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CIVIL DISORDER

JULY, 1967

REPORTED TO THE HOMICIDE

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1. 4:30 AM LIEUTENANT RAYMOND GOOD, 47, 10th Prec., lacerations
7/23 from being stoned by unkn persons, 12th & Clairmount.
(Police)
2. 4:30 AM PATR. THOMAS F. PETERSON, 10th Prec., lacerations from
7/23 being stoned by unkn persons, 12th & Taylor. To Ford
(Police) Hospital, FAO.
3. 11:45 AM PATR. CHARLES E. CARLSON, 10th Prec., bruised from being
7/23 stoned by unkn persons, 12th & Taylor.
(Police)
4. 12:40 PM PATR. RONALD VEIL, 10th Prec., lacerations from being
7/23 stoned by unkn persons, 12th & Taylor. To Ford Hosp.FAO.
(Police)
5. 12:45 PM PATR. ROBERT DOUGHERTY, 28, 6th Prec., injured from being
7/23 stoned by unkn persons, Clairmount & 12th. To Ford Hosp.,
(Police) FAO.
6. 12:45 PM PATR. FRANK LASK, 28, 6th Prec., lacerations from being
7/23 stoned by unkn persons, Clairmount & 12th. To Ford Hosp.,
(Police) FAO.
7. 12:45 PM PATR. ROBERT LESSER, 25, 6th Prec., lacerations from
7/23 being stoned by unkn persons, Clairmount & 12th. To Ford
(Police) Hosp., FAO.
8. 12:45 PM PATR. VERNON SAMP, 28, 6th Prec., injured from being
7/23 stoned by unkn persons, Clairmount & 12th. To Ford
(Police) Hosp., FAO.
9. 1:00 PM SGT. GEORGE BOOTH, 43, 4th Prec., injured from being
7/23 stoned by unkn persons, 12th, - Clairmount & Blvd. To
(Police) Ford Hosp., FAO.
10. 1:00 PM PATR. RAYMOND CLIFFORD, 22, 11th Prec., cut by glass
7/23 while chasing looters, 12th & Virginia Pk. To Ford
(Police) Hosp., FAO.
11. 1:00 PM SGT. JOHN SMITH, 49, 10th Prec., lacerations from being
7/23 stoned by unkn persons, 12th & Taylor. To Ford Hosp.,
(Police) FAO.
12. 1:30 PM LAWRENCE MacINTIRE, 24/N, head lacerations, but self
7/23 while resisting arrest, Charlevoix & Mt. Elliott. To
(Looter) DGH (CB).
13. 1:30 PM PATR. ARNOLD MCKENNEY, 14th Prec., bruised from being
7/23 stoned by unkn persons, 12th & Clairmount. To Ford
(Police) Hosp., FAO.
14. 3:00 PM SGT. JOHN DICKERSON, 42, 1st Prec., injured back from
7/23 being stoned by unkn persons, 12th & Clairmount. To Ford
(Police) Hosp., condition - good.

15. 3:57 PM YANUIST BENSON, 44/N, cut self by breaking glass, 12th
7/23 & Atkinson. To DGH (CB).
(Looter)
16. 4:00 PM BENJAMIN GILLORY, 27/N, lacerations to head by breaking
7/23 glass, 12th & Philadelphia. To DGH (CB).
(Looter)
17. 4:05 PM PATR. RICHARD KATINA, 16th Prect., lacerations from bein
7/23 stoned by unkn persons, 12th & Philadelphia.
(Police)
18. 4:30 PM PATR. JOSEPH BRACE, 43, MTB, abrasions & contusions left
7/23 knee & rt thigh, stoned by unkn persons, 12th & Lee Pl.
(Police) To Ford Hosp., FAO.
19. 4:30 PM WARREN A. REEVES, 33/N, shot by unkn while in act of
7/23 B & E of BP, 12th, north of Euclid in alley. To DGH (CB).
(B&E)
20. 4:30 PM PATR. PAUL A. RUDAS, 4th Prect., broken finger from being
7/23 stoned by unkn persons, Linwood & Taylor. To Dr. Sharpe
(Police) Clinic, 24621 W. McNichols.
21. 4:40 PM PATR. ARNOLD MCKENNEY, 14th Prect., cut by glass while
7/23 pursuing looters, 12th & Lee Pl. To Ford Hospital; -
(Police) disabled.
22. 5:15 PM PATR. THEODORE ULMAN, 14th Prect., injured back, - stoned
7/23 by looters, Pallister & Poe. No treatment, remained on
(Police) duty.
23. 5:40 PM PATR. CHARLES MELVIN, 30, 13th Prect., laceration of
7/23 wrist & left leg, falling on glass at B & E in progress
(Police) of drug store, Canfield & John R. To Ford Hosp., FAO.
24. 6:34 PM CLARENCE BRANHAM, 37/N, of 1938 W. Philadelphia. To DGH,
7/23 (CB). Stated he was grabbed for no reason by police in
(Citizen) front of 1938 W. Philadelphia.
25. 7:00 PM PATR. CLIFFORD STYRK, 25, 13th Prect., injured left eye -
7/23 stoned by unkn persons, Holbrook & Russell. To Ford
(Police) Hospital, FAO.
26. 7:15 PM CHESTER BUCKMANN, 51/N, cut self while B & E'g Louis'
7/23 Men's Store, 12th nr Gladstone. To DGH (CB); condition -
(B & E) temporary serious.
27. 7:20 PM PATR. WALTER WEGHI, 24, 5th Prect., laceration of left
7/23 knee while pursuing looters, 12th & Blaine. To Ford
(Police) Hospital, FAO.
28. 7:30 PM JOEL JODBON, 19/N, lacerations to both arms while B&E'g.
7/23 To DGH (CB), condition temp. serious. Details unknown.

29. 7:30 PM JAMES SWAIN, 24/N - lacerations on neck & both arms; to
7/23 DGH (CB), condition T.S. Held for B & E. Details unkn.
(B&E)
30. 7:44 PM JOE L. GODBOLDO, 19/N, - bruised. To DGH (CB). Held for
7/23 B & E. Stated police officer came through crowd at Gd
(B&E) River & Beverly and hit him with nightstick.
31. 8:00 PM SGT. LAWRENCE WHELTON, 49, 10th Prec., injured left eye
7/23 caused by flying hot ashes from burning building, Woodrow
(Police) Wilson & Philadelphia. To Ford Hosp., FAO.
32. 8:20 PM PATR. EDMUND STROLLON, 32, TMU, - lacerated right hand
7/23 while apprehending looters, - liquor store, Joy Rd & Gd
(Police) River. To Ford Hosp. Condition good.
33. 8:30 PM PATR. FRANK HINTZKE, 37, 16th Prec., bruised rt ankle
7/23 while being stoned by unkn persons. To Ford Hosp., FAO.
(Police)
34. 8:30 PM PATR. RONALD SKROCKI, 13th Prec., lacerated right arm
7/23 while attempting to apprehend looters at Firestone store
(Police) at Melrose & E. Gd Blvd. To Ford Hosp., FAO.
35. 8:30 PM SGT. VICTOR WELLS, 46, 13th Prec., lacerated rt leg from
7/23 a thrown broken bottle while pushing crowd back at 12th
(Police) & Pingree. To Ford Hosp., FAO.
36. 9:15 PM WALLACE GIPSON, 16/N of 13561 Lumpkin. Grazing gunshot
7/23 wound of rt calf while looting an SDD at 2458 E. Davison.
(Looter) To DGH (CB). Held for B & E.
37. 9:40 PM TRPR ROBERT ZEILINGER, MSP, 22/W, - lacerated left hand
7/23 while pursuing looters at Food Farm Super Mkt., 11550
(S.Police) Dexter. To Ford Hosp., FAO.
38. 10:00 PM PATR. ROBERT KRICHKE, 26, TMU, - lacerated left hand while
7/23 pursuing looters at Belleterre & Gd River. To Ford Hosp.,
(Police) FAO.
39. 10:00 PM PATR. FRANCIS WYPYCH, 34, TMU, - lacerated rt wrist while
7/23 pursuing looters. To Ford Hosp., FAO.
(Police)
40. 10:30 PM PATR. JACK DUGAN, 38, 13th Prec., - lacerated left hand
7/23 & buttocks. Injured while placing looters in National
(Police) Guard truck, Woodward & Baltimore. To Ford Hosp., FAO.
41. 11:00 PM P.F.C. WILLIAM MADDEN, MNG, - lacerated rt hand; slipped
7/23 on broken glass. To Ford Hosp., where he fainted.
MNG
42. 11:10 PM LARTHER DAVIS, 24/N, - lacerations to forehead & face.
7/23 Fell on broken glass inside store at 7642 Woodward. To
(Looter) DGH (CB).

43. 11:10 PM JOE L. SPENCER, 18/N, of 545 Smith. Lacerations of head
7/23 & face while trying to flee arrest for looting at 7642
(Looter) Woodward, Basso's Appliances. To DGH (CB).
44. 11:45 PM PATR. WILLIAM SCHMEDDING, 34, 2nd Prec., - lacerated rt
7/23 hand while pursuing looters at Trumbull & Forest. To
(Police) Ford Hosp., FAO.
45. 12:01 AM PAUL DIMITRIE, 17/W, of 17560 Dequindre, - laceration of
7/24 the left cheek & rt bicep (gunshot wound by sniper). To
(Citizen) Highland Pk Gen. Hosp. Happened at Woodward & Clairmount
46. 12:01 AM ROSS GEORGE, 23/W of 17374 Riopelle, - grazing gunshot
7/24 wound to left side of head & center of back at base of
(Citizen) neck by sniper, Wdwd & Clairmount. To Highland Pk Gen Hos
- 47.* 12:25 AM WALTER GRZANKA, 45/W of 641 Charlotte, fatally shot by
7/24 store-owner while exiting the Temple Mkt., 2844 Fourth St
(Looter) Shot by HAMID AUDISH YACOB, 30/W/M. Homicide File #7150
Assigned to Wagner & LaHousse. Report on Case Investi-
gated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Count
Prosecutor William L. Cahalan on August 2, 1967.
48. 12:30 AM SGT. WILLIAM GERLACH, - cut by falling glass from looted
7/24 building, Woodward & Henry. To Ford Hosp., FAO.
(Police)
49. 12:47 AM PVT. MAVRI ROSE, MNG, 26/W, (home address - 5801 Screcker
7/24 Apt. E-4, Warren, Mich.) - gunshot wound to rt ankle from
(MNG) sniper fire on Mack nr 7th Prec. Station. To DGH (CB),
condition Temp. Serious.
50. 1:00 AM CECIL BANNER, 15/N of 2217 Clements, - thru & thru gunsho
7/24 wound to the right chest while looting Clark Gas Station,
(Looter) 3008 E. Davison. Accidentally shot while scuffling with
Patr. Thaddeus Stopczynski, 11th Prec., and injuring the
officer on left chest with a 3 1/4" knife. To DGH (CB),
condition - critical.
51. 1:00 AM WALTER BROWN, 47/N of 3126 Illinois - gunshot wound right
7/24 groin, temp. serious. To DGH (CB). Self-inflicted when
(Citizen) he attempted to pull his .22 cal. revolver from his pocke
after he observed two burglars at City Wide Cleaners at
3801 McDougall.
52. 1:00 AM PATR. THADDEUS STOPGZYNSKI, 11th Prec., laceration to
7/24 left chest while scuffling with Cecil Banner, 15/N, a loc
(Police) er at 3008 E. Davison. Ford Hosp., FAO.
53. 1:30 AM JOSEPH LEWIS, 25/N, of 5035 25th. Gunshot wound of right
7/24 wrist & rt abdomen. To DGH (CB), cond. critical. Shot
(Looter) by employee of City Wide Cleaners while looting their
store at 5599 Cadillac.

- 54.* 1:35 AM SHARON GEORGE, 23/W/F, of 17374 Riopelle, (a passenger in
7/24 a car), fatally shot by sniper at Woodward & Melbourne.
(Citizen) Case open and still under investigation. Homicide File
#7151. Assigned to Bostick & McManus.
55. 1:35 AM WILLIE HERRON, 29/N, of 3050 W. Euclid, #20. Lacerated
7/24 left hand while looting Federal Dept. Store, Oakman & Gd
(Looter) River. To DGH (CB), FA, & held on RA charge. (Had pistol
in his possession).
56. 1:45 AM RONALD COLEMAN, 23/N - shot in back & left buttock. Would
7/24 only state he was shot by a man at "Atlas". Refused more
(Looter) information. To DGH (CB); condition - serious.
57. 2:30 AM SGT. DAVID SCHURR, 45, 13th Prec., struck on head by a
7/24 cue ball thrown by an unkn assailant in basement of the
(Police) 13th Prec. Station. To Ford Hosp., FAO.
58. 2:30 AM FIREFIGHTER LARRY SHUMAKER, 29/W, of Engine #56. Overcome
7/24 by smoke on 12th St. To Ford Hosp., FAO
(Frfrtr)
59. 2:45 AM RAYMOND SCHARR, 16/W, - laceration back of head in Drug
7/24 Store at 18449 Joy Rd., after B & E. To DGH (CB).
(B&E)
60. 3:00 AM JOHNNY CARR, 24/N, - thru & thru gunshot wound of left
7/24 thigh. B&E of clothing store, Congress & Woodward;
(B&E) attempted to escape police. To DGH (CB).
- 61.* 4:00 AM CLIFTON PRYOR, 23/W of 667 W. Alexandrine, a sniper, shot
7/24 by National Guardsman PFC. GARRY HUTTON, at apt. building
(Sniper) at 667 W. Alexandrine. Homicide File #7152. Assigned to
Carter & Thayer. Report on Case Investigated for Warrant
Recommendation submitted to Wayne County Prosecutor
William L. Cahalan on July 27, 1967.
62. 4:30 AM PATR. HAROLD JOHNSON, Vice Bur., twisted right leg in
7/24 looted store, 15501 Gd. River. To Ford Hospital for
(Police) X-Rays.
63. 4:35 AM HENRY COOK, 16/N, of 3740 Tillman. Shot in rt arm and rt
7/24 side, no exit, temp. serious. To DGH (CB). Shot while
(Looter) trying to escape while looting Mkt. at 3626 Myrtle.
64. 5:30 AM KONSTANTINE KRUPSKY, 60/W. Cut on neck & shoulder in
7/24 holdup by 3 unkn N/M, Edward & Gilbert. To Zeiger Hosp.
(Citizen)
- 65.* 7:00 AM FIREFIGHTER JOHN ASHBY, 26, burned by a falling high-
7/24 tension wire at an arson fire, Canton & Lafayette. To
(Frfrtr) DGH (CB) where he remained until he expired 8/4/67.
Homicide File #7191; assigned to Schlachter. The cause of
death is listed as: MULTIPLE ELECTRICITY BURN AREAS OF
BODY with secondary necrosis & infection. Classification
of death: ACCIDENTAL.

66. 8:15 AM JOHNSON HOWARD, 42/N/M, 8363 Military. Owns a small re-
7/24 pair shop at 3371 14th in which he had stayed overnight.
(Citizen) While putting his rifle away, he dropped it. The rifle
discharged causing a thru and thru gunshot wound of the
left hand and left upper arm. Conveyed himself to DGH (CB)
67. 9:30 AM PATR. ROBERT NELSON, 6th Prec., torn ligaments & tendons
7/24 under right knee cap when he slipped on broken glass while
(Police) pursuing looters. To Northwest General Hosp. (Disabled).
Injury incurred at 5550 W. Warren.
- 68.* 10:05 AM HERMAN T. ECTOR, 30/N, of 4009 Clairmount, a looter, shot
7/24 by Private Guard WAVERLY SOLOMON, 32/N/M, at Lindy's
(Looter) Super-Mkt, 3745 Joy Rd. Homicide File #7153. Assigned to
Domm & Loch. Report on Case Investigated for Warrant
Recommendation submitted to Wayne County Prosecutor Wm.
L. Cahalan on August 3, 1967.
69. 10:50 AM NATHANIEL FULLER, 21/N. Laceration to head while looting
7/24 at McClellan & Mack. To DGH (CB), FAO.
(Looter)
70. 11:25 AM PATR. LEON EIZAK, 40, 7th Prec. Gunshot wound, entrance
7/24 left elbow, no exit, caused by sniper fire - Mt. Elliott
(Police) & Gratiot. To DGH (CB), cond. temp. serious.
71. 11:30 AM PATR. WILLIAM BOLGAR, 13th Prec., bruised & ruptured
7/24 blood vessel of rt forearm, while effecting an arrest at
(Police) 629 Blaine. To Ford Hosp., FAO.
72. 11:30 AM JOHN DOE #377. Found on the Receiving Dock of DGH (CB).
7/24 Gunshot wound to the lower left back, no exit. Condition-
(Citizen) critical. Unkn assailant.
73. 11:30 AM ROBERT HARRIS, 28/N, of 2942 Jos. Campau. Laceration of
7/24 head while looting at 2608 Gratiot. To DGH (CB).
(Looter)
74. 11:35 AM JAMES WARE, 46/N, - gunshot wound (glancing) to the head
7/24 while looting at 8855 Linwood. To DGH (CB)
(Looter)
75. 1:15 PM MARY DOE #101, 55/N. Injured abdomen while looting. To
7/24 DGH (CB) from 7th Prec. Only information available.
(Looter) Unkn how injury was incurred.
- 76.* 1:15 PM DANIEL JENNINGS, 36/N, of 403 Mt. Vernon. Shot by store-
7/24 owner STANLEY MESCZENSKI, 47/W/M, - Stanley's Patent Medi-
(B&E) cine, 6000 John R. MESCZENSKI was inside his locked store
guarding the premises when he saw the deceased break the
front door & enter although Mr. MESCZENSKI had warned him
not to enter. Homicide File #7154. Assigned to Reed &
Bowron. Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommen-
dation submitted to Wayne County Prosecutor William L.
Cahalan on July 28, 1967.

77. 1:15 PM EDDIE SMITH, 32/N of 3151 Second, - thru & thru gunshot
7/24 wound of the left side while looting United Shirt Shop.
(Looter) To DGH (CB).
78. 1:15 PM ROBERT WASHINGTON, 23/N, of 1011 E. Willis, - thru & thru
7/24 gunshot wound of left elbow while looting United Shirt
(Looter) Shop. To DGH (CB).
- 79.* 1:25 PM ROBERT BEAL, 49/N/M of 8857 Treadwell, a looter, shot by
7/24 Detroit Police Patr. ERNEST GILBERT, #2 Task Force, at
(Looter) the Oakland Auto Parts, 9325 Oakland. Homicide File #71.
Assigned to - Bowron. Report on Case Investigated for
Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne County Prosecu-
tor William L. Cahalan on July 28, 1967.
80. 1:30 PM WILLIAM PRICE, 45/N, of 2261 Ferry Pk. Thru & thru gun-
7/24 shot wound of lower left leg while standing on his front
(Citizen) porch during sniper fire. To Ford Hospital.
- 81.* 1:45 PM JOSEPH CHANDLER, 34/N/M, of 81 W. Philadelphia. Shot by
7/24 unkn person. Found rear of 119 W. Philadelphia. Homicide
(Citizen) File #7155. Assigned to - Carter. Case open & still
under investigation.
82. 2:00 PM RAYMOND COLLINS, 24/N. Thru & thru gunshot wound of rt
7/24 shoulder while breaking into Runciman Co., 2900 Mt. Ellic
(B&E) Shot by Police. To DGH (CB).
83. 2:15 PM JAMES CRISWELL, 26/N of 4432 Roosevelt. Laceration of le
7/24 while looting at 4731 Gd River. To DGH (CB). Self-
(Looter) inflicted.
84. 2:15 PM JAMES HOWARD, 19/N of 2936 15th. Laceration of hand whil
7/24 looting at 4731 Gd. River. To DGH (CB). Injury was
(Looter) self-inflicted.
- 85.* 2:45 PM HERMAN CANTY, SR., 46/N/M, of 1166 Clairmount. Patr.
7/24 GILBERT STOCKER, DPD, observed Herman Canty and another
(Arsonist) unkn N/M carrying merchandise from the rear door of the
Bi-Lo Super Mkt., 2450 W. Gd Blvd., to a truck and saw
Canty throw a lighted fire bomb into the Bi-Lo Super Mkt.
Canty then attempted to leave the scene in the truck, ig-
noring the officer's order to halt, whereupon the officer
fired, inflicting the fatal wound. Homicide File #7157.
Assigned to - Strauch. Report on Case Investigated for
Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor
William L. Cahalan on July 27, 1967.
86. 3:15 PM LEWIS CULBRECH, 23/N. Gunshot wound, left arm while
7/24 looting store at 3430 Joy Rd. Shot by police. To
(Looter) DGH (CB)
87. 3:15 PM ROGER JENKINS, 37/N. Gunshot wound to the lower back
7/24 while looting Westinghouse warehouse, 2211 Ed. Ford Sv. Dr.
(Looter) Shot by State Police. To DGH (CB). Cond. - serious.

88. 3:15 PM MICHAEL WILLIAMS, 16/N of 72 Kendall. Gunshot wound to
7/24 abdomen while looting Westinghouse warehouse, 2211 Edsel
(Looter) Ford Service Dr., shot by State Police. To DGH (CB).
89. 3:45 PM JIMMIE LEE MILLER, 22/N. Struck with butt of gun (by unkn)
7/24 while looting. To DGH (CB) from 14th Prec. Only infor-
(Looter) mation available.
- 90.* 4:00 PM ALFRED PEACHLUM, 35/N/M, of 8710 Dumbarton, #1711. Fatally
7/24 shot by DPD Patr. Charles Carlson & James Lozon, in the
(Looter) act of looting an A & P Super Mkt. at 3430 Joy Rd. Homicide File #7160. Assigned to - Bostick. Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Pros. William L. Cahalan on August 1, 1967.
91. 4:00 PM SIMON SMITH, 23/N. Laceration to the head (self-inflicted)
7/24 while looting at 5517 Chene. To DGH (CB).
(Looter)
92. 4:30 PM HENRY KEITH, 20/N. Gunshot wound, right shoulder, at
7/24 Chene & Chestnut. Stated he was shot by National Guards-
(Citizen) man while driving his car at Chene & Maple. To DGH (CB).
93. 4:30 PM PATR. JOHN P. KOHLS, YB, laceration of left forearm by
7/24 glass thrown at him while protecting firemen, - Gd River
(Police) north of 14th. To Ford Hosp., FAO. (Unkn persons).
94. 4:35 PM WILFRED HALL, 57/W, 393 W. Roberts, Hazel Park, Michigan.
7/24 Slashed face and lacerated left arm by broken bottle by
(Citizen) 2 N/M in HU while standing in a bus-stop at John R and State Fair. No hospitalization. (Unkn assailants.)
95. 4:50 PM C. WILLIAMSON, 32/N, 5190 N. Campbell. Gunshot wound by
7/24 unkn, over left eye. To Ford Hosp., cond.- critical. Was
(Citizen) stopped for a traffic light when an unkn number of thugs shot him and took his car.
- 96.* 5:00 PM ALPHONSO SMITH, 35/N, of 3455 W. Chicago. Fatally shot by
7/24 DPD, Patr. Thomas Peterson, Prec. Unit #1, while Smith
(Looter) was in the act of looting the Standard Food Mkt., 9750 Dexter. Homicide File #7161. Assigned to - Carter. Report of Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation will be submitted to Wayne County Prosecutor William L. Cahalan when investigation has been completed.
- 97.* 5:20 PM CHARLES KEMP, 35/N, of 3194 Charlevoix. Fatally shot by
7/24 Patr. James O'Neil & James Dennerly & Sgt. Richard Dykema
(Looter) while he was in the act of looting Borgi's Mkt. at 1800 Mack. Homicide File #7162. Assigned to - Fullerton and Maniaci. Report of Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation was submitted to Wayne County Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on July 28, 1967.
98. 5:45 PM PATR. RONALD LYNCH, 10th Prec., - sprained left hand
7/24 while in pursuit of looters from 4565 Boston. To Ford
(Police) Hospital, FAO.

99. 6:00 PM GEORGE MURPHY, JR., 36/N. Laceration to head after being
7/24 hit with a rifle butt while in the act of a B&E and Safe
(B&E) Job at 6921 Lafayette. Arrested by DPD. To DGH (CB).
100. 6:15 PM WELLINGTON GREEN, 25/N of 3899 Vinewood. Shotgun pellet
7/24 wounds to rt hip and groin. To DGH (CB), cond. - serious.
(B&E) Was in act of B&E at 4580 W. Warren. Shot by police.
101. 6:45 PM JAMES E. BETTIS, 24/N, - gunshot wounds to the left chest
7/24 & right leg & shoulder while running from a looted store
(Looter) and getting into the line of fire from officers firing
at a fleeing car. To DGH (CB).
102. 6:50 PM SANDRA PINES, 8/N/F, 1728 Hibbard. Gunshot wound of head
7/24 & left thigh, cond. - critical. Was near scene of loot-
(Citizen) ing & gunfire exchanged by looters & Police. Conveyed
to Children's Hospital.
103. 6:50 PM ALBERT TAYLOR, 21/N. Lacerations to head when struck by
7/24 rifle butt while looting at 5500 Helen. To DGH (CB).
(Looter)
104. 7:00 PM RICHARD BUTLER, 14/W. Gunshot wound of rt hand, rt ear &
7/24 rt thigh. May have been looting at Kercheval & Holcomb
(Looter) and possibly shot by officers. To St. Johns Hospital.
105. 7:00 PM ERNEST FORBES, 40/N. Shotgun wounds of rt leg & arm.
7/24 Shot while assisting police watching warehouse at alley
(Citizen) east of Oakland near Owen.
106. 7:15 PM HENRY FORD, 30/N. Gunshot wound rt leg while looting at
7/24 Mack & Montclair. To DGH (CB). Shot while trying to
(Looter) escape, by National Guardsman.
107. 7:30 PM PATR. THOMAS HUTTON, 14th Prec., injured knuckles of rt
7/24 hand when he struck fist against car during scuffle while
(Police) effecting arrest of 3 W/M for B&E of dwelling at 16041
Van Buren. Remained on duty but treated on 7/25/67 at
Northwest General Hospital.
108. 8:00 PM CLARENCE ROHDEMAN, 26/N of 830 W. Euclid. Shot while try-
7/24 ing to escape the police after looting A & P store, John R
(Looter) & Holbrook. To Ford Hosp., cond.- critical.
109. 8:15 PM WILLIAM RINGO, 28/N. Injured foot while in act of B&E at
7/24 2174 Scott. To DGH (CB).
(B&E)
110. 8:15 PM CHRIS STONEFISH, 35/Indian. Gunshot wound, left abdomen.
7/24 Shot by police while looting at 3905 Woodward. To DGH(CB)
(Looter)
111. 8:15 PM DOUGLAS WALKER, 35/N. Struck on rt arm by police at the
7/24 13th Prec. Station. To DGH (CB).
(Prisoner)

112. 8:15 PM FREEMAN WRIGHT, 35/W. Struck on head by falling objects
7/24 while looting at 3905 Woodward. To DGH (CB).
(Looter)
113. 8:30 PM PATR. CHARLES CHALUT, MB, bruised rt hand by thrown brick
7/24 at Crane & Kercheval. To Ford Hosp., FAO.
(Police)
114. 9:10 PM FIREFIGHTER JAMES WARD, 30. Lacerated left wrist fighting
7/24 an arson fire at Mack & St. Jean. To DGH (CB), FAO.
(Frfrtr)
- 115.* 9:20 PM RICHARD SIMS, 35/N/M of 2475 Buena Vista. Fatally shot by
7/24 Sgt. HENRY MACKINKOWICZ, Patr. FRANK FULMER, WILLIAM
(B&E) FLANNERY & RICHARD MORTENSON, while in the act of Breaking
and Entering the side door of Hobby Bar, 13106 Linwood.
Homicide File #7163. Assigned to - Fullerton & Maniaci.
Report of Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation
was submitted to Wayne County Prosecutor William L. Cahala
on July 28, 1967.
116. 9:30 PM PATR. EDWARD SAWLE, 10th Prec., - loss of hearing, rt ear
7/24 from police officer's weapon-discharge at sniper, Dexter
(Police) & Collingwood. To Ford Hosp., FA.
117. 9:35 PM ROY L. GRAM, 32/N. Lacerated rt arm while looting Star
7/24 Hdwr., 8880 Gd. River. (Self-inflicted). To DGH (CB).
(Looter)
118. 9:40 PM CALAB MOORE, 32/N, of 13472 Lumpkin. Lacerated left arm.
7/24 Arrested at Davison & St. Aubin for Possession of Inflam-
(Poss.Explos) mable Material. Defendant claimed he cut himself at home.
To DGH (CB).
119. 10:00 PM CHARLES BENNETT, PATR., 16th Prec. Injured left leg.
7/24 While attempting to make an arrest, the officer slammed
(Police) car door on himself, - Dexter & Atkinson. To Ford Hosp.,
120. 10:00 PM WESLEY KNIGHT, 25/N. Thru & thru gunshot wound of right
7/24 foot. Conveyed self to Zeiger Hosp. Felt pain in foot
(Citizen) while walking on Scotten at Jackson during sniper firing.
121. ? ? PATR. GEORGE SMEDLEY, 29, 4th Prec., bruised left shoulder
7/24 when struck by a thrown brick - Bassett south of Visger.
(Police) To Ford Hospital.
122. 10:30 PM NETTIE BARRON, 41/N. Grazing gunshot wound to left but-
7/24 tock, at her home - 5760 Van Dyke, during sniper firing.
(Citizen) To Lakeside General Hospital.
123. 10:30 PM HENRY BRAZIL, 18/N of 5504 Casper. Laceration to head as
7/24 he jumped through plate-glass window after B & E, at the
(B&E) Cadillac Motors. (Escaped.)

124. 10:30 PM ZTTIE WYNN, 23/N/M of 5368 Hurlbut. Lacerations of head
7/24 and face (self-inflicted), while in the act of a B & E
(B&E) at Cadillac Motors.
125. 10:40 PM PATR. PAUL BEGIN, 25, 5th Prect. Bullet wound to mid-back,
7/24 not penetrating, by sniper fire. Bullet fragments removed
(Police) at Jennings Hospital. FAO.
126. 10:40 PM PFC. RONALD CALAHAN, Grazing bullet wound to left knee by
7/24 sniper fire on Charlevoix Ave. To Jennings Hosp., FAO.
(Gdsmn)
127. 11:00 PM PATR. RUSSELL DAY, 10th Prect. Fracture of knuckle on rt
7/24 hand from NG rifle butt (accidental), while placing pris-
(Police) oners in #10 Cellblock. To Ford Hospital.
128. 11:00 PM ALFRED RAGSDALE, 20/N. Shotgun pellets to rt shoulder,
7/24 arm & neck by unkn perpetrator, at Gratiot & Forest. To
(Citizen) Lakeside general hospital.
129. 11:15 PM PATR. PATRICK O'GRADY, 13th Prect., multiple lacerations
7/24 of left hand & arm caused by breaking door-glass at 11309
(Police) Woodward when a looter clammed a door in the officers'
faces. To Ford Hospital.
130. 11:20 PM CHARLES SUMMERS, 18/N, 3403 Leland. Bullet wound, right
7/24 shoulder while walking home at Leland & McDougall. Caused
(Citizen) by sniper fire. To DGH (CB).
131. 11:25 PM GANZEL GARDNER, 30/N, 3857 St. Jean. Bullet wound to left
7/24 cheek at Mack & St. Jean. Hit by stray bullet during ex-
(Citizen) change of gunfire between snipers & Guardsmen.
132. 11:30 PM LARRY COOK, National Guardsman. Gunshot wound of groin
7/24 by sniper fire, Mack & Gratiot. To DGH (CB). Condition-
(Grdsman) serious.
133. 11:30 PM PATR. LAWRENCE GERMAINE, - injured eardrums from shotgun
7/24 fire in gun battle with sniper - Mack & St. Jean. To
(Police) Ford Hospital, FAO.
134. 11:45 PM PATR. HARREY GALEN, 7th Prect. Gunshot wound rear left
7/24 thigh. Officer was assisting Guardsman from street and
(Police) out of the line of fire of snipers. To DGH CB.
135. 11:45 PM PATR. ROBERT MACKAY, MTB, - metal fragments in rt eye sus-
7/24 tained while firing his weapon at sniper, Fairview and
(Police) Goethe. To Ford Hospital, FAO.
136. 11:55 PM GAYLORD WOOD, 29/W of 7005 Whitney. Laceration to rear of
7/24 head. Held for C.C.W., details unkno. To DGH (CB). FA.
(Prisnr)
137. ? ? ANTHONY BELL, 18/N. Laceration of head while looting bar,
7/24 self-inflicted. Details unkno. To DGH (CB).
(Looter)

138. ? ? JIMMY COULBURN, 59/N of 1728 Helen. Gunshot wound rt side
7/24 of forehead from sniper, while walking at Mack and Mt.
(Citizen) Elliott. To DGH (CB).
139. ? ? MARY DOE #102, N/F. Bruise on head. Details unkn. To
7/24 DGH (CB).
(Citizen)
140. ? ? ALTHEA JORDON, N/F. Fainted in 5th Prect. station. Had
7/24 been arrested for B&E. To DGH (CB).
(B&E)
141. ? ? EARL PAYTON, 25/N. Laceration of head (self inflicted)
7/24 while looting bar. To DGH (CB), FA.
(Looter)
142. ? ? JERRY TIMSON, 15/N. Shot by unkn perpetrator. Details
7/24 unkn.
(Citizen)
143. 12:01 AM GRANT CLIFFORD JACKSON, 17/N, of 1708 Glendale. Gunshot
7/25 wound of right leg, left arm, right side. Shot by police
(Looter) when he refused to halt after looting Famous Cleaners at
12715 Woodrow Wilson.
144. 12:14 AM GONZALEZ GARDNER, 32/N, of 3857 St. Jean. Gunshot wound;
7/25 to DGH (CB). No other information available.
(Citizen)
145. 12:30 AM SAM PETTUS, JR., 18/N. Bloody nose while sniping at offi-
7/25 cers from 3362 Illinois. To DGH (CB).
(Sniper)
146. 12:30 AM SAM PETTUS, SR., 44/N. Grazing gunshot wound side of head
7/25 while sniping at officers from 3362 Illinois. To DGH (CB).
(Sniper)
147. 12:30 AM FLOYD SMITH, 21/N, - shot. Details unkn.
7/25
(Citizen)
148. 12:45 AM CHARLES DAWSEN, N/? of 105 Garland. Gunshot wounds to
7/25 both legs. To DGH (CB). Attempted to escape arrest and
(Prsnr) run over Guardsmen at Goethe & Lycaste.
149. 12:50 AM ERNEST LEO DEMONBRUEN, 28/N of 391 Florence. Gunshot to
7/25 left shoulder, rear. To Ford Hosp. Shot running from the
(Poss.Explos) rear of 3023 Davison in possession of explosives (bomb).
Shot by Police.
- 150.* 12:50 AM JOHN DOE #393, later identified as FIREFIGHTER CARL SMITH,
7/25 30/W/M of 15322 Santa Rosa. Fatally shot at Mack & St.
(Frfrtr) Jean by unkn sniper. Homicide File #7164. Assigned to -
McCarthy & Strauch. Case open & still under investigation.

151. 1:00 AM WILLIAM SIGGINS, 31/N. Small laceration, right thumb.
7/25 (Self-inflicted.) Had been looting at Gd River & 5th.
(Looter) To DGH (CB), FA.
- 152.* 1:04 AM JOHN DOE #394, later identified as EMANUAL COSBY, 26/N,
7/25 of 4610 Stockton. Gunshot wound to the head. Fatally
(Looter) shot by Patr. JEROME PALKA while looting the N & T
Grocery at 4441 E. Nevada. Homicide File #7165. Asgd to
LaHousse. Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recom-
mendation submitted to Wayne County Prosecutor William L.
Cahalan on August 1, 1967.
153. 1:10 AM DANE PALMER, 20/W. Gumshot wound to rt arm. To DGH (CB).
7/25 In violation of curfew. Walking east at Gd Blvd & Chene.
(Viol.Curfew) Would not state where or why he was shot.
154. 1:15 AM DONALD JOHNSON, 29/N. Gunshot wound upper rt arm by unkn
7/25 sniper. To New Grace Hosp. Shot in front of 19218
(Citizen) Livernois. JOHNSON is a private guard.
155. 1:26 AM RONALD POWELL, ??/N. Shot gun pellets upper portion of
7/25 body & face, also rt hip. To DGH (CB). Refused to halt
(Prsnr) at Lycaste & Goethe on orders by Guardsmen.
- 156.* 1:30 AM JOHN DOE #397, later identified as JULIUS L. DORSEY, 55/N
7/25 of 1026 Field. Thru & thru gunshot wound to the chest,
(Citizen) fatal, by unkn Detroit Police or Military personnel.
DORSEY had been hired as a guard at the M & M Market,
1004 Field. While so employed, several negro males ap-
proached the mkt, stated they were going to break into
the market and then loot it. DORSEY told them he was
going to summon help after firing at the men from his
own weapon. As the Detroit Police & Military Personnel
responded to the scene, the looters escaped along a route
which placed DORSEY in line of fire and he was then fat-
ally shot, and found in front of 1004 Field. Homicide
File #7166. Assigned to Walker & Caviston. The Investi-
gation conducted to date in this matter indicated that
this Homicide will probably be resolved as an ACCIDENTAL
DEATH.
157. 1:30 AM ROSS KLEMET, (FIREFIGHTER), 31/W, DFD Ladder #3. Fell
7/25 from bldg., Dubois & Frederick. Injured hip & rt hand.
(Frfrtr) To DGH (CB).
158. 1:40 AM JOSEPH DONAHUE, 65/W/ of 1098 Military, (Flannery Resi-
7/25 dential Police). Gunshot wound to left shoulder. To Ford
(Citizen) Hosp., condition serious. Was driving south on 14th at
W. Gd Blvd, approx. 40-50 MPH. Ignoring an order to stop,
he was shot by Guardsmen.

159. 1:50 AM ROBERT ROBERTS, 19/N of 2636 Crane. Shot in rt buttocks.
7/25 Brought from 5th Prec. No other information.
(Citizen)
160. 1:50 AM MOSES SLUTTLEFIELD, 24/N. Lacerated left hand. Brought
7/25 from 5th Prec. No other information.
(Citizen)
161. 2:00 AM PALMER WINFREY, 40/N. Gunshot wound left side. Loot-
7/25 ing at 700 Connor. Shot by Guardsman. To DGH (CB).
(Looter)
- 162.* 2:10 AM JOHN DOE #400, later identified as HENRY DENSON, 27/N,
7/25 of 5952 St. Antoine. Fatal gunshot wound to the head.
(Citizen) Shot by National Guardsmen SP-4 Peter Alan Putala and
SP-3 John C. Alml while ignoring command to stop the
automobile he was driving at a road-block located at
Mack and E. Gd Blvd., and then driving the auto at the
Guardsmen. Homicide File #7157. Assigned to Everett.
Report of Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation
was submitted to Wayne County Prosecutor William L.
Cahalan on August 4, 1967.
163. 2:30 AM HEZIKIAH JOHNSON, 20/N. Gunshot wound left chest. Con-
7/25 veyed from 1615 Putnam to DGH (CB). No other information
(Citizen) available.
164. 2:45 AM PATR. FRANCIS BALL, 32, 10th Prec. Gunshot wound in
7/25 left hand. To Ford Hosp., condition serious. Shot by
(Police) sniper at Virginia Park & Linwood.
165. 2:45 AM PATR. JOHN HAMILTON, 25, 10th Prec. Gunshot wounds to
7/25 the rt shoulder, left side & left hand. To Ford Hosp.,
(Police) cond. critical. Shot by sniper, Virginia Pk & Linwood.
166. 2:45 AM PATR. DONALD REECE, 39, 10th Prec. Gunshot wounds in
7/25 upper left leg & buttocks. To Ford Hosp., cond. serious.
(Police) Shot by sniper at Virginia Pk & Linwood.
167. 3:00 AM PATR. WILLIAM DIEBOLD, 15th Prec. Twisted left ankle -
7/25 Linwood & Virginia Pk., while chasing looters. To Ford
(Police) Hospital, - FA.
168. 3:00 AM LEROY JOHNSON, 30/N. Gunshot wound to rt shoulder, ab-
7/25 domen & rt chest. To DGH (CB). Stated he was shot by
(Citizen) National Guard. Did not know the location.
169. 3:00 AM PATR. EUGENE RYCERZ, 16th Prec., - dogbite on left thigh
7/25 while in looted building at 5133 Gd River. To Ford
(Police) Hospital.

179. 8:45 AM NATHANIEL BANKS, 24/N of 1515 Sheridan. Lacerations to
7/25 head & face by Police, when struck by rifle butt while
(Looter) looting. To DGH (CB).
180. 950 AM ERNEST SMITH, 40/N. Gunshot wound to rt forearm and
7/25 side - looting at 1000 Westminster. Shot by owner of
(Looter) the store being looted. To DGH (CB).
181. 10:00 AM HERBERT CHAMPION, 38/N. Laceration to head - looting
7/25 Super Mkt at Lillibridge & Canfield. Injured by police
(Looter) while being subdued. To DGH (CB).
182. 10:?? AM WILLIAM LEE WOODS, 25/N. Gunshot wound to neck. To
7/25 DGH (CB). Only information available.
(Citizen)
183. 11:45 AM HERBERT W. LEWIS, 15/N. Laceration of head. To DGH
7/25 (CB). Looting Westinghouse Electric, Edsel Ford & 14th.
(Looter) Fell while running from scene.
- 184.* 12:15 PM PATR. JEROME OLSHOVE, 32, 13th Prec. Shot in abdomen
7/25 when he arrested looter DANNY ROYSTER, 20/N, who grabbed
(Police) the gun of Patr. Roy St. Onge, a 12-gauge Stevens shot-
gun. The shotgun discharged, fatally wounding Patr.
Olshove. Occurred at A & P Store at 121 Holbrook.
Royster and two other looters, Charles L. Latimer, 19/N,
13571 Birwood and Albert Phillips, 23/n, 8609 Roselawn,
arrested with him were arraigned in the Recorder's
Court on July 25, 1967 on a Warrant charging Entering
Without Breaking With Intent to Commit a Larceny Therein.
Homicide File #7172. Assigned to Bowron. The investi-
gation is still continuing in this case.
185. 12:30 PM JUNIOR JAMES, 19/N. Laceration, right hand, self-inflicted
7/25 while looting store, John Lodge & Clairmount. To
(Looter) DGH (CB).
186. 1:55 PM BOBBY JACKSON, 13/N. Gunshot wound, right arm. To Ford
7/25 Hosp. Heard gunshot while walking in alley rear of 859
(Citizen) Collingwood.
187. 2:?? PM STEVE C. BARRY, 39/N. Shotgun pellets, rt side of head.
7/25 To DGH (CB). Refused to answer questions.
(Citizen)
188. 2:20 PM JEROME KENDRICKS, 28/N. Head injuries. To DGH (CB).
7/25 Was struck on head by police at 12th & Gladstone when he
(Prsnr) refused to move when ordered.
189. 2:45 PM PATR. CREAR MITCHELL, MTB - bruised left forearm, riding
7/25 tank, brakes failed and collided with leading tank at
(Police) s/b Lodge Service Dr. at Pingree. To Ford Hospital, FA.

170. 3:45 AM WILLIAM BOYD, 28/N. Gunshot wound of neck, left arm &
7/25 leg, at Montgomery & Linwood where snipers were firing.
(Sniper) Shot by State Police.
- 171.* 3:50 AM JOHN DOE #401, later identified as RONALD EVANS, 24/N,
7/25 of 3859 Cadillac. Fatal gunshot wound to the head while
(Looter) looting Bob's Market at 4100 Pennsylvania. Shot by the
following Detroit Police Officers: Sgt. Robert Porte;
Patr. Lloyd Hewitt, Norman Salo & Chester Kotowicz.
Homicide File #7168. Assigned to Debol. Report of Case
Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to
Wayne County Prosecutor William L. Cahalan on 7/30/67.
- 172.* 3:50 AM JOHN DOE #399, identified as WILLIAM JONES, 32/N, of
7/25 3305 - 33rd St., Birmingham, Ala. Sustained multiple
(Looter) gunshot wounds of chest & abdomen while looting Bob's
Mkt, 4100 Pennsylvania with RONALD EVANS (above). Ex-
pired at 5:30 AM. Shot by Patr. Chester Kotowicz of
the 5th Prec. Homicide File #7159. Assigned to Debol
& Ives; also Patr. Felix Banach. Report of Case Investi-
gated for Warrant Recommendation was submitted to Wayne
County Prosecutor William L. Cahalan on July 30, 1967.
173. 4:00 AM ALBERT PHILLIPS, 23/N. Gunshot wound between eyes, -
7/25 Holbrook & John R. No other information.
(Citizen)
174. 4:20 AM WILFREY PALMER, 40/N. Gunshot wound to rt abdomen while
7/25 looting at 700 Connor. Shot by Guardsmen. To DGH, (CB).
(Looter)
175. 4:20 AM JULIUS RICHARDS, 21/N. Gunshot wound to left thigh -
7/25 looting at 700 Connor. Shot by Guardsmen. To DGH, (CB).
(Looter)
- 176.* 4:45 AM JOHN DOE #402, aka ROY BANKS, 50/N. Gunshot wound to
7/25 rt thigh - running from B & E at Rohns & Mack and failing
(B&E) to halt when ordered by Police. To DGH (CB).
NOTE: Expired 8/14/67.
- 177.* 805 AM JOHN DOE #403, identified as FRANK TANNER, 19/N of 4829
7/25 Meldrum, found suffering gunshot wound of the abdomen
(Citizen) in the rear yard of 1481 E Gd Blvd. DOA at DGH (CB).
Homicide File #7169. Assigned to Mason. Case open and
still under investigation.
- 178.* 8:20 AM JOHN DOE #374, identified as FRED WILLIAMS, 49/N of 9541
7/25 Goodwin. Found in alley east of Oakland, north of West-
(Citizen) minster, suffering charring burns to the entire front of
his head and body. The cause of death in this case was
listed as ELECTROCUTION BY DOWNED POWER LINES, and the
classification of the death was listed as ACCIDENTAL.
Homicide File #7171. Assigned to Ives.

- 190.* 3:25 PM JOHN DOE #404, identified as ARTHUR JOHNSON, 36/N,
7/25 address unkn, and JOHN DOE #405, identified as
191.* (Looters) PERRY WILLIAMS, 33/N, 9726 Cameron. Both shot by
Detroit Police while looting the Sherman Loan Co.,
1401 Holbrook. Patr. Andrew Zazula shot John Doe
#404. Patr. Lawrence Giacobozzi shot John Doe #405.
Both deceased men were armed with clubs and attempted
to strike the officers. Homicide Files #7173 & 7174.
Assigned to Domm. Report of Cases Investigated for
Warrant Recommendation were submitted to Wayne County
Prosecutor William L. Cahalan on July 31, 1967.
192. 4:45 PM JACKIE M. ANDERSON, 33/N. Lacerated head while re-
7/25 sisting arrest by Police at Alexandrine & Cass.
(Prsnr)
193. 4:45 PM HAYES AVERITT, 16/N. Laceration to left abdomen and
7/25 left side of face - Mack & Beals. To DGH (CB). No
(Citizen) other information available.
- 194.* 5:35 PM JOHN DOE #385, identified as NATHANIEL EDMONDS, 23/N,
7/25 3740 Hudson. Found shot in the abdomen at the rear
(Citizen) of 6478 Baldwin. Edmonds was accused by Richard Paul
Shugar, 24/W, of 8737 Van Dyke, of having broken into
a store located at 6478 Baldwin, along with two other
negro males, and Shugar then shot Edmonds once with a
shotgun, inflicting the fatal wound.
On July 31, 1967, Warrant No. A-139609 was secured in
the Recorder's Court of the City of Detroit, charging
Shugar with Murder in the First Degree. Shugar was
arraigned on the warrant the same day. Case pending,
with Shugar being remanded to the Wayne County Jail
without bond. Homicide File #7170. Assigned to
Carter & Thayer.
195. 7:30 PM GEORGE CROMER, 14/N. Gunshot wound below knee, right
7/25 leg, (no exit). Warren & 24th. Stated he was shot by
(Citizen) a man who lives above the "fish market" for no reason.
To Ford Hospital.
196. 7:45 PM SHERMAN PATTERSON, 23/N. Pellet wounds of back, neck
7/25 & arm during B & E of John R. Loan, 4638 Woodward.
(Prsnr) Shot by Police. To DGH (CB).
197. 8:30 PM GLORIA GITCHUWAY, 38/N. Bullet wound of chest. Cond.
7/25 serious. Shot came through window of her home, 2095
(Citizen) Pingree. Sniper fire in area. To Ford Hospital.
198. 9:00 PM JAMES HARDMAN, 22/N. Gunshot wound left foot, no exit -
7/25 Gd River, north of Gd Blvd. Apparently shot by sniper.
(Citizen) To Ford Hospital.

199. 9:00 PM WAYNE MC KINNEY, 19. Trauma to stomach. (Location unkn)
7/25 May be 5th Prec. station. Failed to respond to Police
(Prsnr) orders.
200. 9:00 PM RONALD WILLIAMS, 30/N. Lacerated right ankle - 11th &
7/25 Michigan, Firestone Dlr., looting. (Self-inflicted.)
(Looter)
201. 9:15 PM PATR. EDWARD LEATHERMAN, 10th Prec., Minor abrasions &
7/25 lacerations to arms while engaged in protection of brother
(Police) officer effecting arrest at 2753 Hazelwood, Apt. #32.
To Ford Hospital, FA.
202. 9:15 PM LIEUT. GEORGE MCGINTY, 10th Prec., - Abrasions & lacer-
7/25 ations to rt elbow, diminished hearing ability, while pro-
(Police) tecting brother officer effecting arrest at 2753 Hazel-
wood, Apt. #32. Ford Hosp., FA.
203. 9:15 PM PATR. THOMAS PAWLOWSKI, 10th Prec., - Abrasions & lacer-
7/25 ations to arms and impairment of hearing while protecting
(Police) brother officer effecting arrest at 2753 Hazelwood, Apt.
#32. To Ford Hosp., FA.
204. 9:15 PM PATR. THOMAS ROBINSON, 10th Prec., - Lost conscious-
7/25 ness in effecting arrest of Felon following gun battle
(Police) at 2753 Hazelwood, Apt. #32. To Ford Hosp., FA.
205. 9:45 PM PATR. ROGER POIKE, 33, asgd to Livernois Unit #4, Car 3.
7/25 Gunshot wound to the abdomen, no exit. To Ford Hosp.
(Police) Shot by Jack Sednor, N/M, 2753 Hazelwood, Apt. #32,
where officer had entered on information "man with a gun".
- 206.* 9:45 PM UNKN MAN #102, identified as JACK SYDNOR, 38/N/M, of
7/25 2753 Hazelwood, Apt. #32. Detroit Police were summoned
(Sniper) because the apartment manager complained that Sydnor
had fired a gun from his window. As Patr. Roger Poike
attempted to enter Sydnor's apartment, Sydnor fired
shots at him with a hand gun, inflicting a serious ab-
domenal wound upon Patr. Poike. Patr. Poike returned
the fire and fatally wounded Sydnor. Homicide File #7175.
Assigned to Everett. Report of Case Investigated for
Warrant Recommendation was submitted to Wayne County
Prosecutor William L. Cahalan on July 30, 1967.
207. 10:00 PM TROOPER JEROME LANGE, Michigan State Police. Gunshot
7/25 wound to the right chest, no exit; cond. serious. To
(St. Police) Ford Hosp. Shot by sniper at Hazelwood & Lawton.
208. 10:00 PM ROBERT LEWIS, 18/N. Two gunshot wounds, right leg -
7/25 Joy Rd. & Lawton. To Nthwst Gen. Hosp., to be trfd to
(Citizen) DGH (CB). Shot by sniper fire.

209. 10:30 PM LAWRENCE FLEMING, 45/N. Gunshot wound to neck, chest
7/25 & arm by Guardsmen at Gd River & Warren when he tried
(Prsnr) to run through a barricade. To DGH (CB).
210. 11:00 PM WILLIAM HAYDEN, PATR., lacerations caused while appre-
7/25 hending a looter at Warren & Burnette. Only informa-
(Police) tion available.
211. 11:10 PM MICHAEL MCGORE, 15/N. Pellet wounds of back - Conant
7/25 & Stockton. To DGH (CB). Stated he was shot by occu-
(Citizen) pants of a passing car.
- 212.* 11:15 PM WILLIE McDANIELS, 23/N/M, 5379 Seminole. On 7/24/67,
7/25 2:30 PM, was found lying in the street on Forest
(Citizen) between the Boulevard and Mack, suffering gunshot wound
to the head. Furniture store at 6858 Gratiot was being
looted. Police & snipers exchanged fire. Unkn who shot
him. Homicide File #7176. Assigned to Fullerton and
Maniaci. Report of Case Investigated for Warrant Recom-
mendation was submitted to Wayne County Prosecutor
William L. Cahalan on July 31, 1967.
213. 11:30 PM BESS LOWE, 42/W - Thru & thru gunshot wound of right
7/25 shoulder. To St. Johns Hosp. Was occupant at 11430
(Citizen) Mack where snipers were on the roof firing at the Fire
Station, St. Jean & Mack, and firing being returned by
Police & Guardsmen.
214. 11:45 PM OSCAR PORTER, 22/N. Gunshot wound to stomach, in front
7/25 of 1923 W. Euclid. To Ford Hosp. Was in line of fire
(Citizen) by National Guard.
215. ?? RODERICK DOOLEY, 22/N of 710 Emerson. Gunshot wound of
7/25 hand; stabwound of stomach. Walked into DGH (CB).
(Citizen) Only information available.
216. 1:00 AM BILL HOOD, 19/N of 1756 W. Euclid. Lacerations about
7/26 chest & shoulders caused by flying glass from shots
(Citizen) fired by snipers. To Ford Hospital.
217. 1:00 AM VALERIE HOOD, 21/N/F, 1756 W. Euclid. Gunshot wound to
7/26 left ehoulder (no exit), by snipers. To Ford Hospital.
(Citizen)
- 218.* 1:20 AM TANYA BLANDING, 4/F/N, 1756 W. Euclid. Was in her home.
7/26 E-6 Mortimer Joseph LeBlanc, a National Guardsman asgd
(Citizen) to an M-41 tank was on duty near 1756 W. Euclid & the
tank was fired at by a sniper. A flash of light believed
to be a gunshot, was seen by LeBlanc, coming from the
house and he fired a short burst from a .50 cal. machine
gun on the tank, inflicting the fatal wound. Homicide
File #7178. Assigned to Mason. Report of Case Investi-
gated for Warrant Recommendation was submitted to Wayne
County Prosecutor William L. Cahalan on July 30, 1967.

219. 1:30 AM PATR. DALE HURLEY, 40, APB - lacerated rt foot - Webb
7/26 & Livernois. To DGH (CB). Stopped on broken glass
(Police) while being fired on by snipers.
220. 1:30 AM WILLIE NEWELL, 46/N - bruised rt eye resisting arrest
7/26 by Police while he was in act of looting, Blvd and
(Looter) Lafayette. To DGH (CB)
221. 1:30 AM STEVE RUSH, 20/W - bruised rt hand & burned left arm.
7/26 Had been looting, Blvd & Lafayette. To DGH (CB).
Had injuries before being arrested.
- 222.* 2:00 AM UNKN MAN #104, identified as AUBREY POLLARD, 19/N of
7/26 4599 Oregon;
- 223.* (Citizens) UNKN MAN #105, identified as CARL COOPER, 17/N, of
9061 N. Clarendon, and
- 224.* UNKNOWN MAN #106, identified as FRED TEMPLE, 18/N of
10865 Mackay.
All 3 men were found shot to death at the Algiers Manor,
8301 Woodward. Apparently shot to death in an exchange
of gunfire.
Homicide Files Nos. 7180, 7181 & 7182. Assigned to
Schlachter.
Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation
was submitted to Wayne County Prosecutor William L.
Cahalan on August 4, 1967.
225. 2:01 AM MARY DOE #103, identified as HELEN HALL, 51/W/F, of
7/26 Oakdale, Connecticut. Was staying at the Harlan House
(Citizen) Motel, 6500 John C. Lodge. Was looking out 4th floor
window of Motel & was shot. Sniper fire in area at
the time. Homicide File #7177. Assigned to Hill & Kanka.
Case is open and investigation is continuing.
226. 2:20 AM DET. WALLACE GRAUSTEIN, 44, R,B&E, bruised rt side of
7/26 head, rt hand & rt elbow. To Ford Hosp. Assaulted by
(Police) prisoners, 10th Prect. cellblock.
- 227.* 2:20 AM UNKN MAN #103, identified as WILLIAM N. DALTON, 19/N,
7/26 of 1495 Taylor. Found lying in the street at Gd River
(Citizen) & Edmonton. Gunshot wound of chest and abdomen. --
Sporadic sniper fire in area. Homicide File #7179.
Assigned to Mason. Case open and investigation is
continuing.
- 228.* 2:20 AM SGT. LARRY POST, 26/W, "C" Battery, 2nd Battalion,
7/26 182nd Artillery, Michigan National Guard. Gunshot
(Grdsman) wound to stomach. To Ford Hosp., cond. critical. Shot
at Dexter & Richton by occupant of car which ignored
roadblock. Expired 8/9/67.
229. 3:30 AM HARMON MARYLAND, 30/N. Gunshot wound to stomach -
7/26 Euclid & 14th. Only information available.
(Citizen)

230. 4:30 AM PVT. PAUL VERCOMMAN, 31/W, MNG - gunshot wound of right
7/26 foot - at Central High School. To Ford Hosp. Shot by
(Ordnance) sniper.
231. 4:30 AM RAYMOND WRIGHT, 32/W, - lacerated left arm caused by
7/26 flying glass fragments - Livernois & Elmhurst. To Ford
(Pvt Guard) Hospital. Sniper fire in the area.
232. 6:30 AM PATR. WARD TAYLOR, 10th Prec., sprained rt foot - 10th
7/26 Prec. cellblock during scuffle with prisoner. To Ford
(Police) Hospital.
233. 6:45 AM ISAAC BAKER, 26/N - injured left leg - 13th Prec. cell-
7/26 block. DGH (CB). Scuffling with other prisoners.
(Prsnr)
234. 6:50 AM LEE JONES, 29/N - laceration to mouth & face - Elmhurst
7/26 & Stoepel. To DGH (CB). Only information available.
(Sniper)
235. 6:50 AM ALVIN RITTER, 29/N - laceration to mouth & face -
7/26 Elmhurst & Stoepel. To DGH (CB). Unkn how injuries
(Sniper) were received.
236. 9:00 AM MICHAEL PHILLIPS, 24/N - gunshot wound to rt leg - 12th
7/26 & Euclid. To Ford Hosp. Sniper fire in the area.
(Citizen)
237. 10:00 AM VIRGIL ALSTON, M/N - laceration of head - 1644-46 Glynn,
7/26 (upper). To DGH (CB). Only information available.
(Sniper)
238. 10:00 AM PAUL LEE GRAND, 26/N - laceration of head - 1644-46
7/26 Glynn, (upper). To DGH (CB). No other information.
(Sniper)
239. 10:00 AM EDD HENRY, JR. 29/N - laceration of head - 1644-46
7/26 Glynn, (upper). To DGH (CB). No other information.
(Sniper)
240. 11:00 AM WILLIE GRANGER, M/N - injured rt arm, - 5th Prec. Sta.,
7/26 To DGH (CB). Scuffling with officer.
(Prsnr)
241. 11:00 AM FRANK NEWSON, 18/N - bruised left shoulder & arm - 5th
7/26 Prec. Sta. To DGH (CB). Scuffling with officer.
(Prsnr)
242. 11:10 AM IRA OREAR, 27/N - of 2533 Tyler - head injuries incurred
7/26 while he was striking his head against #20 cell-block
(Prsnr) door, 9th flr., Police HQ. To DGH (CB).

243. 11:25 AM PATR. CARL AMMON, 14th Prec., - injured rt ankle;
7/26 stopped in hole in station parking lot. No treat-
(Police) ment, - remained on duty.
- 244.* 1:40 PM UNKN MAN #107, identified as WILLIE HUNTER, 26/N/M
7/26 of 8627 Byron, and
- 245.* (Citizens)-UNKN MAN #108, identified as PRINCE WILLIAMS, 31/N/M,
address unkn --
found in Brown's Drug store, 8202 Twelfth St., which had
been destroyed by fire. Bodies were found in the base-
ment, badly burned. Cause of death was ruled: DEATH
DUE TO ASPHYXIATION. The classification of these deaths
was listed as ACCIDENTAL. Homicide Files #7183 & 7184.
Assigned to Mason.
246. 2:00 PM SGT. FRANCIS ALLEN, 13th Prec., laceration of left
7/26 hand - 12th & Pingree. To Ford Hosp. Assaulted with
(Police) a piece of glass while on riot duty.
247. 2:00 PM PATR. EDWARD STROKER, 2d Prec., - grazing gunshot
7/26 wound to left hand. To Ford Hosp. Sniper fire at
(Police) McKinley & Warren.
248. 3:00 PM DAVID CRY, 49-N - Gunshot wound to face & chest -
7/26 Taylor & Woodrow Wilson. Walked into Ford Hospital.
(Citizen) Stated he was told to halt which he did, & was shot.
249. 3:55 PM PETE BOESKY, 69/W - gunshot wound to left leg - front
7/26 of 12000 Livernois. To Ford Hospital. Sniper fire.
(Citizen)
250. 4:05 PM PVT. ROBERT LUTTMAN, 22/W - gunshot wound upper rt
7/26 back & wrist - frt of 12000 Livernois. To Ford Hosp.
(Grdsman) Sniper fire.
251. 4:05 PM PVT. GARY YOUNG, - gunshot wound upper rt back - 12000
7/26 Livernois. To Ford Hospital. Sniper fire.
(Grdsman)
252. 4:15 PM SGT. HAROLD SMITH - 4" laceration under rt armpit,
7/26 possible gunshot or flying glass - frt of 10th Prec.
(Police) To Ford Hospital. Sniper fire in area.
253. 5:00 PM LANCE SMITH, 28/N - gunshot wound upper rt arm. LaSalle
7/26 & Dunedin. To Ford Hosp. Sniper fire in area.
(Citizen)
254. 5:00 PM GEORGE TALBUT (THOMAS), 32/N - gunshot wound upper rt
7/26 chest; LaSalle & Dunedin. To Ford Hospital. Sniper
(Citizen) fire in area.

- 255.* 8:30 PM GEORGE TOLBERT, 20/N/M, 4451 - 30th. On 7/26/67,
7/26 at 5:30 PM, GEORGE TOLBERT was shot by National
(Sniper) Guardsmen at a road-block at Dunodin & LaSalle.
He was conveyed to Ford Hospital and later trans-
ferred to Det. Gen. Hosp., (CB), where he expired
from gunshot wounds to the upper chest & arm.
Homicide File #7192. Assigned to Bostick & McManus.
The investigation in this case is still continuing.
256. 6:30 PM SGT. EDGAR McGLAUN - bruised left forearm & shoulder.
7/26 In an auto accident at Junction & Buchanan while res-
(Police) ponding to a radio run to 4437 Buchanan, rear, "Four
men with guns." Treated at Zieger Hospital & returned
to duty.
257. 6:30 PM PATR. EUGENE L. PURCHIARONI, 10th Prec., human bite
7/26 to left hand while engaged in scuffle at Gd River &
(Police) Joy Rd. w/unkn persons. To Ford Hospital.
258. 6:30 PM SGT. EDWARD WIDNER, suffered laceration on nose, five
7/26 stitches on right temple, and bruised right kidney in
(Police) Dept. vehicle accident while responding to a radio run.
Treated at Zieger Hospital and returned to duty.
259. 7:00 PM GEORGE SADLER, 34/W, - bayonet wounds rt side & thigh -
7/26 2363 W. Davison, resisting Guardsmen. To DGH (CB).
(Prsnr)
260. 7:20 PM JOHN McERLANN, 20/W, - laceration left arm & hand. In-
7/26 volved in shooting of Guardsman. No other information.
(Sniper)
261. 7:20 PM GARY MEZGER, 21/W, - Multiple abrasions. Involved in
7/26 shooting of a Guardsman. No other information.
(Sniper)
262. 7:20 PM RONALD SCHESTER, 23/W, - Wounded rt shoulder. Involved
7/26 in shooting of a Guardsman. No other information.
(Sniper)
263. 7:50 PM JOHN BERY, 17/N, shotgun wound of spine - alley west of
7/26 Livernois, south of Ellsworth while attempting to elude
(Prsnr) Police. To DGH (CB).
264. 9:00 PM WILLIE JACKSON, 25/N, - gunshot wound to rt cheek, rt
7/26 chest & left thigh, - Dexter & Cortland. Attempting to
(Sniper) escape from Guardsmen.
265. 9:00 PM EDDIE PAULING, 39/N, - gunshot wound to back trying to
7/26 escape from Guardsmen, Dexter & Cortland. To DGH (CB).
(Sniper)

266. 9:25 PM PATR. ROBERT HYPIO, 10th Prec., - wrenched neck &
7/26 back resulting from Dept. vehicle accident while
(Police) under heavy sniper fire at Virginia Pk & LaSalle
Blvd. No treatment to date.
267. 9:25 PM LIEUT. GEORGE MCGINNY, 10th Prec., - abrasion to
7/26 left leg resulting from Dept. vehicle accident while
(Police) under heavy sniper fire at Virginia Pk & LaSalle
Blvd. To Mt. Carmel Hospital, FAO.
268. 9:25 PM PATR. THOMAS PAWLOWSKI, 10th Prec., - wrenched neck
7/26 & back resulting from Dept. vehicle accident while
(Police) under heavy sniper fire, Virginia Pk & LaSalle Blvd.
No treatment to date.
269. 9:25 PM PATR. RONALD SROKA, 10th Prec., - wrenched back &
7/26 neck resulting from Dept. vehicle accident while
(Police) under heavy sniper fire at Virginia Pk & LaSalle Blvd.
No treatment to date.
270. 10:00 PM JOHN DOE #406, identified as JULIUS LAWRENCE LUST, JR.,
7/26 26/W/M of 13998 Mitchell. Shot by Patrolman ROBERT
(B&E) WRATHELL and Patrolman FREDERICK ROBINSON in Breaking
and Entering of G & W Auto Parts Co., 17130 Jos. Campau.
Homicide File #7185. Assigned to Debol.
Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation
was submitted to Wayne Co. Pros. William L. Cahalan
on August 2, 1967.
271. 10:15 PM HENRY MILLER, 42/N - bayonet wound to the back - 2353
7/26 W. Davison. To DGH (CB). Shot by Guardsman.
(Sniper)
272. 10:20 PM ARTHUR PLEASANT, 17/N - Gunshot wound to lower back &
7/26 rt hand - McKinley & Warren, - resisting police. To
(Prsnr) DGH (CB).
273. 10:20 PM PATR. EDWARD STROKER, - Laceration of left hand -
(7/26) McKinley & Warren - struggling with prisoner. To
(Police) Ford Hospital.
- 274.* 10:45 PM JOHN DOE #407, identified as ALBERT ROBINSON, 38/N -
7/26 multiple gunshot wounds to chest & abdomen, - 2353
(Sniper) W. Davison. Apparently shot by National Guard.
275. 10:45 PM ROOSEVELT ROBERTS, 14/N, - gunshot wound to abdomen.
7/26 To Mt. Carmel Hosp., - trfd to DGH (CB). Was standing
(Citizen) in front of his home at 9014 Monica, heard one shot
assumed to have come from a sniper.

276. 11:15 PM MICHAEL WEBER, 15/W, gunshot wound in back - McKinney
7/26 & Sunset. To Holy Cross Hosp. Had dropped a tree
(Citizen) branch on officer's helmet knocking it off his head,
whereupon the officer fired into the tree.
277. 11:30 PM ALTON MOORE, 23/N, - gunshot wound under left arm;
7/26 shotgun wound to left thigh. To Ford Hospital.
(Citizen) (Only information available.)
278. 11:45 PM RICHARD CIESIOLKA, 44/W, - shotgun wound to rt foot,
7/26 (accidental discharge). Was checking cars entering
(Citizen) trailer court at 10640 Gratiot (of which he is the
manager). To Saratoga Hospital.
279. 11:50 PM ROBERT McNARY, 22/N, - laceration of rt hand in
7/26 attempting to help another from being beaten by two
(Citizen) unkn males - Pingree & 14th. To Ford Hospital.
280. 12:25 AM THOMAS KNIEPER, 24/W of 407 E. State Fair, - gunshot
7/27 wound rear of neck, exit chin - Barber Shop, 7 Mile
(Arsonist) -- & Riopello. To DGH (CB). Was observed by Scout
11-6, throwing fire-bomb into the barber shop.
281. 12:30 AM LAWRENCE C. WILLIAMS, 21/N - shotgun wound, rt arm -
7/27 Melville & West End. To DGH (CB). Refused to stop
(Sniper) when ordered to do so by #4 Cruiser.
282. 12:40 AM JOHN BRAKE, 50/W, - abrasions about body - Brailo &
7/27 6 Mile. To DGH (CB). Stopped by Scout 1612 for DML.
(Citizen) Had been assaulted previously.
283. 12:40 AM GEORGE WASHINGTON, 23/N, - gunshot wound to rt thigh -
7/27 near 1184 Seldon, Bldg. #502. To DGH (CB). Stated he
(Citizen) was shot on street while returning home. Sniper fire.
284. 3:30 AM ALFONSO BUNDY, JR., 28/N - Stab wound to left chest -
7/27 Mt. Elliott & Charlovoix - stabbed by unkn N/M in a
(Citizen) street fight. To DGH (CB).
285. 4:00 AM PATR. GERALD GRADY, 10th Prec., - injured hand at the
7/27 10th Prec. station scuffling with prisoner. To Ford
(Police) Hospital.
286. 7:10 AM WALTER ETCHINSON, 37/N, - gunshot wound to left side of
7/27 head - 3374 W. Warren (burned out liquor store). To
(Looter) DGH (CB). Grabbed officer's shotgun barrel, gun discharge
287. 10:20 AM KENNETH WASHINGTON, 21/N - injured back - 255 E. Edsall
7/27 Ford. To DGH (CB). Fell off 2nd floor porch.
(Citizen)
288. 10:30 AM GEORGE ALFORD, 32/N - laceration top of head in frt of
7/27 4227 Mitchell. To Ford Hosp. Stated police officer
(Citizen) struck him after ordering him from the street.

289. 11:15 AM PETER BALL, 25/N of 2547 Canton, - bruise to back of
7/27 head. Refused to give any information. To Lakeside
(Citizen) Medical Center.
- 290.* 11:35 AM GEORGE MESSERLIAN, 68/W/M of 7719 Linwood, owner of
7/27 George's Shoe Repair Shop, 7711 Linwood. On 7/23/67
(Citizen) at approximately 4:30 PM, Mr. Messerlian was in his
shop when a large group of negro youths broke in,
dragged him into the street and assaulted him about
the head and body with baseball bats and clubs and
then looted his shop. Homicide File #7186. Assigned
to Lovchuk & Kanka. Case open & investigation is
continuing.
291. 12:15 PM NAPOLEON ROBERTS, 27/N, - trauma of chest & head -
7/27 3571 Edison. To DGH (CB). Was armed with a shotgun
(Sniper) and was resisting arrest by police.
292. 12:15 PM HENRY WALKER, 18/N, - trauma of head & back - 3571
7/27 Edison. To DGH (CB). Was armed with a shotgun and
(Sniper) was resisting arrest by police.
293. 12:15 PM EDDIE YOUNG, 28/N - trauma to head - 3571 Edison.
7/27 To DGH (CB). Was armed with a shotgun and was
(Sniper) resisting arrest by police.
294. 3:55 PM KEVIN TANSIL, 8/N, 2013 Antoinette, - lacerations to
7/27 rt arm at Marquette nr 14th. To DGH (CB). Hit by
(Citizen) auto which was fleeing from police.
295. 4:15 PM EMIL KREJCI, 38/W, - Head & eye injuries. To DGH (CB).
7/27 Found lying on ground at Gd River & 12th by National
(Citizen) Guard. Did not know what happened.
296. 4:30 PM PATR. FRED CROMIE, 24, - abrasions rt forearm. To
7/27 DGH (CB), FA. At alley, Sheridan between Kercheval &
(Police) St. Paul, pursuing several N/M dragging a safe. Cut
his arm trying to crawl under a fence.
297. 7:30 PM SGT. JOHN LARK, 13th Prec., - laceration of rt hand.
7/27 To DGH (CB), FA. Assaulted by prisoner with broken
(Police) bottle, in frt of 320 Kenilworth.
298. 7:30 PM TYRONE PATTERSON, ?/N, - lacerations on back of head.
7/27 To DGH (CB). Assaulted police officer in front of
(Prsnr) 320 Kenilworth.
299. 10:30 PM OSCAR BOTTANY, 45/N of 4703 16th, - crushing chest injury
7/27 & several fractured ribs. To DGH (CB). Was one of two
(Sniper) occupants in a car trying to flee police on Warren at
viaduct south of Gd River. Car hit abutment.

300. 11:55 PM OTIS CHARLES CROSS, 23/N, of 2619 Montgomery, gunshot
7/27 wound to calf of left leg in frt of his home. Con-
(Citizen) veyed self to Ford Hospital Emergency Room. Sniper
fire in the area.
- 301.* 5:00 AM JOHN LEROY, 30/N/M of 5119 Garland. Stated he was shot
7/28 by a National Guardsman on 7/25/67, at 1:30 AM when he
(Prsnr) ran a road-block at Charlevoix & Lycaste. Homicide
File #7187. Assigned to McCarthy & Strauch. Report on
case investigated for Warrant Recommendation was sub-
mitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan, 8/3/67.
302. 10:15 AM MAJOR EDWARD DEAN, 40/M, asgd to 6th U.S. Army Corps,
7/28 Battle Creek, (on duty & stationed at 17825 Sherwood) -
(US Army) went into a coma, falling backward & hitting the left
side of his head on the floor. Transported to Selfridge
Air Base Hosp. by Scout 11-4. Condition - serious.
303. 1:00 PM PATR. CHARLES BRADLEY, asgd to Narcotics Bureau, -
7/28 suffered a severe pain in his right leg apparently
(Police) caused by a previous blood clot. To DGH (CB) & admitted.
304. 2:45 PM ALFONSO WHITE, 20/N of 1703 Beaufait, - thru & thru
7/28 gunshot wound to the calf of rt leg, and a no-exit
(B&E) gunshot wound to the upper-right thigh; - Liquor Store,
9630 Kercheval. To DGH (CB). Was attempting to flee
from police.
305. 3:00 PM PATR. DENNIS ALARIE, assigned to the 16th Prct., -
7/28 struck by an unkn object hurled from an undetermined
(Police) source. To DGH (CB); FA.
306. 5:00 PM FRED WILLIAMS, 13/N of 5177 W. Outer Drive, - thru &
7/28 thru gunshot wound of the upper rt arm, with subsequent
(Citizen) injury superficially to the rt side of chest. Was rid-
ing his bicycle on Curtis east of Meyers. Conveyed self
to Now Graco Hospital. Source of shot unkn.
307. ? WILLIE BROOK, 58/N, of 661 Stimson - laceration of face
7/28 while resisting arrest by police for CCW at Mack and
(Prsnr) Chrysler. To DGH (CB).
308. ? DAVID CHARLIE, 2534 Seyburn, 29/N - laceration of head
7/28 while resisting arrest by police for CCW at Mack and
(Prsnr) Chrysler. To DGH (CB).
309. ? HERBERT FRY, 22/N of 2534 Seyburn - (Injury unkn) -
7/28 while resisting arrest by police for CCW at Mack and
(Prsnr) Chrysler. To DGH (CB).
310. 9:30 AM LAWRENCE SIEBERT, 39/N - laceration to top of head. In
7/29 Prison Bus at Recorder's Court Bldg. Hit his head pur-
(Prsnr) posely against & through window of bus. To DGH (CB).

311. 6:45 PM FRANK RICHARDSON, 27/N of 8275 Newport, Apt. #322 -
7/29 through & through gunshot wound of the palm of the rt
(Citizen) hand - at the doorway of his apartment. Refused to
identify assailant/s. To DGH (CB).
312. 7:15 PM WILLIAM DOTSON, 23/N of 4944 33rd - gunshot wound of
7/29 the chest, no exit. Found lying in the back seat of a
(Citizen) car in front of above address. Refused to identify
assailant/s. To DGH (CB).
313. 7:40 PM DIANE COLEMAN, 13/N, of 2921 Lycaste - shotgun pellet
7/29 wounds to the back - rear of 3484 St. Jean, attempting
(Prsnr) to escape apprehension by 82nd Airborne, US Army. To
DGH (CB), FA; to Women's Division who conveyed her home.
314. 7:40 PM ULYSSES LAWSON, 18/N, of 5240 St. Clair - multiple shot-
7/29 gun wounds to the rt hand, rt forearm & left leg - rear
(Prsnr) of 3484 St. Jean, attempting to escape arrest by 82nd
Airborne, US Army. To DGH (CB).
315. 7:40 PM SHARLENE MOORE, 17/N, of 2219 Lycaste, - superficial
7/29 shotgun pellet wounds to the rt side, - rear of 3484
(Prsnr) St. Jean, attempting to escape arrest by 82nd Airborne,
US Army. To DGH (CB).
- 316.* 7:40 PM JOHN DOE #412, identified as ERNEST ROQUEMORE, 19/N/M,
7/29 of 3484 St. Jean. In responso to a radio run received
(Looter) by Detroit Police that they were splitting stolen merch-
andise secured in looting at 3484 St. Jean, SP-4
RANDOLPH SMITH of the 82nd Airborne Infantry Division,
was stationed at the rear of the home while Detroit
Police went to the front. SP-4 Smith heard police offi-
cers shooting in the home and then heard one of them
shout a warning that the man running his way had a gun.
As SP-4 Smith fired his rifle at this man, ERNEST
ROQUEMORE ran into the line of fire and received the
fatal wound through the back and into the abdomen.
Homicide File #7190. Assigned to Reed & Bowron. Report
on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation was sub-
mitted to Wayne County Prosecutor William L. Cahalan
on July 31, 1967.
317. 8:20 PM PATR. RICHARD GAJISKI, - human bite of left forehead -
7/29 Mack & Meldrum, while making arrest. DGH (CB).
(Police)
318. 8:20 PM JOHN DAVID HUNT, Jr., 23/N - multiple lacerations of head,
7/29 Mack & Meldrum - resisting arrest. To DGH (CB).
(Prsnr)
319. 8:20 PM RICHARD RYBICKI, 19/W, - laceration of neck. Fell in
7/29 coll-block at 11th Prec. Station. To DGH (CB).
(Prsnr)

320. 9:30 PM PATR. RONALD LANDRY, 1st Prect., - bruised rt foot
7/29 scuffling with prisoner at Chrysler & Mack. To DGH (CB).
(Police)
321. 10:30 PM CHARLES ADAMS, 48/N, of 2612 Carter, - 2 small gunshot
7/29 wounds to the left knee. Happened while he was sitting
(Citizen) in a chair in his home. He is a paraplegic. To Park-
view General Hospital. Sniper fire in area.
322. 4:45 AM PATR. RALPH STEVENS, 14th Prect., injured ankle - 12th
7/31 & Clairmount. Caused by a metal bar on front of a Jeep
(Police) striking the officer's ankle.
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SUPPLEMENT - Reference Index File #90 (Alfred Peachlum, Homicide
7/24; 4:00 PM. File # 7160.)

During the gunfire by police while pursuing looters through the rear door of an A & P Super-Market, 3430 Joy Rd., the below-listed, who were in the rear of 3445 Atkinson & directly across the alley, were also injured.

MRS. NANNIE PACK, 58/N/F of 3445 Atkinson, - gunshot wound of both thighs and abdomen, condition serious;

MRS. MATTIE THOMAS, 40/N/F, a houseguest, gunshot wound of left calf, - condition temporarily serious.

Both the above were conveyed to Ford Hospital by private conveyance.

DEATHS DUE TO CIVIL DISORDER, JULY 1967

WHITE VICTIMS

10

PERPETRATORS

- 1 - Firefighter (electrical burns) -(accidental)
- 1 - Shot by known negro male
- 1 - Firefighter by Unknown - (may be sniper)
- 1 - Shot by Store Owner
- 1 - Shot by National Guardsman (accidental)
- 3 - Shot by Unknown Persons (may be snipers)
- 1 - Shot by Public Police
- 1 - Assaulted by negro male

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NEGRO VICTIMS

33

- 2 - Shot by Public Police or National Guard
- 1 - Shot by Private Police
- 1 - Shot by Store Owner
- 6 - Shot by National Guardsmen
- 16 - Shot by Public Police
- 1 - Shot by known negro male
- 2 - Shot by Unknown persons
- 2 - Fire victims
- 1 - Electrocution (accidental)
- 1 - Shot by U.S. Army

33

TOTAL DEATHS--

43

WHITE VICTIMS

10

PERPETRATORS

- 2 - White
- 2 - Negro
- 5 - Unknown
- 1 - Accidental

NEGRO VICTIMS

33

- 2 - Negroes
- 1 - White
- 28 - Unknown
- 2 - Accidental

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Homicide Bureau

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FATALS:

LOOTERS:

Homicide File No.

Shot by Store Owner	7150	1
Shot by Private Guard	7153	1
Shot by Public Police	7156	
	7160	
	7161	
	7162	
	7165	
	7168	
	7159	
	7173	
	7174	9
Shot by Army (82nd Airborne)	7190	1
	TOTAL	12

CITIZENS:

Shot by Snipers	7151	
	7176	
	7177	
	7179	4
Shot by Unknown	7155	
	7166	
	7169	
	7180	
	7181	
	7182	
	7183	
	7184	8
Shot by Guardsmen	7167	
	7178	2
Electrocuted (Downed wires)	7171	1
Shot by Store Owner	7170	1
Assaulted by B & E Youths	7186	1
	TOTAL	17

SNIPERS:

Shot by Guardsmen	7152	
	7192	
	7194	3
Shot by Public Police	7175	<u>1</u>
	TOTAL	4

FIREFIGHTERS:

Burned (High tension wire)	7191	1
Shot by Sniper	7164	<u>1</u>
	TOTAL	2

B & E MEN:

Shot by Store Owner	7154	1
Shot by Public Police	7163	
	7207	
	7185	<u>3</u>
	TOTAL	4

ARSONIST:

Shot by Public Police	7157	1
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POLICE:

Shot by Prisoner	7172	1
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GUARDSMAN:

Shot by Sniper	7201	1
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PRISONER:

Shot by Guardsman	7187	1
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TOTAL FATALS: 43

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DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM HOMICIDE BUREAU

Date October 26, 1967

To: Chief of Detectives.

Subject: DEATHS DUE TO CIVIL DISORDER, JULY, 1967.

NOTE: This report is now complete and was held in abeyance while awaiting final decisions by the Wayne Co. Prosecutor's Office.

1. 7-23-67 4:45 p.m. - GEORGE MESSERLIAN, 68/W/M of 7719 Linwood, owner of George's Shoe Repair Shop, 7711 Linwood. MESSERLIAN observed several negroes described as being in their 20's breaking windows and when he attempted to stop them, they assaulted him with a baseball bat. He expired at Ford Hospital 7/27/67.

HOMICIDE FILE #7186. Assigned to: Lovchuk & Kanka.

Case closed on arrest of DARRYL McCURTIS, 20/N of 8911 Linwood Warrant #A-139884 charging Murder, 1st Degree was secured & he was arraigned on 8/16/67 before Judge Crockett.

2. 7-24-67 12:25 a.m. - White looter, John Doe #372, later identified as WALTER GRZANKA, 45/W of 641 Charlotte. Fatally shot while exiting the Temple Market, 2844 Fourth St., by store owner HAMID AUDISH YACOB, 30/W/M.

HOMICIDE FILE #7150. Assigned to: Wagner & LaHousse.

Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 8/2/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 9/28/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.

3. 7-24-67 1:35 a.m. - SHARON GEORGE, 23/W/F, of 17374 Riopelle, (a passenger in a car), fatally shot by sniper at Woodward & Melbourne.

HOMICIDE FILE #7151. Assigned to: Bostick & McManus.

CASE OPEN and still under investigation.

4. 7-24-67 4:00 a.m. - John Doe #373, later identified as CLIFTON PRYOR, 23/W, of 667 W. Alexandrine, a sniper, shot by National Guardsman PFC GARY HUTTON, at apartment building at 667 W. Alexandrine.

HOMICIDE FILE #7152. Assigned to: Carter & Thayer.

Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 7/27/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 9/25/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.

5. 7-24-67 7:00 a.m. - FIREFIGHTER JOHN ASHBY, 26/W/M. Struck by a high tension wire while fighting a fire at Lafayette & Canton. Fire began during civil disorder in the area. Cause of death: Multiple electricity burn areas of the body with secondary necrosis and infection. Expired 8/4/67 at 6:40 a.m. at the Detroit General Hospital (Central Branch).
HOMICIDE FILE #7191. Assigned to: Schlachter.
Death ruled ACCIDENTAL by Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 10/7/67. CASE CLOSED.
6. 7-24-67 8:20 a.m. - John Doe #374, identified as FRED WILLIAMS, 49/N of 9541 Goodwin. Found lying face down in alley east of Oakland north of Westminster, suffering charring burns to the entire front of his head and body. He was conveyed to Detroit General Hospital (CB) by Scout 13-9 where he was DOA at 8:20 a.m.
HOMICIDE FILE #7171. Assigned to Ives.
Cause of death was given as electrocution by downed power line, and the classification of death was listed ACCIDENTAL. CASE CLOSED.
7. 7-24-67 10:05 a.m. - John Doe #375, later identified as HERMAN T. ECTOR, 30/N, of 4009 Clairmont, an alleged looter, shot by Private Guard WAVERLY SOLOMON, 32/N/M, at Lindy's Super-Market located at 3745 Joy Road.
HOMICIDE FILE #7153. Assigned to: Domm & Loch.
Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 8/3/67. Warrant # A-140008 charging Murder, 1st Degree was issued 8/22/67 and defendant WAVERLY SOLOMON, 2652 McGraw was arrested on 8/23/67 and arraigned on Murder, 1st Degree before Judge Joseph Gillis. Examination was set for 9/5/67. - Personal Bond. Case dismissed at Examination by Judge Calvin Rock on 9/8/67. CASE CLOSED.
8. 7-24-67 1:15 p.m. - John Doe #378, later identified as DANIEL JENNINGS, 36/N, of 403 Mt. Vernon. Shot by store owner, STANLEY MESZEZENSKI, 47/W/M at "Stanley's Patent Medicine", located at 6000 John R St. MR. MESZEZENSKI was inside his locked store guarding the premises when he saw the deceased break the front door and enter although MR. MESZEZENSKI had warned him not to enter.
HOMICIDE FILE #7154. Assigned to: Reed & Bowron.
Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 7/28/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on August 22, 1967 by Wayne County Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.

9. 7-24-67 1:25 p.m. John Doe #379, later identified as ROBERT BEAL, 49/N/M of 8857 Treadwell, a looter, shot by Detroit Police Patr. ERNEST GILBERT, #2 Task Force, at the Oakland Auto Parts, 9325 Oakland.
- HOMICIDE FILE #7156. Assigned to: Bowron.
- Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 7/28/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 9/28/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.
10. 7-24-67 1:45 p.m. - JOSEPH CHANDLER, 34/N/M of 81 W. Philadelphia. Had been looting the Food Time Market, 8360 2nd. Was exiting through broken window with assorted merchandise and observed by Patr. DONALD VANLOO & DAVID SENAK. He ignored order to halt and was shot at. He then ran out of view into the alley, collapsed in rear of 119 W. Philadelphia.
- HOMICIDE FILE #7155. Assigned to: Carter.
- Ruled "No Criminality" on 8/28/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.
11. 7-24-67 1:50 p.m. - WILLIE McDANIELS, 23/N/M, 5379 Seminole. Shot by police while attempting to escape after looting the Domestic Furniture Co., 6858 Gratiot. (8 officers firing at looters).
- HOMICIDE FILE #7176. Assigned to: Fullerton & Maniaci.
- Cause of death: Gunshot wound to head. An unidentifiable piece of bullet was removed from the body. Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 7/31/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 8/29/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.
12. 7-24-67 2:45 p.m. - John Doe #381, later identified as HERMAN CANTY, SR., 46/N/M of 1166 Clairmount. PATR. GILBERT STOCKER, Detroit Police Department, observed HERMAN CANTY and another unknown negro male carrying merchandise from the rear door of the Bi-Lo Super Market, 2450 W. Gd. Blvd., to a truck and saw CANTY throw a lighted fire-bomb into the Bi-Lo Super Market. CANTY then attempted to leave the scene in the truck, ignoring the officer's order to halt, whereupon the officer fired, inflicting the fatal wound.
- HOMICIDE FILE #7157. Assigned to: Strauch.
- Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 7/27/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 9/25/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.

13. 7-24-67 4:00 p.m. - John Doe #383, later identified as ALFRED PEACHLUM 35/N/M, of 8710 Dumbarton, #1711. Fatally shot by Detroit Police Patr. CHARLES CARLSON & JAMES LOZON, in the act of looting an A & P Super Market at 3430 Joy Road.
HOMICIDE FILE #7160. Assigned to Bostick & McManus.
Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 8/1/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 8/29/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.
14. 7-24-67 4:20 p.m. - John Doe #385, identified as NATHANIEL EDMONDS, 23/N/M of 3740 Hudson, was fatally shot by RICHARD SHUGAR, 24/W of 8737 Van Dyke, accompanied by an unknown W/M, & who was driving his '67 Oldsmobile Convertible, Lic. BF-7190 through the alley south of 7714 Harper. SHUGAR parked the car & removed a shotgun from it. He became involved in an argument with NATHANIEL EDMONDS who was on the back porch of his aunt's home, 6478 Baldwin. SHUGAR fired one shot which struck EDMONDS in the chest. EDMONDS expired at the Detroit General Hospital (CB) on 7/24/67 at 5:35 p.m. Warrant No. A-139609, - Murder, 1st Degree was secured against SHUGAR. Remanded to County Jail.
HOMICIDE FILE #7170. Assigned to: Carter & Thayer.
(SHUGAR had accused EDMONDS of breaking into a store located at 6478 Baldwin.)
15. 7-24-67 5:00 p.m. - John Doe #382, later identified as ALPHONSO SMITH, 35/N/M of 3455 W. Chicago. Fatally shot by Detroit Police Patr. THOMAS PETERSON, Precinct Unit #1, while SMITH was in the act of looting the Standard Food Market, 9750 Dexter.
HOMICIDE FILE #7161. Assigned to: Carter.
Ruled "Accidental Shooting" by Wayne County Prosecutor William L. Cahalan on 8/29/67. CASE CLOSED.
16. 7-24-67 5:20 p.m. - John Doe #386, later identified as CHARLES KEMP, 35/N/M, of 3194 Charlevoix. Fatally shot by Patr. JAMES O'NEIL & JAMES DENNERLY & Sgt. RICHARD DYKEMA while he was in the act of looting Borgi's Market, 1800 Mack.
HOMICIDE FILE #7162. Assigned to: Fullerton & Maniaci.
Report of Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 7/28/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 9/25/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.

17. 7-24-67 9:20 p.m. - John Doe #390, later identified as RICHARD SIMS, 35/N/M of 2475 Buena Vista. Fatally shot by Sgt. HENRY MACINKOWICZ, Patr. FRANK FULMER, WILLIAM FLANNERY & RICHARD MORTENSON. SIMS was in the act of Breaking & Entering the side door of the Hobby Bar, 13106 Linwood.
HOMICIDE FILE #7163. Assigned to: Fullerton & Maniaci.
Report of Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 7/28/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 8/31/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.
18. 7-24-67 11:30 p.m. - JOHN LEROY, 30/N/M of 5119 Garland. He was a passenger in a motor vehicle that failed to stop at a road-block established by the National Guard and which was subsequently fired on by the Guardsmen. LEROY sustained fragmentation wounds to the side, chest & abdomen. He expired at the Detroit General Hospital (CB), at 5:00 a.m., 7/28/67. Cause of death: Delirium Tremens, after injury to & surgery performed to the abdominal area.
HOMICIDE FILE #7187. Assigned to: McCarthy & Strauch.
Report of Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 8/3/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 9/25/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.
19. 7-25-67 12:50 a.m. - John Doe #393, later identified as FIREFIGHTER CARL SMITH, 30/W/M, of 15322 Santa Rosa. Fatally shot at Mack & St. Jean by person/s unknown while mobilizing fire department vehicles.
HOMICIDE FILE #7164. Assigned to: McCarthy & Strauch.
Case open and still under investigation.
20. 7-25-67 1:04 a.m. - John Doe #394, later identified as EMANUEL COSBY, 26/N/M, of 4610 Stockton. Fatally shot in right inner shoulder while escaping from a B&E at the N & J Market, 4441 E. Nevada, by PATR. JEROME PALKA, Detroit Police.
HOMICIDE FILE #7165. Assigned to LaHousse.
Report of Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 8/1/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 9/25/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.
21. 7-25-67 1:30 a.m. - John Doe #397, later identified as JULIUS L. DORSEY, 55/N/M of 1026 Field. Fatal gunshot wound to chest when he ran into the line of fire from Military & Police personnel who were firing at escaping looters.
HOMICIDE FILE #7166. Assigned to: Caviston & Walker.
Ruled "Accidental" on 8/29/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.

22. 7-25-67 2:10 a.m. - John Doe #400, later identified as HENRY DENSON, 27/N/M, of 5952 St. Antoine. Fatal gunshot wound to the head by National Guardsmen SP-4 PETER ALAN PUTALA and SP-3 JOHN C. ALMLI while ignoring command to stop the automobile he was driving through a roadblock located at Mack & E. Gd. Blvd. and then driving the auto at the Guardsmen.
HOMICIDE FILE #7167. Assigned to Everett.
Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 8/4/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 9/25/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.
23. 7-25-67 3:35 a.m. - Patr. JEROME OLSHOVE, assigned to the 13th Prect. Shot in abdomen when he arrested looter DANNY ROYSTER, 20/N/M, who grabbed the gun of Patr. ROY ST. ONGE, - a 12-gauge Stevens shotgun. The shotgun discharged, fatally wounding Patr. OLSHOVE, who expired at 12:15 p.m., 7/25/67. Happened at A & P Market at 121 Holbrook. ROYSTER and two other looters, CHARLES L. LATIMER, 19/N/M, 13571 Birwood & ALBERT PHILLIPS, 23/N/M, 8609 Roselawn, arrested with him, were arraigned in the Recorder's Court of the City of Detroit on 7/25/67. Warrant A-139736, Murder, 1st Degree, obtained against ROYSTER & LATIMER. Warrant A-138814 - Entering w/o Breaking with intent to commit larceny, obtained for all three defendants.
HOMICIDE FILE #7172. Assigned to: Bowron. CASE CLOSED.
24. 7-25-67 3:45 a.m. - WILLIAM JONES, 28/N/M of 4075 Seyburn. Fatally shot by PATR. FELIX BANACH & CHESTER KOTOWICZ while JONES was looting a Beer & Grocery store at 4100 Pennsylvania and then ignored the officers' commands to halt.
HOMICIDE FILE #7159. Assigned to: Debol & Ives.
Ruled "No Criminality" on 8/28/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.
25. 7-25-67 3:50 a.m. - John Doe #400, later identified as RONALD EVANS, 24/N/M, of 2859 Cadillac. Fatal gunshot wound to the head while looting Bob's Market, 4100 Pennsylvania, by Detroit Police Officers SGT. ROBERT PORTE; PATR. LLOYD HEWITT, NORMAN SALO & CHESTER KOTOWICZ.
HOMICIDE FILE #7168. Assigned to: Debol.
Report of Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 7/30/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 8/28/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.

26. 7-25-67 4:30 a.m. - ROY BANKS, 46/N/M, 3497 Crane. Scout 5-10 received a radio-run to Rohns & Mack, "B & E". Several police officers and National Guardsmen responded at which time BANKS was seen running from the building. When orders to halt were ignored, the Officers & Guardsmen opened fire.
HOMICIDE FILE #7207. Assigned to Bostick & McManus.
BANKS expired at 3:00 p.m., 8/14/67 at the Detroit General Hospital, Central Branch.
Ruled "No Criminality" on 9/28/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.
27. 7-25-67 8:05 a.m. - John Doe #402, identified as FRANK TANNER, 19/N/M of 4829 Meldrum, found suffering gunshot wound of the abdomen in the rear yard of 1481 E. Gd. Blvd. DOA at Detroit General Hospital, (CB).
HOMICIDE FILE #7169. Assigned to: Mason.
The deceased, a looter, was shot by an unidentified National Guardsman when he ignored order to halt.
Warrant requested 9/21/67 and was denied by APA Henry Heading who ruled the death Justifiable Homicide. CASE CLOSED.
28. 7-25-67 3:25 p.m. - John Doe #404, identified as ARTHUR JOHNSON, 36/N/M, address unknown, and John Doe #405, identified as PERRY WILLIAMS, 33/N/M, 9726 Cameron. Both shot by Detroit Police while looting the Sherman Loan Co., 1401 Holbrook. Patr. ANDREW ZAZULA shot John Doe #404. Patr. LAWRENCE GIACOBOZZI shot John Doe #405. Both deceased men were armed with clubs and attempted to strike the officers.
29. HOMICIDE FILES #7173 & 7174. Assigned to: Domm.
Report of Cases Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 7/31/67. Both ruled "No Criminality" on 8/30/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASES CLOSED.
30. 7-25-67 9:15 p.m. - Unknown Man #102, identified as JACK SYDNOR, 38/N/M, of 2753 Hazelwood, Apt. #32. Detroit Police were summoned when the apartment manager of the building complained that SYDNOR had fired a gun from his window. As Patr. ROGER POIKE attempted to enter SYDNOR'S apartment, SYDNOR fired several shots at him with a hand gun, inflicting a serious abdominal wound upon PATR. POIKE. The officer returned the fire and fatally wounded SYDNOR.
HOMICIDE FILE #7175. Assigned to: Everett.
Report of Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 7/30/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 8/29/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.

31. 7-26-67 12:30 a.m. - TANYA BLANDING, 4/N/1, 1756 W. Euclid. Was in her home. MORTIMER J. LeBLANC, 41/W, 17701 Five Points, Roseville, was on duty with the Michigan National Guard, B-Troop, 146th Cavalry, 2nd Platoon as a tank commander. Sgt. LeBLANC & his men encountered sniper fire from the upper west apartment of the building. Sgt. LeBLANC fired at the area from which the sniper fire came, one of his shots striking TANYA BLANDING in the right chest.
HOMICIDE FILE #7178. Assigned to: Mason.
Report of Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 7/30/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 9/28/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.
32. 7-26-67 12:45 a.m. - UNKNOWN MAN #103, identified as WILLIAM N. DALTON 19/N/M, of 1495 Taylor. Found lying in the street at Grand River & Edmonton suffering gunshot wounds of chest & abdomen. Conveyed to Northwest General Hospital via Scout 6-4; DOA at 2:20 AM. DALTON was apprehended at scene of an arson at Ivory Bros. Warehouse at above location, then attempted to flee the police. Shot with a shotgun by PATR. RONALD F. KARCHEFSKI, 6th Precinct, after ignoring orders to halt.
HOMICIDE FILE #7179. Assigned to: Mason.
Ruled "Justifiable Homicide" on 9/19/67 by Ass't Wayne County Prosecutor James Garber. CASE CLOSED.
33. 7-26-67 1:00 a.m. - Mary Doe #103, identified as HELEN HALL, 51/W/F, of Oakdale, Conn. Deceased was staying at the Harlan House Motel, 6500 John C. Lodge, apparently looking at tanks from a 4th floor window when she was fatally shot by an unknown sniper from unknown location. At time of shooting, there was heavy sniper fire in the area.
HOMICIDE FILE #7177. Assigned to: Hill & Kanka.
Case is open & investigation is continuing.
34. 7-26-67 1:00 a.m. - SGT. LARRY POST, (Michigan National Guard), of 7420 Chatham, assigned to C Battery, 2nd Battalion, 182nd Artillery, observed a '63 Chev. Ch. Lic. FD-4528, being driven south on Dexter, occupied by 3 W/M's. POST ordered the car to halt; the vehicle accelerated & ran road block at Dexter & Richton. Auto fired on by Guardsmen and vehicle stopped. It was then discovered POST had sustained a gunshot wound to the stomach, having been shot by unknown person/s.
HOMICIDE FILE #7201. Assigned to Schlachter & Smith.
POST expired at the Henry Ford Hospital 4:45 a.m., 8/9/67. Death ruled as ACCIDENTAL.

35. 7-26-67 2:00 a.m. - UNKNOWN MAN #104, identified as AUBREY POLLARD,
 36. 19/N/M of 4599 Oregon;
 37. UNKNOWN MAN #105, identified as CARL COOPER,
 17/N/M of 9061 N. Clarendon, and
 UNKNOWN MAN #106, identified as FRED TEMPLE,
 18/N/M of 10865 Mackay.
 All three men were found shot to death at the Algiers Manor,
 8301 Woodward.
HOMICIDE FILES #7180, 7181 & 7182. Assigned to Schlachter.
 Re: AUBREY POLLARD, - Warrant A-139718, Murder, 1st Degree,
 issued 8/7/67 against PATR. RONALD AUGUST, 28/W/M, DPD.
 Re: CARL COOPER, - Perpetrator unknown at this time.
 Re: FRED TEMPLE, - Warrant A-139719, Murder, 1st Degree,
 issued 8/7/67 against PATR. ROBERT PAILLE, 32/W/M, DPD.
38. 7-26-67 1:40 p.m. - UNKNOWN MAN #107; identified as WILLIE HUNTER,
 39. 26/N/M of 8627 Byron, and
 UNKNOWN MAN #108, identified as PRINCETON WILLIAMS
 31/N/M, address unknown, -
 found in Brown's Drug Store, 8202 Twelfth St., which had been
 destroyed by fire. Bodies were found in basement badly burned
HOMICIDE FILES #7183 & 7184. Assigned to: Mason.
 Cause of death was ruled: Carbon Monoxide Asphyxia.
 Classification of these deaths listed as Accidental.
40. 7-26-67 5:30 p.m. - GEORGE TOLBERT, 20/N/M, 4451 - 30th. TOLBERT was
 shot by National Guardsmen at a roadblock, Dunedin & LaSalle.
 He was conveyed to Ford Hospital & later transferred to Det.
 Gen. Hosp. where he expired from gunshot wounds to the chest.
HOMICIDE FILE #7192. Assigned to: Bostick & McManus.
 Ruled "No Criminality" on 10/24/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor
 William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.
41. 7-26-67 9:30 p.m. - JOHN DOE #406, identified as JULIUS LAWRENCE
 LUST, JR., 26/W/M of 13998 Mitchell, shot by PATR. ROBERT
 WRATHELL & FREDERICK ROBINSON, Scout 11-2, when JAMES BUTLER,
 Private Guard, informed them of a B & E of "G & W Auto Parts",
 17130 Joseph Campau, when he failed to heed the officers'
 commands to halt. Each officer fired, one inflicting fatal
 wound to chest.
HOMICIDE FILE #7185. Assigned to: Debol.
 Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation sub-
 mitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 8/2/67.
 Ruled "No Criminality" on 8/30/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor
 William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.

42. 7-26-67 9:30 p.m. - ALBERT ROBINSON, 38/N/M, 13318 LaSalle, #3. SGT. FRANK THOMAS, Michigan National Guard Co. D, 156 Sig. Batt., and several other Guardsmen were fired on by a sniper, from 13318 LaSalle. Several shots were fired at the building. When the deceased came out of the building, he was suffering from a gunshot wound of the abdomen. He expired on 8/5/67 at the Detroit General Hospital, CB, at 6:45 p.m.
- HOMICIDE FILE #7194. Assigned to: Bostick & McManus.
- Ruled "No Criminality" on 10/5/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.
43. 7-29-67 7:25 p.m. - John Doe #412, identified as ERNEST ROQUEMORE, 19/N/M of 3484 St. Jean. Sp/4 RANDOLPH SMITH, 20/W, 82nd Airborne Inf. Div., U.S. Army, was assigned to Scout 5-3 with 2 other members of the 82nd Airborne & Patr. Robert Lembas, responded to above location on receiving a radio run, "Loot Upstairs". Patr. Lembas entered the dwelling & Sp/4 SMITH & Army personnel went to rear of dwelling. Shortly thereafter, shots were fired in dwelling and a voice was heard to say, "Watch it - one of the men has a gun." Sp/4 SMITH observed the deceased & several other persons flee out rear door and then loaded his rifle. One of the man was carrying a chrome revolver. As Sp/4 SMITH called for the group to halt, the man with the gun turned and pointed the weapon at the officer. Sp/4 SMITH then fired one shot from his gun and as the shot was fired, the deceased ran into the line of fire and was fatally wounded. DOA at Detroit General Hospital.
- HOMICIDE FILE #7190. Assigned to: Reed & Bowron.
- Report on Case Investigated for Warrant Recommendation submitted to Wayne Co. Prosecutor Wm. L. Cahalan on 7/31/67. Ruled "No Criminality" on 8/15/67 by Wayne Co. Prosecutor William L. Cahalan. CASE CLOSED.

ALBERT P. SCHWALLER,
Detective Inspector,
Homicide Bureau.

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<u>CITIZENS</u>	<u>Injured</u>	<u>Fatal</u>	<u>Total</u>
Shot by Unknown Persons	30	6	36
Shot by Sniper	16	4	20
Cut by Unknown Person	5		5
Shot by Guardsmen	3	2	5
Shot (Self, accidentally)	3		3
Assaulted by Unknown Persons	3		3
Injured by Police (Resisting arrest)	2		2
Cut by Sniper	2		2
Asphyxiation (Burned Building)		2	2
Unknown Injury (Possible B & E Man)	1		1
Cut Self (Possible B & E Man)	1		1
Assaulted by Holdup Men	1		1
Dog Bite	1		1
Electrocuted (Fallen Wires)		1	1
Shot by Store Owner		1	1
Shot by Police	1		1
Miscellaneous Injury (Self)	1		1
Bruised (Unknown)	1		1
Assaulted by B & E Youths		1	1
Hit by Auto Fleeing Police	1		1
TOTALS:	72	17	89

<u>POLICE</u>	<u>Injured</u>	<u>Fatal</u>	<u>Total</u>
Stoned - (Unknown persons, unruly mobs)	23		23
Cut - (Either by or because of looters)	16		16
Assaulted by Prisoners	10		10
Shot by Snipers	9		9
Dept. Veh. Accidents because of Snipers	6		6
Injured - Miscellaneous	5		5
Cut by Prisoners	4		4
Cut by B & E Men	2		2
Cut by Snipers	2		2
Miscellaneous (accidental)	2		2
Bite (Human)	2		2
Injured - Burning Building	1		1
Assaulted by Looter	1		1
Injured because of Looters	1		1
Assaulted by Unknown Persons	1		1
Shot by Prisoner		1	1
TOTALS:	85	1	86

<u>LOOTERS</u>	<u>Injured</u>	<u>Fatal</u>	<u>Total</u>
Shot by Police	12	9	21
Cut (Self)	17		17
Injured Resisting Arrest (Police)	4		4
Shot by Guardsmen	4		4
Shot by Unknown Persons	3		3
Shot by Store Owners	1	1	2
Shot by State Police	2		2
Injured Resisting Arrest (Guardsmen)	1		1
Shot by Store Employee	1		1
Shot by Private Guard		1	1
Miscellaneous Injury (Unknown)	1		1
Lacerations & Abrasions (Unknown)	2		2
Burned - (Self)	2		2
Shot by Army		1	1
TOTALS:	50	12	62

<u>PRISONERS</u>	<u>Injured</u>	<u>Fatal</u>	<u>Total</u>
Resisting Arrest (Police)	5		5
Shot by Police	4		4
Shot by Guardsmen	2	1	3
Cut by Police (Gun butts, etc.)	3		3
Shot by Army	3		3
Shot by Unknown	2		2
Cut (Self)	2		2
Cut self (Possession of Explosives)	1		1
Cut (Unknown perpetrator)	1		1
Assaulted by another Prisoner	1		1
Bruised (Self)	1		1
Cut by Guardsmen (Resisting Arrest)	1		1
TOTALS:	26	1	27

SNIPERS

	<u>Injured</u>	<u>Fatal</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cut (Unknown perpetrators)	9		9
Shot by Guardsmen	2	3	5
Resisting Arrest (Police)	5		5
Shot by Police	1	1	2
Shot by State Police	1		1
Injured - Auto Accident Fleeing Police	1		1

TOTALS:

19	4	23
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BREAKING & ENTERING

	<u>Injured</u>	<u>Fatal</u>	<u>Total</u>
Shot by Police	4	3	7
Cut (Self)	3		3
Miscellaneous Injury (Self)	2		2
Shot by Store Owner		1	1
Resisting Arrest (Police)	1		1
TOTALS:	10	4	14

<u>GUARDSMEN</u>	Injured	Fatal	Total
Cut by Looter	1		1
Shot by Sniper	6	1	7
TOTALS:	7	1	8

<u>FIREFIGHTERS</u>	Injured	Fatal	Total
Overcome by Smoke (Arson)	1		1
Burned - (Arsonist)		1	1
Cut (Self)	1		1
Shot by Sniper		1	1
Fell from Burning Building	1		1
TOTALS:	3	2	5

<u>C.C.W.</u>	Injured	Fatal	Total
Cut - Resisting Arrest	2		2
Unknown Injury	1		1
TOTALS:	3		3

<u>STATE POLICE</u>	Injured	Fatal	Total
Cut - (Looter)	1		1
Shot - (Sniper)	1		1
TOTALS:	2		2

<u>ARSONIST</u>	Injured	Fatal	Total
Shot by Police	1	1	2

<u>ARMY</u>	Injured	Fatal	Total
Fainted while on riot duty	1		1

GRAND TOTALS:	279	43	322
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DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION
Homicide File #7207

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

August 24, 1967	DD-6 412427	OFFENSE HOMICIDE. Deceased: ROY BANKS, 51/N/W of 3497 Crane
DATE Det. Lieut. Bostick & Det. McManus	COMPLAINT NUMBER	
ASSIGNED TO		

COMPLAINANT

D/Lieut. Bostick & Det. McManus Homicide Bureau

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD
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DEFENDANT

UNKNOWN MILITARY PERSONNEL OR DETROIT POLICE OFFICER.

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At about 4:45 AM, 7/25/67, Scout 5-10, manned by Patr. FRANK GIANOTTO & National Guardsman Captain DONALD EFREMOFF, LIEUT. JAMES LINDOW & PFC. RICHARD TITHOFF, received a RR to Rohns & Mack - "Looting a bar now".

Scout 5-10 conveyed ROY BANKS to Det. Gen. Hosp (CB), suffering gunshot wounds to the right groin and left leg, condition critical, - Char #593213. ROY BANKS expired at the Det. Gen. Hosp., (CB) at 3:00 PM, 8/14/67, death pronounced by Dr. THOMAS GRIFKA of the hospital staff.

On 8/15/67 a post mortem examination was performed at the Wayne County Morgue by Dr. JOSEPH JULIAR, Ass't Wayne Co. Med. Examiner. Cause of death was given as "Complications due to gun-shot wound of the groin". Morgue File #67-614

A long-hand statement was taken from Patr. FRANK GIANOTTO and statements written by Capt. EFREMOFF, LT. LINDOW & PFC. TITHOF were turned over to the investigating officers. In addition, pertinent questions were asked of the National Guardsmen relative to their activities at the scene. (See notations in question & answer form on back of their statements).

A SYNOPSIS OF ABOVE STATEMENTS FOLLOWS.

PATR. GIANOTTO:

Was driving the car. On arrival; observed military personnel already in the immediate area. He and one of the Guardsmen of his crew ran to the rear of the buildings. Believes other two Guardsmen stayed in the front. As he got to the rear of the buildings, someone said, "There he goes". Patr. GIANOTTO took cover behind some rubble. Someone yelled "halt" several times and then there was a lot of shooting. Patr. GIANOTTO did not fire his weapon, a Dept.-issued shotgun. After the shooting, Patr. GIANOTTO observed ROY BANKS lying on the ground on Crane between Mack and the alley south of Mack on the west side of the street at the rear of a parked truck. Patr. GIANOTTO, assisted by a Guardsman, placed ROY BANKS into the scout car and conveyed him to the hospital.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF CAPT. DONALD EFREMOFF, Mich. Nat'l Guard.

States that at about 4:45 AM on 7/25/67, while with Patr. FRANK GIANOTTO, they received a radio run to Rohns & Mack to check the looting of a bar. States that they checked the front of the bar and they observed a man attempting to go out the back. He and PRC. TITHOFF covered the front of the building, while the others went to the rear. He heard "halt" shouted three times. States he then heard a series of shots at the rear of the building. States there were other unknown Guardsmen and police officers at the scene. States they found the man lying on the ground - wounded - and conveyed him to the hospital. States he did not fire his weapon.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF LIEUT. JAMES LINDOW, Mich. Nat'l Guard.

States they received a radio run to Rohns & Mack at 4:45 AM on 7/25/67, - "A breaking and entering at the bar". States as they arrived, he saw a man run from the back of the bar. He ran to the rear of the bar where there were other Guardsmen. States he heard someone yell "stop" three times and then heard shot. States that the body was found on the ground. States there was no room for him in the police car when they conveyed the man to the hospital. He returned to the police station with another unknown unit. States that while at the scene, he did not fire any shots.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF PFC. RICHARD TITHOF, Mich. Nat'l Guard.
(Same as Capt. Efremoff.)

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF ESSIE JONES (Common-law wife of Roy Banks).

Deaf mute. Questions & answers relayed by Kitty Williams, who translated

States that while sitting on the porch on the evening of 7/24/67, Mrs. Williams said (by sign language), "All jobs are closed and buses are not running. No use getting up for work in the morning. Mr. Banks understood this. States the police (TMU) came by and ordered them off the porch. States everyone went to bed at 1:00 AM on 7/25/67 except Mr. Banks. States that she got up at 4:30 AM and Mr. Banks was NOT in the home.

A CANVASS OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD WAS CONDUCTED AND THE FOLLOWING WITNESSES WERE INTERVIEWED WITH STATEMENTS AS INDICATED.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF MARGARET BROOKS:

States the party store below her was looted 7/23/67. States the bar below her was broken into 7/24/67. She was afraid to stay home and went to a friend's home at 3540 Rohns. (House on alley of Rohns & Mack). States she was unable to sleep and was sitting in the front window looking out. At about 4:30 AM on 7/25/67, she saw two colored men walk west from the back of the bar to the rear door of the bar. One of the men walked back onto the corner of Mack to act as a look-out. She then called the police. She states the Army was there almost right away. States she did not see any police officers. States that when the Army came up, the fellow who was acting as look-out ran from the corner of Rohns and Mack back around to the rear of the bar and then the two of them ran west the alley and out of her line of vision. She heard one of the Army men yell "halt" twice and he fired a shot in the air.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF LAURA SMITH OF 8832 MACK.

States she was in bed on Tuesday morning, 7/25/67. Didn't know what time it was as she had been asleep. States she heard shooting that sounded as though it was right at her back door. She stayed in bed because she was scared. States there was a whole lot of shooting, then it stopped. States she heard what sounded like a man's voice holler "Oh". States she did not see what was doing the shooting.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF JOHNNIE JACKSON of 8832 MACK.

States he was in bed on 7/25/67 when he was awakened by some shooting. States he got out of bed and got under the bed. States he heard three or four shots but did not see anything.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENTS OF CALVIN AND SANDRA BERRY AND DENISE BALLARD of 3533 Rohns.

Sandra Berry states she heard shooting. Said that it sounded like it was at her house. Stated she got out of bed and onto the floor. She looked out the window and saw Police and National Guards running west in the alley. Stated there were lots of them.

Calvin Berry states he heard shooting and looked out the window. He heard National Guardsman yell "halt" about four times at the most, before the shooting. States he heard three or four shots fired. States he saw National Guardsmen, TMU and regular police around.

Denise Ballard states same as above.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF JOSEPH PAMPALONE, Owner of M & R Lounge at 8836 Mack.

States his bar was looted at about 5:00 PM on July 24, 1967. States the back door and front window were broken out. States that all that was left in the bar was the beer in the cooler. States he did not return to the bar until Wednesday, 7/26/67.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF EDWARD SEABROOKS of 8752 Mack.

States he was in his garage at above location on 7/25/67 between 4 and 5 AM. States he heard 3 or 4 shots and could hear glass falling on the inside of his garage. States he looked out the window and saw about 10 National Guardsmen and 2 policemen. Two Guardsmen came over and pointed their guns at him and told him to get back. He did, and saw the Guardsmen kneel down with their rifles in "High-Port" position. He states he then turned on a light inside the garage which lit up the sidewalk alongside his garage. He then saw a man lying on the sidewalk, face down, in a pool of blood. States that was the first time he saw the man and didn't know where he came from. States the Guardsmen came & told him to open his door. He did and his dogs started to go out. They told him to close the door and he did. He then observed two policemen put the man in a scout car and leave.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF CHARLES BOWENS.

Observed a colored man walking on the sidewalk, north on Crane on the west side of the street just south of Mack. When he got just past the alley, he heard several shots and then could not see this man any more because he was behind the truck. Then saw several National Guardsmen run over by the truck. Saw one policeman. Three Guardsmen picked up the colored man and put him in the police car. Did not hear anybody yell "halt". Prior to the shooting, it had been quiet.

SYNOPSIS OF VERNON JENKINS' STATEMENT.

About 4:30 AM or 5:00 AM, heard lots of shooting. Did not hear anyone yell "halt". Looked out the window & saw about 16 or 17 Army men & a few policemen. They were all gathered around near the alley by the garage. Then they all ran (indicated) east on Mack. Later they came back and picked up a man & put him in the car. Had not seen this man until they picked him up. About 1/2 hour (estimated time), before the shooting, saw a tall man in a white shirt running (indicating), from east to west in the alley, across Crane and out of sight west in the alley.

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER

NAME

Roy D. Banks m/c

F.B.I. NO.
M.S.B. NO.

ALIAS

Contributor

Name and Number

Date

Charge

Disposition

DPD

Roy DEPCO BANKS

NO RECORD
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September 28, 1967

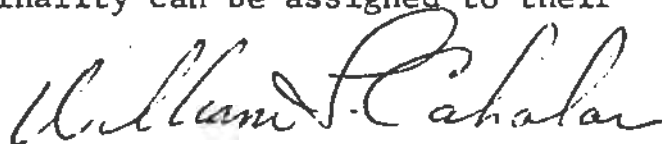
MEMORANDUM

Re: UNKNOWN MILITARY PERSONNEL, OR,
DETROIT POLICE OFFICER

I have reviewed all of the facts as set forth in the statements of witnesses in the file of the above referenced persons. A reiteration of these facts would serve no useful purpose.

Based upon the review, it is my position that it would be impossible for the People to maintain its burden of proof insofar as which of the several persons involved actually fired the fatal shot.

But further, even if we were able to determine which of the many parties was responsible, the facts as they appeared to these several individuals would justify their actions. It is therefore, my conclusion that the parties acted in good faith and without malice, and that no criminality can be assigned to their actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

WLC:d

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT, RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File 7156

OFFENSE

July 28, 1967

#DD-386914

HOMICIDE: Deceased ROBERT BEAL,

DATE

COMPLAINT NUMBER

Det. Lt. Reed & Det. Bowron Homicide Bureau

49/N, of 8857 Treadwell Pl.

ASSIGNED TO

COMPLAINANT

Detective Eljay Bowron

Homicide Bureau

NAME

AGE AND RACE

ADDRESS

CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

PATR. ERNEST GILBERT

#13th Precinct - Detroit Police Department

NAME Badge #2569

AGE AND RACE

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IN CUSTODY

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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

On July 24, 1967 at 1:24 PM John Doe #379 (later identified as ROBERT BEAL 49/N) was reported DOA at the Detroit General Hospital, Central Branch. Dr. Wey Hining pronounced death, Chart #593082.

On July 25, 1967 an autopsy was performed on the body of ROBERT BEAL, by Wayne County Medical Examiner, Dr. John F. Burton, who gave the cause of death as "shotgun wound to the abdomen". Morgue File #67-5605.

The investigation disclosed that at 1:25 PM on July 24, 1967 Patr. Ernest GILBERT was patrolling a 2½ ton truck with National Guard personnel, which included 2nd Lt. Lewis Walker, Sgt. Jurriion Potter, Cadet Vernon Bigelow, Pvt. Robert Moore, Pvt. Curtis VanNoord, Pvt. Perry Verbeek, Pvt. Harry Westra and Sp/4C Fehmm Euikeme. PATR. GILBERT saw a looter in an auto parts store at 9325 Oakland Ave., City of Detroit, and ordered the truck to stop. The above personnel then went into the store at which time GILBERT saw ROBERT BEAL and ordered him to come out. BEAL had unknown objects in his hand, turned toward PATR. GILBERT suddenly at which time PATR. GILBERT fired one shot from his shotgun, inflicting the fatal wound. BEAL continued to run, and was subsequently found lying in the alley, at 9325 Oakland.

Scout 13-4 conveyed ROBERT BEAL to the Detroit General Hospital, C.B.

Statements from the above-mentioned personnel indicate that BEAL made a sudden motion toward PATR. GILBERT and then attempted to escape arrest for looting.

WITNESSES

Name Det. Eljay Bowron Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to

Signing complaint - one of the officers assigned to the case.

Name Dr. Wey Hining Address Det. General Hosp. Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Chart #593082

Pronouncing death.

Name Dr. John E. Burton Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

File #67-5605

Performing autopsy and giving cause of death.

Name Earline Beal, Wife Address 8857 Treadway Place
Willie Brunner, 1/2 Bro. Address 1521 Garland Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Identifying body at the Wayne County Morgue.

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Officers in Charge of Case Eljay Bowron Precinct Homicide
Det. (Eljay Bowron - D-1/1) Bureau
Division D.D.

Approved:

Albert P. Schwaller

ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, Detective Inspector - Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER
#157671

NAME	F.B.I. NO. M.S.B. NO.	ALIAS
Robert Beal (B)		

Contributor 6-23-58, em	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
P.D., Det Mich	Robert Beal #157671	7-31-52	Inv CCW	7-31-52, Dism no Case
"	"	7-5-56	Inv Fel Aslt	7-13-56, Dischg on Wri
"	"	6-21-58, (re-reg)	Inv Larc fr Store Drunk	6-23-58- \$10 or 30 da DHC
"	"	2-7-59	Traffic Warrant	2-7-59, \$5 or 1 day
ALL CRIMINAL RECORDS MUST BE LEFT IN FILE				

September 28, 1967

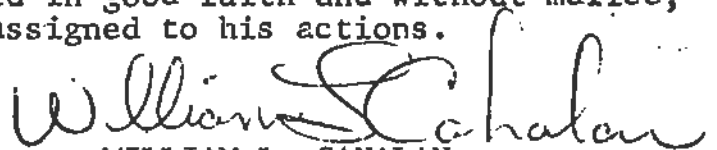
MEMORANDUM

Re: PATROLMAN ERNEST GILBERT

I have reviewed all of the facts as set forth in the Statements of witnesses in the file of the above referenced person. A reiteration of these facts would serve no useful purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide". It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case, "Patton vs. People, 18 Michigan 314".

Based upon the facts as they appeared to PATROLMAN ERNEST GILBERT, it is my conclusion that he acted in good faith and without malice, and that no criminality can be assigned to his actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

WLC:d

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

HOMICIDE FILE # 7178

July 30, 1967	DD 412386	OFFENSE
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER	HOMICIDE: Deceased-TOYNA BLANDING
Det. Lt. Alfred Paro and Det. David Mason		4/F/N of 1756 W. Euclid
ASSIGNED TO		

COMPLAINANT			
Det. David Mason		Homicide Bureau	

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD
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D.O.B. 9-6-25 (Redford) DEFENDANT

Mortimer Joseph LeBlanc	W/41-17701	5 Point-Roseville, Mich.	No	No
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY
				CRIM. RECORD

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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

TIME: 12:30 A.M.
DATE: 7-26-67
PLACE: 1756 W. Euclid (Upper-left)

At the above time and place, the defendant, an E-6, assigned to the Michigan National Guard, B-Troop, 146 Calvary, 2nd Platoon as a Tank Commander was on duty in an M-41 Tank. The Tank was travelling north on 12th. As the Tank approached W. Euclid it was fired upon by a sniper. The Tank along with other vehicles containing members of the National Guard stopped in the intersection. The Tank was on the S.W. corner. After a few minutes there were more shots from the upper windows of the bldg. at 1756 W. Euclid. The defendant, who was operating a 50 caliber machine gun, mounted on the Tank, asked where the fire was coming from. E-4 Danny Kwiecinski who was on the fender of the Tank and feeding the machine gun saw a flash from the upper windows facing 12th street and the defendant fired his weapon at the windows. The Tank then moved north on 12th to the end of the bldg. and as it was returning to the intersection it was fired upon again from the corner window on the upper floor of the bldg. (window faced 12th. The tank took up a position on the S.E. corner of 12th and Euclid. The defendant fire a short burst and then turned off the motor to the Tank. At this time people could be heard inside the bldg. hollering for help, that someone had been shot.

The following persons were removed from the apt. that had been under fire: TONYA B LANDING 4/F/N suffering gunshot wound to the right chest (Thru & Thru), Valerie Hood 21/F/N suffering a gunshot wound to the right upper arm (Thru & Thru), Bill Hood 19/M/N suffering lacerations about the chest and the following who were not injured: June 31/N & James Blanding 41/N (Mother & Father of Tonya) and their children, Yancey 7, Michael 6, Carlos Hood 14 and Kim Hood 11 all of 1756 W. Euclid (Upper Left); William Hood Jr. 24/N (Husband of Valerie) and their 3 children all of 5017 Spokane.

The injured were conveyed to Ford Hospital via Private Ambulance with Tonya Blanding was pronounced D.O.A. at 1:20 A.M. by Dr. Hoffman of the staff. Valerie Hood was admitted with almost severed right arm above the elbow. Bill Hood was F.A.O.

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(Witnesses-Over)

PAGE 2 HOMICIDE FILE # 7176
FATA SHOOTING OF TONYA BLANDING.

On 7-26-67 an autopsy was performed on the body of Tonya Blanding by A.W.C.M.E., Dr. Joseph Juliar at the Wayne county Morgue, who gave the cause of death as gunshot wound to the chest, Morgue File # 67-5672.

On 7-27-67 1st Lt. Ralph Wilbur, J.A.G.C. took a longhand statement from the defendant and E-4 Danny Kwiecinski.

On 7-27-67 Det. David Mason, Homicide Bureau took a longhand statement from Valerio Hood at Ford Hospital.

On 7-27-67 longhand statements were taken from Bill Hood, William Hood Jr., June Blanding and James Blanding at 11408 Grandhaven (Hamtramck) by Det. Mason and Det. Robert Everett, Homicide Bureau.

On 7-28-67 the defendant was interviewed at Central High School in the presence of 1st Lt. Wilbur, J.A.G.C. and after being advised of his constitutional rights repeated the same statement he made to Lt. Wilbur on 7-27-67, to Det. Mason.

On 7-28-67 at 11:00A.M. Dets Mason and Everett along with William Hood Jr. went to 1756 W. Euclid upper left. The front door had been kicked open and the apt. was in disorder. Det. Mason found 4 cigarette Butts (Old Gold) and a part pack of Old Golds on the floor of the front bedroom, under the front windows. Det. Everett found a spent 38 Cal. casing on the floor in this bedroom. Also Confiscated from the 2 bedrooms and the dinningroom were 20 men's sport or suit coats, 35 pairs of pants, 4 men's overcoats, 5 pair of ladies slacks, misc. women's clothing (some of the clothing was new, some with pawn shop tags and some with cleaners tags which were not in the occupants names or addresses. 23 new paint brushes, a portable T.V., 2 portable record players, a tape recorder, 5 radios, 2 new wallets, a Roto Broil, Movie camera, elec. razor, elec. can opener and misc. can foods and soaps. Some of the articals were new, some had pawn shop tags and most had been damaged by bullets. All suspected loot from shops in the Riot area. A box of 38 cal. bullets was found in the dresser draw in the front bedroom. All of the above placed on evidence tags at the Main Property Office.

On 7-29-67 Private Patrol Watchman Warren Bowman 42/X and John Bryant 27/X who were at the scene with the guardmen at the time of the shooting were interviewed at the Homicide Bureau and longhand statements taken from them by Det. Mason. Mr. Bryant states he observed the tank as it got to 12th and Euclid. He states that he heard 3 or 4 shots come from the east side of 12th at Euclid. The tank stopped and the men hit the ground, after a few minutes there were 3 or 4 more shots and he heard someone say, "The fire is coming from that bldg (person pointed to the bldg. on N.E. corner of 12th and Euclid (1756) at this time the tank fired on the bldg. Mr Bryant states that about 30 minutes before the above shooting, he was at the corner of 12th and Euclid at the scene of an accident and that he observed flashes of gunfire coming from the south most window (upper) on the west side of 1756 W. Euclid. He also stated that someone fired shots at him from those same windows the night before.

WITNESSES

Name Det. David Mason Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to
Signing the complaint and the investigation.

Name June Blanding Address 1756 W. Euclid Criminal Record _____
Name James Blanding Address 1756 W. Euclid Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Identifying the deceased at the morgue and the events leading up to the shooting.

Name Dr. Hoffman Address Ford Hospital Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Pronounced Death.

(File # 67-5072)

Name Dr. Joseph Juliar Address Wayne Co. Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Performed autopsy and gave cause of death.

Name John Bryant Address 9922 E. Forest Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Being shot at from apt. at 1756 W. Euclid earlier in the night, seeing shots being fired from the same apt at the time of the fatal shooting.

Officers in Charge of Case D/Lieut. Al Alfred Pare Homicide Bureau
Alfred Pare # DL-60 Precinct _____
Approved: Det. David Mason, # D-332 Division _____

Det. Insp. Albert Schwaller, Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

September 28, 1967

MEMORANDUM

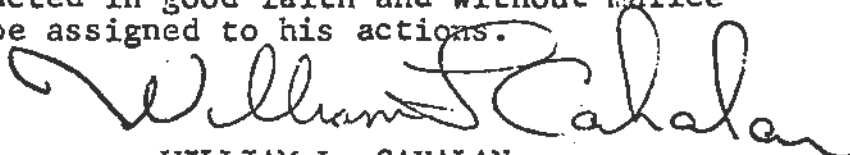
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Re: MORTIMER JOSEPH LE BLANC

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There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide". It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case, "Patton vs. People, 18 Michigan 314".

Based upon the facts as they appeared to MORTIMER JOSEPH LE BLANC, it is my conclusion that he acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality can be assigned to his actions.



WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

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DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

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HOMICIDE FILE # 7178

OFFENSE

July 30, 1967

DD 412386

HOMICIDE: Deceased-TOYNA (BLANDING)
4/F/N of 1756 W. Euclid

COMPLAINT NUMBER
Det. Lt. Alfred Pare and Det. David Mason

ASSIGNED TO

COMPLAINANT

Det. David Mason

Homicide Bureau

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD
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D.O.B. 9-6-25 (Redford) DEFENDANT

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
Mortimer Joseph LeBlanc	W/41-17701	5 Point-Roseville, Mich.	No	No	

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

TIME: 12:30 A.M.
DATE: 7-26-67
PLACE: 1756 W. Euclid (Upper-left)

At the above time and place, the defendant, an E-6, assigned to the Michigan National Guard, B-Troop, 146 Calvary, 2nd Platoon as a Tank Commander was on duty in an M-41 Tank. The Tank was travelling north on 12th. As the Tank approached 1756 W. Euclid it was fired upon by a sniper. The Tank along with other vehicles containing members of the National Guard stopped in the intersection. The Tank was on the S.W. corner. After a few minutes there were more shots from the upper windows of the bldg. at 1756 W. Euclid. The defendant, who was operating a 50 caliber machine gun, mounted on the Tank, asked where the fire was coming from. E-4 Danny Kwiecinski who was on the fender of the Tank and feeding the machine gun saw a flash from the upper windows facing 12th street and the defendant fired his weapon at the windows. The Tank then moved north on 12th to the end of the bldg. and as it was returning to the intersection it was fired upon again from the corner window on the upper floor of the bldg. (window faced 12th. The tank took up a position on the S.E. corner of 12th and Euclid. The defendant fired a short burst and then turned off the motor to the Tank. At this time people could be heard inside the bldg. hollering for help, that someone had been shot.

The following persons were removed from the apt. that had been under fire: TONYA B LANDING 4/F/N suffering gunshot wound to the right chest (Thru & Thru), Valerie Hood 21/F/N suffering a gunshot wound to the right upper arm (Thru & Thru), Bill Hood 19/M/N suffering lacerations about the chest and the following who were not injured: June 31/N & James Blanding 41/N (Mother & Father of Tonya) and their children, Yancey 7, Michael 6, Carlos Hood 14 and Kim Hood 11 all of 1756 W. Euclid (Upper Left); William Hood Jr. 24/N (Husband of Valerie) and their 3 children all of 5017 Spokane.

The injured were conveyed to Ford Hospital via Private Ambulance were Tonya Blanding was pronounced D.O.A. at 1:20 A.M. by Dr. Hoffman of the staff. Valerie Hood was admitted with almost severed right arm above the elbow. Bill Hood was F.A.O.

On 7-26-67 an autopsy was performed on the body of Tonya Blanding by A.W.C.M.E., Dr. Joseph Juliar at the Wayne county Morgue, who gave the cause of death as gunshot wound to the chest, Morgue File # 67-5672.

On 7-27-67 1st Lt. Ralph Wilbur, J.A.G.C. took a longhand statement from the defendant and E-4 Danny Kwiecinski.

On 7-27-67 Det. David Mason, Homicide Bureau took a longhand statement from Valerie Hood at Ford Hospital.

On 7-27-67 longhand statements were taken from Bill Hood, William Hood Jr., June Blanding and James Blanding at 11408 Grandhaven (Hamtramck) by Det. Mason and Det. Robert Everett, Homicide Bureau.

On 7-28-67 the defendant was interviewed at Central High School in the presence of 1st Lt. Wilbur, J.A.G.C. and after being advised of his constitutional rights repeated the same statement he made to Lt. Wilbur on 7-27-67, to Det. Mason.

On 7-28-67 at 11:00A.M. Dets Mason and Everett along with William Hood Jr. went to 1756 W. Euclid upper left. The front door had been kicked open and the apt. was in disorder. Det. Mason found 4 cigarette Butts (Old Gold) and a part pack of Old Golds on the floor of the front bedroom, under the front windows. Det. Everett found a spent 38 Cal. casing on the floor in this bedroom. Also Confiscated from the 2 bedrooms and the dinningroom were 20 men's sport or suit coats, 35 pairs of pants, 4 men's overcoats, 5 pair of ladies slacks, misc. women's clothing (some of the clothing was new, some with pawn shop tags and some with cleaners tags which were not in the occupants names or addresses. 23 new paint brushes, a portable T.V., 2 portable record players, a tape recorder, 5 radios, 2 new walletts, a Roto Broil, Movie camera, elec. razor, elec. can opener and misc. can foods and soaps. Some of the articals were new, some had pawn shop tags and most had been damaged by bullets. All suspected loot from shops in the Riot area. A box of 38 cal. bullets was found in the dresser draw in the front bedroom. All of the above placed on evidence tags at the Main Property Office.

On 7-29-67 Private Patrol Watchman Warren Bowman 42/N and John Bryant 27/M who were at the scene with the guardmen at the time of the shooting were interviewed at the Homicide Bureau and longhand statements taken from them by Det. Mason. Mr. Bryant states he observed the tank as it got to 12th and Euclid. He states that he heard 3 or 4 shots come from the east side of 12th at Euclid. The tankX topped and the men hit the ground, after a few minutes there were 3 or 4 more shots and he heard someone say, "The fire is coming from thst bldg (person pointed to the bldg. on N.E. corner of 12th and Euclid (1756) at this time the tank fired on the bldg. Mr Bryant atates that about 30 minutes before the above shooting, he was at the corner of 12th and Euclid at the scene of an acciden and that he observed flashes of gunfire coming from the south most window (upper) on the west side of 1756 W. Euclid. He also stated that someone fired shots at him from those same windows the night before.

WITNESSES

Name Det. David Mason Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to

Signing the complaint and the investigation.

Name June Blanding Address 1756 W. Euclid Criminal Record _____
Name James Blanding Address 1756 W. Euclid Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Identifying the deceased at the morgue and the events leading up to the shooting.

Name Dr. Hoffman Address Ford Hospital Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Pronounced Death.

(File # 67-5672)

Name Dr. Joseph Juliar Address Wayne Co. Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Performed autopsy and gave cause of death.

Name John Bryant Address 9922 E. Forest Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Being shot at from apt. at 1756 W. Euclid earlier in the night, seeing shots being fired from the same apt at the time of the fatal shooting.

Officers in Charge of Case D/Lieut. Al Alfred Pare Homicide Bureau
Alfred Pare # DL-60 Precinct _____
Approved: Det. David Mason, # D-332 Division _____

Det. Insp. Albert Schwaller Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

September 28, 1967

MEMORANDUM

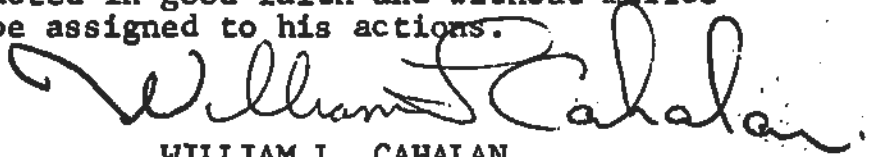
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Re: MORTIMER JOSEPH LE BLANC

I have reviewed all of the facts as set forth in the Statements of witnesses in the file of the above referenced person. A reiteration of these facts would serve no useful purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide". It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case, "Patton vs. People, 18 Michigan 314".

Based upon the facts as they appeared to MORTIMER JOSEPH LE BLANC, it is my conclusion that he acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality can be assigned to his actions.



WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

WLC:d

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

Homicide File #7166

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

August 11, 1967		DD-386923	OFFENSE	
DATE	Caviston & Walker		Homicide (Deceased: JULIUS L. DORSEY, 55/N/M, of 1026 Field, no phone).	
ASSIGNED TO		COMPLAINANT		

Detective Eugene Caviston		Homicide Bureau		No
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD	

Age 22		DEFENDANT			
PFC WARREN W. KLANN, Michigan National Guard, Company C, 1st Bat., 225th Infantry					
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
(or other Unknown Military or Police Personnel).					
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At 1:30 a.m., on July 25, 1967, Scout 7-15 received a radio run to Field and E. Lafayette, "a guard shot." Scout 7-15 conveyed JULIUS L. DORSEY (AKA John Doe #397) to the Detroit General Hospital, C.B., where he was pronounced D.O.A. at 2:05 a.m., by Dr. R. Wilson, of the Hospital Staff, Case #00439.

On July 28, 1967, at about 11:30 a.m., Dr. Clara Raven, Assistant Wayne County Medical Examiner, performed an autopsy on the body of JULIUS L. DORSEY at the Wayne County Morgue. Dr. Raven gave the cause of death as "Penetrating gunshot wound to chest." Morgue File #67-5634. No bullet was recovered from the body. The wound was through and through, entrance upper right chest, exit lower left back, & believed to have been fired from a rifle.

Detectives Eugene Caviston and James Walker, of the Homicide Bureau, were assigned to investigate this death, and the following has been established:

During the early morning hours of Monday, July 24, 1967, the M & M Market at 1000 Field was looted by unknown persons. At 9:00 p.m., on July 24, 1967, JULIUS L. DORSEY, who is a private uniformed guard employed by Banks & Frity, at 18038 James Couzens, began guarding the M & M Market against continued looting. DORSEY was in uniform at the time, but was working on his own and not through his employer.

At about 1:15 a.m., July 25, 1967, DORSEY was approached by three unknown negroes (2 males and 1 female) and told to ignore their looting of the premises. He refused and was verbally abused and threatened by the trio, who stated they were armed. DORSEY drew his privately owned n.p. Automatic Pistol to hold off the looters and asked VIOLA SMITH, 45/N/F, his wife, to go across the street and get EUGENE BAILEY, 59/N/M, to assist him. Shortly after she left, DORSEY instructed an unidentified neighbor to call either Banks & Frity Co. or the police for assistance. The argument between DORSEY and the looters grew more heated, and DORSEY fired three (3) shots, either into the air or at the looters. The looters then fled south along Field, approximately 150 yards, to the La-Field Market at 716 Field and began stealing from this store.

At 1:34 a.m., the police radio broadcasted a run to Scout 7-12, "Field and Lafayette, at the Market, looters, they have rifles." This radio broadcast was monitored by other police and Michigan National Guard Units in the area.

(Witness or Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Eugene Caviston Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record No

Complainant Testifies to

Signing the complaint; one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Eugene Caviston Homicide
Det. Eugene Caviston, D-364 Precinct Bureau

Officers in Charge of Case James Walker Division DD
Det. James Walker, D-327

Approved:

Albert Schwaller

Det. Inspt. Albert P. Schwaller, Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

Scout 7-12 was manned by PATROLMAN WILLIAM LASKY, of the Detroit Police Department, and three (3) Michigan National Guardsmen, SERGEANTS DANIEL TOMS and JOSEPH GAMRAT, JR., and P.F.C. WARREN W. KLANN, of the 225th Infantry, 1st Bat., Company C.

Immediately after DORSEY had fired the three shots and the looters had fled, BAILEY joined DORSEY, and the two men sat on the bottom step of 1004 Field to observe the arrest of these persons as they could see the approaching police car driving north on Field from E. Jefferson.

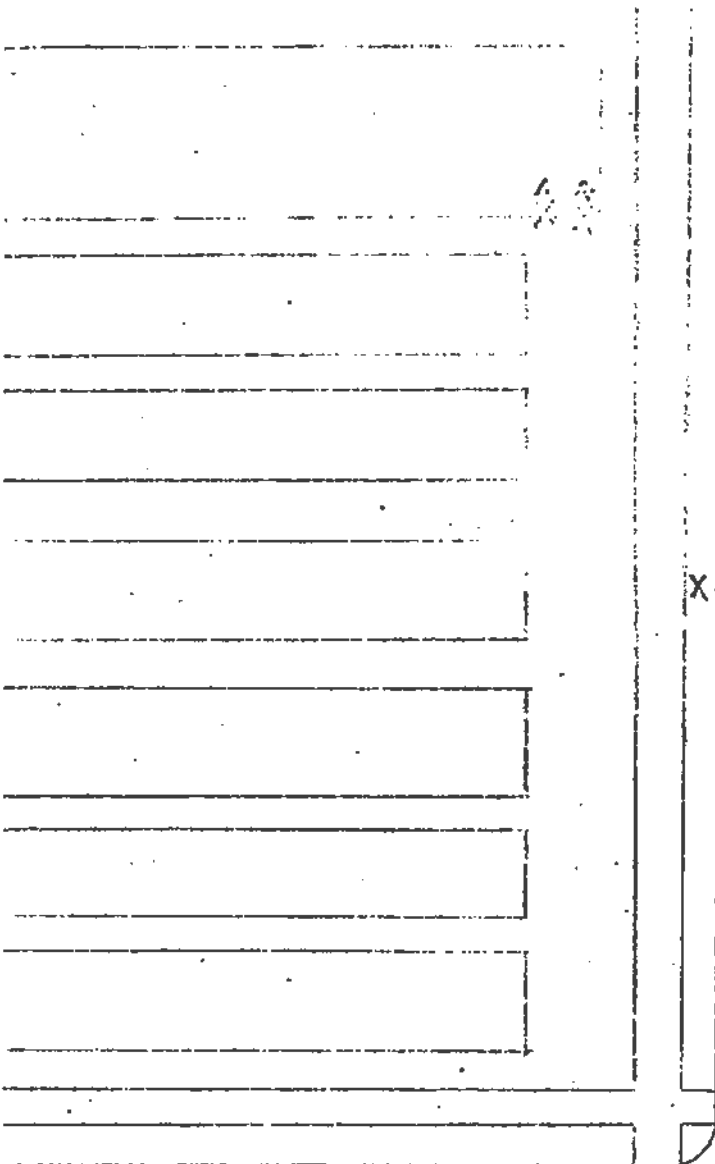
At 716 Field, Scout 7-12 stopped and ordered the looters to halt. All but one negro male fled north along Field towards where DORSEY and BAILEY were seated. P.F.C. KLANN and others called out several times, ordering the fleeing persons to halt and then fired on them when their orders were ignored. It was observed to the men that none of the looters had been hit and had made good their escape. The remaining looter, EDWARD SAMUELS, 33/N/M, was arrested and placed into Scout 7-12 to be conveyed to the 7th Precinct. Warrant #A-139081 is pending against SAMUELS at this time.

As the car was leaving, EUGENE BAILEY stepped from the porch at 1004 Field and informed the officers that DORSEY had been shot. Scout 7-12 radioed for an ambulance, and Scout 7-15 responded to convey DORSEY to the Hospital.

There were no street lights on in the area, and BAILEY and DORSEY were partially concealed by the front of the M & M Market at 1000 Field.

Because of the nature of the radio run, armed looters, one or more of the numerous police and military units in the area responded to assist Scout 7-12 at the scene. The three shots fired by DORSEY as they arrived would support the belief that there were armed persons involved at this location. The path followed by the escaping looters placed DORSEY in a direct line of fire; however, because of the darkness and his concealed position, no one was aware of his injury until BAILEY reported this to Scout 7-12 which was the only unit still in the area.

P.F.C. KLANN states that when he exited the police car in front of 716 Field, he observed several police or National Guardsmen alight from a vehicle on Lafayette at Field, and also call out to the fleeing looters, ordering them to halt. P.F.C. KLANN stated he fired one or possibly two shots and that several shots were fired by the unidentified personnel. Due to the lighting, P.F.C. KLANN cannot be certain if this other vehicle was a jeep, truck or police scout car. The investigating officers found evidence of 5 bullet marks, other than the fatal shot, along Field, north from Lafayette. No spent bullets were recovered.



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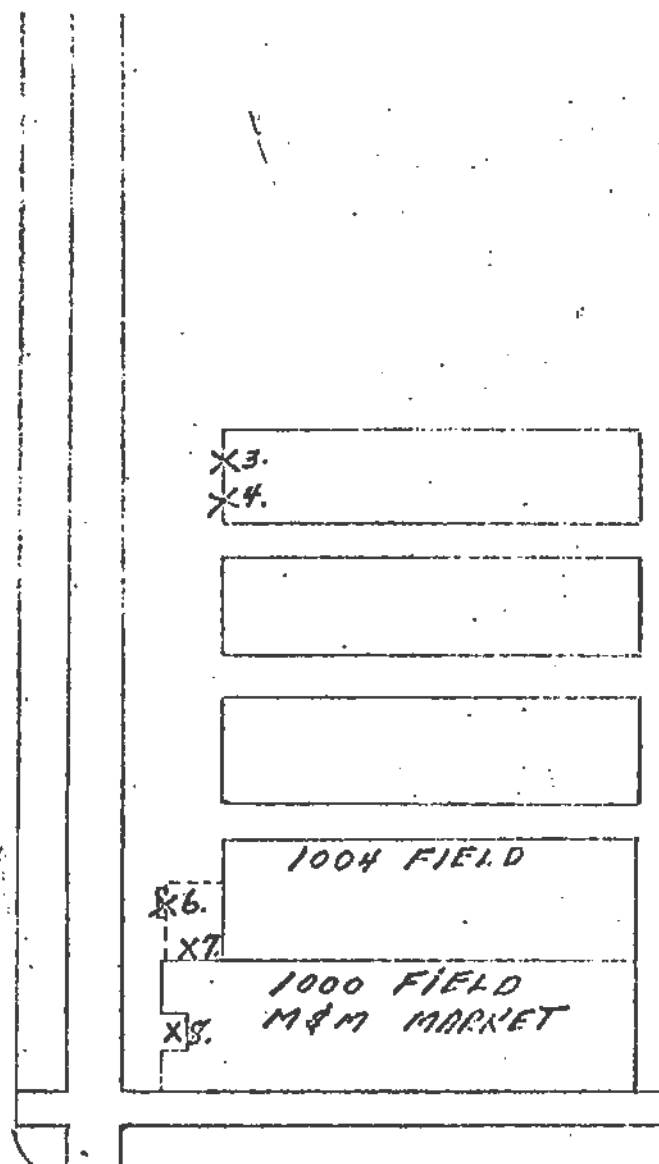
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E. LAFAYETTE

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X8	PREV. B&E
X9	LOOTING AT TIME
X10	SHOOTING FROM

FILE # 7166



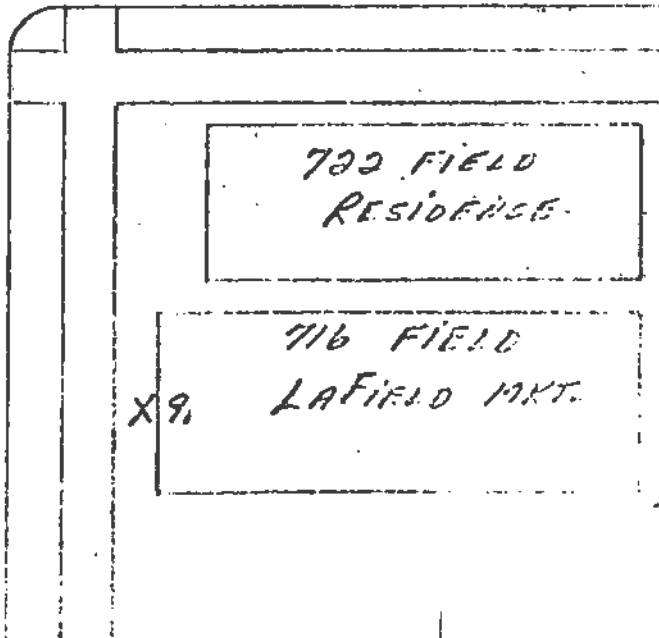
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1000 FIELD
M&M MARKET

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722 FIELD
RESIDENCE

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716 FIELD
LAFIELD MKT.

CRIMINAL RECORD

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER

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NAME JULIUS DORSEY (col)	F.B.I. No. 12 927 A M.S.B. No.	ALIAS Julius Lem Dorsey
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(born: 4-2-28/Indianapolis, Indiana)
THIS RECORD FORWARDED TO OR RECEIVED BY _____

SIGNATURE AND/OR AGENCY OF PERSON RECEIVING

ON _____ BY _____

DATE

IDENTIFICATION-RECORD BUREAU

8-6-67/mab (FBI rec request 7-31-67)

CONTRIBUTOR	NAME AND NUMBER	DATE	CHARGE AND DOCKET NUMBER	DISPOSITION
ARMY	Julius Lem Dorsey #34718869	7-29-43		
PD, Memphis Tennessee	Julius Dorsey #23663	1-13-41	Investigation (Assault w/bottle)	1-15-41, dismissed
"	"	7-14-48	Investigation (Theft of paint)	7-15-48, released
PD, West Memphis Arkansas	Julius Lem Dorsey #11893	5-26-51	Driv while intox	\$75 & C - 1 da
Shelby Co Penal Farm, Memphis Tennessee	Julius Lem Dorsey #22594	2-27-52	GL	3 years
PD, Memphis Tennessee	Julius L. Dorsey #23663	4-18-56	Reck driving - lv scene of accident	
"	"	11-13-59	Burg	11-16-59, held to State
"	"	12-14-60	Parole registra- tion	12-14-60, released
"	"	5-9-63	Non support	Ref to Juv Cr
PD, West Memphis Arkansas	Julious Lem Dorsey #637638	12-22-63	DWI	
PD, Memphis Tennessee	Julius Lem Dorsey #23663	7-19-66	False Fire alarm	
"	Julius L. Dorsey #4705	appl FP 6-19-47		

PD, Detroit, Michigan DECEASED (prt rec'd FBI
8-1-67/John Doe #397-400-#5634)(info fr FBI sheet: Residence: in 1966
Memphis, Tennessee)

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MEMORANDUM

Re: File No. 7166, Dec. Julius L. Dorsey, 55/N/M
Def. UNKNOWN, July 25, 1967, 1:30 A.M.
Location: Field and East Jefferson

It appears that the deceased was a private guard and was guarding a store located at 1000 Field. Three citizens attempted to loot the store.

Dorsey directed an unidentified neighbor to call the police, which apparently the neighbor did.

A radio call was dispatched to Field and Lafayette, "at the store, looters stealing there now. They have rifles."

In response to that call, scout car 7-12, driven by National Guardsman Sgt. Daniel E. Toms and occupied by Detroit Police Officer, William Lasky National Guardsman Warren W. Klann and National Guardsman Joseph Gamrat, Jr.

When they arrived at the scene they saw people at the front of the market -- all ran except one who was arrested. The people who ran were ordered to stop by Warren W. Klann, which they failed to do, thereupon, Klann fired, "one or two shots." Klann observed that the shots did not take effect as to the looters and they continued to effect their escape.

Apparently the shots fired by Klann, one of which, apparently struck the deceased who was seating on the porch of 1000 Field (See map).

It would appear that Dorsey was killed by one of the shots fired by Klann who was shooting at the fleeing felons who had been ordered to halt. It is my opinion that Klann had the right to shot at the fleeing felons and that the fatal wounding of Dorsey was an accident, which occurred while Klann was in the lawful exercise of his authority.

Further, it is my opinion that there is no criminality or negligence which amounts to criminality attached to this act of the shooting by Klann.

Drawings submitted by the officers in charge of the case indicate that there are five bullet marks. The only person who admits firing is Klann who says he only fired one or two shots. Perhaps further investigation should be made to find out who fired the other shots.

William J. Coleman

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7170

OFFENSE

July 31, 1967

#DD-412379

HOMICIDE: Deceased NATHANIEL

DATE

COMPLAINT NUMBER

Dets. Carter & Thayer

Homicide Bureau

EDMONDS, 23/M, of 3740 Hudson.

ASSIGNED TO

COMPLAINANT

Detective Donald Carter

Homicide Bureau

NAME

AGE AND RACE

ADDRESS

CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

RICHARD PAUL SHUGAR, 24/W, 8737 Van Dyke

No

#233795

NAME

AGE AND RACE

ADDRESS

WHERE BORN

IN CUSTODY

CRIM. RECORD

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CRIM. RECORD

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

On July 24, 1967 at 4:50 PM Code 15-70, manned by Sgt. Edmund Studzinski, was stopped by some citizens at Van Dyke & Harper stating a Negro male had been shot by two White men.

Scout 15-13 conveyed NATHANIEL EDMONDS, 23/M, to the Detroit General Hospital, Central Branch, from the rear of 6478 Baldwin, shot in the abdomen, condition critical. NATHANIEL EDMONDS expired on 7-24-67 at 5:35 PM death pronounced by Dr. Robert Birks of the hospital staff.

Later Patr. Raymond Zukowski, Scout 15-13, called Det. Charles Schlachter, Homicide Bureau, stating the shooting was witnessed by the following persons:

Lorenzo Rozeman, 42/M, 5540 Vinewood
Daniel Smith, 10/M, 8966 Isham
John Umlah, 33/W, 8325 St. Cyril

One of the White men was heard to shout, "Why did you break into my store?" and then shot the man. The two White males escaped in a 1963 red and white Olds, License #BF-7190, no other description. The store had been broken into.

The case had been assigned to Detectives Donald Carter and Lyle Thayer of the Homicide Bureau, who had contacted additional witnesses: Anthony Edmonds, 28/M, 1646 West Grand Blvd., Debra Davis, 16/F/M, and Delane Davis, 13/F/M, of 6478 Baldwin.

From the investigation and statements of the witnesses it was learned that on July 24, 1967 at approximately 4:20 PM RICHARD SHUGAR, 24/W, accompanied by an unknown White male, was driving through the alley south of 7714 Harper. They observed three Negro males in the back yard of 6478 Baldwin. RICHARD SHUGAR parked his 1963 red and white Olds, Lic. #BF-7190, and removed a shotgun from the car and walked back to the rear of 6478 Baldwin where he accused the Negro males of breaking into the store and looting. They denied any knowledge of this. An argument ensued for approximately five minutes at which time RICHARD SHUGAR informed NATHANIEL EDMONDS that he was going to paint his picture on him with the shotgun. NATHANIEL EDMONDS attempted to enter the back door of 6478 Baldwin

(Witnesses:--Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Donald Carter Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to _____

Signing complaint, one of the officers assigned to the case.

Name Dr. Robert Birks Address Det. General Hosp. Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Pronouncing death.

Name Dr. John F. Burton Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

File #67-5622

Performing autopsy and giving cause of death.

Name Monzie Edmonds, Brother Address 9638 Broadstreet
Name Valen Edmonds, Father Address 3240 Rochester #102 Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Identifying body at the Wayne County Morgue.

Name Det. Lyle Thayer Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

One of the officers assigned to the investigation of case.

Officers in Charge of Case _____

Approved: _____

Det. Donald Carter D-455

Precinct Homicide
Bureau
Division D.D.

Det. Lyle Thayer D-512

ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, Detective Inspector - Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) 7-31-67

Charge MURDER 1st Degree

Refused _____

(Date) _____

Reason 750.31

James H. Gault
Prosecutor

(Over)

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Details of Investigation - Continued

at which time RICHARD SHUGAR fired one shot striking NATHANIEL EDMONDS in the left chest. NATHANIEL EDMONDS staggered into the back yard where he collapsed.

An autopsy was performed on the body of NATHANIEL EDMONDS at the Wayne County Morgue By Dr. John F. Burton, W.C.M.E., who gave the cause of death as shotgun wound to the chest. Morgue File #57-5622.

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER

233795

NAME	F.B.I. NO. 555 993E M.S.B. NO. 515790	ALIAS
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Richard Paul Shugar (W)
7-15-63, bap/7-19-63, gw

Contributor	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
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PD, Royal Oak Michigan	Richard Shugar #3040	12-10-62	B&E N/T	2-19-63, Ct. #2 Larc fr Bldg., 2 yrs prob., 1st 30 days OCJ, \$100 costs and payment to be \$5 per months
PD, Det., Mich.	Richard Shugar #233795	2-12-63	Larc fr Auto (A-114602)	8-9-63, 1 year DHC
PD, Grosse Pointe, Mich.	Richard Shugar #---	4-28-63	Larc of Motor Oil fr Gas Station	5-15-63, FG, \$25 fine and 10 days CJ
DHC Plymouth Mich	Richard Shugar #141509	8-9-63 (sent)	Larc fr Mtr Veh (RC Detroit)	1 year

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DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CALL INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT COMMENDATION

Homicide File # 7157

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)		OFFENSE
July 27th, 1967	DD-386915	Homicide(Deceased Herman Canty, Sr., N,M,46 of 1166 Clairmount, Detroit)
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER	
Dets. Daniel McCarthy & Wm. Strauch		
ASSIGNED TO		

COMPLAINANT			
Det. Daniel McCarthy Homicide Bureau			
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT					
W/25					
Patr. Gilbert Stocker Second Precinct Detroit Police Dept.					
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

Date: July 24th, 1967, Monday, at approximately 2:45 PM; Sgt 2-13, manned by Patrs. Raymond Kania and Gilbert Kohls were dispatched to 14th and West Grand Blvd., "Man In Truck Is Shot!"

Sgt 2-13 conveyed HERMAN CANTY from the run scene to Detroit General Hospital(C.B.) suffering from a GSW to the back of the neck, where he was pronounced D.O.A. at 3:20 PM by Dr. Harold Klopfenstein of the hospital staff; Disaster Tag # 00304, Chart # 593105.

On Wednesday, July 26th, 1967; an autopsy was performed on the body of HERMAN CANTY by Dep. Wayne County Med. Ex., Dr. Clara Raven, who gave the cause of death as GSW to the neck with transection of cernal spine; Morgue File # 67-5618.

From the investigation at the scene and the statements it was disclosed that; On Monday, July 24th, 1967; Sgt. Albert Barbeito; accompanied by Patrs. Gilbert Stocker and Dannie Hartley observed, at the rear of 2450 W. Grd. Blvd., the Bi-Lo Super-Market, HERMAN CANTY, accompanied by an unknown negro male, leaving the market via a rear door, carrying large boxes of various merchandise. The officers observed HERMAN CANTY and the unknown negro male place the merchandise into a green Dodge delivery van, Michigan license # NA-3706(67). CANTY then took from the vehicle a fire bomb(bottle filled with inflammable liquid and a wick), light the wick and throw the instrument into the market, setting the premises on fire.

Patr. Stöcker & Patr. Hartley called for the men to halt, at which time the unidentified negro male fled the scene on foot and CANTY jumped into the vehicle, drove West in the parking lot, then North in a driveway towards the Boulevard, at which time both officers fired several shots from their weapons at the vehicle. Because of the fire and the other looters, the officers did not pursue the vehicle.

The ballistic reports from the DPD Scientific Lab. indicate that the fatal shot was fired from the weapon used by Patr. Stocker; a Winchester Model 94, 5 shot, 30-30 rifle; serial # 1971330, DPD # C-10555.

(Witnesses:-Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Daniel McCarthy Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to Signing the complaint; one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name Dr. Harold Klopfenstein Address D.G.H.(C.B.) Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Pronounced death; hospital chart # 593105.

Name Dr. Clara Raven Address W.C.M.Ex. Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Performed autopsy, gave cause of death; Morgue File # 67-5618.

Name Herman Canty, Jr. Address 538 E. Euclid Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Florida Washington

Identification of the body at the Wayne Cty. Morgue.

Name Patr. Dannie Hartley Address Second Precinct Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Details of the offense.

Officers in Charge of Case Det. Daniel McCarthy Wm. Strauch Precinct Homicide Division D.B.

Approved:

D-449

D-176

Detective Inspector Albert Schwaller; Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

September 25, 1967

MEMORANDUM

Re: PATROLMAN GILBERT STOCKER

I have reviewed all of the facts as set forth in the Statements of witnesses in the file of the above referenced person. A reiteration of these facts would serve no useful purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide". It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case, "Patton vs. People, 18 Michigan 314".

Based upon the facts as they appeared to PATROLMAN GILBERT STOCKER, it is my conclusion that he acted in good faith and without malice, and that no criminality can be assigned to his actions.



WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

WLC:d

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT COMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

File #7155

August 8, 1967		DD 386913		OFFENSE	
Dets. Carter & Thayer		COMPLAINT NUMBER Homicide Bureau		HOMICIDE: Deceased JOSEPH CHANDLER 34 1/2 W of 81 W. Philadelphia	
ASSIGNED TO					
COMPLAINANT					
Detective Donald Carter		Homicide Bureau			
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD		
DEFENDANT					
DONALD VAN LOO, PATR. 33 YOUTH BUREAU					
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
DAVID SENAK, PATR.	23	THIRTEENTH PRECINCT			
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At 1:15 PM, on July 24, 1967 Scout 13-7, manned by Patrolmen Edward Riley and William Peplinski received a Radio Run to 119 W. Philadelphia "In the rear a shooting".

Scout 13-7 conveyed the deceased to Ford Hospital where he was pronounced DOA at 1:45 PM by Doctor Tauber of the Hospital staff. The deceased was suffering gun shot wounds to the right foot and right buttock.

On July 25, 1967 an autopsy was performed on the body of the deceased at the Wayne County Morgue by AME Clara Raven, who gave the cause of death as shotgun wound of the right buttock, penetrating liver and right lung with massive hemorrhage, Chart #5604-67.

Detectives Donald Carter & Lyle Thayer were assigned to the investigation and contacted the following witnesses: Thomas M. Denha 45 W of 32425 Plumwood, Birmingham (Owner of Food Time Market, 8360 Second) Joseph Sims 52 W of 119 W. Philadelphia and Richard Stephens 27 W of 143 W. Euclid.

From the investigation and statements of the witnesses it was learned. Patrolmen Donald Van Loo, David Senak and William Croft were assigned to scout 13-6. At approximately 1:25 PM on July 24, 1967 they were on routine patrol driving north on Second Avenue, Patrolman Croft was driving the automobile, all the officers were armed with 12 gauge shot guns. At Euclid avenue they noticed the front window of the Food Time Market partially broken out and a colored male, later identified as the deceased, stepping out of the window carrying a bag and some bottles. Patrolmen Van Loo and Senak exited the scout car and called for the deceased to stop. The deceased dropped the bag and began to run south on Second. The officers gave chase and again called for the deceased to stop. At the alley the deceased dropped a bottle and continued to run east in the alley. The officers again called for the deceased to stop and as he continued running both Patrolmen Van Loo and Senak fired one shot each from their shot guns. The deceased continued to run to the rear of 143 W. Euclid where he entered the yard, and jumped over a fence. Patrolmen Van Loo and Senak followed to the alley rear of 143 W. Euclid and as the deceased

(Witnesses:—Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Donald Carter Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to

Signing of complaint, details of the investigation

Name Gertrude Russell Address 81 W. Philadelphia
Jewel Miller 79 W. Philadelphia Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Identifying witnesses

Name Dr. Tauber Address Henry Ford Hospital Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Pronounced Death

Name Dr. Clara Raven Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Cause of death Chart #5604

Name Det. Lyle Thayer Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Details of the investigation

Det. Donald Carter Precinct Homicide
Donald Carter Badge # 455 Division DE
 Approved: Det. Lyle Thayer Badge # D 512
Lyle Thayer

Det. Inspt. Albert Schwaller Homicide Bureau

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approached the second fence both Patrolmen Van Loo and Senak fired one shot each from their shot guns. The deceased climbed over the second fence (Height of fence four feet six inches, covered with a vine which extends above the fence to a height of five feet six inches) and continued for approximately twenty feet where he stumbled and fell. The deceased got up and continued diagonally across Euclid and between the houses on the north side of the street, (130 & 150 W. Euclid). The deceased then ran east in the alley north of Euclid east of Second to the rear of 119 W. Philadelphia where he attempted to crawl under a car parked in the rear of that address. Mrs. Alline Sims of 119 W. Philadelphia saw the deceased attempting to crawl under the car and immediately summoned her husband Joseph Sims. The deceased asked Mrs. Sims for a drink of water and told Mr. Sims not to call the Police but to get his wife at 81 W. Philadelphia. Mrs. Sims returned to the front of 119 W. Philadelphia where she directed the officers to the rear of that address, where the officers found the deceased semi-conscious and conveyed him to Ford Hospital suffering from the aforementioned wounds.

Patrolmen Van Loo and Senak upon seeing the deceased climb over the second fence and later cross Euclid believed their shots did not take effect. The Officers returned to Second & Euclid from the rear of 143 W. Euclid and assisted Patrolman Croft in the search of the grocery store. On the premises the officers arrested three persons and conveyed them to the Thirteenth Precinct Station. At the Precinct Station Patrolman Senak made a phone call to the Homicide Bureau stating that shots had been fired at the above location and that they did not take effect.

The officers assigned to scout 13-7, who conveyed the deceased to the hospital were unaware of shots fired by any police units in the area.

7155

MEMORANDUM

RE: File #7155, Fatal Shooting
of Dec. Joseph Chandler, 7-24-67
Def's: Officers Donald Van Loo and
David Senak.

I have reviewed all of the statements contained in the file of the above captioned person. A reiteration of the facts would serve no purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide". It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case. (Patten vs. People, 18 Mich. 314).

The accused may act upon a belief, arising from appearances which give him reasonable cause although he may turn out to be mistaken. The guilt of the accused must depend upon the circumstances as they appear to him. (Pond vs. The People, 8 Mich. 149).

"Were a man charged with crime to be held to a knowledge of all facts precisely as they are, there could be few cases in which the most innocent intention or honest zeal could justify or excuse homicide."
(Pond, Supra., at Page 173)

Based upon the facts as they appeared to Officers Van Loo and Senak, it is my conclusion that they acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality could be assigned to their actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

Dated: August 28, 1967

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7165

OFFENSE

August 1, 1967
#DD-386922
D/Sgt. Wagner & Det. LaHousse Homicide Bu.

HOMICIDE: Deceased EMANUEL COSBY,
26/N, of 4610 Stockton.

COMPLAINANT

Detective Henry LaHousse	Homicide Bureau - DPD		
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

PATR. JEROME PALKA, 32/M/W	Badge #2362 - 11th Precinct D.P.D.				
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At 12:30 AM on July 25, 1967 Scout 11-5 manned by Patrolman JEROME PALKA, Patr. Erich Rollinger and Patr. Richard Kinn, received a radio run to 4405 E. Nevada, "looting now". Upon arrival the officers observed a group of persons running from and also inside of the N & J Market, located at 4441 E. Nevada. The officers yelled "Halt" in an attempt to stop these persons from carrying away merchandise from the store. The perpetrators continued running and Patr. JEROME PALKA then fired 3 shots at the fleeing persons, who continued to carry loot with them as they ran. EMANUEL COSBY, 26/N, who was one of the escaping men, fell to the sidewalk at the northeast corner of E. Nevada and Justine. Scout 11-2 manned by Patrolmen George King and Gary Chapman, conveyed EMANUEL COSBY to the Detroit General Hospital, (Central Branch), where he was pronounced DOA at 1:04 AM by Dr. Elmer Kobold, Chart #593159.

On July 25, 1967 an autopsy was performed at the Wayne County Morgue by A.W.C.M.E. Dr. John F. Burton, who gave the cause of death as "gunshot wound to the right shoulder". A single gunshot wound was located at the inner right shoulder blade, which followed a path upward and entered the mouth. A .38 cal. slug was located by Dr. Burton and turned over to Det. Rolland Ives of the Homicide Bureau and is held in evidence on Tag #682285. Det. Ives conveyed the slug to the Scientific Lab. on July 26, 1967.

Scout 11-9 manned by Patrolmen Edward Sapiel and Richard Lee, who also responded to the original radio run, apprehended Randolph Curley, 16/N, 4612 Stockton, inside of the N & J Market. Scout 11-7 manned by Patrolmen Roger Lambert and Robert Balcerzak, also at the scene, arrested Ronald Love, 23/N, 4924 Stockton, running from the area. Patr. Erich Rollinger arrested Eddie Jackson, 24/N, 18699 Eureka, at the scene, in possession of \$18.96, which is held in evidence on Tag #676127. Patr. Richard Kinn arrested Calvin Vance, 23/N, 4604 Stockton, at the scene. The merchandise, which EMANUEL COSBY had been carrying, consisted of 114 packs of cigarettes, 51 assorted cigars, 2 lb. bag of Gold Medal Flour, 1 box of Quaker grits and 1 padlock, entered on Evidence Tag #376130.

From the statements of Josephine Bogacki, 45/F/W, (address available in File #7165), it was determined that at approximately 9:30 PM on July 24, 1967 two Negro males came to the area of the N & J Market and acted suspiciously. That one man went to the front of the store and one went to the rear. (Witnesses: J. Bogacki)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Henry LaHousse Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to _____

Signing complaint - one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name Dr. Elmer Kobold Address Det. General Hospital Criminal Record _____
Chart #593159

Testifies to _____

Pronouncing death.

Name Dr. John F. Burton Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Performing autopsy and giving the cause of death.

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Name D/Sgt. Herman Wagner Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

One of the officers assigned to the case.

Officers in Charge of Case _____

Approved: _____

Henry LaHousse Precinct Homicide
Det. Henry LaHousse - D172 Bureau
Herman Wagner Division D.D.
D/Sgt. Herman Wagner - DS-32 R.L.

Albert P. Schwallier
ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, Detective Inspector - Homicide Bureau

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left when they were observed by a man sitting on the porch in the dwelling at the rear of the store. At approximately 10:00 PM these two men returned with two other Negro males and loitered around the telephone booth on the corner and knocked out a light which was illuminating the front of the store. Later Mrs. Bogacki observed these Negro males making several trips from the front of the store to the parking lot in the project dwellings on E. Nevada, carrying heavy boxes. At this time her husband called the police. When the police arrived Mrs. Bogacki heard orders to "Halt", and then heard several shots. She responded to the front of her dwelling and saw one of the persons, who had been carrying loot from the store, lying on the northeast corner of E. Nevada and Justine.

The persons arrested at the scene stated as follows. Ronald Love, had seen people running to the store. He responded and observed loot stacked nearby and picked up a box and started running when the police arrived. He then dropped the loot, continued to run, and was arrested after he tripped and fell near the projects (approx. a block away). Stated he was not near the store when the shots were fired. Eddie Jackson saw Ronald Love and others carrying loot away across the field. He responded and entered the N & J Market and observed Randolph Curley and EMANUEL COSBY inside. He took 3 cartons of cigarettes and money from the cash register. Someone said the police were coming and he dropped the cigarettes and ran. EMANUEL COSBY picked them up. Three or four police cars pulled up and yelled "Halt, Halt" and then started shooting. Eddie Jackson stopped and was arrested. Saw EMANUEL COSBY lying on the corner.

Calvin Vance observed people running back and forth to the project dwelling. Later went to the store and saw the police pull up. They yelled "Halt" and fired 3 shots. EMANUEL COSBY had continued to run as the officers yelled. The officers arrested Calvin Vance at the scene.

A positive identification of the fatal slug, removed from EMANUEL COSBY, could not be made by Det. Ident. Earl Leedle of the Scientific Lab., due to the deformed nature of the slug. A test slug taken from Patr. Palka's Police Colt 6-shot revolver, Ser. #742927, Dept. #8880, bore the same characteristic as the fatal slug.

CRIMINAL RECORD

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER

#-1-

NAME

MANUEL COSBY (col)

F.B.I. No.

ALIAS

M.S.R. No.

dob: 9-9-40

THIS RECORD FORWARDED TO OR RECEIVED BY

SIGNATURE AND/OR AGENCY OF PERSON RECEIVING

ON BY

8-1-67 DATE
mmdb

IDENTIFICATION-RECORD BUREAU

CONTRIBUTOR	NAME AND NUMBER	DATE	CHARGE AND DOCKET NUMBER	DISPOSITION
PD, Detroit Michigan	Manuel Cosby #11111	1-29-66	Lost Pl Ill Occ (blind pig) #241659	1-29-66, \$5 or 10 days Det Hso of Corr
MASTER RECORD MUST BE LEFT IN PLACE				

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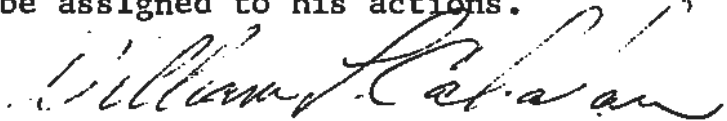
MEMORANDUM

Re: PATROLMAN JEROME PALKA

I have reviewed all of the facts as set forth in the Statements of witnesses in the file of the above referenced person. A reiteration of these facts would serve no useful purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide". It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case, "Patton vs. People, 18 Michigan 314".

Based upon the facts as they appeared to Patrolman JEROME PALKA, it is my conclusion that he acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality can be assigned to his actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

WLC:d

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7157

August 4, 1967 DATE	#DD-386924 COMPLAINT NUMBER	HOMICIDE: Deceased HENRY DENSON, 27/N/M, of 5952 St. Aubin.
D/Sgt. Casey & Det. Everett ASSIGNED TO		Homicide Bu.

COMPLAINANT

Detective Robert Everett	Homicide Bureau		
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

1. Mich. Nat. Guard PETER A. PUTALA, 23/W - Co. C 107 Eng.	(Rank: SP/4, Serial #27097029)				
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
2. Mich. Nat. Guard JOHN C. ALMLI, 25/W - Co. C 107 Eng.	(Rank: SP/5, Serial #27120607)				
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

Date: July 25, 1967

Time: 1:30 AM

Place: Mack at E. Grand Blvd.

On July 25, 1967 at 2:10 AM #7 Auto conveyed the deceased HENRY DENSON, 27/N to the Detroit General Hospital, C.B., from the 7th Precinct Station. He was pronounced DOA by Dr. Youwin Tsia of the hospital staff. Chart #00448.

On July 27, 1967 an autopsy was performed on the body of the deceased by Dr. John F. Burton, Wayne County Medical Examiner, at the Wayne County Morgue, who gave the cause of death as "gunshot wound of the neck". Morgue File #67-5635

From the investigation and statements it was learned that at about 1:30 AM on July 25, 1967 Patrolmen Henry Geyer, Edward Duszka, Warren Golubosky of the 7th Precinct, and Michigan National Guardsmen Peter A. Putala and John C. AlmlI were assigned riot control duty at the intersection of Mack and E. Grand Blvd. The Officers and Guardsmen were maintaining a blockade of eastbound Mack Ave. traffic.

At about 1:30 AM Patr. Geyer and Patr. Golubosky along with Patr. Duszka observed a Ford convertible 1967 Mich. License #DX 6825 approaching the road block. The occupants of the auto, being in violation of the curfew, the officers stepped into the street with Patr. Geyer and Patr. Duszka flashing their flashlights at the car and ordering it to halt. The car increased its speed going straight at the officers in the street. All three of the officers jumped out of the path of the auto as it continued on past them and turned north onto the boulevard from Mack.

National Guardsmen Putala and AlmlI, who were standing on the northeast corner of Mack and E. Grand Blvd., had observed the officers' unsuccessful efforts to stop the car. Both Guardsmen stepped into the street and repeatedly ordered the car to halt. When the car accelerated in their direction, both Guardsmen jumped aside and as they did so, each fired one shot from the M-1 rifles with which they were armed.

WITNESSES

Name Det. Robert Everett Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to

Signing complaint - one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name Dr. Youwin Tsia Address Det. General Hospital Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Pronouncing death.

Name Dr. John F. Burton Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

File #67-5635

Performing autopsy and giving cause of death.

Name David Denson, Jr., brother 3432 St. Clair
Name Curtestine Estell, cousin Address 1632 Pennsylvania Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Identifying body at the Wayne County Morgue.

Name D/Sgt. Clifton Casey Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

One of the officers assigned to the case and investigation.

Officers in Charge of Case _____

Approved: _____

Robert Everett
Det. Robert Everett - D-540

Precinct Homicide
Bureau
Division D.D.

Clifton Casey
D/Sgt. Clifton Casey - DS-63

Albert P. Schwallier
ALBERT P. SCHWALLIER, Detective Inspector - Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

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Homicide File #7167

Details of Investigation - Continued

When the car came to a stop on E. Grand Blvd., north of Mack, and the Officers and Guardsmen got to it, they found HENRY DENSON sitting in the right front seat suffering from a gunshot wound to the neck. The driver of the car, Harold Johnson, 27/N, and a passenger, Micheal Cooper, 32/N, were both placed under arrest and the car, with the deceased, was driven to the 7th Precinct Station, where he was transferred to #7 Auto and conveyed to the Detroit General Hospital, Central Branch.

The gunshot wound suffered by the deceased was a thru and thru wound, entrance to the upper right shoulder, exit rear of the neck. No bullet was recovered at the scene. It was, therefore, impossible to determine which Guardsman fired the fatal shot.

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER
#162049

NAME Henry Cornelious Denson (c)	F.B.I. NO. 497 524 M.S.B. NO. 447757	ALIAS Henry Cornelius Goodley "Peter", Cornelius Goodley
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Contributor 9-29-58 gfb	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
W.S., Lansing, Mich.	Henry C. Goodley #---	3-11-55 (prt'd)	Inmate (Larceny)	
D., Columbus, Ohio	Henry Cornelius Denson #53718	2-8-57	1) Inv Unarmed Robb. 2) Unarmed Robbery	March 1957, Placed on Probation
Co J1, Columbus Ohio	Henry C. Denson #C-17775	2-11-57	Unarmed Robbery	2-25-57, no billed by Grand Jury
D., Det., Mich.	Henry Denson #162049	8-12-58	Att B&E Att Larc fr Bldg	9-26-58, \$50 cost & 2 yrs prob
"	"	4-1-59	B&E Bus Pl N/T	6-11-59, 18 mo to 5 yrs Jackson St Prison
Dept of Corr Recep Center Jackson, Mich	Henry C. Denson #A 100643	6-11-59 (sent.)	B&E day (R.C. Detroit)	1 1/2 - 5 yrs. 5-17-61, paroled to Detroit Bal: 6-22-63 Rec'd new sent #B100643 (see reverse)
D., Det., Mich.	Henry Denson #162049	1-14-62	Traffic Warrant	1-15-62, \$40 or 10 days DHC
"	"	4-23-62	Traffic Warrant	4-24-62, \$21 Fine
"	"	10-5-62	Traffic Warrant	10-6-62, \$24 Fine
"	"	11-7-62	Traffic Warrant	11-8-62, \$36 or 5 days DHC

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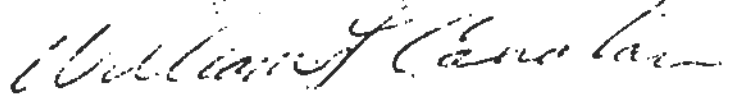
MEMORANDUM

Re: Michigan National Guard PETER A. PUTALA
Michigan National Guard JOHN C. ALMLI

I have reviewed all of the facts as set forth in the statements of witnesses in the file of the above referenced persons. A reiteration of these facts would serve no useful purpose.

Based upon the review, it is my position that it would be impossible for the People to maintain its burden of proof insofar as which of the several persons involved actually fired the fatal shot.

But further, even if we were able to determine which of the many parties was responsible, the facts as they appeared to these several individuals would justify their actions. It is therefore, my conclusion that the parties acted in good faith and without malice, and that no criminality can be assigned to their actions.



WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

WLC:d

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7153

August 3, 1967		DD-386911		OFFENSE	
DATE		COMPLAINT NUMBER		Homicide (Deceased: HERMAN	
Domm & Loch				ECTOR, 30/M/N, of 4009 Clairmount -	
ASSIGNED TO				No Police Record w/DPD)	

COMPLAINANT

Det. Sgt. John Domm Homicide Bureau No

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD
DEFENDANT Widner, Ark.			
WAVERLY SOLOMON, 32/M/N, of 2652 McGraw.	12-25-34	No	No
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN
			IN CUSTODY
			CRIM. RECORD
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN
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			CRIM. RECORD

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At 9:45 a.m., Monday, July 24, 1967, Scout 2305, manned by Patr. John Pflaum, Michael Nickerson, and Gary Chapman, received a radio run to Joy Rd., west of Dexter, "man shot."

Scout 2305 conveyed John Doe #375, later identified as HERMAN ECTOR, to the Detroit General Hospital, CB, suffering a gunshot wound of the chest, entrance left chest, exit back, and grazing gunshot wound of left wrist. Chart #593059. He was pronounced D.O.A. at 10:05 a.m., by Dr. Harold Klopfenstein.

On July 25, 1967, Dr. Clara Raven, Assistant Wayne County Medical Examiner, performed an autopsy on the body of HERMAN ECTOR at the Wayne County Morgue, and gave the cause of death as "gunshot wound of the chest." Morgue File #67-5597.

The following conveyed themselves to the Homicide Bureau, where longhand statements were taken by Det. Sgt. John Domm, Det. John Maniaci, and Det. Eugene Caviston, beginning at 12:30 p.m., July 24th: WAVERLY SOLOMON, the defendant, ROBERT YOUNG, 26/N, of 5927 Frontenac; ALVIN GUNN, 24/N, of 830 W. Euclid; and ADELL RICHARD, 27/N, of 10225 Greeley.

From the statements, it appears that ROBERT YOUNG, owner of Young's Private Patrol Service, 3527 Woodward, (TE 3-1197), drove up to the Lindy Supermarket located at 3745 Joy Rd. at about 9:00 a.m., July 24, 1967 and observed all the front plate glass broken out and a large crowd of looters inside the market. YOUNG was accompanied by his employees, SOLOMON, GUNN, and RICHARD. All of them were in private watchmen's uniforms. They proceeded to arrest the looters, and succeeded in rounding up 12 prisoners when the man, known as John Doe #375, later identified as HERMAN ECTOR, suddenly grabbed WAVERLY SOLOMON'S carbine. A short struggle ensued between the two, and SOLOMON struck ECTOR with the carbine stock, breaking it. They continued to struggle for possession of the gun, and SOLOMON again struck John Doe on the arm with the gun barrel. At this time, the gun discharged, striking John Doe as described.

On July 31, 1967, RUTH HARRIS, F/51, of 4009 Clairmount, aunt of the deceased, and VINCENT ECTOR, N/M/24, of the same address, cousin of the deceased responded to the Homicide Bureau where longhand statements were taken by Sgt. Domm.

(Witnesses:—Over)

Details of Investigation - Homicide File #7153 - Continued

MRS. HARRIS stated she had just left HERMAN and VINCENT ECTOR at the intersection of Joy Rd. and Dexter and was walking east on Joy Rd. when she heard a gunshot and ran back and saw HERMAN lying on the street, wounded as described.

VINCENT ECTOR states he had just left his mother at the intersection of Joy Rd. and Dexter and was walking with HERMAN, west on Joy Rd., when a guard came up behind them and said to HERMAN, "Who are you talking to?", put his hand on HERMAN'S shoulder, turned him around and shot him in the chest. There was no struggle and no other conversation prior to the shooting.

On August 2, 1967, the following witnesses responded to the Homicide Bureau at the request of Sgt. Domm and longhand statements were taken from them by Det. James Cowie, temporarily assigned to the Homicide Bureau: RUFUS ALEXANDER, 40/N, of 2597 Dubois; MARSHALL KNOX, 23/N, of 1486 Harding; and LEONARD KNOX, 39/N, also of 1486 Harding.

The above witnesses are employed by Young's Private Patrol Service and reported that they were present at the scene when HERMAN ECTOR was shot by SOLOMON; however, none of them actually saw the actual shooting or witnessed the events leading up to the shooting.

Longhand statements were also taken from the following persons who were arrested as looters at Lindy's Supermarket on July 24, 1967:

1. HARVEY WOODBURY, 51/N, of 9823 McQuade. He stated he was in a line-up of prisoners at the side of Lindy's Market. He saw the deceased ^{come} up to the guard and say, "What are you holding these men for? You can't hold them." WOODBURY then turned his head and moments later heard a shot and saw the deceased lying in the street. He did not see any struggle.
2. HENRY PETRILLA, 41/N, of 3783 Boston. He stated he was in the prisoner line-up and facing the wall. He heard a gunshot but did not see what happened.
3. MOSE STONICAN, 55/N, 4022 Clairmount. Same as above.
4. WAVERLY DOWLING, 28/N, of 435 Holbrook. Same as above.
5. ROBERT FORD, 29/N, of 7763 Cameron. He denied even being at the market scene. Knows nothing about any shooting.
6. WILLIAM MIDDLEBROOKS, 30/N, 9805 Quincy. He was handcuffed to a shopping cart in front of Lindy's Market. He heard a gunshot and looked over his shoulder and saw the deceased lying in the street. He heard no argument previous to the shot.
7. HATHAWAY LEE, 38/N, of 3210 Doris. He was lined up with other prisoners against the wall. He heard the gunshot and saw the deceased lying in the street.

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8. MELVIN MEDLOCK, 30/N, of 3275 Rochester. He was lined up against the wall with the other prisoners. He heard a loud argument between the guard and the deceased. He saw the guard's gun fire and the deceased fall in the street. He saw no struggle before the shot was fired.

9. ROGER USSERY, 23/N, of 9010 N. Martindale. He was lined up with other prisoners in front of Lindy's Market. He saw the guard prodding the deceased in the back with the carbine, as if the guard wanted the man to go somewhere. USSERY turned away and a moment later, he heard a gunshot.

10. TAYLOR BALL, 32/N, of 3410 W. Chicago. He states he was arrested by a guard when he said, "Why don't you let those people go?" He was in line with other prisoners against the front of Lindy's Market when another guard said to the deceased, who was across the street, "You come over here too." The guard prodded the deceased in the chest with the carbine, and the carbine fired. He saw no struggle before the shot was fired, and the deceased did not say anything to the guard before he was shot.

11. MACK WEATHERALL, 30/N, of 4003 Pingree. He was lined up in front of Lindy's with the other prisoners. He saw the guard call the deceased from across the street. He saw the deceased shot by the guard while his hands were on top of his head. Heard the deceased say to the guard, "I'm going to work," before he was called to come across the street. There was no other conversation.

12. LEONARD JACKSON, 27/N, of 3200 Boston, #306. He was lined up in front of Lindy's with the other prisoners. He saw his brother, LEON JACKSON, and mother, MYRTLE JACKSON, arguing with the guard in the street. The deceased walked up to them and another guard asked him where he was going. JACKSON did not hear the deceased reply but heard the guard say, "Are you talking to me?" At this point, the guard's carbine fired and the deceased fell in the street. He saw no struggle before the deceased was shot.

Longhand statements were taken from the following citizens by Sgt. Domm and Det. John Loch, of the Homicide Bureau:

1. MYRTLE JACKSON, 43/N, 9415 McQuade. Mother of LEONARD JACKSON. She responded to the scene when told he was arrested. A guard told her to get back in her car and leave. She and her other son, LEON JACKSON, were arguing with the guard when the deceased walked up and said, "What are you picking on the boy for (referring to LEON JACKSON)?" Another guard came up and asked the deceased, "Are you talking to me?" The deceased said, "No," and started to walk away; but he suddenly turned and the guard shot him. She saw no struggle.

2. LEON JACKSON, 18/N, 9415 McQuade. Same statement as his mother, above, except he saw the guard swing his carbine down from a straight up position and the gun fired as he brought it down.

3. VAN LEWIS, 46/N/M, of 4069 W. Philadelphia. He was standing across the street and saw the guard arguing loudly with the deceased and trying to make him spread-eagle against a car parked at the curb as if attempting to search the man. The gun fired and the man fell in the street.

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4. O. B. BOWERS, 47/N, of 3957 Atkinson. He was standing across the street from Lindy's and saw the guard prodding a fat woman and a boy, (believed to be MYRTLE JACKSON and son, LEON) and trying to make them get in a car parked in front of Lindy's. BOWERS looked away and saw the deceased lying in the street.

Confiscated from the defendant, WAVERLY SOLOMON, and held on Evidence Tag #683006 is an M-1 .30 Cal. Carbine and 11 rounds of .30 Cal. ammunition. The stock of this weapon appeared to be recently split. No slug or cartridge casing was recovered at the scene.

The gun was turned over to the Scientific Bureau for ballistics tests.

According to SOLOMON'S longhand statement, he claimed that he found HERMAN ECTOR inside Lindy's Market, carrying a box of groceries. SOLOMON ordered the man to drop the groceries and led him outside at gunpoint. At this time, ECTOR resisted his efforts to search him, and a struggle occurred during which his carbine accidentally discharged, inflicting the fatal wound.

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Detective Division
HOMICIDE BUREAU

Date August 23, 1967

To: Chief of Detectives

Subject: REGARDING DEATH OF HERMAN T. ECTOR, 30/N (CIVIL DISORDER 1967).

On Tuesday, August 22, 1967, Prosecutor William L. Cahalan recommended a Warrant request, charging a private guard, WAVERLY SOLOMON, 32/N, with Murder, 1st Degree of HERMAN T. ECTOR on July 24, 1967.

On Wednesday August 23, 1967 at 9:00 AM WAVERLY SOLOMON surrendered himself to the Homicide Bureau officers.

On Wednesday August 23, 1967 WAVERLY SOLOMON was arraigned before Judge Joseph Gillis on Warrant #A-14008, Murder, 1st Degree, where he pleaded "Not Guilty" and requested a court appointed attorney.

Examination was set for Tuesday, September 5, 1967 at 2:00 PM.

WAVERLY SOLOMON was released on Personal Bond.

Warrant #A-14008

Homicide File #7153

Team Assigned Det. Sgt. John Domm and Det. John Loch.


ALBERT P. SCHWALLER
Detective Inspector
Homicide Bureau

APS:hm

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7170

July 31, 1967	#DD-412379	OFFENSE
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER	HOMICIDE: Deceased NATHANIEL
Dets. Carter & Thayer	Homicide Bureau	EDMONDS, 23/N, of 3740 Hudson.
ASSIGNED TO		

COMPLAINANT

Detective Donald Carter	Homicide Bureau
NAME	ADDRESS
AGE AND RACE	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

RICHARD PAUL SHUGAR, 24/W, 8737 Van Dyke	No	#233795
NAME	WHERE BORN	CRIM. RECORD
AGE AND RACE	IN CUSTODY	
ADDRESS		
WHERE BORN		
IN CUSTODY		
CRIM. RECORD		

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

On July 24, 1967 at 4:50 PM Code 15-70, manned by Sgt. Edmund Studzinski, was stopped by some citizens at Van Dyke & Harper stating a Negro male had been shot by two White men.

Scout 15-13 conveyed NATHANIEL EDMONDS, 23/N, to the Detroit General Hospital, Central Branch, from the rear of 6478 Baldwin, shot in the abdomen, condition critical. NATHANIEL EDMONDS expired on 7-24-67 at 5:35 PM death pronounced by Dr. Robert Birks of the hospital staff.

Later Patr. Raymond Zukowski, Scout 15-13, called Det. Charles Schlachter, Homicide Bureau, stating the shooting was witnessed by the following persons:

Lorenzo Rozeman, 42/W, 5540 Vinewood
Daniel Smith, 10/W, 8966 Isham
John Umlah, 33/W, 8325 St. Cyril

One of the White men was heard to shout, "Why did you break into my store?" and then shot the man. The two White males escaped in a 1963 red and white Olds, license #BF-7190, no other description. The store had been broken into.

The case had been assigned to Detectives Donald Carter and Lyle Thayer of the Homicide Bureau, who had contacted additional witnesses: Anthony Edmonds, 28/N, 1646 West Grand Blvd., Debra Davis, 16/F/N, and Delane Davis, 13/F/N, of 6478 Baldwin.

From the investigation and statements of the witnesses it was learned that on July 24, 1967 at approximately 4:20 PM RICHARD SHUGAR, 24/W, accompanied by an unknown White male, was driving through the alley south of 7714 Harper. They observed three Negro males in the back yard of 6478 Baldwin. RICHARD SHUGAR parked his 1963 red and white Olds, Lic. #BF-7190, and removed a shotgun from the car and walked back to the rear of 6478 Baldwin where he accused the Negro males of breaking into the store and looting. They denied any knowledge of this. An argument ensued for approximately five minutes at which time RICHARD SHUGAR informed NATHANIEL EDMONDS that he was going to paint his picture on him with the shotgun. NATHANIEL EDMONDS attempted to enter the back door of 6478 Baldwin.

WITNESSES

Name Det. Donald Carter Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to _____

Signing complaint, one of the officers assigned to the case.

Name Dr. Robert Birks Address Det. General Hosp. Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Pronouncing death.

Name Dr. John F. Burton Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

File #67-5622

Performing autopsy and giving cause of death.

Name Monzie Edmonds, Brother Address 9638 Broadstreet
Name Valen Edmonds, Father Address 3240 Rochester #102 Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Identifying body at the Wayne County Morgue.

Name Det. Lyle Thayer Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

One of the officers assigned to the investigation of case.

Officers in Charge of Case _____

Approved: _____

Det. Donald Carter D-455

Precinct Homicide
Bureau
Division D.D.

Det. Lyle Thayer D-512

ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, Detective Inspector - Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) 9-31-67

Charge MURDER 1st Degree

Refused _____

(Date) _____

Reason 750.311

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Prosecutor

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Homicide File #7170

Details of Investigation - Continued

at which time RICHARD SHUGAR fired one shot striking NATHANIEL EDMONDS in the left chest. NATHANIEL EDMONDS staggered into the back yard where he collapsed.

An autopsy was performed on the body of NATHANIEL EDMONDS at the Wayne County Morgue By Dr. John F. Burton, W.C.M.E., who gave the cause of death as shotgun wound to the chest. Morgue File #67-5622.

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

FILE NUMBER
233795

NAME	F.B.I. NO. 555 993E M.S.B. NO. 515790	ALIAS
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Richard Paul Shugar (W)
7-15-63, bap/7-19-63, gw
Contributor Name and Number

Date Charge Disposition

PD, Royal Oak Michigan	Richard Shugar #3040	12-10-62	B&E N/T	2-19-63, Ct. #2 Larc fr Bldg., 2 yrs prob., 1st 30 days OCJ, \$100 costs and payment to be \$5 per months
PD, Det., Mich.	Richard Shugar #233795	2-12-63	Larc fr Auto (A-114602)	8-9-63, 1 year DHC
PD, Grosse Pointe, Mich.	Richard Shugar #---	4-28-63	Larc of Motor Oil fr Gas Station	5-15-63, FG, \$25 fine and 10 days CJ
MC Plymouth Mich	Richard Shugar #141509	8-9-63 (sent)	Larc fr Mtr Veh (RC Detroit)	1 year

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DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7168

July 30, 1967		#DD-386925	HOMICIDE: Deceased RONALD EVANS,	
D/Sgt. Debol and Det. Ives		Homicide Bureau	24/N, of 3859 Cadillac.	
DATE		COMPLAINT NUMBER	OFFENSE	
ASSIGNED TO				

COMPLAINANT

D/Sgt. Arthur Debol		Homicide Bureau - D.P.D.	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

PATR. LLOYD HEWITT - Badge #63		5th Precinct - D.P.D.	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN
PATR. NORMAN SALO - Badge #1794		15th Precinct - D.P.D.	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN
PATR. CHESTER KOTOWICZ - Badge #90		5th Precinct - D.P.D.	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN
SGT. ROBERT PORTE - Badge #S-262		15th Precinct - D.P.D.	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

Date: 7-25-67
Time: 3:50 A.M.
Place: 4100 Pennsylvania (Bob's Market)

Scout 5-9 conveyed John Doe #400, later identified as RONALD EVANS, 24/N, to Detroit General Hospital, Central Branch, suffering gunshot wounds to the rear of head, right arm and left wrist. He was pronounced DOA at 4:10 A.M. by Dr. Elmer Cobol of the hospital staff. Chart #00461.

Scout 5-9 conveyed John Doe #399, later identified as WILLIAM JONES, 28/N, to Detroit General Hospital, Central Branch, suffering gunshot wounds to the chest, abdomen, legs and arms. He was pronounced DOA by Dr. Charles Lucas at 5:30 A.M. Chart #593177.

On July 25, 1967 an autopsy was performed on the body of RONALD EVANS by Assistant Wayne County Medical Examiner, Dr. Joseph Juliar, who gave the cause of death as "multiple gunshot wounds of head". Morgue File #67-5638.

On July 25, 1967 an autopsy was performed on the body of WILLIAM JONES by Wayne County Medical Examiner, Dr. John F. Burton, who gave the cause of death as "multiple gunshot wounds". Morgue File #67-5653.

The above officers, along with Walter Walker, 21/N, of 3537 Montclair and Arthur Reeves, 31/N, of 3482 Pennsylvania, were conveyed to the Homicide Bureau where longhand statements were taken by D/Sgt. Herman Wagner and Det. Robert Smith.

From the investigation and statements of the witnesses it was learned that Arthur Reeves, Walter Walker, RONALD EVANS and WILLIAM JONES, met on the corner of Pennsylvania and Sylvester at approximately 2:30 A.M. They decided to break into the store on the corner. WILLIAM JONES kicked in the side window with his foot and entered, followed by Arthur Reeves. JONES and Reeves handed Walker and EVANS miscellaneous groceries through the window.

At 3:50 A.M. Scout 5-9 received a radio run to Pennsylvania and Sylvester "looting a store". Unit S-E #2 also responded. Upon arrival at the run loca

WITNESSES

Name D/Sgt. Arthur Debol Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to _____

Signing complaint, one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name Dr. Elmer Cohal Address Det. General Hospital Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Chart #0046

Pronouncing death.

Name Dr. Joseph Juliar Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

File #67-5638

Performing autopsy and giving cause of death.

Name Robert Nash Address 3859 Cadillac Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Identifying body at the Wayne County Morgue.

Name Det. Rolland Ives Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

One of the officers assigned to the case and investigation.

Officers in Charge of Case _____

Approved: _____

Arthur Debol Precinct Homicide
D/Sgt. Arthur Debol DS-45 Bureau
Division D.D.

Rolland Ives
Det. Rolland Ives D-365

ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, Detective Inspector - Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

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Homicide File #7159 and #7168

Details of Investigation - Continued

Patr. Michael Krotche observed EVANS and Walker at a window of the store being handed groceries. PATR. LLOYD HEWITT, PATR. NORMAN SALO, PATR. CHESTER KOTOWICZ and SGT. ROBERT PORTE ordered EVANS and Walker to lie on the ground. PATR. FELIX BANACH and PATR. KOTOWICZ entered the store. At this time EVANS, who was lying on the sidewalk, sprang to his feet, pushed PATR. HEWITT to one side and ran west on Sylvester. The officers shouted "Halt" but EVANS continued to flee. PATR. HEWITT fired his 30-30 Winchester, Serial #1153531, PATR. SALO fired his 30-30 Winchester, Serial #1093930. PATR. KOTOWICZ fired his 12-gauge J. C. Higgins shotgun and SGT. PORTE fired a 30-30 Winchester. EVANS fell to the ground on the southwest corner of Pennsylvania and Sylvester, suffering the above described wounds.

PATR. BANACH and PATR. KOTOWICZ entered the store and ordered JONES to come out with his hands up. JONES bolted from behind a counter and ran out the door. PATR. BANACH fired his Colt, Serial #892451, PD #12157, and PATR. KOTOWICZ fired his J. C. Higgins shotgun, inflicting the above described wounds.

The officers found Arthur Reeves hiding behind the counter. He came out with his hands raised and was placed under arrest.

Two lead pellets were recovered from the body of RONALD EVANS by Dr. Joseph Juliar, AWCME, and are held on Evidence Tag #682279 (unidentifiable for comparison).

Three .38 Special slugs and 2 fragments were recovered from the body of WILLIAM JONES by Dr. John F. Burton, AWCME, and held on Evidence Tag #682288 and #682343.

Ballistic reports positive microscopic comparison with shots fired from the gun of PATR. BANACH with slugs taken from the body of WILLIAM JONES.

On July 27, 1967, Warrant #A-139417, charging Arthur Reeves with entering without breaking, was obtained. Arraigned before Judge Frank Schemanske on 7-27-67, Bond - \$1,000 and 2 Sureties. Examination is set for August 7, 1967.

On July 28, 1967, Warrant #A-139483, charging Walter Walker with entering without breaking, was obtained. Arraigned before Judge Frank Schemanske on 7-29-67, Bond - \$1,000 and 2 Sureties. Examination is set for August 8, 1967.

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER

#252622

NAME RONALD EUGENE EVANS (Col)	F.P.L.NO. M.S.B.NO.	ALIAS
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Contributor 7-9-65 hd	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
PD, Det., Mich.	Ronald Evans #252622	11-27-63	Fugitive	11-27-63, TOT PD, Southfield, Mich
"	"	6-30-65	Traffic Warrant	7-1-65, \$80 or 10 Day DHC

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MEMORANDUM

Re: Patrolmen Lloyd Hewitt, Norman Salo, Chester Katowicz and
Sgt. Robert Porte
Dec. Ronald Evans

I have reviewed all of the statements contained in the file of the above -captioned person. A reiteration of the facts would serve no purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide". It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case. (Patten vs. People, 18 Mich. 314)

The accused may act upon a belief, arising from appearances which give him reasonable cause although he may turn out to be mistaken. The guilt of the accused must depend upon the circumstances as they appear to him. (Pond vs. The People, 8 Mich. 149)

"Were a man charged with crime to be held to a knowledge of all facts precisely as they are, there could be few cases in which the most innocent intention or honest zeal could justify or excuse homicide." (Pond, supra, at Page 173)

Based upon the facts as they appeared to Officers Hewitt, Salo, Katowicz and Sgt. Porte, it is my conclusion that they acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality could be assigned to their actions.



WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

Dated: August 28, 1967

MEMORANDUM

Re: Files #7159 and 7168

Dec. 7159: William Jones; Defs. Patr. Felix Banach & Chester Katowicz

Dec. 7168: Ronald Evans; Defs. Patrol. Lloyd Hewitt, Norman Salo,
Chester Katowicz and Sgt. Robert Porte

It would appear that the police involved responded to a call that there was a breaking and entering in progress on July 25, 1967, at 3:00 A.M. at 4100 Pennsylvania, Detroit. When they arrived they found Walker and Evans outside the store. They placed them under arrest and told them to lie on the ground. Evans sprang to his feet, pushed patrolman Hewitt to one side and ran west on Sylvester Street. Officers shouted halt, Evans continued to flee whereupon shots were fired in Evans direction by Hewitt, Salo, Katowicz and Porte. Evans was struck by one of the bullets and died.

The above story is confirmed by the following civilian witnesses:

Walter Walker saw Evans lying on the ground, saw him run and heard the police order him to halt and saw Evans continue to run.

Pierce says that the men were lying on the ground and saw one of the men get up and run down Sylvester and heard the police shoot.

Olivia Brown saw the two men lying on the ground and one get up and run. Heard the "guardsmen" yell for him to halt. The man did not stop and they shot him.

Sharon Brown: saw the two men lying on the ground and saw one man get up and run and saw him get shot.

Walker, companion of Ronald Evans, was ordered to lie down, which he did with Evans. He stated the police turned their heads and Evans got up and ran; the police yelled for him to halt and then fired. Walker stated that Evans told him he was never going to jail again.

WILLIAM JONES:

It would appear that on the same date, place and time that Jones, Reeves, Walker and Evans to burglarize a store. Jones and Reeves went into the store. The police arrived, as indicated above, Patrolmen Banach and Katowicz entered the store and ordered Jones to come out with his hands up. Jones bolted from behind a counter and ran toward the door. Banach and Katowicz both fired inflicting the mortal wounds.

Arthur Reeves did not see anyone get shot.

CONCLUSION: It is my conclusion that no criminality attaches to the acts of any of the officers above-named.

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7151

August 28, 1967		Homicide OFFENSE
Deceased- SHARON GEORGE, 23/W/F.,		
of 17374 Riopelle.		
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER	
Bostick & McManus		
ASSIGNED TO		

COMPLAINANT

D/Lieut. Hershel Bostick	Homicide Bureau		
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

To apprehend Unknown Person/s.

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At about 11:20 PM, July 23, 1967, ROSS GEORGE, 23/W/M, husband of SHARON GEORGE, drove his 1959 Ford Ch., Lic. DH-5223, into the Highland Park police station and asked to be taken to the hospital as he and his wife had been shot.

Personnel of the Highland Park police department conveyed ROSS GEORGE, SHARON GEORGE, PAUL DIMITRIE, 19/W/M and DENNIS DIMITRIE, 19/W/M, (both Dimitries are brothers of SHARON), to the Highland Park General Hospital. SHARON GEORGE was suffering a through & through gunshot wound to left little finger; GSW of entry to left inner forearm; GSW to left chest. She expired at 1:35 AM, 7/24/67, death pronounced by Dr. Sukhamoy. ROSS GEORGE was treated for a grazing GSW of the left side of the head and a GSW of the back of the neck, FAO. DENNIS DIMITRIE was not injured. PAUL DIMITRIE was treated for a laceration of the left cheek and right bicep, FAO.

On July 24, 1967, a Post Mortem examination was performed on the body of SHARON GEORGE at the Wayne County Morgue by Dr. Clara Raven, Ass't Wayne County Medical Examiner. Cause of death was determined to be Gunshot wound of the chest and abdomen with massive hemorrhage. Three fragments of a bullet were turned over to Det. Rolland Ives of the Homicide Bureau who in turn delivered same to the Scientific Laboratory on Evid. Tag #582272. None were identifiable.

Det. Sgt. John Domm & Det. Robert Smith of the Homicide Bureau responded to Highland Park General Hospital and interviewed ROSS GEORGE AND PAUL & DENNIS DIMITRIE.

From the investigation and statements, it appears that at about 11:15 PM, July 23, 1967, ROSS GEORGE was driving the car, his wife SHARON was sitting next to him and DENNIS DIMITRIE was sitting next to her in the front seat. PAUL DIMITRIE was sitting in the back seat directly behind ROSS GEORGE. The car was proceeding north on Woodward and had just passed Melbourne when the occupants observed a large crowd of negroes (estimated 200), assaulting a lone white male. ROSS GEORGE stopped the car. ROSS GEORGE then heard a loud report like a gunshot and at the same time felt that he was injured. He also heard SHARON moan or say something. PAUL also received his injury at this time. ROSS GEORGE drove directly to the Highland Park Police Department.

(Witnesses:—C)

This case was assigned to Det. Lieut. Hershel Bostick & Det. Thomas McManus of the Homicide Bureau, to investigate.

Investigation discloses that Melbourne runs only east from Woodward. On the west side of Woodward, Virginia Park begins and runs to the west. On the northwest corner of this intersection is the Algiers Motel, (8301 Woodward), and just to the west of the Algiers Motel is the Algiers Manor. It is possible that the fatal shot was fired from either the front porch, back stairway, two rooms on the second floor or one room on the third floor of the Algiers Manor as all of these overlook the area where ROSS GEORGE'S car was stopped. The projectile struck the driver's side of the car just in back of the door and apparently fragmented at this point. The fatal portions continued at a slight downward angle and passed through the driver's seat at an oblique angle and struck SHARON GEORGE in the left chest.

It has been established that sniping was going on in this area on this particular evening as well as on subsequent evenings.

This case is under active investigation and will continue to be investigated until this homicide is brought to a successful conclusion.

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7188

July 31, 1967		DD-412396		OFFENSE	
DATE		COMPLAINT NUMBER		Homicide (Deceased: PALMER GRAY, JR., 18/N/M, 227 E. Palmer).	
Domn & Loch		ASSIGNED TO			

COMPLAINANT

Det. Sgt. John Domn		Homicide Bureau		No	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS		CRIM. RECORD	

DEFENDANT

PATROLMAN DAVID SENAK, age 35, 13th Precinct, Badge #2885

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At 10:45 p.m., Fri., July 28, 1967, Scout 13-5 (a 5-man car) received a radio run to 570 E. Kirby, "man with a gun."

Later, Scout 13-7 conveyed PALMER GRAY, the deceased, to the Detroit General Hospital, CB, suffering an entrance wound to the center of the abdomen, with an exit wound to the lower back. He was pronounced DOA at 11:20 p.m., by Dr. Muthia Thangavula, of the Hospital Staff. Chart #2271515.

On July 29, 1967, an autopsy was performed on the body of PALMER GRAY, JR. at the Wayne County Morgue by Dr. John F. Burton, who gave the cause of death as follows: Shock and hemorrhage from gunshot wound of abdomen. File #67-5757.

The following witnesses were conveyed to the Homicide Bureau where longhand statements were taken by Dets. Edward Hay, John Loch and Joseph Zisler: PATROLMEN MARK ALCORN, RICHARD EVANS, RONALD AUGUST, GERALD CARROLL and DAVID SENAK, all of Scout 13-5; and GEORGE CONNOR, 24/N; and his wife, CARRIE CONNOR, 22/N, both of 4109 Iroquois, and ELLEN GREYS, 62/N, of 570 E. Kirby, #2.

From the investigation and interviews, it appears that PALMER GRAY, the deceased, had gone to 570 E. Kirby, Apt. #2, where he became involved in an argument over money with his father, PALMER GRAY, SR. They went outside and tussled, and the deceased became enraged and threw bricks and rocks through the windows of Apartment #2. The deceased then left and returned later armed with a small cal. black gun and threatened to kill everyone there. ELLEN GREYS called the police and the deceased left the apartment.

The officers arrived at the scene and were told what had happened and went to 5341 St. Antoine where PATROLMAN SENAK, and Patrolmen Carroll and Alcorn went to the rear of the building. While they were in the alley, Patrolman Evans, who was in the front of the building, saw a negro male, later identified as PALMER GRAY, JR., armed with a rifle, run across St. Antoine. Patr. Evans yelled this information to the officers, and Patrolmen Carroll and Alcorn ran toward Kirby to intercept this man. PATROLMAN SENAK ran in an aisleway between the buildings; and as he reached the sidewalk at St. Antoine, he saw PALMER GRAY, JR. on the sidewalk in front of 5341 St. Antoine with a rifle in his hands.

(With -335- ())

WITNESSES

Det. Sgt. John Domm
Name _____ Address Homicide Bureau _____ Criminal Record No _____

Complainant Testifies to

Signing the complaint; one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Det. Sgt. John Domm, DS-20
Officers in Charge of Case _____ Homicide Precinct Bureau

Det. John Loch, D-335
Approved: _____ Division DD

Det. Inspt. Albert P. Schwaller, Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

Details of Investigation - Homicide File #7188 - Continued

The deceased pointed the rifle at PATROLMAN SENAK, and the officer ordered him to drop the rifle, which he did. The deceased then whirled and ran up the stairs at 5341 St. Antoine, ignoring the officer's orders to halt. PATROLMAN SENAK then fired one shot from his revolver (a Smith & Wesson 6-Shot .41 Cal. Magnum Revolver, Serial #69073, personally owned and Department approved) into the wall as the deceased turned the corner on the stairway.

The deceased ran to the top of the stairs on the 3rd floor, with PATROLMAN SENAK in pursuit. At this time, PATROLMAN SENAK ordered the deceased to raise his hands. Instead, the deceased ran back down the stairs toward the officer and reached into his pocket as if to draw a gun. The officer, being previously apprized by witnesses at 570 E. Kirby that the man had threatened them with a small dark colored hand gun, feared the deceased was about to draw his gun, and fired one shot from his revolver, fatally wounding the deceased as described. No hand gun or other weapon was found on the deceased's person or in the immediate area at this time.

A .22 Cal. Sears Model 25, bolt action Rifle, loaded with 7 rounds of ammunition, was confiscated from the porch in front of 5341 St. Antoine, where the deceased dropped same. The gun is held on Evidence Tag #682331 and the ammunition on Evidence Tag #682332.

On July 29, 1967, at 9:45 a.m., Detective Sergeant John Domm, of the Homicide Bureau, in company with Detective Andrew Pecalski, temporarily assigned to the Homicide Bureau, went to 5341 St. Antoine and talked to JAMES GILLS, 55/W, of that address, 3rd floor. MR. GILLS stated that at the aforesaid time, he heard a disturbance on the stairway and the sound of a gun shot. He then heard someone shout, "Drop that gun." Moments later, he heard a second gun shot. MR. GILLS did not leave his apartment and saw nothing else.

Patrolman Lawrence Dokendorf, of the Central Photo Bureau, responded to the scene and photos were taken of the scene and area.

A slug, believed to have been fired from PATROLMAN SENAK'S revolver, was recovered from the stairlanding between the 2nd and 3rd floor at 5341 St. Antoine. This was turned over to the Scientific Bureau for comparison tests, however, no comparison was possible due to the deformed condition of said slug.

PALMER GRAY, SR. responded to the Homicide Bureau at 3:20 p.m., on July 29, 1967 at the request of Sergeant Domm; and at this time, he stated that after getting into a fight with his son, PALMER GRAY, JR., at his girlfriend's home (ELLEN GRAY'S, 570 E. Kirby), he returned to his home at 5341 St. Antoine, 2nd Floor, and went to sleep. He states he slept the night through without waking and did not hear any shots or disturbance in the hall outside his door. Further, he did not see his son with any gun at anytime that night.

CRIMINAL RECORD

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER #257873

NAME PALMER VALLEY (Col)	F.B.I. No.	ALIAS Palmer Valley
M.S.B. No.		

THIS RECORD FORWARDED TO OR RECEIVED BY _____
ON _____ BY _____
DATE _____ SIGNATURE AND/OR AGENCY OF PERSON RECEIVING _____
IDENTIFICATION-RECORD BUREAU

CONTRIBUTOR	NAME AND NUMBER	DATE	CHARGE AND DOCKET NUMBER	DISPOSITION
12-17-65 BAK				
PD Det., Mich.	Palmer Gray #257873	11-6-65	No Oper License #182083	11-6-65, \$35 or 7 days DHC
"	"	11-28-65	No Oper License #183292	12-14-65, \$60 or 7 day DHC
"	Palmer Valley #257873	7-6-67	Traffic Warrant	7-10-67, \$40 Fine
MASTER RECORD NO DUPLICATE BE TEST OR FILE				

September 25, 1967

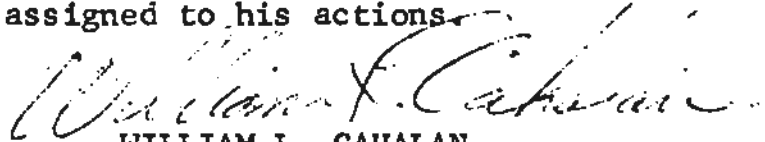
MEMORANDUM

Re: PATROLMAN DAVID SENAK

I have reviewed all of the facts as set forth in the Statements of witnesses in the file of the above referenced person. A reiteration of these facts would serve no useful purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide". It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case, "Patton vs. People, 18 Michigan 314".

Based upon the facts as they appeared to Patrolman David Senak, it is my conclusion that he acted in good faith and without malice, and that no criminality can be assigned to his actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

WLC:d

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT
REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

July 29, 1967		OFFENSE Homicide file #7150
TE D/Sgt. Herman Wagner and Det. Henry LaHousse	COMPLAINT NUMBER ASSIGNED TO	(deceased Walter Grzanka W/45 641 Charlotte apt. #5)

COMPLAINANT

Det. Henry LaHousse	Homicide bureau		
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

Hamid Audish Yacoub W/30	27821 Rialto, Madison Hgt.s	No	None		
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At 12:05 A.M. July 24, 1967 Scout 1-9 manned by Patr.s Roger Barthlow , and state troopers Harold Scholpen and George Squire received a radio run to Temple and Fourth "man shot, they beleive he is dead".

Upon arrival Scout 1-9 located the body of Walter Grzanka laying on the side walk on Temple alongside the Temple market located at 2844 Fourth. He was unconscious and suffered an apparent bullet wound to the left side of the chest. Scout 1-9 conveyed Walter Grzanka to Detroit general hospital where he was pronounced D.O.A. at 12:25AM 7-24-67 by Dr. Richard Sutton of the hosp. staff. Chart number 592995.

On July 24, 1967 an autopsy was performed at the Wayne county morgue by Asst. Wayne county medical examiner Dr. Clara Raven where the cause of death was determined to be "gunshot wound of the chest with massive hemorrhage". A 22 cal. slug was removed from the chest cavity and turned over to Det. Rolland Ives of the Homicide bureau and subsequently conveyed to the scientific lab. Morgue file #67-5590

From the investigation and the statements of witness'es it was determined that Walter Grzanka had left his dwelling at approx. 11:00PM 7-23-67 and joined with a number of white men from the neighborhood including Richard Kramer W/23 and Robert Kramer both of 641 Charlotte apt. 17, 833 0398 and Furnney Simpson W/22 660 Temple. The stated reason for this enjoiment was to protect their area against destruction. While at the corner of Third and Charlotte this group heard the sound of glass breaking in the area of Temple and Fourth. They responded to that area and observed a large group of persons entering and carrying away loot from the Temple market. A Negro male was filling bags and containers and handing them to confederates outside. Walter Grzanka walked over to the store on two occasions and accepted parcels and carried them across the street and placed them on the ground near his companions. On the third occasion his companions strongly advised him not to go back to the store and attempted to physically restrain him. Walter Grzanka then broke loose and walked back to the Temple market and this time entered the store.

At this point the information is augmented by witness'es Richard Armstrong

(Witnesses-Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Henry LaHousse Address Homicide bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to
Investigation of the case.

Name Joseph Grzanka Address 13416 Gable
Name Peter Grzanka Address 3911 Casmere Criminal Record _____

Testifies to
Identification of the body.

Name Dr. Clara Raven Address Wayne county morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to
performing the autopsy on the body

Name Richard Kramer Address 641 Charlotte Criminal Record _____

Testifies to
Being with Walter Grzanka and witnessing the shooting

Name Delroy ARMSTRONG Address 13180 Cloverlawn Criminal Record _____

Testifies to
Witnessing the shooting.

Herman Wagner

Det./sgt. Herman Wagner

Precinct _____

Officers in Charge of Case Det. Henry LaHousse

Division Homicide

Approved:

Henry LaHousse

Albert Schwallier

Det. Insp. Albert Schwallier Homicide

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT
REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

		OFFENSE
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER	
ASSIGNED TO		
COMPLAINANT		

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD
DEFENDANT			

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

N/23 3021 Fourth 8317729 and Delroy Armstrong N/29 13180 Cloverlawn.

While Walter Grzanka was inside of the Temple market Hamid Yacoub, who is the manager and is actually buying the store from Ammanuel Yasso 741 Seward, pulled up in front of the market in a 1965 red Mustang Ch. DH6149 driven by Kamil Gulla W/30 740 Hazelwood apt. C-5. Hamid Yacoub was in possession of a 22 cal "Rohm" 6 shot revolver serial#52899(E.T.#682282) and was holding the gun outside of the car window. At this time Walter Grzanka climbed out of the front door of the Temple market with another bag of loot in his arms. Hamid Yacoub said something to Walter Grzanka and as Walter Grzanka raised his arms Hamid Yacoub fired a shot at Walter Grzanka apparently hitting him as described. Hamid Yacoub returned to the car and drove away east on Temple and South on Third.

On July 25, 1967 at 5:00PM Hamid Yacoub and Kamil Gulla came into the Homicide byureau and made the following statement. On July 23, 1967 at approx. 11:30PM They had driven to the Temple market to attempt to protect the business from looters and damage. Kamil Gulla owns and operates a grocery store at 12371 Lasalle and they had previously determined that this business had been broken into and completely looted. As they approached the Temple market they observed that the windows had been smashed out and a fairly large group of people were entering and carrying away loot. They pulled to the curb at the immediate north west corner of the entrance and Hamid Yacoub started to get out of the car. When the white man came out of the front of the store Hamid Yacoub yelled at him. The white man began to raise his hands and at this time Hamid Yacoub beleived that he was going to attack him in some way and fired the gun.

Hamid Yacoub then returned to the car and they drove around the block and returned to the front of the store and continued to observed persons looting. Kamil Gulla then took the gun and fired two shots at the store and then drove from the scene.

On July 26, 1967 Hamid Yacoub turned the fatal weapon over to Det. Henry LaHousse along with four expended cartridges and two bullets.

The clothing of Walter Grzanka was confiscated from the hospital and 7 cigars, 4 packages of pipe tobacco and 9 pairs of shoelaces were found therein evidence tag#682265.

(Witnesses:-Over)

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT
REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

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ASSIGNED TO		
COMPLAINANT		

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD
DEFENDANT			

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

A positive identification was made by Det. Bobby Taylor of scientific lab. confirming that the "Rohm" pistol turned in by Hamid Yacoub did in fact fire the fatal bullet recovered from the body of Walter Grzanka.

Further information taken from Hamid Yacoub and Kamil Gulla indicated the reason that they drove from the scene after the shooting was that more persons were running towards the store and the futility of attempting to protect the store after the amount of looting that had already taken place.

(Witnesses:—Over)

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER 141602

NAME Walter Grzanka (w) BD - 11-3-23	P.B.I.NO. M.S.B.NO.	ALIAS Walter Grann Walter Gzanka
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Contributor	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
2-2-57 BAP				
D, Det., Mich	Walter Grzanka #141602	12-25-40	Inv Reckless Drvg	12-26-40, Dism no cas
"	"	~~11-11-41~~	~~Inv Reckless Drvg~~	
"	"	6-12-46	Drunk	6-13-46, Susp Sent
"	"	7-12-47	Drunk	7-14-47, Susp Sent
"	"	11-27-48	False Fire Alarm	11-27-48, \$100 & 4 mo Proba
"	"	4-12-49	Traffic Warrant	4-13-49, \$13 or 2 das WCJ
"	"	4-22-50	Inv Defrauding Cab	4-22-50, Dism no case
"	"	9-13-51	Inv Larc fr/store	9-15-51, Dism no case
"	"	4-18-53	GR Drunk	4-18-53, Discharged
"	Walter Garzanka #141602	7-3-53	Drunk	7-6-53, \$10 or 10 das DHC
"	Walter Grzanka #141602	1-26-54	Inv Robbery Armed	1-28-54, Dism no Case
"	"	1-26-55	Traffic Warrant	1-26-55, Susp Sent
"	"	6-7-55	Traffic Warrant	6-8-55, \$5 Fine
"	"	5-30-56	Drunk	5-31-56, \$5 or 10 das DHC
"	"	4-21-57	"	4-22-57, \$15 or 30 da DH
"	"	6-2-57	GR Drunk	6-2-57, Discharged
"	"	10-5-57	Traffic Warrant	10-7-57, \$6 or 2 das WCJ
"	"	12-1-57	False Fire Alarm	12-2-57- 30 da DHC
"	"	2-5-58	Drk & Diso	2-6-58, \$15 or 20 J. DHC

(see Page 2)

Contributor	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
PD, Det, Mich	Walter Grzanka #141602	6-11-58	Traff Warr	6-11-58, \$3 or 1 day WCJail
"	"	11-11-59	Drunk	11-12-59, Susp Sent
"	"	6-22-60	Traffic Warrant	6-23-60, \$10 or 1 day
"	"	8-18-60	Drunk	8-18-60, \$25 or 30 days DHC
"	"	11-10-60	Traffic Warrant	11-12-60, \$10 or 1 dy
"	"	2-15-61	Drunk	2-15-61, \$10 or 30 days DHC
"	"	3-21-62	Drunk	3-22-62, Susp Sent
"	"	3-30-62	Drunk	3-31-62, 30 days DHC
"	"	8-31-62	Drunk	9-1-62, \$10 or 10 days DHC
"	"	6-28-65	Drunk #229546	6-29-65, 15 days WCJa
"	"	7-15-65	Drunk #230612	7-16-65, \$10 or 5 day WCJail
"	"	7-23-65	Drunk #231060	7-24-65, 30 days WCJa
"	"	9-8-65	Drunk #234173	9-9-65, 30 days WCJai
"	"	1-17-67	Poss Starter Pistol #261303	1-18-67, \$50 or 10 days DHC

September 28, 1967

MEMORANDUM

Re: HAMID AUDISH YACOUN

I have reviewed all of the facts as set forth in the Statements of witnesses in the file of the above referenced person. A reiteration of these facts would serve no useful purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide". It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case, "Patton vs. People, 18 Michigan 314".

Based upon the facts as they appeared to HAMID AUDISH YACOUN, it is my conclusion that he acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality can be assigned to his actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

WLC:d

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7177

September 29, 1967		DD-412385	OFFENSE
DATE		COMPLAINT NUMBER	HOMICIDE (Deceased: HELEN HALL,
Hill & Kanka			51/W/F, aka MARY DOE #103, of Oak-
ASSIGNED TO			dale, Conn., staying at Harlan
			House, 6500 John C. Lodge, Rm. 450

COMPLAINANT OPEN

Det. Harry Hill	Homicide Bureau	No
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS
		CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

To apprehend Unknown Person/s.

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

On Wednesday, July 26, 1967, at 1:00 a.m., Police Code 2301 responded to the Harlan House Motel, 6500 John C. Lodge, "a shooting."

When Code 2301 arrived at the run location, Patr. Edward Schmeeman found HELEN HALL lying unconscious on the floor at the north end of the 4th Floor hallway, next to a large plate glass window. She was suffering a penetrating gunshot wound of the left chest, no exit. Code 2301 conveyed HELEN HALL to the Detroit General Hospital where she was pronounced D.O.A. at 2:01 a.m., by Dr. Gordon Shannon, of the Hospital Staff, Chart #00287.

On Wednesday, July 26, 1967, an autopsy was performed on the body of HELEN HALL at the Wayne County Morgue by Dr. Clara Raven, who gave the cause of death as "Gunshot wound of chest, with lacerations of heart and liver." Morgue File #5673-67.

The body of HELEN HALL was identified to Dr. Raven by a business associate, ROBERT JEROME, 35/W, of Lincoln Hill, Connecticut (442-7868).

Dr. Raven's examination disclosed a 2" x 1 1/4" penetrating wound of the chest, just to the right of the left breast. This wound was surrounded by a scattering of small puncture wounds and abrasions. The bullet went through the heart and down through the liver. Portions of the bullet were recovered from the body.

The portion of the bullet recovered from the body was taken to the Scientific Bureau and turned over to Detective Lieutenant Earl Leedle. From his examination of the bullet, it is of a .30 Cal. type, and there is a possibility of comparison if the gun it was fired from is located.

On Wednesday, July 26, 1967, Detectives Harry Hill and Robert Kanka, of the Homicide Bureau, in company with Patrolman Lawrence Dokendorf, of the Central Photo Bureau, responded to the Harlan House where an investigation was made and photos taken.

MRS. HALL had been in a small lounge in the 4th floor hallway at the north end of the building. The lounge contained a small table and two chairs, and it was lighted by a low-hanging overhead light. There is a large window, approx. 7 ft. x 5 ft. covered by draw-draperies.

The window contained three bullet holes, two entering the room, apparently fired by an unknown sniper (or snipers), one exiting the room, fired by witnesses. -Over-

WITNESSES

Name Det. Harry Hill Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record No

Complainant Testifies to

Signing the complaint; one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name Robert Jerome Address Lincoln Hill, Conn. Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Identified the body of the deceased.

Name Dr. Clara Raven Address Wayne County Morgue, Criminal Record _____
File #67-5673

Testifies to

Performed autopsy.

Name Dr. Gordon Shannon Address Detroit General Hosp Criminal Record _____
Chart #00287

Testifies to

Pronounced death.

Name Det. Robert Kanka Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record No

Testifies to

One of the officers in charge of the case.

Officers in Charge of Case Det. Harry Hill, D-217 Homicide Bureau Precinct _____
Det. Robert Kanka, D-496 Division DD

Approved:

Det. Inspt. Albert P. Schwaller, Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

by a police officer when he shot out the light bulb in order to get MRS. HALL from the room.

The lowest bullet hole entered the glass and tore through the drapery at the same level, approximately 4 ft. from the floor. This was the fatal shot. The middle bullet hole in the glass was fired by the police officer, approximately 6 ft. from the floor; and the top hole was fired by a sniper, 6½ ft. from the floor. This bullet traveled through the partition and into the wall of the hallway and was not recovered.

Directly outside the window is another wing of the Motel that is three stories high so that the window where MRS. HALL was shot, faces north towards W. Grand Blvd. and the Lodge Freeway.

MRS. HALL was an employee of the Faria Corporation of Connecticut and was staying at the Harlan House while in Detroit on business for the company.

On the night of the fatal shooting, the Lodge Freeway at W. Grand Blvd., cars on the Freeway, Ford Hospital, and other buildings in the area, were under sniper fire and had the police and National Guardsmen pinned down.

A statement from WILLIAM A. KELLER, 54/W, a permanent guest of the Harlan House, Rooms 407 and 408, disclosed that on the night of the fatal shooting, he had left his room and approached the lounge at the north end of the floor. MRS. HALL was standing at the window and called to him to come and look at the tanks. She pulled the drapery aside, and one shot hit the window and MRS. HALL was struck by the bullet. MR. KELLER was struck by flying glass but received no injuries.

MR. KELLER and other guests at the motel all state the shots seemed to be coming from the north (of the motel) and west of the Lodge Freeway, in the vicinity of the Ford Hospital.

It has been established that this area was under heavy sniper fire on this date, and that the Ford Hospital had to black out the windows in the Emergency Room because of the sniper fire.

This case is still under active investigation.

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR DIT)

Homicide File #7154
OFFENSE

July 23, 1967	#DD-386912	HOMICIDE: Deceased DANIEL JENNINGS
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER	MURDER
Det. Eljay Bowron	Homicide Bureau	36/N, of 403 Mount Vernon.
ASSIGNED TO		

COMPLAINANT

DETECTIVE ELJAY BOWRON	Homicide Bureau
NAME	ADDRESS
AGE AND RACE	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

STANLEY MESZCZENSKI, 47/W, of 8081 Curt St.	No	No
NAME	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
AGE AND RACE		
ADDRESS		
WHERE BORN		
NAME	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
AGE AND RACE		
ADDRESS		
WHERE BORN		
NAME	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
AGE AND RACE		
ADDRESS		
WHERE BORN		

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

On July 24, 1967 at 1:15 PM Scout 1-7 conveyed John Doe #378, later identified as DANIEL JENNINGS, JR., 36/N, to Detroit General Hospital, C.B., suffering a gunshot wound to the head. He was pronounced DOA by Dr. Tony Pagedas of the hospital staff.

On July 25, 1967 an autopsy was performed by Dr. J. F. Juliar, Assistant Wayne County Medical Examiner, who gave the cause of death as a through and through gunshot wound to the face and skull. Morgue File #67-5606.

Investigation disclosed that Mr. MESZCZENSKI and his wife Virginia were locked inside their store to guard the premises, due to the rioting and looting which was occurring in the vicinity of their store at 6000 John R known as Stanley Patent Medicine Store. At about 12:30 PM, 7/24/67, three male Negroes, who were unknown to the defendant, broke into the front door of the premises. MR. MESZCZENSKI told the men to stay out. DANIEL JENNINGS, JR. continued into the store and MR. MESZCZENSKI fired a shot from his 300 Savage lever-action rifle, inflicting the fatal wound. Whereupon the other two Negro males ran from the scene.

The rifle is held on Evidence Tag #685971. Serial #333834.

Held on Evidence Tag #685972 is a (1) 300 cal. empty cartridge and (1) slug recovered from the scene.

#A Cruiser, manned by Patr. James Bennett, Patr. Harold Soulliere, Patr. Ston Bernard and Patr. Robert Pizali, responded to a radio run, and made an investigation of the scene and made a report and also confiscated the evidence. MR. MESZCZENSKI and his wife, Virginia, appeared at the Homicide Bureau and made statements to Detective John Maniaci.

(Witness at-Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Eljay Bowron Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to _____

Signing complaint - one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name Dr. Tony Pagedas Address Det. General Hosp. Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Pronouncing death.

Name Dr. J. F. Juliar, M.D. Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

File #67-5606

Performing autopsy and giving cause of death.

Name Willie B. Jennings, Mother Address 277 E. Euclid Criminal Record _____
Name Ophelia Jennings, Wife Address 403 Mt. Vernon Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Identifying body at the Wayne County Morgue.

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Name Eljay Bowron Precinct Homicide
Address Det. Eljay Bowron - D-171 Bureau

Officers in Charge of Case _____ Division D.D.

Approved: _____

Albert P. Schwaller

ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, Detective Inspector - Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER

139545

NAME

Daniel Jennings (b)

F.B.I.NO.

M.S.B.NO. 496650

ALIAS

Contributor	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
10-25-57 af				
PD Roseville, Mich.	Daniel W. Jennings #--	6-16-53 (prt.rec.)	70 M.P.H. in 35 zone	\$55 fine or 90 da
PD, Det, Mich.	Daniel Jennings 139545	7-17-54	Traffic Warrant	7-19-54 \$8 fine
"	"	5-7-55	Inv Fel Aslt	5-8-55 Dism no case
"	"	5-16-57	Traffic Warrant	5-17-57 \$15 or 4 days
"	"	10-20-57	Police Witness (Fel. Aslt.)	10-22-57 Disch.
"	"	1-19-58	Aslt & Batt	1-19-58, Comp ref to prosecute
"	"	6-28-58	Allow Unlic Driver to Drive	6-28-58, 15 days DH
"	"	4-17-59	Traff Violation	4-17-59, \$13 or 1 da
"	"	5-27-59	B&E BP n/t Conv of Simp Larc	8-17-59, 2 yrs Prob.
"	"	12-25-61	Drunk	12-27-61, \$10 or 10 days DHC
"	"	1-4-62	Traffic Warrant	1-5-62, \$33 Fine
"	"	3-11-62	Indecent Liberties (A-110208)	5-31-62, 6 mos DHC 3 yrs prob, \$150 cps
DHC, Plymouth, Michigan	Daniel Jennings #114618	5-31-62 (sent.)	Indecent Liberties (RC Detroit)	6 mos & 3 yrs prob
PD, Det., Mich.	Daniel Jennings #139545	3-16-64	No Oper License	3-16-64, \$20 or 4 d. WCJail

Contributor	Name and Numb	Date	Charge	Disposition
PD.Det., Mich	Daniel Jennings #139545	3-4-67	Aslt & Btry #263751	3-6-67, 10 days DHC

August 22, 1967

MEMORANDUM

Re: STANLEY MESZCZENSKI

I have reviewed all of the facts as set forth in the Statements of witnesses in the file of the above referenced person. A reiteration of those facts would serve no useful purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide". It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case. (Patton vs. People, 18 Mich 314)

Based upon the facts as they appeared to Stanley Meszozenski, it is my conclusion that he acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality can be assigned to his actions.



WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney,
Wayne County

WLC:old

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

Homicide File #7173

July 31, 1967		DD-412381	OFFENSE
DATE	Domm & Loch	COMPLAINT NUMBER	Homicide (Deceased: ARTHUR JOHNSON, 36/M/N, address unknown).
ASSIGNED TO			

COMPLAINANT

Det. Sgt. John Domm	Homicide Bureau	No
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NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD
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DEFENDANT

PATROLMAN ANDREW ZAZULA, age 35, Badge #3531, 13th Precinct

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At 3:00 p.m., July 25, 1967, Tues., Scout 13-3, manned by Patrolmen Clifford Styrk and Peter McCluskui, received a radio run to 1401 Holbrook, "two looters shot."

Scout 13-3 conveyed John Doe #404, later identified as ARTHUR JOHNSON, 36/N, address unknown, and John Doe #405, later identified as PERRY WILLIAMS, 33/M/N, of 9726 Cameron, from the scene to the Detroit General Hospital, CB. JOHNSON suffered 2 gunshot wounds to the abdomen, both exiting the right back; WILLIAMS suffered 2 gunshot wounds to the center chest, exit left upper back. Both men were pronounced DOA at 3:25 p.m., by Dr. Burt Weyhine, Hospital Chart #593244 - Johnson; #593245, Williams.

On July 26, 1967, an autopsy was performed on the body of ARTHUR JOHNSON at the Wayne County Morgue by Dr. John F. Burton, who gave the cause of death as follows: Gunshot wound of abdomen; File #5662-67.

The following officers responded to the Homicide Bureau where statements were taken in the presence of Det. Sgt. John Domm, of the Homicide Bureau: PATROLMEN STYRK and MC CLUSKUI, of Scout 13-3; PATROLMEN LAWRENCE GIACOBOZZI and LAWRENCE PEW, of Scout 13-9; and PATROLMEN ANDREW ZAZULA and EDWARD RUPPELL, of Scout 13-10.

From the statements and the investigation, it appears that Scout Cars 13-9 and 13-10, while patrolling in the area of Woodward and Euclid, were informed by an unknown citizen, that the loan shop at Holbrook and Russell (Sherman Loan Company, located at 1401 Holbrook), was being looted. The officers responded to the scene and observed the front plate glass window broken out. They then hailed inside for anyone there to come out. Upon receiving no response, Patrolmen Giacobozzi and PATROLMAN ANDREW ZAZULA entered and began to search the premises. As Patrolman Giacobozzi proceeded to the rear of the building, he heard a noise behind him. He turned and saw John Doe #405, later identified as PERRY WILLIAMS, crouch down with a long dark object in his hands, later identified as a wooden club. Patrolman Giacobozzi then fired 2 rounds from his privately owned British Enfield, bolt action rifle, Cal. 303, Serial #47659, fatally wounding WILLIAMS as described.

WITNESSES

Name Det. Sgt. John Domm Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record No

Complainant Testifies to

Signing the complaint; one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

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Testifies to

Det. Sgt. John Domm, DS-20

Officers in Charge of Case

Det. John Loch, D-335

Approved:

Homicide
Bureau
Precinct _____
Division DD



Det. Inspt. Albert P. Schwaller, Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

Details of Investigation - Homicide File #7173 - continued

The officers continued to search the premises and went to the basement of the store. As Patrolman Giacobozzi walked past a clothing rack, PATROLMAN ZAZULA, who was following, observed John Doe #404, identified as ARTHUR JOHNSON, emerge suddenly from between the clothing racks, carrying a piece of pipe in his hand. PATROLMAN ZAZULA then fired 2 rounds from his privately owned Stevens .12 Ga. Pump Shotgun, no serial nr., fatally wounding JOHNSON as described.

The officers reported sniper fire in the area during the incident.

The premises were further looted and also burned by unknown persons later the same date. No slugs or shells were recovered at the scene.

On August 2, 1967 at 3:30PM, Det. Sgt. John Domm and Det. John Loch interviewed Joseph Davis 80/M/N and his wife, Jimmy Lee Davis 56/F/N of 915 Owen. They stated that at the time of the above incident they resided at 1405 Holbrook, which is located above the Sherman Loan Company. They further stated that on July 25, 1967 at about 3:00PM they observed the police drive up in front of Sherman's Loan Company and heard the officers shout "Come out, Come out." The officers repeated this several times. They then heard several shots and saw the police take two bodies out of the store.

CRIMINAL RECORD

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER
85432

NAME Arthur D. Johnson (c)	F. B. I. NO. 5014903 M. S. B. NO. 301390	ALIAS
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Contributor	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
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PD, Det., Mich.	Arthur Johnson. #85432	11-4-47	Inv. B&E	11-7-47, Dis; n/c Dearborn, Mich.
"	"	12-13-47	Fug. B&E	12-15-47, TOT Inkste Mich. 12-31-47, TOT Cir.
SO, Det., Mich.	Arthur D. Johnson #C-4106	12-15-47	B&E	1-18-48, Rel. on per bond. Bond cancelled def. in US Army
PD, Det., Mich.	Arthur Johnson #85432	3-5-51	Inv. RA	3-9-51, dis n/o
"	"	4-13-54	Traff Warrs.	4-14-54 \$5.00
"	"	6-17-55	Aid & Abett	6-17-55 30 das DHC
"	"	7-23-55	Inv Viol State Narc Laws	7-25-55 Dism no cas
"	"	3-2-56	Traff Warr.	3-2-56 \$8.00 pd.
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"	"	3-18-62	Traff Warr	3-19-62, \$5 or 1 d
"	"	10-3-62	Traffic Warrant	10-4-62, \$10 Fine
"	"	10-30-63	No Oper License	10-31-63, \$100 or 1 days DHC
"	"	3-13-64	Traffic Warrant	3-16-64, \$29 Fine
"	"	8-1-64	Traffic Warrant	8-3-64, \$44 or 4 da; WCJail
"	"	12-10-64	Traffic Warrant	12-10-64, \$32 or 5 DHC
"	"	12-18-65	Loit Pl Ill Occ (Blind Pig) #239887	12-18-65, \$5 or 5 d DHC

Contributor	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
D. Det., Mich.	Arthur Johnson #85432	4-25-66	Traffic Warrant	4-26-66, \$80 or 10 days DHC
"	"	9-21-66	Traffic Warrant	9-22-66, \$40 or 8 d DHC

MEMORANDUM

JOHNSON

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Re: ANDREW ZAZULA

I have reviewed all of the statements contained in the file of the above captioned person. A reiteration of the facts would serve no purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide." It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case. (Ratten vs. People, 18 Mich. 314)

The accused may act upon a belief, arising from appearances, which give him reasonable cause although he may turn out to be mistaken. The guilty of the accused must depend upon the circumstances as they appear to him. (Pond vs. The People, 8 Mich. 149)

"Were a man charged with crime to be held to a knowledge of all facts precisely as they are, there could be few cases in which the most innocent intention or honest zeal could justify or excuse homicide." (Pond vs. the People, 8 Mich. 173)

Based upon the facts as they appeared to Andrew Zazula, it is my conclusion that he acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality could be assigned to his actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

Dated: August 30, 1967

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- MEMORANDUM -

Re: Homicide File No. 7173: Doc. Arthur Johnson, 36/M/N
Def: Andrew Zazula,
Date: July 25, 1967

Homicide File No. 7174: Doc. Perry Williams, 33/M/N
Def: Lawrence Giacobozzi
Date: July 25, 1967

Place: Sherman Loan Co.
1401 Holbrook

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It would appear that the above two-mentioned defendants- Andrew Zazula and Lawrence Giacobozzi, in their respective scout cars and patrolling the area of Woodward and Euclid were advised by an unidentified citizen that there was looting in progress at 1401 Holbrook. They proceeded to the scene. They observed that the front plate-glass window was broken; whereupon, Giacobozzi called for those who were inside to come out with their hands over their head. This command was heard by citizen Joseph Davis and his wife, Jimmie Lee Davis, who lived at that time over the store.

Davis said, "I heard them holler into the store, come out, come out." According to Davis they shouted this command several times.

Following the command above-referred to, Giacobozzi and Zazula entered the store. Giacobozzi went to a room in the rear of the building and Zazula went to a room on the eastside of the building. Giacobozzi said that he saw a person crouched down behind the counter "holding a long object in his hand, which was pointed at me." This was later identified as a wooden club. Giacobozzi at that point fired two shots, which fatally wounded Perry Williams.

Following that incident, Giacobozzi and Zazula went to the basement. Zazula stopped on the bottom of the stairs and Giacobozzi went to the front of the basement. Zazula then, "observed a shiny object coming from between a rack of clothing pointed toward patrolman Giacobozzi at which time I fired two fast shots from a Stevens shotgun," which fatally wounded ARthur Johnson. This shiny object was later identified as a piece of pipe or as described by Giacobozzi, "a shiny steel tube in his hands." This object was seen both by Giacobozzi and Zazula.

Further investigation: No further investigation required.

Conclusion: It is my conclusion that there is no criminality attached hereto.

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)		Homicide File #7159
July 30, 1967	#DD-412376	OFFENSE
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER	HOMICIDE: Deceased WILLIAM JONES
D/Sgt. Debol and Det. Ives	Homicide Bureau	28/N, of 4075 Seyburn.
ASSIGNED TO		

COMPLAINANT

D/Sgt. Arthur Debol	Homicide Bureau - D.P.D.		
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

PATR. FELIX BANACH - Badge #1107	5th Precinct - D.P.D.				
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
PATR. CHESTER KOTOWICZ - Badge #90	5th Precinct - D.P.D.				
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

Date: 7-25-67
Time: 3:50 A.M.
Place: 4100 Pennsylvania (Bob's Market)

Scout 5-9 conveyed John Doe #400, later identified as RONALD EVANS, 24/N, to Detroit General Hospital, Central Branch, suffering gunshot wounds to the rear of head, right arm and left wrist. He was pronounced DOA at 4:10 AM by Dr. Elmer Oobel of the hospital staff. Chart #00461.

Scout 5-9 conveyed John Doe #399, later identified as WILLIAM JONES, 28/N, to Detroit General Hospital, Central Branch, suffering gunshot wounds to the chest, abdomen, legs and arms. He was pronounced DOA by Dr. Charles Lucas at 5:30 A.M. Chart #593177.

On July 25, 1967 an autopsy was performed on the body of RONALD EVANS by Assistant Wayne County Medical Examiner, Dr. Joseph Juliar, who gave the cause of death as "multiple gunshot wounds of head". Morgue File #67-5638.

On July 25, 1967 an autopsy was performed on the body of WILLIAM JONES by Wayne County Medical Examiner, Dr. John F. Burton, who gave the cause of death as "multiple gunshot wounds". Morgue File #67-5653.

The above officers, along with Walter Walker, 21/N, of 3537 Montclair and Arthur Reeves, 31/N, of 3482 Pennsylvania, were conveyed to the Homicide Bureau where longhand statements were taken by Det. Sgt. Herman Wagner and Det. Robert Smith.

From the investigation and statements of the witnesses it was learned that Arthur Reeves, Walter Walker, RONALD EVANS and WILLIAM JONES, met on the corner of Pennsylvania and Sylvester at approximately 2:30 A.M. They decided to break into the store on the corner. WILLIAM JONES kicked in the side window with his foot and entered, followed by Arthur Reeves. JONES and Reeves handed Walker and EVANS miscellaneous groceries through the window.

At 3:50 A.M. Scout 5-9 received a radio run to Pennsylvania and Sylvester. "looting a store". Unit B-E #2 also responded. Upon arrival at the run loc...

WITNESSES

Name D/Sgt. Arthur Debol Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to

Signing complaint, one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name Dr. Charles Lucas Address Detroit General Hosp. Criminal Record _____
Chart #593177

Testifies to

Pronouncing death.

Name Dr. John F. Burton Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____
File #67-5653

Testifies to

Performing autopsy and giving the cause of death.

Name Odell Webb Address 4075 Seyburn Criminal Record _____
Name Dorothy Hodges Address 4075 Seyburn Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Identifying body at the Wayne County Morgue.

Name Det. Rolland Ives Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

One of the officers assigned to the case and investigation.

Officers In Charge of Case

Approved:

Arthur Debol Precinct Homicide
D/Sgt. Arthur Debol DS-45 Bureau
Division D.D.

Rolland Ives
Det. Rolland Ives D-365

Albert P. Schwaller a.p.
ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, Detective Inspector - Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

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Homicide File #7159 and #7168

Details of Investigation - Continued

Patr. Michael Krotche observed EVANS and Walker at a window of the store being handed groceries. PATR. LLOYD HEWITT, PATR. NORMAN SALO, PATR. CHESTER KOTOWICZ and SGT. ROBERT PORTE ordered EVANS and Walker to lie on the ground. PATR. FELIX BANACH and PATR. KOTOWICZ entered the store. At this time EVANS, who was lying on the sidewalk, sprang to his feet, pushed PATR. HEWITT to one side and ran west on Sylvester. The officers shouted "Halt" but EVANS continued to flee. PATR. HEWITT fired his 30-30 Winchester, Serial #1153531, PATR. SALO fired his 30-30 Winchester, Serial # 1093930. PATR. KOTOWICZ fired his 12-gauge J. C. Higgins shotgun and SGT. PORTE fired a 30-30 Winchester. EVANS fell to the ground on the southwest corner of Pennsylvania and Sylvester, suffering the above described wounds.

PATR. BANACH and PATR. KOTOWICZ entered the store and ordered JONES to come out with his hands up. JONES bolted from behind a counter and ran out the door. PATR. BANACH fired his Colt, Serial #892451, PD #12157, and PATR. KOTOWICZ fired his J. C. Higgins shotgun, inflicting the above described wounds.

The officers found Arthur Reeves hiding behind the counter. He came out with his hands raised and was placed under arrest.

Two lead pellets were recovered from the body of RONALD EVANS by Dr. Joseph Juliar, AWCME, and are held on Evidence Tag #682279 (unidentifiable for comparison).

Three .38 Special slugs and 2 fragments were recovered from the body of WILLIAM JONES by Dr. John F. Burton, AWCME, and held on Evidence Tag #682288 and #682343.

Ballistic reports positive microscopic comparison with shots fired from the gun of PATR. BANACH with slugs taken from the body of WILLIAM JONES.

On July 27, 1967, Warrant #A-139417, charging Arthur Reeves with entering without breaking, was obtained. Arraigned before Judge Frank Schemanske on 7-27-67, Bond - \$1,000 and 2 Sureties. Examination is set for August 7, 1967.

On July 28, 1967, Warrant #A-139483, charging Walter Walker with entering without breaking, was obtained. Arraigned before Judge Frank Schemanske on 7-29-67, Bond - \$1,000 and 2 Sureties. Examination is set for August 8, 1967.

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MEMORANDUM

Re: Patrolmen Lloyd Hewitt, Norman Salo, Chester Katowicz and
Sgt. Robert Porte
Dec. Ronald Evans

I have reviewed all of the statements contained in the file of the above -captioned person. A reiteration of the facts would serve no purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide". It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case. (Patten vs. People, 18 Mich. 314)

The accused may act upon a belief, arising from appearances which give him reasonable cause although he may turn out to be mistaken. The guilt of the accused must depend upon the circumstances as they appear to him. (Pond vs. The People, 8 Mich. 149)

"Were a man charged with crime to be held to a knowledge of all facts precisely as they are, there could be few cases in which the most innocent intention or honest zeal could justify or excuse homicide." (Pond, supra, at Page 173)

Based upon the facts as they appeared to Officers Hewitt, Salo, Katowicz and Sgt. Porte, it is my conclusion that they acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality could be assigned to their actions.



WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

Dated: August 28, 1967

MEMORANDUM

Re: Files #7159 and 7168

Dec. 7159: William Jones; Defs. Patr. Felix Banach & Chester Katowicz
Dec. 7168: Ronald Evans; Defs. Patrol. Lloyd Hewitt, Norman Salo,
Chester Katowicz and Sgt. Robert Porte

It would appear that the police involved responded to a call that there was a breaking and entering in progress on July 25, 1967, at 3:00 A.M. at 4100 Pennsylvania, Detroit. When they arrived they found Walker and Evans outside the store. They placed them under arrest and told them to lie on the ground. Evans sprang to his feet, pushed patrolman Hewitt to one side and ran west on Sylvester Street. Officers shouted halt, Evans continued to flee whereupon shots were fired in Evans direction by Hewitt, Salo, Katowicz and Porte. Evans was struck by one of the bullets and died.

The above story is confirmed by the following civilian witnesses:

Walter Walker saw Evans lying on the ground, saw him run and heard the police order him to halt and saw Evans continue to run.

Pierce says that the men were lying on the ground and saw one of the men get up and run down Sylvester and heard the police shoot.

Olivia Brown saw the two men lying on the ground and one get up and run. Heard the "guardsmen" yell for him to halt. The man did not stop and they shot him.

Sharon Brown: saw the two men lying on the ground and saw one man get up and run and saw him get shot.

Walker, companion of Ronald Evans, was ordered to lie down, which he did with Evans. He stated the police turned their heads and Evans got up and ran; the police yelled for him to halt and then fired. Walker stated that Evans told him he was never going to jail again.

WILLIAM JONES:

It would appear that on the same date, place and time that Jones Reeves, Walker and Evans to burglarize a store. Jones and Reeves went into the store. The police arrived, as indicated above, Patrolmen Banach and Katowicz entered the store and ordered Jones to come out with his hands up. Jones bolted from behind a counter and ran toward the door. Banach and Katowicz both fired inflicting the mortal wounds.

Arthur Reeves did not see anyone get shot.

CONCLUSION: It is my conclusion that no criminality attaches to the acts of any of the officers above-named,

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7162

July 28, 1967

DD-386919

OFFENSE

Homicide (Deceased: CHARLES KEMP
35/N/M, of 3194 Charlevoix).

DATE COMPLAINT NUMBER

Fullerton & Maniaci

ASSIGNED TO

COMPLAINANT

Det. Robert Fullerton

Homicide Bureau

No

NAME AGE AND RACE ADDRESS CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

PATROLMAN JAMES DENNERLY

7th Precinct

No

NAME AGE AND RACE ADDRESS WHERE BORN IN CUSTODY CRIM. RECORD
PATROLMAN JAMES O'NEAL 7th Precinct

NAME AGE AND RACE ADDRESS WHERE BORN IN CUSTODY CRIM. RECORD

SERGEANT RICHARD DYKEMA, 26/W, Michigan National Guard, A Co., 3rd Batt.,

NAME AGE AND RACE ADDRESS WHERE BORN IN CUSTODY CRIM. RECORD
126 Inf., Grand Rapids, Michigan

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

Date: July 24, 1967

Time: 5:20 p.m.

Place: 75 ft. east of 1800 Mack

On July 24, 1967, at approximately 5:20 p.m., CHARLES KEMP, the deceased was conveyed to the Detroit General Hospital, CB, suffering from a through and through gunshot wound of the left leg and a gunshot wound of the center back. He was pronounced D.O.A. at 5:38 p.m., by Dr. Sidney Klopsenstein, of the Hospital Staff, Chart #00331.

On July 27, 1967, an autopsy was performed on the body of CHARLES KEMP at the Wayne County Morgue by Dr. Joseph Juliar, who gave the cause of death as follows: Gunshot wound of chest. Morgue File #5623-67.

At 5:20 p.m., July 24, 1967, the investigation revealed the above named officers, in company with Sp/4 Robert Welniak, of the Michigan National Guard, were assigned to Scout 13-3, during the time of the civil disobedience. As they were patrolling on Mack near Orleans, they observed several negro males carrying loot out of the side window of Jorgi's Market located at 1800 Mack. The officers alighted from the vehicle and ordered the looters to halt. The looters ran south on Orleans and east in the alley, being pursued by the officers. During the chase, PATROLMAN DENNERLY fired 2 shots from a .12 Ga. Noble Shotgun; PATROLMAN O'NEAL fired 1 shot from a 30-30 Marlin rifle; and SERGEANT DYKEMA fired 6 shots from a Springfield .30 Cal. M-1 Rifle. The deceased collapsed in a passageway south of Mack, 75 ft. east of Orleans.

The officers also apprehended WILLIE KELLEY, JR., 34/N/M, of 9035 W. Clarendon and charged him with Entering Without Breaking (Warrant #A-139128).

The confiscated loot is held on Evidence Tag #686454.

A check at the Detroit Police Identification Bureau disclosed the deceased had no record with this Department. A further check is being made with the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

(Witnesses:—Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Robert Fullerton Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record No

Complainant Testifies to

Signing the complaint; one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

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Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Officers in Charge of Case Det. Robert Fullerton, D-488 Homicide Bureau
Det. John Maniaci, D-109 Precinct _____
Approved: Albert P. Schwallier Division DD

Det. Inspt. Albert P. Schwallier, Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7162

July 28, 1967		DD-386919		OFFENSE	
Fullerton & Maniaci		COMPLAINT NUMBER		Homicide (Deceased: CHARLES KEMP, 35/N/M, of 3194 Charlevoix).	
ASSIGNED TO					

COMPLAINANT

Det. Robert Fullerton	Homicide Bureau	No
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS

DEFENDANT

PATROLMAN JAMES DENNERLY	7th Precinct	No
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS
PATROLMAN JAMES O'NEAL	7th Precinct	WHERE BORN
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS
SERGEANT RICHARD DYKEMA	26/W, Michigan National Guard, A Co., 3rd Batt.,	WHERE BORN
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS
	126 Inf., Grand Rapids, Michigan	WHERE BORN

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(Witnesses:—Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Robert Fullerton Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record No

Complainant Testifies to

Signing the complaint; one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

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Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Officers in Charge of Case Det. Robert Fullerton, D-488 Homicide Bureau
Det. John Maniaci, D-109 Precinct _____
Approved: Albert P. Schwaller Division DD

Det. Inspt. Albert P. Schwaller, Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

September 25, 1967

MEMORANDUM

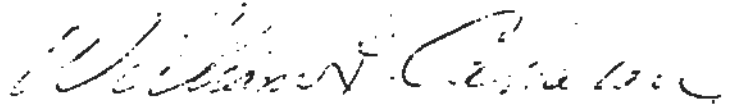
7162

Re: PATROLMAN JAMES DENNERLY
PATROLMAN JAMES O'NEAL
SERGEANT RICHARD DYKEMA

I have reviewed all of the facts as set forth in the statements of witnesses in the file of the above referenced persons. A reiteration of these facts would serve no useful purpose.

Based upon the review, it is my position that it would be impossible for the People to maintain its burden of proof insofar as which of the several persons involved actually fired the fatal shot.

But further, even if we were able to determine which of the many parties was responsible, the facts as they appeared to these several individuals would justify their actions. It is therefore, my conclusion that the parties acted in good faith and without malice, and that no criminality can be assigned to their actions.



WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

WLC:d

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File # 7187

OFFENSE

August 3, 1967
DD-412395
Dets. Daniel McCarthy & William Strauch
ASSIGNED TO

Homicide (Deceased John Leroy, M/N/3
of 5119 Garland)

COMPLAINANT

Det. Daniel McCarthy
Homicide Bureau
NAME AGE AND RACE ADDRESS CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

Undetermined Military Personnel
4. PFC Christian Oswald
NAME AGE AND RACE ADDRESS WHERE BORN IN CUSTODY CRIM. RECORD
1. Lieut. Frederick Drosten
2. PFC Richard Carbonneau
3. Sgt. Michael Olivero
5. Cadet Gerald Hickman
6. Private E-2 Tracy Baker
7. Specialist 4 Mauri Rose
NAME AGE AND RACE ADDRESS WHERE BORN IN CUSTODY CRIM. RECORD

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

On Tuesday, July 25th, 1967 at approximately 2:30 AM; JOHN LEROY was conveyed to Detroit General Hospital from Lyncaste N/O Charlevoix via undetermined police convoyance; suffering from gunshot wounds to the chest, arm and stomach; condition serious; hospital chart # 593215.

On Friday, July 28th, 1967 at 5:00 AM; JOHN LEROY expired at Detroit General Hospital; death being pronounced by Dr. Dennis Glazier of the hospital staff.

On July 28th, 1967; Assistant Wayne County Medical Examiner, Dr. Joseph Juliar, performed an autopsy on the body of JOHN LEROY at the Wayne County Morgue and gave the cause of death as "Delirium Tremens" after injury to and surgery performed to the abdominal area; Morgue File # 5729-67.

From the investigation at the scene and the statements of witnesses it was determined that:

On Monday, July 24th, 1967, shortly before midnight, JOHN LEROY, in company with Charles Dunson, N/32 of 5105 Garland; Edward Blackshear, N/28 of 1600 Blaine; Charles Glover, N/36 of 3322 Tyler and Ronald Powell, N/24 of 3489 Lyncaste, left the Dunson residence in Charles Dunson's 1963 Plymouth station wagon, Michigan license CF-4891(67). Their destination was the Powell residence. Prior to leaving, all, with the exception of JOHN LEROY, had been drinking and some alcoholic beverages was taken in the vehicle when they left.

Enroute, the occupants of the vehicle agree that the car was stopped by National Guardsmen in the immediate area of Mack & St Jean and that the guardsmen instructed them to take a circuitous route and approach their destination from the South because there were snipers in the area.

As the vehicle turned N. on Lyncaste from Charlevoix; it approached a National Guard roadblock manned by Lieutenant Frederick Drosten, PFC Richard Carbonneau, Sgt. Michael Olivero, PFC Christian Oswald, Cadet Gerald Hickman, Private E-2 Tracy Baker and Specialist 4 Mauri Rose. The guardsmen were in the area because of heavy sniper firing.

WITNESSES

Name Det. Daniel McCarthy Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to Signing the complaint; one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name Dr. Dennis Glazier Address Detroit General Hospital Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Pronounced death; hospital chart # 593215.

Name Dr. Joseph Juliar Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Performed autopsy, Gave cause of death; Morgue File # ~~5029-67~~ 5729-67

Name Leslie Leroy Address 5119 Garland Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Ray Leroy 1828 Helen

Identified body of the deceased at the Wayne County Morgue.

Name Det. William Strauch Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to One of the officers in charge of the case.

Officers in Charge of Case Det. Daniel McCarthy Det. Wm. Strauch Precinct Homicide Bureau Division D.B.

Approved:

D-449

D-176

Albert F. Schwaller Det. Wm. Strauch

Det. Inspector Albert Schwaller; Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

Homicide File # 7187 Deceased John Leroy, N/30 of 5119 Garland

Charles Dunson was driving the vehicle, Ronald Powell sat next to him in the right front seat, JOHN LEROY sat in the right rear seat, Edward Blackshear sat in the center of the rear seat and Charles Glover sat behind the driver. The headlights of the car were not burning.

Several of the guardsmen yelled to the vehicle to "Stop" or "Halt" and either the vehicle slowed and stopped or stopped and proceeded without clearance. A shot was heard, the guardsmen believed the shot was fired from the car and Specialist 4 Mauri Rose, W/26, fell to the pavement, suffering from a through and through gunshot wound to the right ankle.

At this point, the guardsmen, who were all armed with M-1 rifles, opened fire on the vehicle. The vehicle stopped in front of 2925 Lycaste, the occupants were ordered out of the vehicle and at this time, it was determined that all had been injured.

Prior to the arrival of transportation for the injured men, heavy sniper fire commenced again, and the injured were ordered to lay in the street against the curbing to prevent further injury from the snipers to themselves. This sniper fire continued for some time.

At the hospital, it was determined that; Ronald Powell had suffered from gunshot wounds to the head and right hip; Charles Glover had suffered wounds to the head and shoulder; Edward Blackshear suffered wounds to both legs; Charles Dunson suffered wounds to the eyes and legs. All of the above wounds were caused by fragmentized bullets or metal from the car, with the exception of Charles Dunson's eye injuries which was caused by glass shards.

Specialist 4 Rose was conveyed to Detroit General Hospital for the injury he sustained.

A search of the vehicle, found by the investigating officers on July 28th, 1967 at about 10:00 AM in front of 3005 Lycaste failed to reveal any firearms, cartridge casings or expended bullets. However, containers for alcoholic beverages were found in the vehicle. Photographs of the vehicle were taken by Patr. Eugene Nierzwick of the Central Photo Bureau under direction of the investigating officers.

At the time of his admission to Detroit General Hospital for treatment of his injuries; JOHN LEROY was interviewed by Det. John Loch of the Homicide Bureau and stated that "He was shot by the National Guards, location unknown, after running a roadblock".

Statements from the civilian witnesses were taken by the investigating officers; statements from the National Guardsmen involved, were taken by First Lieutenant Ralph O. Wilbur of the Judge Advocates Office of the National Guard.

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER 178009

NAME John William Leroy (B)	F.B.I. NO. M.S.B. NO.	ALIAS
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Contributor

Name and Number

Date

Charge

Disposition

PD, Det., Mich.	John W. Leroy #178089	2-19-58	Traffic Warrant	2-21-58, \$8 fine
"	"	7-26-59	Traffic Warrant	7-27-59, \$12 fine
"	"	8-19-60	Drunk	8-20-60, \$10 or 15 days DHC
"	"	2-21-61	Oper Lic not in Imm Poss	2-23-61, \$50 or 5 days DHC
"	"	1-14-62	No Oper License	1-15-62, 15 days DHC
"	"	8-30-62	No Oper License	8-31-62, Susp Sent
"	"	12-14-63	No Oper License	12-16-63, \$75 or 5 days DHC
"	"	1-26-65	Traffic Warrant	1-26-65, \$10 Fine

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September 25, 1967

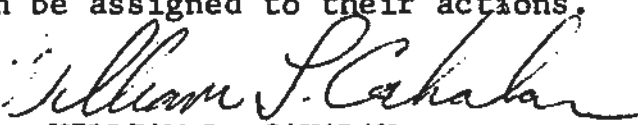
MEMORANDUM

Re: Lieut. FREDERICK DROSTEN
PFC RICHARD CARBONNEAU
Sgt. MICHAEL OLIVERO

I have reviewed all of the facts as set forth in the statements of witnesses in the file of the above referenced persons. A reiteration of these facts would serve no useful purpose.

Based upon the review, it is my position that it would be impossible for the People to maintain its burden of proof insofar as which of the several persons involved actually fired the fatal shot.

But further, even if we were able to determine which of the many parties was responsible, the facts as they appeared to these several individuals would justify their actions. It is therefore, my conclusion that the parties acted in good faith and without malice, and that no criminality can be assigned to their actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

WLC:d

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT
REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED

TATE
A-138230
Homicide File #7140

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

July 23, 1967

OFFENSE

Homicide: Albert H. Lewis, 26/M,
of 22675 Kentucky

DATE COMPLAINT NUMBER

McCarthy & Starnuch

ASSIGNED TO

COMPLAINANT

Det. Daniel McCarthy, Homicide Bureau

NAME AGE AND RACE ADDRESS CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

Willie T. Jew, M/M/29 520 Harding, #9 No 160227

NAME AGE AND RACE ADDRESS WHERE BORN IN CUSTODY CRIM. RECORD

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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At 11:55 PM, July 22, 1967, #5 Console, manned by Patr. Roger Franer and Patr. Wm. Sailor & Patr. Richard Bronowski, received a radio run to 826 Continental a shooting. Scout 5-9, immediately responded to the run, manned by Michael Krotoko and Patr. Gary Boiger. Scout 5-9 conveyed ALBERT MORRIS LEWIS from the basement of the run scene to the Det. Gen. Hosp., (CB), suffering from a gunshot wound to the right side of the throat, no exit. LEWIS was pronounced DOA through Avada of the hospital staff at 12:20 AM, this date.

On Sunday, July 23, 1967, an autopsy was performed on the body of ALBERT MORRIS LEWIS at the Wayne Co. Morgue by Wayne Co. Med. Exam. Dr. John F. Burton who gave cause of death as gunshot wound to the neck, Morgue File #67-5574. Dr. Burton removed one spent slug from the body of ALBERT MORRIS LEWIS.

From the investigation at the scene and statements taken from witnesses, it was disclosed that the complainant went to a blind pig located at 826 Continental run by a CHARLES WATSON, 67/M/M, of that address. The deceased, ALBERT MORRIS LEWIS, was in the basement drinking at the bar, when he became involved in an argument with the defendant, WILLIE T. JEW. During the argument, WILLIE T. JEW reached into his right pant's pocket and produced a blue steel .25 cal. automatic, at which time he fired one shot at ALBERT MORRIS LEWIS, inflicting the aforementioned wound. WILLIE T. JEW then left the scene by way of the back door north in the alley toward Jefferson, on foot, with the gun.

On July 23, 1967, at approx. 1:00 AM, a CLARENCE SIMMONS, M/M/A, of 599 Woodbrook, received a phone call from the defendant, WILLIE T. JEW at which time WILLIE T. JEW stated he just shot a man at 826 Continental, a blind pig. WILLIE T. JEW asked of CLARENCE SIMMONS what he should do. He promised to call CLARENCE SIMMONS on July 23, 1967, at about 5:00 PM.

On 7/23/67, Dets. Daniel McCarthy & Thomas Kallhaus showed police maps to CHARLES WATSON, 67/M/M of 826 Continental, who readily identified Police Tag #160227, - that of WILLIE T. JEW, as the man who fatally shot ALBERT MORRIS LEWIS. Mr. Watson turned over to Det. McCarthy an RP expended .25 cal. shell casing that he stated struck him in the left side of his face when WILLIE T. JEW fired the fatal shot at ALBERT MORRIS LEWIS. This spent casing held at the Homicide Bureau on REF 602261.

(Witnesses:—Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Daniel McCarthy Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to

signing the complaint.

Name Dr. John P. Durton Address Wayne Co. Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Performed autopsy and gave cause of death.

(Brother-in-law of deceased)
Name Harry Black Address 12675 Buona Vista Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Identified body of deceased at the Morgue.

Name Andrew Lewis (father) Address 12675 Buona Vista Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Identified body of the deceased at the Morgue.

Name Det. William Starnach Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

One of the officers in charge of the case.

Det. Daniel McCarthy Precinct Hon. Det.

Daniel McCarthy, 1949

Officers in Charge of Case _____ Division D.D.

Det. Wm. Starnach, D-270

Approved:

Albert P. Schwaner
ALBERT P. SCHWANER, D/Insp., Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

(Over) Det. Prosecutor

On July 23, 1967, at approximately 3:00 PM, Dets. McCarthy & McManus, Homicide Bureau, showed police mug to CLARENCE SIMMONS, N/1/40 of 599 Hoadowbrook, at which time he readily identified police mug #164827, - WILLIE T. JEW, as the man who called him at approx. 1 AM, that day, stating he shot a man at 826 Continental, a blind pig.

On July 23, 1967, at approx. 4:00 PM, Dets. McCarthy & McManus went to the home of the defendant, WILLIE T. JEW, at which time they gained entrance and recovered from a dresser drawer one box containing a .25 cal. slug and 25 - live .25 cal. Remington cartridges, held on ST #682262 at the Homicide Bureau.

CRIMINAL RECORD

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER

164827

NAME WILLIE T. JEW (B)

F.B.I. NO. 662228 D ALIAS
M.S.D. NO. 479413

Contributor	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
PD, Det., Mich.	Willie Jew #164827	7-12-58	Inv. Fol. Aslt.	7-12-58 Dis. no case
"	"	10-5-58	Traffic Warrant	10-6-58 \$5 fee Forf. Case closed.
"	"	8-31-60	No Opr. Lic.	9-1-60 \$25 or 5 das
"	"	9-14-60	A&B	9-14-60 4 mos. proba
"	"	10-2-60	Rob Not Armed	11-10-60, Conv of Lar fr person, 2-10 yrs. Jackson St Pr.
Dept of Corr Recap Center Jackson Mich	Willie T. Jew #A 103953	11-10-60 (sent.)	Larc from person (R.C. Detroit)	2 - 10 years 2-19-62, paroled to Detroit Bal: 2-19-62
PD, Det., Mich.	Willie Jew #164827	10-19-63	Viol Parole	10-24-63, TOT Parole Officer
"	"	10-18-65	No Oper License #181094	10-18-65, \$75 or 8 da DHC
"	"	11-7-65	No Oper License #182166	11-13-65, Bond forward & Capias issued
"	"	12-1-65	Common Law Rape #A-127850	2-1-67, Conv: Attempt have Carnal Know Ec/ 16 years of age 2 years Prob \$100 Cost

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DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7185

August 2, 1967	DD-412393	OFFENSE
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER	Homicide (Deceased: JULIUS L. LUST, JR., 26/W/M, of 13998 Mitchell).
ASSIGNED TO		

COMPLAINANT

Det. Sgt. Arthur Debol	Homicide Bureau	No
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS
		CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

PATROLMAN ROBERT WRATHELL, age 38, Badge #1289, 11th Precinct		No
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS
PATROLMAN FREDERICK ROBINSON, age 24, Badge #3040, 11th Precinct		No
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS
		WHERE BORN
		IN CUSTODY
		CRIM. RECORD
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS
		WHERE BORN
		IN CUSTODY
		CRIM. RECORD

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

Date: July 26, 1967
Time: 9:30 p.m.
Place: 17130 Jos. Campau (G & W Auto Parts)

John Doe #406, later identified as JULIUS LUST, JR., was conveyed to the Detroit General Hospital, Central Branch, by #11 Auto suffering a through and through gunshot wound to chest, entrance under right arm, exit left side. He was pronounced D.O.A. at 10:00 p.m., by Dr. Donald Jablonski, of the Hospital Staff, Chart #2271144.

On July 27, 1967, an autopsy was performed on the body of JULIUS LUST, JR. at the Wayne County Morgue by Assistant Wayne County Medical Examiner Dr. Clara Raven, who gave the cause of death as follows: Gunshot wound to chest. Morgue File #5697.

On July 26, 1967, the following witnesses were conveyed to the Homicide Bureau where longhand statements were taken by Det. Robert Smith, of the Homicide Bureau: PATROLMAN ROBERT WRATHELL, PATROLMAN FREDERICK ROBINSON, PATROLMAN AUGUSTUS PASKO, JR., and JAMES A. BUTLER, a Private Guard.

On July 29, 1967, the following witnesses made longhand statements to Det. Sgt. Arthur Debol, of the Homicide Bureau: GARY WOYTALEWICZ, 20/W, ZYGMUNT KONIECKI, 17/W, DEAN TURLEY, 30/W, and WILLIE THOMAS, 52/N.

From the statements of the witnesses and the investigation, it was learned that at about 8:00 p.m., on July 26, 1967, JULIUS LUST, GARY WOYTALEWICZ, and ZYGMUNT KONIECKI met at LUST'S home. JULIUS LUST informed GARY and ZYGMUNT that he had obtained permission from an employee of the G & W Auto Parts, DEAN TURLEY, to go to the yard after closing to get a part for a 1961 Falcon. He needed a plastic selector shift housing for an automatic transmission. The three left LUST'S house at 9:00 p.m. GARY had a steel pull bar, ZYGMUNT carried a hammer, and LUST carried a ratchet wrench. The three climbed over the rear fence of the yard. LUST went to a 1961 green Falcon, but it was the wrong model and they did not observe another Falcon in the yard. GARY and ZYGMUNT climbed back over the fence, and GARY noticed a police car on Jerome St. He and ZYGMUNT ran, leaving LUST inside the auto parts yard.

WITNESSES

Name Det. Sgt. Arthur Debol Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record No

Complainant Testifies to

Signing the complaint; one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name Donna Lust 13998 Mitchell
Margaret Hohner Address 30900 Orchard Lake, Farmington, Michigan Criminal Record No

Testifies to

Identified the body of the deceased at the Wayne County Morgue.

Name Dr. Clara Raven Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record No
File #67-5697

Testifies to

Performed autopsy and gave the cause of death.

Name Dr. Donald Jablonski Address Detroit General Hosp. Criminal Record No
Chart #2271144

Testifies to

Pronounced death.

Name James Butler Address 3753 E. Nevada Criminal Record No

Testifies to

Observed B & E and one man with a gun.

Arthur Debol Homicide
Det. Sgt. Arthur Debol, DS-45 Precinct Bureau
Holland Ives Division DD
Officers in Charge of Case Det. Holland Ives, D-365

Approved:

Albert Schwaller
Det. Inspt. Albert P. Schwaller, Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

Details of Investigation - Homicide File #7185 - Continued

At 9:30 p.m., Scout 11-2, manned by PATROLMEN ROBERT WRATHELL, FREDERICK ROBINSON and AUGUSTUS PASKO, JR., was hailed by a private guard, JAMES BUTIER, who is employed by the Simpson Private Patrol to patrol the area of Frank's Nursery, 14049 Jos. Campau, Lindy's Supermarket, 14044 Jos Campau, and Simpson's Record Shop, located at 14034 Jos Campau. He informed the officers that he had seen 3 or 4 men climb the fence of the auto parts store, and one of the men had a chrome plated gun.

PATROLMEN WRATHELL and ROBINSON got out of the car and went to the front of the yard. PATROLMAN PASKO drove to the rear. PATROLMEN WRATHELL and ROBINSON observed a man in the yard, heading toward the front. Both officers shouted for the man to halt. The man, later identified as JULIUS LUST, raised his left hand toward the officers and began to run to the left. Both officers fired one shot.

PATROLMAN WRATHELL was using a .30-06 Winchester Rifle, Serial #197782, and PATROLMAN ROBINSON, a .308 Winchester Rifle, Serial #90347. One shot took effect, inflicting the above described wound.

On July 28, 1967, DONNA LUST, wife of the deceased, was interviewed at her home by Sgt. Debol and stated that her husband left the house at 9:00 p.m. and was on his way to get a part for a Falcon steering column. She further stated her husband had permission from an employee named DEAN.

On July 28, 1967, DEAN TURLEY, an employee for the G & W Auto Parts for the past 6 years, was interviewed by Sgt. Debol and stated that he did not know the deceased by name. He did not give anyone permission to take auto parts after closing on July 26th and has never given permission in the past to anyone to get parts after closing.

Held on Evidence Tag #682311: bullet fragment (unidentifiable) taken from the body of JULIUS LUST by Dr. Clara Raven; held on Evidence Tag #682376:
1 - .30-06 shell casing from the scene.

LOST
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-MEMORANDUM-

Re: ROBERT WRATHELL and FREDERICK ROBINSON

I have reviewed all of the statements contained in the file of the above captioned persons. A reiteration of the facts would serve no purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide." It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case. (Patten vs. People, 18 Mich. 314)

The accused may act upon a belief, arising from appearances which give him reasonable cause although he may turn out to be mistaken. The guilt of the accused must depend upon the circumstances as they appear to him. (Pond vs. The People, 8 Mich. 149)

"Were a man charged with crime to be held to a knowledge of all facts precisely as they are, there could be few cases in which the most innocent intention or honest zeal could justify or excuse homicide." (Pond, supra., at page 173)

Based upon the facts as they appeared to Robert Wrathell and Frederick Robinson, it is my conclusion that they acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality could be assigned to their actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

Dated: August 30, 1967

7185

-M E M O R A N D U M-

Re: Homicide File No. 7185: Dec. Julius L. Lust, Jr., 26/W/M
Dofs: Robert Wrathell
Frederick Robinson
Dated: July 26, 1967, 9:30 P.M.

Place: G & W. Auto Parts
17130 Jos. Campau

(*) (*) (*) (*)

It would appear that the automobile in which the two defendants were driving was hailed by a private guard, James Butler, who advised them that there were three or four men climbing over the fence of the G & W Auto Parts property and that one of them had a gun in his hand.

Butler, the private guard, referred to this person as a Negro man. There is no evidence to indicate that any such described man was on the premises of the G & W Auto Parts.

Wrathell and Robinson yelled several times to the man running inside to halt or they would shoot. He failed to halt and according to Robinson he stopped, raised one hand up and started to move toward Robinson's left, whereupon, Robinson and Wrathell both fired about the same time.

There is no evidence in the file to indicate that the man was armed.

Further Investigation: No further investigation is required.

Conclusion: It is my conclusion that no criminality attaches to the act above-mentioned by the defendants herein.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)		Homicide File #7176
July 31, 1967	DD-412381	OFFENSE
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER	Homicide: Deceased-WILLIE MCDANIELS
Fullerton & Maniaci		23/N, of 5379 Seminole
ASSIGNED TO		

COMPLAINANT

Det. Robert Fullerton	Homicide Bureau		
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

Sgt. Wm. Gerlach	DPD				
Patr. John Kolmer	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
Patr. John Fedon					
Patr. Ronald Wisnewski	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
Patr. Charles Chalut					
Patr. Lawrence Gorman	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
Patr. Jesse Triplott					

Patr. Walter Koziowski

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

Time: 2:00 p.m. Date: 7/24/67. Place: 6858 Gratiot (Domestic Furniture Co.)

At approx. 2:15 pm, 7/24/67, the deceased WILLIE MCDANIELS was conveyed from E. Forest east of Gratiot to DGH by Sgt. 7-10 manned by Patr. James Breen & Herbert Annas. MCDANIELS was suffering from a GSW to the head. MCDANIELS expired at DGH on 7/25/67 at 11:15 PM.

On 7/26/67 an autopsy was performed at the WCM on the body of MCDANIELS by AME Dr. Jos. Juliar who gave the cause of death as GSW to the forehead. (#5669-67).

Subsequent investigation revealed that at approx. 2 pm, 7/24/67, Code 725 consisting of 2 cars manned by the above officers responded to Canton & Gratiot "Looting at the furniture store". When the officers arrived at the scene, a large group of negroes was carrying items from the store which had windows broken out. As the officers alighted from their respective vehicles, they called to the looters to "Halt" and at this time they were fired upon from a garage east of this location. The officers returned the fire, and the looters scattered and ran. The officers were able to arrest the following persons at the scene: LEVITSON JOHNSON, 35/N of 4862 Dubois; RONALD CONNERS, 22/N of 9340 Harry; ERNESTINE FOSTER, 34/N of 3409 Belvidere; DARNELL EVANS, 18/N of 3409 Belvidere & ELEANORE EVANS, 20/N of 3411 Belvidere. All were placed in custody and Warrant #A-139318 obtained charging them with Entering Without Breaking. After the arrests were made, the officers' attention was called to MCDANIELS who was lying in the street on Forest, east of Gratiot, suffering from the above-mentioned wound.

Dets. Robert Fullerton & John Maniaci interviewed prisoners JOHNSON & CONNERS. Both of these men state that they observed MCDANIELS run from the store when the officers arrived, and that there was an exchange of gunfire, and several shots fired. Neither JOHNSON nor CONNERS could say who was doing the shooting because both men sought to protect themselves from being injured. CONNERS stated that he came to that location with a group of people with the intention of looting the store, but the officers arrived before he got in. JOHNSON stated that he got at the store the same time that the police arrived.

MCDANIELS has a record of one previous arrest and conv. with this department for NOP, dated 1/20/67.

(Witnesses:—Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Robert Fullerton Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to

Signing the complaint, one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name (SEE LIST OF WITNESSES) Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Det. Robert Fullerton Precinct Homicide Bureau

Robert Fullerton, D-438

Officers in Charge of Case _____ Det. John Maniaci Division DD

Approved:

Albert P. Schwaller a.p.

ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, D/Insp., Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

Page II.

(Homicide: Deceased WILLIE McDANIELS, 23/N, of 5379 Seminole).

On July 26, 1967, Dr. JOSEPH JULIAR, A.W.C.M.E., during the autopsy on the deceased, WILLIE McDANIELS, removed a fragment of a bullet from the head of McDANIELS, and turned same over to Det. Rolland Ives, Homicide Bureau who placed it in evidence on E.T. #682283. This fragment was taken to the Scientific Lab on 7/26/67 by Det. John Maniaci, Homicide Bureau, who turned it over to Det./Lieut. Earl Leedle. Lt. Leedle examined the fragment and stated that he was unable to identify the bullet fragment as coming from any particular weapon, however, all of the above-named officers will have test shots fired from their weapons at the Scientific Laboratory.

McDANIELS suffered a gunshot wound of the head, the entrance being in the right temporal area and the projectile travelling laterally from the entrance-wound.

MEMORANDUM

7176
Re: WILLIAM GERLACH, JOHN KEISER, JOHN FEDON,
RONALD WISNEWSKI, CHARLES CHALUT, LAWRENCE GERMAINE
JESSE TRIPIETT and WALTER KOZIOWSKI

I have reviewed all of the statements contained in the file of the above captioned persons. A reiteration of the facts would serve no purpose.

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Therefore, it is my conclusion that there is reasonable grounds to believe that the deceased met his death from a bullet fired by one of the officers, above-named, and that which everone it was acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality should be assigned to his actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

Dated: August 29, 1967

7176 - .

MEMORANDUM

Re: File #7176, Dec. Willie McDaniels, 23/N/M
Date: July 24, 1967, 2:30 P.M.
Place: Domestic Furniture Company
6858 Gratiot, Detroit

The above referred to establishment is located at the southwest corner of the intersection of Gratiot, Forest and Canton.

When the officers mentioned in the writeup arrived, they observed looting in progress at the scene. Officers shouted halt at that time. The officers involved are of the opinion that they were fired upon from the area east of this location, specifically a garage, on Forest. The officers returned the fire. After returning the fire, they arrested five suspected looters and observed the deceased lying on the street on Forest east of Gratiot, apparently near the garage where they thought from which gun fire was emanating.

Two of the citizens that were arrested, Ronald Connors and Levitson Johnson stated that the person who was shot was running from the store towards the alley.

No one is able to identify what bullet caused the demise of the deceased.

Further investigation: I would be interested to know if they found any spent shells in or near the garage where the officers suspected that sniper fire was emanating.

Conclusion: It would appear that McDaniels was ^{A looter} the leader and was fleeing the scene after having been commanded to halt and was shot by one of the weapons being used by one of the officers and, therefore, no criminality attaches to the act of whomever it was, if it was a police officer, which is a reasonable conclusion to draw.

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

Homicide File #7186

August 16, 1967		DD-412394	OFFENSE
DATE		COMPLAINT NUMBER	Homicide (Deceased: GEORGE
Det. Andrew Lovchuk			MESSERLIAN, 68/W, of 7719 Linwood).
ASSIGNED TO			

COMPLAINANT

Det. Andrew Lovchuk	Homicide Bureau	No
NAME	AGE AND RACE	CRIM. RECORD

DARRYL MC CURTIS, 20/N, of 8911 Linwood, #5.	DEFENDANT 2-19-47, Birmingham, Ala.	Yes	#269279
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NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At approximately 4:45 p.m., July 23, 1967, the police received a radio run to the front of 7711 Linwood, "Looters beating a white man." Upon arrival, the officers dispersed a large crowd of looters and found the deceased lying on the sidewalk in an unconscious condition. A police car conveyed him to the Henry Ford Hospital suffering from a fractured left arm, right leg, fractured mandible, fractured skull, multiple abrasions, and blunt trauma of neck and abdomen. Condition critical. The deceased, GEORGE MESSERLIAN expired at the above hospital on July 27, 1967, at 11:35 a.m., death being pronounced by Dr. Robert Steinbuger, of the Hospital Staff, Chart #0413213-4.

On July 28, 1967, an autopsy was performed on the body of GEORGE MESSERLIAN by Dr. John F. Burton, who gave the cause of death as follows: Bronchopneumonia due to skull fracture, brain contusion, multiple fractures and bruises of extremities. Morgue File #67-5710.

From the investigation and statements of the witnesses (PHILLIP BANKS, 19/N, of 2694 Blaine; MELVIN DILLARD, 20/N, of 8911 Linwood; and BOBBIE C. MATHEWS, 20/N, of 2744 Gladstone), it was learned that the above witnesses and the defendant, DARRYL MC CURTIS were looting business places along Linwood which had been broken into. When they reached the front of 7725 Linwood, the Famous Cleaners, they found the window had already been broken out and looters were inside. MC CURTIS entered the cleaners and was looting while MELVIN DILLARD waited on the sidewalk. The deceased, GEORGE MESSERLIAN, at this time, came out of his shoe repair shop at 7719 Linwood, armed with what was described as a saber. He was swinging the saber in an attempt to keep the looters from carrying out the clothing from the cleaners, of which he was custodian after closing hours. He struck MELVIN DILLARD on the right shoulder, causing a 1 1/2 in. laceration. DILLARD, at this time, ran to the corner of Linwood and Whitney, a short distance, and stopped to examine his wound. BANKS and MATHEWS approached DILLARD and asked him what had happened. He stated he was cut. MC CURTIS also approached at this time and asked who had cut him. DILLARD stated it was the old man lying on the ground, whom he had accidentally knocked down after being cut. Upon hearing this, MC CURTIS, who was armed with what was described as a club 30 ins. in length and approximately 2 ins. in diameter, stated, "I'll get the old man for you." He then ran back and commenced beating the deceased viciously about the neck, head, and body.

(Witnesses:--Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Andrew Lovchuk Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record No

Complainant Testifies to

Signing the complaint; one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Officers in Charge of Case Andrew Lovchuk Homicide Precinct Bureau
Approved: Det. Andrew Lovchuk, D-351 Division DD

Albert P. Schwallier
Det. Inspt. Albert P. Schwallier, Homicide Bureau
Warrant Recommended (Date) 8/14/67 Charge Murder 1st degree
Refused (Date) 750.316 Reason for jurisdiction

(Over)

Prosecutor

Various persons in the crowd at the scene began shouting, "Stop him before he kills the old man." DILLARD then asked BANKS AND MATHEWS, who were still on the corner, to stop MC CURTIS from beating the old man. With this, both ran and forcibly dragged MC CURTIS away from the deceased.

To date, the saber and club have not been recovered.

On August 14, 1967, DARRYL MC CURTIS and the witnesses were arrested at 8911 Linwood.

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER

NAME DARRYL CURTIS	F.B.I. NO. M.S.B. NO.	ALIAS
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Contributor	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
22-074 ET.P.D.	DARRYL CURTIS	7-24-67	ENT/NO BREAK	PEND
"	"	8-14-67	MURDER	PEND

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT
REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File # 7172

July 25, 1967	DD-412377	OFFENSE Homicide. Deceased: Jerome Olshove, 32/W of
DATE Det. Eljay Bowron	COMPLAINT NUMBER	
ASSIGNED TO		

COMPLAINANT

Det. Eljay Bowron	Homicide Bureau
NAME	AGE AND RACE ADDRESS CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

Danny Royster, 20/N 249 Alger	dob-5-18-46	Detroit, Mich.	Yes	268135
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY CRIM. RECORD
Charles L. Latimer, 19/N, 13571 Birwood	dob 9-19-47	Detroit.	Yes	267376
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY CRIM. RECORD
Albert Phillips, 23/N, 8609 Roselawn			Yes	NEW
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY CRIM. RECORD

(7-25-67)

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At 3:40 AM, Scout 13-5, manned by Patr. Robert Sitzler, John Organ, conveyed Patr. OLSHOVE to Ford Hospital suffering a shotgun wound to the lower right abdomen.

At 12:15 PM, 7/25/67, Patr. OLSHOVE expired at Ford Hospital, death being pronounced by Dr. Roger Smith of the Hospital staff.

On 7/25/67, Dr. John F. Burton, Wayne Co. Medical Exam., performed an autopsy on the body of the deceased and gave cause of death as gunshot wound, shock and hemorrhage of the abdomen. Wayne Co. Morgue File #67-5654.

At 3:35 AM, #13 Cruiser, manned by Patr. Jack O'Kelly, Wm. Bolgar, Roy St. Onge, and Patr. Olshove received radio information that colored men were looting the A & P store at John R & Holbrook. Upon arrival at the A & P store, 121 Holbrook, the officers observed def. Albert Phillips standing in front of the store, bleeding about the head and he fell down as the officers approached. Def. Latimer came out of the store, when ordered by the officers and submitted to arrest. Def. Danny Royster came out of the store when ordered, but refused to get against the wall to be searched and began scuffling with Patr. St. Onge, who held a shotgun in his hands. During the scuffle, Def. Royster got his finger on the trigger, causing the shotgun to discharge and inflicting the above mentioned wound on Patr. Olshove.

Def. Royster claims he was in the store alone, and that he did not go to the store in company with anyone else. He denies being involved in a scuffle with Patr. St. Onge.

Def. Latimer states that he and Def. Phillips both went to the home of Royster at 249 Alger at approximately 9:15 PM, 7/24/67 and remained there until a few minutes before the fatal shooting. When they left 249 Alger, they walked to 121 Holbrook (A & P Mkt). Latimer further stated that he and Royster both went into the store which had been previously broken into by unknown persons and that Phillips remained on the outside. Neither Latimer nor Royster were able to tell how Phillips received his injuries.

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(Witnesses:—Over)

WITNESSES

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Complainant Testifies to

Signing complaint, statements, and investigation of the case.

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Testifies to

Identified the body at the Wayne Co. Morgue.

Name Patr. Lawrence Dokendorf Address Central Photo Bur. Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Photographed the scene.

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Officers in Charge of Case Eljay Bowron Precinct _____ Division Homicide Bur

Approved:

Det. Eljay Bowron

Albert P. Schwaller
ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, D/Insp., Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

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Homicide File #7172 (Cont'd)

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No permission for the defendants to enter the premises was given by anyone in authority.

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM
Detective Division
HOMICIDE BUREAU

Date September 4, 1967

To: Chief of Detectives

Subject: REGARDING DEATH OF PATROLMAN JEROME OLSHOVE, July 25, 1967, -
(CIVIL DISORDER).

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1. DANNY ROYSTER, 20/N, 249 Alger;
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Warrant #A-139736

#A-138814

Homicide File #7172

Team Assigned: D/Lieut. Elmer Reed and Det. Eljay Bowron.


ALBERT P. SCHWALLER,
Detective Inspector
Homicide Bureau

APS:rg

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REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

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Det. Eljay Bowron	ASSIGNED TO	

COMPLAINANT

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	ADDRESS
	CRIM. RECORD

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Officers in Charge of Case Eljay Bowron Precinct _____
Det. Eljay Bowron Division Homicide Bur

Approved:

Albert P. Schwallier

ALBERT P. SCHWALLIER, D/Insp., Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

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ALBERT P. SCHWALLER,
Detective Inspector
Homicide Bureau

APS:rg

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)		Homicide File #7160	
		OFFENSE	
August 1, 1967	#DD-386917	HOMICIDE: Deceased ALFRED PEACH-	
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER		
D/Sgt. Bostick & Det. McManus	Homicide Bu.	LUM, 35/M/N, of 8710 Dumbarton,	
ASSIGNED TO		Apt. #1711.	

COMPLAINANT

Detective Thomas McManus	Homicide Bureau D.P.D.		
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

PATR. CHARLES CARLSON - Badge #1711 - D.P.D. Unit #2					
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
PATR. JAMES LOZON - Badge #3342 - D.P.D. Unit #2					
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At 4:00 PM on July 24, 1967 PATR. CHARLES CARLSON and crew of Livernois Unit #1, Patr. James Lozon and Patr. Elmer Coleman received a radio run to 3430 Joy Road, "they are looting".

#10 Auto Patrol conveyed John Doe #383, later identified as ALFRED PEACHLUM, 35/M, to Detroit General Hospital, Central Branch, suffering from a gunshot wound to left side, where he was pronounced DOA at 5:30 PM by Dr. Joseph Arends.

Livernois Unit #2 conveyed Lewis Culbreth, 23, M/N, of 2615 Leslie, Apt. #21 to Detroit General Hospital, C.B., suffering a through and through gunshot wound to the left hand, condition temporarily serious.

Mrs. Nannie Pack, 58/F/N, of 3445 Atkinson and Mrs. Mattie Thomas, 40/F/N, house guest of Mrs. Nannie Pack, were conveyed to Ford Hospital by private car. Mrs. Pack was suffering from gunshot wound of both thighs and abdomen, condition serious. Mrs. Thomas was suffering a gunshot wound of the left calf, condition temporarily serious.

On July 25, 1967 an autopsy was performed on the body of ALFRED PEACHLUM at the Wayne County Morgue by A.W.C.M.E. Dr. Joseph Juliar. Cause of death was given as gunshot wound to the chest, Morgue File #67-5624.

Officers assigned to this case subsequently interviewed persons arrested for looting at the time of the shooting, as well as, other witnesses living in the area. In addition statements were taken from Patr. CARLSON, Lozon and Coleman.

From the investigation and statements it appears that ALFRED PEACHLUM and Lewis Culbreth, along with several other persons, were looting the A & P Super Market located at 3430 Joy Rd., when officers arrived in response to the run. Patr. CARLSON, Lozon and Coleman entered the building by way of windows already broken out of the front of the building and walked down separate aisles toward the back of the store. Patr. CARLSON observed 2 Negro males exiting the building via the rear door carrying a box and called for them to "halt, Police". One of these men turned around and Patr. CARLSON observed that this man had a shiny object in his hand. Patr. CARLSON believed this man to be armed and

(Witnesses: Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Thomas McManus Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____
Complainant Testifies to _____

Signing complainant - one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name Dr. Joseph Arends Address Det. General Hospital Criminal Record _____
Testifies to _____
Fronouncing death.

Name Dr. Joseph Juliar Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____
Testifies to _____
File #67-5624
Performing autopsy and giving the cause of death.

Name Jimmie Peachblum Address 8710 Dumbarton Apt. #304 Criminal Record _____
Name Ianolia Brown Address 8710 Dumbarton Apt. #103 Criminal Record _____
Testifies to _____
Identifying body at the Wayne County Morgue.

Name D/Sgt. Hershel Bostick Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____
Testifies to _____
One of the officers assigned to the case.

Officers in Charge of Case Det. Thomas McManus - D-215 Precinct Homicide
Bureau
Division D.D.

Approved:

Hershel Bostick
D/Sgt. Hershel Bostick - DS-42

ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, Detective Inspector - Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

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Homicide File #7160

Details of Investigation - Continued

fired 2 shots from his Department issued Remington 12 gauge shotgun Ser. #13127. Patr. Lozon also fired a shot from Department issued Winchester 12 gauge shotgun Ser. #966370, at one of the men seen looting the store and fleeing out the rear door. It is unknown if this shot took effect. It is believed that the shots fired by PATR. CARLSON inflicted the wounds on both PEACHLUM and Culbreth. PEACHLUM and one other Negro male jumped fences across the alley from the rear of the A & P Super Market. One got away but PEACHLUM was found lying in the driveway between the houses at 3437 Atkinson and 3445 Atkinson. Culbreth was apprehended in the alley at the rear of the A & P store.

Mrs. Pack and Mrs. Thomas, who were at the rear of the Pack residence observing the looting, were apparently struck by the shotgun blasts fired by the officers.

Held in evidence at the 10th Precinct on Tag #589967 is a shiny foil package containing beef, which was dropped by PEACHLUM. Also on this Evidence Tag is a metal milk case containing four gallons of milk and a package of sausage which was found at the rear of the building.

MEMORANDUM

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Re: CHARLES CARLSON and JAMES LOZAN

I have reviewed all of the statements contained in the file of the above captioned persons. A reiteration of the facts would serve no purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide." It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case. (Patten vs. People, 18 Mich. 314)

The accused may act upon a belief, arising from appearances which give him reasonable cause although he may turn out to be mistaken. The guilt of the accused must depend upon the circumstances as they appear to him. (Pond vs. the People, 8 Mich. 149)

"Were a man charged with crime to be held to a knowledge of all facts precisely as they are, there could be few cases in which the most innocent intention or honest zeal could justify or excuse homicide." (Pond, supra., at Page 173)

Therefore, it is my conclusion that based upon the facts as they appeared to the officers, Charles Carlson and James Lozan, it is my conclusion that they acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality could be assigned to their actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

Dated: August 29, 1967

MEMORANDUM

Re: File #7160, Dec. Alfred Peachlum, 35/N/M
Def: Charles Carlson and James Lozan
July 24, 1967, at 4:00 P.M., 3430 Joy Road
A & P Supermarket

It would appear that several citizens were looting the A & P Supermarket, located at the above address. That a citizen reported the looting to the police department. The police department dispatched the above named defendants and other officers to the scene, advising them that there was looting in progress. The officers arrived at the scene and observed that people were looting the A & P Supermarket.

Officer Carlson entered the store, observed two Negro males at the rear of the store, stated that he was a police officer and ordered them to halt.

This command was heard by -- citizen LEWIS CULBRETH, who stated that, "about the time the officers started shooting they howled halt." There is reasonable facts to indicate these officers were Carlson and Lozan.

Patrolman Coleman fired more than one shot in the direction of the two Negro males and Patrolman Lozan fired a shot in the same direction. One of the Negro Males was the deceased and the other was LEWIS CULBRETH, who was injured.

Also injured was Nannie Pack, and Mrs. Mattie Thomas, who were sitting on their back porch at 3445 Atkinson, which apparently is located behind the A & P store. They were apparently injured from the shots fired by the officers above named.

FURTHER INVESTIGATION: No further investigation necessary.

CONCLUSION: It is my conclusion that there is probably cause to believe that Alfred Peachlum was killed by shots fired by either officers Carlson or Lozan and that based upon the facts as they appeared to the officers it is my conclusion that they acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality could be assigned to their actions.

WITNESSES

Name Det. John Sheehan Address 10th Prec. Criminal Record _____

~~UNKNOWN~~ Testifies to questioning Def. Schuster

Name Det. Robt. Cofell Address Robbery B&E Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to questioned Def. Mezger

Name Det. Roland DeLavelle Address 10th prec. Criminal Record _____

Testifies to questioned def. McErlane

PFC. Michael Steffes 21W 9040 Fielding
Spec 4 Allan Seeburger 25W 31620 Cowan Rd
Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Pvt. Robert Kettlewell 27W 644 E. Otis, Hazel Park
Testifies to Spec 4 Robert Jancheck

Sgt. Robert Schoenfeld
PFC. Dennis Federencheck All will testify- Being at scene
PFC. McNulty
Sp 4 Jerry Peck

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Officers in Charge of Case Dets. Charles Schlachter Precinct _____
Robert Smith Division Homicide

Approved:

DET. LT. EDWARD ROHN, Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused

(Date) 8-23-67

Reason

Death By Unknown

James H. Parker
Prosecutor

(Over)

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homi. File #7201

OFFENSE

8/ /67	DD 412419	MURDER- DECEASED
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER	
Dets. Schlachter & Smith		LARRY POST 26W of 7420 Chatham, Det
ASSIGNED TO		

COMPLAINANT

Det. Charles Schlachter	Homi. Bureau	No
NAME	AGE AND RACE	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

#1 Ronald Francis Schuster	23 W	13527 Riverview	Yes	235339
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	CRIM. RECORD
#2 John Patrick McErland	20 W	14088 Riverview	Yes	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	CRIM. RECORD
#3 Gary Paul Mezgec	21 W	12827 Woodbine	Yes	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	CRIM. RECORD

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

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On August 9, 1967, an autopsy was performed at the Wayne County Morgue by Dr. Joseph L. Julian who gave the cause of death as:

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Necrosis erosion of left hypogastric artery

Generalized Peritonitis following gunshot wound of abdomen

Autopsy #6021

The following investigation discloses that Larry Post was a Sergeant, attached to the Michigan National Guard C Battery, Second Battalion of the 182nd Artillery. On Wed. July 26/67, about 1:00AM he and eight other National Guardsmen observed a 1963 Chev ch 67 Mich. Lic FD 4528 proceeding south on Dexter at a high rate of speed, they observed the car ignore a red light at Cortland, the Guardsman ordered the vehicle to "Halt." When the vehicle continued on, several of the Guardsmen fired warning shots in the air. Sergt. Post fired twice. When the vehicle ignored the order to halt and ignored the warning shots, several of the guardsmen opened fire on the vehicle disabling it. The vehicle stopped less than a half block away.

As the Guardsmen approached the stopped vehicle they observed Sergt. Post lying in the street near the east curb of Dexter, South of Cortland, he had been shot. Post stated he had been shot by some one in the fleeing vehicle. Other guardsmen arrested the three defendants and searched their persons, the vehicle and vicinity for weapons, but found none. All defs. had been drinking and beer was found inside the vehicle.

The Detroit Police were called to the scene and the def. were taken to the 10th Prec Station where they were questioned and later conveyed to Det. Hen. Hosp where they were treated for various bruises suffered when they resisted arrest.

McErland suffered a superficial gunshot wound of the right buttock.

A nitrate test conducted on the hands of defs. Schuster & McErland was negative: No test was conducted on Mezgec because he was being treated in the operating room.

(Witnesses:—Over)

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

Homi. File #7301

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

DATE		DD412419	COMPLAINT NUMBER	OFFENSE
ASSIGNED TO		MURDER-Deceased		
		LARRY POST 26W of 7420 Chatham, Det		

COMPLAINANT

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD
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DEFENDANT

NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

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All deny having any weapons or shooting from the vehicle.

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Mezgec's trial was adj. to August 24, 1967 because he was confined to a hospital.

The Guardsmen were armed with 30 cal semi-auto carbines and one machine gun. Guardsmen Steffes, Seeburger and Kettlewell did not see any one fire from the vehicle.

All agree that guardsmen fired several shots including the machine gun fired by McNulty.

The following are statements taken from National Guardsmen who were at the scene of the incident:

Dennis Fedorinchik, 22/W, stated he was on duty on July 26, 1967, assigned to jeep patrol from Clairmount to W. Grand Blvd on Linwood. Fedorinchik stated he met Sgt. Post at Dexter and Cortland who asked for assistance as there was sniper fire coming from the house on the North side of Cortland West of Dexter. Fedorinchik stated he was in company with Larry McNulty, Jerry Peck and Al Seeburger, all Guardsmen. Fedorinchik stated that at approximately 11:30PM he saw a 64 chev being driven S. on Dexter at approximately 50MPH and ignored an order to Halt. Several shots were fired and St. Post slumped to the pavement wounded. The car came to a stop and he then assisted (Witnesses--Over)

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

Sgt. Post and then called for a police car to convey Post to the hospital. Fedorinchik stated about 3 minutes later, a police station wagon arrived and conveyed Post to the hospital and he then searched the area for guns but found none. He stated that while giving first aid to Sgt. Post, Post said he saw a flash from the car and they had shot him. Fedorinchik stated he was armed with a M-1 rifle but did not fire it at anytime.

Jerry Peck, 25/W, stated that on Wednesday, July 26, 1967 at approximately 2AM he was on duty at Dexter and Richton, a roadblock to enforce the curfew. Peck stated he was with Sgt. Post and there were approximately 7-8 guardsmen present and they observed a car run through the red light at Corland and Dexter. Peck stated the car was ordered to stop and when it failed to do so several shots were fired and the auto came to a stop approximately 1 block S. of the blockade. Peck stated he was standing on the East side of Dexter at Richton near the curb and Post was standing beside him to his left and Post fell to the ground saying he had been shot. Peck stated the auto was a 63 Blue chev occupied by 3 white men who were arrested at the scene. A search of the auto and area failed to produce any weapons. Peck stated that he assumed that the shot that hit Sgt. Post came from the auto but did not actually see any shots fired from the car. Peck stated that Sgt. Post had told him there was sniper fire coming from an apartment building on the west side of Dexter.

Lawrence C. McNulty, 23/W a National Guardsman stated he was on duty on July 26, 1967 on the West side of Dexter. South of Corland enforcing the 10PM curfew when a 63 or 64 chev being driven S. on Dexter ran the red light and the road block and continued S. on Dexter. McNulty stated the car was fired on by himself and other guardsmen and his weapon was a M-60 .30 cal machine gun. The auto stopped approximately half a block South of the scene and the occupants were arrested. McNulty stated that after stopping the auto he proceeded towards it and noticed Sgt. Post laying on his back in the street. McNulty stated he searched for weapons but found none and several minutes later a police car came and took Sgt. Post to the Hospital.

(Witnesses:—Over)

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

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DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

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Hom. File 7907
OFFENSE

2/13/67
DATE
BD 412419
COMPLAINT NUMBER
MURDER - DECEASED
LARRY POST 264 of 7426 Graham, Det.

COMPLAINANT

Det. Charles Schlachter
NAME
Hom. Bureau
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DEFENDANT

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WITNESSES

Name Det. John Sheehan Address 10th Prec. Criminal Record _____

Complainant; Testifies to questioning Def. Schuster

Name Det. Robt. Cofell Address Robbery Bk Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to question a Def. Mozgo

Name Det. Roland McLaville Address 10th prec. Criminal Record _____

Testifies to questioned def. Melrlano

PFC. Michael Steffes 21W 9040 Fielding
Name 4 Allan Teoburger 25W 31651 Cowan Rd Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to Det. Robert Kettlewell 27. 644 E. Otis, Hazel Park
Spec 4 Robert Jancheck

Det. Robert Schoenfeld
PFC. Dennis Macronecheck All will testify- Being at scene

PFC. Mollity

Sp 4 Jerry Rick

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Precinct _____

Officers in Charge of Case Dets. Charles Schlechter & Robert Smith Division Homicide

Approved: _____

Det. LT. EDWARD MCNN, Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused

(Date) 8-28-72 Reason Death of 1st victim

Prosecutor

(Over)

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

Homicide File #7301

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

DATE		DD-12-19	COMPLAINT NUMBER			OFFENSE	
ASSIGNED TO						MURDER-Deceased	
						LAIRY POST 26W of 7420 Chatham, Det.	
COMPLAINANT							
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DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT COMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7152

DATE July 27, 1967		COMPLAINT NUMBER #DD-386910	OFFENSE HOMICIDE: CLIFTON PRYOR, 23/W, of 667 W. Alexandrine, Apt. #4.
ASSIGNED TO Dets. Carter & Thayer		Homicide Bureau	

COMPLAINANT

No record

NAME Detective Donald Carter	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS Homicide Bureau - D.P.D.	CRIM. RECORD
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DEFENDANT

Pvt. - National Guard				
GARY HUTTON, 23/W, 3156 Belmont, Hamtramck, Mich.				
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY No
				CRIM. RECORD None
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				CRIM. RECORD
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				CRIM. RECORD

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At 2:45 AM, Scout 13-1, manned by Patr. Benjamin Jackson, Patr. Henry Phillips, PFC Gary Hutton and PFC Rodney Wells, both of Company "A" 156th Signal Corp., attached to the Artillery Armory, received a radio run to 667 W. Alexandrine, "snipers on the roof".

Scout 1-6 conveyed CLIFTON PRYOR, 23/W, to the Detroit General Hospital (Central Branch) suffering a through and through gunshot wound to the right chest. He was pronounced DOA at 4:00 AM by Dr. Alexander Walt of the hospital staff.

On July 24, 1967 an autopsy was performed on the body of CLIFTON PRYOR by Dr. Clara Raven, Assistant Wayne County Medical Examiner, who gave the cause of death as "penetrating gunshot wound to the chest with massive hemorrhage". Morgue File #67-5591.

Later the above officers and soldiers appeared at the Homicide Bureau, where they were interviewed by Det. Sgt. Herman Wagner, Dets. Edward Hay and Joseph Zisler. Also interviewed at the Homicide Bureau were the following two associates of the deceased: Charles David Gilbert, 26/W, of 3843 Harrison and Ronnie Smith, 21/W, of 667 W. Alexandrine.

From the investigation and statements it was learned that the deceased, CLIFTON PRYOR, Smith and Gilbert were on the roof at 667 W. Alexandrine, armed with a Stevens single-shot 410 guage shotgun. When the crew of Scout 13-1 arrived at the scene, P.F.C. HUTTON went to the rear of the building with Patr. Jackson, Patr. Phillips and P.F.C. Wells went to the front of the building. When P.F.C. HUTTON got into the alley at the rear of the building, he saw PRYOR, Smith and Gilbert on the roof of the building and also saw the gun. He called this to Patr. Jackson's attention and then stationed himself around the corner of a garage. Moments later he heard shots emanating from the front of the building. Seconds later he saw four men run across the roof of 667 W. Alexandrine and start down a fire escape, located on the outside of the building. One of the men was armed with a shotgun. P.F.C. HUTTON commended them to halt, and when they failed to do so, he fired one shot striking CLIFTON PRYOR.

(Witnesses:--Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Donald Carter Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record None

Complainant Testifies to

Signing complaint, one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name Dr. Alexander Walt Address Det. General Hosp. Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Pronouncing death.

Name Dr. Clara Raven Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

File #67-5591

Performing autopsy and giving the cause of death.

Name Leonard Richardson Address 667 W. Alexandrine
Name Cecil Stover Address 667 W. Alexandrine Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Identifying body at the Wayne County Morgue.

Name Det. Lyle Thayer Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

One of the officers assigned to the case.

Officers in Charge of Case _____ Precinct Homicide

Approved: _____

Det. Donald Carter D-455

Bureau

Division D.D.

Det. Lyle Thayer D-512

Albert P. Schwaller

ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, Det. Insp. Homicide Bureau.

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

September 25, 1967

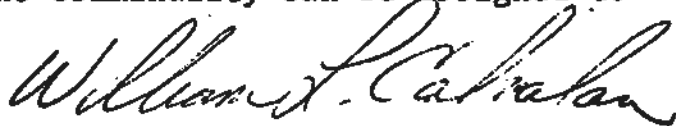
MEMORANDUM

Re: Pvt. - National Guard
GARY HUTTON

I have reviewed all of the facts as set forth in the Statements of witnesses in the file of the above referenced person. A reiteration of these facts would serve no useful purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide". It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case, "Patton vs. People, 18 Michigan 314".

Based upon the facts as they appeared to National Guardsman GARY HUTTON, it is my conclusion that he acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality can be assigned to his actions.



WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

WLC:d

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION
Homicide File #7194

August 23, 1967		DD-412412	OFFENSE
Bostick & McManus		COMPLAINT NUMBER	Homicide: Deceased - ALBERT ROBINSON, 38/N/M of 13318 LaSalle, Apt. #3.
ASSIGNED TO			

COMPLAINANT			
D/Lieut. Hershel Bostick		Homicide Bureau	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT					
FRANK THOMAS, Sgt., Michigan National Guard (24/W/M)					
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At about 9:30 PM to 10:00 PM, 7/26/67, Unit K-21, (a police unit commanded by Sgt. Francis Allen), responded to a RR to Davison & LaSalle, - "National Guard Officers under sniper fire."

#3 Auto conveyed ALBERT ROBINSON & HENRY C. MILLER, 47/N/M, of 13318 LaSalle to Det. Gen. Hosp., (CB), ROBINSON suffering multiple gunshot wounds to the abdomen, condition critical. MILLER was suffering a laceration to the back, condition serious.

ROBINSON expired at the Det. Gen. Hosp. (CB) at 6:45 PM, 8/5/67, - death pronounced by Dr. D. Bhogat.

On 8/6/67, a post mortem examination was performed on the body of ALBERT ROBINSON at the Wayne Co. Morgue, (File #5941-67), - by Ass't Wayne Co. Med. Examiner Dr. Jos. Juliar. Cause of death was given as gunshot wounds of the abdomen with generalized peritonitis.

Officers assigned to this case have interviewed both ROBINSON and MILLER, as well as police officers, tenants of the building who would make themselves available and also a Mr. CHARLES MALESEV, who was present during the time of part of the shooting and subsequent arrest of ROBINSON and MILLER AS WELL AS OTHER TENANTS OF THE BUILDING.

A synopsis of statements from persons indicated the following:

Sgt. FRANK THOMAS and his Unit.

He and his unit were fired on from the apartment building and he returned the fire through an open window. Later an unknown Negro male looked out the back door of the apartment building and SGT. THOMAS fired a shot at him when he did not heed a warning to halt. The man returned to the inside of the building. Police arrived and more shots were fired both by police and guardsmen. Police called, "Come on out of the building." Police entered the building & came out with one man, (presumably ROBINSON). This man attempted to grab SGT. THOMAS' weapon and SGT. THOMAS stabbed him with a bayonet and pushed him away. Another man came out of the building and, when this man also attempted to grab SGT. THOMAS' weapon, SGT. THOMAS also jabbed him with the bayonet and pushed him away. The police also arrested other persons and took them to the hospital and to the police station.

Sgt. FRANK ALLEN & Crew.

Responded with his crew. Were informed by the National Guard Sergeant that he and his Unit, as well as an employee from the Guardian Alarm Co., had been fired on by snipers from the apartment building at 13318 LaSalle. The National Guard Sergeant added that he had shot at an unknown Negro male who had exited the apartment building by a rear door and had failed to heed a warning to halt. This man (presumably ROBINSON) had re-entered the building after having been fired at. This version was confirmed by unknown employees of the Guardian Alarm Co., which is located just across the alley to the east of the apartment building. SGT. ALLEN then entered the Guardian Alarm Co. building & called through a window which opens onto the alley and faces the rear of the apartment building, "Everyone out of the building." At about this time, SGT. ALLEN heard a shot which seemed to come from the direction of the apartment building and heard a shot fired from the outside of the building which struck an air-conditioner in a room on the second floor of the apartment building. SGT. ALLEN & FOUR POLICE OFFICERS then entered the apartment building and searched the apartments, but found no weapons. As they were entering, Patr. HEMDON observed a Negro male, (presumably ROBINSON), exiting from the rear hallway and out the back door, also observing that this Negro male was bleeding from the area of the stomach. This man reached for a Guardsman's rifle and the Guardsman lunged toward this man. Patr. HEMDON was unaware if contact was made. Shortly thereafter, other Negroes, both male and female, exited the apartment building and one of the men made an attempt to grab PATR. HERNDON'S weapon. The Guardsman pushed this man away with his rifle. When all prisoners were outside, they were ordered to lie on the ground which they did. A wagon was called to convey ROBINSON & MILLER to Det. Gen. Hosp. (CB). The others arrested, were conveyed to the 10th Precinct Station.

ALBERT ROBINSON:

He was in the hallway of the apartment building to empty his garbage, - (beer cans and a T.V. wrapper). He heard a noise at the rear door and 2 policemen broke the door glass, opened the door and entered and grabbed him & knocked him out into the alley. He was knocked to the ground and subsequently bayoneted and shot while on the ground. Believes he was shot & bayoneted by a Guardsman as the "law" (police), didn't have bayonets. Don't know who it was. Described his wound as, "spread out like a shot-gun wound".

HENRY MILLER:

Was in his apartment with his wife LUCILLE. Heard lots of shooting & then a voice yell "Come on out". On leaving, observed 2 soldiers kneeling on the back landing. Walked by them on the outside with his hands at the back of his head. Was told to lie on ground and then noticed stickiness on his back. Did not know he was cut until then. Saw an unknown Negro male lying on the ground bleeding when he got outside. Did not see this man get abused nor was he himself abused at any time. Feels that he received his injury accidentally.

CHARLES LOVE, Jr.

Stated that about 9:15 PM, MR. WHITTLE, of Apt. #8, came to his apt. and informed him that his apartment was being "shot up". Stated that just prior to this, he had heard shooting from the rear of the building. Stated he went to the back door and barely cracked the door and hollered "Guard" several times. States he heard someone say, "Where are you?" He stated he said, "At the back door". Stated that a shot was then fired at him. He and MR. WHITTLE then went back to his apartment and called the police. Stated he then heard a lot more shooting. During the shooting, he heard a voice stating, "Everybody out of there". States he and MR. WHITTLE and both their wives went out and he was struck from behind and knocked to the ground.

CHARLES LOVE, Jr., (Cont'd)

States that at this time, MR. MILLER & MR. ROBINSON were on the ground and that MR. ROBINSON was bleeding from the mid-section. Stated he observed a GUARDSMAN kick MR. ROBINSON while he was on the ground, and then stab him twice with a bayonet. States he also saw MILLER stabbed with a bayonet.

CHARLES MALESEV: (Witness at scene.)

See deposition with additions & corrections, initialed by MR. MALESEV.

Arrived at the scene when Police & Guardsmen were already shooting at the building. There was so much shooting going on he could not tell where the shooting was coming from. Saw one man brought out of the building and get thrown to the ground by a Guardsman. Saw two men and two women later, also come out of the building and they were made to lie face down in the alley. (Saw only five people altogether.) Saw a Guardsman Sgt. stand over the first man and saw that this Sgt. had his bayonet over the body of this man and heard this Sgt. say, "How does that feel?" Did not even see the bayonet touch this man's body. Also saw a policeman (whom he cannot identify) kick the man lying on the ground. Took pictures of the first man (deceased) lying on the ground, a picture of the 2 men and 2 women lying on the ground. (These would be Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES LOVE and ROBERT WHITTLE & BARBARA MILLER. He identified one of these men as being HENRY MILLER who was actually the sixth person. (Mr. Miller is not related to Barbara; was already lying on the ground when 2 men and 2 women were brought out of the building.) Next morning, took a picture of kitchen of ROBERT WHITTLE'S dinette. Refused to make a formal statement to A.P.A. James Garber after being advised of his constitutional rights.

GLENN AND BUBIENA BEASLEY, Residents of Apt. #2.

Both state they were in their apartment on evening of 7/26/67, which is next to apartment of ALBERT ROBINSON. State they heard ROBINSON talking to someone (possibly on the phone). They heard a barrage of shooting and got down on the floor. They then heard glass breaking. Then heard someone say, "Come on out of there". MR. BEASLEY went out into the hall in his postal carrier uniform, and talked to some officers. After the officers found that MR. & MRS. BEASLEY were the only ones in their apartment, they were told to go back to their apartment and lock the door. Both state they were never in the alley and saw nothing that happened there.

SYNOPSIS OF ROBERT WHITTLES' STATEMENT, Resident of Apt. #8.

Heard shots fired which seemed to come from the mouth of the alley below his windows or porch. Was sitting at the table in the dinette as was his common-law wife, Barbara Miller. Then noticed the shots were coming into his apartment. Went to Charles Love's apartment (Mgr.), where he called police. Accompanied Mr. LOVE to the back door where a shot was fired which nearly struck Mr. LOVE. Believes this shot was actually fired at Mr. LOVE. Returned to Love's apartment and BARBARA MILLER also came to Love's apartment. Heard the call for everybody to come out. Saw two men lying on the ground in the alley as they were leaving the building and saw bloodstains on one of these men's back. All were told to lie face down on the ground and they did. Were made to get up, were searched and made to lie back down. Heard a voice tell somebody to lay down flat and a man's voice reply, "I can't lay flat, I'm wounded." Then heard a noise like this man was kicked, stabbed with a bayonet and struck with a rifle or shotgun butt. After a while a man's voice said, "Nigger, ain't you dead yet; are you still breathing?" Then heard a noise like someone was being punched, kicked or beaten. The air-conditioner which got shot up was in his bedroom window. States that he himself was not abused by the police or Guardsmen.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF BARBARA MILLER, Resident of Apt. #8.

States on 7/26/67 at about 9:00 PM, she and ROBERT WHITTLE (common-law husband), were just beginning to eat when a shot came through the living room window. She ran into the bedroom and more shots came into the apartment. ROBERT ran out of the apartment. She remained in the bedroom and another shot hit the air conditioner. She got into the closet and more shots came into the bedroom. She heard a voice order, "Everybody out of the building". She ran downstairs and out the front door. She heard a man's voice say for her to get back in or they would kill her out there. She was let back into the building by Mr. LOVE and taken to his apartment. ROBERT and Mr. & Mrs. LOVE and she then went out into the alley where they were ordered to lie down. She states they were then told to get up one by one and were searched. States she saw no one abused, beat or kicked, as her face was in the ground.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF ANGELLA LOVE, Resident of Apt B-1, Bldg. Mgr.

States at 9:15 PM, 7/26/67 she and her husband were in their apartment, (13318 LaSalle, #B-1), and she heard a shot. Didn't know where the shot came from. Her husband left and returned in about 5 minutes with MR. WHITTLE. MR. WHITTLE made a phone call. She later found out he was calling the police. During this time she heard a lot of shooting. Didn't know where it was coming from. She then heard a man's voice order "Everybody Out" three times. She left the building with her husband and Mr. & Mrs. WHITTLE. She was third to leave the building. She observed Mr. MILLER and another man lying on the ground. She was ordered to lie on the ground and did. Did not see anyone stabbed or shot. Saw Guardsmen but no police officers until she was handcuffed and put in the wagon. Did not observe anyone bleeding until she was put in the wagon.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT BY DOUGLAS LONG, Guardian Alarm Employee.

Was standing in the group in front of Guardian Alarm Co., when the shot was fired from close by. Later, 2 or 3 more shots were fired from close by but he couldn't tell where they came from. Then went into the Guardian building. Assisted officers in getting a ladder to get onto the Guardian Alarm building. Later observed a colored man and colored female lying face down on the ground in the alley. Also a colored male lying on his side and observed that in his opinion the man had been shot because of the nature of the wounds. Did not see any other wounds on this man. As he was leaving the alley to re-enter the Guardian Alarm Co. building he observed an officer leading a colored female out of the apartment building. Also saw a second person come out of the building but doesn't know if this was a male or female.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF BARNETT DALE, Guardian Alarm Employee.

States he was working at Guardian Alarm Co. on 7/26/67. States he was armed with a side-arm and shot gun. States that at about 10:00 PM he was in front of the building with fellow employees and about 6 National Guardsmen. States a Guardsman order a man off of a second floor porch of an apartment building at 13325 LaSalle. The man didn't move and the Guardsman fired a shot into the air. The man then went into his apartment. A short time later, 2 shots were fired at "us" from 13318 LaSalle from a second floor porch, which struck the pavement alongside of "us". States they then got down behind some National Guard trucks and the National Guardsmen loaded their guns. Guardsmen then returned fire. States he went and called the police. On arrival, the police dispersed and began to fire at the building. States there was a lot of shooting. States the police and Guardsmen ordered people out of the building. States he heard someone shout something like "I surrender" from the side of the apartment building in the alley. At this time it was quiet and a shot was fired from in front of the Guardian Alarm building. Doesn't know who fired the shot. States he then heard the door to the apartment building close. Then the shooting

started again. The shooting stopped and the police and Guardsmen were bringing prisoners out of the building. Two men and four women came out together and were laid on the ground in the alley. The first man to come out was bleeding. He was rolling around on the ground and his insides were hanging out of his pants. An officer walked up and made a statement to this man and kicked him in the side. He states that after it was over, he saw a National Guard Sergeant clean his bayonet with a towel.

SYNOPSIS OF LUCILLE GENOFF'S STATEMENT, Resident of Apt. #2.

Heard shooting which seemed to come from outside the window of 13318 LaSalle on the Davison side. Appeared to her that the shooting would have been from higher than ground level. Then heard lots of shooting and then a voice say, "Come on, everybody out". Did not go out herself as she was too scared. Did not see anyone get shot or abused in any way.

SYNOPSIS OF PAUL MILLER'S STATEMENT, Guardian Alarm Employee.

Was in front of the Guardian Alarm Co. building along with the National Guardsmen and other Guardian Alarm Co. employees. A shot was fired from close by, - couldn't tell where. Somebody said it, and two other subsequent shots were fired from the building at 13318 LaSalle. Ducked down behind a Guardian Alarm truck after the first shot. Later went to the east side of the building. Helped get a ladder for two policemen to get onto the roof of Guardian Alarm Co. building. Later saw 2 women and one man lying on the ground in the alley but did not get close enough to even tell if they were white or colored.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF RICHARD YOUZBO, Employee of Guardian Alarm Co.

Was at work on the night of 7/26/67. Never left the building. Heard a lot of shooting, but saw nothing.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF ARTHUR FLETCHER, Guardian Alarm Employee.

States that about dark on 7/26/67, he was outside of the Guardian Alarm Co. building. States there was a lot of sniping going on. States that a shot rang out which appeared to him to come from the apartment building, 13318 LaSalle. States he ran into the Guardian Alarm building and that the police came up right away. States the police ordered everyone out of the building (13318 LaSalle), twice. States a policeman said he had been shot at from the room with the air conditioner. Shots were then fired at this room - (5th window south from Davison on the top floor). States he didn't leave the building until it was all over. When he went out, he saw some people lying in the alley. Did not see anyone shot or bayoneted. Did not see anyone abused.

STATEMENT OF ALEXANDER & SANDRA JOHNSON, Residents of Apt. #10.

Were in their apartment #10, second floor. He stepped out onto the porch about 8:30 PM and a Guardsman ordered him off the porch and fired a shot which was not aimed at Mr. Johnson. About 10 PM, heard a shot & looked out to see who "they" (Guardsmen) were shooting at. Called police to report the shooting. Police came and there was a lot more shooting. Heard police knocking on doors. Opened his door, - police searched the building. Did not see anyone get shot or abused in any way. Did not enter the alley. Did not even leave the building that night.

NOTE: Officers in charge have a complete copy of the Medical Record of ALBERT ROBINSON as well as a drawing by Dr. Grifka indicating that there were two gun shot wounds of entrance and one gunshot wound of exit on the body of ALBERT ROBINSON. Specifically it is stated that there were no bayonet wounds on the body.

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER

113233

NAME

F.B.I. NO.
M.S.B. NO.

ALIAS

Albert J. Robinson (B)

2-12-62, hap
Contributor

	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
PD Det, Mich	Albert Robinson #113233	4-8-54	Fugitive	4-14-54, TOT New Jersey PD
"	"	11-22-60	Traff Warr	11-22-60 \$5 fine or 1 day

October 5, 1967

MEMORANDUM

RE: SERGEANT FRANK THOMAS

I have reviewed all the facts as set forth in the many statements of the witnesses contained in the file of the above referenced person. A reiteration of the facts would serve no useful purpose.

From my investigation and review, it is apparent that the People would be unable to sustain their burden of proof regarding the identity of the person inflicting the fatal wound upon Albert Robinson.

In addition to this, since there is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide" and it must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case, "Patton vs. People, 18 Michigan 314", and since the facts as they must have appeared to the many National Guardsmen present at the scene would have justified a reasonable belief that sniping was occurring and as a result I am constrained to hold that in all likelihood the actions of the party who did inflict the fatal wound were without malice and that no criminality can be assigned to these actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

WLC:d

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR RIX)		Homicide File #7190
		OFFENSE
July 31, 1967	#DD-412398	HOMICIDE: Deceased ERNEST ROQUE-
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER	
Det. Lt. Reed & Det. Bowron	Homicide Bureau	MORE, 19/N, of 3484 St. Jean St.
ASSIGNED TO		I.D. #256702 DPD.

COMPLAINANT			
Detective Eljay Bowron		Homicide Bureau	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT DOB: 6/22/47				
Sp/4 RANDOLPH SMITH, 20/W, Ser. #RA-17698352, 82nd Airborne Inf. Div.				
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY
CRIM. RECORD				
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CRIM. RECORD				
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CRIM. RECORD				

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

On July 29, 1967 at 7:40 PM Scout 15-4 conveyed John Doe #412 to the Detroit General Hospital, Central Branch, (later identified as ERNEST ROQUEMORE, 19/N) suffering a gunshot wound to the center of his back. He was pronounced DOA by Dr. Hector Yanes of the hospital staff. Chart #2271695.

On July 30, 1967 an autopsy was performed on the body of ERNEST ROQUEMORE by Wayne County Medical Examiner, Dr. John F. Burton, who gave the cause of death as "shock and hemorrhage due to gunshot wound through the abdomen. File #67-5773.

Investigation disclosed that at 7:10 PM on 7-29-67 Scout 5-3, manned by Patr. Robert Lembas DPD, and two members of Delta Company, 1st Battalion, 505 Infantry, Eighty-second Airborne, stationed at the Fifth Precinct, Sp/4 RANDOLPH SMITH, 20/W, and E-2 Larry Leftivich, received a radio run to 3484 St. Jean, "loot upstairs". Scout 5-6, manned by Patr. Billy Cantrell and two members of Delta Company, First Battalion, also responded to the scene. Patr. Lembas and Patr. Cantrell approached the front door of the run location at 3484 St. Jean.

When the officers went on the porch they were able to see a male Negro descending the stairway leading from the upstairs apartment. This man had a brown paper bag in one hand and a chrome-plated revolver in the other. The officers, who were in uniform, also identified themselves as police officers, and ordered the man to drop the revolver. The man dropped the paper bag and turned and ran up the stairs, pursued by the officers. Patr. Lembas fired a shot from his privately owned 16 gauge shotgun, which struck the wall in the stairwell. Lembas continued up the stairs to the living room of the upper apartment, at which time he saw the man in the kitchen. Patr. Lembas fired another shot which struck the door leading to a dust porch. The man then went down the rear stairway and out the rear door. Patr. Lembas fired a third shot as he was exiting. As the man ran from the rear door toward the alley, Sp/4 SMITH, who was stationed at the southeast corner of the house, outside, who had heard the shooting and heard one of the officers yell, "Watch it, one of the men has a gun", loaded his weapon, while he was observing several people fleeing from the rear door. One man was carrying a chrome revolver and as Sp/4 SMITH was calling to the group of people to "halt", the man with the chrome revolver turned and pointed the revolver at Sp/4 SMITH. At this time SMITH fired his weapon, which was a 5.56 Mil. Colt AR15 - M16A1, Serial #225986.

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WITNESSES

Name Det. Eljay Bowron Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to _____

Signing complaint - one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name Det. Lt. Elmer Reed Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

One of the officers assigned to the case.

Name Dr. Hector Yanes Address Det. General Hosp. Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Chart #2271695

Pronouncing death.

Name Dr. John E. Burton Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

File #67-5773

Performing autopsy and giving the cause of death.

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Officers in Charge of Case _____

Det. Eljay Bowron D-171

Precinct Homicide
Bureau
Division Detective

Approved: _____

Albert P. Schwallier

ALBERT P. SCHWALLIER, Detective Inspector - Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

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At the same time, Sp/4 SMITH fired his weapon, a man ran into his line of fire, who was later identified as ERNEST ROQUEMORE, and who expired as a result of the wound. The man who had the chrome-plated revolver escaped in the alley.

The package, which was dropped on the front stairway by the man with the revolver, was placed in evidence on Tag #687340 and contained 29 packets of bulk marihuana. The slug, recovered from the body of the deceased, is held on Tag #682365. Numerous items of suspected loot were confiscated at the scene.

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

JUR NUMBER
#256702

NAME MICHAEL ROBERT MOORE (ool)	F.B.I. NO. M.S.B. NO.	ALIAS Ernest E. Roquemore Robert Moore, "Rockwell" "Cash"
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Contributor 11-18-65 smb	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
FD Det Mich	Michael Moore #256702	6-3-65	No Oper License #175265	6-3-65, \$35 or 5 days DHC
"	Ernest Roquemore #256702	12-1-65	Rec & Conc Stolen Property #238945	12-2-65, \$50 or 30 day DHC
"	"	7-3-66	Larc u/\$100 #251072	7-5-66, \$25 or 45 days

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DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

Homicide File #7163

OFFENSE

July 28, 1967

#DD-386920

HOMICIDE: Deceased RICHARD SIMS

DATE

COMPLAINT NUMBER

Dets. Fullerton & Maniaci

Homicide Bureau

35/N. of 2475 Buena Vista, W. (3

ASSIGNED TO

COMPLAINANT

Detective John Maniaci

Homicide Bureau

NAME

AGE AND RACE

ADDRESS

CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT B

SGT. HENRY MACINKOWICZ - 10th Precinct - Detroit Police Department

NAME AGE AND RACE ADDRESS WHERE BORN IN CUSTODY CRIM. RECORD

PATR. FRANK FULMER - 10th Precinct - Detroit Police Department

NAME AGE AND RACE ADDRESS WHERE BORN IN CUSTODY CRIM. RECORD

PATR. RICHARD MORTENSON - 10th Precinct - Detroit Police Department

NAME AGE AND RACE ADDRESS WHERE BORN IN CUSTODY CRIM. RECORD

PATR. WILLIAM FLANNERY - 10th Precinct - Detroit Police Department

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

Date: July 24, 1967 Time: 7:45 PM Place: Buena Vista, W. South of Lin

At 8:50 PM, Kiefer #4 conveyed RICHARD SIMS, 35/N, to Detroit General Hos from side of 2532 Buena Vista, W. suffering multiple gunshot wounds to the che He was pronounced DOA at 9:00 PM by Dr. Cobalt of the hospital staff.

An autopsy was performed on July 25, 1967 by Dr. John F. Burton, Wayne Co Medical Examiner, at the Wayne County Morgue, who gave the cause of death as - "gunshot wound to chest". Morgue File #67-5629. Dr. Burton recovered one sho gun pellet from the body and turned it over to Detective Rolland Ives of the Homicide Bureau, who placed it in evidence on Tag #682281.

On July 24, 1967 at 7:40 PM the above officers were patrolling north on Linwood Ave. As the officers approached Buena Vista they observed two Negro males standing by the side door of the Hobby Bar at 13106 Linwood. One man wa attempting to pry open the door with a hammer. As the officers approached the pair, they ran to the alley in the rear of the bar. One man ran north in the alley, and the one with the hammer, ran south. The officers ordered for the m to halt and when their order went unheeded, the officers gave chase on foot. Officers Fulmer and Flannery with Officer Mortenson chased the man with the hammer south to Buena Vista and then east to the first drive on the east side 2532 Buena Vista and then north in the drive. When the Negro male got to the side door at 2532 Buena Vista, he opened the screen door and attempted to brea into the house. At this time the officers simultaneously fired one shot at th man from DPD issued 12 gauge shotguns. The Negro man fell suffering the afore mentioned wounds. It is not known which of the shots took effect. The Negro male, who ran north in the alley, escaped.

The above shooting was witnessed by the occupants of 2532 Buena Vista, Cathrine, 40/N, Carlene, 17/N, Horace, 16/N and Julia Adams, 14/N. Longhand statements were taken by Detective John Maniaci and they completely substantia one officers' report of the shooting.

Confiscated and held on Evidence Tag #582020 - one hammer dropped by the deceased.

Witnesses: 3-7

WITNESSES

Name Det. John Nizinski Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to _____

Signing complaint - one of the officers assigned to the case.

Name Dr. Cobble Address Det. General Hosp. Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Pronouncing death.

Name Dr. John W. Burton Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Performing autopsy and giving the cause of death.

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Name Det. Robert Fullerton Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

One of the officers investigating case.

Officers in Charge of Case Det. John Nizinski D-109 Precinct Homicide

Approved: Det. Robert Fullerton D-423 Division D.D.

Det. S. Coleman, Detective Inspector - Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

CRIMINAL RECORD

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER
107335

NAME: Richard Sims (S) F.E. NO 567 155 B ALIAS Benjamin Barnes; aka "Dicky" M.S.B. NO 377319

Contributor	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
D, Det., Mich.	Richard Sims #107335	11-1-52	Inv. Viol. State Narc. Law.	1-8-53, 60 days I & 2 yrs. proba.
D, Hamtramck, Mich.	Richard Sims #11353	5-21-53	Inv. Larc fr bldg.	5-25-53, Rel. w/ compl.
D, DoU., Mich.	Richard Sims #107335	10-15-53	Simp. Larc.	10-16-53, 60dys DE
D, Hamtramck, Mich.	Richard Sims #11353	12-29-53	Inv. Larc fr bldg.	12-31-53, Rel. w/ compl.
"	"	2-9-54	Inv. Viol. State Narc. Laws	2-11-54, TCT Recor Court Probation I
D, Det., Mich.	Benjamin Barnes #107335	3-22-54	Asslt w/i to Rob. Armed	5-14-54, 5-15 yrs. JSPr.
Pr., Jackson, Mich.	Richard Sims #86447-J	5-14-54 (Sent.)	Asslt. to Rob. Armed (RC Detroit)	~~XXXXXX~~ 5-15 yrs. 12-13-57- Par to Mich. for bal 12-7-29-58, Ret'd w sent. #B 86447 (t
O, Det., Mich.	Richard Sims #C 22766	6-8-58	VSNL	7-29-58, 1 - 2 yrs. 12-19-58 sent. ch to 1-5 yrs.
Dept. of Corr. Reception Center Jackson, Mich.	Richard Sims #B 86447	7-29-58 (sent.)	Att. Viol Drug Law (Wayne Co.)	1 - 2 yrs. 12-19-58 Correct sentence from Way Co. Cir. Crb. to r 1-5 y-s. 9-2-60, Paroled to Detroit, Mich., for
SO, Det., Mich.	Richard Sims #C-22766	5-30-61	Poss of Narc	8-2-61, 1 1/2 to 10 SPSM
Dept of Corr Recept Center Jackson, Mich.	Richard Sims #C 86447	8-2-61 (sent.)	Viol Drug Law (Wayne County)	3 1/2 to 4 yrs. 6-4-63 Paroled Detroit for 30 m.

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Contributor	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
PD.Det., Mich.	Richard Sims #107335	2-8-66	Non-Support #239006	2-9-66, 1 year Pr

7/63

MEMORANDUM

Re: Homicide File No. 7163 - Dec. Richard Sims, 35/N/M
Defs: Henry Macinkowicz
Frank Fulmer
Richard Mortenson
William Flannery
Date: July 24, 1967, 7:45 P.M.
Place: Buena Vista, W. South of Linwood
Hobby Bar, 13106 Linwood

It appears that the above-mentioned officers while on patrol came upon the deceased and another man attempting to break into the Hobby Bar. When the defendants approached them, they broke and ran. One got away and the other ran. The officers howlered for him to halt, which he failed to do so. He ran up to the door of a house belonging to someone unknown to the deceased. The deceased appeared to attempt to get into this house, but he failed to do so. Shots were fired by Fulmer, Mortenson and Flannery.

No further investigation required.

Conclusion: It is my conclusion that there is no criminality involved in this matter.

William L. Cahalan

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)		Homicide File #7161
August 8, 1967	#DD-386918	OFFENSE
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER	HOMICIDE: Deceased ALPHONSO
Dets. Carter & Thayer	Homicide Bureau	SMITH, 35/M/N, of 3455 W. Chicago
ASSIGNED TO		

COMPLAINANT

Detective Donald Carter	Homicide Bureau - DPD		
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

PATR. THOMAS F. PETERSON - Badge #2023 - 10th Precinct - DPD					
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD

DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

On July 24, 1967 at 5:00 PM #10 Precinct, Unit #1, conveyed ALPHONSO SMITH, 35/N, to the Detroit General Hospital, Central Branch, from a supermarket at 9750 Dexter, suffering a gunshot wound of the neck, exit lower back. He was pronounced DOA at 5:15 PM by Dr. Kolpsenstein of the hospital staff. Chart # 593120.

Later Unit #1 responded to the Homicide Bureau where longhand statements were taken from the officers.

From the investigation and statements of the officers it appears that at 4:15 PM 10th Precinct Unit #1 were patrolling Dexter Ave. and the officers observed several Negro males in the process of looting a Standard Food Market at 9750 Dexter. The front glass door was broken and debris was strewn throughout the store. Patrolman Thomas F. Peterson, Badge #2023, and Patrolman Eugene Purchiaroni, Badge #1271, entered the market through the broken front door. ALPHONSO SMITH threw a can at Patr. Purchiaroni. The officers ordered the men to halt. Patr. Purchiaroni fired one shot into the ceiling from his Thompson Machine Gun DPD #13759.

Patr. Peterson, who was following Patr. Purchiaroni, upon hearing the shot fired, slipped on the debris on the floor of the market, at which time a shot went off from his Marlin .30 caliber rifle, DPD #C10901, striking ALPHONSO SMITH

10th Precinct Unit #1 arrested the following men, who were in the process of looting the store at this time:

- Leon Mason, 24/M/N, 3216 Pingree
- Jesse Garrett, 34/M/N, 9273 Petoskey
- Frank Mosley, 42/M/N, 1945 Burlingame
- Riginald Shelton, 36/M/N, 13581 Stoepel

The above were charged with entering without breaking with intent to commit larceny. Warrant #A-139001.

On July 25, 1967 an autopsy was performed on the body of ALPHONSO SMITH by Dr. Joseph Julier, A.M.C.2, who gave the cause of death as "gunshot through the heart". Morg. File # 593120

WITNESSES

Name Det. Donald Carter Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Complainant Testifies to _____

Signing complaint, one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name Dr. Kolpsenstein Address Det. General Hospital Criminal Record _____
Chart #593120

Testifies to _____

Pronouncing death.

Name Dr. Joseph Juliar Address Wayne County Morgue Criminal Record _____
File #67-5621

Testifies to _____

Performing autopsy and giving the cause of death.

Name Napoleon Smith, brother Address 4044 Burlingame
Name Edward L. Smith, Nephew Address 4044 Burlingame Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

Identifying body at the Wayne County Morgue.

Name Det. Lyle Thayer Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record _____

Testifies to _____

One of the officers assigned to the case.

Officers in Charge of Case _____

Approved: _____

Donald Carter
Det. Donald Carter - D-455

Precinct Homicide
Bureau
Division D.D.

Lyle Thayer
Det. Lyle Thayer - D-512

ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, Detective Inspector - Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

101545

NAME

Alphonso Smith (b)

F. B. I. NO. 830 875A

M. S. B. NO. 422028

ALIAS

3-8-57, mls
Contributor

Name and Number

Date

Charge

Disposition

PD, Det., Mich.	Alphonso Smith #101545	3-29-51	Acc & Sol	3-30-51, \$10 or 10dys
"	"	3-13-53	Ind. & Obsc. Cond.	3-14-53, 60 days
DHC, Plymouth, Mich.	Alphonso Smith #91229	3-17-53	Obscene Conduct	60 days
PD, Det., Mich.	Alphonso Smith #101545	9-15-55	Acc & Sol	9-16-55, \$25. or 30dy DHC.
"	"	1-2-57	Acc & Sol (2nd Offense)	2-15-57, 90 days DHC.
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D, Det., Mich.	Alphonso Smith #101545	9-14-60	Obscene Conduct	9-15-60, \$25 or 30 days DHC
"	"	2-21-67	Obscene Conduct #263087	3-10-67, \$100 or 30 days DHC

DIED	
DATE	7-24-67
PLACE	Subject
DETAILS ENCLOSED	

not shot

MASTER RECORD
MUST
BE LEFT IN FILE

MEMORANDUM

Re: Dec. Alphonso Smith, 35/N/M
Def: Thomas F. Peterson
July 24, 1967, 10:00 P.M.
Supermarket at 9750 Dexter

7/6/

Patrolman Thomas Peterson and Patrolman Purchiaroni were patrolling in an automobile when they observed looting in progress at the Standard Food Market at the above named location. They noted that the front glass was broken and also the front door. That the debris was strewn throughout the store. They entered the market through the broken front door.

Alphonso Smith, deceased, threw a can at Patrolman Purchiaroni. The officers ordered the men to halt. Purchiaroni fired one shot into the ceiling. Peterson was following Purchiaroni, heard the shot fired, he slipped on the debris on the floor, and his Marlin 130 caliber rifle accidentally discharged striking a fatal blow to Smith.

FURTHER INVESTIGATION: No further investigation required.

CONCLUSION:

It is my conclusion that this is an accidental shooting.
There was no negligence and no criminality attaches.

William L. Carlson

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT
REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATION

Homicide File #7175

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)

July 30, 1967		DD-412383	OFFENSE
Casey & Everett		COMPLAINT NUMBER	Homicide, (Deceased, JACK SYDNOR, 38/M, of 2753 Hazelwood, #32.)
ASSIGNED TO			

COMPLAINANT

Det. Robert Everett		Homicide Bureau	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT

PATR. ROGER POIKE,		Tenth Precinct		No	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

Date: July 25, 1967
Time: 9:30 PM
Place: 2753 Hazelwood, Apt. #32.

At 9:15 PM, July 25, 1967, Livernois Unit #4, cars 1-2 & 3 were dispatched to 2753 Hazelwood, "Man with a gun, shooting".

On arrival at the run location, Patr. Thomas Pawlowski was met by the manager of the Apt. Bldg., JAMES MONTGOMERY, 35/M, who informed him that a man on the 3rd floor was shooting a gun and threatening people. The manager thought the gunman was in Apt. #31.

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As Patr. Poike entered, he observed a N/M, later identified as the deceased, JACK SYDNOR, shooting at him with a hand-gun. The officer was struck in abdomen by one of the shots and fell to the floor of the apt. At this time he fired six shots from his S & W Service .38 cal. revolver, at the deceased, who was shooting at the officers from a bedroom in the apt.

Under the cover of heavy gunfire from the officers in the hallway outside the apt. door and from officers in the street in front of the building, Patr. ROBERT HYPIO entered the apt. and conveyed the injured officer, Patr. POIKE, to safety. He was then conveyed to Ford Hospital, suffering a gunshot wound of the abdomen (no exit), condition serious; Ohart #1291135-6.

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One of the officers in charge of the case.

D/Sgt. Clifton Casey, DS-63 Precinct Homicide Bur
Det. Robert Everett, D-540 Division DD

Officers in Charge of Case _____

Approved:

Albert P. Schwaller
ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, D/Insp., Homicide Bureau

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DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT
REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATION

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COMPLAINANT

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D/Sgt. Clifton Casey Precinct Homicide Bur

DS-63

Officers in Charge of Case _____

Det. Robert Everett Division DD

Approved:

Albert P. Schwall

ALBERT P. SCHWALLER, D/Insp., Homicide Bureau

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CRIMINAL RECORD

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

NAME

John Sydnor

F. B. I. NO.

M. S. B. NO.

ALIAS

Contributor

Name and Number

Date

Charge

Disposition

John Sydnor	John Sydnor	1-24-59	1st Dist	John Sydnor
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CRIMINAL RECORD

DETROIT POLICE
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Location

CHARGE	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Location
Viol. Probol	8-17-61	Viol. Probol	8-17-61, 101 St. St.	Viol. Probol
"	"	3-18-62	Reckless Driving	1-4-62, 100 St. St.
"	"	4-17-67	Traffic Warrant	1-7-67, 100 St. St.

MEMORANDUM

Re: ROGER POIKE

7175

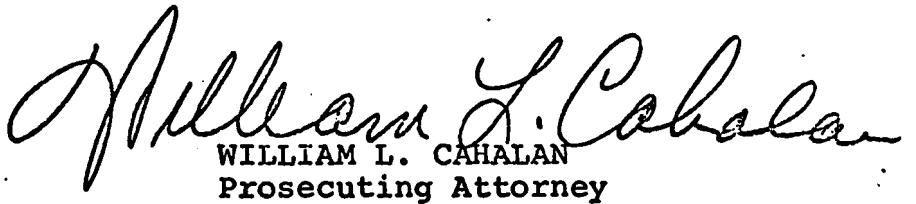
I have reviewed all of the statements contained in the file of the above captioned person. A reiteration of the facts would serve no purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide." It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case. (Patten vs. People, 18 Mich. 314)

The accused may act upon a belief, arising from appearances which give him reasonable cause although he may turn out to be mistaken. The guilt of the accused must depend upon the circumstances as they appear to him. (Pond vs. The People, 8 Mich. 149)

"Were a man charged with crime to be held to a knowledge of all facts precisely as they are, there could be few cases in which the most innocent intention or honest zeal could justify or excuse homicide." (Pond, supra., at Page 173)

Based upon the facts as they appeared to Officer Poike, it is my conclusion that he acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality could be assigned to his actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney

Dated: August 29, 1967

MEMORANDUM

Re: File No. 7155-Dec. Joseph Chandler
Defs: Patrolmen Van Loo and David Senak

It appears that on July 24, 1967, at 1:15 P.M. the deceased was observed by Richard James Stephens, manager of the supermarket, and patrolman Croft, Van Loo and Senak climbing out of the window of the Food-Time Market. The officers were on routine patrol in their car near the market.

Officers Van Loo and Senak got out of the car. Van Loo, Senak and Croft all say that there were several shouts of command to halt to the deceased. These were heard by Stephens. Chandler (deceased) continued to flee from the scene. Both Van Loo and Senak fired on him. He continued to flee, again a command was shouted by both Van Loo and Senak to halt. Again, both Van Loo and Senak fired. The deceased continued on over a fence and was lost from the view of both Van Loo and Senak.

Van Loo and Senak both believed that their shots did not take effect and did report that to the homicide bureau.

After they lost the deceased, they returned to the Food-Time Market where they arrested some people for looting.

No further investigation is necessary. There is no criminality shown on the part of either Van Loo or Senak.

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION
Homicide File #7192

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)	
August 25, 1967	DD-412411
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER
Bostick & McManus	
ASSIGNED TO	

OFFENSE
HOMICIDE: (Deceased- GEORGE
TOLBERT, 20/N of 4451 30th.

COMPLAINANT			
D/Lieut. Hershel Bostick		Homicide Bureau	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT					
Johann Guikema, # W/26, Spec. 4, 3rd Batt., 126 Inf., Mich. Nat. Guard					
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

On July 26, 1967 at 5:00 PM, GEORGE TOLBERT and LANCE SMITH, 28/N of 3010 Gladstone were conveyed by private conveyance to Henry Ford Hospital by an unknown priest, later identified as Father Marquim of St. Agnes Parish.

GEORGE TOLBERT was suffering from a through & through gunshot wound to the right chest, condition serious. LANCE SMITH was suffering from a gunshot wound to the upper right arm, condition temporarily serious.

On August 4, 1967, GEORGE TOLBERT was pronounced dead at 8:30 PM by Dr. B. Marron of the Ford Hospital Staff.

On 8/5/67 a post mortem examination was performed at the Wayne Co. Morgue by Dr. Joseph Juliar, A.W.C.M.E., cause of death was given as "Pneumonia, lower lobe, bilateral; through & through gunshot wound of the chest.

FOLLOWING ARE A SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENTS OF NATIONAL GUARDSMEN & WITNESSES:

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF GEORGE TOLBERT:

Stated he was on LaSalle Gardens between 12th & LaSalle between 2:30 & 3 PM on 7/26/67. States he was walking across the street when he was hit. He stated he had just parked his car and had observed a lot of Army people on the street. He stated he only heard one shot fired and that was by the Army. Stated there were several shots fired after he was shot. Stated he didn't know who was shooting. Stated some priest took him to the hospital. He stated before he got shot a man down the street hollered, "Look out, they're shooting." Then he got shot. Stated there were a lot of Army men there, all on foot. Stated he could not tell which one shot him.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF LANCE SMITH:

Stated that at about 3:30 or 4:00 PM, on 7/26/67, he and GEORGE TOLBERT were in a 1965 Impala Convertible. Stated they were going to visit George's cousin who lives on LaSalle Gardens. Stated they parked on Dunedin and got out of the car and were walking towards where he thought George's cousin lived. Stated there was a man standing by the apartment and he said, "Look out, you-all, they are shooting down there." He stated George was walking ahead of him. He said, "Hey, George, they are shooting down there." Stated he saw a soldier aiming a gun in their direction. Then he heard a shot & George & he fell. George was lying there hollering, "Help, I'm dying." Stated they laid there for about an hour. Stated that two priests then took them to the hospital. Stated he did not hear anyone yell "Wait".

SYNOPSIS OF SGT. JOHANN GUIKEMA'S STATEMENT:

(See Deposition in file.)

Observed two men, later found to be GEORGE TOLBERT & LANCE SMITH cross LaSalle Gds. S., diagonally from southwest to northeast. Specialist HALL repeatedly ordered these men off the street. These men ignored the commands to get off the street. One of these men (presumably Tolbert), was wearing a white shirt, & the other (presumably Smith) was wearing a blue shirt. These men were out of Guikema's sight and when the man with the white shirt reappeared, Guikema was unable to see any part except the upper portion of his body, - not the hands. This man continued to come towards Guikema & Specialist Hall. Hall was at this time backing up. Guikema aimed and fired a shot at the man in the white shirt, (presumably Tolbert). After the shot was fired, Guikema did not see the man in the white shirt again. When he fired the shot, he did not know where the man in the blue shirt was. After firing the shot, Guikema called for a vehicle to investigate the area where he had shot at the man. Later he found out that two men had been shot. He did not see either the man in the white shirt or the man in the blue shirt again.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT BY SGT. ALBERT C. HOWARD:

(See Deposition in file.)

Was in charge of the area of 12th & LaSalle Gardens South. Was informed by Specialist Guikema that he, Guikema, had "Shot somebody down there or someone had been hit down there." Guikema also asked that Sgt. Howard get a vehicle & check out the area of the shooting. Sgt. Howard responded to the area in a vehicle and found George Tolbert lying on the sidewalk, injured.

SYNOPSIS OF BRUCE HALL'S STATEMENT:

(See Deposition in file.)

Saw the car bearing TOLBERT & SMITH pull up and Tolbert & Smith get out. They disappeared from view for a while, apparently by hiding behind other parked cars. At one time, one of these men said to him, "I'm going to cut your throat, you son-of-a-bitch." Later saw the man with the white shirt walking on the sidewalk. Repeatedly called to these men to get off the street. Observed Guikema raise his rifle and fire. Later returned to the area in the truck, and observed the man in the white shirt lying on the sidewalk.

SYNOPSIS OF JULIAN WITHERSPOON'S STATEMENT:

Heard the two Guardsmen order people off the street and off the porches. Saw two colored men - TOLBERT & SMITH walking east on LaSalle Gardens, South, on the north side of the street. Heard people in the houses yell, "Get off the street". Did not hear anyone shout "halt". Saw the Guardsman wearing Corporal stripes aim his rifle and shoot at Tolbert and then saw Tolbert fall.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF ALETHEA THOMAS of 1944 LaSalle Gds., S.

States that on 7/26/67 at about 4:00 PM, she was on her way home from work. She was walking north on Dunedin and when she got to LaSalle Gds., S., she was stopped by two National Guardsmen. She told them she lived on LaSalle Gds., S., and was ordered to go back. One of the Guardsmen aimed a rifle at her. She then went up on the porch of the first house on Dunedin (near the lot). Then the Guardsmen hollered for her to get off the porch. She then sat down on the porch. She then heard two shots, but didn't see who fired them. She then went into the peoples' house next door and, while looking out the window, heard one shot and saw the man fall. She states the other man fell at the same time. She states both men fell by the apartment building by the playground. States they had been walking side by side when shot. Prior to shooting she heard someone holler, "Go back".

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF ERNEST CRICK of 1958 LaSalle Gds., S.

States he remembers the day the man was shot at Dunedin and LaSalle Gds., S. States a Guardsman was in front of his house stopping traffic from going to 12th St. States he was on the upper porch and heard the Guardsman challenge several people and direct them away from 12th St. Guardsman saw him and made him go into the house. When inside, he heard two shots. Went out on the porch and saw man lying on the ground and two Guardsmen standing by him. States he heard several shots earlier.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF FRANK MORROW of 1972 LaSalle Gds., S.

States he was home on July 26, 1967. States Guardsmen were directing traffic in front of his house. He was on the front porch at that time and was ordered into the house by Guardsmen. After he entered the house, he heard 3 or 4 shots. States he heard another shot, - looked out, and saw a man lying on the ground. States a priest from St. Agnes' church, together with other people, put the man in a car and the priest took him to (it was later learned) - Ford Hospital. States he did not see what led up to the shooting.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF LULA JORDAN of 1972 LaSalle Gds., S.

States she was home at 5:00 PM on 7/26/67 and was told by Guardsmen to stay in the house and away from the windows. States she heard several shots coming from the street. Did not see anyone get shot. Looked out and saw a man lying on the ground.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF WALTER HUGHES of 1982 LaSalle Gds., So.

States he was home on 7/26/67 and that National Guardsmen had the road blocked at 12th St. States Guardsmen came down the street and told people to get off their porches and into their homes. States he saw Guardsmen fire several shots at the corner of 12th St. He went into his house, heard shooting and looked out and saw man lying on the ground. Before going into the house, he heard several shots coming from 12th St. Also an Army helicopter was flying around the area and was very noisy.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENTS OF ALEXANDER NICHOLS, 1984 LaSalle Gds., S., & RONALD HOSEAY of 1984 LaSalle Gds., S.

Both state they were looking out the front window of 1984 LaSalle Gds., S., and saw a car stop west of Dunedin and let two colored men out, west of the alley next to 1994 Dunedin. The two men walked to the north side of LaSalle Gds., S., and started walking east toward 12th St. One of the men stopped west of the alley and the other man continued to walk towards 12th St. When the man who was walking reached the front of 1984 LaSalle Gds., S., both boys heard one shot & the man fell immediately. They state they went out of the house and saw the other man had been shot in the arm. State the man who was shot in the arm was still west of the alley. The Guardsmen were east of 1984 LaSalle Gds., S., about at the fire plug. Both boys did not hear Guardsmen shout for the two men to halt. Distance from front of 1984 LaSalle Gds., S., to the fire plug is about 225' east. Distance west from front of 1984 LaSalle Gds., S., to spot where man was shot in the arm is approximately 75 feet.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF MILDRED BOYANCE of 1967 LaSalle Gds., S.

States on 7/26/67 she was at work during the afternoon in the Convent of St. Agnes Church as the cook. States she heard shooting all afternoon but saw nothing.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF WALLACE HUGGINS, 1948 LaSalle Gds., S.

States on 7/26/67 at 3:50 PM, he observed a larger than normal amount of National Guardsmen at the intersection of 12th and LaSalle Gds., S. States that some of the Guardsmen started down LaSalle Gds., S., ordering people off the porches and inside their homes. They were ordering traffic down Dunedin and away from 12th St. States that at this time he was in the downstairs flat, (his father-in-law's, Jacob Smith). States two unknown Guardsmen were in the center of the street who ordered him away from the door by aiming a rifle at him. States they aimed a rifle at his father-in-law and ordered him away from the window. States about 25 minutes prior to this he had heard gunfire, some close and some in the distance. States he saw a Guardsman (whom he cannot describe), raise his rifle in the middle of the street and fire west on LaSalle Gds., S. He later saw two priests helping a man who was shot down the street.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF WASH SMITH of 1944 LaSalle Gds., S.

States on 7/26/67 at about 3:45 PM, he was looking out his front window and saw the National Guardsmen shooting at anything that moved. States this went on for about half an hour. States he went into the kitchen to eat and that's when the man was shot down the street.

SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT OF EDNA DABNEY of 1976 LaSalle Gds., S.

States that on the afternoon of July 26, 1967 she first became aware that the Guardsmen were diverting traffic from entering onto 12th St. off of LaSalle Gds., S., when she was on her front porch and talking to the lady who was visiting in her neighbor's apartment. A man in a car who had been turned around by the Guardsmen, came along and told the children playing out front that they should go inside because there was going to be some shooting down there. States the Guardsmen then ordered people off the porches. She then went inside. About twenty minutes later she again went out on the porch. She saw one Guardsman, - he fired a shot and yelled, "Everyone inside off the porches". She then went inside and pulled the blinds. States there was more shooting about an hour or two later. States she later saw blood on the sidewalk.

CRIMINAL RECORD

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER

#238941

NAME George Tolbert (C)	F.B.I. No.	ALIAS
M.S.B. No.		

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CONTRIBUTOR	NAME AND NUMBER	DATE	CHARGE AND DOCKET NUMBER	DISPOSITION
PD, Det., Mich	George Tolbert #238941	5-5-66	Traffic Warrant	5-6-67, \$40 Fine
"	"	9-15-66	No Oper Lic #196350	9-15-66, \$50 or. 7 days DHC
"	"	12-4-66	Traffic Warrant	12-8-66, \$15 Fine
"	"	5-4-67	Traffic Warrant	5-8-67, \$15 Fine

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October 24, 1967

MEMORANDUM

Re: JOHANN GUIKEMA,
Spec. 4, 3rd Batt.,
126 Inf., Michigan National Guard

I have reviewed all of the facts as set forth in the Statements of witnesses in the file of the above referenced person. A reiteration of these facts would serve no useful purpose.

There is no positive rule for the definition of "justifiable homicide". It must depend upon the circumstances and surroundings of each case, "Patton vs. People, 18 Michigan 314".

Based upon the facts as they appeared to JOHANN GUIKEMA, it is my conclusion that he acted in good faith and without malice and that no criminality can be assigned to his actions.


WILLIAM L. CAHALAN
Prosecuting Attorney



WLC:d

DETROIT POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON CASE INVESTIGATED FOR WARRANT RECOMMENDATION

Homicide File #7174

(USE TYPEWRITER OR INK)	
July 31, 1967	DD-412382
DATE	COMPLAINT NUMBER
Domm & Loch	
ASSIGNED TO	

OFFENSE
Homicide (Deceased: PERRY WILLIAMS, 33/M/N, 9726 Cameron).

COMPLAINANT			
Det. Sgt. John Domm	Homicide Bureau	No	
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	CRIM. RECORD

DEFENDANT					
PATROLMAN LAWRENCE GIACOBOZZI, age 29, Badge #3683, 13th Precinct					
NAME	AGE AND RACE	ADDRESS	WHERE BORN	IN CUSTODY	CRIM. RECORD
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DETAILS OF INVESTIGATION

At 3:00 p.m., July 25, 1967, Tues., Scout 13-3, manned by Patrolmen Clifford Styrk and Peter McCluskui, received a radio run to 1401 Holbrook, "two looters shot."

Scout 13-3 conveyed John Doe #405, later identified as PERRY WILLIAMS, 33/N, of 9726 Cameron, and John Doe #404, later identified as ARTHUR JOHNSON, 36/N/M, address unknown, from the scene to the Detroit General Hospital, CB. WILLIAMS suffered 2 gunshot wounds to the center chest, exit left upper back; JOHNSON suffered 2 gunshot wounds to the abdomen, both exiting the right back. Hospital Chart #593245 - WILLIAMS; Chart #593244 - JOHNSON. Both men were pronounce DOA at 3:25 p.m., by Dr. Burt Weyhine.

On July 27, 1967, an autopsy was performed on the body of PERRY WILLIAMS at the Wayne County Morgue by Dr. Clara Raven, who gave the cause of death as follows: Morgue File #5663-67, Gunshot wound to chest.

The following officers responded to the Homicide Bureau where statements were taken in the presence of Det. Sgt. John Domm, of the Homicide Bureau: PATROLMEN STYRK and MC CLUSKUI, of Scout 13-3; PATROLMEN LAWRENCE GIACOBOZZI and LAWRENCE PEW, of Scout 13-9; and PATROLMEN ANDREW ZAZULA and EDWARD RUPPELL, of Scout 13-10.

From the statements and the investigation, it appears that Scout Cars 13-9 and 13-10, while patrolling in the area of Woodward and Euclid, were informed by an unknown citizen that the loan shop at Holbrook and Russell (Sherman Loan Company, 1401 Holbrook), was being looted. The officers responded to the scene and observed the front plate glass window broken out. They then hailed inside for anyone there to come out. Upon receiving no response, PATROLMAN GIACOBOZZI and Patrolman Andrew Zazula entered and began to search the premises. As PATROLMAN GIACOBOZZI proceeded to the rear of the building, he heard a noise behind him. He turned and saw John Doe #405, later identified as PERRY WILLIAMS, crouch down with a long dark object in his hands, later identified as a wooden club. PATR. GIACOBOZZI then fired 2 rounds from his privately owned British Enfield, bolt action rifle, Cal. 303, Ser. #47659, fatally wounding WILLIAMS as described above.

(Williams-Over)

WITNESSES

Name Det. Sgt. John Domm Address Homicide Bureau Criminal Record No

Complainant Testifies to

Signing the complaint; one of the officers in charge of the case.

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

Testifies to

Name _____ Address _____ Criminal Record _____

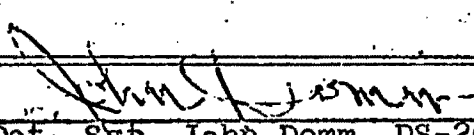
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Det. Sgt. John Domm, DS-20

Homicide
Bureau

Precinct _____

Officers in Charge of Case Det. John Loch, D-335

Division DD

Approved:



Det. Inspt. Albert P. Schwaller, Homicide Bureau

Warrant Recommended (Date) _____ Charge _____

Refused (Date) _____ Reason _____

Prosecutor

(Over)

Details of Investigation - Homicide File #7174 - Continued

The officers continued to search the premises and went to the basement of the store. As PATROLMAN GIACOBOSZI walked past a clothing rack, Patrolman Zazula, who was following, observed John Doe #404, identified as ARTHUR JOHNSON, emerge suddenly from between the clothing racks, carrying a piece of pipe in his hand. Patrolman Zazula then fired 2 rounds from his privately-owned Stevens .12 Ga. Pump Shotgun, no serial number, fatally wounding JOHNSON as described.

The officers reported sniper fire in the area during the incident.

The premises were further looted and also burned by unknown persons later the same date. No slugs or shells were recovered at the scene.

On August 2, 1967 at 3:30PM, Det. Sgt. John Domm and Det. John Loch interviewed Joseph Davis 80/M/N and his wife, Jimmy Lee Davis 56/F/N of 915 Owen. They stated that at the time of the above incident they resided at 1405 Holbrook, which is located above the Sherman Loan Company. They further stated that on July 25, 1967 at about 3:00PM they observed the police drive up in front of Sherman's Loan Company and heard the officers shout "Come out, Come out." The officers repeated this several times. They then heard several shots and saw the police take two bodies out of the store.

DETROIT POLICE
DEPARTMENT

OUR NUMBER

184092

NAME Perry Bernard Williams (B)	F.B.I.NO. M.S.B.NO.	ALIAS
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Contributor 8-17-59, ds	Name and Number	Date	Charge	Disposition
PD Det., Mich	Perry Williams #184092	7-16-51	Inv Break & Ent	7-17-51, dism no case
"	"	10-30-51	Asslt & Battery	11-2-51, 35 days DHC
"	"	12-5-52	Bastardy	12-5-52, BOT Circuit Court
"	"	10-1-53	Asslt & Battery	10-1-53, 1 yr prob
"	"	11-28-55	Inv Break & Ent	11-29-55, dism no case
"	"	7-28-57	Traffic Warrant	7-29-57, \$5. fine or 1 day
"	"	5-28-60	Traffic Warrant	5-31-60, \$9 or 2 days WCJail

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NUMERICAL INDEX OF INJURED AND FATAL VICTIMS, JULY, 1967 - CIVIL DISORDER

NO.	NAME	CLASSIFICATION	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	TYPE OF INJURY	PERPETRATOR
1.	Good, Raymond, 47	Police	7/23	4:30A	12th & Clairmount	Stoned	Unkn
2.	Peterson, Thos. F.,	"	"	"	12th & Taylor	"	"
3.	Carlson, Charles	"	"	11:45A	" " "	"	"
4.	Veil, Ronald	"	"	12:40P	" " "	"	"
5.	Dougherty, Rob't	"	"	12:45P	12th & Clairmount	"	"
6.	Lask, Frank	"	"	"	" " "	"	"
7.	Lesser, Robert	"	"	"	" " "	"	"
8.	Samp, Vernon	"	"	"	" " "	"	"
9.	Booth, George	"	"	1:00P	12th s/o Clairmount	"	"
10.	Clifford, Raymond	"	"	"	12th & Virginia Park	Cut	Looter
11.	Smith, John	"	"	"	12th & Taylor	Stoned	Unkn
12.	MacIntire, Lawrence, 24/N	Looter	"	1:30P	Charlevoix & Mt. Elliot-	Cut	Self
13.	McKenney, Arnold	Police	"	"	12th & Clairmount	Stoned	Unkn
14.	Dickerson, John	"	"	3:00P	" " "	"	"
15.	Benson, Yanuist, 44/N	Looter	"	3:57P	12th & Atkinson	Cut	Self
16.	Gillory, Benjamin, 27/N	"	"	4:00P	12th & Philadelphia	"	"
17.	Katina, Richard	Police	"	4:05P	" " " "	Stoned	Unkn
18.	Brace, Joseph	"	"	4:30P	12th & Lee Pl.	"	"
19.	Reeves, Warren A., 33/N	Looter	"	"	12th & Euclid	Shot	"
20.	Rudas, Paul	Police	"	"	Linwood & Taylor	Stoned	"
21.	McKenney, Arnold	"	"	4:40P	12th & Lee Pl.	Cut	Looter
22.	Ulman, Theodore	"	"	5:15P	Pallister & Poe	Stoned	Looter
23.	Melvin, Charles	"	"	5:40P	Canfield & John R	Cut	B & E
24.	Branham, Clarence, 37/N	Citizen	"	6:34P	1938 W. Philadelphia	Bruised	Police
25.	Styrk, Clifford	Police	"	7:00P	Holbrook & Russell	Stoned	Unkn
26.	Buckmann, Chester, 51/N	Looter	"	7:15P	12th nr Gladstone	Cut	Self

27. Weghi, Walter, 24	Police	7/23	7:20P	12th & Blaine	Cut	Looter
28. Jodbon, Joel, 19/N	Citizen	"	7:30P	(Unkn)	Unkn	B&E (Self)
29. Swain, James, 24/N	"	"	"	Lawton & Hazelwood	Cut	" " "
30. Godboldo, Joe, 19/N	Looter	"	7:00P	Gd River & Beverly	Bruised	Police
31. Whelton, Lawrence	Police	"	8:00P	Wd. Wilson & Phila.	Inj. Eye	Brng Bldg.
32. Strollon, Edmund	"	"	8:20P	Joy Rd & Gd River	Cut	Looter
33. Hintzke, Frank	"	"	8:30P	12th & Pingree	Stoned	Unkn
34. Skrocki, Ronald	"	"	"	Melrose & Gd Blvd	Cut	Looter
35. Wells, Victor	"	"	"	12th & Pingree	Stoned	Unkn
36. Gipson, Wallace, 16/N	Looter	"	9:15P	2458 E. Davison	Shot	Police
37. Zeilinger, Robert	St. Police	"	9:40P	11550 Dexter	Cut	Looter
38. Krichke, Robert	Police	"	10:00P	Belleterre & Gd River-	"	"
39. Wypych, Francis	"	"	"	Unkn	"	"
40. Dugan, Jack	"	"	10:30P	Wdwd & Baltimore	"	"
41. Madden, William	Grdsmn	"	11:00P	Unkn	"	"
42. Davis, Larther, 24/N	Looter	"	11:10P	7642 Woodward	"	Self
43. Spencer, Joe L., 18/N	"	"	"	" " "	"	"
44. Schmedding, William	Police	"	11:45P	Trumbull & Forest	"	Looter
45. Dimitrie, Paul, 17/W	Citizen	7/24	12:01A	Wdwd & Clairmount	Shot	Sniper
46. George, Ross, 23/W	"	"	"	Wdwd & Clairmount	"	"
47. Grazanka, Walter (7150)	Looter	"	12:25A	2844 Fourth	"	Store-Owner
48. Gerlach, William	Police	"	12:30A	Woodward & Henry	Cut	Looter
49. Rose, Mavri, 26/W	Grdsmn	"	12:47A	Mack-7th Pct Station	Shot	Sniper
50. Banner, Cecil, 15/N	Looter	"	1:00A	3008 E. Davison	"	Police
51. Brown, Walter, 47/N	Citizen	"	"	3801 McDougall	"	Self (Acc)
52. Stopczynski, Thaddeus	Police	"	"	3008 E. Davison	"	Looter
53. Lewis, Joseph, 25/N	Looter	"	1:30A	5599 Cadillac	Shot	Store Employee
54. George, Sharon, 23/W (7151)	Citizen	"	1:35A	Wdwd & Melbourne	"	Sniper

55. Herron, Willie, 29/N	Looter	7/24	1:35A	Oakman & Gd River	Cut	Self
56. Coleman, Ronald, 23/N	"	"	1:45A	"Atlas"	Shot	Unkn
57. Schurr, David	Police	"	2:30A	13th Prec. Station	Asltd	Prisoner
58. Shumaker, Lary, 29/W	Firefighter	"	2:30A	12th St. - - Smoke Inhalation		Brng Bldg
59. Scharr, Raymond, 16/W	B & E	"	2:45A	18449 Joy Rd	Cut	Self
60. Carr, Johnny, 24/N	" "	"	3:00A	Congress & Wdwd	Shot	Police
61. Pryor, Clifton, 23/W(7152)	Sniper	"	4:00A	667 W. Alexandrine	"	Grdsman
62. Johnson, Harold	Police	"	4:30A	15501 Gd River	Cut	Looter
63. Cook, Henry, 16/N	Looter	"	4:35A	3626 Myrtle	Shot	Police
64. Krupsky, Konstantine, 60/W-Citizen	"	"	5:30A	Edward & Gilbert	Cut	Unkn /N
65. Ashby, John, 26 (7191)	Firefighter	"	7:00A	Canton & Lafayette	Burned	Arsonist
66. Howard, Johnson, 42/N	Citizen	"	8:15A	3371 Fourteenth	Shot	Self (Acc)
67. Nelson, Robert	Police	"	9:30A	5550 W. Warren	Cut	Looter
68. Ector, Herman, 30/N(7153)	Looter	"	10:05A	3745 Joy Rd	Shot	Pvt. Grd.
69. Fuller, Nathaniel, 21/N	"	"	10:50A	McClellan & Mack	Cut	Self
70. Eizak, Leon	Police	"	11:25A	Mt Elliott & Gratiot	Shot	Sniper
71. Bolgar, William	"	"	11:30A	Unkn	Asltd	Prisoner
72. Doe, John, #377	Citizen	"	11:30A	Rec. Dock, DGH (CB)	Shot	Unkn
73. Harris, Robert, 28/N	Looter	"	"	2608 Gratiot	Cut	Self
74. Ware, James, 46/N	"	"	11:35A	8855 Linwood	Shot	Police
75. Doe, Mary #101	"	"	1:15P	(Unkn) Abdominal Inj.		Unkn
76. Jennings, Daniel, 36/N(7154)	B&E	"	"	6000 John R	Shot	Store Owner
77. Smith, Eddie, 32/N	Looter	"	"	United Shirt Shop	Shot	Police
78. Washington, Robt., 23/N	"	"	"	" " " " "	"	"
79. Beal, Robt., 49/N (7156)	"	"	1:25P	9325 Oakland	"	"
80. Price, Wm., 45/N	Citizen	"	1:30P	2261 Ferry Park	"	Sniper
81. Chandler, Jos., 34/N(7155)	"	"	1:45P	119 W. Phila. (Rear)	"	Unkn

82.	Collins, Raymond, 24/N	B & E	7/24	2:00P	2900 Mt. Elliott	Shot	Police
83.	Criswell, James, 26/N	Looter	"	2:15P	4731 Gd River	Cut	Self
84.	Howard, James, 19/N	"	"	"	" " " "	"	"
85.	Canty, Herman, 46/N(7157)	Arsonist	"	2:45P	2450 W. Gd Blvd	Shot	Police
86.	Culbrech, Lewis, 23/N	Looter	"	3:15P	3430 Joy Rd	"	"
87.	Jenkins, Roger, 37/N	"	"	"	2211 Ed. Ford Serv. Dr.	"	St. Police
88.	Williams, Michael, 16/N	"	"	"	" " " " " "	"	" "
89.	Miller, Jimmie L., 22/N	"	"	3:45P	(Unkn)	Bruised	Unkn
90.	Peachlum, Alfred, 35/N(7160)	Looter	"	4:00P	3430 Joy Rd	Shot	Police
91.	Smith, Simon, 23/N	Looter	"	"	5517 Chene	Cut	Self
92.	Keith, Henry, 20/N	Citizen	"	4:30P	Chene & Chestnut	Shot	Grdsman
93.	Kohls, John P.	Police	"	"	Gd River nr 14th	Stoned	Unkn
94.	Hall, Wilfred, 57/W	Citizen	"	4:35P	John R & State Fair	Asltd	Holdup
95.	Williamson, C., 32/N	"	"	4:50P	Unkn	Shot	Unkn
96.	Smith, Alphonso, 35/N(7161)	Looter	"	5:00P	9750 Dexter	"	Police
97.	Kemp, Charles, 35/N(7162)	"	"	5:20P	1800 Mack	"	"
98.	Lynch, Ronald	Police	"	5:45P	4565 Boston	Asltd	Looter
99.	Murphy, Jr., Geo., 36/N	B & E	"	6:00P	6921 Lafayette	Cut	Police
100.	Green, Wellington, 25/N	" "	"	6:15P	4580 W. Warren	Shot	"
101.	Bettis, James, 24/N	Looter	"	6:45P	(Unkn)	"	"
102.	Pines, Sandra, 8/N	Citizen	"	6:50P	Kercheval & Hibbard	"	Unkn
103.	Taylor, Albert, 21/N	Looter	"	6:50P	5500 Helen	Cut	Police
104.	Butler, Richard, 14/W	"	"	7:00P	Kercheval & Holcomb	Shot	Unkn
105.	Forbes, Ernest, 40/N	Citizen	"	"	Oakland nr Owen	"	"
106.	Ford, Henry, 30/N	Looter	"	7:15P	Mack & Montclair	"	Grdsman
107.	Hutton, Thomas	Police	"	7:30P	16041 Van Buren	Asltd	Prisoner
108.	Rohdeman, Clarence, 26/N	Looter	"	8:00P	John R & Holbrook	Shot	Police
109.	Ringo, William, 28/N	B & E	"	8:15P	2174 Scott	Inj. Foot	Self

110.	Stonefish, Chris, 35/Ind-Looter	7/24	8:15P	3905 Woodward	Shot	Police
111.	Walker, Douglas, 35/N Prisoner	"	"	13th. Prec. Station-Inj. Arm	"	"
112.	Wright, Freeman, 35/W Looter	"	"	3905 Woodward	Cut	"
113.	Chalut, Charles	Police	"	8:30P Crane & Kercheval	Stoned	Unkn
114.	Ward, James, 30	Firefighter	"	9:10P Mack & St. Jean	Cut	Self
115.	Sims, Richard, 35/N(7163) B & E	"	9:20P	13106 Linwood	Shot	Police
116.	Sawle, Edward	Police	"	9:30P Dexter & Collingwd-	Lost Hear'g	Gunfire
117.	Gram, Roy L., 32/N	Looter	"	9:35P 8880 Gd River	Cut	Self
118.	Moore, Calab, 32/N Poss. Explosives	"	9:40P	Davison & St. Aubin	"	"
119.	Bennett, Charles	Police	"	10:00P Dexter & Atkinson	Asltd	Prisoner
120.	Knight, Wesley, 25/N	Citizen	"	" " Scotten & Jackson	Shot	Sniper
121.	Smedley, George	Police	"	10:15P Bassett & Visger	Stoned	Unkn
122.	Barron, Nettie, 41/N	Citizen	"	10:30P 5760 Van Dyke	Shot	Sniper
123.	Brazil, Henry, 18/N	B & E	"	" " Cadillac Mtrs nr Baker-	Cut	Self
124.	Wynn, Zttie, 23/N/M	" "	" "	" " " " " " " "	"	"
125.	Begin, Paul	Police	"	10:40P Charlevoix	Shot	Sniper
126.	Calahan, Ronald	Grdsmn	"	" " " " " "	"	"
127.	Day, Russell	Police	"	11:00P 10th Prec. Sta. -Broken finger		Grdsmn (Acc
128.	Ragsdale, Alfred, 20/N	Citizen	"	" " Gratiot & Forest	Shot	Unkn
129.	O'Grady, Patrick	Police	"	11:15P 11309 Woodward	Cut	Looter
130.	Summers, Charles, 18/N	Citizen	"	11:20P Leland & McDougall	Shot	Sniper
131.	Gardner, Ganzel, 30/N	" "	"	11:25P Mack & St. Jean	"	Unkn
132.	Cook, Larry	Grdsmn	"	11:30P Mack & Gratiot	"	Sniper
133.	Germaine, Lawrence,	Police	"	11:30P Mack & St. Jean - Injured Eardrums-		Sniper
134.	Galen, Harry	"	"	11:45P Mack & Gratiot	Shot	Sniper
135.	Mackay, Robert	"	"	" " Fairview & Goethe	Inj. Eye	Sniper
136.	Wood, Gaylord, 29/W	Prisoner	"	11:55P (Unkn)	Cut	Unkn
137.	Bell, Anthony, 18/N	Looter	"	Unkn 3906 - 24th	"	Self

138. Coulburn, Jimmy, 59/N	Citizen	7/24	Unkn	Mack & Mt Elliott	Shot	Sniper
139. Doe, Mary #102	"	"	"	Unkn	Asltd	Unkn
140. Jordon, Althea, ?/N	B & E	"	"	5th Prect. Station	Fainted.	Self
141. Payton, Earl, 25/N	Looter	"	"	3906 24th.	Cut	Self
142. Timson, Jerry, 15/N	Citizen	"	"	Unkn	Shot	Unkn
143. Johnson, Grant, 17/N	Looter	7/25	12:01A	12715 Woodrow Wilson	"	Police
144. Gardner, Gonzalez, 32/N	Citizen	"	12:14A	Unkn	"	Unkn
145. Pettus, Jr., Sam, 18/N	Sniper	"	12:30A	3362 Illinois	Bruised	Police
146. Pettus, Sr., Sam, 44/N	"	"	"	" " " "	" "	" "
147. Smith, Floyd, 21/N	Citizen	"	"	Unkn	Shot	Unkn
148. Dawsen, Charles, ?/N	Prisoner	"	12:45A	Goethe & Lycaste	"	Grdsman
149. Demonbruen, Ernest, 28/N	" "	"	12:50A	3023 Davison	"	Police
150. Smith, Carl (7164)	Fireman	"	"	Mack & St. Jean	"	Sniper
151. Siggins, Wm., 31/N	Looter	"	1:00A	Gd River & 5th	Cut	Self
152. Cosby, Emanuel, 26/N(7165)	Looter	"	1:04A	4441 E. Nevada	Shot	Police
153. Palmer, Dane, 20/W	Prisoner	"	1:10A	Gd Blvd & Chene	"	Unkn
154. Johnson, Donald, 29/N	Citizen	"	1:15A	19218 Livernois	"	Sniper
155. Powell, Ronald, ?/N	Prisoner	"	1:26A	Lycaste & Goethe	"	Grdsman
156. Dorsey, Julius, 55/N(7166)	Citizen	"	1:30A	1004 Field	"	Unkn
157. Klemet, Ross, 31/W	Fireman	"	"	Dubois & Frederick	Inj. Hip	Brng Bldg
158. Donohue, Joseph, 65/W	Citizen	"	1:40A	Gd Blvd & 14th	Shot	Grdsman
159. Roberts, Robert, 19/N	"	"	1:50 A	Unkn	"	Unkn
160. Sluttlefield, Moses, 24/N	"	"	"	"	Cut	"
161. Winfrey, Palmer, 40/N	Looter	"	2:00A	700 Conner	Shot	Grdsman
162. Denson, Henry, 27/N(7167)	Citizen	"	2:10A	Mack & Gd Blvd	"	" "
163. Johnson, Hezikiah, 20/N	"	"	2:30A	1615 Putnam	"	Unkn
164. Ball, Francis	Police	"	2:45A	Virginia Pk & Linwd	"	Sniper
165. Hamilton, John	" "	"	"	" " " " " "	"	" "
166. Reece, Donald	" "	"	"	" " " " " "	"	" "

167. Diebold, William	Police	7/25	3:00A	Virginia Pk & Lnwd	Inj. Ankle	Looter
168. Johnson, Leroy, 30/N	Citizen	"	"	Unkn	Shot	Unkn
169. Rycerz, Eugene	Police	"	"	5133 Gd River	Dogbite	Dog
170. Boyd, William, 28/N	Sniper	"	3:45A	Montgomery & Linwood	Shot	St. Police
171. Evans, Ronald, 24/N (7168)	Looter	"	3:50A	4100 Pennsylvania	"	Police
172. Jones, Wm., 32/N (7159)	"	"	"	" " " " " " "	"	" "
173. Phillips, Albert, 23/N	Citizen	"	4:00A	Holbrook & John R	"	Unkn
174. Palmer, Wilfrey, 40/N	Looter	"	4:20A	700 Conner	"	Grdsman
175. Richards, Julius, 21/N	"	"	"	" " "	"	" "
176. Banks, Roy, 50/N (7207)	B & E	"	4:45A	Rohns & Mack	"	Police
177. Tanner, Frank, 19/N (7169)	Citizen	"	8:05A	1481 E. Gd Blvd	"	Unkn
178. Williams, Fred, 49/N (7171)	"	"	8:20A	Alley e. of Oakland	Electrocuted	Dn. Wires
179. Bank, Nathaniel, 24/N	Looter	"	8:45A	Unkn	Cut	Police
180. Smith, Ernest, 40/N	"	"	9:50A	1000 Westminster	Shot	Store Owner
181. Champion, Herbert, 38/N	"	"	10:00A	Lillibridge & Cnfld	Cut	Police
182. Woods, Wm. L., 25/N	Citizen	"	Unkn	Unkn	Shot	Unkn
183. Lewis, Herbert, 15/N	Looter	"	11:45A	Edsel Ford & 14th	Cut	Self
184. Olshove, Jerome (7172)	Police	"	12:15P	121 Holbrook	Shot	Prisoner
185. James, Junior, 19/N	Looter	"	12:30P	John Lodge & Clairmt	Cut	Self
186. Jackson, Bobby, 13/N	Citizen	"	1:55P	589 Collingwood	Shot	Sniper
187. Barry, Steve C., 39/N	"	"	Unkn	Unkn	"	Unkn
188. Kendricks, Jerome, 28/N	Prisoner	"	2:20P	12th & Gladstone	Bruised	Police
189. Mitchell, Crear,	Police	"	2:45P	S/B Lodge Dr-Pingree	Bruised	Riot Duty
190. Johnson, Arthur, 36/N (7173)	Looter	"	3:25P	1401 Holbrook	Shot	Police
191. Williams, Perry, 33/N (7174)	" "	"	"	" " " "	"	" "
192. Anderson, Jackie, 33/N	Prisoner	"	4:45P	Alexandrine & Cass	Cut	" "
193. Averitt, Hayes, 16/N	Citizen	"	"	Mack & Beals	"	Unkn
194. Edmonds, Nathaniel, 23/N (7170)	Citizen	"	5:25P	6478 Baldwin	Shot	Store Owner

195. Cromer, George, 14/N	Citizen	7/25	7:30P	Warren & 24th	Shot	Unkn
196. Patterson, Sherman, 23/N	Prisoner	"	7:45P	4638 Woodward	"	Police
197. Girchway, Gloria, 38/N	Citizen	"	8:30P	2095 Pingree	"	Sniper
198. Hardman, James, 22/N	"	"	9:00P	Gd River nr Gd Blvd	"	Unkn
199. McKinney, Wayne, 19/?	Prisoner	"	"	Unkn	Bruised	Police
200. Williams, Ronald, 30/N	Looter	"	"	11th & Michigan	Cut	Unkn
201. Leatherman, Edward	Police	"	9:15P	2753 Hazelwood	"	Prisoner
202. McGinty, George	"	"	"	" " " "	"	" "
203. Pawlowski, Thomas	"	"	"	" " " "	"	" "
204. Robinson, Thomas	"	"	"	" " " "	Injured	" "
205. Poike, Roger	"	"	9:45P	" " " "	Shot	Sniper
206. Sydnor, Jack, 38/N(7175)	Sniper	"	"	" " " "	"	Police
207. Lange, Jerome	St. Police	"	10:00P	Hazelwood & Lawton	"	Sniper
208. Lewis, Robert, 18/N	Citizen	"	" "	Joy & Lawton	"	Unkn
209. Fleming, Lawrence, 45/N	Prisoner	"	10:30P	Gd River & Warren	"	Police
210. Hayden, William	Police	"	11:00P	Warren & Burnette	Cut	Looter
211. McGore, Michael, 15/N	Citizen	"	11:10P	Conant & Stockton	Shot	Unkn
212. McDaniels, Willie, 23/N(7176)	"	"	11:15P	Forest & Blvd-Mack	"	Sniper
213. Lowe, Bess, 42/W	Citizen	"	11:30P	11430 Mack	"	Unkn
214. Porter, Oscar, 22/N	"	"	11:45P	1923 W. Euclid	"	Grdsman
215. Dooley, Roderick, 22/N	"	"	Unkn	Unkn	"	Unkn
216. Hood, Bill, 19/N	"	7/26	1:00A	1756 W. Euclid	Cut	Sniper
217. Hood, Valerie, 21/N	"	"	"	" " " " "	Shot	" "
218. Blanding, Tanya, 4/N(7178)	"	"	1:20A	" " " " "	"	Grdsman
219. Hurley, Dale	Police	"	1:30A	Webb & Livernois	Cut	Sniper
220. Newell, Willie, 46/N	Looter	"	"	Blvd & Lafayette	Bruise	Self
221. Rush, Steve, 20/W	" "	"	"	" " " " "	Burn	"
222. Cooper, Carl, 17/N(7181)	Citizen	"	2:00A	8301 Woodward	Shot	Unkn

223.	Pollard, Aubrey, 19/N(7180)-Citizen	7/26	2:00A	8301 Woodward	Shot	Unkn
224.	Temple, Fred, 18/N(7182) Citizen	"	2:00A	8301 Woodward	Shot	Unkn
225.	Hall, Helen, 51/W (7177)	"	2:01A	6500 John C Lodge	"	Sniper
226.	Graustein, Wallace	Police	"	2:20A	10th Prec. Cellblock	Asltd
227.	Dalton, Wm., 19/N(7179)	Citizen	"	"	Gd River & Edmonton	Shot
228.	Post, Larry (7201)	Grdsman	"	"	Dexter & Richton	"
229.	Maryland, Harmon, 30/N	Citizen	"	3:30A	Euclid & 14th	"
230.	Vercomman, Paul	Grdsman	"	4:30A	Central High School	"
231.	Wright, Raymond, 32/W	Citizen	"	"	Livernois & Elmhurst	Cut
232.	Taylor, Ward	Police	"	6:30A	10th Prec. Cellblk	Asltd
233.	Baker, Isaac, 26/N	Prisoner	"	6:45A	13th Prec. Cellblk	" "
234.	Jones, Lee, 29/N	Sniper	"	6:50A	Elmhurst & Stoepel	Cut
235.	Ritter, Alvin, 29/N	" "	"	"	" " " " " "	"
236.	Phillips, Michael, 24/N	Citizen	"	9:00A	12th & Euclid	Shot
237.	Alston, Virgil, ?/N	Sniper	"	10:00A	1644-46 Glynn	Cut
238.	Grand, Paul Lee, 26/N	" "	"	"	" " " "	"
239.	Henry, Jr., Edd, 29/N	" "	"	"	" " " "	"
240.	Granger, Willie, ?/N	Prisoner	"	11:00A	5th Prec. Station	Bruise
241.	Newson, Frank, 18/N	" "	"	"	" " " " "	"
242.	Orear, Ira, 27/N	" "	"	11:10A	9th floor of H.Q.	"
243.	Ammon, Carl	Police	"	11:25A	14th Prec. Pkg Lot	Sprain
244.	Hunter, Willie, 26/N(7183)-Citizen	"	1:40P	8202 12th	Asphyxiation	Brnd Bldg
245.	Williams, Prince, 31/N(7184)	"	"	" " "	" " "	" " "
246.	Allen, Francis	Police	"	2:00P	12th & Pingree	Asltd
247.	Stroker, Edward	" "	"	"	McKinley & Warren	Shot
248.	Cry, David, 49/N	Citizen	"	3:00P	Taylor & Mt Elliott	"
249.	Boesky, Pete, 69/W	" "	"	3:55P	12000 Livernois	"
250.	Luttman, Robert, 22/W	Grdsman	"	4:05P	" " " " "	"

251. Young, Gary	Grdsmn	7/26	4:05P	12000 Livernois	Shot	Sniper
252. Smith, Harold	Police	"	4:15P	Frt of 10th Prec.	Cut	" "
253. Smith, Lance, 28/N	Citizen	"	5:00P	LaSalle & Dunedin	Shot	Unkn
254. Talbut, George, 32/N	" "	"	"	" " " " "	"	"
255. Tolbert, Geo., 20/N(7192)	Sniper	"	5:30P	" " " " "	"	Grdsmn
256. McGlaun, Edgar	Police	"	6:30P	Junction & Buchanan	Bruise	Riot Duty
257. Purchiaroni, Eugene	" "	"	"	Gd River & Joy	Human Bite	Unkn
258. Widner, Edward	" "	"	"	Junction & Buchanan	Cut	Riot Duty
259. Sadler, George, 34/W	Prisoner	"	7:00P	2363 W. Davison	Cut	Grdsmn
260. McErlann, John, 20/W	Sniper	"	7:30P	Unkn	"	Unkn
261. Mezger, Gary, 21/W	" "	"	"	"	"	"
262. Schester, Ronald, 23/W	" "	"	"	"	"	"
263. Bery, John, 17/N	Prisoner	"	7:50P	Livernois & Elmhurst	Shot	Unkn
264. Jackson, Willie, 25/N	Sniper	"	9:00P	Dexter & Cortland	"	Grdsmn
265. Pauling, Eddie, 39/N	" "	"	"	" " " " "	"	" "
266. Hypio, Robert	Police	"	9:25P	Virginia Pk & LaSalle	Inj.Back	Sniper
267. McGinty, George	" "	"	"	" " " " " "	Abrasions	" "
268. Pawlowski, Thomas	" "	"	"	" " " " " "	Inj.Back	" "
269. Sroka, Ronald	" "	"	"	" " " " " "	" " "	" "
270. Lust, Julius, Jr. 26/W(7185) B&E	"	"	10:00P	17130 Joseph Campau	Shot	Police
271. Miller, Henry, 42/N	Sniper	"	10:15P	2353 W. Davison	Cut	Unkn
272. Pleasant, Arthur, 17/N	Prisoner	"	10:20P	McKinley & Warren	Shot	Police
273. Stroker, Edward	Police	"	"	" " " " " "	Cut	Prisoner
274. Robinson, Albert, 38/N(7194)	Sniper	"	10:45P	13318 LaSalle	Shot	Grdsmn
275. Roberts, Roosevelt, 14/N	Citizen	"	10:45P	9014 Monica	"	Unkn
276. Weber, Michael, 15/W	" "	"	11:15P	McKinley & Sunset	"	Police
277. Moore, Alton, 23/N	" "	"	11:30P	Unkn	"	Unkn
278. Ciesiolka, Richard, 44/W	" "	"	11:45P	10640 Gratiot	Shot	Self (Acc)

307. Brook, Willie, 58/N	CCW	7/28	Unkn	Mack & Chrysler	Cut	Police
308. Charlie, David, 29/N	"	"	"	" " " " "	"	" "
309. Fry, Herbert, 22/N	"	"	"	" " " " "	"	" "
310. Siebert, Lawrence, 39/N	Prisoner	7/29	9:30A	Recorders Court Bldg	"	Self
311. Richardson, Frank, 27/N	Citizen	"	6:45P	Unkn	Shot	Unkn
312. Dotson, William, 23/N	" "	"	7:15P	4944 - 33rd	"	"
313. Coleman, Diane, 13/N	Prisoner	"	7:40P	3484 St. Jean	"	Army
314. Lawson, Ulysses, 18/N	" " "	"	"	" " " "	"	"
315. Moore, Sharlene, 17/N	" " "	"	"	" " " "	"	"
316. Roquemoire, Ernest, 19/N (7190)	Looter	"	"	" " " "	"	"
317. Gajiski, Richard	Police	"	8:20P	Mack & Meldrum	Human Bite	Prisoner
318. Hunt, John D., 23/N	Prisoner	"	"	" " " "	Cut	Police
319. Rybicki, Richard, 19/W	" "	"	"	11th Prec Cellblk	"	Self
320. Landry, Ronald	Police	"	9:30P	Chrysler & Mack	Asltd	Unkn
321. Adams, Charles, 48/N	Citizen	"	10:30P	2612 Carter	Shot	Sniper
322. Stevens, Ralph	Police	7/31	4:45A	Clairmount & 12th	Inj. Ankle	Veh. Accident

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Alston, Virgil, /N	Sniper	7/26	10:00 A	7/26-#19	237	
Ammon, Carl, Patr.	Police	7/26	11:25 A	7/30-#15	243	
Anderson, Jackie M., 33/N	Prisoner	7/25	4:45 P	7/25-#36	192	
Ashby, John, 26	Firefighter	7/24	7:00 A	7/24-#16	65	#7191
Averitt, Hayes, 16/N	Citizen	7/25	4:45 P	7/25-#37	193	
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Banks, Nathaniel, 24/N	Looter	7/25	8:45 A	7/25-#27	179	
Banks, Roy, 50/N	B & E	7/25	4:45 A	7/25-#26	176	#7207
Banner, Cecil, 15/N	Looter	7/24	1:00 A	7/24-#5	50	
Barron, Nettie, 41/N/F	Citizen	7/24	10:30 P	7/28-#14	122	
Barry, Steve C., 39/N	Citizen	7/25	Unkn	7/25-#35	187	
Beal, Robert, 49/N	Looter	7/24	1:25 P	7/24-#7	79	#7156
Begin, Paul, Patr., 25	Police	7/24	10:40 P	7/24-#54	125	
Bell, Anthony, 18/N	Looter	7/24	Unkn	7/24-#56	137	
Bennett, Charles, Patr.	Police	7/24	10:00 P	7/24-#52	119	
Benson, Yanuist, 44/N	Looter	7/23	3:57 P	7/23-#6	15	
Bery, John, 17/N	Prisoner	7/26	7:50 P	7/26-#34	263	
Bettis, James E., 24/N	Looter	7/24	Unkn	7/25-#58	101	
Blanding, Tanya, 4/N/F	Citizen	7/26	1:20 A	7/26-#29	218	#7178
Boesky, Pete, 69/W	Citizen	7/26	3:55 P	7/26-#24	249	

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Bottany, Oscar, 45/N	Sniper	7/27	10:30 P	7/27-#20	299	
Eoyd, William, 28/N	Sniper	7/25	3:45 A	7/25-#21	170	
Brace, Joseph, Patr., 43	Police	7/23	4:30 P	7/23-#14	18	
Bradley, Charles, Patr.	Police	7/28	1:00 P	7/28-#2	303	
Brake, John, 50/W	Citizen	7/27	12:40 A	7/27-#4	301	
Branham, Clarence	Citizen	7/23	6:34 P	7/23-#8	24	
Brazil, Henry, 18/N	B & E	7/24	10:30 P	7/24-#60	123	
Brook, Willie, 58/N	CCW	7/28	Unkn	7/28-#7	307	
Brown, Walter, 47/N	Citizen	7/24	1:00 AM	7/24-#3	51	
Buckmann, Chester, 51/N	Looter	7/23	7:15 PM	7/23-#18	26	
Bundy, Alfonso, Jr., 28/N	Citizen	7/27	3:30 A	7/27-#5	284	
Butler, Richard, 14/W	Looter	7/24	7:00 P	7/24-#41	104	
Calahan, Ronald, PFC.	Guardsmen	7/24	10:40 P	7/24-#62	126	
Canty, Herman, 46/N	Arsonist	7/24	2:45 P	7/24-#8	85	#7157
Carlson, Charles E., Patr.	Police	7/23	11:45 A	7/30-#2	3	
Carr, Johnny, 24/N	B & E	7/24	3:00 A	7/24-#13	60	
Chalut, Charles, Patr.	Police	7/24	8:30 P	7/28-#17	113	
Champion, Herbert, 38/N	Looter	7/25	10:00 A	7/25-#29	181	
Chandler, Joseph, 34/N	Citizen	7/24	1:45 P	7/24-#6	81	#7155
Charlie, David, 29/N	CCW	7/28	Unkn	7/28-#6	308	
Ciesiolka, Richard, 44/W	Citizen	7/26	11:45 P	7/26-#47	278	
Clifford, Raymond, Patr., 22	Police	7/23	1:00 P	7/23-#12	10	
Coleman, Diane, 13/N	Prisoner	7/29	7:40 P	7/29-#5	313	
Coleman, Ronald, 23/N	Looter	7/24	1:45 A	7/24-#8	56	
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Cooper, Carl, 17/N	Citizen	7/26	2:00 A	7/26-#32	222	#7181
Cosby, Emanuel, 26/N	Looter	7/25	1:04 A	7/25-#15	152	#7165
Coulburn, Jimmy, 59/N	Citizen	7/24	Unkn	7/24-#59	138	
Criswell, James, 26/N	Looter	7/24	2:15 P	7/24-#28	83	
Cromer, George, 14/N	Citizen	7/25	7:30 P	7/25-#39	195	
Cromie, Fred, Patr., 24	Police	7/27	4:30 P	7/27-#15	296	
Cross, Otis C., 23/N	Citizen	7/27	11:55 P	7/28-#23	300	
Cry, David, 49/N	Citizen	7/26	3:00 P	7/26-#23	248	
Culbrech, Lewis, 23/N	Looter	7/24	3:15 P	7/24-#30	86	
Dalton, William N., 19/N	Citizen	7/26	2:20 A	7/26-#30	227	#7179
Davis, Larther, 24/N	Looter	7/23	11:10 P	7/23-#33	42	
Dawson, Charles, /N	Prisoner	7/25	12:45 A	7/25-#4	148	
Day, Russell, Patr.	Police	7/24	11:00 P	7/30-#10	127	
Dean, Edward, Major	Army Officer	7/28	10:15 A	7/28-#1	302	
Demonbruen, Ernest L., 28/N	Prisoner	7/25	12:50 A	7/25-#5	149	
Denson, Henry, 27/N	Citizen	7/25	2:10 A	7/25-#17	162	#7167
Ekerson, John, Sgt., 42	Police	7/23	3:00 P	7/23-#13	14	
Diebold, William, Patr.	Police	7/25	3:00 A	7/25-#20	167	
Dimitrie, Paul, 17/W	Citizen	7/24	12:01 A	7/24-#2	45	
Doe, John, #377	Citizen	7/24	11:30 A	7/24-#20	72	
Doe, Mary, #101	Looter	7/24	1:15 P	7/25-#56	75	
Doe, Mary, #102	Citizen	7/24	Unkn	7/24-#58	139	
Donahue, Joseph, 65/W	Citizen	7/25	1:40 A	7/25-#11	158	
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Dotson, William, 23/N	Citizen	7/29	7:15 P	7/29-#3	312	
Dougherty, Robert, Patr.,	Police	7/23	12:45 P	7/23-#5	5	
Dugan, Jack, Patr., 38	Police	7/23	10:30 P	7/23-#31	40	
Ector, Herman T., 30/N	Looter	7/24	10:05 A	7/24-#4	68	#7153
Edmonds, Nathaniel, 23/N	Citizen	7/25	5:25 P	7/25-#21	194	#7170
Eizak, Leon, Patr., 40	Police	7/24	11:25 A	7/24-#19	70	
Etchison, Walter, 37/N	Looter	7/27	7:10 A	7/27-#8	286	
Evans, Ronald, 24/N	Looter	7/25	3:50 A	7/25-#18	171	#7168
Fleming, Lawrence, 45/N	Prisoner	7/25	10:30 P	7/25-#48	209	
Forbes, Ernest T., 40/N	Citizen	7/24	7:00 P	7/24-#42	105	
Ford, Henry, 30/N	Looter	7/24	7:15 P	7/24-#43	106	
Fry, Herbert, 22/N	CCW	7/28	Unkn	7/28-#8	309	
Fuller, Nathaniel, 21/N	Looter	7/24	10:50 A	7/24-#18	69	
Galen, Harry, Patr.,	Police	7/24	11:45 P	7/24-#66	134	
Gajiski, Richard, Patr., 31	Police	7/29	8:20 P	7/29-#8	317	
Gardner, Ganzel, 30/N	Citizen	7/24	11:25 P	7/24-#64	131	
Gardner, Gonzalez, 32/N	Citizen	7/25	12:14 A	7/28-#19	144	
George, Ross, 23/W	Citizen	7/24	12:01 A	7/24-#1	46	
George, Sharon, 23/W	Citizen	7/24	1:35 A	7/24-#2	54	#7151
Gerlach, William, Sgt.	Police	7/24	12:30 A	7/28-#11	48	
Germaine, Lawrence, Patr.	Police	7/24	11:30 P	7/28-#18	133	
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Godboldo, Joe L., 19/N	Looter	7/23	7:44 P	7/23-#10	30	
Good, Raymond, Lieut, 47	Police	7/23	4:30 A	7/23-#1	1	
Grady, Gerald, Patr., 23	Police	7/27	4:00 A	7/27-#6	285	
Gram, Roy L., 32/N	Looter	7/24	9:35 P	7/24-#50	117	
Grand, Paul Lee, 26/N	Sniper	7/26	10:00 A	7/26-#17	238	
Granger, Willie, /N	Prisoner	7/26	11:00 A	7/26-#20	240	
Graustein, Wallace, Det.	Police	7/26	2:20 A	7/26-#7	226	
Grazanka, Walter, 45/W	Looter	7/24	12:25 A	7/24-#1	47	#7150
Green, Wellington, 25/N	B & E	7/24	6:15 P	7/24-#38	100	
Hall, Helen, 51/W	Citizen	7/26	2:01 A	7/26-#28	225	#7177
Hall, Wilfred, 57/W	Citizen	7/24	4:35 P	7/24-#35	94	
Hamilton, John, Patr., 25	Police	7/25	2:45 A	7/25-#16	165	
Hardman, James, 22/N	Citizen	7/25	9:00 P	7/25-#44	198	
Harriss, Robert, 28/N	Looter	7/24	11:30 A	7/24-#21	73	
Hayden, William, Patr.,	Police	7/25	11:00 P	8/6-#4	210	
Henry, Jr., Edd, 29/N	Sniper	7/26	10:00 A	7/26-#18	238	
Herron, Willie, 29/N	Looter	7/24	1:35 A	7/24-#7	55	
Hintzke, Frank, Patr., 37	Police	7/23	8:30 P	7/23-#25	33	
Hood, Bill, 19/N	Citizen	7/26	1:00 A	7/26-#2	216	
Hood, Valerie, 21/N	Citizen	7/26	1:00 A	7/26-#1	217	
Howard, James, 19/N	Looter	7/24	2:15 P	7/24-#27	84	
Howard, Johnson, 42/N	Citizen	7/24	8:15 A	7/24-#17	66	
Hunt, John D., 23/N	Prisoner	7/29	8:20 P	7/29-#9	318	
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Jackson, Bobby, 13/N	Citizen	7/25	1:55 P	7/25-#33	186	
Jackson, Willie, 25/N	Sniper	7/26	9:00 P	7/26-#35	264	
James, Junior, 19/N	Looter	7/25	12:30 P	7/25-#32	185	
Jenkins, Roger, 37/N	Looter	7/24	3:15 P	7/24-#31	87	
Jennings, Daniel, 36/N	B & E	7/24	1:15 P	7/24-#5	76	#7154
Jodbon, Joel, 19/N	Citizen	7/23	7:30 P	7/23-#20	28	
Johnson, Arthur, 36/N	Looter	7/25	3:25 P	7/25-#24	190	#7173
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Johnson, Leroy, 30/N	Citizen	7/25	3:00 A	7/25-#19	168	
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Jordon, Althea, /N/F	B & E	7/24	Unkn	7/24-#57	140	
Katina, Richard, Patr.,	Police	7/23	4:05 P	7/28-#9	17	
Keith, Henry, 20/N	Citizen	7/24	4:30 P	7/24-#34	92	
Kemp, Charles, 35/N	Looter	7/24	5:20 P	7/24-#12	97	#7162
Kendricks, Jerome, 28/N	Prisoner	7/25	2:20 P	7/25-#34	183	
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Lask, Frank, Patr., 28,	Police	7/23	12:45 P	7/23-#3	6	
Lawson, Ulysses, 18/N	Prisoner	7/29	7:40 P	7/29-#4	314	
Leatherman, Edward, Patr.,	Police	7/25	9:15 P	7/30-#11	201	
Leroy, John, 30/N	Fel. Aslt.	7/28	1:30 A	7/28-#38	301	#7187
Lesser, Robert, Patr., 25,	Police	7/23	12:45 P	7/23-#2	7	
Lewis, Herbert W., 15/N	Looter	7/25	11:45 A	7/25-#31	183	
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Lowe, Bess, 42/W	Citizen	7/25	11:30 P	7/25-#51	213	
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Luttman, Robert, 22/W	Guardman	7/26	4:05 P	7/26-#26	250	
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MacIntire, Lawrence, 24/N	Looter	7/23	1:30 P	7/25-#55	12	
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Mitchell, Crear, Patr.,	Police	7/25	2:45 P	7/28-#21	189	
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Moore, Calab, 32/N	Posses. Explosive	7/24	9:40 P	7/24-#51	118	
Moore, Sharlene, 17/N	Prisoner	7/29	7:40 P	7/29-#6	315	
Murphy, Jr., George, 36/N	B & E	7/24	6:00 P	7/24-#37	99	
Nelson, Robert, Patr.,	Police	7/24	9:30 A	8/6-#7	67	
Newell, Willie, 46/N	Looter	7/26	1:30 A	7/26-#4	220	
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Payton, Earl; 25/N	Looter	7/24	Unkn	7/24-#55	141	
Peachlum, Alfred, 35/N	Looter	7/24	4:00 P	7/24-#10	90	#7160
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Phillips, Michael, 24/N	Citizen	7/26	9:00 A	7/26-#16	236	
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Porter, Oscar, 22/N	Citizen	7/25	11:45 P	7/25-#52	214	
Post, Larry, Sgt., 26/W	Guardsmen	7/26	2:20 A	7/26-#8	228	#7201
Powell, Ronald, /N	Prisoner	7/25	1:26 A	7/25-#9	155	
Price, William, 45/N	Citizen	7/24	1:30 P	7/24-#25	80	
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Roberts, Roosevelt, 14/N	Citizen	7/26	10:45 P	7/26-#43	275	
Robinson, Albert, 38/N	Sniper	7/26	10:45 P	7/26-#37	274	#7194
Robinson, Thomas, Patr.,	Police	7/25	9:15 P	7/30-#14	204	
Rohdeman, Clarence, 26/N	Looter	7/24	8:00 P	7/24-#44	108	
Roquemore, Ernest, 19/N	Looter	7/29	7:40 P	7/29-#40	316	#7190
Rose, Mavri, Pvt., 26/W	Guardisman	7/24	12:47 A	7/24-#9	49	
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Rush, Steve, 20/W	Looter	7/26	1:30 A	7/26-#3	221	
Rybicki, Richard, 19/W	Prisoner	7/29	8:20 P	7/29-#7	319	
Rycerz, Eugene, Patr.,	Police	7/25	3:00 A	7/28-#20	169	
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Sawle, Edward, Patr.,	Police	7/24	9:30 P	7/30-#9	116	
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Tanner, Frank, 19/N	Citizen	7/25	8:05 A	7/25-#20	177	#7169
Tansil, Kevin, 8/N	Citizen	7/27	3:55 P	7/27-#14	294	
Taylor, Albert, 21/N	Looter	7/24	6:50 P	7/24-#39	103	
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Temple, Fred, 18/N	Citizen	7/26	2:00 A	7/26-#33	224	#7182
Timson, Jerry M., 15/N	Citizen	7/24	Unkn.	7/24-#69	142	
Tolbert, George, 20/N	Fel.Aslt.	7/26	5:30 P	8/4-#42	255	#7192
Ulman, Theodore, Patr.,	Police	7/23	5:15 P	7/30-#6	22	
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Vercomman, Paul, Pvt.,	Guardsmen	7/26	4:30 A	7/26-#10	230	
Walker, Douglas, 35/N	Prisoner	7/24	8:15 P	7/24-#48	111	
Walker, Henry, 18/N	Sniper	7/27	12:15 P	7/27-#12	292	
Ward, James, 30	Firefighter	7/24	9:10 P	7/24-#49	114	
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Williams, Fred, 13/N	Citizen	7/28	5:00 P	7/28-#5	306	#7171
Williams, Lawrence C., 21/N	Sniper	7/27	12:30 A	7/27-#1	281	
Williams, Michael, 16/N	Looter	7/24	3:15 P	7/24-#68	88	
Williams, Perry, 33/N	Looter	7/25	3:25 P	7/25-#25	191	#7174
Williams, Prince, 31/N	Citizen	7/26	1:40 P	7/26-#35	245	#7184
Williams, Ronald, 30/N	Looter	7/25	9:00 P	7/25-#42	200	
Williamson, C., 32/N	Citizen	7/24	4:50 P	7/24-#36	95	
Winfrey, Palmer, 40/N	Looter	7/25	2:00 A	7/25-#14	161	
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Woods, William L., 25/N	Citizen	7/25	10:00 A	7/25-#30	182	
Wright, Freeman, 35/W	Looter	7/24	8:15 P	7/24-#46	112	
Wright, Raymond, 32/W	Citizen	7/26	4:30 A	7/26-#11	231	
Wynn, Zttie, 23/N	B & E	7/24	10:30 PM	7/24-#61	124	
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The 43

Who Died

* An Investigation into How and Why Detroit's Riot Victims Were Slain

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IN THE SPACE of eight silent days and bullet-broken nights, 43 persons died or were fatally wounded on the streets of Detroit. They are explained as victims of riot, the casualties of modern civil war.

Even now, it is difficult to arrive at more satisfactory explanations. It is tempting indeed to conclude that only the riot itself can be blamed for creating the situations in which it was pathetically easy to die.

Thirty-six hours after the riot began, something more than 3,000 armed men were assigned or had access to a single 20- by 20-block area on the near West Side, a concentration of firepower paralleled only by a major military invasion force.

HUNDREDS OF regular Army paratroopers were stationed on the East Side. In the Inner City, city and state police and National Guardsmen patrolled in scout cars, paddy wagons, expressway cruisers, jeeps, trucks, personnel carriers and tanks. The armament ranged from service revolvers and M-1 rifles to privately owned sporting arms, short-barreled repeating shotguns, carbines and machine guns of up to .50 caliber.

Numbers alone made it inevitable that confrontations would occur, that incidents would result, that mistakes would be made and that ultimately, someone would die. There were too many guns and too many people for it to be otherwise.

Now the central questions are simple, though the answers are not:

• How many of the 43 deaths were necessary?

• How many could have been prevented?

The answers are individual, based on more than five weeks of independent investigation by a team of Free Press reporters assigned to examine every riot-connected death.

THE CONCLUSION reached in that investigation is inescapable:

A majority of the riot victims need not have died. Their deaths could have been—and should have been—prevented.

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bloodshed is significant. There are individual incidents of poor judgment, it is true, and several regrettable instances where officers may have fired too soon, though they acted legally.

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ONE MAJOR critical observation must be made. Both city and Army authorities acted to try to keep the death toll at a minimum, though they did so in different ways. In both cases, their efforts were not successful and permitted unnecessary death.

At 11:20 Monday night, within hours after the National Guard had come under Federal control, Lt. General John Throckmorton, the commanding officer, issued a general order commanding all troops under his control to unload their weapons and to fire only on the command of an officer.

Throckmorton's regular Army troops obeyed that order; only one person was killed in paratrooper territory in the five days that followed.

The National Guard did not obey, in many cases because the order was improperly disseminated and was never made clear to the men on the street. As a result, the Guard was involved in a total of eleven deaths in which nine innocent people died.

Military discipline and attention to Throckmorton's order could have avoided those deaths.

The Shooting of Looters

Within the Detroit Police Department, authorities now say that there were no standing orders on whether looters would be shot. That may be true, but both civilians and police officers had the firm and distinct impression on Sunday, the riot's first day, that looters would not be shot.

There was reason for that impression. Police officers made no secret of the fact that they were pleased with their handling of the Kercheval incident in the summer of 1963. The tactics used in that situation included no shooting and became a model for future...

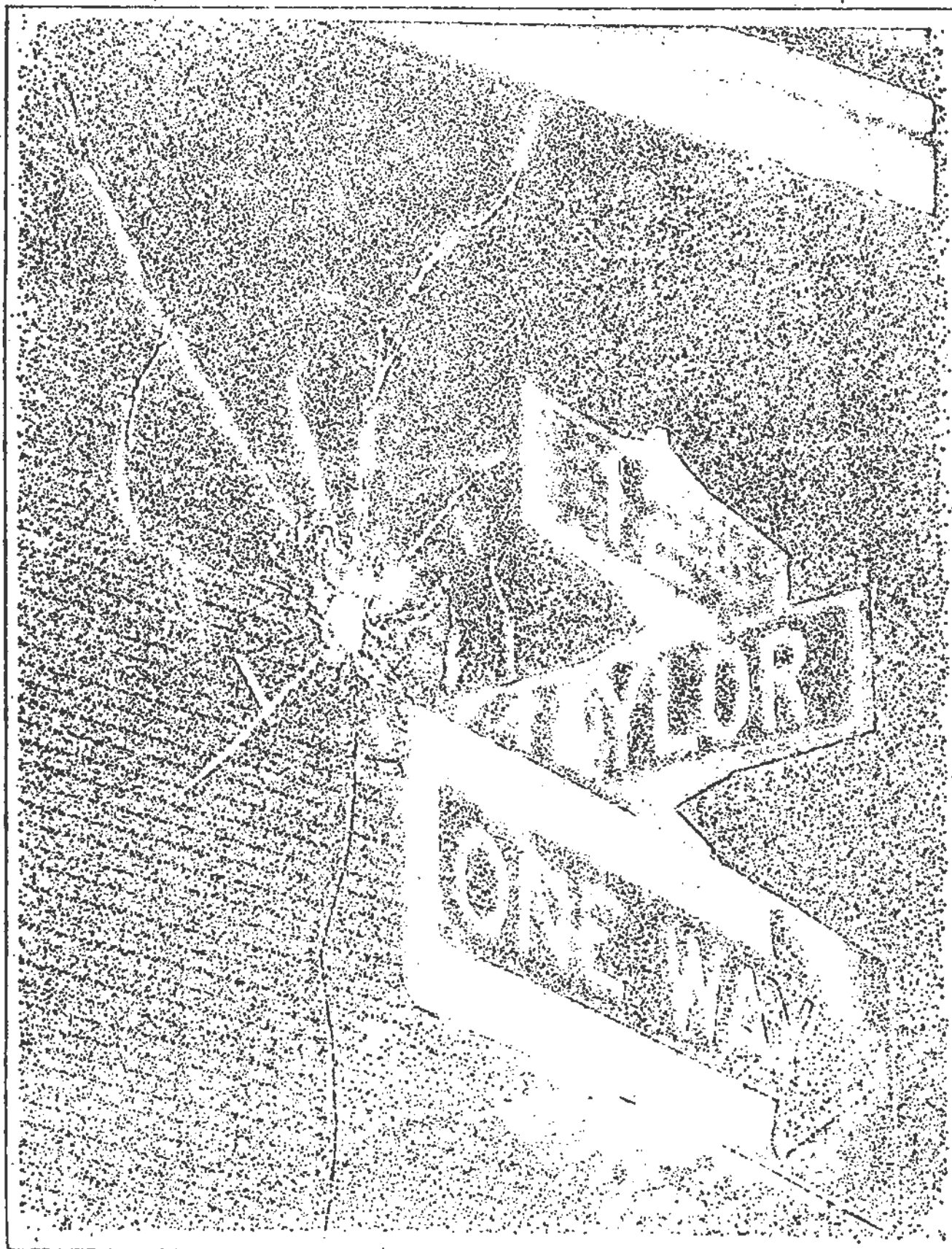
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daily there was a loud thud, as loud as
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store by.

THE CONCLUSION reached in that investigation is inescapable:

A majority of the riot victims need not have died. Their deaths could have been—and should have been—prevented.

Fate's selection of those who would die followed no pattern and the riot victims do not fit easily into categories and classifications. Among them are the most innocent, a four-year-old girl killed by a wanton bullet, and the most guilty, a drunken sniper who died trying to take another's life. Equally various were the ways in which they died.

Eighteen of the 43 riot victims were shot and killed by Detroit police, and of that number, 14 have been confirmed as looters in the Free Press investigation. The other four are a sniper, a possible but unconfirmed arsonist and two of the three men shot and killed in the Algiers Motel.

At least six victims were killed by the National Guard, five of them innocent, the victims of what now seem to be tragic accidents.

In five more cases, both police and National Guardsmen were involved and it is impossible to say definitely whose bullets were fatal. Four of these five victims were innocent of any wrongdoing.

Two more persons, both looters, were shot and killed by store-owners. Three more were killed by private citizens; murder warrants have been issued in two of those cases and a warrant decision is pending in the third. And two looters died when fire swept the store from which they were stealing.

Two victims, one a fireman, the other a civilian, were killed by electric power lines.

Five deaths remain. They are a 19-year-old boy killed accidentally by an Army paratrooper; a 23-year-old white woman shot by an unknown gunman; a Detroit fireman killed by either a hidden sniper or a stray National Guard bullet; a policeman shot as a fellow officer struggled with a prisoner; and the third victim of the Algiers Motel slayings, whose assailant is not known.

The Return to Normalcy

Hindsight is easy. The fires have gone out and the streets are quiet and in the midst of normalcy, the temptation to insist that logic and order and common sense should have prevailed throughout the riot is overwhelming, but impossible to tolerate.

No one who drove those gutted streets at midnight, when the fires still burned and the shadows hung and moved in vacant doorways, when frightened voices cried "Halt" into the silence and footsteps crunched on broken glass, will contend that men should have behaved rationally in those awful hours.

With that qualification accepted and understood, here are the general conclusions of the five-week investigation into the riot deaths:

O Both the number of snipers active in the riot area and the danger that snipers presented were vastly overstated. Only one sniper is among the riot victims and only three of the victims may possibly have been killed by snipers, two of them doubtful. In all, some 31 persons were arrested and charged with sniping; none of those cases has gone to trial.

O In the 43 deaths, criminal intent may possibly be an element in only seven—the three Algiers Motel deaths, three killings by civilians and one case, that of William Dalton, still unresolved. Free Press investigators found no evidence of deliberate or preconceived killing in the cases remaining.

O In retrospect, the performance of Michigan State and city policemen seems generally restrained and impressive. The fact that 4,400 city policemen worked for at least five days in the midst of chaos without more

of 1966. The tactics used in that situation included no shooting and became a model for future riot control plans.

LOOTING WAS rampant Sunday and there was no shooting. The impression in the Negro community was that looters were safe.

As Commissioner Ray Girardin recalls it now, no specific order on whether looters could be shot was ever given. Officers were to use their discretion, nothing more.

The order that apparently changed the tide came from Superintendent Eugene Reuter, in response to a question on how to handle sniper incidents. Reuter gave permission for officers to return fire. The word quickly spread through the department and in the next several days, shooting increased.

The legal basis for shooting a looter is found in state law which permits officers to fire at fleeing felons after an order to halt is disregarded. Technically, most of those who were killed clearly fall in that category, though one is still left with a feeling that the thief who takes \$5 worth of goods from a grocery store shelf and runs ought not to be required to pay with his life.

Nonetheless, the question of whether looters will be shot is a matter of public policy. No decision was ever made and announced publicly; as a result, the value of the law as a deterrent was minimal. Many looters certainly thought they were safe; many more would have stayed home had they known that death might be the result.

The Investigation Goes On

The official investigating agency for the riot deaths is the Detroit Homicide Bureau, which reports in turn to Wayne County Prosecutor William Cahalan, who rules on each case.

With minor exceptions, the Homicide Bureau is turning in complete and competent reports on every death. In a few cases, the investigations have been nothing short of inspired. In a few others, a reluctance to go all-out on cases involving fellow officers is understandable if not excusable.

IT IS NOT Cahalan's job to decide whether officers showed good judgment or bad, or to decide whether the deaths were necessary. Unless he finds evidence of criminal intent, Cahalan cannot act.

In most of the cases Cahalan has received so far, he has found no such evidence and where police officers are involved, has used the same citation of law over and over again. That citation reads:

"Were a man charged with crime to be held to a knowledge of all facts precisely as they are, there could be few cases in which the most innocent intention or honest zeal could justify or excuse homicide."

What that law says is simply that we cannot expect police officers to know exactly what the situation is in fact before they act. They must act as the situation appears to them at the moment and make the best judgments they can.

Forty-three are dead. In the riot's aftermath, rumor, suspicion and hatred have played equal roles in distorting the true versions of those deaths.

THE REPORT which follows is based on independent evidence and witnesses. It is as accurate as an honest regard for the facts can make it. Even now, it is impossible to arrive at complete explanations, firm conclusions or satisfactory judgments; the best that can be done is to report what is known and to suggest the probabilities that logic requires.

One conclusion must be repeated: A majority of the deaths reported here appear to be unnecessary. That price, however intolerable it may be, is part of what we have paid for eight days of insanity.

1. Walter Grzanka

The first known victim of Detroit's riot was Walter Grzanka, 45, shot seconds after midnight, July 24, by an angry store manager who saw Grzanka coming through the broken window of a looted grocery.

Twenty-five minutes later, as the second day of the riot began, Grzanka was pronounced dead at Detroit General Hospital. In his pockets were seven cigars, four packages of pipe tobacco and nine pairs of shoelaces; apparently the only loot he took from the shelves of the Temple Market, 2344 Fourth.

Store manager Hamid Audish Yacoub now admits he shot Grzanka from the window of the 1965 burgundy Mustang in which he cruised the area around his store.

Yacoub did not report the shooting to the police, an omission that is technically a misdemeanor. He says he left the scene because he was frightened by the crowd that began to gather around Grzanka's body.

Yacoub is known as "Herman" in the neighborhood, where he is buying for himself the store he has worked in for several years.

There is no doubt that Grzanka was a footer, though he didn't take much. He was also unarmed and apparently was given no chance to surrender.

Investigation on the Grzanka shooting is now complete. The prosecutor's office has not yet recommended action.

2. Sheren George

The death of Sheren George, a pretty 23-year-old Detroit mother of two, may never be solved.

Mrs. George became the second known victim of the riot when a slug ripped into her chest as she was riding in her car at 11:30 p.m. on July 23, the first night of the riot.

The shooting occurred at Woodward and Melbourne, a stone's throw from the Algiers Motel where three Negroes were to die three days later.

Denzons of the area, the hangers-on and loiterers, deny any knowledge of the George shooting.

"People have got their mouths closed tight," a Negro man said. "You could hang around here a hundred years and never find out."

Mrs. George, of 17374 Biopelle, was riding in the center of the front seat of a 1959 car driven by her husband, Ross. Her brother, Paul Dimitrie, was in the right front seat, and another brother, Dennis, was in the back seat. The story police were told the night of the shooting was not changed:

The four had driven to Woodward and Grand Boulevard to drop off two Negro friends. Returning home, they were driving north on Woodward when a crowd milling in the street blocked traffic at Woodward and Melbourne.

A white man in the crowd appeared to be under attack by Negroes. Sud-

denly there was a loud shot, so loud it sounded as if it came from extremely close by.

Paul shouted, "Oh, my God! Sheren's been shot."

Sheren slumped in her seat and Ross drove to the Highland Park Fire Station. She was then taken to the Highland Park General Hospital.

Sheren was pronounced dead at 1:35 a.m., July 24. An autopsy disclosed she had been killed by a bullet that entered her left side about two inches below the left breast.

The bullet entered through the left rear door about two inches below the window. The slug splintered, inflicting minor wounds on Ross and Paul.

Sheren, in the center of the front seat, took the brunt of the slug in the ribs under her left arm. The slug was also fragmented in her body, breaking into several pieces.

Dr. John Burton, Wayne County Medical Examiner, said such fragmentation is typical of a .32- or .38 caliber bullet, indicating Sheren may have been killed by a pistol shot.

There was only one bullet hole in the car. Only one shot was heard. Sheren's brother, Dennis, said there were no police or Guardsmen present, and there was no other shooting.

Homicide detectives theorize the shot may have come from the Algiers Motel, where sniper fire was heard a day later. The angle of entry, on a level or nearly level plane, indicates the shot could

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The Investigation Team

On the fourth day of what was to become the nation's costliest contemporary insurrection, the Free Press began an investigation into the death of each person killed or fatally injured in the riot.

For five weeks a team of Free Press reporters talked with witnesses, police officers, National Guardsmen. They talked with families of the dead, with County, State and Federal officials conducting their own investigation into the 43 deaths. More than 300 people were interviewed. Hundreds of documents — police reports, hospital records, autopsy reports, witness statements — were examined.

The riot brought to a halt every process on which our society depends. Most important, the orderly administration of justice was sidetracked by the overwhelming fact of a city caught up in civil war.

Of the 43 dead, little was known. Haste and confusion, fear and circumstance combined to make it virtually impossible for authorities — and for the public — to accurately assess responsibility for the deaths.

In the aftermath, it was es-



Barbara Stanton

sential that an accurate and dispassionate account of the riot deaths be prepared and made public. This report was initiated to satisfy that public need.

While many reporters and editors contributed to the investigation, the bulk of the work was done by three members of the Free Press staff who were assigned full time to the inquiry.

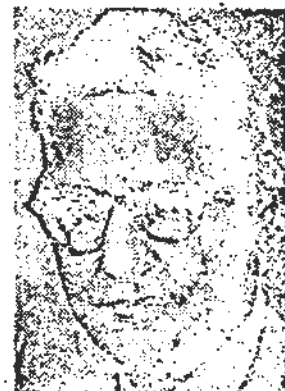
Barbara Stanton, formerly assigned to the Free Press City-County Bureau, has been a member of the staff since 1959. Born in Detroit, she is a



William Serrin

graduate of Northwestern University and holds a master's degree in journalism from Columbia University. Her investigation of the Algiers motel deaths first revealed the circumstances that culminated in the arrest of three Detroit policemen and a private guard involved in the incident.

William Serrin joined the Free Press staff in 1964 after working for newspapers in Saginaw and Toledo. A former Army officer and member of the U.S. Special Forces reserves, Serrin, 33, was among the first newsmen at



Gene Goltz

the scene when the riot began and was injured that day when he was caught and stoned by a gang of teen-age looters. Assigned to the riot area, he reported every phase of the riot's grim evolution.

Gene Goltz is 37, a veteran newspaperman who joined the Free Press early this year after 9 years experience on newspapers in Texas and New York. A winner of the Pulitzer Prize for local investigative reporting, Goltz, like Serrin, covered the riot area throughout the six days of its life.



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have come from street level or the motel.

Mrs. George had two children, 2 and 4, by a previous marriage. She was expecting a third child in December.

Ross George has taken the children back to Pennsylvania to stay with relatives.

Police are holding the case open, but for the Ross George family, it is closed.

3. Clifton Pryor

A gaunt Tennessee farmer drove to Detroit last August to carry out a grim Appalachian tradition: The clearing of his dead son's name.

The son was Clifton Pryor, 23, a white man who had brought his wife and two children to Detroit to make big money in construction. Instead of the paychecks, he found death — ignoble death as an alleged sniper.

"Everybody down home knew he was no sniper," says his father, Allard Pryor, 43, of Cookeville, Tenn. "But no matter. I owed it to him to clear this up."

The father performed his task well.

He found at least three witnesses who swore that his son was neither a sniper, nor carrying a shotgun, as police and National Guardsmen have said.

If he was carrying anything, it was a broomstick, witnesses say. And even that is not certain.

The witnesses also say there were no shouts to halt, not even a warning that Guardsmen would shoot, as police and Guard reports allege.

And the witnesses say that Pryor was standing on a well-lighted landing when he was shot.

The shooting occurred about 2:45 a.m. on July 21—the second day of the riot—at a three-story brick apartment building at 647 W. Alexandrine, an apartment, like the entire West Side block, filled with Southern boys and their families who came to Detroit to make Northern dollars.

This is what happened:

Shortly after midnight, Pryor and at least four other young men from the neighborhood took wet blankets and pails of water to the roof of the apartment to watch for sparks from fires on Third

due to electrocution. No bullet holes or other wounds were found on his body.

A Molotov cocktail hurled into a storefront on Oakland started the fire that caused Williams' death. It spread to other stores on Oakland and Westminster, was put out by firemen, smoldered in secret behind charred storefronts and leaped to life again in the late, dark Sunday night.

This time the fire bridged the alley between Oakland and Goodwin, licking at the shingled roofs of the single-story frame homes that line that street.

Before the flames engulfed his home, Williams carried an armload of clothing from his house to safety in a neighbor's yard. About 7 a.m. Monday, afraid the fire might spread again, Williams went to retrieve them.

A neighbor, Mrs. Susie Douglas, of 9562 Goodwin, said later: "We heard the wire popping all night. Pop . . . Pop . . . like that. We knew it was down."

Perhaps Williams didn't. Perhaps he tried to skirt the blazing end of the wire; perhaps he never saw it as he made his way down the alley in the smoke and shouting and confusion.

At 8 a.m., a neighbor told Louise Williams that her husband was dead.

5. Herman Ector

Herman Ector walked past the wrong supermarket at the wrong time. He was shot on Monday, July 24, by an unlicensed private watchman who had no business being there.

Police first listed Ector as a looter, but investigation led to a murder charge against the private guard, 32-year-old Waverly Solomon, of 2832 McGraw.

Solomon is an employee of Young's Private Patrol Service, a guard business that has no telephone listing and operates out of the Arcadia Roller Rink, 3527 Woodward.

General License Bureau records show that Solomon's registration as a private guard ended March 7, 1966. It was never renewed.

Why the patrol service and Solomon were in the area is uncertain. Police had not asked for their help; they are not employed by the supermarket where the shooting occurred.

A 30-year-old Army veteran, Ector was walking from his mother's home to the house he shared with his aunt. The aunt, Mrs. Ruth Ector, said her nephew had insisted on going to see if his mother was all right the morning after the riot began.

At 9:15 a.m., Ector passed the supermarket with his cousin, Vincent, 21. Witnesses told police Ector objected to the way that Solomon was treating suspected looters.

Solomon followed the pair past the market, argued with Ector, struck him with his carbine butt, then shot him.

Ector was dead by the time he reached the hospital.

at the damage, then stopped at the apartment of a family friend, Mrs. Rosie Moorner, 50, 9319 Oakland, next door to Rite-Way.

At 1:05 p.m., Beal telephoned his wife. "I told him to come home, that there was too much stuff going on," his wife, Earline, recalls. "I told him: You come home right now. He said he would."

According to Mrs. Moorner, she and Beal, of 8837 Treadway Place, decided to drop off some groceries with a relative. Then Beal would go home. Mrs. Moorner went to Beal's Oldsmobile, where Williamson was catnapping. She says she doesn't know where Beal went.

Police say they do. They say he stepped into Rite-Way, which had been broken into earlier in the riot.

At this point, the police report says, the truck-mounted Guard and police patrol, cruising south on Oakland, spotted Beal in the store.

The report says Beal was standing at the counter. It says that Guardsmen and a police officer went into the store "at which time (the officer) . . . saw Beal and ordered him to come out."

The report says Beal made a sudden move towards the patrolman and the officer fired one round from his shotgun, striking Beal in the abdomen. He staggered out the back door and fell to the ground, mortally wounded. He was dead on arrival at Detroit General Hospital.

Another Negro, identified as a looter, also was apprehended at the store, police say.

In all probability, Beal was a looter. What is of more concern is that the Homicide Bureau report on his death has either inadvertently or deliberately been altered in what seems to be an unnecessary effort to protect the policeman involved.

The officer's own statement, as it was given to homicide detectives, says merely: "Observed Negro male enter business. Stopped truck. Called for man to come out. Observed him taking objects off shelf and starting to run. Fired one shot."

That statement indicates the officer fired from the truck into the store. But the Homicide Bureau report, as it was turned over to the prosecutor's office, creates a brand-new drama.

That report has the officer and Guardsmen inside the store, confronting Beal. And then, the report says, Beal "made a sudden motion" toward the officer and "then attempted to escape arrest."

As every homicide detective knows, that situation is almighty: An officer shoots a fleeing felon as the felon makes threatening gestures toward him.

Thinking that detectives might have made an accidental mistake in transcribing this report, reporters asked the Homicide Bureau to re-confirm the facts of the shooting. The answer came back: Inside the store.

The officer who did the shooting says himself that he shot from the truck.

Despite the Homicide Bureau's report, there is no evidence of criminal intent in the Beal shooting. A Free Press investigation shows the officer acted without malice and in the line of duty.



No. 18, Henry Denson, slumps dying in the front seat where he was shot at a checkpoint

the Bi Lo, went around back, and, on the other side, surprised the looters at work, Cauty at the wheel of his truck. The woman says: "Someone yelled real loud: 'Halt.'" Then she heard shots.

Cauty's truck shot in a straight line out of the Bi-Lo driveway, and sped across Grand Boulevard, jumping two medians. On the north side of the street, it clipped a tree and finally stopped in a front yard at 2441 W. Grand Blvd.

Cauty was slumped dead over the wheel, a bullet in his neck, the weight of his body blowing the horn. Stolen produce spilled on the ground.

"The horn blew for the longest time," the woman says.

The woman also says that when the truck stopped, the three cohorts leaped out, ran and hid in the rear of a home. They stole off after officers and soldiers had left.

"No one would ever turn them in," she says.

After the shooting, the woman remarked to her husband: "You watch. They'll burn that place down." In a short time, the building was aflame.

After the incident, word circulated through the W. Grand Boulevard neighborhood that Cauty had been shot.

11.

Alphonso Smith

Alphonso Smith, 35, of 3455 W. Chicago, a Negro waiter at Little Harry's Restaurant, was shot as a looter inside a supermarket.

Homicide detectives said after an investigation that Smith was accidentally shot by a policeman who slipped on debris. Two witnesses inside the store say the policeman who shot Smith did not slip.

Prosecutor William L. Cahalan has closed the case, ruling that the shooting was accidental and without criminality.

Smith was shot at about 4:15 p.m. Monday, July 24, at the Standard Food Market at 9750 Dexter.

A preliminary police report said a patrol car rolled up to the market at that time and policemen saw several Negroes break into the store. The officers entered the building and two shots were fired, one striking Smith, the report said.

Four men were held as looters on suspicion of breaking and entering, the preliminary report said. The men were identified as John Mason, 24, 2214 Elm

two policemen and a National Guard sergeant. He fell dead in an alley behind the store. Five packs of stolen cigars found on his body were held as evidence.

A witness to the shooting is Tillman Green, Jr., 48, 1817 Mack, an affable clerk for the store's co-owner, Peter Gallina, 37, of 24262 Johnston, East Detroit.

Green was keeping an eye on the store for his boss and observed the shooting from across the street. Kemp was unlucky, he says.

According to Green, looters had been having a field day in Borghi's since the riot started. Just before Kemp was shot, Green says, a man and a woman drove up in a 1956 Cadillac, stepped into the market through a broken window and emerged with a side of beef so big the man could barely manage it.

Once it fell to the dirt, but the man was persistent, finally stuffed it into his car and drove away.

Soon after the heist of the side of the beef, Green says, Kemp entered the store. He apparently had his eye on some cash beside the cigars; for when he reappeared in the window, Green says, he was lugging the cash register.

least four other young men from the neighborhood took wet blankets and pails of water to the roof of the apartment to watch for sparks from fires on Third Street, where the riot had spread at dusk Sunday.

Sometime after that, Ray Dempsey, 37, the apartment manager, went to the roof and told the men to come down. Dempsey says he feared both snipers and heavily-armed, newly-committed Guardsmen.

The men started down, using the back stairway. Pryor went first, followed by Dempsey, and Ronnie Smith, 21, also of 667 W. Alexandrine.

They did not know they had been seen by police and guardsmen.

As Pryor reached the landing on the second floor, a shot was fired from the ground by a National Guardsman — a plea. Pryor tumbled dead to the landing floor.

According to official police reports, the shot was fired only after the Guardsman ordered the men to halt.

The initial police report, prepared from statements of law enforcement officials at the scene, says that when they failed to stop, the Guardsman "fired one shot . . . at the deceased, who was carrying the shotgun."

But in the subsequent report, the one submitted to Prosecutor William Cahalan, this was changed, after Homicide Bureau investigators probed the incident. This report says merely that "one of the men was armed with a shotgun."

The shotgun in question is a single-action .410 Stevens. The men on the roof admit they had it, but say it was for protection, not sniping. Smith says he—not Pryor—was carrying it, adding that he was at the stairway on the third landing—some 20 feet behind Pryor—when the shot was fired.

The claim gets corroboration from Dempsey, who was mid-way down the stairs at the time of the shooting.

"It could have been prevented," Dempsey says. "All those officers and Guardsmen had to do was speak one word. There was absolutely no warning given."

Smith agrees, as does Leonard Richardson, 32, also of 667 W. Alexandrine, who was one of the men still on the roof at the time of the shooting.

"If the Guardsmen had said anything, Clifton would have stopped," Smith says. "But he never said anything. He just shot."

Smith also says that Pryor was so well illuminated, any broomstick Pryor might have been carrying should not have been confused with a weapon.

"And if he was carrying anything," Smith adds, "I didn't see it."

All witnesses confirm that there had been no sniping on that block, which is all white.

4.

Fred Williams

Fred Williams was one of the clearly innocent victims of the riot, a blameless man doomed to death by an unknown arsonist.

Williams, 49, a Negro, of 9511 Goodwin, was electrocuted Monday morning, July 24, on the second day of the riot in the alley behind his blazing home. Preliminary police reports classified him as a suspected looter. The reports were wrong.

Independent investigation shows that Williams stumbled or fell onto a live electric power line. He was found by a National Guardsman, face down in the wet, cindery alley, the entire front of his face and body charred.

An autopsy showed that death was

6.

Wayne Jennings

On the Sunday afternoon when it became clear that Detroit's riot would not end on Twelfth Street, Stanley Meszczenski was one of the first to know.

A friendly Negro who lived near Meszczenski's drugstore at 6000 John R., telephoned Meszczenski to say: "You'd better come down to the store. There's going to be trouble tonight."

Meszczenski took a .300 Savage lever action rifle and with his small, attractive wife, Virginia, headed for an all-night vigil at Stanley's Patent Drugs, the business he had built during seven long and conscientious years.

The first night was uneventful, and at 5:30 a.m. Monday Meszczenski was still guarding his store. Blocks away, a construction worker named Daniel Jennings, a Negro and the father of 14 children, left his home at 403 Mt. Vernon and headed for the Local 331 hiring hall at Brush and W. Grand Blvd.

There was little hiring done at the union hall that Monday. Without work, Jennings began drifting gradually toward his home a mile and a half away.

By noon, he and two other men—their names are still unknown—were outside Meszczenski's drugstore, which is midway between the union hall and Jennings' home.

Someone smashed the glass in the locked front door. From the rear, Meszczenski shouted a warning. The men either did not hear or came on anyway.

Meszczenski fired only once, Jennings fell. The other men fled.

The Wayne County prosecutor has ruled that Meszczenski—a man defending his own property against attack—was justified in shooting Jennings, who was dead on arrival at Detroit General Hospital.

The time was 1:15 p.m., eight hours and a lifetime from the hour that Jennings left home. Meszczenski lives, vindicated by the prosecutor, bitterly troubled in his own mind, still harassed by the threatening telephone calls from someone who claims to be Jennings' friend.

7.

Robert Beal

Robert Beal's death came not much after high noon—at 1:25 p.m. on July 24, to be exact, some 12 hours after police and Guardsmen had started shooting at looters.

The scene was the gaudy-yellow Rite-Way Auto Parts, Inc. at 9335 Oakland, a hot, treeless strip on the East Side. Normally, it is choked with cars and people. The day Beal was killed, it was deserted, except for a 2½-ton truck of eight National Guardsmen and a policeman.

According to a friend, Willie Williamson, 38, of 1410 St. Clair, Beal, a 49-year-old Negro, ventured out that day only to make a personal survey of riot damage. He just had to find out what was going on, Williamson says.

Beal had been laid off from his job as a lift-truck operator at Pontiac and time was heavy on his hands. He and Williamson drove over to Oakland to look

9.

Herman Canty

At 1 p.m. Monday, on the riot's second day, Joseph Chandler went out to get his wife a package of cigarettes. Forty-five minutes later, he was dead.

A police car found Chandler looting at the Food Time Market, 8360 Second, a block and a half from his home. When officers yelled at him to stop, he ran.

Patrolmen David Senak and David VanLoe chased Chandler down the street, through an alley and over two fences, firing as they ran.

Dropping a bag, then a bottle, Chandler kept going, scaling the fences in desperate, scrambling haste. He vanished over the second fence as officers fired a final volley, then gave up, believing that they had missed.

Joseph Chandler was dying on his feet.

Struck once in the right foot, a second time in the right buttock, Chandler staggered closer and closer to his home. At the rear of a house at 119 W. Philadelphia—across the street from his house—he collapsed, trying in his last moments to find shelter under a parked car.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sims, who live at 119 W. Philadelphia, saw Chandler struggling under the car, and went to him.

He asked Mrs. Sims for a glass of water, then asked her husband to get his wife across the street. Please, he said, don't call the police.

Another scout car, unaware that other patrolmen had chased and shot Chandler, found him under the car and took him to Ford Hospital, where he was dead on arrival at 1:45 p.m.

The shotgun blast that struck Chandler in the right buttock had plowed forward and up, penetrating both his liver and right lung. The doctors marveled that Chandler had lived so long.

Patrolman Senak, charged with conspiracy in the Algiers Motel case, was exonerated in Chandler's death. According to the prosecutor's office, both he and VanLoe acted in the line of duty, without criminal intent.

9.

Herman Canty

Everyone says Herman Canty wasn't the kind of man to be a looter. Everyone is wrong.

Police and independent witnesses confirm that Canty, 46, of 1186 Clairmont, married and the father of two children, was shot by police while taking merchandise from the Bi-Lo Supermarket at 2450 W. Grand Boulevard.

His death came in broad daylight—at about 2:30 p.m. on July 24.

According to police and witnesses, Canty was set upon at the side of the store. He failed to heed commands to halt and was killed.

Canty was doing his shopping in style. Police and witnesses say he had a green Dodge delivery van backed up to the side door of the Bi-Lo, and was loading merchandise in Teamster-size quantities assisted by two men and a woman.

One witness, a woman, says looters had found easy pickings at the Bi-Lo. She says that the Negroes were "playing a game" when police and Guardsmen drove by, they hid; when the coast was clear, they'd emerge, and continue. If it was a game, Canty lost.

Police and Guardsmen drove up to

the officers who participated in the shooting did not immediately report it.

They say they were too concerned with the El-Lu fire, and other looters. At any rate, the first police dispatched to the scene were ordered there simply with the phrase: "Man in truck is shot."

A subsequent police investigation turned up details of the incident. Two officers did the shooting, the report says, each firing several shots from their Winchester rifles.

At Bel-Air Car Wash in Ann Arbor, where Canty was a foreman, one of his bosses described him as a "pretty decent chap... one of the best we've ever had."

He was so trusted, in fact, that he had the use of a Bel-Air truck. The truck he backed up to the side door of the Bi-Lo.

10.

Alfred Peachlum

Alfred Peachlum was killed about 4 p.m., July 24, while looting at an A & P supermarket, 3430 Joy.

Police officers who fired shotgun blasts at Peachlum hit their man square in the heart. The shots also struck two innocent women at a house across the alley.

The women were Mrs. James (Nannie) Pack, 58, of 3445 Atkinson, and Mrs. Mattie Thomas, 40, a guest at the Pack residence. Mrs. Thomas lives in Bluefield, W. Va.

Mrs. Pack, whose husband is a teacher at the Robert Frost Elementary School in Pontiac, was hit in both thighs and the abdomen. After nearly a month of hovering between life and death, Mrs. Pack is still in serious condition at Henry Ford Hospital. She has undergone surgery twice.

Mrs. Thomas was shot in the left leg. She is still hospitalized.

A suspected looter, Lewis Culbreth, 23, of 2615 Leslie, was also wounded in the volley of shotgun blasts. Culbreth, who claims he had not entered the supermarket, received one shotgun pellet in the right hand.

The Homicide Bureau says that Patrolmen Charles Carlson and James Loxon entered the store through a broken window on July 24 when they saw two Negro men fleeing toward the rear of the store. They opened fire after the men refused to halt, the patrolmen said.

Carlson said he saw a shiny object in the hand of Peachlum that looked as if it may have been a weapon. Later, it was identified as a packings of beef, wrapped in shiny foil. Carlson fired two shots and Loxon fired one at the men from their 12-gauge shotguns.

Peachlum was struck by pellets that hit him in the chest, the medical examiner's office said. One pellet pierced his heart.

Homicide detectives said they believed the fatal shot was fired from Patrolman Carlson's gun. It was not known which officer fired the shot that hit the two women.

The porch, where the women were hit, has two doors, one leading into the bedroom and one into the kitchen. They are in a direct line from the rear door of the supermarket, a scant 30 feet across the alley.

Wayne Prosecutor William Cahalan has closed the case, ruling that Peachlum's death was justifiable homicide.

Frank Mosley, 42, 1943 Burlingame, and Reginald Shelton, 36, 13381 Stoepel.

Later the charges were changed to entering without breaking. It was established that the supermarket had been broken into the previous day, Sunday.

Mosley claimed the entire store had been looted and that there were only scattered goods on the floor when he and the others were in it Monday.

A follow-up investigation by detectives of the Homicide Bureau states that Patrolmen Thomas F. Peterson and Eugene Purchiaroni saw the men in the store and ordered them to halt.

Purchiaroni and Peterson entered the market through the broken front door, the report states. Smith threw a can at Purchiaroni. The officers ordered the men to halt. Purchiaroni fired a shot into the ceiling from his Thompson machine gun.

Peterson, hearing the shot, slipped on debris on the floor, and his privately owned .30-caliber Marlin discharged, striking Smith in the neck. The bullet exited through his lower back.

Mosley and Shelton, in separate interviews with a reporter, gave this account:

A police car pulled up in front. The Negro men were inside the store.

An unidentified policeman aimed his gun ("It looked sort of like an M-1 rifle," Mosley said) and shot Smith. The policeman was standing outside the store and fired through a broken window, Mosley and Shelton said.

"I saw everything," Mosley said. "I will testify to it. I could see through the front of the store. I was standing beside him (Smith). He didn't have anything in his hand. Nobody hollered halt. They jumped out of the car and shot. They weren't even close up to the store."

Mosley and Shelton said no one had questioned them about the shooting. He said he saw no one slip and fall. No one else got shot in the store, he said.

Inspector Albert Schwaller of the Homicide Bureau said that detectives had questioned all four men arrested as looters in the store. Their statements had been given to Cahalan along with a report of the shooting, he said. There is no mention of such statements, however, in the report submitted to Cahalan's office.

Shelton said he saw a policeman fire from outside the window but that he did not see Smith fall. "I saw the policeman when he pulled the trigger," Shelton said. "He didn't slip. He fired through the window, standing up."

Manuel Najjar, manager of the market, said the store was first broken into Sunday, July 23. The front windows were broken and looters carried groceries out all day Sunday and Monday, he said.

"By Monday night, 85 percent of the stock was gone," Najjar said.

12.

Edward Kemp

Edward Kemp was killed about 5:20 p.m. on July 24, the second day of the riot. Police and Guardsmen say they saw him looting Borghi Brothers market, 1800 Mack. They say he was shot when he refused to obey a command to halt.

Kemp was hit once in the back and once in the left knee by shots fired by

to the ground.

Kemp then jumped down after it, and started banging it on the sidewalk. At this point, says Green, the police and Guardsmen chanced by in a three or four-car patrol.

Green says he was excited, and may have missed it, but he doubts there were any shouts of warning. He says he is sure that one of the three shots was fired from a police car while it was still moving.

Kemp ran. Five steps later, he was dead.

13.

Nathaniel Edmonds

A red and white Oldsmobile 98 convertible bearing two white men swept into an alley of Baldwin and Harper, and a young man jumped out of the car with a shotgun.

"Why did you break into my store?" he yelled at a trio of Negro men in the backyard of 6478 Baldwin. Minutes later, at about 4:30 p.m., July 24, a shouted argument became murder.

Now Richard Paul Shugar, 24, 5733 Van Dyke, is charged with slaying Nathaniel Edmonds, 23.

It was a daylight slaying after a senseless argument, witnessed by a white man, a Negro, and a sharp-eyed 10-year-old Negro boy, who gave police the license number of Shugar's flashy car.

Shugar has no store and no connection with the vacant sewing shop at 7714 Van Dyke, the store he accused Edmonds of looting.

Witnesses say Edmonds was shotgunned in the left chest as he scrambled to enter the back door of the home on Baldwin, the only shelter on a block that serves as a vast parking lot for Harper-Van Dyke shoppers. Edmonds was unarmed.

No one knows whether Edmonds was in fact a looter, or, if he was, whether Shugar knew about it. Now, it makes no difference.

14.

Richard Sims

Most of his last day alive, Richard Sims, 35, of 2475 Buena Vista, had stayed home, passing time watching TV on the front porch.

About 8:30 p.m., his wife says, he announced: "I'm going to walk down to the corner." He meant the intersection of Buena Vista and Linwood, site of the Hobby Bar. He also meant to come back.

Moments later, Sims, an employee at Chrysler Motor Corp. in Hamtramck, was seen by Mrs. Catherine Adams, of 2532 Buena Vista, at the northside of the bar. Mrs. Adams says he had a hammer, and was trying to jimmy the side door. She says at least one other Negro was also there, sitting on a log in the empty parking lot.

Suddenly a mobile police patrol, cruising north on Linwood, passed the Hobby Bar. At least four officers spotted Sims and his companion. Sims was "attempting to

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16.

Manuel Cosbey

Manuel Cosbey was no different than most of the people who looted during the five-day riot. He didn't start it, but as long as it was going on, Cosbey wanted his share.

Around midnight Tuesday, July 25, as the riot headed into its third day, Cosbey, 27, borrowed a tire iron and headed for the N&T Grocery, 441 E. Nevada.

Moments later, he was trapped by a police patrol answering a radio call that announced: "Looting now." Three officers arrived in time to spot the looters.

"The defendants attempted to escape," the official report says, "when they continued to run... (one officer) fired three shots from his service revolver, inflicting the fatal wound."

Four other looters were arrested. One of them, Calvin Vance, 21, of 4601 Stockton, concedes that Cosbey was killed as he fled.

The shots were heard throughout the Sojourner Truth apartments nearby, named for the underground railway worker of the Civil War. Mrs. Roosevelt Curley, mother of the boy who had given Cosbey the tire iron, remembers being told that it was her son who was dead.

She faltered, for it had been only a week before that she received word of the death of another son, Roosevelt, Jr., 19, killed in his tank in Vietnam.

Later she heard a voice from the Cosbey apartment, keening: "They've killed my brother."

17.

Julius Dorsey

Julius Dorsey had a badge, a gun and a uniform, and ultimately they cost him his life.

A Negro, Dorsey, 55, of 1026 Field, worked as a private guard. On the night of July 24, he was guarding a fruit market near his home against looters.

He had taken the job against the wishes of his common-law wife, Viola Smith, who was afraid of what the would-be looters might do.

"They wanted to jump on him," Mrs. Smith said. "I told him: You're just making enemies. He said: Maybe you're right. I'm just going to stand out there and make them."

Until midnight, it was peaceful. Once a car full of police stopped, focused a flashlight on Dorsey and told him he had better stand in the light so he would not be mistaken for a looter.

At 1:15 a.m., two Negro men and a Negro woman approached Dorsey and told him to look the other way, that they wanted to loot the market.

Dorsey refused. The looters cursed him and said they were armed. When the three continued to threaten him Dorsey drew his gun and fired three shots into the air. The looters fled south across Lafayette, heading into the La-Field Quality Market, 716 Field, just across the street from the store Dorsey was guarding.

The three shots Dorsey fired set in motion the machinery that would kill him.

Guard checkpoint. A Guardsman advised them to "keep it down to 10 or 15 miles an hour" because "there's a roadblock ahead."

(Most Guard checkpoints were not really roadblocks. They consisted of soldiers standing in the street or at the curb, almost always without barricades.)

Driving on, Johnson stopped at a red light at Mack and E. Grand Blvd. The light turned green and Johnson started forward. A cry went out: "Halt."

Johnson stopped on the brakes. Simultaneously, the shot that killed Denson was fired. Johnson bolted out of the car, screaming: "You didn't have to shoot. We stopped. We stopped."

Johnson was arrested, charged with felonious assault for the attempt to run down police and Guardsmen, and jailed. He is now free on personal bond; examination is set for Wednesday. Cooper, who was in the back seat, was arrested but never charged.

If Johnson was in fact accelerating, why didn't he keep going? And if he was traveling at any rate of speed, why did the car halt only 50 feet beyond the intersection?

Two independent witnesses — Newsweek magazine's Chicago bureau chief, Don Holt, and Newsweek photographer Joe Clark—watched the incident. They do not agree what happened.

Holt says: "As the car came across the median (on E. Grand Blvd.) there was an acceleration, or at least a lurch forward. As it turned left, they opened fire. I had the impression the car was trying to get out of there." Holt adds: "It was senseless to kill him. If they had fired over their heads, I'm sure they would have stopped."

Clark says flatly: "They never accelerated. It slowly made a left turn. Somebody yelled 'halt!' It was going five miles an hour, maybe, just rolling. Then somebody yelled 'get em.' A guy on the north side of Mack fired one shot. I don't think the car rolled five feet more."

"I just don't think the driver heard the guy yell halt. If he did, he just didn't get his foot on the brake fast enough."

Holt and Clark agree that it is inconceivable that Johnson tried to run anyone down. Nor were any firearms or loot found in Johnson's car, though technically all three men were curfew violators.

19.

Ronald Evans

20.

William Jones

For an armload of stolen beer from a nickel-and-dime grocery store, Ronald Evans and William Jones paid with their lives.

Evans and Jones were shot and killed by Detroit police after they broke into Bob's Market, 4100 Pennsylvania, a tiny 20-by-20-foot store on the near East Side.

Beyond doubt, both men were looters. Whether their deaths were necessary is another question.

Four Negroes participated in the break-in early Tuesday, July 25, after an evening of drinking that included curfew violations. They were Evans, 23, of 2357 Cadillac; Jones, 32, of Birmingham, Ala.

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Carl Smith

In fishing, playing golf or softball, Carl Smith was always the spark-plug. Around the fire station he was the take-charge guy.

"You and you and you, come with me," he would say on a fire drill exercise. "You," he would point at another fireman, "stay here." He had all the qualities of a fire chief, the men used to say jokingly, except the rank.

In his four years with the Detroit Fire Department, he was one of the best.

Smith was a member of the Detroit Fire Department, and he was one of the best.

The shots were fired from less than 10 feet away and possibly closer than 12 inches, Dr. John Burton, the Wayne County Medical Examiner said. The wadding from the shells was imbedded in Johnson's body, causing additional wounds.

No pipe was recovered by police, but Donum said several pipes were lying on the basement floor.

The two police cars drove off. There was no explanation why they did not supervise removal of the bodies.

A short time later, at 3 p.m., a police car manned by Patrolmen Clifford Styrk and Peter McCluskul drove up and took the two bodies to Detroit General Hospital.

Police said that Styrk and McCluskul were summoned to the scene by a police radio call that two looters had been shot at the pawn shop.

However, there was no police record of such a call at that hour. The police customarily record all the radio reports in writing.

There was a call recorded from Styrk and McCluskul summoning Giacobozzi's police car to the pawn shop. There was no indication whether the pair answered the call.

Davis, from an upstairs window, heard the shots and some time later—he does not know how long—he watched the bodies being carried out. He said he was lying on the floor after the shots were fired and did not notice whether police cars were departing and arriving.

No residents of the area would admit being in the neighborhood at the time of the shootings, although a sizeable crowd reportedly watched the bodies being carried away.

25. Jack Sydnor

The Free Press investigation of the riot deaths found that only one of the 43 dead could be confirmed as a sniper.

His name was Jack Sydnor, and on the afternoon of Tuesday, July 25, he was drunk and he was dangerous.

For the riot's first two days, Sydnor, a Negro, had remained at home with his common-law wife, Zella Mallory, 37. On Tuesday, he went out, as Mrs. Mallory remembers it, "to get a loaf of bread." He returned with a companion, went out again, came back drunk.

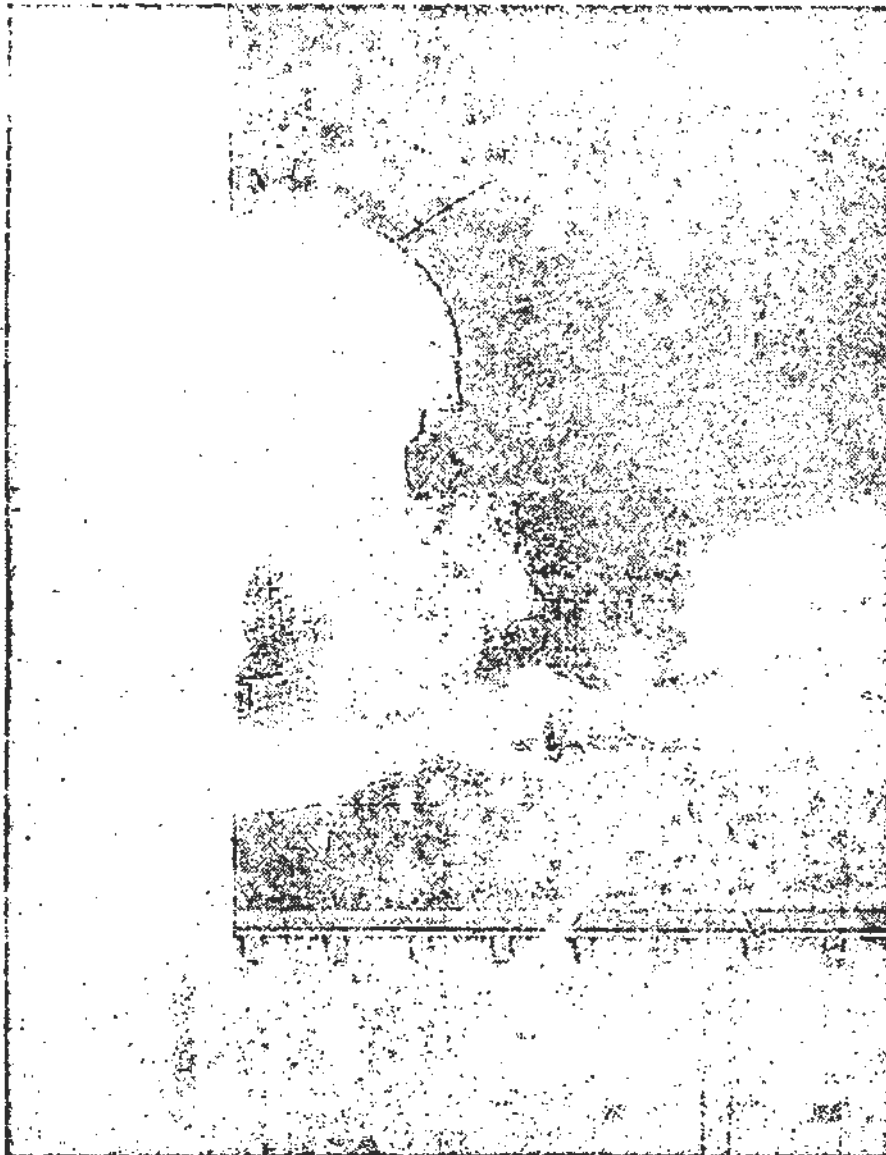
His wife found him fingering a pistol that had long been hidden in the apartment. "I wonder if this thing will work," he mused.

It did.

At 9:15 p.m., frightened tenants called police at the Livernois Station, reporting that Sydnor was shooting onto the street from the third floor window of his apartment at 2733 Hazelwood.

Thirty minutes later, Sydnor was dead. Wounded in the chest and abdomen by police gunfire, Sydnor jumped or fell three floors, then died, probably of gunshot wounds.

Before he was shot, Sydnor had seriously wounded Fairclough Roger Polk, 24, of 13511 The Rock.



Helen Hall, No. 27, died at this bullet-riddled window

Non at night at Wayne State University and taking community leadership courses in his spare time. That ended early on the morning of July 25, when Olshove's car was ordered to a suspected looting at an A&P store at 121 Holbrook.

At 2 a.m. that morning, looters were active in the store. Witnesses say a car full of uniformed men cruised south on John R, spotted the looters and fired a shotgun blast into the store.

The pellets struck a man identified as Albert Phillips, 3614 Roosevelt, in the face. The car kept going and disappeared.

Minutes after Phillips was shot, a police car responded to a radio report that looting was underway at the A&P. The police rolled up and saw Phillips standing in front of the store with his face bleeding, the police report states. The man then collapsed and fell on the parking lot. Phillips was taken later to Detroit General Hospital and was discharged three weeks later.

Through broken windows of the store, officers said they saw two men looting. They ordered the men out of the store. They were identified as Danny Fryster, 24, of 277 Alton, and Charles Lerner, 19, of 13511 The Rock.

telephone in the building belonged to tenant Joseph L. Metts, 30. And he wasn't up.

About 2 a.m., four hours later, Metts woke up and stepped down the hall to the communal lavatory. He then strolled to the hall window for a breath of fresh air.

Tanner lay still. Metts woke Thurston, then called police.

At 7:45 a.m., a scout car arrived at the scene with police and Guardsmen. At 8:05 a.m., 11 hours after the shooting, Tanner was pronounced dead on arrival at Detroit General Hospital.

Tanner is remembered by Morris Bobroff, 47, owner of the pharmacy, as a "nice kid."

"Ninety-nine percent of the people who were in my store (looting) were nice people," Bobroff says. "They're my friends. I've seen them since. When they're pointed out to me, I can't believe it."

23. Albert Johnson 24. Zella Mallory

The people in the neighborhood around

to say jokingly, except the rank.

In his four years with the Detroit Fire Department, he was one of the hardest workers and was clearly devoted to the department.

His enthusiasm accounted in some part for his death.

Smith, of 16322 Santa Rosa, was shot through the head and killed instantly at 11:30 p.m., July 24, when he and other firemen were pinned down by sniper fire at Mack and St. Jean.

It is possible Smith was killed by a sniper. It is equally possible he was killed by a National Guard bullet.

After a thorough investigation, homicide detectives reconstructed Smith's death this way:

He was assigned to Engine Company 13, which was assembled with other fire fighting units at Mack and St. Jean. This area was being used by the Fire Department as a mobilization point.

Just before 11:30, the fire station at 3573 St. Jean (just north of Mack) was attacked by snipers. Several fire vehicles and the firemen in the street were pinned down by what was described as "heavy sniper fire."

The massive counter attack by police and National Guard undoubtedly contributed to the heavy firing. In fact, there was heavy and continuous shooting on all sides, witnesses said.

The firemen were ordered to evacuate the area.

Smith was isolated, for an unknown reason, on the southeast corner of Mack and St. Jean. His fire truck and his buddies were on the north side of St. Jean. Fellow firemen speculated later that Smith may have wanted to "see the action," and that was why he was south of Mack.

He ran north across the street toward his fire truck. As he reached the north-east intersection of Mack and St. Jean, he crouched behind a rubbish receptacle.

At this point, Police Sgt. Roy Snyder saw Smith clasp his hand to his head and pitch forward on the sidewalk.

Because of the heavy firing, it was 40 minutes before an ambulance could remove Smith's body.

An autopsy conducted by Dr. Joseph Julliar, assistant Wayne County medical examiner, determined that a high-powered rifle slug had passed through Smith's head on an even plane.

Detectives said police stated that sniper fire had originated from rooftops southeast of Smith, in the 11400 block of Mack. They also determined that the lethal bullet had been fired from street level from near the intersection of Mack and Gladwin.

They recovered a copper jacket from a spent .30 caliber bullet which had struck a building on the northwest corner of Mack and St. Jean. The projectile was in the path of the trajectory apparently taken by the bullet that killed Smith. The lead was not recovered, but the ballistics laboratory of the police department said the jacket was fired from a .30 caliber carbine.

The National Guardsmen were equipped with both M-1 caliber rifles and .30 caliber carbines.

Smith's position was in the middle of a hail of bullets between Guardsmen and police and the snipers on the rooftops.

The detectives' report said that Smith was looking in the direction of the rooftop sniper fire -- and thus in the direction from which the fatal street-level bullet came. But they do not offer any evidence to support this.

The available evidence leaves two possible conclusions: Either Smith was killed by a sniper who was on the street -- at ground level -- at Mack and Gladwin, unknown to anyone present -- or he was killed accidentally by a National Guardsman's bullet.

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The three shots Dorsey fired set in motion the machinery that would kill him.

Because of Dorsey's shots, neighbors believed the looters were armed. Police broadcast that report, and both city police and National Guardsmen began to converge on the intersection.

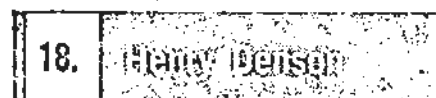
Dorsey stayed where he was, sitting on a porch next to the fruit market with a neighbor, Eugene Bailey. Police whizzed into the intersection, ordering the looters to halt. Instead the looters fled north, toward Dorsey. A series of shots rang out; the looters escaped. But Julius Dorsey was dead.

How he was shot is not clear. Dorsey was directly in the line of fire of one group of officers who were shooting at the fleeing looters; one of those bullets may have struck him.

But Bailey says Dorsey was shot by Guardsmen driving past the house in a station wagon, just as the looters were running. Bailey then ran out and stopped another car loaded with uniformed men and told them: "You done shot a guard."

Police reports confirmed that "unidentified personnel" was shooting at the time. But their line of fire was different and if they killed Dorsey, it was because someone shot too soon.

The prosecutor has ruled that Dorsey apparently was killed accidentally by one of the original police officers firing at the looters. A memorandum notes: "Perhaps further investigation should be made to find out who fired the other shots."



The stories of the death of Henry Denson are as opposed as their sources -- police and Negroes who survived the incident.

The impressions of independent observers also differ, agreeing only on a single point: The death was unnecessary.

Here is the police version:

About 1 a.m. on July 25 -- the third day of the riot--Denson, 27, and two companions, Harold Johnson, 27, and Michael Cooper, 37, all Negroes, were observed driving east on Mack, approaching a National Guard-police checkpoint just east of East Grand Boulevard.

Officers and Guardsmen stepped into the street, flashed lights at the car and ordered it to halt. The car came to a stop, but as the officers approached, the car suddenly accelerated, attempting to hit the officers and Guardsmen.

The officers and Guardsmen dodged . . . and as the car passed two Guardsmen each fired one shot from their M-1 rifles.

Fifty feet north, on E. Grand Blvd., the car came to a stop, facing north. Denson was slumped dead in the front seat.

Officers arrested Johnson, the driver, and Cooper; Denson was taken to the Wayne County morgue, with a single gunshot that penetrated his right shoulder and exited on the left side of his neck.

Johnson and Cooper both deny the police version. Here is their story:

Shortly after midnight, Cooper called Johnson and asked if Johnson could pick him up at an East Side house. Johnson and Denson hopped in Johnson's car, a 1966 Ford convertible, picked up Cooper and were returning to the Yekel apartments, 3552 St. Antoine, where Denson and Cooper lived.

Driving east on Mack, they passed a

break-in early Tuesday, July 23, after an evening of drinking that included minor violations. They were Evans, 23, of 3559 Cadillac; Jones, 32, of Birmingham, Ala.; Arthur Reeves, 31, of 3482 Pennsylvania; and Walter Walker, of 3557 Montclair.

The incident was watched by at least a dozen independent, though not unbiased, witnesses including two teen-age girls.

When the break-in started, a frightened tenant in a room above the store called down: "Don't burn the place, please, you men." One of the four called back: "We're just getting some beer, man."

Minutes later, police cars and National Guard jeeps converged on the intersection from four directions. Evans and Walker, who were outside the store, apparently as lookouts, were taken at gunpoint, then spread-eagled on their faces on the sidewalk.

Moments later, Evans lurched to his feet and ran. Why he ran is not clear.

Four witnesses claim police goaded Evans into running, threatening or taunting him with language that was both harsh and obscene.

Why Evans ran, no one knows. Language, however strong, that might make one man flee could be no more than a warning to another. Presumably, any language directed at Evans applied equally to Walker and Walker stayed where he was, flat on the sidewalk and alive.

At least 20 armed men ringed the area. None of the men involved in the break-in had weapons. The chance of escape was minimal. But Evans had been drinking and certainly he was afraid. In any case, he ran.

Evans took no more than 15 steps before he fell at the curb across the street, dead of multiple gunshot wounds.

Questions remain: How, with more than a dozen officers and soldiers only inches and yards away, was Evans allowed to get to his feet at all? What attempt, short of gunfire, was made to stop him?

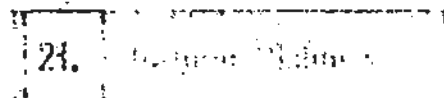
Three police witnesses say they distinctly heard officers yell "Halt." And Evans' companion, Walker, told police that Evans had told him he would never go to jail again. From Evans, that was a strange statement: According to police records, he had never been arrested except on a traffic warrant.

After Evans died, police shot off the lock to enter the store where Jones and Reeves were cowering. Reeves crouched behind a meat counter.

The only exit was the front door. According to the police report, Jones tried to flee through that door, beyond which stood some 20 police and Guardsmen whose shots Jones had just heard.

Jones was shot twice in the chest, once or possibly twice in the abdomen, twice more in the legs. The police report explains: Jones . . . "bolted from behind a counter and ran out the door."

That is wrong. Jones was shot inside the store by officers who had the doorway blocked. A dozen witnesses watched police remove the body.



Patrolman Jerome Olshove died on duty, the only Detroit police officer killed during the riot. He was shot by a fellow officer's shotgun that went off in the midst of a scuffle with a prisoner arrested for looting.

In eight years on the force, Olshove, 32, had won 20 citations. He was a police officer, studying police admini-

Latimer, Royster and Olshove, the police report says, and was pushed by Patrolman William Bolgar. The police report states that Patrolman Roy St. Onge, who was armed with a 12-gauge shotgun, assisted Bolgar.

At this point, the testimony of an eyewitness differs from the official police report. The eyewitness was Claudette Wilson, 27, who was peering through a second-story window from her home directly across the street, at 713 Holbrook.

At a pretrial examination in Recorder's Court Aug. 16, Miss Wilson said that one of the looters had come out of the store as if to surrender to police.

"But it seemed as though an officer went to hit the other man," she said. "When he tried to retaliate they began scuffling, and both men appeared to grab for the shotgun."

St. Onge said Royster had attempted to grab the gun and it went off, the shot striking Olshove. Royster now shows no indication that he might have been injured or struck by St. Onge's gun. Nor was he treated for injuries.

The medical examiner's office said Olshove died from a shotgun wound to the abdomen, fired at fairly close range.

Latimer and Royster were both charged with first degree murder by Recorder's Court Judge Joseph A. Gillis. Latimer's attorney, Richard Zatklin, argued vainly that his client was not connected with the shooting because he was handcuffed.

Under Michigan law, a suspect involved in the act of a felony can be charged with first degree murder when a fatality occurs. Latimer and Royster are being held in the county jail. No trial date has been set.

22.

Frank Tanner

While the neighbors watched, Frank Tanner died alone in someone's backyard. He was 19.

At 9:30 p.m. on Monday, July 24, Tanner fled from a pharmacy at E. Grand Blvd. and Helen, ignoring commands to halt. He had been drinking, then looting, and as he ran, he was shot.

With a police bullet in his abdomen, Tanner ran up the alley behind the building that houses both the pharmacy and four apartments. He either vaulted or crashed through a gate of the fence behind the building, then collapsed. Police and National Guardsmen lost him.

About 10 p.m., T. E. Thurston, 60, one of the building tenants, went to his window to see what had happened. Thurston says he wouldn't have stirred from his bed at all, what with all the bullets flying, but Tanner's moaning got to him.

He saw Tanner lying on his back, an arm across his face. Thurston's next-door neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson, came into the apartment and they, too, looked out the window at Tanner's body. Mrs. Johnson says she saw him move and heard him groan.

Then the Johnsons went back to their apartment and Thurston returned to bed. No one called police, or an ambulance; no one moved to help.

They say they were too frightened to go outside, a curfew violation. The only

it was as if they had declared a personal vendetta against the loan office at 1401 Holbrook in the midst of a desperately poor slum area.

On Sunday, July 23, the first day of the riot, the pawn shop was broken into. Looters streamed in and out in waves, carrying goods in one arm and open wine bottles from the liquor store across the street in the other.

All day Monday they continued to empty the shop. It was a picnic.

When the store was almost empty, two attempts were made to set it afire with gasoline-filled bottles even though an elderly couple lived in an upstairs apartment.

On the afternoon of Tuesday, July 25, police shot and killed two looters in the shop.

Again on Wednesday someone threw a fire bomb into the looted interior. The fire was extinguished by Detroit firemen, and the elderly couple moved out. They had had enough.

The men who were killed were Arthur Johnson, 36, and Perry Williams, 33, of 9726 Cameron. Johnson, separated from his wife, had moved several times and his permanent address is unknown.

The men apparently were killed by police officers who shot them and then drove off. A short time later a police station wagon manned by two different policemen drove up and removed the bodies.

Homicide detectives who investigated gave this account:

Shortly before 3 p.m. on July 25 two police cars were notified by an unknown person that the pawn shop was being looted.

Patrolmen Lawrence Giacobozzi and Lawrence Pew were in one car and Patrolmen Andrew Zazula and Edward Ruppel were in the other.

The policemen, seeing the front window was broken, called for anyone inside to come out.

In an upstairs apartment over the pawn shop, Joseph Davis, 80, heard the policemen shouting, "Come out."

When no one answered, Giacobozzi and Zazula entered.

As Giacobozzi was searching the rear of the building, he said he heard a noise behind him. He said he turned and saw a man with a long, dark object in his hands.

Giacobozzi fired two shots at the man with his privately owned British Enfield .30-.30 rifle.

The medical examiner's report states that Perry Williams died of two rifle shots that went through the chest and out the back.

No club was recovered and held as evidence, although Detective John Donim of the Homicide Bureau said that Giacobozzi later recalled that the long dark object was a heavy wooden club.

After Williams was shot, Giacobozzi and Zazula began to search the basement.

Zazula said that as Giacobozzi walked past a clothing rack, Zazula saw a man emerge from between the rack carrying a long piece of pipe in his hand.

The man was Arthur Johnson. Zazula fired two shots from his privately owned 12-gauge pump shotgun.

Johnson died of two shotgun wounds that caused massive damage to his chest and abdomen, the medical examiner's office said.

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As Poike burst through the apartment door at the head of a group of officers, Sydnor fired, striking him in the abdomen. Police ripped the apartment with gunfire and hurled in tear gas.

Minutes later, sniper fire erupted from other buildings nearby—initiated perhaps by Sydnor himself. Ironically, that shooting prevented recovery of Sydnor's body until hours after his death.

26.

Willie McDaniels

Willie McDaniels, who wanted to be where the action was, lost his life looking for it.

McDaniels was shot as a looter on the hot, sunny afternoon of Wednesday, July 25, when a crowd of holiday-spirited looters fled wildly from the Domestic Outfitting store at Gratiot and Canton on the near East Side.

The official police report says McDaniels, a 23-year-old Negro foundry worker and father of two, was shot by unknown persons during an exchange of fire between police and snipers.

Neighborhood residents claim there was no sniper fire in the area, and they are probably right. They claim, too, that McDaniels was not looting. About that, they are almost certainly wrong.

Despite the testimony of two witnesses who deny that McDaniels was stealing, statements from another eyewitness refute that story.

An admitted looter, Elmore Evans, 3411 Belvidere, says she passed McDaniels coming out of the store as she was going in. She remembers him, she says, because they were high school classmates.

McDaniels was carrying two lamps out with him, Miss Evans says. "I wouldn't have recognized him for the lamps in front of him," she remembers, "but he spoke. He said, 'Hi there, how are you all,' and then I knew him."

Miss Evans seems to have little reason to lie.

After the shooting stopped, police arrested five looters and found McDaniels lying in the street. McDaniels' companion, Edward Brewster, ran nearly a mile to McDaniels' home, 5393 Seminole, of return with his wife.

Mrs. McDaniels claims police would not let her go to her husband. "I told them I was his wife, but they wouldn't let me touch him," she has said. "They said he was stealing. We just purchased furniture from that store. Why would he want to steal?"

McDaniels died at 11:30 p.m. the next day. No weapons were found at the scene; no snipers were arrested. Almost certainly, McDaniels was shot by police as he ran. The prosecutor's office has ruled that the death was not criminal, and the case of Willie McDaniels has now been closed.

27.

Police Shot

The National Guard and Detroit police poured more than 50 rounds of ammunition into the walls and
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windows of the Harlan House Motel, 6500 John Lodge Freeway, the night Helen Hall was killed.

Most of the firing was directed at the motel after she died. But the evidence leads to the conclusion that a National Guard or police bullet—not a sniper—ended her life.

Mrs. Hall, 30, of Oakdale, Conn., was in Detroit temporarily to help inventory some electrical supplies her firm had purchased.

She checked into the motel at 10:14 p.m. Sunday, July 23. She was killed about 1 a.m., July 26, as she stood at a fourth-floor window facing north.

One slug hit her in the heart, fragmented and tore in several paths through her body. A copper jacket like that which encases a .30 caliber rifle slug, was taken from her heart by the Wayne County Medical Examiner. A fragment of lead was taken from her liver. Other lead fragments were found in other parts of her body. They all came from the same bullet.

Two guests in the motel saw Mrs. Hall die. They were William Keller, 54, and Lisa Poirier, 24, of Montreal. Both told police Mrs. Hall was standing at the window at the north end of the hall.

A steady crackle of gunfire was heard from outside. Mrs. Hall cried to the others to come to the window and look at a tank. She pulled open the drapes and a bullet came almost instantly, hitting her chest-high and killing her almost at once.

Another bullet came at almost the same moment, passing about 12 inches over Miss Poirier's head and embedding in a wall.

There were three bullet holes in the window. The bullet that killed Mrs. Hall and the one that barely missed Miss Poirier made round holes the size of silver dollars in the window. The projectiles apparently struck straight on, and not at a sharp angle.

Moments after Mrs. Hall was shot, J. R. Glover, of Washington, D. C., was pecking his bags in Room 401 when he heard a shot outside his room. He crawled on the floor to the door, opened it and saw Mrs. Hall lying in the hallway.

Just then a young man brandishing a rifle burst into the room and went to the west window. Guardsmen outside saw him and directed a barrage at the window. A U. S. Marine, he miraculously

wildly through the tree at a target he could not see and killed Mrs. Hall—except that the manager of the Larrow Apartments, Mrs. Mabel Baker, said the sixth and seventh floors and the roof entrances were padlocked all during the riot and were not broken into.

The sixth and seventh floors are vacant office space. No tenants live there. There are no outside entrances.

No spent shells were found in the Larrow apartment building. Mrs. Baker says no shots were fired from the building all through the riot. The Larrow apartment building must be ruled out.

Further south from the Larrow building on the west side of the freeway there is a large parking garage under construction. The shot may have originated from this area, detectives say.

There is a clear but somewhat angled view of the window from this general area. Snipers were thought to be in this area directing fire at the Henry Ford Hospital.

But a shot from that direction would have suggested a fairly sharp angle of entry through the window. The bullet holes show no indication of an angle.

Numerous witnesses inside the Harlan House testified to the deafening sound of gunfire coming from police and National Guard troops stationed all around the building.

From the fourth floor window, a person can be clearly seen from vantage points along Grand Boulevard, particularly from the sidewalk which adjoins the National Cash Register Building.

Detective Kanka said the bullet had to come from a vantage point higher than Mrs. Hall's fourth floor position because it pierced her heart and traveled downward through her liver. This would suggest a sniper from a high position on the steel girders of the unfinished parking garage west of the freeway.

But, this is a long distance—more than a quarter of a mile—furthermore, a bullet hitting a person in the heart and then the liver would have to be fired from almost directly overhead. The killer would have had to be firing from an extremely steep angle nearly straight above Mrs. Hall. There is no vantage point from which this could have happened.

The Wayne County Medical Examiner, Dr. John Burton, said the bullet was fragmented. It struck something, possibly a bone, and was split into pieces and deflected so that one piece entered the liver. There is no evidence that the main path of the slug was from the heart to the liver.

Because of the angle of entry and the other inconsistencies, the theory of a shot from west of the freeway must be ruled out.

The most logical conclusion is that Mrs. Hall was killed by a bullet that was fired from the north, directly across Grand Boulevard, from ground level. This is a distance of 200 or 300 feet and would suggest a shallow trajectory approaching a level plane.

With so many police and Guardsmen at the scene, it is unlikely that a sniper was standing or crouching on the sidewalk in the midst of them.

What is likely is that a Guardsman, or more than one, saw the sudden flurry of movement as Mrs. Hall whipped the drapes aside. He, or they, aimed and shot at the window.

Moments after Mrs. Hall was shot, when Guards and police saw the Marine with his rifle moving about in Room 401, they did the same thing.

The Marine was luckier.

Henry Heading, chief of the Detroit



No. 37, John LeRoy: Did

quire protection from snipers, and no sniper was found in the building.

Police procedure calls for tear gas to be used on snipers wherever possible, a technique used on sniper Sydnor. If that fails or is impossible, officers are directed to rush the building, armed with shotguns, as long as other citizens will not be endangered by their doing so.

The police were never involved in the death of Tonia Blanding. No one asked them for help.

29.

William Dalton

William N. Dalton, a 19-year-old ex-Job Corps trainee, was killed by a police-shotgun blast.

A number of witnesses claim Dalton was goaded by police into making a break, then shot when he ran. Investigators from the Detroit Homicide Bureau say the case is hardly that simple.

They say they have no doubt that Dalton was an arsonist, along with several of his companions that night. They also say that Dalton may well have been attempting to escape arrest, although this theory seems riddled when it is noted that no initial police report was ever filed on the shooting. Nevertheless, if Dalton was attempting to evade apprehension, the officer had every right to fire, the officers point out.

The investigators also note that of the number of persons who say they witnessed the incident, not one has been able to provide information that might help identify the officer who

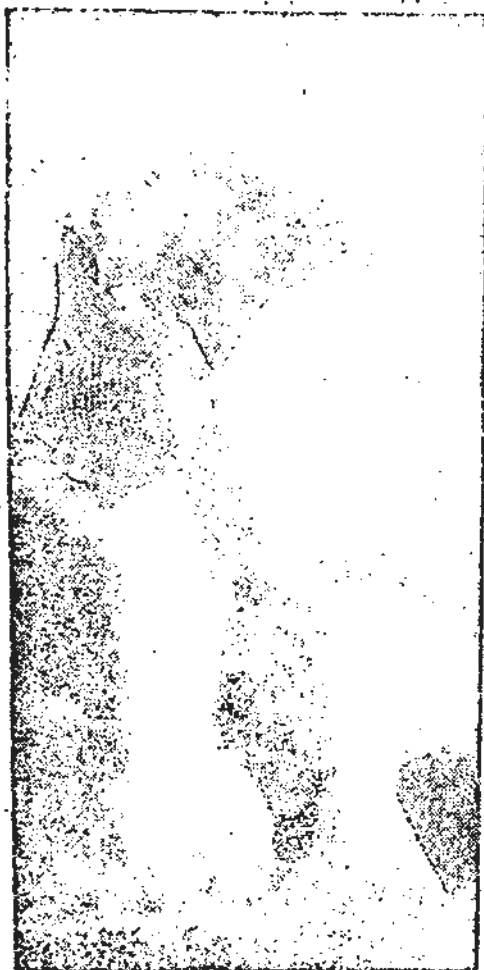


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Did someone shoot too soon?

his way, say: "Please, mister, don't do that to me."

Later, Hall says, he saw a policeman shove his shotgun at Dalton. He yelled: "Don't shoot that boy." Mrs. Jones corroborates this, saying that when Hall shouted, the officer turned in the direction of Hall's residence and shouted: "Shut up, or I'll blast your head off."

Dalton then ran, witnesses say, and was shot.

Another witness, Darryl Slater, 14, son of Mrs. Leatrice Slater, of 5630 Grand River, says he also saw officers bring Dalton out of the alley. He says he heard officers tell him to run, and saw him shot.

Dalton, a part-time milk truck helper for Twin Pine Dairy, was dead on arrival at 2:20 a.m. at Northwest General Hospital. According to Dr. John Burton, the Wayne County medical examiner, he died of shotgun wounds of the chest and abdomen. Dr. Burton estimates the wounds were inflicted by shots fired at a distance of six to 10 feet.

According to the police report in Cahalan's hands, police were unable to immediately remove Dalton's body because of heavy sniper fire.

An initial call, at 12:45 a.m., said "man down" and warned of sniper fire. The pick-up was not made until an hour or so later.

The residents, however, allege there was no fire in the area, except for the blast that killed Dalton.

And James Jones, chief of the Newsweek team in Detroit who arrived at the scene about 1:05 a.m., after hearing the 12:45 call, says he heard no sniper fire on Grand River as he drove

of the three dead youths with the consent of relatives.

Dr. Sillery concluded that all three men were shot from inside the building from a range of 15 feet or less by 12-gauge double-O buckshot. All the men were shot more than once. None could have been killed while engaged in a sniper battle with authorities outside the building.

Two of them, Temple and Pollard, were shot while lying or kneeling. The county medical examiner's autopsy reports agreed substantially with Sillery's findings.

A search of the motel annex failed to turn up any weapons.

Almost the only thing that persons in the motel and law officers are agreed on is that policemen burst into the motel about 2 a.m. The police said they were investigating sniper fire from the motel.

The motel guests said that half a dozen uniformed men broke open the front door with gun butts, spread through the building and rounded up the occupants.

The guests said they were lined up against the wall, threatened and beaten. They heard gunshots, but none said they saw any of the youths get killed, and when the police told them to leave they all fled into the night.

A pre-trial examination was begun Aug. 14 in Recorder's Court to determine whether Detroit Patrolmen Ronald W. August, 28, and Robert N. Paille, 31, should be held for trial in the killings of Pollard and Temple.

A youth who was in the motel, Michael Clark, testified that Paille and August had taken him into a room where Paille put a cocked pistol against his head and threatened to kill him.

Clark testified he later saw August take a youth into another room and that he heard a shot and someone fell to the floor.

August, charged with killing Pollard, submitted a statement that said he shot the youth in self defense when the youth tried to wrest the gun away.

August was ordered to stand trial for first-degree murder. No trial date has been set.

A National Guard warrant officer, Theodore J. Thomas, testified that he saw a policeman lead a man into a room and make him lie on the floor. Then the policeman fired a shot into the air, Thomas said. He could not identify the policeman.

He also said he saw August lead a man into a room and then heard a body fall. He said he had seen one body in Room A2 and one in A3 but did not see the other body in A3.

Paille, charged with slaying Temple, was released because of insufficient evidence. His defense attorney, Norman Lippitt, argued at the examination that all that had been proved was that Paille was in the motel that night.

No charges were filed in the death of Cooper. The evidence indicated that Cooper was the first to die in Room A2. The other two were shot later in A3.

On August 24 the county prosecutor brought conspiracy charges against Paille, a private guard named Melvin Dismukes, and Patrolman David Senak. August was named as a co-conspirator but not a defendant.

Cahalan charged that some of the lawmen in the annex had beaten, intimidated and abused the witnesses. He said they had engaged in excessive and obvious violation of criminal statutes.

No trial date has been set on the conspiracy charges.

It was the wrong model and the part Lust sought could not be found.

Moments later, Woytalowicz spotted a police car nearby and he and Koniecki ran, leaving Lust behind.

At 9:30, a private guard named Jamea Butler hailed a passing scout car. Butler was employed to guard stores in the area, but not the junkyard. He told police, though, that he had seen three of four men enter the junkyard, including one armed with a chrome-plated revolver.

The man with the revolver was a Negro, Butler said. No Negroes, and no gunman, can be placed at the scene.

Lust, meantime, was working with a wrench on a junk motor. The fan had been taken off and Willie Thomas, 52, a junkyard clerk, theorized later that Lust was after the water pump.

At that moment, two police officers went to the front of the junkyard, another to the back. They saw Lust walking toward them and yelled halt. Lust made some sort of motion with his left hand, then, officers say, began to run.

Two officers fired; one bullet struck Lust in the right side. He was dead on arrival at Detroit General Hospital.

A pool of blood was found later, within two feet of the motor Lust had been working on. If he ran, he did not run far.

Butler may have mistaken a wrench for a chrome-plated revolver; why he thought a Negro was involved is not known. Lust and his two companions were white.

The water pump Lust was working on sells for \$4. The transmission housing that drew him to the junkyard costs \$4.50. In fact, the junkyard's only loss was a metal lock.

Police had to shoot it off to remove Lust's body.

36.

George Messerlian

They called him George, because Krikor Messerlian was quite a mouthful for his shoe repair customers. Messerlian, 68, operated a shoe repair shop at 7711 Linwood.

He worked hard and kept his own counsel. For 30 years he had mended shoes at the shop and quietly minded his own business. If other people had minded theirs, Messerlian would still be alive.

Messerlian was one of the first victims to fall in the riot. On the first day of violence, July 23, witnesses said he was beaten about the head by a Negro youth with a thick, 30-inch club. Messerlian died July 27 in Henry Ford Hospital.

Bands of looters were rampaging through the neighborhood as Messerlian was tending a cleaning shop next to his shoe shop. It was 4:30 p.m.

Witnesses said a gang of Negroes came along and told Messerlian to get out of the shop. Messerlian had fought for his rights and a living since he came to America in 1920. He refused.

He stood less than five feet tall and weighed 100 pounds. He took up a 24-inch saber that he kept in the shop and prepared to defend his property. Witnesses said Messerlian, swinging the saber, cut one youth on the right shoulder before he was felled.

A Negro youth shouted, "I'll get the

escaped injury and was taken into custody by police who by this time had gained entry to the motel.

Ballistics tests established that the Marine's gun did not kill Mrs. Hall, police said. They said he was on leave and just happened to be passing through Detroit. No charges were filed against him.

Because the fatal bullet seemed to have entered straight through the window, detectives investigated the possibility that the shot may have come from the National Cash Register Building. This building is on the north side of Grand Boulevard.

Between it and the window where Mrs. Hall was shot there is an annex of the Harlan House, which has three floors of rooms for guests and some parking space between the annex and Grand Blvd.

The National Cash Register Building has been ruled out by detectives. The office manager, Arthur Rector, said the building was closed early and locked all night all during the riot.

The only entrance to the roof is through a fire escape on the third floor. No spent shells were found on the roof and there was no physical evidence that anyone was up there. The building was intact all through the riots, no windows were broken, and no one reported seeing any firing coming from the building.

Detective John Jacobs of the Homicide Bureau interviewed guests and employees of Harlan House by telephone just after Mrs. Hall was shot. A few days later, Detectives Harry Hill and Robert Kanka were assigned to the case.

On the morning that Mrs. Hall was shot, however, workmen began replacing the bullet riddled window. By Wednesday afternoon, July 26—the same day of the killing—a new window was in place. Thus, Hill and Kanka never saw the broken window.

They investigated the possibility that sniper fire from somewhere west of the John Lodge freeway may have killed Mrs. Hall. They concluded, and this is the official verdict, that a bullet from that area did in fact kill her.

That is inconsistent with the apparent path of the slug that entered the window. The projectile that skimmed over Lisa Poirier's head skipped along the wall, grazing the fiberboard, and buried itself in a wall directly opposite the window where she was standing.

This bullet clearly came from a straight-in path, not angled from the west. It was fired at almost the same moment as the one that killed Mrs. Hall. Miss Poirier saw Mrs. Hall fall, heard the second bullet whiz over her head and fainted, falling back into her room.

The detectives hold out the possibility that the fatal bullet came from the Larrow Apartments, 8047 John Lodge.

The Larrow apartment building is a full half mile, measured by a car speedometer, north of the Harlan House on the west side of the freeway.

The police say that someone with binoculars was spotted on the third floor of the building two days after Mrs. Hall was shot. An investigation brought forth several weapons. But ballistics tests disclosed that none of the weapons killed Mrs. Hall.

Furthermore, the Larrow Apartments from the fifth floor down are completely blocked from view of the fatal window by the National Cash Register Building.

The sixth and seventh floors and the roof are completely obscured by a large tree growing next to the National Cash Register Building.

A sniper could conceivably have fired

said he believes a guardman shot Mrs. Hall. He is, however, continuing his investigation.

28.

HOME DEFENSE

Tonia Blanding, a four-year-old Negro girl, paid for the crimes and mistakes of others.

The corner of Euclid and Twelfth was like a battlefield the night of July 25.

National Guardsmen said there was sniper fire originating from the second floor of the apartment building at 1756 W. Euclid.

A part-time employee of Bowman Private Police, John W. Bryant, said in a sworn statement that he had been fired on from the building a half hour before Tonia was killed and also the night before.

Guardsmen said one of their 2½-ton trucks was under fire by a sniper who was apparently shooting from the second floor apartment where Tonia was killed. The Guardsmen said they returned the fire.

During this time, Cpl. Danny Kwietnicki reported to a tank commander, Sgt. Mortimer J. LeBlanc, 41, that he had seen a flash in the apartment window.

Huddled on the living room floor of the second-floor apartment were June Blanding, Valerie and William Hood, William Hood Jr., James Matthew Blanding and several other children, including Tonia.

LeBlanc, while moving his tank to a position on Euclid directly opposite the apartment building, said the vehicle was under fire from the apartment. Once in position, LeBlanc fired short bursts from his 50-caliber machine gun into the windows he believed the sniper fire had come from.

Occupants of the apartment said later that they were not fired on until William Hood lighted a match for a cigaret.

Detective David Mason of the Detroit Police Department investigated later and decided that the Guards' firing had been directed only at the apartment from which they believed they were fired on.

Tonia died from bullets believed fired from the machine gun.

Mason said he later found one spent .38 caliber hull next to one of the windows in the apartment and a box of .38 caliber shells with some rounds missing. Police said Hood testified he owned a .38 caliber revolver.

Mason said he found in the apartment 20 men's coats, 35 pairs of men's trousers, 40 shirts, four overcoats, 23 paint brushes, two portable record players, a tape recorder, a portable television set, three portable radios and a movie camera.

There are discrepancies between the version given by the occupants of the apartment and the National Guard investigation.

The occupants said they were not fired on until after the match was lighted, yet the guardsmen from the 2½-ton truck were reported to have fired at the apartment also.

Nowhere is it explained why the private guard, Bryant, did not report being fired on the day before from the apartment which he said he had pinpointed.

Finally, the wisdom of turning a .50 caliber machine gun, which fires a slug that will cut through quarter-inch steel, on a frame dwelling is questionable. Certainly, the men in the tank did not re-

prepared by the Homicide Bureau, is being scrutinized at home this weekend by Wayne County Prosecutor William Cuhalan.

The incident took place shortly after midnight on July 28, the fourth day of the riot.

According to witnesses, Dalton had been sitting on the porch of a Fernwood Street home until shortly after midnight, when he left, perhaps to go to the home of a girl friend, Marcia Kitchen, 15, daughter of Mrs. Martha Kitchen, of 4871 Fernwood. The homes are just two doors apart.

As he walked between the homes, witnesses say, he was arrested by three policemen, probably as a curfew violator.

Phillip Hyde, 23, of 1832 Fernwood, who says he observed the arrest from his porch across the street, claims that the officers put Dalton against a tree and searched him. He says they "tried to make him run, but he said he wasn't going to do it."

Hyde and another witness, Willie Arnold, 26, say the officers then walked Dalton toward Grand River, and forced him to turn down an alley which runs on the south side of Grand River between Fernwood and Edmonton. He and other witnesses say they later heard a single shot.

Other witnesses say Dalton was marched to the intersection of the Fernwood-Edmonton alley with the Grand River alley, where he was forced against the wall of a warehouse, his hands on his head.

From the warehouse, witnesses say, Dalton was marched across Edmonton to the vicinity of a parking lot, just west of Wild's Cleaners, at 8627 Grand River.

Picking up the story here is Mrs. Alberta Jones, who lives at Grand River and Arcadia, directly across from where Dalton was shot.

She claims she saw officers take Dalton into an alley on the west side of Edmonton. There, she says, she heard Dalton cry: "I didn't see no fires. You didn't see no fires."

She says Dalton was then brought into the parking lot, where a police officer pushed him against a wall, shoving him with a shotgun.

Then, they say, officers ordered Dalton to run. They say he ran along the building and vaulted over the hood of a car. As he did, they say, a policeman raised his shotgun, and fired one shot, killing Dalton on the sidewalk in front of a cleaners.

Mrs. Jones says the officer then yelled: "Let's get out of here." She says: "Everyone jumped into their cars and went off in every direction."

She adds that she never called police about the incident. "All they would have done is relayed it to the police who did the shooting, and I didn't want no part of that," she says.

In all, witnesses say, as many as 20 police and National Guardsmen saw the shooting.

Another person who says he witnessed the shooting is Charles Hall, 25, of 4210 Edmonton.

He says he heard noise in the alley, and went to a window. In the streetlight at the intersection of the alleys, he says he saw a young Negro in a white sweat shirt standing with his hands on his head. That was Dalton.

He says he could not make out what the officers were saying, because their backs were turned. But he says he is sure he heard Dalton, who was facing

Dalton, who attended a Job Corps camp at Camp Kilmer, N.J., in 1966, lived with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Dalton, at 1495 Taylor, about two miles from the scene. She says that Dalton's being in the Grand River neighborhood was not unusual. She says he often spent time with friends there.

Mrs. Dalton says she first heard her son might have been killed when residents called next morning to say they thought the youth they had seen shot was her son. Some of his friends had found his white straw hat, and blood at the scene.

She says that she then saw a William M. Dalton listed in the newspapers as a riot victim, but she wasn't sure that was her son, because his middle initial is N.

That evening, she says, she went to the Wayne County Morgue, but was turned away at the door without an answer. She says she was barred from Detroit Police Headquarters by soldiers.

On Thursday, she went back to the morgue. She found that the dead youth was her son; he had been identified through fingerprints on file when he had once been arrested for reckless driving.

30. Aubrey Pollard
31. Carl Cooper
32. Fred Temple

At midnight Tuesday, July 25, three Negro youths were shooting craps on the second floor of the three-story annex of the Algiers Motel.

Two white girls who had run out on a \$308.17 bill at the Pontchartrain Hotel were in the Algiers annex, and seven or eight other persons were mingling and visiting between floors.

A little more than an hour later the three crap shooters were dead from shotgun blasts.

Carl Cooper, 17, was lying face down in a pool of blood in Room A2. Fred Temple, 18, and Aubrey Pollard, 19, were lying dead in Room A3.

The girls were crying, one had a cut on her head, and both they and other guests claimed they had been beaten and threatened by officers in blue uniforms.

It had been a night of horror and bloodshed, with rioting and gunfire in all areas outside, and shotgun blasts along with reports of sniping—and worse—from inside.

Days later, when confused testimony from witnesses was pieced together, one Detroit policeman was charged with first-degree murder in the deaths of one Negro youth.

Another policeman was freed after a pre-trial examination failed to turn up enough evidence to hold him for trial.

Two policemen and a private guard were charged with conspiracy in connection with alleged beating, intimidation and abuse of persons in the motel.

The Algiers Motel had a shadowy reputation even before the events of that awful night. The police had made arrests for prostitution, and narcotics users were known to frequent the place.

An investigation was begun by the Free Press the day after the shootings when stories began to circulate among the Negroes, stories containing allegations of brutality and unwarranted killings.

A pathologist hired by the Free Press, Dr. Robert Sillery, examined the bodies

but was cleared of wrongdoing last week in the death of Joseph Chandler. Cahalan is still investigating Senak's part in the death of Palmer Gray.

Dismukes is also awaiting trial on a felonious assault charge involving the Algiers Motel.

33. Willie Hunter
34. Prince Williams

Willie Hunter and Prince Williams died by accident. There was negligence involved, but it was of their own making.

Their bodies were found Wednesday, July 26, charred and decomposing in the flooded basement of Brown's Drugstore, 8202 Twelfth, by firemen called to fight a lingering rubbish fire in the building's ruins.

An autopsy showed that the men—friends and fellow auto factory workers—died of carbon monoxide asphyxiation, probably on Sunday, when the first rash of arsonist's fires swept the length of Twelfth St. There were no bullet holes or other wounds identified.

The two men were last seen by witnesses who say they were headed toward Twelfth Street from Williams' apartment at 1734 Seward. The time, as closely as it can be recalled, was about 6:30 p.m. Sunday.

Apparently they entered the store—to look or to loot—and somehow were trapped when the building burned. Perhaps the drugstore went up suddenly, ignited by a Molotov cocktail. Perhaps Hunter and Williams tempted fate, and didn't leave in time.

Hunter, 26, of 3454 Van Dyke, left a wife, a two-year-old daughter and a year-old son. Williams lived alone and seldom spoke of his family to other tenants in his building. He is believed to have been separated from his wife and two daughters.

Both Negroes, the two friends left a common, stony legacy: Though their bodies were not found until Wednesday, they apparently were the first to die in the nation's deadliest riot.

35. Julius Lust

Julius Lust was one of two white men shot as looters.

Probably that classification is unfair. There is no proof that Lust was a looter; apparently, he was only a thief.

Lust, 28, of 18993 Mitchell, was killed in the G. & W. Auto Parts Co. junkyard at 17130 Joseph Campau, the night of July 26. Two Detroit policemen shot at him when they caught him in the yard; which bullet killed him is not known.

Two men with Lust the night of the shooting, Gary Woytalowicz, 20, and Zygmunt Koniecki, 17, say they met at Lust's house early that evening. Lust told them he had permission to enter the junkyard to get a housing for an automatic transmission for a 1961 Ford Falcon. A junkyard employee named Dean Turley had given him permission, Lust said.

Both the yard's owners, George and Walt Wejbas, and Turley himself deny that any permission was given.

In any case, Lust, Woytalowicz and Koniecki went to the yard about 9 p.m. that night, climbing over the back fence. There was a 1961 Falcon in the lot, but

away and disappeared into the mob, witnesses said.

On Aug. 11 police acted on a tip and arrested Harryl McCurtis, 20, of 8911 Linwood.

McCurtis was arraigned Aug. 16 on a first degree murder charge and pleaded innocent. He is being held in the Wayne County jail pending a felony examination Sept. 22.

The youth told police he had arrived in Detroit six weeks before the riot started from Birmingham, Ala.

37. John LeRoy

The official reports of the shooting of John LeRoy are cut and dried.

According to police and the National Guard, LeRoy, 30, of 5119 Garland, was shot when he and four companions ran a roadblock on Lyncaste, near Mack. The official police report says he admitted running the roadblock when he was admitted to Detroit General Hospital with wounds to the chest, arms and stomach.

According to witnesses and survivors, the official versions are untrue.

A key figure in the case is Ronald Powers, 25, of 3189 Lyncaste, an employe at the Chrysler Motor Corp. Mack Avenue Plant, and a part-time barber. He says it was because of him that the men were out after curfew. His wife was expecting a baby momentarily, he says, and he wanted to get home.

Powers says he and his companions — Edward Blackshear, 28, 1600 Blaine; Charles Glover, 36, 3322 Tyler; Charles Dunson, 32, of 5103 Garland, and LeRoy — all had been at the Dunson home the afternoon and evening of July 25, the third day of the riot. He admits they had been drinking, but insists "not much — a pint between us all day."

Shortly before midnight, he says, he decided he ought to go home. His wife, saying she was weak, had already left, he says. Dunson volunteered to drive.

All five piled into Dunson's station wagon, and left the Dunson home for Powers' apartment, some 15 blocks away.

They drove east on East Warren, then turned onto Gladwin. At Gladwin and Canfield, they were stopped at a National Guard checkpoint. They explained why they were out after curfew, and received permission to go ahead, providing they took a special route — back up Gladwin to E. Warren, over to Connor, then take Charlevoix to Lyncaste.

They took off, following the Guard instructions to the letter, Powers says. Most of the route was dark, he recalls, with "most of the streetlights out." About 10 minutes later, Dunson turned the car off Charlevoix onto Lyncaste. They drove north on Lyncaste, lights on.

Midway up the street, between Charlevoix and Goethe, they spotted a National Guard jeep at the curb. Dunson says they stopped, assuming it was another checkpoint. The Guardsmen opened fire.

Standing behind trees, between houses, the Guardsmen riddled the car. A Free Press reporter later counted at least 17 bullet holes, all in the front and right front.

Powers says: "We were screaming: 'We didn't do anything.' But they kept on shooting." "I cut my engine off," Dun-

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son says. "Maybe that saved the rest of us."

"They must have thought we were all dead. They stopped shooting. Everything was quiet. Then we started screaming for help. . . people asked to help . . . but the Guardsmen told them to get back in their houses, that it was none of their business. They said they would shoot them, too."

Dunson's statement is corroborated by numerous Lyncaste residents. One of them, James Brown, 53, of 3005 Lyncaste, says: "I heard a Guardsmen shout: 'Halt.' I heard them stop. Then I heard the Guardsmen fire."

He says the car had stopped about 10 feet south of the jeep.

At this time, a photographer, Dennis Brack, 27-year-old staffer from Black Star, arrived at the scene.

He says that after several minutes, a Guard commander decided it was safe to approach the auto, stepped forward, and shined a light into the car.

The occupants were then told to leave the car, and they crawled out, LeRoy helping Powers. They lay in the street. "One fellow," Brack remembers, "miserably 'Mother' over and over. Then everybody stood around and waited for an ambulance."

At this point, two more contentions of police and Guard come into dispute.

According to the official report, the Guards' fire was touched off by a shot belived fired from the car. One Guardsman was wounded in the ankle by the round, they say.

After the firing, the report goes on, the injured men "were ordered to lay in the street . . . to prevent further injury from the snipers to themselves."

Both points are disputed by all persons interviewed by the Free Press. They say there was no sniper fire on Lyncaste either before or after the Guardsmen riddled the car.

All the witnesses say numerous Lyncaste residents wanted to go to the men's aid, but were shouted back into their homes by Guardsmen.

Disputes aside, it is true that the Guard's fire took a grim toll.

Dunson was shot in the face. His sight in both eyes is questionable. Powers suf-

contained 20 tin foil packets of suspected marijuana.

They have never found the armed man, nor the chrome-plated revolver.

But a 16-year-old boy who has never been questioned by police claims he was the youth on the front stairs when the officers arrived -- and that what he carried was not a revolver, but a transistor radio trimmed in shiny metal and topped with a chrome-plated antenna.

The youth, Kenneth Randle of 3418 St. Jean, said he has been questioned by the FBI and showed them the radio. He has never volunteered his story to the police.

Randle said he was talking to the landlady of the two-family building when Moore, who rented the upstairs flat, drove up and asked him to go upstairs and get two fifths of rum from Roquemore.

"I went up and it took about three minutes to find him (Roquemore), there were so many people in there," Randle said. "But I didn't see anyone even drinking liquor, or smoking marijuana or anything, they were just sitting around and talking."

"And I told Roquemore he better get out of there because everybody knew the police were going to raid the place because of loot supposed to be up there."

(Almost everyone in the flat had heard rumors of the impending raid. An unknown youth with a grudge against Moore had threatened to tip the police out of spite, because Moore was allegedly taking whisky, perhaps for resale, from the youth's former girlfriend. No one would admit to actual knowledge of loot in the flat, however.)

Roquemore took the rum from a case of liquor in the bedroom, but called Randle back as he was leaving to put the rum in a brown paper bag.

"I went downstairs," Randle said. "I had the paper bag with the rum in my left hand and my transistor radio in my right hand and I went to open the door and I heard the policeman say, 'He's got a gun!'"

"I don't know what possessed me. I dropped the bag and ran up the stairs and I turned the corner and I heard the shot right into the wall behind me. It would've hit me if I hadn't run."

Randle denies there was marijuana in the bag.

With the others, Randle half ran, half fell down the kitchen stairs in the rear of the flat while a shotgun blammed behind them.

He said he was still inside the house clutching the transistor radio -- the possible "chrome-plated revolver" -- when Roquemore was shot outside.

"It isn't true what they say about Roquemore (running into the line of fire) because it was me they were supposed to be shooting at, and he was shot and lying on his back in the alley before I came out of the house," Randle said. "I've had nightmares ever since."

Randle's assumption that he is the man mistaken for a gunman is open to question. Certainly, one of the other youths may have been armed; the presence of the ammunition confiscated in the flat suggests that someone there had a gun at some time.

Three persons were injured from shotgun fire in the flat: Sherlene Moore, 17, of 2219 Lyncaste, wounded in the right side; Diane Coleman, 13, of 2221 Lyncaste, wounded in the back, and Ulysses Law-

rence on Human Resources Development. Witherspoon calls himself an "eye-witness to murder."

At about 4:30 p.m., Witherspoon says, he heard shouting and shooting and went to his porch to investigate. He says he saw two Guardsmen proceeding up the street, waving back cars that were trying to go east to 12th St. When cars failed to stop, the Guardsmen squeezed off rounds over the cars from their M-1 rifles.

"You could see the drivers duck," Witherspoon says. "One minute you'd see their heads. The next minute you wouldn't."

Witherspoon says the two Guardsmen also yelled at residents on porches to get back in their houses.

The Guard's procedure that day is confirmed by a Free Press reporter assigned to that area. He says that several of the streets approaching 12th St. were being closed by the Guard. He says the technique of closing them consisted of "standing in the middle of the street, shouting obscenities at whoever they were trying to move. If they didn't instantly obey, they'd fire over the cars or over people's heads as they stood on their lawns."

At about 5 p.m., Witherspoon says, he saw a man--Talbert--walking east on LaSalle Gardens South. His companion, Lance Smith, 28, of 3010 Gladstone, walked several paces behind. Talbert had just left his car, a 1965 Chevrolet, on Duquoin.

Witherspoon says he was frightened for Talbert, but had no chance to warn him back. A moment later, one of the Guardsmen raised his rifle, aimed directly at Talbert and shot.

Talbert fell hard on the sidewalk, bleeding profusely. "Help me. I'm dying," he cried. He died 10 days later, on Aug. 5, in Henry Ford Hospital. An autopsy attributed death to pneumonia caused by the wound.

Witherspoon's version is corroborated by numerous LaSalle Gardens residents. One of them is Frank Morrow, 31, of 1974 LaSalle Gardens South, a combat veteran of Korea who disobeyed a Guard order to go to Talbert's aid.

By the time he got there, Morrow said, five other Guardsmen had arrived. He says he asked a Guard captain to take Talbert to the hospital but the captain said that was "not authorized."

Two priests from St. Agnes Catholic Church, Father John Markham and Father Norman Thomas, came up, administered the last rites to Talbert and took him and Smith to the hospital in Smith's car. Smith had been struck by the same bullet that hit Talbert, but his wound was less serious.

Why Talbert was shot is a mystery. He had broken no law and carried no weapon. He was no curfew violator; the time was 5 p.m. He could not be mistaken for a looter; he carried nothing with him and there are no stores in the immediate area where he was shot.

According to the Guard, Talbert was shot for refusing to heed a command to halt. The Guardsman who fired the shot told police that his Guard companion had repeatedly ordered these men (Talbert and Smith) off the street.

He says that one of the men, either Talbert or Smith, had called to him. "I'm going to cut your throat, you son-of-a-bitch." He says that "this man (Talbert) continued to come forward" so he aimed and fired at him.

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...wounded in the riot and a slug in his back. Leroy was mortally wounded. He died July 28 — three days after the incident — in Detroit General Hospital.

Powers recalls that one Guardsman, asked by one of the wounded men to take him to a hospital, replied: "What do you want me to do? Carry you on my back?"

Numerous residents also say they heard the remark.

Dunson claims one Guardsman told the wounded: "Shut up or we'll shoot some more."

Ambulances finally arrived and the casualties were carried off. A search of the car revealed no weapons, making it impossible that the wounded Guardsman was shot from the automobile.

A Detroit policeman, well-remembered by witnesses, ended the incident when he told the Guardsmen — apparently in no uncertain terms — that he wanted no more shooting.

"He was a real nice officer," one witness said.

38.

Ernest Roquemore

Ernest Roquemore, 19, was shot in the back by an Army paratrooper July 29, one of a crowd fleeing from a Saturday night police raid on an East Side flat, scrambling to escape a hail of shotgun pellets that may have been sparked by the glint of a transistor radio.

The paratrooper has been cleared of any wrongdoing by Wayne County Prosecutor William L. Cahalan, who has ruled that Roquemore's death was a justifiable homicide that occurred when the Negro youth ran into the line of fire between the paratrooper and an unknown man fleeing with a gun.

Police never found that man or the gun he was supposed to be carrying.

The official police report says two squad cars of police and paratroopers of the 32nd Airborne Division went to the \$35-a-month upstairs flat at 3181 St. Jean on a tip that riot loot was stored there.

The flat was rented by Harold Moore, a young Negro. Roquemore, who had a job with a taxicab garage, had moved in with Moore less than two weeks before.

Police said that as they mounted the porch steps they saw through the screen door a young Negro with "a brown paper bag in one hand and a chrome-plated revolver in the other."

They stormed in, firing at least three shotgun blasts at the scrambling crowd inside, a group of about a dozen Negroes, most of them young girls. Hearing the shots, paratroopers who had remained behind in the police cars ran alongside the house to the backyard, just as people began spilling out the back door.

"Watch it!" someone shouted. "That man has a gun coming out the door." The soldiers also observed the man with the chrome revolver, police said, and he turned and fired at them.

One paratrooper loaded his rifle, aimed and fired. As he did so, Roquemore ran in front of him, was struck by the bullet, and fell. He was pronounced dead of a gunshot wound in the center of the back at 7:40 p.m. at Detroit General Hospital.

Police confiscated one case of assorted whisky, a tape recorder, a TV set, two sets of Michigan license plates and five rounds of .22 caliber ammunition. They said the brown paper bag they recovered

was amputated as a result of the shotgun wounds.

"It wasn't right, them coming in shooting like that, and it was mostly girls in there, girls 12 and 13," said Randle.

"I don't see how it's possible my son stepped into the line of fire and got shot squarely in the back," said Ernest Roquemore, Sr., whose grief is unabated a month after his son's death. "I don't care if that place was full of dope, that's nothing to get shot in the back at. That's careless use of firearms."

Said a spokesman for the Homicide Bureau: "There was a man with a gun shooting at our men. What would you expect them to do?"

The FBI is still investigating the case.

39.

John Ashby

John Ashby, a smiling, handsome young man, could have graced a fireman's recruiting poster.

He was everything the ideal fireman should be. He loved the department. He had been given the Distinguished Service Award three weeks before his death for helping catch a boy who had been turning in false alarms.

He died fighting a blaze set by an arsonist during the riot.

Ashby, 24, was badly burned when his metal helmet touched a high voltage line at 3:30 a.m. July 24. He died Aug. 5 in Detroit General Hospital.

Ashby had been transferred from Engine 21 at Linwood and Calvert to Ladder Truck 21 to relieve a fireman who was worn out after 24 hours of chasing riot fires.

Ladder 21, based at W. Chicago and Livernols, was ordered to the East Side to battle flames at several buildings on Canton and Lafayette.

Ashby took the nozzle of a high-pressure hose and climbed an aerial ladder. When his helmet brushed the 4,800-volt electric wire he was badly burned and his breathing stopped. Firemen administered mouth-to-mouth respiration and rushed him to the hospital.

For days it looked as if Ashby would make it. The day before he died he was worrying about his job when a Catholic priest visited him.

"Father," Ashby said, "do you think I'll lose my job over this thing?"

The next day Fire Chief Charles Quinlan and other officers visited him.

"If I could move, sir, I'd salute you," Ashby said.

"No, John, we're here to salute you," Quinlan said.

The entire force saluted him, company by company, as a black-draped fire truck bore him to his grave.

40.

George Talbert

George Talbert was shot and mortally wounded by a National Guardsman as he walked down a West Side street in broad daylight, unarmed and innocent.

The shooting occurred about 5 p.m. on Wednesday, July 26, as Talbert, 30, of 1451 Thirtieth St., walked east on LaSalle Gardens South, a residential street near the devastated Twelfth St. area.

One of the witnesses is Julian F. Witherspoon, 47, 1978 La Salle Gardens South, an area chairman for the Mayor's Com-

Guard's story, and none of the witnesses do, Talbert's death must be called inexcusable.

Talbert had a legal right to be where he was and to do what he was doing. Martial law had not been declared; the Guard had no arrest power whatever and its authority to give orders to anyone was sharply limited.

The Guardsman himself disobeyed a standing order — a court-martial offense — when he fired the shot that killed Talbert. Lt. Gen. John Throckmorton, commander of the Federal troops during the riot, had ordered the Guard to unload its weapons and told Guardsmen to fire only on the command of an officer. This order was not followed.

Prosecutor William Cahalan has not yet ruled on Talbert's death.

41.

Albert Robinson

The only sure thing in the case of Albert Robinson is that he is dead.

What happened just after he suffered his fatal wound — and how he suffered it — is contested by persons at the scene, an attorney who has studied the incident, and police.

According to one witness, Robinson, a 33-year-old factory worker, was bayoneted and kicked by a National Guardsman as he lay in the alley behind his apartment.

Another witness says the Guardsman tortured Robinson with the bayonet.

The police insist Robinson was not bayoneted.

The doctor on whose statement the police base their belief admits he isn't sure.

Notarized statements of the witnesses are in the hands of Kenneth Hyton, an attorney. In one statement, Charles Love, 23, manager of the apartment building at Davison and LaSalle, where Robinson lived, says the Guardsman kicked Robinson as he lay moaning. Then, according to Love, a Negro, the Guardsmen said: "Aren't you dead yet?" and bayoneted Robinson twice.

The other witness, Charles Maleseve, who is white, of 10185 Andover, says he saw the Guardsman "taking his rifle with a bayonet on it, and sticking it on his (Robinson's) body, and saying: 'Does that feel good? How does that feel?'"

He admits he didn't see the Guardsman actually stab Robinson. But he says that after police had taken Robinson to the hospital, the Guardsman told him: "I stuck him five times, and I tried to rip him, but he wouldn't rip. So I just twisted it."

Maleseve says he doesn't believe the Guardsman stabbed him that many times. A couple, probably, but not five. He believes the Guardsman was bragging.

The incident occurred late on the night of July 26, the fourth day of the riot. National Guardsmen said they were taken under fire by snipers from Robinson's apartment building on the West Side. The Guardsmen say they returned the fire and that when police arrived, a heavier volume of fire was directed at the building.

The occupants were ordered out of the building, and in the melee that followed the Guardsmen say Robinson was shot.

The initial police report said Robinson was trying to escape.

Wounded, Robinson was ordered to lie in the alley behind the apartment house along with five other residents of the

were called to Mack and Rohms about 4:30 a.m. on July 25 on a report that two men were breaking and entering into a tavern.

The report continues:

"It appears that several police officers responded to the run, at which time John Doe No. 401 (Banks) was seen running. When an order to halt was given by the officers, Banks continued running, at which time several shots were fired at him. Banks was found in the alley east of Rohms, south of Mack."

At least three witnesses said they saw Banks lying wounded on Crane Street, a block west of Rohms. They are Edward Brook, owner of Brooks Auto Service, 8752 Mack; Charles Bowens, 28, of 3312 Crane, and Vernon J. Jenkins, 17, who was visiting his aunt at 3312 Crane.

Bowens said he was watching from his window when Banks was shot. He said he had heard Banks' footsteps clicking on the sidewalk as he walked from his home north toward the bus stop on Mack. Bowens said he watched Banks fall near a pickup truck owned by Brook.

Brook said he had been guarding his garage through the night. When he heard shots, he said, he opened his garage door and saw Banks lying on the grass between the sidewalk and Crane Street. His red pickup truck, which was parked at the scene, has several bullet holes in it.

Detectives said Banks had been identified as one of two men who were seen in the M & R Lounge, 8236 Mack. One detective told Banks' sister, Mrs. Frances Hume of Washington, D.C., that Banks had been seen drinking in the bar.

Another detective told Robert Wade, manager of the M & R Lounge, that a police sergeant had seen Banks in the lounge just before he was shot.

Wade, however, says that he had personally boarded up the lounge at about 6:30 Monday night—some eight hours before Banks was shot. He said when he returned the next morning, after Banks was dead, the lounge was still boarded up and intact.

"This place was broken into Monday afternoon," Wade said. "About 6:30 we came down and nailed the door shut. Then we put screws in all the windows. The police are trying to tell me there was somebody in here. It was impossible for people to get in and out unless Banks broke in and then boarded the door back up before he ran down the alley."

Wade said he had told this to a detective. No statement by Wade, however, appears in the police report. There is a statement from the bar's owner, Joseph Pampalone, that his bar was looted at 5 p.m. Monday and that Pampalone did not return to it until Wednesday.

Mrs. Margaret Brooks, 73, who lives in a second floor apartment at 8811 Mack, was the person who called police that morning and informed them that looters were in the alley. Mrs. Brooks' apartment is on the second floor, over the Gen Party Store, next to the bar.

Mrs. Brooks said she was staying with a friend at 2510 Rohms and saw two men in the alley at the rear of the party store and the lounge.

One of the men was acting as a lookout, she said. The men ran west in the alley when National Guardsmen approached after she had called the police.

FIREPOWER: On patrol in riot area, jeep's armament includes two .30-caliber machine guns, a Browning automatic rifle, four carbines and at least two .45-caliber automatic pistols.

building, including Love, the apartment manager, and his wife Angella, and Henry C. Miller, 42, a cab driver. According to Love, it was there that the Guardsman bayoneted and kicked Robinson.

Robinson was later hauled to Detroit General Hospital, where he died Aug. 5 ten days later.

Police say Robinson was a sniper. He had been ordered held for assault with intent to commit murder, the same charge that was also laid against Miller, but which was later reduced to resisting arrest. Miller was freed on \$2,500 bond.

Witness and police accounts on who entered the apartment to help ferret occupants out do not agree. Witnesses say Guardsmen went in, along with police. The police report makes no mention of Guardsmen entering.

According to police, Robinson was spotted inside, already bleeding.

But they also say that Robinson told investigators in the hospital that "he was knocked to the ground and subsequently bayoneted and shot while on the ground." He thought the man who shot him was a Guardsman, officers say.

According to Robinson's mother, Mrs. Edna Robinson, Robinson told her later in the hospital: "Albert told me he was in the hall to empty trash when the National Guard burst in the door and ordered everyone out. He said there was a volley of bullets, and he got shot and stabbed."

She adds: "He said they kept asking him where's the gun, and when he said he didn't have one, they said: 'You're lying, nigger.'"

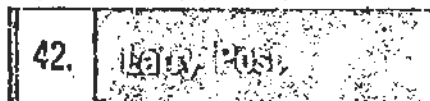
Hylton, the attorney, believes neither the Guard or police story. Piecing his statements together, he believes that the Guardsman, acting without provocation, shot Robinson while he was still inside the building.

"I'm sure there was no resistance on the part of anyone," he says.

Hylton also notes that no weapons were found in the apartment.

Neither Love nor Melrose saw Robinson shot.

But according to Melrose, who ob-



Three young men went out sightseeing in the early morning darkness of July 26 in violation of the riot curfew.

Their trip resulted in the fatal shooting of National Guard Sgt. Larry Post by an unknown fellow Guardsman and the police beating of the three men which sent them to the hospital.

It started when the three made a wrong turn and got onto Dexter, which had been in the center of a sniper area all day.

The youths, all white, were Ronald Schuster, 23, of 13527 Riverview; John McBriane, 20, of 14088 Riverview, and Gary P. Mezger, 21, of 12837 Woodbine.

Schuster was driving his 1963 Chevrolet east on Schoolcraft. He turned south on Dexter, and Mezger said: "Hey, this is where all the shooting is going on. We don't want to stay here."

But Schuster had other ideas apparently, for he drove 12 blocks south on Dexter to Richton.

As the official police report relates it, the boys drove through a roadblock set up on Dexter and Richton. After shouting at the occupants of the car to halt, National Guard troops in the vicinity opened fire.

The car stopped, and the youths were taken out of it. No weapons were found in the car. A short time later, Sgt. Post of the National Guard was found lying on the ground dying.

He had been struck with a high power slug in the back. It exited through his abdomen on a level plane, the medical examiner said.

There had been a hail of bullets directed at the car. No one was even certain when Post had been hit.

Police were led to the conclusion that Post was caught in a crossfire and was accidentally shot by one of the many Guardsmen on the scene. This still case is still being investigated by the

Then the "guardsmen went in," he says. "There were two more shots. I didn't count exactly how many there were." He says Robinson was then brought out.

Police base their claim that Robinson was not bayoneted on an affidavit signed by Dr. T. J. Grifka, 35, a staff physician at Detroit General Hospital, who assisted with Robinson when he was admitted.

In the statement, Grifka said he knew of no bayonet wounds on Robinson's body.

But later, in an interview with the Free Press, he admitted he could not be sure whether or not the man had been stabbed. He said the bullet wound that Robinson suffered in his abdomen was of primary importance, and was all he was concerned about. He wouldn't have been looking for other wounds, he says.

The doctor says that if he had bayonet wounds, there were obviously of minor importance, but adds that it is unfortunate that the alleged wounds weren't brought to the attention of medical authorities while Robinson remained alive, when a thorough examination could have been made.

According to Dr. John Burton, the Wayne County Medical Examiner, an autopsy showed that, besides the gunshot wound, Robinson had five lacerations, four to his stomach, and one to his back. These were identified as operative or drainage incisions, he says.

Burton says the autopsy also showed that Robinson was shot with a low velocity rifle.

If the police contention gets confirmation from medical authorities, it gets opposition from Guardsmen who were at the scene.

According to the police report, Guardsmen interviewed by detectives said that as Robinson was leaving the apartment building, he "attempted to grab" the sergeant's weapon, and that the sergeant "stabbed him with a bayonet and pushed him away."

Miller, the cab driver, was also stabbed in the incident, receiving a wound in the back.

According to the Guardsmen, Miller, like Robinson, attempted to grab the sergeant's bayonet as he was being escorted from the building. When he did, the sergeant "jabbed him with the bayonet and pushed him back," the report says.

Miller says he doesn't know exactly how he received the wound. He says he certainly wasn't lunging at the Guardsmen, but adds that he doubts the Guardsman did it on purpose. He must have stopped short when the weapon was at his back, he says.

But if Miller isn't sure, Love is. He says that as Miller lay in the alley, complaining of a stomach illness, a Guardsman said: "Maybe we ought to give him a little bit of that bayonet, and maybe he'd lie down then."

"One of the Guardsmen went over and stuck him in the back," Love says.

Hylton brands the Guard and police bayonet tales ridiculous.

He says it is absurd to be asked to believe that the two men — Robinson and Miller — both lunged for the Guard sergeant's weapon — separately, at that.

He adds: "And if Miller was lunging towards the Guardsmen, how come he was bayoneted in the back?"

The attorney also says, "You've got to be stupid to reach for a weapon that's loaded and has a bayonet on the end. I don't think these men were stupid."

The youths in the car have a different version of what happened to them at Dexter and Michigan.

They said there was no roadblock in sight and no commands to halt were given.

"There weren't any barricades out; there weren't any Guardsmen on the street," Mezgec said. "Nobody said a word (about halting). We had the windows rolled down and the radio off. The car lights were on. Nobody asked us to stop. All of a sudden there was shooting."

Mezgec said Schuster, the driver, stopped the car and they were ordered out by Guardsmen. The trio were turned over to Detroit police, who took them to the 10th Precinct station.

Mezgec said they were taken into an interrogation room and the door was shut. Then he said policemen with black-jacks began beating them.

"They took turns on us," Mezgec said. "They hit us with their fists and with blackjacks on the head. They didn't ask us any questions. They just started on us for no reason."

Records at Detroit General Hospital show the three were treated at 7 a.m., five hours after they had been taken into custody. None of the boys was injured in the roadblock shooting. There is no other explanation for their injuries.

Mezgec was treated for a broken jaw. He had stitches in the head, the nose and face. The other two received stitches for cuts about the head and face.

The three men were charged with assault with intent to commit murder. The charges were subsequently reduced to violation of curfew.

On Aug. 10 in Recorder's Court, McErlane and Schuster pleaded guilty. They were each given six months' probation and fined \$50 for court costs.

On Aug. 25 Mezgec pleaded innocent. Judge Elvin L. Davenport, who handled all three cases, found him guilty and suspended sentence.

43. ROY BANKS

Roy D. Banks was one of the unlucky ones of men.

Polio took away his hearing at the age of two. Bad luck ended his life.

Banks, 46, of 3497 Crane, was shot by National Guardsmen at 4:30 a.m., July 25. He died from gunshot wounds on Aug. 14, the 43rd riot victim, the last to die.

Police say Banks was one of two men seen looting a bar and that he was shot while fleeing. But the police account of the shooting and the account of neighbors and witnesses do not agree.

Banks' neighbors contend he was walking to work when he was mistaken for a looter and was shot down.

In a preliminary report dated July 29, four days after Banks' death, the police stated that Banks' body was found lying in an alley east of Rohm and south of Mack. This would have backed up the police contention that Banks was looting a tavern at Rohm and Mack.

But a later report, dated Aug. 21, states that Banks' body was found on Crane Street, which is near Banks' home, a block away from Rohm. This report appeared after a Free Press story showed that Banks was deaf and dumb and that he was shot on Crane Street while walking to work.

The July 29 report states that police

know Roy Banks."

Asked if she could have identified his face by sight, she said, "certainly not."

Banks worked as a laborer at Rax, Inc., 12371 Westwood, a fabricating plant.

He was talking in his home until 1 a.m. Monday with his wife, Essie, who is also a deaf mute, and Mrs. Kitty Williams, his landlady. A neighbor, Mrs. Lois Moore, of 3712 Crane, was also present.

Essie Banks, who communicates only by sign language, told police through Mrs. Williams that she told her husband not to go to work because of the riot.

When she awoke at 4:30 a.m. Banks was gone, she said.

However, Mrs. Williams said Banks customarily left for work by 4:30 or before. He had to catch three buses and then walk half a mile to get to work, she said.

Banks' employer, Charles Briggs, shop superintendent at the Rax plant, verified this. Briggs said he always arrived at the plant shortly after 6 a.m. and that Banks was always there before him.

During the riot, Briggs opened his plant every day, he said, in the hope that enough men would show up so it could operate. He followed the same procedure the morning Banks was shot. "Roy would not have known it if the plant was going to be closed," Briggs said. "He expected to come to work."

The police report mentions several times that orders to halt were given before shots were fired. But it never mentions that Banks was deaf and dumb.

"He was stone deaf," Briggs said. "I wrote notes to communicate what I wanted him to do."

Homicide detectives questioned at least 16 persons in connection with Banks' death. No one said he saw the actual shooting and no one identified Banks as one of the two men reported in the alley.

Two members of the Michigan National Guard, Capt. Donald Efreloff and Lt. James Lindow, gave nearly identical statements.

They said they saw a man run out of the back of a bar. They heard someone shout halt and then they heard shooting. Neither said they saw the shooting.

The Guardsmen may have seen someone in the Gem Party Store instead of the bar. The party store was broken into Sunday and had been entirely cleaned out by Monday night.

A Detroit policeman, Patrolman Frank Gianotto, said he went to the door of the Gem Party Store and heard someone yell: "There he goes."

Gianotto took cover behind a pile of rubble and immediately heard a lot of shooting. Later he said he saw Banks lying on the ground on Crane Street.

Vernon Jenkins told police that about a half hour before the shooting he had seen a tall man in a white shirt running west in the alley, across Crane and out of sight.

The medical examiner's report states that Banks suffered bullet wounds in the right groin and left knee.

This would be consistent with claims of his neighbors that Banks was walking north on Crane to go to work when he was shot. The theory that he was shot while running west in the alley suggests that he would have had to be shot from the rear, which he was not.

The evidence suggests that two men were loitering around the alley that morning, possibly trying to get into the M & R Lounge—but neither of them was Roy Banks. His death appears to have been unnecessary.

<u>Homicide File #</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Original Homicide Classification</u>	<u>Final Classification by Prosecutor's Off.</u>
1. 7150	WALTER GRZANKA	HAMID YACCUB	Justifiable Homicide by Citizen	~~to~~ Same
2. 7151	SHARON GEORGE	UNKNOWN, apparent sniper	MURDER LANG., 1st Deg. OPEN CASE	Same
3. 7152	CLIFTON FRYOR	PFC GARY HUTTON	Justifiable Homicide by Mich. National Guardsman	Same
4. 7153	HERMAN ECTOR	WAVERLY SOLOMON	Changed from Justifiable Homicide by a Private Guard to Murder, 1st Degree.	OK CASE Dismissed At IFAM - there never was a justifiable ruling.
5. 7154	DANIEL JENNINGS	STANLEY MESZCZENSKI	Justifiable Homicide by Citizen	Same
6. 7155	JOS. CHANDLER	PATR. DONALD VAN LOO PATR. DAVID SENAK	Justifiable Homicide by Public Police	Same
7. 7156	ROBT. BEAL	PATR. ERNEST GILBERT	Justifiable by (Homicide) Public Police	Same
8. 7157	HERMAN CANTY, SR.	PATR. GILBERT STOCKER	Justifiable Homicide by Public Police	Same
9. 7159	WM. JONES	PATR. FELIX BANACH PATR. CHESTER KOTOWICZ	Justifiable Homicide by Public Police	Same
10. 7160	ALFRED PEACHLUM	PATR. CHAS. CARLSON PATR. JAS. LOZON	Justifiable Homicide by Public Police	Same
11. 7161	ALPHONZO SMITH	PATR. THOS. PETERSON	Justifiable Homicide by Public Police	Same
12. 7162	CHAS. KEMP	POLICE: PATR. JAS. DONNERLY & JAS. O'NEAL NG: RICHARD DYKEBA, SGT.	Justifiable Homicide by Public Police or Mich. Nat. Guard	Same
13. 7163	RICHARD SIMS	SGT. HENRY MACINKOWICZ, et al	Justifiable Homicide by Public Police	Same
14. 7164	CARL SMITH, FP	UNKNOWN, apparent sniper	MURDER, 1st Degree OPEN CASE	Same

<u>Homicide File #</u>	<u>Deceased</u>	<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Original Homicide Classification</u>	<u>Final Classification by Prosecutor's Of:</u>
15. 7165	EMANUEL COSBY	PATR. JEROME PALKA	Justifiable Homicide by Public Police	<u>Same</u>
16. 7166	JULIUS DORSEY	-	ACCIDENTAL DEATH	<u>Same</u>
17. 7167	HENRY DENSON	GUARDSMEN PETER PUTALA & JOHN ALMLI	Justifiable Homicide by Mich. Nat. Guardsmen	<u>Same</u>
18. 7168	RONALD EVANS	PATR. LLOYD HEWITT, et al	Justifiable Homicide by Public Police	<u>Same</u>
19. 7169	FRANK TANNER	UNIDENTIFIED NAT. GUARDSMAN	Changed from Open Murder to Justifiable Homicide by Unidentified Nat. Guard.	<u>Same</u>
20. 7170	NATHANIEL EDMONDS	RICHARD SHUGAR	MURDER, 1st Degree	<u>Same</u>
21. 7171	FRED WILLIAMS	-	ACCIDENTAL DEATH	<u>Same</u>
22. 7172	PATR. JEROME OLSHOVE	DANNY ROYSTER CHARLES LATIMER	MURDER, 1st Degree	<u>Same</u>
23. 7173	ARTHUR JOHNSON	PATR. ANDREW ZAZULA	Justifiable Homicide by Public Police	<u>Same</u>
24. 7174	PERRY WILLIAMS	PATR. LAWRENCE GIACOBOZZI	Justifiable HOMICIDE by Public Police	<u>Same</u>
25. 7175	JACK SYDNOR	PATR. ROGER FOIKE	Justifiable Homicide by Public Police	<u>Same</u>
26. 7176	WILLIE MC DANIEL	SGT. WM. GERLACH, et al	Justifiable Homicide by Public Police	<u>Same</u>
27. 7177	HELEN HALL	UNKNOWN, apparent sniper	MURDER, 1st Degree OPEN CASE	<u>Same</u>
28. 7178	TONYA BLANDING	SGT. MORTIMER LeBLANC, Mich. National Guardsman	Justifiable Homicide by Mich. Nat. Guard.	<u>Same</u>
29. 7179	WM. DALTON	PATR. RONALD KARCHEFSKI	Changed from Open Murder to Justifiable Homicide by Public Police	<u>Same</u>

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30. 7180	AUBREY FOLLARD	PATR. RONALD AUGUST	MURDER, 1st Degree	<u>Same OK</u>
31. 7181	CARL COOPER	UNKNOWN	MURDER, 1st Degree OPEN CASE	<u>Same</u>
32. 7182	FRED TEMPLE	PATR. ROBT. PAILLE	MURDER, 1st Degree	<u>Same OK</u>
33. 7183	WILLIE HUNTER	-	ACCIDENTAL DEATH	<u>Same</u>
34. 7184	PRINCECAN WILLIAMS	-	ACCIDENTAL DEATH	<u>Same</u>
35. 7185	JULIUS LUST, JR.	PATR. ROBT. WRATHELL & FREDERICK ROBINSON	Justifiable Homicide by Public Police	<u>Same</u>
36. 7186	GEORGE MESSERLIAN	DARRYL MC CURTIS	MURDER, 1st Degree	<u>Same OK</u>
37. 7187	JOHN LEROY	UNIDENTIFIED NAT. GUARDSMEN	Justifiable Homicide by Michigan Nat. Guard.	<u>Same</u>
38. 7190	ERNEST ROQUEMORE	SP/4 RANDOLPH SMITH	Justifiable Homicide by U. S. Army	<u>Same</u>
39. 7191	JOHN ASHBY, FF	UNKNOWN ARSONIST	MURDER, 1st Degree OPEN CASE	<u>Same</u>
40. 7192	GEORGE TOLBERT	SP/4 JOHANN GUIKEMA	Justifiable Homicide by National Guard.	<u>Has not been ruled upon</u>
41. 7194	ALBERT ROBINSON	UNIDENTIFIED NAT. GUARDSMAN	Justifiable Homicide by Nat. Guard.	<u>Same</u>
42. 7201	SGT. LARRY POST, Mich. Nat. Guard	-	ACCIDENTAL DEATH	<u>Same</u>
43. 7207	ROY BANKS	NATIONAL GUARD OR PUBLIC POLICE (Unidentified)	Justifiable Homicide by National Guard or Public Police	<u>Same</u>

DETROIT DEATHS

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Police	NNNNNNN	N ^(Guerr) NN		W
20+1 <u>pub</u>	NNNNNNN	N(Russ) N ^(W Ali)		
	W <u>(KIN+1)</u>	N(Ar) <u>(6N)</u>		
NG		WN ^(R) WF	W(nup?) N(nup?)	W
7+2 <u>pub</u>		NC/N ^(R) N <u>(6)</u>		
2 Street	WN			
1 Pvt Guard		N		
1+1 <u>pub</u>				
Rioter-Sniper		WF ⁸ /W		
2 Elec		N	W	
1 White		N		
1 Unknown		N ^(Ar) ~~Ar~~		
2 Fire		NN		
1 Army		N(Ar)		