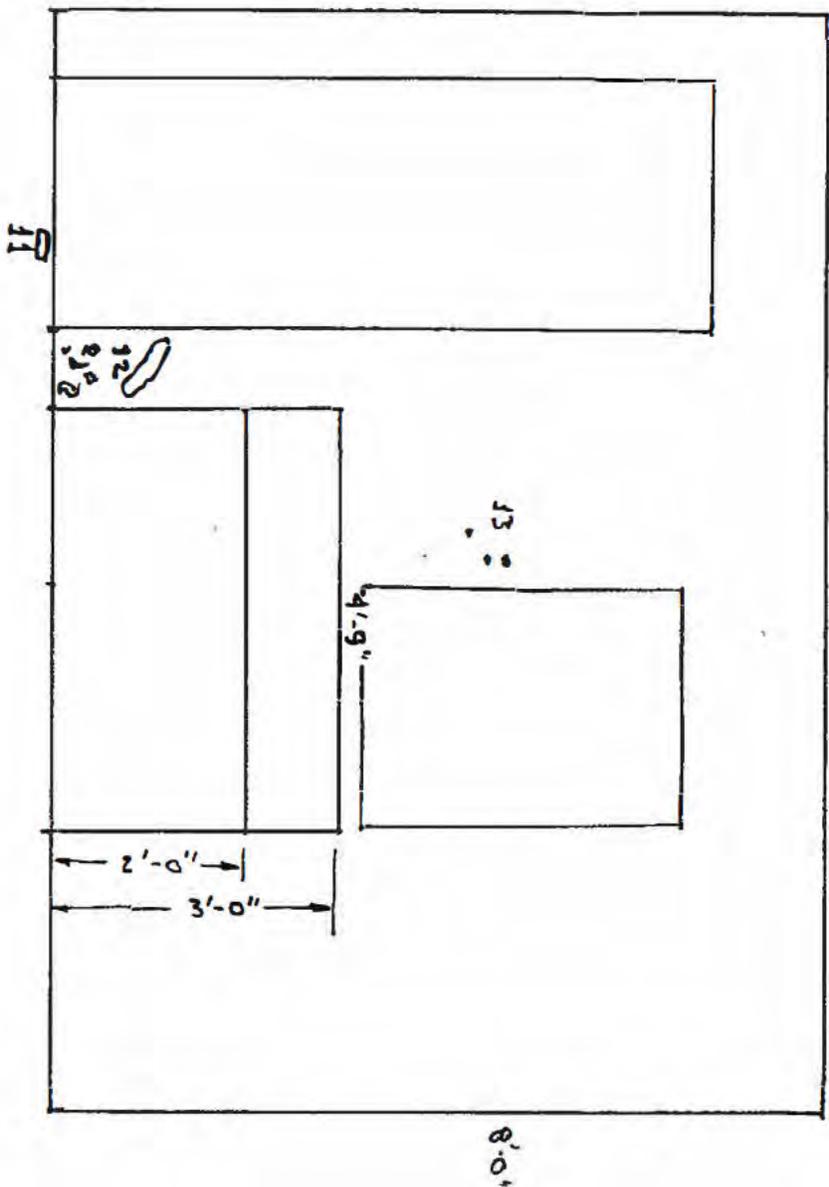
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WEATHER: CLEAR  
T.M. W.P. SQUATRE  
HOLLY COVER HOTEL

CASE No.: ID-  
FILE No.: 75-  
SCALE:  $\frac{1}{2}$ " = 1'-0"

LEDGER

- 11. PIECE OF DRYWALL PLASTER  
FROM FLOOR
- 12. BLOOD SWAB UP TO 22"  
FROM FLOOR
- 13. BLOOD SPATTERS  
4'-8" FROM FLOOR  
2'-3" FROM DOOR



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DEC. 2, 1975

7:52 PM

WEATHER: CLEAR  
INV. W.P. SCHUTZ  
HOLLY COURT MOTEL

CASE No. ID-  
FILE No. 15-

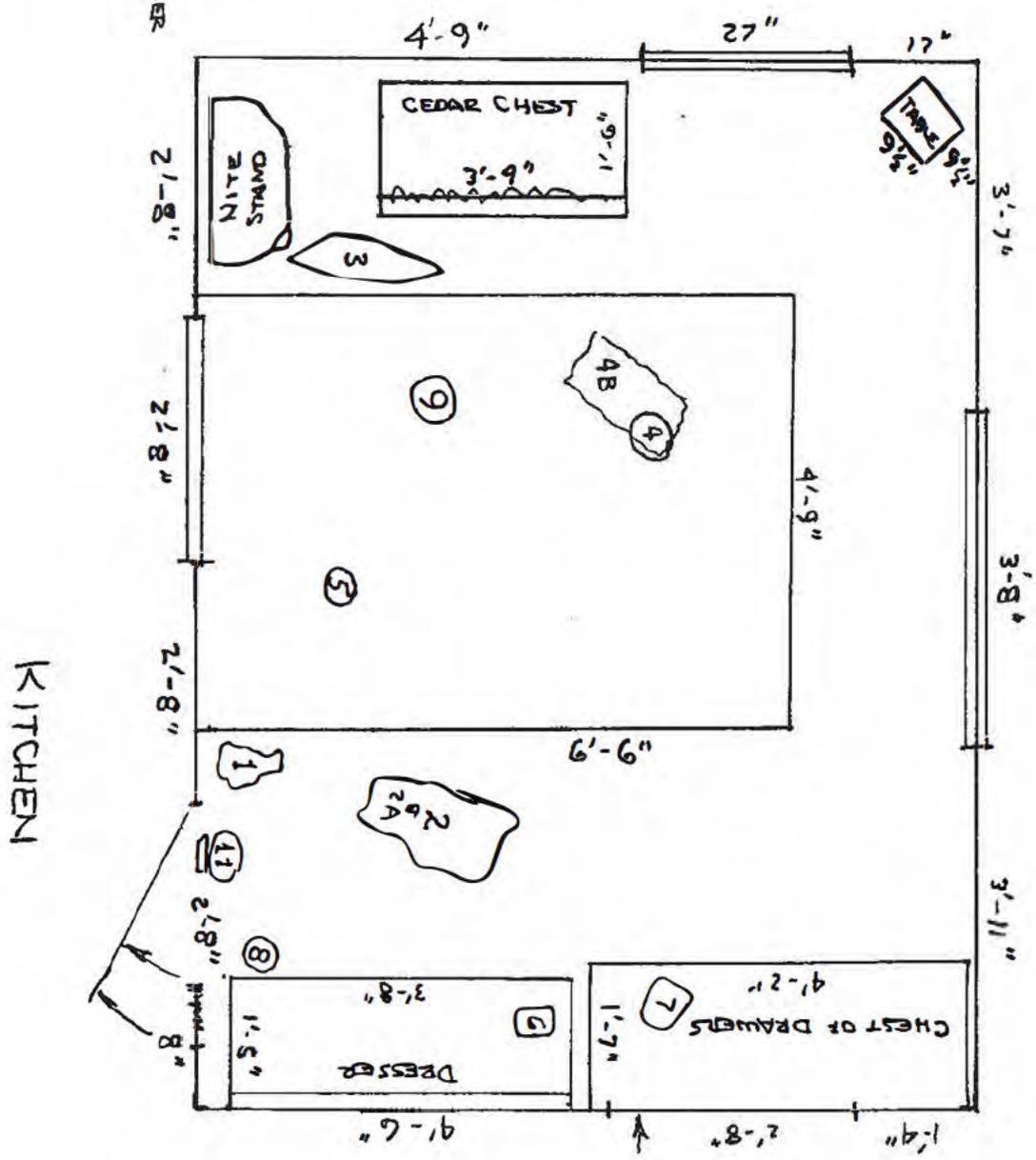
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LEGER

- 1. BLOOD STRIPE
- 2. BLOOD SOAKED CLOTHING (DRESS)
- 3. PILLOW w/ BLOOD
- 4. SAMPLE FROM PILLOW
- 4B PILLOW CASE FROM PILLOW  
BESIDE HEAD

2A BLOOD SOAKED CLOTHING (BRA)

- 5. PAINTY NOSE & PAINTIES FROM VICTIM
- 6. CIG. BUTTS FROM ASH TRAY ON DRESSER
- 7. GLASSES FROM CHEST OF DRAWERS
- 8. LADY'S WATCH FROM FLOOR
- 9. BED CLOTHING
- 11. PIECE OF DENTAL PLATE



75-10986

BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

COURT APPEARANCE REPORT

To: Case File Date: 5/31/78

From: M J Burton Region: \_\_\_\_\_

Defendant:  FS#: 75-10986

Charge: Murder Jurisdiction: Hanover Co

Hearing Date: 5/30/78 Court: Juvenile \_\_\_\_\_ Gen. District \_\_\_\_\_

Hours in Court: 1/2 Circuit  Military \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Hours in Travel: 1 1/2

Miles Traveled: State Vehicle \_\_\_\_\_ Personal Vehicle 52 Private Carrier \_\_\_\_\_

Total Mileage Costs & Fares (other than State Vehicle): \$ 6.76

Other Vehicle Costs (parking, tolls, etc.): \$ .25

Lodging: No. of Nights \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Meals: Number \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Testified: YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO  If no, check appropriate reason  
DISMISSED \_\_\_\_\_ NOT GUILTY \_\_\_\_\_ GUILTY PLEA \_\_\_\_\_ CONTINUED \_\_\_\_\_  
STIPULATED \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER  mistrial

COMMENTS:

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:

To the Sheriff of the City of Richmond, Greeting

You are commanded to summon the within named persons to-wit:

Dr. David K. Wierking - Office of the Chief Medical Examiner, 9 North 14th Street, Richmond, VirginiaDr. Beverly Leffers - Office of the Chief Medical Examiner, 9 North 14th Street, Richmond, VirginiaMary Jane Burton - Division of Consolidated Laboratory Services, 1 North 14th Street, Richmond, Virginiato appear in the Circuit Court for the County of Hanover, located at Hanover, Virginia  
and 31ston the 30th day of May, 198 at 10:00 a. m. totestify and give evidence on behalf of the Commonwealth in a certain prosecution of  
the Commonwealth of Virginia, Plaintiff against [REDACTED][REDACTED], Defendant.

And this you shall in nowise omit under the penalty prescribed by law.

Given under my hand this 3rd day of May, 1978.Ethel B. Greer, Deputy Clerk

SERVICE INFORMATION:

# Request For Laboratory Examination

75-10986  
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TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

75-10986

FS LAB #
75-10986

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultze**

TELEPHONE # **266-5445**

DATE **December 3, 1975**

**Bellevue Station, P. O. Box 9108, Richmond, Virginia**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police - Division of Investigation**

AGENCY CASE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Date received: 12/3/75  
Time: 12:45 p.m.

Age 30 RACE W SEX F

Examiner: **M. J. Burton**

Age 31 RACE W SEX M

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



*M. J. Burton* 27 W M

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE, ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **(SEE BELOW)**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # \_\_\_\_\_

Specify manner of return of evidence: Regular Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Registered Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Certified Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Personal Pick up

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

1. Samples of red stain from floor beside bed;
2. Clothing from floor beside bed (Dress);
- 2a. Sams (Bra);
3. Pillow Case with red stain;
4. Red liquid from bed;
- 4b. Pillow Case from beside Victim's head;
5. Pantyhose and panties from Victim;
6. Cigarette Butts from ashtray on dresser;
8. Ladies Watch with red stain on band;
9. Bed Clothing;
16. Reddish stains from top of toilet seat;
- 16a. Reddish stains from bottom of toilet seat;
17. Towel with reddish stains from Kitchen #2;
18. Knife from Kitchen table in Kitchen #2; - blood + fingerprint
20. Cigarette Butts from ashtray on table in Kitchen #2.

Item 18  
given fingerprint  
12/8/75 [signature]

Controls for Items No. 1, 4, 16 and 16a.

Items: 1, 2, 3, 4, 4b, 8, 16, 16a, 17 - Determine: if human blood, blood type, if all samples same type.

Item 5: Check for hairs and body fluids.

Items 6 & 20: Determine blood type.

Item 9: Check for hairs, fibers and body fluids.

# Request For Laboratory Examination

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TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

FS LAB #  
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SUBMITTING OFFICER: Inv. W. P. Schmitze

TELEPHONE #: (804)266-5145

DATE December 17, 1975

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23227

AGENCY CASE #: 10-62933

NAME OF VICTIM(S): 

Age 56 RACE H SEX F

NAME OF SUSPECT(S) 

Age 31 RACE W SEX M

27 W M

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: HOMICIDE \* ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom  
on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body  
nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.

Date received: 12/18/75, 11:05 am.

Examiner: M. J. Burton

*M. J. Burton*

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: Examine for human blood, blood type, and hairs

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # 75-10986

Specify manner of return of evidence: Regular Mail  Registered Mail  Certified Mail  Personal Pick up

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

Item 28. Clothing from Suspect #1 (  ), as received from Sheriff's office,  
Anoka County, Minn.

Item 29. Clothing from Suspect #2 (  ), as received from Sheriff's Office,  
Anoka County, Minn.

# Request For Laboratory Examination

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FS LAB #

75-10986

TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

SUBMITTING OFFICER: Inv. W. P. Schultze

TELEPHONE #: 804-266-2415

DATE: 1/16/76

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Ballou Station, Richmond, Va. 23227

AGENCY CASE #: 75-28272

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Age 56 RACE W SEX R

Date received: 1/16/76, 12:55 p.m.

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



Age 27 RACE W SEX M

Examiner: H. J. Burton 27 W H

*[Signature]*

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: Homicide, Robbery - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: Determine ABO

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # 75-10986

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EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

Item 30. Saliva swabs from Suspect #1,

Control

# Request For Laboratory Examination

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TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

75-10986

FS LAB #
75-10986

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. F. Schmitz** TELEPHONE #: **266-9443**  
**Bellevue Station, P. O. Box 9108, Richmond, Virginia**  
 AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police - Division of Investigation**

DATE: December 3, 1975

AGENCY CASE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Date received: 12/3/75 Age 50 RACE W SEX F  
 Time: 12:45 p.m.

Examiner: M. J. Burton Age 31 RACE W SEX M

M. J. Burton 27 W M

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE, ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **(SEE BELOW)**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # \_\_\_\_\_

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EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc

1. Samples of red stain from floor beside bed;
2. Clothing from floor beside bed (trousers);
- 2a. Same (Bra);
3. Pillow Case with red stain;
4. Red liquid from bed;
- 4b. Pillow Case from beside Victim's head;
5. Pantyhose and panties from Victim;
6. Cigarette Butts from ashtray on dresser;
8. Ladies Watch with red stain on band;
9. Bed-Clothing;
16. Reddish stains from top of toilet seat;
- 16a. Reddish stains from bottom of toilet seat;
17. Bowl with reddish stains from Kitchen #2;
18. Knife from Kitchen table in Kitchen #2; - blood & fingerprint
20. Cigarette Butts from ashtray on table in Kitchen #2.

Controls for Items No. 1, 4, 16 and 16a.

Items: 1, 2, 3, 4, 4b, 8, 16, 16a, 17 - Determine: if human blood, blood type, if all samples same type.

Item 5: Check for hairs and body fluids.

Items 6 & 20: Determine blood type.

Item 9: Check for hairs, fibers and body fluids.

# Request For Laboratory Examination

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FS LAB #  
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75-10986

TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultze**

TELEPHONE #: **(804)266-5445**

DATE **12/8/75**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23231**

AGENCY CASE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Age 56 RACE W SEX F

**(Middle name added, age corrected)**

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



Age 31 RACE W SEX M  
27 W M

**(Spelling of Suspect #1 corrected)**

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE, ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

Mary Jane Burton Time Received: 11:40 A.M.  
on 12-8-75  
Examiner: **Mary Jane Burton**

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **Determine presence of human blood, blood type**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # 75-10986

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EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.)

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- 25 Item 2. Two (2) pieces of floor mat recovered from escape vehicle (As received from P.D. Baltimore Evidence Section, Baltimore, Maryland, on 12/5/75)
- 26 Item 3. Knit pullover shirt with stains, worn by Suspect #2
- 27 Item 4. Rubber brake and ~~manufacture~~ clutch pedals from escape vehicle

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TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

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SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schmitz**

TELEPHONE #: **(804)266-5445**

DATE: **12/8/75**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23231**

AGENCY CASE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Age 56 RACE W SEX F

**(Middle name added, age corrected)**

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



Age 31 RACE W SEX M  
27 W M

**(Spelling of Suspect #1 corrected)**

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE, ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom  
on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered  
by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

**Time Received: 11:40 A.M.  
on 12-8-75**

**Examiner: Mary Jane Burton**

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- Item 4. Rubber brake and master/slave clutch pedals from escape vehicle**

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TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultze**

TELEPHONE #: **(804)266-5445**

DATE **12/8/75**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23231**

AGENCY CASE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF VICTIM(S): **[REDACTED]**  
**(Middle name added, age corrected)**

Age 56 RACE W SEX F

NAME OF SUSPECT(S): **[REDACTED]**

Age 31 RACE W SEX M  
27 W H

**(Spelling of Suspect #1 corrected)**

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE, ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom  
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# Request For Laboratory Examination

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FS LAB #

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TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

75-10986

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schmitz**

TELEPHONE #: **(804)266-5445**

DATE **December 17, 1975**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23227**

AGENCY CASE # **D-62933**

NAME OF VICTIM(S): [REDACTED]

Age 56 RACE W SEX M

NAME OF SUSPECT(S): [REDACTED]

Age 31 RACE W SEX M

**27** W M

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE \* ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body made except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

Date received: **12/18/75, 11:05 am.**

Examiner: **H. J. Burton**

*H. J. Burton*

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **Examine for human blood, blood type, and hairs**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # **75-10986**

Specify manner of return of evidence: Regular Mail  Registered Mail  Certified Mail  Personal Pick up

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

**Item 28. Clothing from Suspect #1 (Bittorf), as received from Sheriff's office, Anoka County, Minn.**

**Item 29. Clothing from Suspect #2 (Stevenson), as received from Sheriff's Office, Anoka County, Minn.**

864-798-9191

**The Commonwealth of Virginia**

To the Sheriff of the City of Richmond, Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU, That you summon Mary Jane Burton, Va. State Consolidated Lab  
1 North 14th Street, Richmond, Va.

to appear before the Judge of our Circuit Court of the County of Hanover  
at the Courthouse thereof, on the 13th & 14th day of December, 19 76, at 10:00 o'clock  
A.M., to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth, in a certain  
matter of controversy in our said Court, before the said Judge, depending and undetermined, between  
Commonwealth of Virginia, Plaintiff, and  
, Defendant

And have then there this writ.

WITNESS, Richard L. Shelton, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this  
12th day of November, 19 76, and in the 201st year of the Commonwealth.

Ethel B. Reese, Dep., Clerk.

NOTE: Appear before the Clerk and claim your attendance.

PATRICK R. BYNUM  
COMMONWEALTH ATTORNEY

GRAYSON S. JOHNSON  
ASSISTANT COMMONWEALTH ATTORNEY



OFFICES:  
105 ENGLAND ST.  
ASHLAND, VA. 23005  
PHONE 798-9191

HANOVER COUNTY, VIRGINIA

May 6, 1976

Ms. Mary Jane Burton  
Virginia State Consolidated Laboratory  
Bureau of Forensic Science  
1 North 14th Street  
Richmond, Virginia

Re: [REDACTED]  
Defendants - [REDACTED]

Dear Ms. Burton:

The above-styled case will not be tried on May 19, 1976 as previously set. The defendants will be tried separately. [REDACTED] on June 4, 1976 and [REDACTED] will be tried on June 8, 1976. A new subpoena will be issued in each of these cases.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Patrick R. Bynum in cursive script.  
Patrick R. Bynum

PRB:b1

*Sorry for delay and if you  
have conflicting dates please  
let me know*

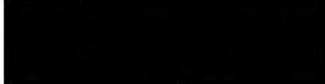
COURT APPEARANCE REPORT

Date: 7-27-76

TO: Assistant Director, Bureau of Forensic Science

FROM: *W J Burton*

Region: \_\_\_\_\_

Defendant: 

FS#: 75-10986 Reg.#:

Charge: *murder*

Date of Hearing: 7/26/76

Place & Court: *Hanover Co Circuit*

Judge: *Simpkins*

Prosecutor: *Brynam*

Hours in Court: 2

Travel Time: 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Mileage: 52

Testified? Yes  No  If so, give reason.

Nature of Testimony: *blood & hair*

Disposition: Time in Jail \_\_\_\_\_ Time Probation: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of fine: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Dismissed \_\_\_\_\_ Not Guilty \_\_\_\_\_

Guilty Plea: \_\_\_\_\_ Found guilty \_\_\_\_\_ Continued \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: (Explain any unusual situation)

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The Commonwealth of Virginia,

To the Sheriff of the City of Richmond, Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU, That you summon Mary Jane Burton Virginia State Consolidated Lab. Bureau of Forensic Science

1 North 14th Street

Richmond, Virginia

to appear before the Judge of our Circuit Court of the County of Hanover at the Courthouse thereof, on the 26th & 27th day of July, 1976, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the plaintiff, in a certain matter of controversy in our said Court before the said Judge, depending and undetermined, between the Commonwealth of Virginia, Plaintiff, and [redacted], Defendant.

And have then there this writ.

WITNESS Richard L. Shelton, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this 9th day of June, 1976, and in the 200th year of the Commonwealth.

Edward B. Reese Dep. Clerk

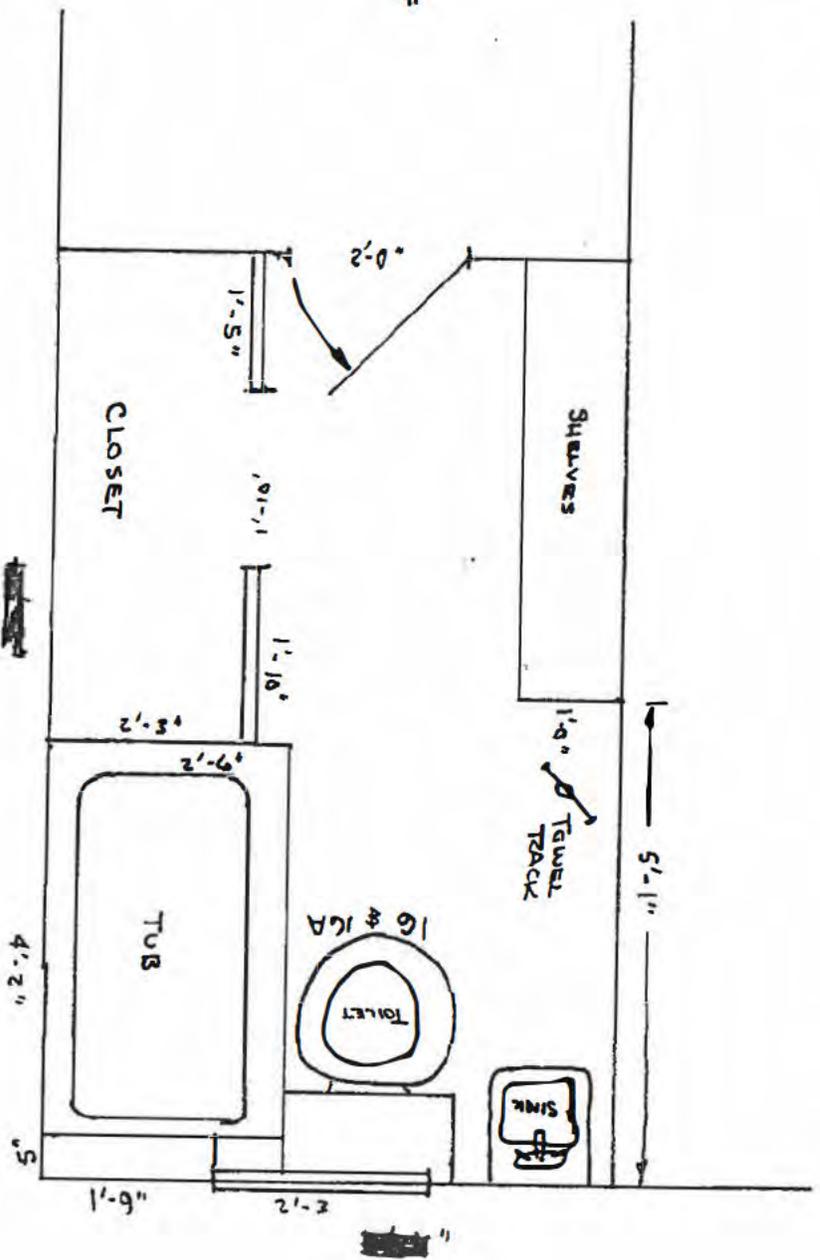
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INV. W.P. SCHULTZE  
HOLLY COURT MOTEL

CASE No. ID -  
FILE No. 75 -

SCALE: 1/2" = 1'-0"

LEGEND

- 16 STAINS ON SEAT
- 16A STAIN ON BOTTOM OF TOWEL SEAT





# Request For Laboratory Examination

75-10986

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FS LAB #

PREVIOUS NUMBER

75-10986

TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultze**

TELEPHONE # **804-266-5445**

DATE **Feb. 6, 1976**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. Of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23227**

AGENCY CASE # **75-18271**

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Age **56** RACE **W** SEX **F**

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



Age **31** RACE **W** SEX **M**

**27 W M**

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE - ROBBERY: Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

Time received: 1:50 P.M.

Date received: 2-6-76

Examiner: **Mary Jane Burton**

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **Determine ABO**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # **75-10986**

Specify manner of return of evidence: Regular Mail  Registered Mail  Certified Mail  Personal Pick-up

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

**Item 3. Saliva swab from**

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- (2) #1 Victim's head  
#2 Victim head  
#3 2 Cow head - like (31) left & right  
#4 Victim head

(5) Cow head - Victims

- (9) #1 Victim's head  
#2 Victim's head  
#3 Victim's head  
#4 Cow head - like (32) pulled root & tip  
#5 Victim head  
#6 Victim head  
#7 Victim head - pulled root  
#8 Victim head - bloody  
#9 Victim head  
#10 Victim head  
#11 Victim head  
#12 Victim head  
#13 Cow head - like (32) fallen

(4b) animal hair  
Victim head

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(3) Case head - like (32) fallen out - 2 tips  
knows also to tips

① - type as whole B DEcē

④ - liquid B DEcē

② Bra - dil blood

White uniform - yel paint, 'white paint', fordetin  
 B Rh<sup>+</sup> blood - some dil, some whol.

→ clump hair inside dress - Victims

→ Several hairs

③ Pillowcase - blood

→ 1 hair

⑤ Panties - white - bloody - no seam fl

horizontal cut - front across top crotch

→ white animal hair + head? hair

Pa Tylor - bl. stain on front

no cuts or tears

⑥ 2 - non-filter - unid. band

⑧ Lady's Elgin - Stopped 20 min of 3

bloody

(9) Quilt

3 slits one  $\sim 5/8"$ , one  $\sim 1"$  and  
one  $\sim 3/8"$  not thru all layers

Fitted sheet - bra hook, dried skin, bloody

→ klenex + hair

(16) top + blood + human insurf  
bottom + blood + human insurf

(17) blue + white hand towel - several whol blood stains  
many dil blood stains

(18) lg butcher-type knife  $\sim 1"$  wide - no visible blood  
Swabbing blade + blood + human - insurf.

(20) 4 - non-filter cig butts - (3 Lucky Strikes - 1 unit)

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(21) Blood B DEcē LAP-BA

(22) No sperm on smear { 1 anal  
1 oral  
1 Vag  
neg AP on smears { 1 anal  
1 Vag  
1 oral  
3 blood  
~~Plasma~~ hairs Vaginally collected - Viter

(23) → Several hairs

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(24) No visible blood - Swabbing - neg

(25) Several stains - neg for blood

(26) Sm bloodstain front center  
→

(27) No visible blood - Swabbing - neg

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- (28) (A) keys, 2 combs, gel pill in cell bag, wallet,  
pocket-knife - neg for blood  
black leather belt
- (B) Black shoes - medal inside  
dil blood splashed on toes of each
- (C) dirty handkerchief
- (D) green socks
- (E) jockey shorts
- (F) t-shirt - stains - neg for blood
- (G) Green pants
- (H) Green + white shirt - SS

- (29) (A) Navy Weatherite - fur lined hood  
orange quilted lining  
looks new
- (B) Dark grey twill pants  
bleach<sup>?</sup> splashes front - bottom leg
- (C) Jockey shorts
- (D) Dark green socks
- (E) Navy L.S. shirt  
dark stains - sleeves, cuff, front & back  
neg for blood
- (F) T-shirt - many hairs - body  
dirty - many stains - no blood
- (G) wallet, chewing gum, lighter metal,  
Greyhound receipt
- (H) Shoes - low wa boots - blue paint dig

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:

To the Sheriff of the City of Richmond, Greeting  
 You are commanded to summon the within named persons to-wit:

Dr. David K. Wiecking - Office of the Chief Medical Examiner, 9 North 14th Street, Richmond, Virginia

Mary Jane Burton - Division of Consolidated Laboratory Services, 1 North 14th Street, Richmond, Virginia

to appear in the Circuit Court for the County of Hanover, located at Hanover, Virginia on the 11th day of September, 1978 at 10:00 a.m. to testify and give evidence on behalf of the Commonwealth in a certain prosecution of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Plaintiff against \_\_\_\_\_, Defendant.

And this you shall in nowise omit under the penalty prescribed by law.

Given under my hand this 30th day of August, 1978.

Ethel B. Greenleaf, Clerk

SERVICE INFORMATION:

# Request For Laboratory Examination

75-10986

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FS LAB #
75-586

TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

75-10986

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultz**

TELEPHONE #: 266-5645

DATE: **December 3, 1975**

**Bellevue Station, P. O. Box 9108, Richmond, Virginia**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police - Division of Investigation**

AGENCY CASE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Date received: 12/3/75

Age **50** RACE **M** SEX **F**

Time: 12:45 p.m.

Examiner: **M. J. Burton**

Age **31** RACE **M** SEX **M**

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



*M. J. Burton*

**27 W M**

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE, SOLICIT - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

*REC'D 12/8/75 @ 1215  
Inv. W. P. Schultz*

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **(SEE BELOW)**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # \_\_\_\_\_

Specify manner of return of evidence: Regular Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Registered Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Certified Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Personal Pick-up

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

1. Samples of red stain from floor beside bed;
2. Clothing from floor beside bed (Dress);
- 2a. Sams (Bra);
3. Pillow Case with red stain;
4. Red liquid from bed;
- 4b. Pillow Case from beside Victim's head;
5. Pantyhose and panties from Victim;
6. Cigarette Butts from ashtray on dresser;
8. Ladies Watch with red stain on band;
9. Bed-Clothing;
16. Reddish stains from top of toilet seat;
- 16a. Reddish stains from bottom of toilet seat;
17. Towel with reddish stains from Kitchen #2;
18. Knife from Kitchen table in Kitchen #2; - blood + fingerprint
20. Cigarette Butts from ashtray on table in Kitchen #2.

*Item 18 again  
W. Frost 12/8/75  
mB*

Controls for Items No. 1, 4, 16 and 16a.

Items: 1, 2, 3, 4, 4b, 8, 16, 16a, 17 - Determine: if human blood, blood type, if all samples same type.

Item 3: Check for hairs and body fluids.

Items 6 & 20: Determine blood type.

Item 9: Check for hairs, fibers and body fluids.

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FS LAB #: 75-10986

Reviewer: SR

Date: 10/20/07

Recommend for further review:

Post-conviction eligibility? yes

Cold case eligibility?

Offense Date: 12/2/1975

Offense: Murder

Jurisdiction: City of Richmond Bellevue station (Oakland) 1st Submission Date: 12/3/75

Agency Name: Department of State Police

Agency Case #: 75-10986

Victim/Suspect	Last Name	First Name	Age
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	27 Wm
Victim	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	50 WF
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	31 Wm

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
17	Towel from kitchen #2	blood

WS Designation WS Description  
 12/4/75 5+7 Item 17 (cuttings)  
 Wkst 6+8 Item 17 control

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
2	Clothing from floor beside bed	Blood

WS Designation WS Description WS Designation WS Description  
 3+5 Item 2 (cuttings)  
 4+6 Item 2 control

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
20	Cigarette butts from ash tray on table in kitchen #2	Saliva

WS Designation WS Description WS Designation WS Description  
 2/6/75 Wkst { 15 Item 20 lucky strikes (swats) 19 Item 20 #8 (threads)  
 16 Item 20 lucky strikes 20 Item 20 #17 (threads)  
 17 Item 20 lucky strikes 21 Item 20 #16 (threads)  
 18 Item 20 unident 22 Item 20 #15 (threads)

Were conclusions drawn WRT suspect?  Yes (include short summary)  No  
 Hairs consist w/ [REDACTED] found in Item #2 (clothing)  
 Hairs consist w/ [REDACTED] found in Item #3 (pillowcase) + Item 9 (clothing)

Other pertinent information (subpoenas, court testimony, other cases referenced, etc...)  
 Testimony subpoena [REDACTED] case 9-9-78 - Harmer county  
 subpoena [REDACTED] 12/13-14/76 - Harmer county  
 News clipping "man acquitted in 3rd retrial" [REDACTED]  
 Note for [REDACTED] 7/26-27/76 - Harmer county  
 subpoena [REDACTED]

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**Reviewer:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Offense Date:** 12/2/1975 **Offense:** Murder

**Jurisdiction:** City of Richmond

**Agency Name:** Department of State Police

<input type="checkbox"/> Recommend for further review: <input type="checkbox"/> Post-conviction eligibility? <input type="checkbox"/> Cold case eligibility?
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**1st Submission Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Agency Case #:** \_\_\_\_\_

Victim/Suspect	Last Name	First Name	Age
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Victim	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
22	Oral swab from victim PERK	

WS Designation	WS Description	WS Designation	WS Description

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
22	Victim PERK P-E-R-K from victim	

WS Designation	WS Description	WS Designation	WS Description
9	control (swabs)	12	Anal (swabs)
10	oral		
11	vag		

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
26	Shirt from [REDACTED]	blood Type B RAP-3A

WS Designation	WS Description	WS Designation	WS Description
1	Item 26 (cuttings)		
2	Item 26 control (cuttings)		

Were conclusions drawn WRT suspect?  Yes (include short summary)  No

Other pertinent information (subpoenas, court testimony, other cases referenced, etc...)

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Recommend for further review: Post-conviction eligibility? Cold case eligibility?
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**Reviewer:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Offense Date:** 12/2/1975 **Offense:** Murder

**Jurisdiction:** City of Richmond

**1st Submission Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Agency Name:** Department of State Police

**Agency Case #:** \_\_\_\_\_

Victim/Suspect	Last Name	First Name	Age
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	
Victim	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
28	Clothing from [REDACTED]	Blood

WS Designation	WS Description	WS Designation	WS Description
28	Item 28 shoes (cuttings)		
2A			

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
3	Pillow case	Blood Type B 2H+

WS Designation	WS Description	WS Designation	WS Description
1+3	Item 3 (cuttings)		
2+4	Item 3 control		

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
30	Saliva sample from [REDACTED]	Type O

WS Designation	WS Description	WS Designation	WS Description
49	Item 30 (swabs)		
50	Item 30 control (swabs)		

1/20/26  
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Were conclusions drawn WRT suspect?  Yes (include short summary)  No

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Other pertinent information (subpoenas, court testimony, other cases referenced, etc...)

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FS LAB #: 75-10986

Reviewer: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Offense Date: 12/2/1975 Offense: Murder

Jurisdiction: City of Richmond

Recommend for further review: Post-conviction eligibility? Cold case eligibility?
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1st Submission Date: 12/3/75

Agency Name: Department of State Police

Agency Case #: 75-10271

Victim/Suspect	Last Name	First Name	Age
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Victim	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
31	Hair sample from [REDACTED] saliva	Type A

WS Designation	WS Description
2/20/76 Wkst	12 Item 31 (swabs)
	13 Item 31 control L

WS Designation	WS Description
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Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
33	Hair and saliva sample from [REDACTED]	Type O

WS Designation	WS Description
	21 Item 33 (swabs)
	22 Item 33 control L

WS Designation	WS Description
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Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
6	Cigarette butts from ashtray on dresser	saliva

WS Designation	WS Description
12/6/75 } Wkst	13 Item 6 unident nonfilter (swabs)
	14 Item 6 unident nonfilter L
	23 Item 6 #13 (threads)
	18 Item 6 #14 (threads)

WS Designation	WS Description
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Were conclusions drawn WRT suspect?  Yes (include short summary)  No

Other pertinent information (subpoenas, court testimony, other cases referenced, etc...)

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Reviewer: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Offense Date: 12/2/1975 Offense: Murder

Jurisdiction: City of Richmond

Recommend for further review:
Post-conviction eligibility?
Cold case eligibility?

1st Submission Date:

Agency Name: Department of State Police

Agency Case #:

Victim/Suspect	Last Name	First Name	Age
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Victim	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
8	Ladies watch	Blood Type B Rh+

WS Designation	WS Description	WS Designation	WS Description
24 + 2	item 8 (cuttings)		

Were conclusions drawn WRT suspect?  Yes (include short summary)  No

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Other pertinent information (subpoenas, court testimony, other cases referenced, etc...)

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COURT APPEARANCE REPORT

Date: 7/16/76

TO: Assistant Director, Bureau of Forensic Science

FROM: M J Runtan

Region: \_\_\_\_\_

Defendant: [Redacted]

FS#: 75-10986 Reg.#:

Charge: murder

Date of Hearing: 7/14/76

Place & Court: Hanover Circuit Court

Judge: Simpson?

Prosecutor: Brynson

Hours in Court: 2

Travel Time: 2

Mileage: 52

Testified? Yes  No  If so, give reason.

Nature of Testimony:

blood, hair

Disposition: Time in Jail \_\_\_\_\_

Time Probation: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of fine: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Dismissed \_\_\_\_\_

Not Guilty \_\_\_\_\_

Guilty Plea: \_\_\_\_\_

Found guilty \_\_\_\_\_

Continued \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: (Explain any unusual situation)

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# COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

## DEPARTMENT OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

**FS LAB #:** 75-10986  
**Agency Name:** Department of State Police  
**Agency Case Number :** 75-18271

<i>Item #</i>	<i>Description in Report</i>	<i>Worksheet Designation</i>	<i>Worksheet Description</i>
17	Towel from kitchen #2	5+7 (12/6/7 5)	Item 17 (cuttings)
		6+8 (12/6/7 5)	Item 17 control (cuttings)
2	Clothing from floor beside bed	3+5	Item 2 (cuttings)
		4+6	Item 2 control (cuttings)

Relinquished by (Print) <u>Michele Gowdy</u>	(Sign) _____ Date: _____	(Sign) _____ Date: _____
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20	Cigarette butts from ash tray on table in kitchen #2		
		15 (12/6/7 5)	Item 20 Lucky Strikes (swabs)
		16 (12/6/7 5)	Item 20 Lucky Strikes (swabs)
		17 (12/6/7 5)	Item 20 Lucky Strikes (swabs)
		19	Item 20 #8 (threads)
		20	Item 20 #17 (threads)
		21	Item 20 #16 (threads)
		22	Item 20 #15 (threads)
		8 (12/6/7 5)	Item 20 unident (swabs)

Relinquished by (Print) <u>Michele Gowdy</u>	
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**Agency Case Number :** 75-18271

<i>Item #</i>	<i>Description in Report</i>	<i>Worksheet Designation</i>	<i>Worksheet Description</i>
22	Physical Evidence Recovery Kit from victim		
		10	Oral (swabs)
		11	Vag (swabs)
		12	Anal (swabs)
		9	Control (swabs)
26	Shirt from [REDACTED]		
		1	Item 26 (cuttings)
		2	Item 26 (cuttings)
28	Clothing from [REDACTED]		
		28	Item 28 Shoes (cuttings)
3	Pillow case		
		1+3	Item 3 (cuttings)
		2+4	Item 3 control (cuttings)

Relinquished by (Print) <u>Michele Gowdy</u>	(Sign) _____ Date: _____	(Sign) _____ Date: _____
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<i>Item #</i>	<i>Description in Report</i>	<i>Worksheet Designation</i>	<i>Worksheet Description</i>
30	Saliva sample from [REDACTED]		
		49 (1/20/7 6)	Item 30 (swabs)
		50 (1/20/7 6)	Item 30 control (swabs)
31	Saliva sample from [REDACTED]		
		12 (2/28/7 6)	Item 31 (swabs)
		13 (2/28/7 6)	Item 31 control (swabs)
33	Hair and saliva sample from [REDACTED]		
		21	Item 33 (swabs)
		22	Item 33 control (swabs)

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<i>Item #</i>	<i>Description in Report</i>	<i>Worksheet Designation</i>	<i>Worksheet Description</i>
6	Cigarette butts from ashtray on dresser	13 (12/6/7 5)	Item 6 unident nonfilter (swabs)
		14 (12/6/7 5)	Item 6 unident nonfilter (swabs)
		18	Item 6 #14 (threads)
		23	Item 6 #13 (threads)
8	Ladies watch	24+2	Item 8 (cuttings)

Relinquished by (Print) <u>Michele Gowdy</u>	(Sign) _____ Date: _____	(Sign) _____ Date: _____
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FS LAB #: 75-10986

Reviewer: SR

Date: 10/20/07

Recommend for further review:

Post-conviction eligibility? yes

Cold case eligibility?

Offense Date: 12/2/1975

Offense: Murder

Jurisdiction: City of Richmond Bellevue station (Auckland) 1st Submission Date: 12/3/75

Agency Name: Department of State Police

Agency Case #: 75-10986

Victim/Suspect	Last Name	First Name	Age
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	27 Wm
Victim	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	50 WF
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	31 Wm

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
17	Towel from kitchen #2	blood

WS Designation	WS Description
12/1/75 5+7 Wkst	Item 17 (cuttings)
6+8	Item 17 control

WS Designation	WS Description

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
2	Clothing from floor beside bed	Blood

WS Designation	WS Description
3+5	Item 2 (cuttings)
4+6	Item 2 control

WS Designation	WS Description

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
20	Cigarette butts from ash tray on table in kitchen #2	Saliva

WS Designation	WS Description
12/6/75 Wkst	Item 20 lucky strikes (swabs)
	Item 20 lucky strikes
	Item 20 lucky strikes
	Item 20 unident

WS Designation	WS Description
19	Item 20 #8 (threads)
20	Item 20 #17 (threads)
21	Item 20 #16 (threads)
22	Item 20 #15 (threads)

Were conclusions drawn WRT suspect?  Yes (include short summary)  No

Hairs consist w/ [REDACTED] found in Item #2 (clothing)

Hairs consist w/ [REDACTED] found in Item #3 (Pillow case) + Item 9 (clothing)

Other pertinent information (subpoenas, court testimony, other cases referenced, etc...)

Subpoena ( [REDACTED] case ) 9-9-76 Hanover County

Subpoena ( [REDACTED] ) 12/13-14/76 - Hanover County

News clipping "man acquitted in 3rd trial" - [REDACTED]

NOTE re: ( [REDACTED] ) 7/26-27/76 - Hanover County

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**FS LAB #:** 75-10986

<b>Recommend for further review:</b> Post-conviction eligibility? Cold case eligibility?
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**Reviewer:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Offense Date:** 12/2/1975 **Offense:** Murder

**Jurisdiction:** City of Richmond

**1st Submission Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Agency Name:** Department of State Police

**Agency Case #:** \_\_\_\_\_

Victim/Suspect	Last Name	First Name	Age
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Victim	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
22	Oral swab from victim PERK	

WS Designation	WS Description

WS Designation	WS Description

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
22	Victim PERK P-E-A-T from victim	

WS Designation	WS Description
9	Control (swabs)
10	oral
11	vag

WS Designation	WS Description
12	Anal (swabs)

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
26	Shirt from [REDACTED]	blood Type B RAP-BA

WS Designation	WS Description
1	Item 26 (cuttings)
2	Item 26 control (cuttings)

WS Designation	WS Description

Were conclusions drawn WRT suspect?  Yes (include short summary)  No

Other pertinent information (subpoenas, court testimony, other cases referenced, etc...)

**DFS Archive File Review Form**

**FS LAB #:** 75-10986

Recommend for further review: Post-conviction eligibility? Cold case eligibility?
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**Reviewer:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Offense Date:** 12/2/1975 **Offense:** Murder

**1st Submission Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Jurisdiction:** City of Richmond

**Agency Name:** Department of State Police

**Agency Case #:** \_\_\_\_\_

Victim/Suspect	Last Name	First Name	Age
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	
Victim	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
28	Clothing from [REDACTED]	Blood

WS Designation	WS Description	WS Designation	WS Description
28	Item 28 shoes (cuttings)		
28			

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
3	Pillow case	Blood T <sub>1</sub> B <sub>1</sub> set +

WS Designation	WS Description	WS Designation	WS Description
123	Item 3 (cuttings)		
214	Item 3 control		

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
30	Saliva sample from [REDACTED]	Type O

WS Designation	WS Description	WS Designation	WS Description
49	Item 30 (swabs)		
50	Item 30 control (swabs)		

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Were conclusions drawn WRT suspect?  Yes (include short summary)  No

Other pertinent information (subpoenas, court testimony, other cases referenced, etc...)

**DFS Archive File Review Form**

**FS LAB #:** 75-10986

<p><b>Recommend for further review:</b></p> <p>Post-conviction eligibility?</p> <p>Cold case eligibility?</p>
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**Reviewer:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Offense Date:** 12/2/1975 **Offense:** Murder

**1st Submission Date:** 12/3/75

**Jurisdiction:** City of Richmond

**Agency Name:** Department of State Police

**Agency Case #:** 75-10271

Victim/Suspect	Last Name	First Name	Age
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	
Victim	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
31	Half sample from [REDACTED] saliva	Type A

WS Designation	WS Description
2/20/76 WRT	12 Item 31 (swabs) 13 Item 31 control L

WS Designation	WS Description
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Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
33	Hair and saliva sample from [REDACTED]	Type O

WS Designation	WS Description
21	Item 33 (swabs)
22	Item 33 control L

WS Designation	WS Description
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Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
6	Cigarette butts from ashtray on dresser	Saliva

WS Designation	WS Description
12/6/75 WRT	13 Item 6 unident non-filter (swabs)
	14 Item 6 unident unfilter L
	23 Item 6 #17 (threads)
	18 Item 6 #14 (threads)

WS Designation	WS Description
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Were conclusions drawn WRT suspect?  Yes (include short summary)  No

Other pertinent information (subpoenas, court testimony, other cases referenced, etc...)

**DFS Archive File Review Form**

**FS LAB #:** 75-10986

<b>Recommend for further review:</b> Post-conviction eligibility? Cold case eligibility?
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**Reviewer:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Offense Date:** 12/2/1975 **Offense:** Murder

**Jurisdiction:** City of Richmond

**1st Submission Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Agency Name:** Department of State Police

**Agency Case #:** \_\_\_\_\_

Victim/Suspect	Last Name	First Name	Age
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	
Victim	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	
Suspect	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	

Item #	Description in DFS Report	Evidence (incl fluid and typing results)
8	Ladies watch	Blood Type B Rh+

WS Designation	WS Description	WS Designation	WS Description
24 + 2	Item 8 (cuttings)		

Were conclusions drawn WRT suspect?  Yes (include short summary)  No

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Other pertinent information (subpoenas, court testimony, other cases referenced, etc...)

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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA  
DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
Bureau of Forensic Science

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DIRECTOR

May 4, 1976

LABORATORY REPORT  
SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT

CLARK  
JMP

TO: Investigator W. P. Schultze  
Department of State Police  
P. O. Box 9108  
Bellevue Station  
Richmond, Virginia 23227

Re: Homicide, Robbery

Your Case # 75-18271

FS Lab # 75-10986

Victim(s): [Redacted]

Examiner: Mary Jane Burton

Suspect(s): [Redacted]

Laboratory: Central  
P. O. Box 999  
Richmond, Virginia 23208

Date Received: 12-3-75

Evidence Submitted By: Office of Chief Medical Examiner

Item #22- Physical Evidence Recovery Kit from victim.

Evidence Submitted By: Investigator W. P. Schultze

Date Received: 2-6-76

Item #31- Saliva samples from [Redacted]

Evidence Submitted By: Investigator W. P. Schultze

Date Received: 3-8-76

Item #31- Hair sample from [Redacted]

Item #32- Hair sample from [Redacted]

Item #33- Hair and saliva sample from [Redacted]

RESULTS OF EXAMINATION:

Item #22- No evidence of seminal fluid was found on the swabs or smears. No foreign hairs were found in the combings.

Item #31- Tests on the swab indicate the secretions are type A.

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3/8/76  
5/11/76

Two (2) Caucasian head hairs recovered from the clothing from the floor beside the bed, Item #2, are consistent with head hair samples from Jeffrey A. Taylor.

IN FUTURE CORRESPONDENCE REFERENCE THIS MATTER PLEASE REFER TO THE FS LAB # ABOVE

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Department of State Police

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Item #32- A Caucasian head hair recovered from the pillow case, Item #3, and two (2) Caucasian head hairs recovered from the bed clothing, Item #9, are consistent with head hair samples from [redacted]

Item #33- Tests on the swabs indicate the secretions are type O.

No hairs similar to the known hairs from [redacted] were recovered in any of the items submitted.

The evidence can be picked up at the laboratory.

MJB:smp  
cc: Office of Chief Medical Examiner

STATE OF VIRGINIA  
CITY/COUNTY OF Richmond, to wit.

THIS day personally appeared before me, Shirley H. Patterson, a notary public, in and for said city/county in the Commonwealth

Mary Jane Burton  
Forensic Scientist

of Virginia, Mary Jane Burton, who signed the foregoing Certificate of Analysis, before me, and after being duly sworn, made oath (1) that he performed the analysis and/or examination the results of which are herein contained, (2) that said analysis and/or examination was performed in a laboratory operated by the Division of Consolidated Laboratory Services of the Commonwealth or authorized by such Division to conduct such analysis and/or examination and (3) that this Certificate of Analysis is true and correct.

Given under my hand this 4 day of May, 19 76

My commission expires September 29, 19 79 \_\_\_\_\_ Notary Public



COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA  
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February 4, 1976

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 TEL. NO. 804-770-2281

LABORATORY REPORT  
 CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

*CW  
GMP*

TO: Investigator W. P. Schultze  
 Department of State Police  
 P. O. Box 9108  
 Bellevue Station  
 Richmond, Virginia 23227

Re: Homicide, Robbery

Your Case # 75-18271

FS Lab # 75-10986

Victim(s):



Examiner: Mary Jane Burton

Suspect(s):



Laboratory: Central  
 P. O. Box 999  
 Richmond, Virginia 23208

Date Received: 12-3-75

Evidence Submitted By: Investigator W. P. Schultze

- Item #1 - Samples of stain from floor beside bed.
- Item #2 - Clothing from floor beside bed.
- ✓ Item #3 - Pillow case.
- Item #4 - Pillow case and liquid from bed.
- Item #5 - Panties and panty hose from victim.
- Item #6 - Cigarette butts from ash tray on dresser.
- Item #8 - Ladies watch.
- ✓ Item #9 - Bed clothing.
- Item #16 - Stains from top and bottom of toilet seat.
- Item #17 - Towel from kitchen #2.
- Item #18 - Knife from table in kitchen #2.
- Item #20 - Cigarette butts from ash tray on table in kitchen #2.

Evidence Submitted By: Office of Chief Medical Examiner

Date Received: 12-3-75

- Item #21 - Sample of blood from victim.
- Item #22 - Physical Evidence Recovery Kit from victim.
- Item #23 - Debris from hands of victim.

Evidence Submitted By: Investigator W. P. Schultze

Date Received: 12-8-75

- Item #24 - Knife from suspect vehicle.
- Item #25 - Floor mat from suspect vehicle.
- Item #26 - Shirt from 
- Item #27 - Brake and clutch pedals from suspect vehicle.

IN FUTURE CORRESPONDENCE REFERENCE THIS MATTER PLEASE REFER TO THE FS LAB # ABOVE

*WJ*

Evidence Submitted By: Investigator W. P. Schultze

Date Received: 12-18-75

Item #28- Clothing from [REDACTED]

Item #29- Clothing from [REDACTED]

Evidence Submitted By: Investigator W. P. Schultze

Date Received: 1-16-76

Item #30- Saliva sample from [REDACTED]

RESULTS OF EXAMINATION:

- Item #1 - The stains were identified as human blood. Tests indicate the type is B DEcc. (*ligens*)
- 12/8/76 ✓ Item #2 - Both the bra and the white uniform contained blood stains. Some of the stains were diluted blood stains. In addition, a clump of hair consistent with head hair samples from the victim was found inside the uniform. 2 like (31)
- Item #3 - Stains on the pillow case were identified as human blood. Further tests indicate the type is B Rh positive. 1 Hair like (32) fallen (not 2 legs - knickerbo)
- Item #4 - The liquid was identified as human blood. Further tests indicate the type is B DEcc.
- 12/8/76 ✓ Item #5 - No evidence of seminal fluid was found. A white animal hair and a head hair was recovered. Blood stains were noted on both the panties and the panty hose. In addition, a cut across the front of the panties at the top of the crotch area was noted. No cuts or tears were noted on the panty hose.
- Item #6 - The sample contained two (2) non-filter type cigarette butts. Saliva residue on these cigarette butts was either insufficient in amount for testing or from a non-secretor.
- ✓ Item #8 - Stains on the watch were identified as human blood. Further tests indicate the type is B Rh positive. In addition, the presence of a small amount of the A factor was also noted.
- Item #9 - Three (3) slits were noted in the quilt. One (1) approximately 5/8 of an inch long, one (1) approximately one (1) inch long and the third approximately 3/8 of an inch and not through all layers of the quilt.
- The debris from the fitted sheet included a hook consistent with those on the bra, dried skin and a bloody kleenax. In addition, Caucasian head hairs were recovered. 2 like (32) 1 pulled root → top 1 fallen 11 victim 1 pulled
- Item #16- Tests on each of the stains indicate the presence of human blood. The amount was insufficient for typing.
- ✓ Item #17- Stains on the towel were identified as human blood. Tests for blood type were inconclusive. Rh+
- 12/8/76 ✓ Item #18- No visual evidence of blood was noted on the blade. However, tests indicate the presence of human blood. The blade is approximately one (1) inch wide.
- Item #20- The sample contained three (3) non-filter Lucky Strike cigarette butts and one (1) non-filter unidentified as to brand. Tests on each of these cigarette butts indicate the saliva residue is insufficient in amount for testing or is from a non-secretor.

- 12/8/76 } Item #21- Tests indicate the blood is type B DEce EAP-BA.
- 12/8/76 } Item #22- The results of these tests will be reported at a later date.
- 12/8/76 } Item #23- The debris from the hands contained hairs.
- 12/8/76 } Item #24- No evidence of blood was found on the knife.
- 12/8/76 } Item #25- No evidence of blood was found on the floor mat.
- 12/18/76 } Item #26- A small stain on the front center of the shirt was identified as human blood. Further tests indicate the type is B EAP-BA.
- 12/18/76 } Item #27- No evidence of blood was found on the petals.
- 12/22/76 } Item #28- A small splash on the toe of each shoe was identified as human blood. Tests for blood type were inconclusive. No blood was found on any of the other items.
- 2/3/77 } Item #29- No evidence of blood was found on any of the items.
- 2/3/77 } Item #30- Tests indicate the secretions are type O.

The other requested examination is the subject of another report.

HJB:emp  
cc: Office of Chief Medical Examiner (CHE 563-75)

STATE OF VIRGINIA  
CITY/COUNTY OF Richmond, to wit:

*Shirley M. Patterson*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Forensic Scientist

THIS day personally appeared before me, Shirley M. Patterson, a notary public, in and for said city/county in the Commonwealth of Virginia, Mary Jane Burton, who signed the foregoing Certificate of Analysis, before me, and after being duly sworn, made oath (1) that he performed the analysis and/or examination the results of which are herein contained, (2) that said analysis and/or examination was performed in a laboratory operated by the Division of Consolidated Laboratory Services of the Commonwealth or authorized by such Division to conduct such analysis and/or examination and (3) that this Certificate of Analysis is true and correct.

Given under my hand this 4 day of February, 19 76.

My commission expires September 29, 19 79 \_\_\_\_\_ Notary Public

# Request For Laboratory Examination 75-10986

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FS LAB #
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TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

75-10986

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultze**

TELEPHONE #: **266-5445**

DATE: **December 3, 1975**

**Bellevue Station, P. O. Box 9108, Richmond, Virginia**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police - Division of Investigation**

AGENCY CASE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Date received: 12/3/75  
Time: 12:45 p.m.

Age 50 RACE W SEX F

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



Examiner: M. J. Burton  
Age 31 RACE W SEX M

M. J. Burton 27 W M

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **MURDER, ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **(SEE BELOW)**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # \_\_\_\_\_

Specify manner of return of evidence: Regular Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Registered Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Certified Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Personal Pick up

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

1. Samples of red stain from floor beside bed;
2. Clothing from floor beside bed (Dress);
- 2a. Same (Bra);
3. Pillow Case with red stain;
4. Red liquid from bed;
- 4b. Pillow Case from beside Victim's head;
5. Pantyhose and panties from Victim;
6. ~~Cigarette Butts from ashtray on dresser;~~
8. Ladies Watch with red stain on band;
9. ~~Bed Clothing;~~
16. Reddish stains from top of toilet seat;
- 16a. Reddish stains from bottom of toilet seat;
17. Towel with reddish stains from Kitchen #2;
18. Knife from Kitchen table in Kitchen #2; - *blood + fingerprint*
20. Cigarette Butts from ashtray on table in Kitchen #2.

Controls for Items No. 1, 4, 16 and 16a.

Items: 1, 2, 3, 4, 4b, 8, 16, 16a, 17 - Determine: if human blood, blood type, if all samples same type.

Item 5: Check for hairs and body fluids.

Items 6 & 20: Determine blood type.

Item 9: Check for hairs, fibers and body fluids.

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M. J. Burton 12-8-75  
W-E Lab.*

# Request For Laboratory Examination 75-10986

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SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultze** TELEPHONE #: **266-5445**  
**Bellevue Station, P. O. Box 9108, Richmond, Virginia**  
AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police - Division of Investigation**

DATE: **December 3, 1975**

AGENCY CASE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Age 50 RACE W SEX F

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



Age 31 RACE W SEX M

Date received: 12/3/75<sup>27</sup>

Time: 12:45 p.m.

Examiner: Walter Forst

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE, ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom**

**on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **Check for Latents**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # \_\_\_\_\_

Specify manner of return of evidence: Regular Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Registered Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Certified Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Personal Pick up

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

- 7. Eyeglasses;
- 14. Plastic Bowl;
- 15. Plastic Honey Tray.
- 19. ONE bottle of Vodka

12-8-75  
No latent fingerprints palm prints were  
found - developed.

Disposition of evidence - Certified  
mail -  
Forst

Turned over to M. J. Burtin  
12-8-75  
W. E. Forst

# Request For Laboratory Examination

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TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

FS LAB #  
15-10786

SUBMITTING OFFICER: *[Handwritten Signature]* TELEPHONE # :

DATE: 12-3-71

AGENCY AND ADDRESS:

AGENCY CASE #: 503-71

NAME OF VICTIM(S):

*[Handwritten: J. J. Jones Mc (Hansen)]*

Age: 65 RACE: W SEX: M

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):

Age: RACE: SEX:

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACTS



*[Handwritten: 1st & 2nd test]*

*[Handwritten: RCD 12/8/75 @ 1215  
Inv. to P. Schultz]*

### EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED:

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EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

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(22) 1st test  
(23) 1st test from Hansen  
1st test from Jones  
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# Request For Laboratory Examination

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FS LAB #  
PREVIOUS NUMBER  
75-10986

TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

SUBMITTING OFFICER: Inv. W. P. Schultze

TELEPHONE #: (804)266-5445

DATE 12/8/75

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23231

AGENCY CASE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF VICTIM(S): [REDACTED]  
(Middle name added, age corrected)

Age 56 RACE W SEX F

NAME OF SUSPECT(S): [REDACTED]  
(Spelling of Suspect #1 corrected)

Age 31 RACE W SEX M  
27 W M

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: HOMICIDE, ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.

MJ Burton Time Received: 11:40 A.M.  
on 12-8-75  
Examiner: Mary Jane Burton

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: Determine; presence of human blood, blood type

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # 75-10986

Specify manner of return of evidence: Regular Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Registered Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Certified Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Personal Pick-up

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

- (24) Item 1. Knife recovered from escape vehicle (As received from P.D. Baltimore - no blood Evidence Section, Baltimore, Maryland, on 12/5/75)
- (25) Item 2. Two (2) pieces of floor mat recovered from escape vehicle (As received from P.D. Baltimore Evidence Section, Baltimore, Maryland, on 12/5/75)
- (26) Item 3. Knit pullover shirt with stains, worn by Suspect #2 *stains - no blood*
- (27) Item 4. Rubber brake and ~~accelerator~~ clutch pedals from escape vehicle

Rec'd ITEMS 24, 25 12/8/75 @ 1235  
Inv. W. P. Schultze

(24) no blood  
(26) Sm bloodstains front center  
Rec'd ITEMS 26 & 27 12/18/75 @ 1235

# Request For Laboratory Examination

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FS LAB #  
75-10986

TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

75-10986

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultze**

TELEPHONE \* : (804)266-5445  
Home (703)784-8878

DATE December 17, 1975

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23227**

AGENCY CASE # : MD-62933

NAME OF VICTIM(S): 

Age 56 RACE W SEX F

NAME OF SUSPECT(S) 

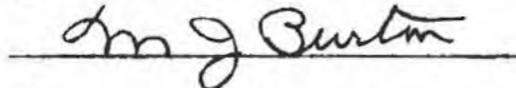
Age 31 RACE W SEX M

27 W M

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE \* ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

Date received: 12/18/75, 11:05 am.

Examiner: M. J. Burton



EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **Examine for human blood, blood type, and hairs**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # 75-10986

Specify manner of return of evidence: Regular Mail  Registered Mail  Certified Mail  Personal Pick up

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

Item 28. Clothing from Suspect #1 , as received from Sheriff's office, Anoka County, Minn.

Item 29. Clothing from Suspect #2 , as received from Sheriff's Office, Anoka County, Minn.

REC'D 12/22/75 12:05P  
Inv. W. P. Schultze

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FS LAB #
75-10986

TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultze**

TELEPHONE #: **804-266-5445**

DATE: **1/16/76**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Ballevue Station, Richmond, Va. 22227**

AGENCY CASE #: **75-18272**

NAME OF VICTIM(S): 

Age **56** RACE **W** SEX **F**

Date received: **1/16/76, 12:55 p.m.**

NAME OF SUSPECT(S): 

Age **32** RACE **W** SEX **M**

Examiner: **M. J. Burton** 27 W M

*M. J. Burton*

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **Homicide, Robbery - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt, body nude except for ~~panthose~~ and torn panties.**

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **Determine ABO**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # **75-10986**

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EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

**Item 30. Saliva swabs from Suspect #1, **

Control

RCVD 2/3/76  
To P. Schultze, Inv.  
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# Request For Laboratory Examination

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75-10986

TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

SUBMITTING OFFICER: Inv. W. P. Schultze

TELEPHONE # 804-266-5445

DATE Feb. 6, 1976

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: Dept. Of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23227

AGENCY CASE # 75-18271

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Age 56 RACE W SEX F

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



Age 31 RACE W SEX M

27 W M

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE - ROBBERY:** Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.

Time received: 1:50 P.M.  
Date received: 2-6-76  
Examiner: Mary Jane Burton

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: Determine ABO

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # 75-10986

Specify manner of return of evidence: Regular Mail  Registered Mail  Certified Mail  Personal Pick up

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

Item 3. Saliva swab from

RCVTS 3/8/76  
Inv. W. P. Schultze  
1:30 PM

Request For Laboratory Examination **75-10986**

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FS LAB #  
**75-10986**

TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultze**

TELEPHONE #: **804-266-5445**

DATE: **March 8, 1976**

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police, Division of Investigation  
P.O. Box 9108, Bellevue Station, Richmond, Va. 23227**

AGENCY CASE #: **75-18271**

NAME OF VICTIM(S): [REDACTED]

Age **56** RACE **W** SEX **F**

NAME OF SUSPECT(S): [REDACTED]

Age **31** RACE **W** SEX **M**  
**27** **W** **M**

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE - ROBBERY: Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

time received: **1:30 P.M.**

date received: **3-8-76**

Examiner: **Mary Jane Burton**

*M. J. Burton*

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **Determine ABO; compare known hair samples with hair found at scene**

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EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

- Item 31: Head hair sample from [REDACTED]
- Item 32: Head hair sample from [REDACTED]
- Item 33: Head hair sample from [REDACTED]
- Item 34: Saliva sample from [REDACTED]

*RCVD 5/11/76  
Inv. to P. Schultze*

# Request For Laboratory Examination 75-10986

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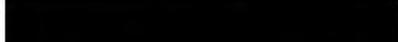
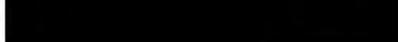
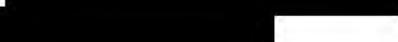
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# Man Acquitted in 3rd Retrial

By KEVIN MCCARTHY

██████████ of Baltimore is a free man today, following his acquittal on a murder charge in connection with the stabbing of the live-in manager of the Holly Court Motel near Ashland.

██████████ retrial ended suddenly yesterday afternoon after Hanover Circuit Court Judge Richard H.C. Taylor struck the prosecution's evidence and dismissed the case against the 29-year-old man midway through the second day of the proceedings.

The trial was closed to the news media and other members of the public.

After Hanover Commonwealth's Attorney Patrick R. Bynum presented his evidence, defense attorney C. Willard Norwood moved that the evidence be set aside because, he said, the prosecution "had not proved its case beyond a reasonable doubt."

## PROTEST EXCLUSION

Judge Taylor had declined to say why he had closed the murder trial to the public.

On Tuesday, attorneys representing Richmond Newspapers Inc. filed a motion asking that the trial be opened, but the judge refused to grant it.

John E. Leard, executive editor of The Richmond News Leader and the Times-Dispatch, has said the papers intend to pursue the matter further through legal channels.

Following ██████████ acquittal, Bynum said he decided not to prosecute a murder charge against ██████████ co-defendant, ██████████

also of Baltimore.

The Virginia Supreme Court overturned both men's second-degree murder convictions in 1976 in connection with the fatal stabbing in 1975 of ██████████ the motel's live-in manager.

The Supreme Court said a

shirt obtained from ██████████ wife that had bloodstains of the same type as the victim's was entered into evidence improperly during the original trial.

Without the shirt, Bynum conceded last night, his case was "materially weakened."

"The case I had was circumstantial from the beginning," he noted. "And when the state Supreme Court knocked out part of my evidence (the shirt), it weakened my case considerably."

██████████ was retried in late May but a mistrial was declared because a juror asked to be excused after the trial had begun. A week later, a second mistrial was declared when a prospective juror apparently talked to other prospective jurors about the case before the retrial began.

Norwood, who had refused comment on why he asked the trial be closed, said last night, "I sure do have a comment now."

"This was the fourth time we had attempted to get a fair trial for this defendant. I didn't want to have another mistrial,"

Norwood said he didn't want the jurors to read about the case in newspapers. And even if a judge instructs jurors to ignore press reports, they cannot do so easily, he maintained.

"It's like telling you not to think about a white elephant. If I say that, all you're going to think about is a white elephant."

Norwood said he would like to see the newspapers' motion to open the trial taken further.

"I'd like to know if I'm right or wrong in making such a motion (to close the trial), and I would think the court would want to know if it's right or wrong in granting it."

He said he believes there are certain instances when the news media and public could be excluded justifiably. The Stevenson case was one, he said.

## SERVED 2 YEARS

██████████ spent about two years in jail either awaiting trial or serving his 10-year prison sentence after a jury convicted him of second-degree murder in 1976. He was released from prison on bond in December 1977 after the state Supreme Court overturned the conviction.

Late yesterday afternoon, he was on his way home to Baltimore, Norwood said.

*Upm*

The Commonwealth of Virginia

To the Sheriff of the City of Norfolk

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VDCLS-FORENSIC SCIENCE  
AUG 30 11 31 AM '78

Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU, That you summon June Browne, Serologist

Bureau of Forensic Science

1401-A Colley Avenue

Norfolk, Virginia

to appear before the Judge of our Circuit Court of the County of Hanover

at the Courthouse thereof, on the 11th day of September, 1978, at 10:00 o'clock

A. M., to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the defendant, in a certain

matter of controversy in our said Court, before the said Judge, depending and undetermined, between

the Commonwealth of Virginia, Plaintiff, and

[Redacted], Defendant

And have then there this writ.

WITNESS, Richard L. Shelton, Clerk of our said Court, at the Courthouse, this

28th day of August, 19 78, and in the 203rd year of the Commonwealth.

E. B. Reese, Deputy, Clerk.

BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

COURT APPEARANCE REPORT

To: Case File

Date: 9-13-78

From: J. G. Brown

Region: Tulsa

Defendant: 

FS#: 75-10986

Charge: Murder

Jurisdiction: Haskell County

Hearing Date: 9-12-78

Court: Juvenile  Gen. District

Hours in Court: 2 1/2

Circuit  Military  Other

Hours in Travel: 5

Miles Traveled: State Vehicle 238 Personal Vehicle  Private Carrier

Total Mileage Costs & Fares (other than State Vehicle): \$           

Other Vehicle Costs (parking, tolls, etc.): \$ .60

Lodging: No. of Nights      Amount: \$       
Meals: Number 1 Amount: \$ 3

Testified: YES  NO  If no, check appropriate reason  
DISMISSED  NOT GUILTY  GUILTY PLEA  CONTINUED   
STIPULATED  OTHER

COMMENTS: Subpoenaed by Defense as a technical consultant.

BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

COURT APPEARANCE REPORT

To: Case File

Date: 9/11/78

From: M J Beuster

Region: Central

Defendant: 

FS#: 75-10986

Charge: Murder

Jurisdiction: Hanover Court House

Hearing Date: 9/11/78

Court: Juvenile  Gen. District

Hours in Court: 3 3/4

Circuit  Military  Other

Hours in Travel: 1 1/2

Miles Traveled: State Vehicle  Personal Vehicle 52 Private Carrier

Total Mileage Costs & Fares (other than State Vehicle): \$6.76

Other Vehicle Costs (parking, tolls, etc.): \$ .25

Lodging:	No. of Nights	_____	Amount:	\$	_____
Meals:	Number	_____	Amount:	\$	_____

Testified: YES  NO  If no, check appropriate reason  
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BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

COURT APPEARANCE REPORT

To: Case File

Date: 9-13-78

From: J. G. Brown

Region: Tidewater

Defendant: 

FS#: 75-10486

Charge: Murder

Jurisdiction: Hanover County

Hearing Date: 9-11-78

Court: Juvenile  Gen. District

Hours in Court: 7

Circuit  Military  Other

Hours in Travel: 5

Miles Traveled: State Vehicle  Personal Vehicle <sup>238</sup>  Private Carrier

Total Mileage Costs & Fares (other than State Vehicle): \$                     

Other Vehicle Costs (parking, tolls, etc.): \$ .70

Lodging: No. of Nights            Amount: \$             
Meals: Number 2 Amount: \$ 11.50

Testified: YES  NO  If no, check appropriate reason  
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COMMENTS: Subpoenaed by Defense for technical consultant.

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BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

COURT APPEARANCE REPORT

To: Case File Date: 9-13-78

From: J. J. Brown Region: Tidewater

Defendant:  FS#: \_\_\_\_\_

Charge: Murder Jurisdiction: Hanover County

Hearing Date: 9-11-78 Court: Juvenile \_\_\_ Gen. District \_\_\_

Hours in Court: 7 Circuit  Military \_\_\_ Other \_\_\_

Hours in Travel: 5

Miles Traveled: State Vehicle \_\_\_ Personal Vehicle <sup>238</sup>  Private Carrier \_\_\_

Total Mileage Costs & Fares (other than State Vehicle): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Other Vehicle Costs (parking, tolls, etc.): \$ .70

Lodging: No. of Nights 1 Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Meals: Number 2 Amount: \$ 11.50

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STIPULATED \_\_\_ OTHER \_\_\_

COMMENTS: Subpoenaed by Defense as technical consultant.

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Defendant:  FS#: \_\_\_\_\_

Charge: Murder Jurisdiction: Hanover County

Hearing Date: 9-12-78 Court: Juvenile \_\_\_\_\_ Gen. District \_\_\_\_\_

Hours in Court: 2 1/2 Circuit  Military \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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STIPULATED \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

COMMENTS: Subpoenaed by Defense as a technical consultant.



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The Commonwealth of Virginia

To the Sheriff of the City of Richmond

WE COMMAND YOU, That you summon Regina Demas Walter Forst

Joan Faunce c/o Consolidated Lab Forensic Scientist

801 West 28th Street A.B.C. Lab c/o Consolidated Lab

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CME 563-75

BLOOD: NEGATIVE FOR ETHANOL, METHANOL, ISOPROPANOL AND KETONE

*W. A. Burleigh*



COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA  
DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
Bureau of Forensic Science

75-10986

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DIRECTOR

CHARLES E. O'REAR, Ph. D.  
DEPUTY DIRECTOR  
TEL. NO. 304-770-2281

LABORATORY REPORT

December 9, 1975

TO: Dr. D. K. Wiecking  
Chief Medical Examiner's Office  
9 North 14th Street  
Richmond, Virginia 23219

Your Case # CR 563-75

FS Lab # 75-10986

Victim(s):

Examiner: A. S. Burleigh

Laboratory: Central  
P.O. Box 999  
Richmond, VA 23208

Suspect(s):

Date Received: 12-3-75

Evidence Submitted By: Dr. D. K. Wiecking  
Dr. Beverley Leffers

2 vials of blood, containers of bile, brain, liver and gastric.

RESULTS OF EXAMINATION:

Blood: Negative for ethanol, methanol, isopropanol and ketones.

ASB:rah

cc: Dr. Beverley Leffers

IN FUTURE CORRESPONDENCE REFERENCE THIS MATTER PLEASE REFER TO THE FS LAB # ABOVE

TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

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SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. F. Schlotz**, TELEPHONE #: **266-5445**  
**Bellevue Station, P. O. Box 9108, Richmond, Virginia**  
 AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police - Division of Investigation**

DATE December 3, 1975

AGENCY CASE #: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Age 50 RACE W SEX F

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



Age 31 RACE W SEX M

Date received: 12/3/75  
 Time: 12:45 p.m.  
 Examiner: Walter Forst *Walter Forst*

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE, ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom**

**on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for pantyhose and torn panties.**

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **Check for Latents**

This evidence is being submitted in connection with a criminal investigation and has not been examined by another laboratory

If a previous submission to us in this case has been made please give our FS Lab # \_\_\_\_\_

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EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

- 7. **Eyeglasses;**
- 14. **Plastic Bowl;**
- 15. **Plastic Honey Tray.**
- 19. **DNE bottle of Vodka**

*Received from. W E. Forst*  
*12-18-75*

*X* *Inv. W. F. Schlotz*

# Request For Laboratory Examination

75-10986

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FS LAB #

TO: DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
BUREAU OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

75-10986

SUBMITTING OFFICER: **Inv. W. P. Schultze**

TELEPHONE # **266-5445**

DATE **December 3, 1975**

**Bellevue Station, P. O. Box 9108, Richmond, Virginia**

AGENCY CASE #                     

AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Dept. of State Police - Division of Investigation**

NAME OF VICTIM(S):



Date received: 12/3/75  
Age 50 RACE W SEX F

Time: 12:45 p.m.

NAME OF SUSPECT(S):



Examiner: M. J. Burton Age 31 RACE W SEX M

M. J. Burton 27 W M

TYPE OF OFFENSE AND STATEMENT OF FACT: **HOMICIDE, ROBBERY - Victim found dead in her bedroom on December 2, 1975, apparently stabbed to death. Upper torso covered by quilt; body nude except for panty hose and torn panties.**

EXAMINATIONS REQUESTED: **(SEE BELOW)**

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EVIDENCE SUBMITTED: (Enclose copy of this form in evidence package) (Itemize) eg. Quantity, Color description of item, etc.

1. Samples of red stain from floor beside bed;
2. Clothing from floor beside bed (Dress);
- 2a. Same (Bra);
3. Pillow Case with red stain;
4. Red liquid from bed;
- 4b. Pillow Case from beside Victim's head;
5. Panty hose and panties from Victim;
6. Cigarette Butts from ashtray on dresser;
8. Ladies Watch with red stain on band;
9. Bed Clothing;
16. Reddish stains from top of toilet seat;
- 16a. Reddish stains from bottom of toilet seat;
17. Towel with reddish stains from Kitchen #2;
18. Knife from Kitchen table in Kitchen #2; - blood - fingerprint
20. Cigarette Butts from ashtray on table in Kitchen #2.

*Received Item # 18 from W.E Faust 12-18-75*

*~~Handwritten signature~~*

Controls for Items No. 1, 4, 16 and 16a.

Items: 1, 2, 3, 4, 4b, 8, 16, 16a, 17 - Determine: if human blood, blood type, if all samples same type.

Item 5: Check for hairs and body fluids.

Items 6 & 20: Determine blood type.

Item 9: Check for hairs, fibers and body fluids.

*Rec'd Item 18 from M. J. Burton 12-8-75 W.E Faust.*



75-10986

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA  
DIVISION OF CONSOLIDATED LABORATORY SERVICES  
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December 11, 1975  
CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

CHARLES E. O'REAR, PH. D.  
DEPUTY DIRECTOR  
TEL. NO. (804) 770-2281

TO: Investigator W. P. Schultze  
Department of State Police  
Bellevue Station  
P. O. Box 9108  
Richmond, Virginia 23219

Re: Death Investigation

Your Case # - - -

FS Lab # 75-10986

Victim(s):



Examiner: Walter E. Forst

Suspect(s):



Laboratory: Central  
P. O. Box 999  
Richmond, Virginia 23208

Evidence Submitted By: Investigator Schultze

Date Received: 12-3-75

- Item #7 - Eye glasses.
- Item #14- Plastic bowl.
- Item #15- Plastic money tray.
- Item #18- One (1) kitchen knife.
- Item #19- One (1) bottle of Vodka.

RESULTS OF EXAMINATION:

No latent fingerprints or latent palm prints were found or developed which have enough ridge detail for comparison purposes.

The above-listed specimens are being retained until called for by a representative of your office.

STATE OF VIRGINIA  
CITY & COUNTY OF Richmond to wit:

*Walter E. Forst*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Forensic Scientist

THIS day personally appeared before me, Cheryl Lee White, a notary public in and for said city/county in the Commonwealth of Virginia, Walter E. Forst, who signed the foregoing Certificate of Analysis, before me, and after being duly sworn, made oath (1) that he performed the analysis and/or examination the results of which are herein contained, (2) that said analysis and/or examination was performed in a laboratory operated by the Division of Consolidated Laboratory Services of the Commonwealth or authorized by such Division to conduct such analysis and/or examination and (3) that this Certificate of Analysis is true and correct.

Given under my hand this 11 day of December, 1975.

*Cheryl Lee White*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My commission expires July 14, 1978.



ABSORPTION -  
INHIBITION

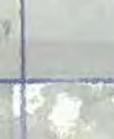
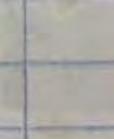
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ESD 75-10986

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ABSORPTION -  
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(219) Item 30  
(50) Item 30 Control

ACID PHOSPHATASE

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ORIGIN

AMYLASE

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CONCLUSIONS FROM ABOVE

A  
B  
H





ACID PHOSPHATASE	SPERM	ORIGIN	AMYLASE	H	B	A
Conduct			1/2 1/2	+	+	+
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bag	dark 200		1/2 1/2	+	+	+
Oval	dark 200		1/2 1/2	+	+	+
stem & stem			-/-	+	+	+
monophen			-/-	+	+	+
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