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RECORD OF MEDICAL EXAMINER

Case #70-5605

CITY Augusta COUNTY Richmond

NOTIFIED BY Coroner Nathan Widener HOUR 10:00 P. M. DATE May 14, 1970

OFFICERS ASSIGNED TO CASE _____

OFFICERS EMPLOYED BY _____

NAME OF DECEASED Mack Wilson AGE 45 SEX M RACE C HEIGHT 6'2" WEIGHT 230

RESIDENCE OF DECEASED 1249 Florence St.

TIME OF DEATH: HOUR 6:27 A. M. DATE May 12, 1970 PLACE OF DEATH DOA University Hospital

MANNER OF DEATH: HOMICIDE _____ JUSTIFIABLE ? ACCIDENTAL _____ SUICIDE _____ NATURAL _____

TIME OF _____ M. DATE _____ PLACE OF _____

METHOD OF _____

BODY REMOVED FROM University Hospital REMOVED BY Harrison Heard

DATE RECEIVED AT FUNERAL HOME: May 12, 1970 HOUR 8:30 A. M.

NAME OF FUNERAL HOME Williams & Dotson Funeral Home

AUTOPSY AUTHORIZED BY _____

PRESENT AT AUTOPSY Coroner Nathan Widener, Dr. Byron Dawson, D. L. Branch, GBI, C. W. Herndon, GBI

BODY IDENTIFIED BY great toe tag

PHOTOGRAPHS BY Dr. J. Byron Dawson

DATE AUTOPSIED: HOUR 5:30 P. M. DATE May 15, 1970 PERFORMED BY Larry B. Howard, Ph. D.

ACCUSED _____

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CAUSE OF DEATH Exsanguination secondary to missile wound of heart.

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED TO LABORATORY _____

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APPROVED Larry B. Howard
(LABORATORY)

DATE May 15, 1970
SIGNED Larry B. Howard

~~ventricle of the heart. Bullet wound has penetrated just inferior to the a-v sulcus~~
~~posteriorly and has exited from the heart just to the right of the interventricular~~
~~septum inferior to the pulmonary conus before exiting from the pericardium and striking~~
~~the sternum. Chest cavities are full of fluid. Pericardium is full of clotted blood.~~

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DATE _____ 19____
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(APPROVED PATHOLOGIST) M. D.

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AUTOPSY OR REPORT OF EXAMINATION OF BODY Case #70-5605

NAME OF DECEASED Mack Wilson

DATE OF DEATH: MONTH May DAY 12 19 70 COUNTY WHERE DEATH OCCURED Richmond

EXTERNAL EXAMINATION OF BODY:

The body is that of a well nourished, well developed, middle aged colored male showing skin slippage and completely embalmed through a right carotid embalming incision. Two trocar buttons are present on the flank approximately 4 inches inferior to the axilla. Jewelry is absent. Subject's hair is negroid in type, short. There is a light linear abrasion which was diagonal just below the right breast. There is no evidence of damage to the scalp.

There is a bullet wound of entry with an inferiorly located abrasion 20 inches below the top of the head, 1 inch to the left of the midline of the back. The bullet wound itself is 3/8 inch in diameter. This is further identified without doubt as the bullet wound of entry.

Eyes: Eyecaps in place, otherwise not remarkable. Nose shows the presence of dried blood. Mouth is tied shut by the undertaker and does not appear remarkable. According to the embalmer there was blood in the mouth before the embalming process. The lips appear slightly abraised but this may be post mortem. Subject has a moustache and a small amount of hair just beneath the lower lip around the midline. There are scattered abrasions on the left side of the chin numbering approximately four, the largest of which is 1/8 inch in diameter. There are small vertical incised type wounds between the upper lip and the lateral aspect of the nare approximately 1/2 inch in length. The origin of these is unknown. Old partially healed abrasions are present on the left thumb and over the middle knuckle of the left index finger posteriorly.

INTERNAL EXAMINATION OF BODY:

Chest and abdominal cavities: The chest and abdominal cavities are opened with the usual Y incision and sternal reflection. There is no trauma to the chest musculature. The chest plate is reflected and a bullet impact hole is found 16 inches below the top of the head just to the left of the midline. The buckshot, however, is found in the right ventricle of the heart. Bullet wound has penetrated just inferior to the a-v sulcus posteriorly and has exited from the heart just to the right of the interventricular septum inferior to the pulmonary conus before exiting from the pericardium and striking the sternum. Chest cavities are full of fluid. Pericardium is full of clotted blood.

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NAME OF DECEASED Mack Wilson

DATE OF DEATH: MONTH May DAY 12 1970 COUNTY WHERE DEATH OCCURED Richmond

Numerous trocar marks are present.

Head: The scalp is reflected anteriorly and posteriorly and shows no evidence of trauma.

Lined area for detailed report text.

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(LABORATORY)

DATE May 15 1970
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29 May 1970
Cary Howard
(LABORATORY)

DATE

May 15 70

SIGNED

Cary Howard MD
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OFFICERS ASSIGNED TO CASE H. R. McKenzie and L. S. Sleister.

OFFICERS EMPLOYED BY City of Augusta Police Department

NAME OF DECEASED Mack Wilson AGE 45 SEX M RACE C HEIGHT 6'2" WEIGHT 230

RESIDENCE OF DECEASED 1249 Florence Street

TIME OF DEATH: HOUR 6:27 a M. DATE 5/12/70 PLACE OF DEATH DOA- University Hbospital

MANNER OF DEATH: HOMICIDE JUSTIFIABLE _____ ACCIDENTAL _____ SUICIDE _____ NATURAL _____

TIME OF ? M. DATE 6/12/70 PLACE OF 12th & Anderson St. in parking lot

METHOD OF Deceased was shot by an unknown person during the riot

BODY REMOVED FROM Emergency room of hospital REMOVED BY Funeral Home

DATE RECEIVED AT FUNERAL HOME: May 12, 1970 HOUR ? M.

NAME OF FUNERAL HOME Williams and Dotson Funeral Home

AUTOPSY AUTHORIZED BY Dr. Larry Howard

PRESENT AT AUTOPSY Dr. Howard, Dr. Irvine Phinizy

BODY IDENTIFIED BY Coroner

PHOTOGRAPHS BY James P. Dawson

DATE AUTOPSIED: HOUR p.m. M. DATE 5/15/70 PERFORMED BY Dr. Larry Howard

ACCUSED unknown

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CAUSE OF DEATH Shotgun (00 buckshot, 1 pellet) wound of heart.

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED TO LABORATORY _____

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DATE August 12 1970
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Investigation revealed that this 45 year old man was brought to the Emergency Room of the University Hospital, arriving at 6:27 a.m. on May 12, 1970. He was dead on arrival. He had been found in a parking lot behind Anderson's Grill.

Examination of the body revealed that there was a wound of entrance 1 inch to the left of the midline in the back of the level of the spinous process and the 10th thoracic vertebra. There was no wound of exit.

Subsequently at autopsy a 00 buckshot was found in one of the chambers of the heart.

Cause of death: Shotgun (00 buckshot, 1 pellet) wound of heart.

NOTE: Missles not recovered from all six of the bodies. All that were recovered were 00 buckshot. The wounds of entrance were quite similar and it is the opinion of the Medical Examiner that all the entrance wounds were caused by 00 buckshot.

Complete autopsies were performed by Doctor Larry Howard, Director of the State Crime Laboratory. When the completed reports of these autopsies are received a copy will be attached to the reports.

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Larry Howard
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J. J. O'Connell
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