

Druley bullets

Board of Inquiry - 9

this gun has been destroyed, the sample bullets fired by Officer Druley on March 22, 1967, have been retained and are in possession of this Department.

The Kennedy assassination occurred June 5, 1968. This gun, serial #H18602, was in the custody of the Property Division on that date, and until June 10, 1968, at which time it was removed as stated above.

On November 25, 1970, a Sgt. Adelsperger, Santa Ana Sheriff's Office, directed an inquiry to CII regarding the status of the gun. The CII files indicated it had been destroyed July, 1968, by this Department. The reason for the error in the information regarding this gun is that CII had in their custody a copy of the Los Angeles Police Department Handguns Destroyed List of 1968. As the gun in question was not deleted from the list, it did then go into CII files, and consequently any inquiry regarding the gun would show it to have been destroyed in July of 1968.

CHIEF COLLINS: Lt. Patchett, for my clarification, what was the date that Sirhan assassinated Senator Kennedy?

LT. PATCHETT: June 5, 1968.

CHIEF COLLINS: As a person who has been connected with this case since its inception, and who has examined all of the records involved, do the records clearly show that handgun, serial H18602 was in Property Division on June the 5th, and was not removed until June the 10th, 1968?

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McGowan
book
offer

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INTERVIEWS

FILE # I-3879

TAPE # 28969

29301

PERSON INTERVIEWED: SIRHAN, Saidallah

DATE/TIME 9-23-68 9:30PM

SEX M RACE Arab HAIR Blk EYES Brn HT 5-10 WT 132

DOB 7-14-32 ²⁹³⁰² ²⁹²⁴⁶

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RESIDENCE ADDRESS 1659 N. Lake, Pasadena

PHONE 797-8381

BUSINESS ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

INFORMATION: (WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY & HOW)

On Sept. 23, 1968 at approx. 5 PM Investigating Officers received information that Saidallah Sirhan and Sharif Sirhan, the two eldest brothers of Suspect Sirhan Sirhan, had threatened the lives of their mother and two younger brothers, Adel and Munir.

At approx. 7 PM on that day, Investigating Officers went to Saidallah's residence at 1659 N. Lake St., Pasadena, Calif. for the purpose of conducting a follow-up investigation on these reported threats.

Upon arriving at Saidallah's apartment, Officers knocked on the door and identified themselves. Officers observed that Saidallah was inside the apartment, and that the door was locked from the inside, but Saidallah would not answer or open the door. Officers talked to Saidallah through an open window of the apartment, but he still refused to answer Officers in any way.

At approx. 9:30 PM Investigating Officers telephoned Saidallah's apartment (797-8381). Saidallah answered the phone and Officers informed him that they wanted to see him and discuss the problem that they understood existed between him and his family.

Saidallah agreed to see Investigating Officers and they arrived at his apartment at approx. 9:45 PM. Upon arriving at the apartment Officers informed Saidallah that they wanted to clear up certain problems that they had heard about. He was immediately asked whether he or his brother, Sharif had ever threatened Mr. Parsons, Mr. Mike McGowan or anyother member of his family.

Saidallah emphatically denied ever having threatened anyone. He stated that Mike McGowan had been talking to his mother and his brother Adel and that McGowan was the chief cause of his family problems.

Saidallah related that on June 30, 1968 Mike McGowan had met with all the members of the family (excluding Sirhan Sirhan). Saidallah states the meeting took place in their home at 696 E. Howard St., Pasadena.

According to Saidallah, McGowan, at the time of the meeting, offered each member of the family \$35,000 if they would agree to allow him and Mr.

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INVESTIGATORS: MARK MC GOWAN
HARRIS #11222/HERNANDEZ #7101

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Russell Parsons the sole right to publish a book on Suspect Sirhan and his family. McGowan stated that this money would be paid on the condition that the family would not live handsomely or show any outward signs of lavish living, such as buying a new car and paying cash for it.

Saidallah stated that he told McGowan that he would agree to the offer on the condition that McGowan would sign a written statement in the form of a contract. Saidallah states that McGowan refused to give any written document, and he states that this is where their family had a difference of opinion. His mother, Adel and Munir agreed to the verbal agreement offered by McGowan where he and his brother Sharif would not agree unless they received something in writing.

Saidallah was then asked whether it was possible that as a result of this difference of opinion he could have in some way threatened Adel, Mr. Parsons, or Mr. McGowan.

Saidallah stated that he knew he had not threatened anyone. He said that if Parsons was saying that he (Saidallah) or Sharif had threatened him, that he would poke Parsons eyes out.

Saidallah's attention was directed to a sharp hatchet approx. 18" in length, which was laying against his bed in the apartment. Saidallah picked up the hatchet and excitedly explained that his reasons for possessing the hatchet were strickly as a matter of self defense.

Saidallah stated that his chief complaint against Russell Parsons was that he had called Parsons on about 20 different occasions but that Parsons was refusing to talk with him. He also stated that Parsons was refusing to allow him to visit with his brother, Sirhan. He stated that he wanted to see Sirhan, but only on the condition that he would be allowed to speak with Sirhan in Arabic.

At the conclusion of this interview, Investigating Officers informed Saidallah that they well understood the difficulties and problems confronting he and his family; however, they warned Saidallah that any verbal threat against anyone or any attempt to willfully injure another person was a crime. He was cautioned not to commit any act against any person which was in violation of the law.

This interview was conducted at 10:50 PM. (Complete statements contained in Tape #29380 and are in file at S.U.S.)

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Liikan family not in home

S.A. RICHARDS WAS CONTACTED ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS DURING THE DAY. IT WAS LEARNED THAT AT SUBJ'S. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT HE HAD GIVEN HIS ADDRESS AS 696 E. HOWARD ST. IN PASADENA (SAME AS HIS MOTHER) ALTHOUGH HE ACTUALLY LIVES ALONE IN AN APARTMENT IN HIGHLAND PARK. SUBJ. ~~HAS NOT BEEN~~ SUBJECT WORKS THE NIGHT SHIFT AT ITT CANNON ELECTRIC BUT HAS NOT WORKED THE PAST 2 NIGHTS. THE F.B.I. HAD LEARNED THAT SUBJ. HIS MOTHER AND SOME OR ALL OF HIS BROTHERS HAVE BEEN IN SECLUSION AT SOME UNKNOWN ADDRESS PROVIDED BY A MINISTER. RICHARDS WAS SURE THAT THE FAMILY WOULD BE LOCATED WITHOUT TOO MUCH EFFORT AND PROMISED TO NOTIFY ME AS SOON AS SUBJ. IS LOCATED.

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Sirhan family not in home.

Dick Richards called back 4:45 PM
6-6-68 -

SHARIF SIRHAN his mother
AND 2 BROTHERS ARE STAYING
TEMPORARILY WITH FRIENDS
AT 1398 N. CHESTOR AVE. PASADENA-
PHONE 797 0788

he was interviewed by AGENTS today,
he says his address

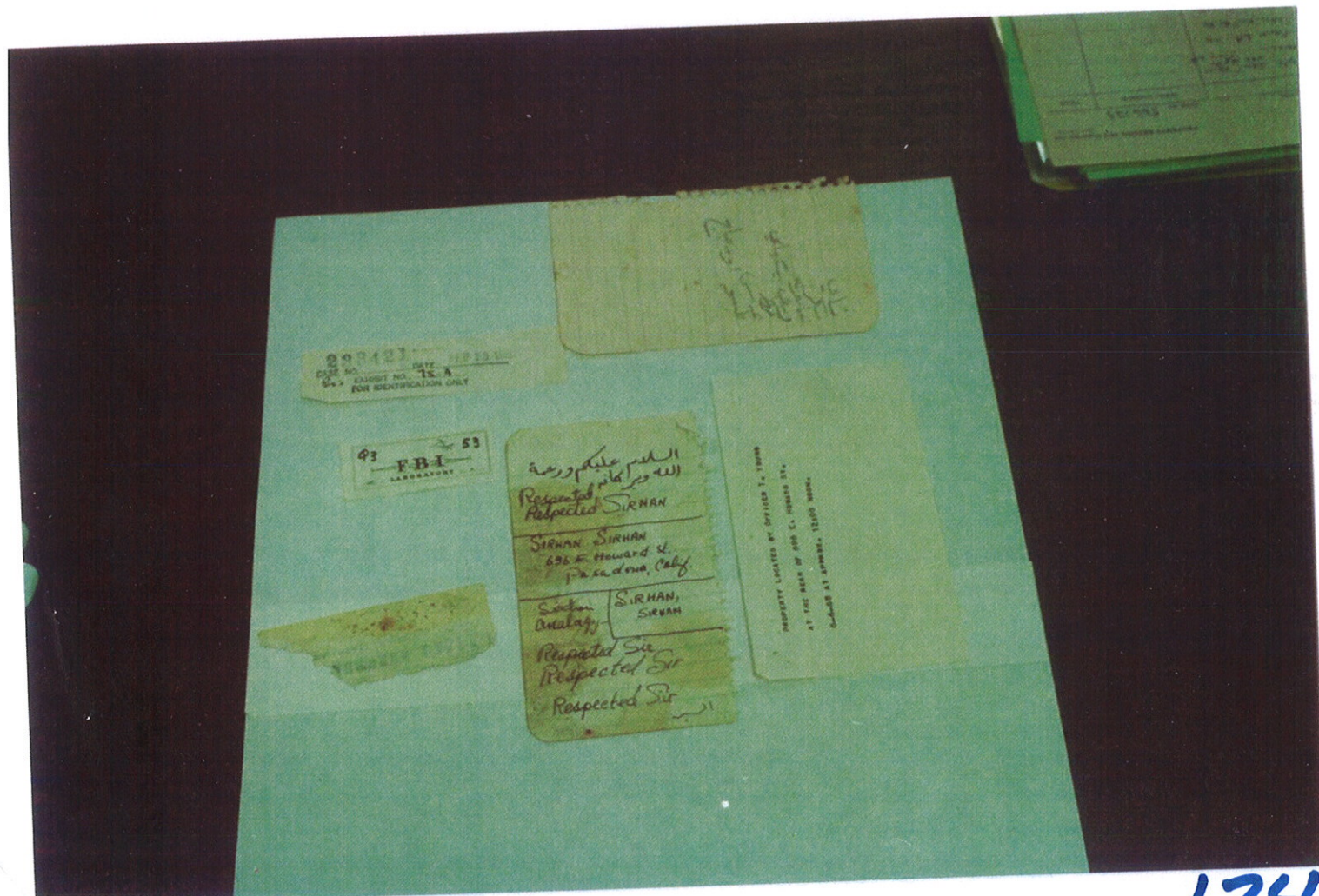
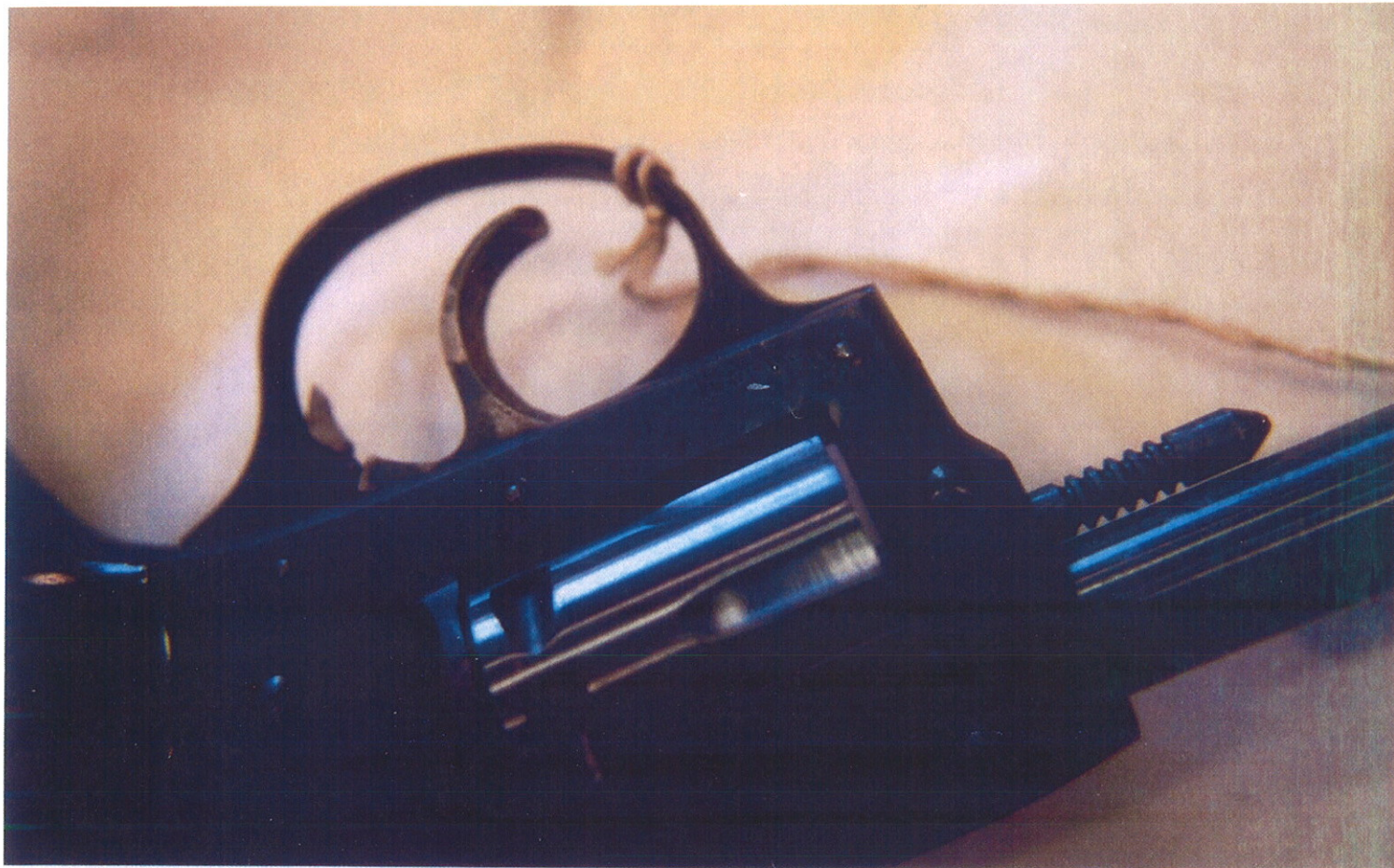
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his mother lives -

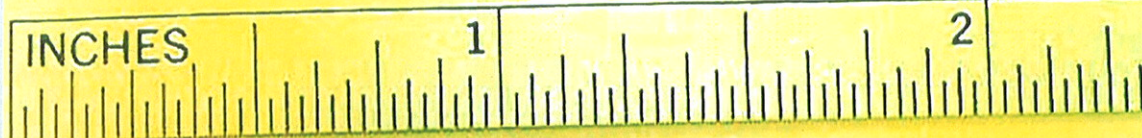
BUT THAT when he WORKS
AT ITT CANNON, he
SOME TIMES STAYS AT
Room 46 METROPOLE HOTEL
ON AVE 26

JRS
6/6/68

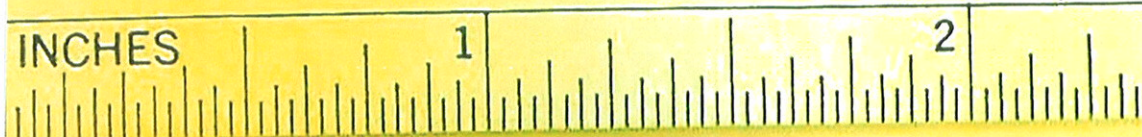
Guide to bullet

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11	7	6	Les. Ch. 6	1975 Judge Wm. C. C. number	This gun was received into evidence by LAC Grand Jury on 6-7-68. No gun ID number recorded.
12	7A	21	Ch	8 expended shell casings	were not marked for ID were not given to 7 examiners @ Judge Wenke Order re Seiken gun
24 (26)	Not @ LACGJ	48	3	Kennedy Maytag bullet	fatal bullet, note evidence envelope altered, from 24 to 26
25 (27)	Not @ LACGJ	48	3A	Kennedy Maytag bullet	" " fragment, note evidence envelope altered from 25 to 31
45	Not @ LACGJ	53	7	Elizabeth Evans	shot in forehead
46	6A	38	1 and 1A	spontaneous	alleged to be found in passenger side front seat under news papers. These bullets have wood imbedded in them.
53	5A	47	2	Kennedy Maytag bullet	Dr. Noguchi engraved + N31 on this bullet base.
56	Not @ LACGJ	54	8	Wm. Wines	shot in abdomen LMO engraved on base.
57	Not @ LACGJ	50	4 + 4A	Schrade head bullet	badly damaged & fragmented
105	Not @ LACGJ	51	5	Shall skin	deformed bullet
113	Not @ LACGJ	52	6	Goldstein bullet	slightly deformed bullet
Ch	5B	Ch	D, E, F, G	4 test bullets	4 test bullets from gun #53725
173	Not @ LACGJ	55	A, B, C	3 test bullets 2 shell casings	test-fired 6-5-68. These bullets didn't go to trial. ^{from 22 caliber}
				Williams gun #18602	3 test bullets, 2 shell casings fired from fake Williams gun #18602. These bullets didn't go to trial. ^{from 22 caliber}
				Seiken trial	Seiken trial

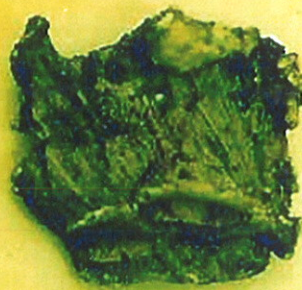


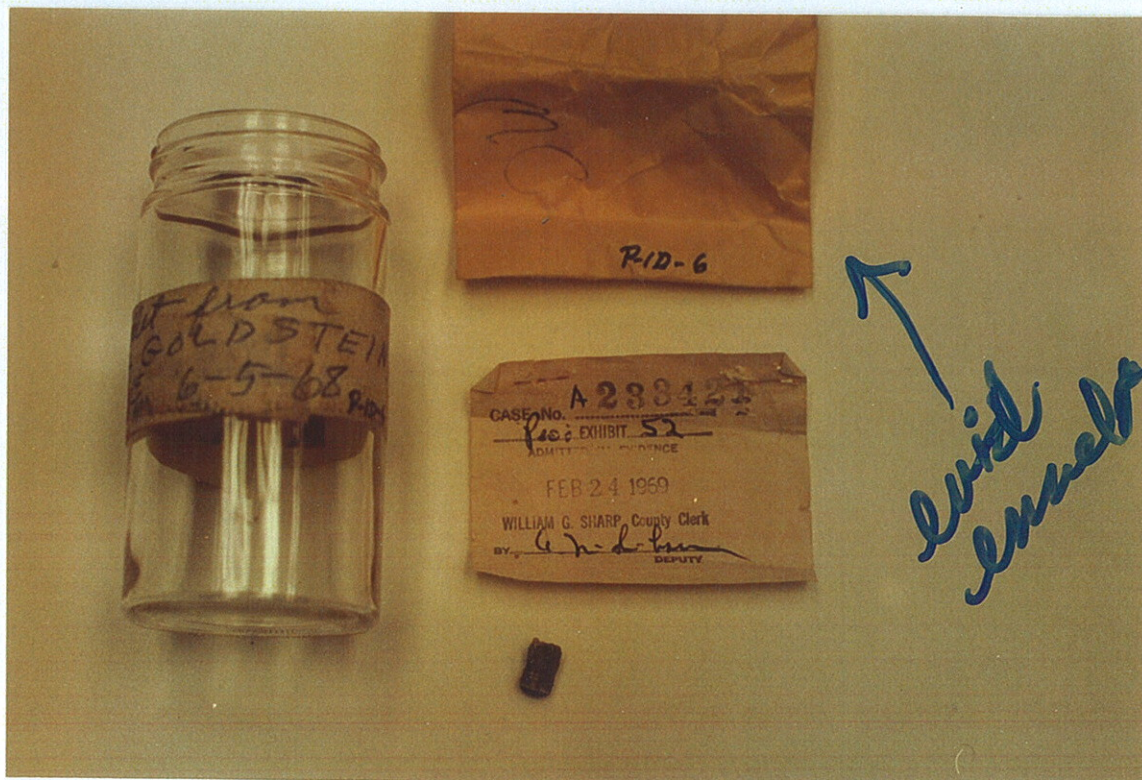
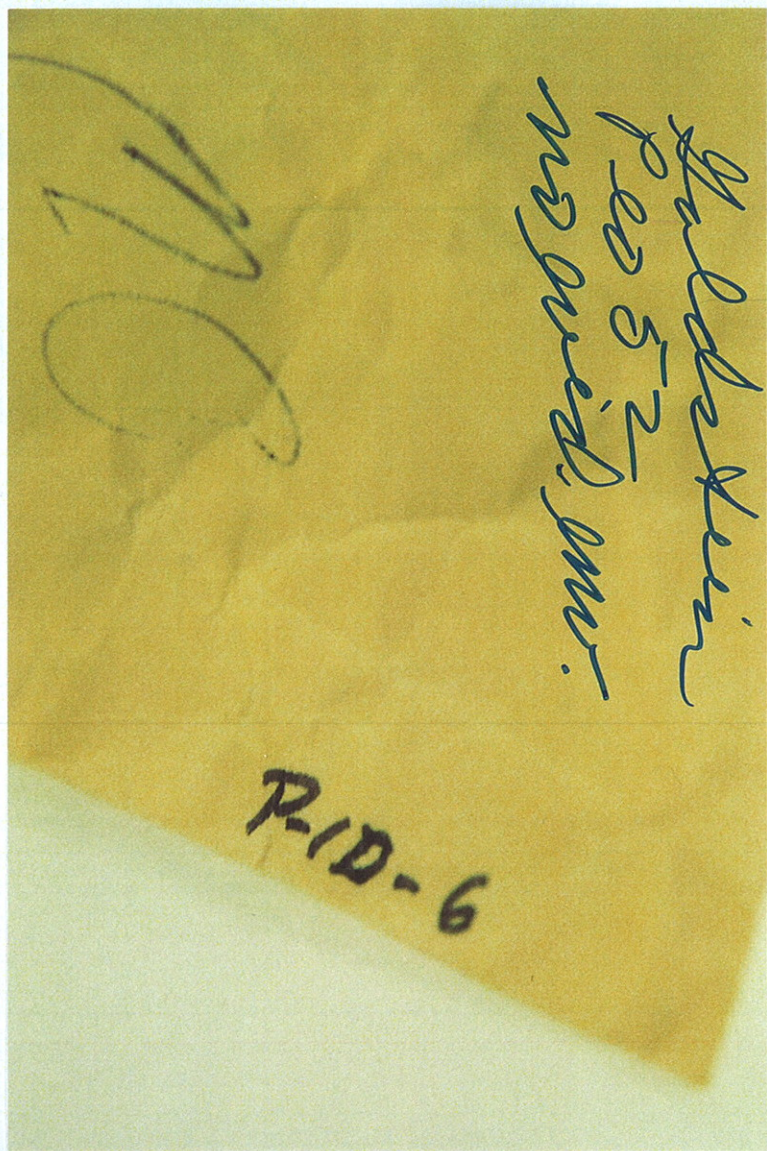
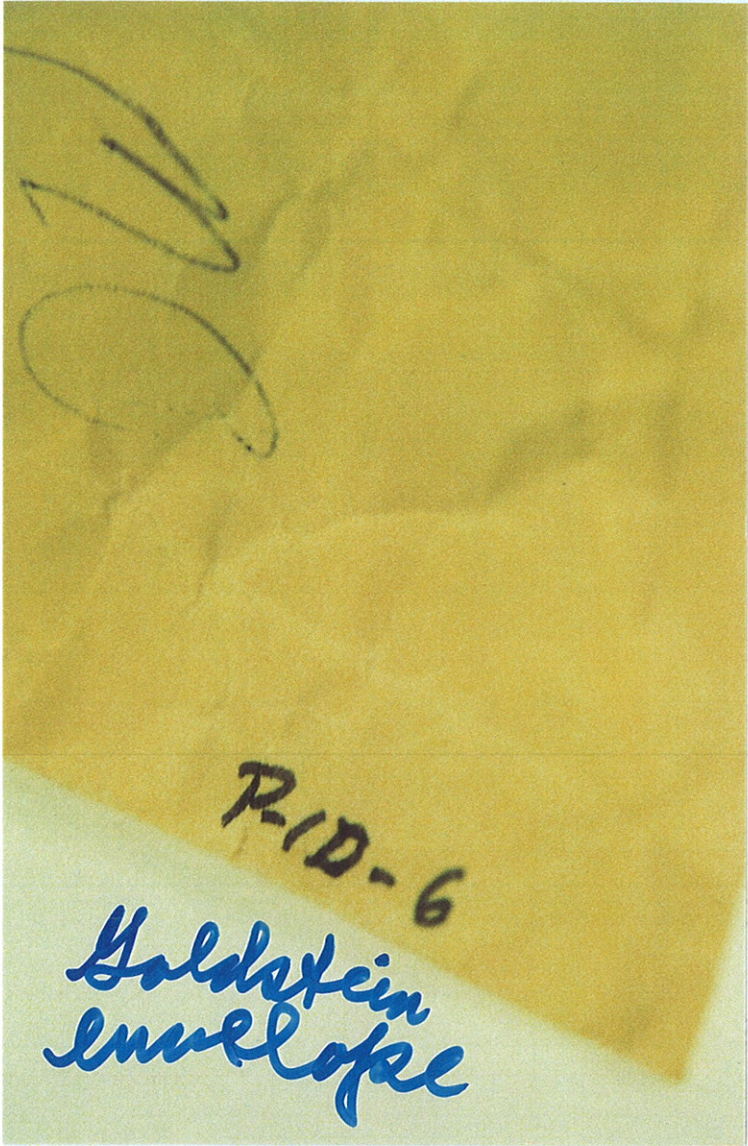


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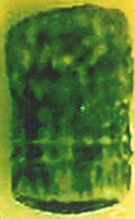
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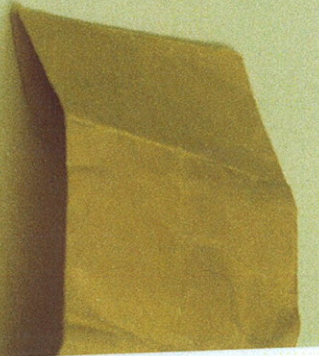
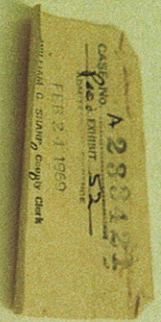
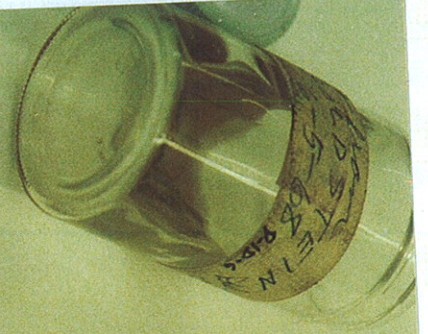


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Goldstein
Pco 52



Pco 52 Goldstein
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Pco 52
Goldstein bullet
nose of bullet



one expended Bullet

6-5-68

J.H. E.K.

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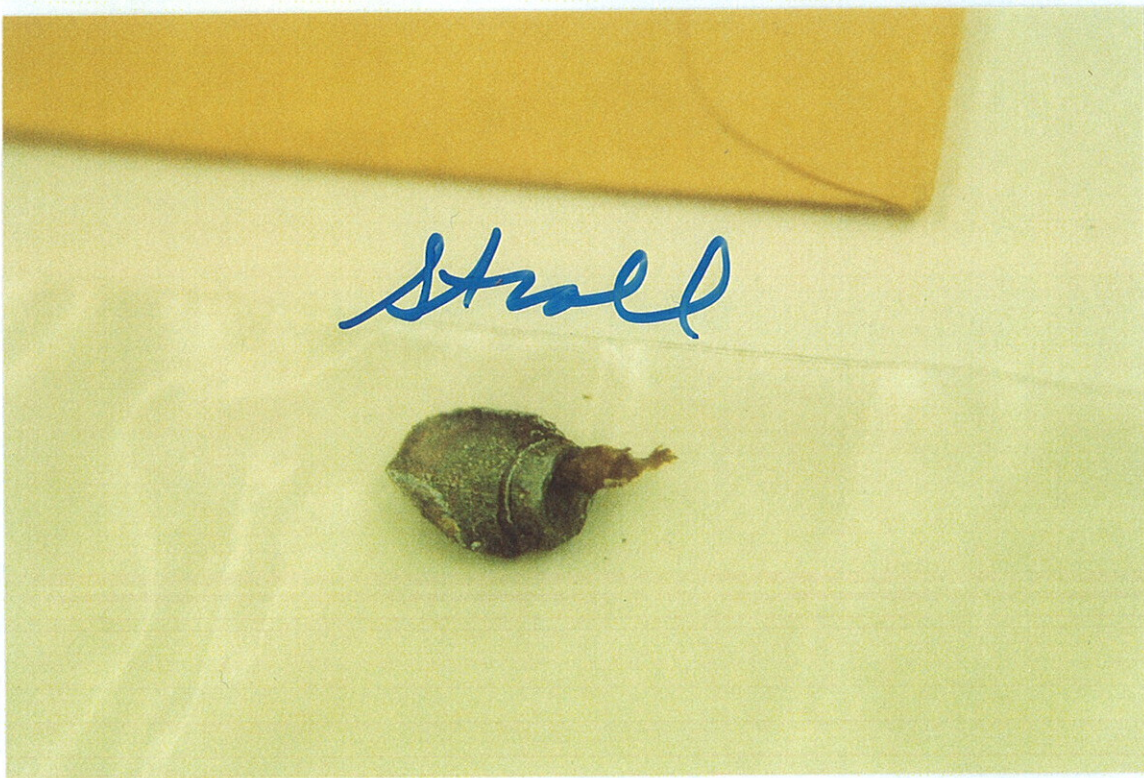
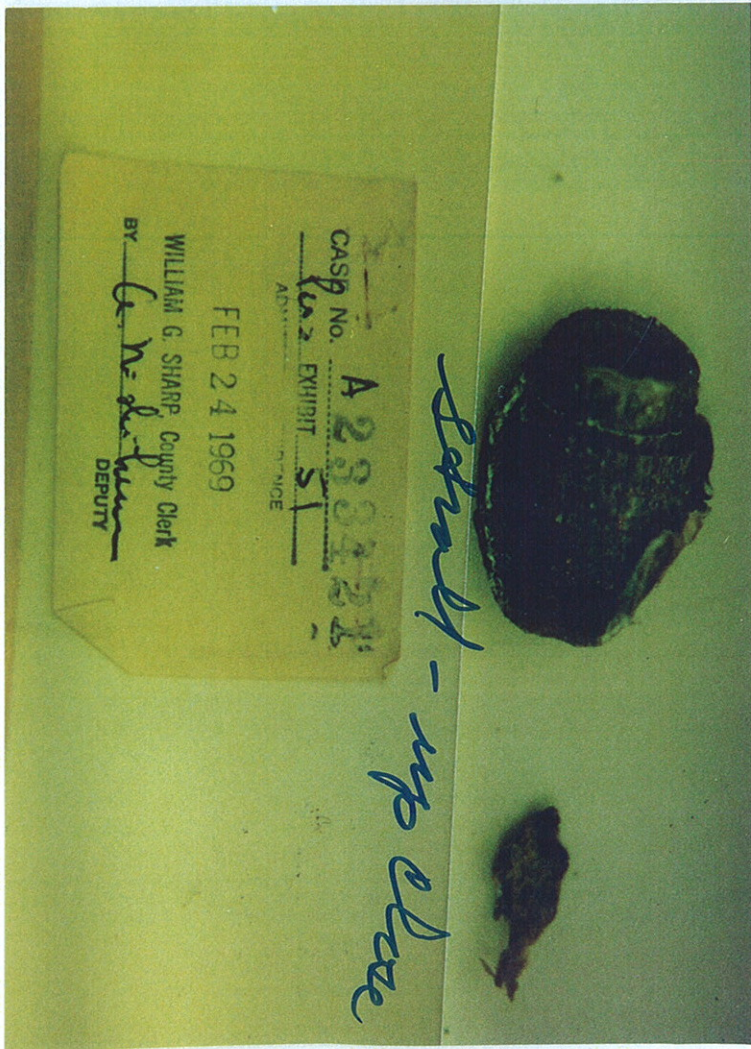
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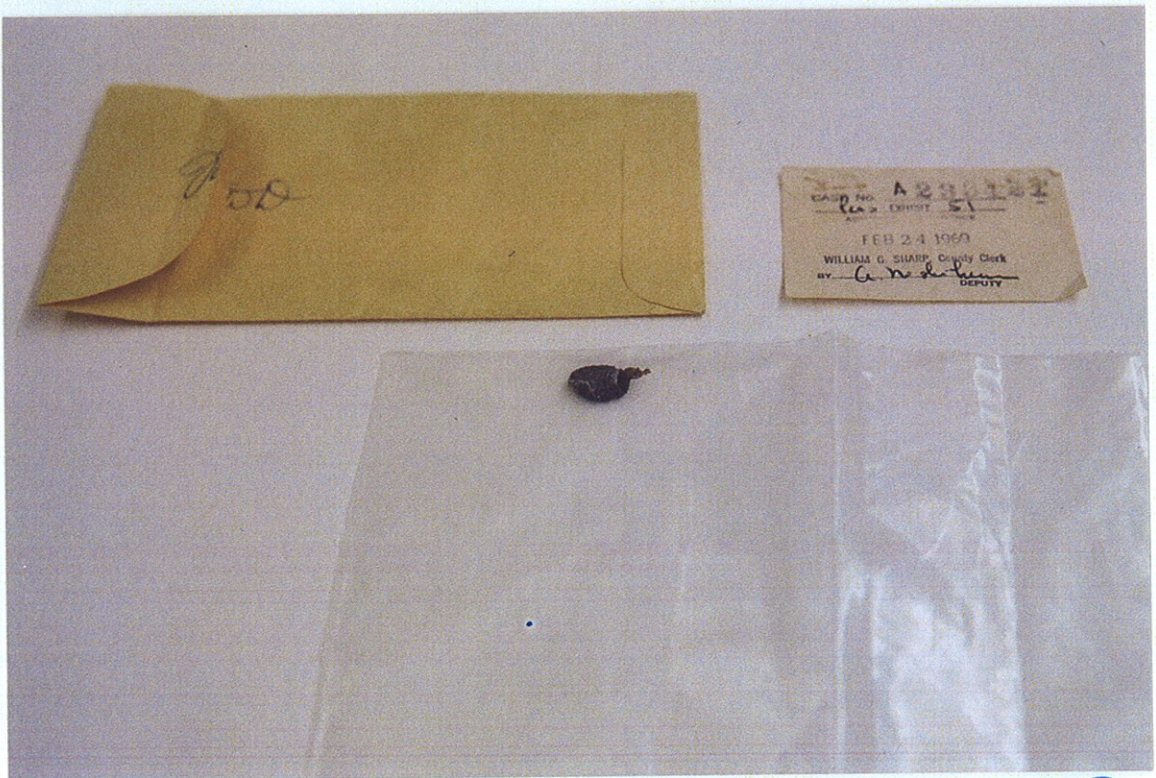
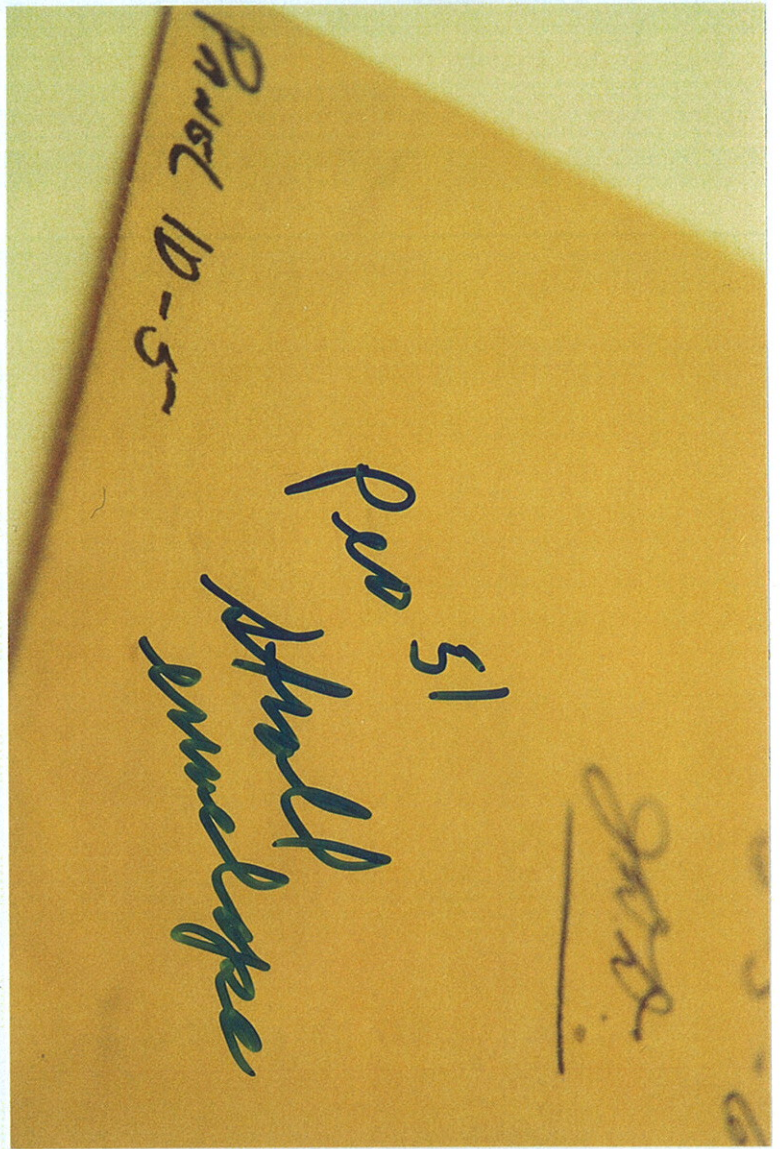
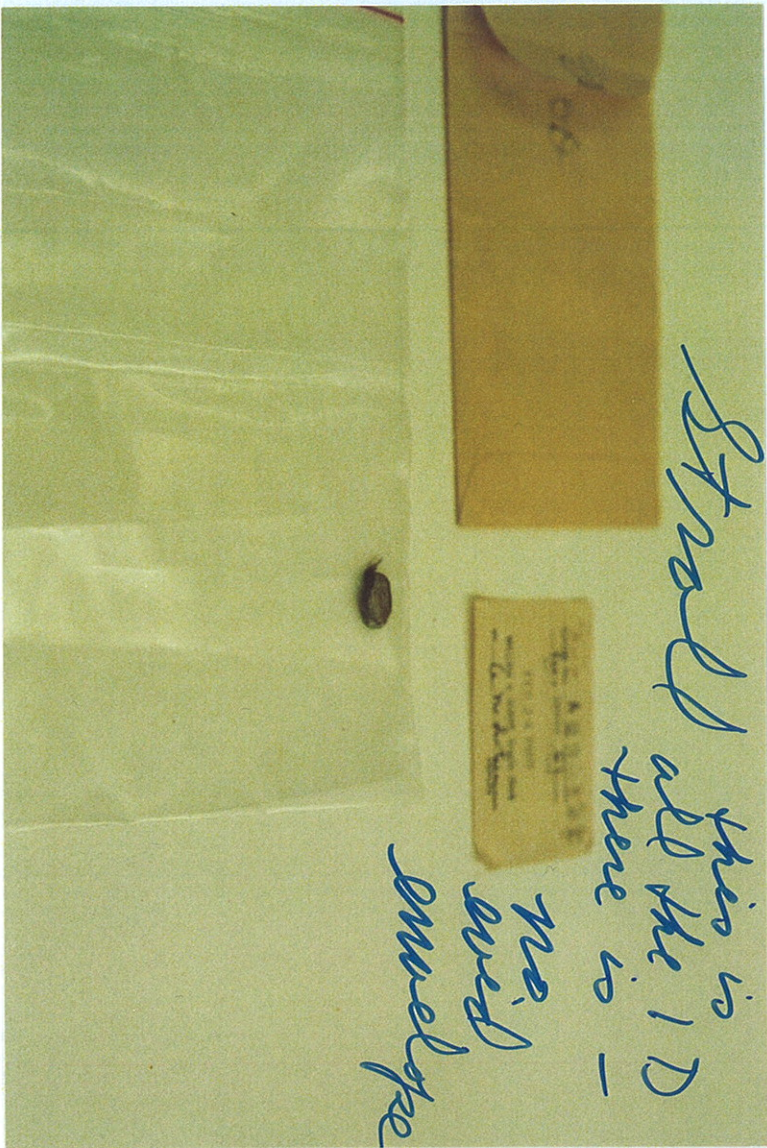
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BY G. M. [Signature] DEPUTY

no evidence
for small bullet

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Schrade*

EVIDENCE

LAB FORM 10-18 (10-67)

DATE: 6-6-68
 BY: ROOP
 REASON: KANSAS Q VICTIM SERVICE UNIT
 SIREHAN, SIREHAN, BARNER
 RAISEN, HOSPITAL
 L. M. CHASE
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 1 - BULLET FRAGMENTS

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TISSUE EXAMINATION - 24

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SPECIMEN: *Bullet Fragments*

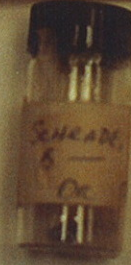
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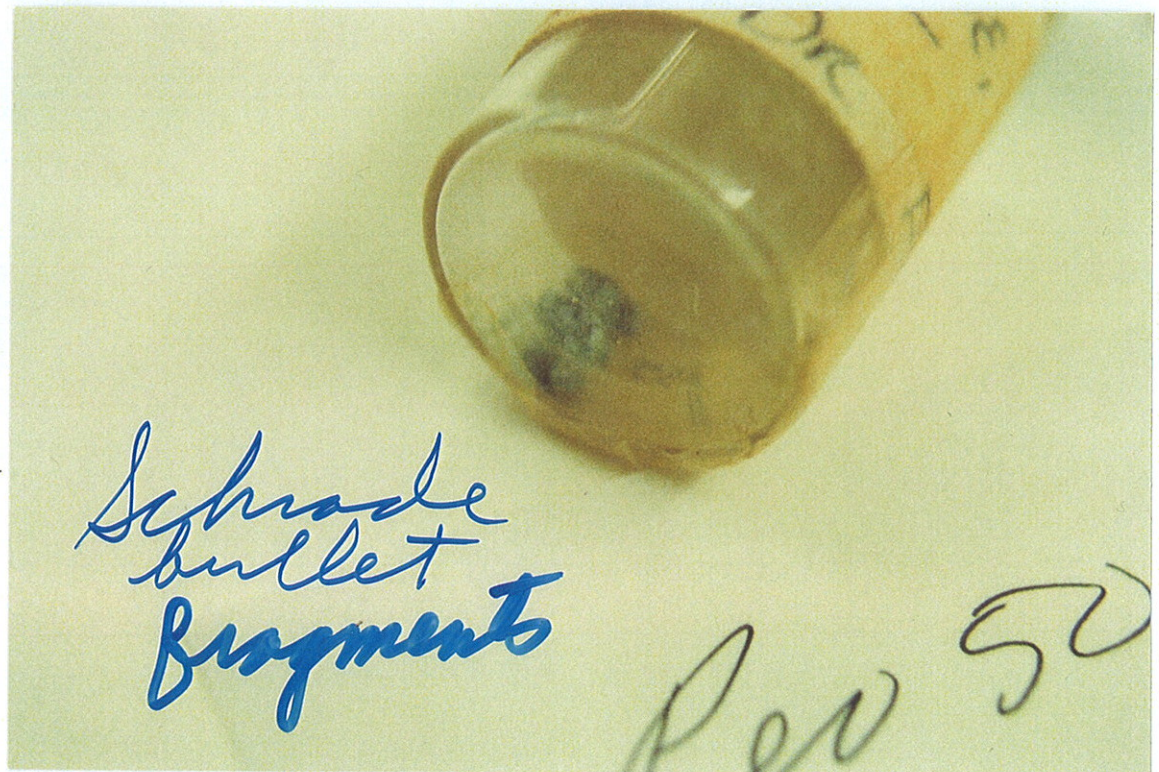
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☐ GROSS ONLY (B412)
☐ PHOTO (B413)

Soil: *Schrade, Paul*
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 6-5-68
 Location: *4867*
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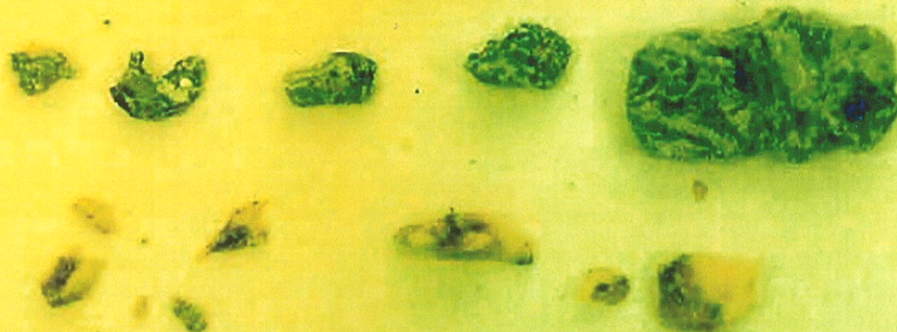


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bone fragments

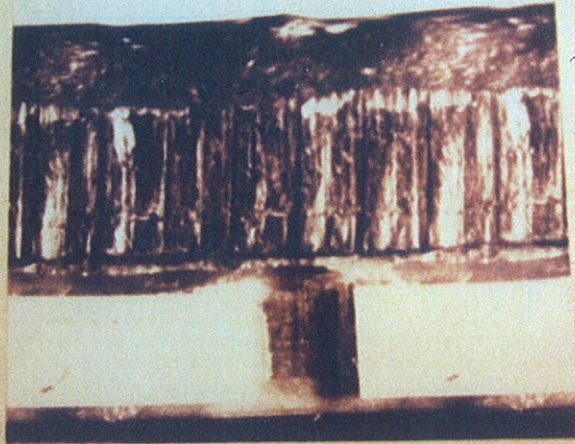


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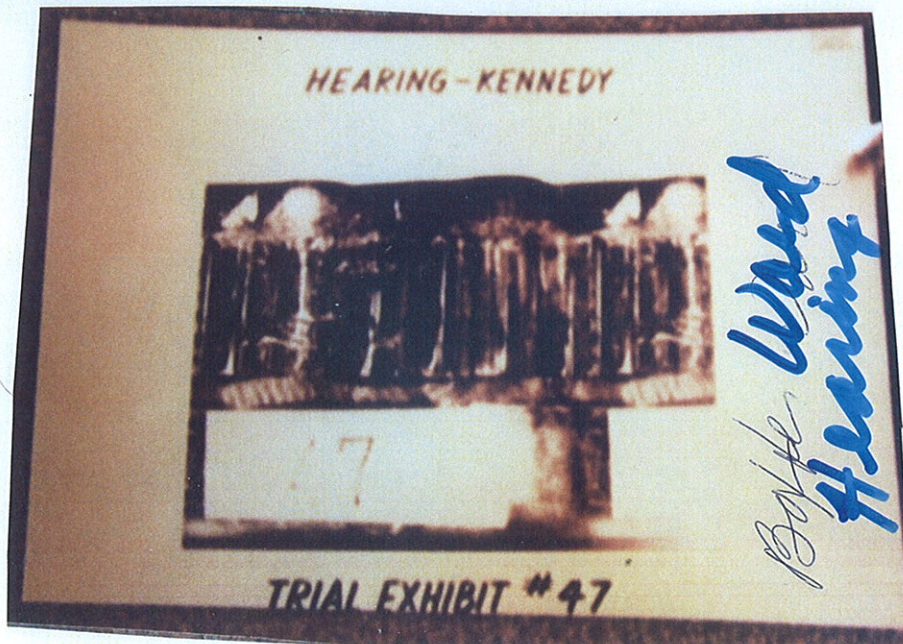
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*Dorothy Ward
Hearing*

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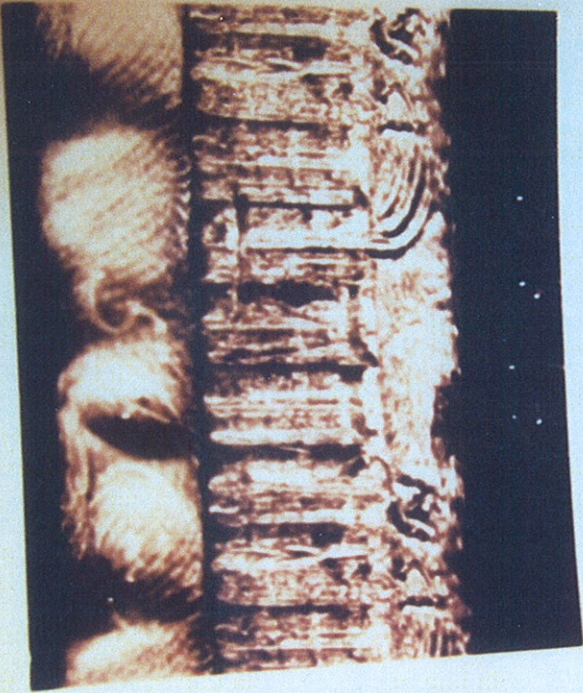


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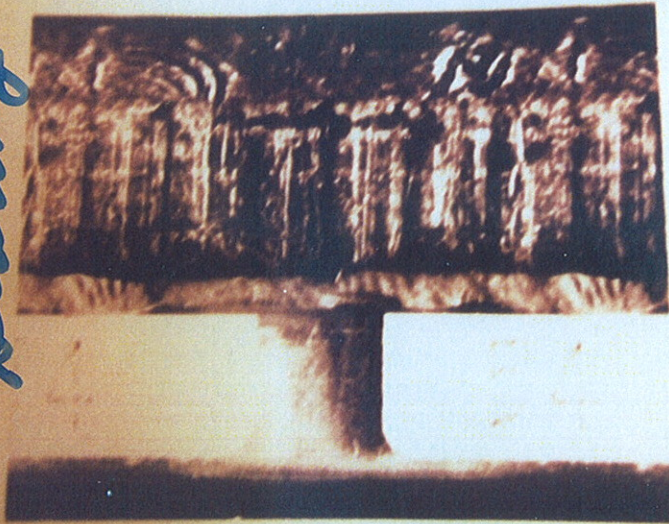


HARPER - WEISEL



TRIAL EXHIBIT #54

HEARING - WEISEL



*Boyer Ward
Hearing*

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CASE No. 155 EXHIBIT 55

ADMITTED IN EVIDENCE

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LOS AN
CRIM

NAME Sivb

ADDRESS

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NO. H1860

CRIME 18

WILLIAM G. SHARP, County Clerk

BY C. Nicholson DEPUTY

H-18602-CADET MODEL

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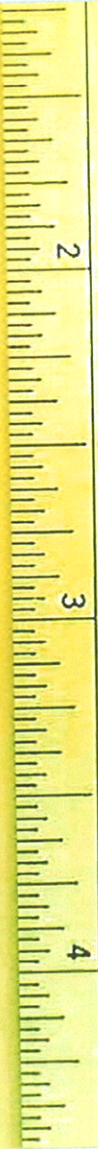
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ADDRESS _____
MAKE FAJ CAL. 22 TYPE Rev
NO. H18602 DR. 68-521466
CRIME 187P.C. OFFICER _____

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EXHIBIT 55
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BY C. Nicholson

H 18602 is the fake Williams' gun ID#

Test fired as Williams gun
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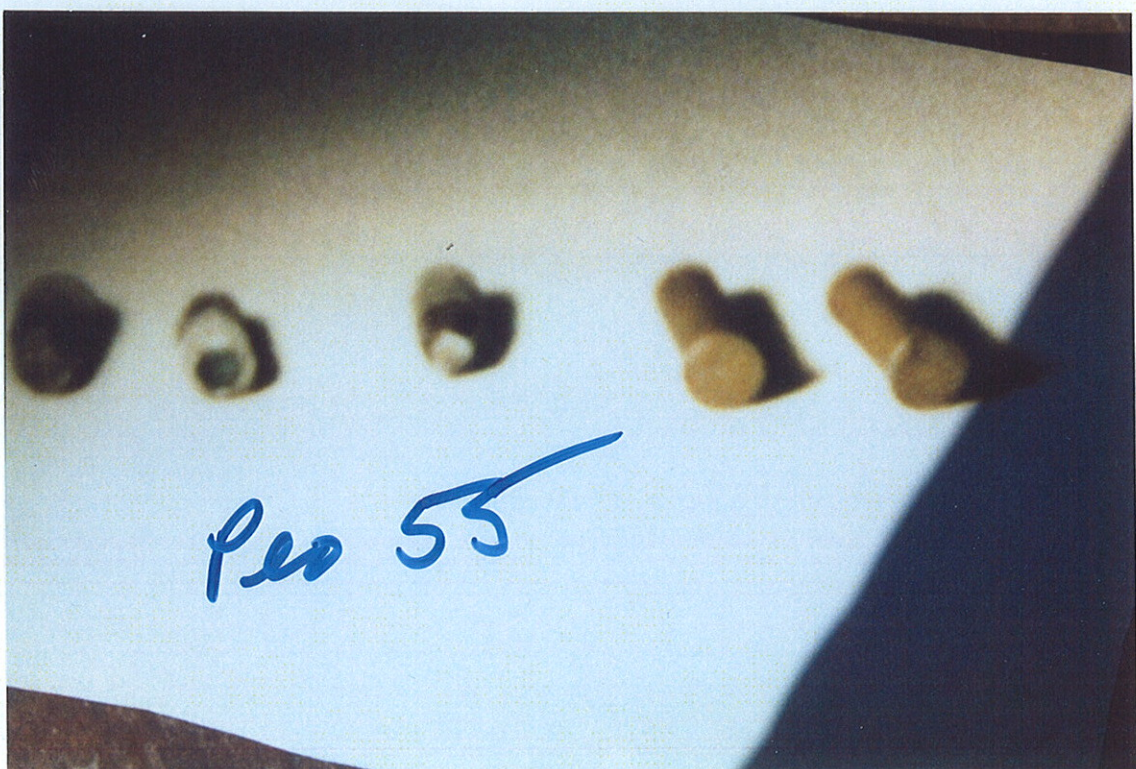
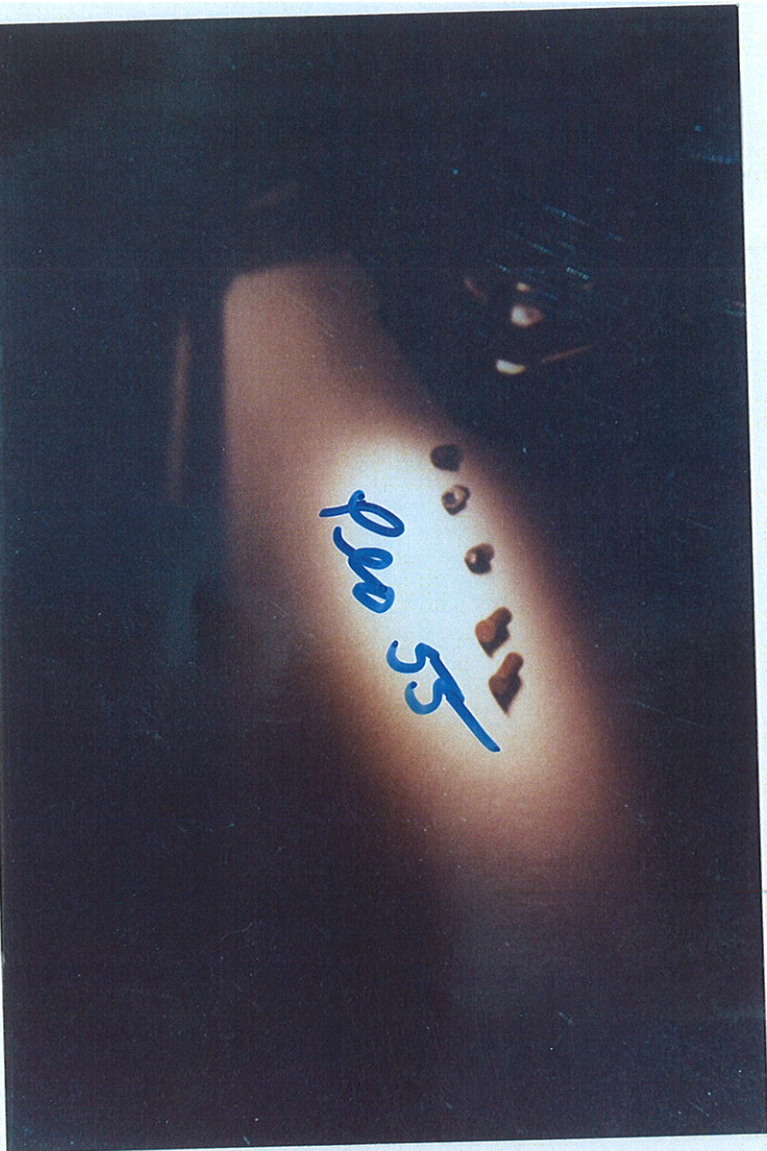
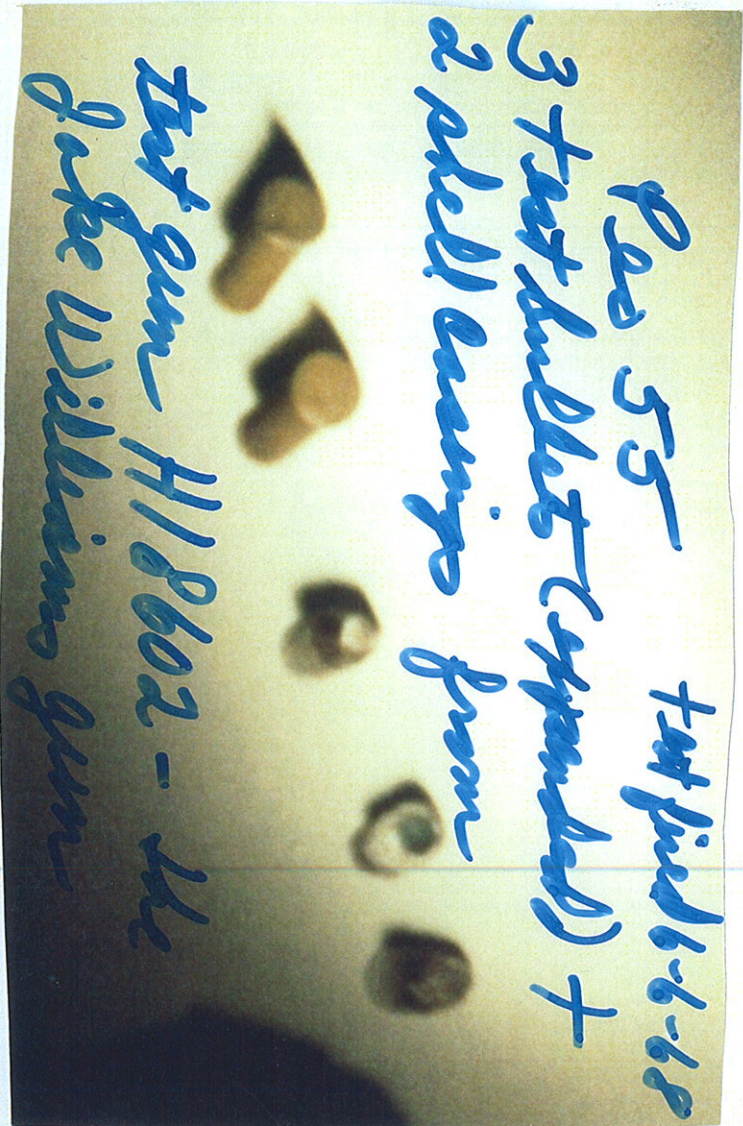
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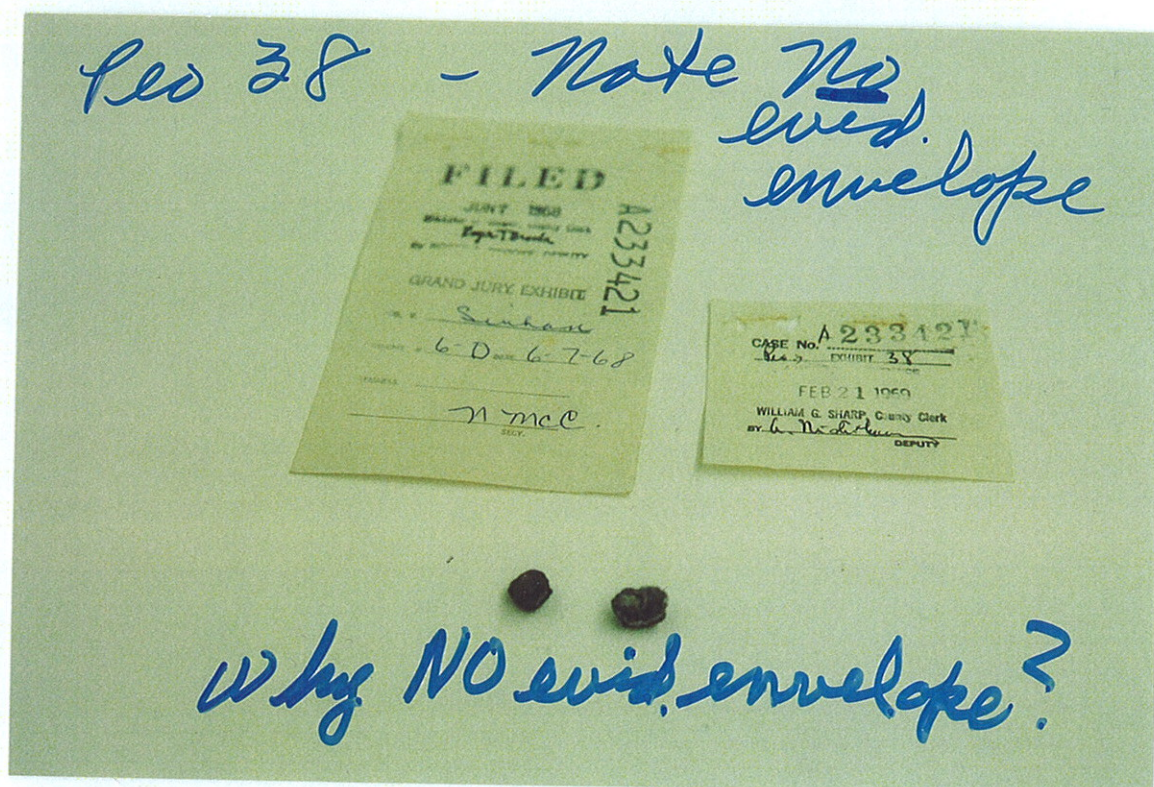
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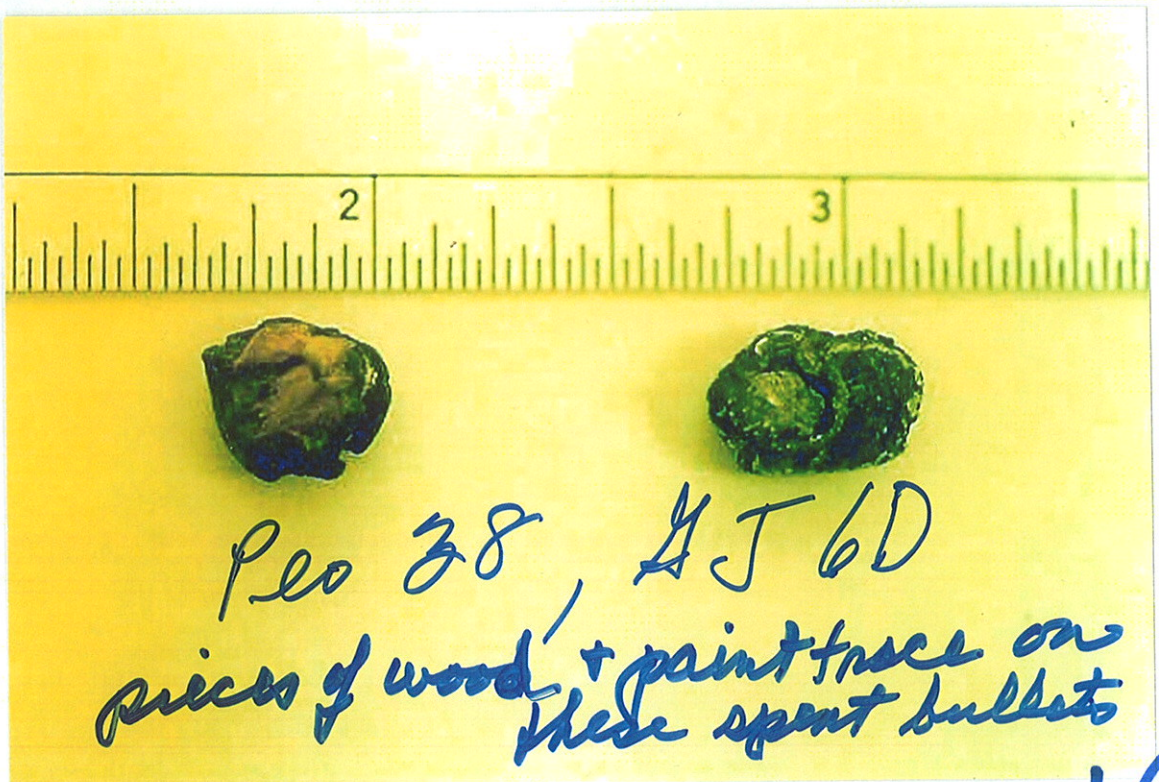
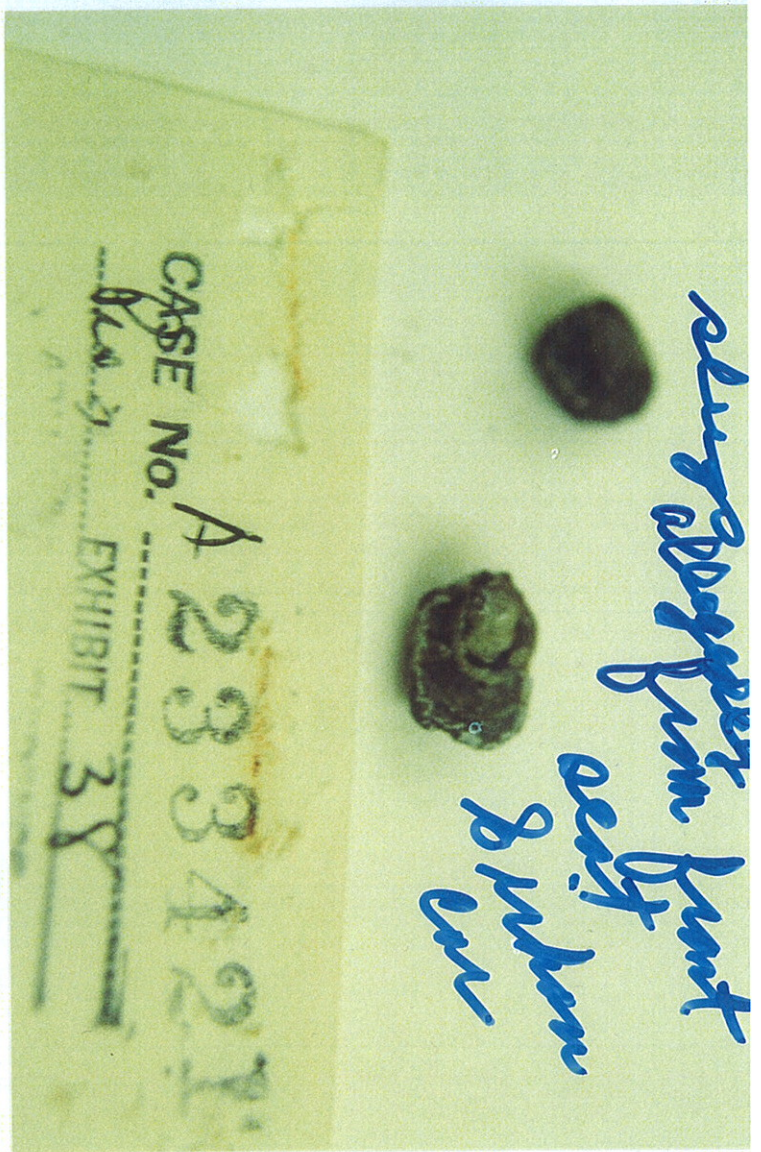
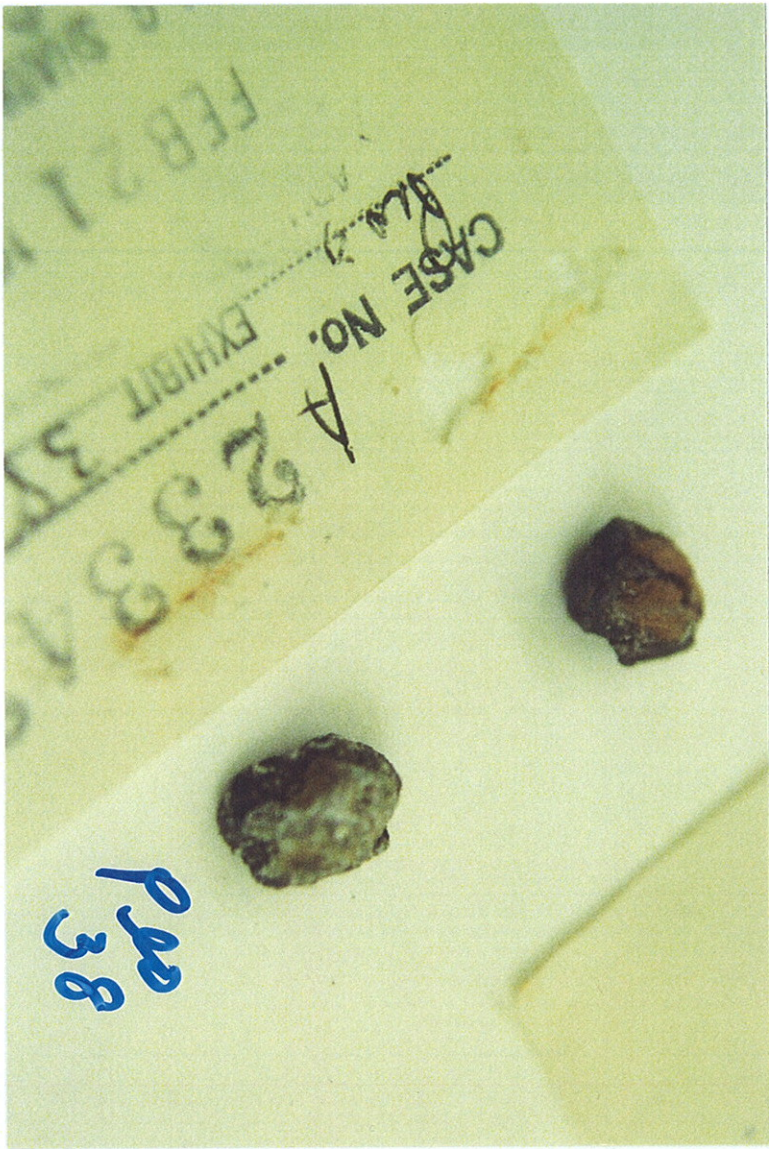
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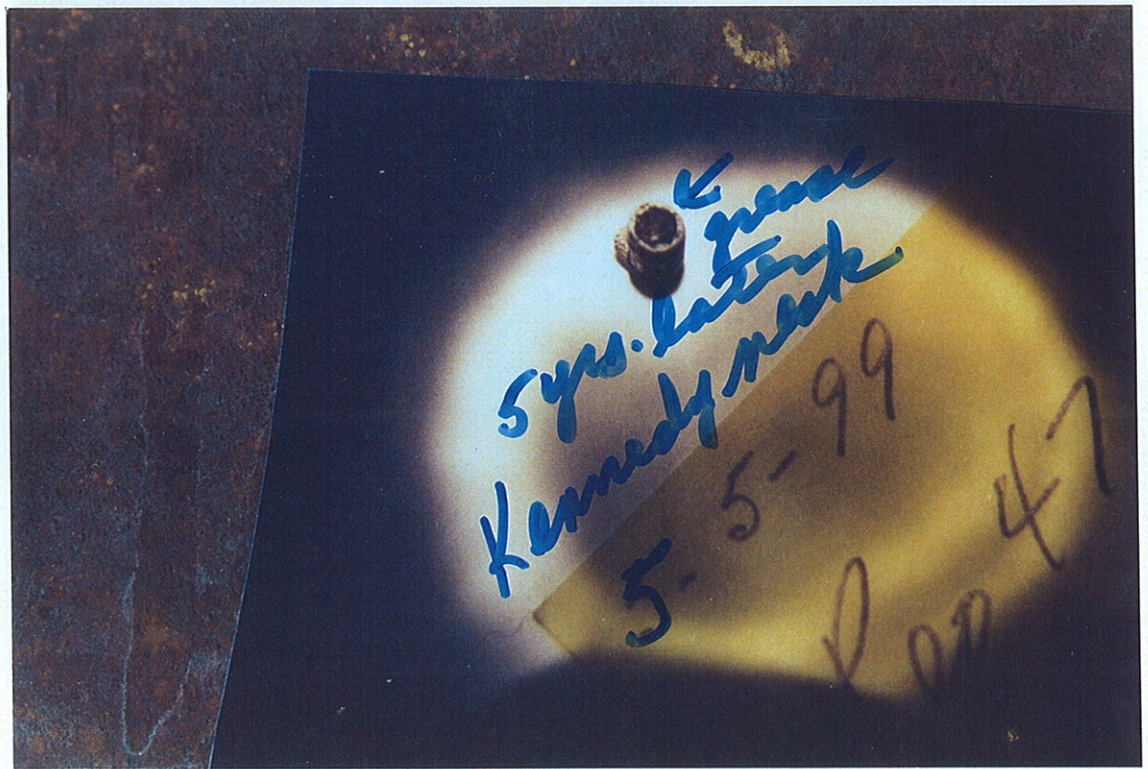
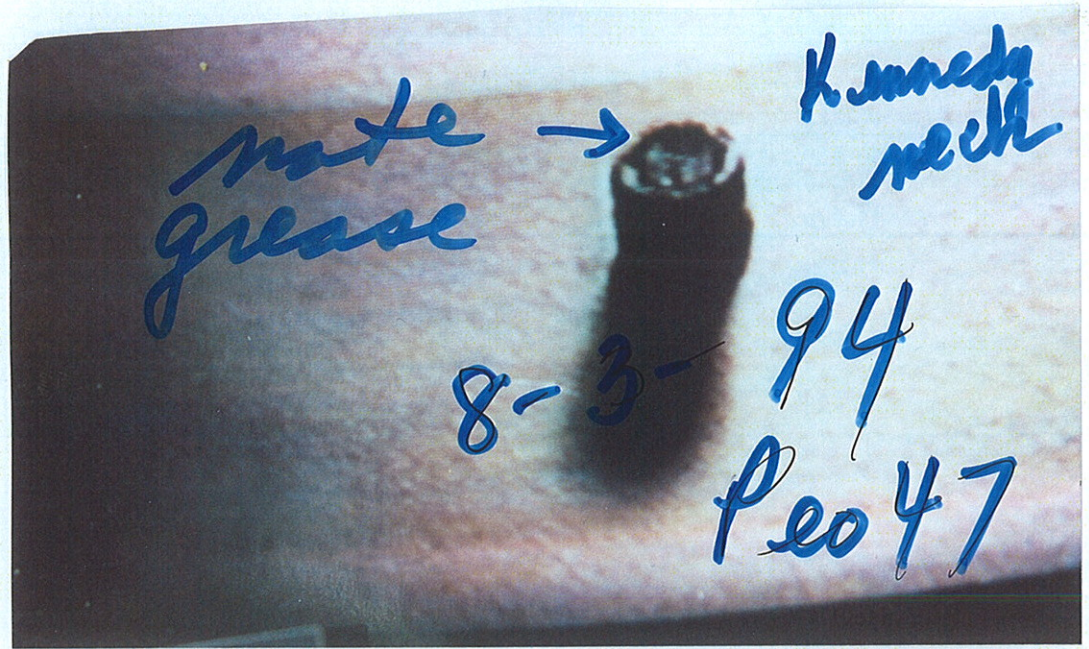


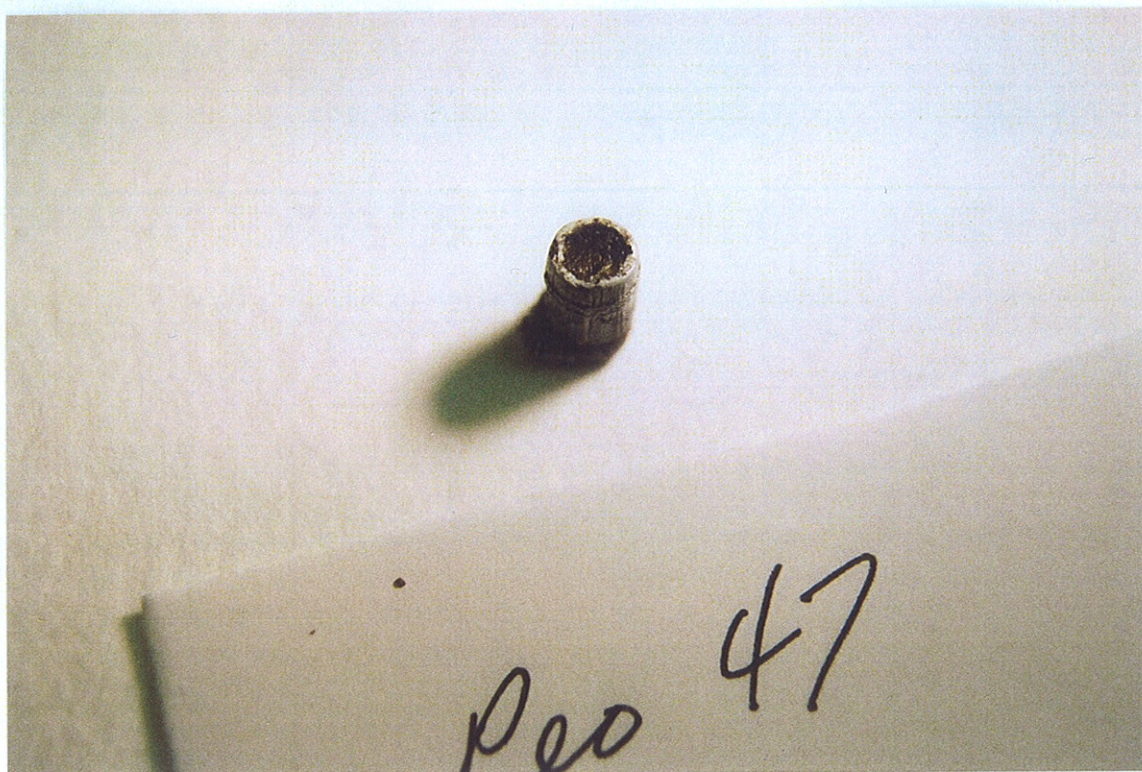


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