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**THE FOLLOWING EXHIBITS ARE ON FILE WITH THIS COURT:
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STATE’S EXHIBIT #65 (PHOTO; TERRANCE WING), STATE’S EXHIBIT #66
(PHOTO; BULLETS IN DEFENDANT’S POCKET), AND STATE’S EXHIBIT #90A–F
(FARO).**

1 long time. I can research that issue.

2 THE COURT: We can look. I mean, I can
3 tell you that I've done it in civil cases. So let
4 me go in the civil requested charges as well.

5 Anything else you can think of?

6 MR. NEWMAN: Just for the Court's
7 edification, I intend on resting my case. I
8 talked about that a little about Mr. Wing, Jr.
9 And I understand -- you will have to question him.
10 We're going to talk in a minute. At this juncture
11 I anticipate not calling any witnesses and resting
12 my case and renewing objections, just to let you
13 know where we are.

14 THE COURT: I appreciate that. So
15 you-all both need to prepare, obviously, to argue
16 and charge tomorrow after you're done, and we'll
17 go forward from there.

18 So what we will do is, I will have Kylin
19 send you-all the jury charge tonight just so you
20 have an idea of what it's going to be. And, of
21 course, obviously, it's subject. It's just
22 proposed. We'll change it. We'll do whatever we
23 have to do if there's anything you think is
24 missing or would like added or taken out. Okay?

25 MR. NEWMAN: And, if I could, I've got --

1 so I don't have to go back to my office, can I
2 give your clerk my email that I have at the house?

3 THE COURT: Of course.

4 MR. NEWMAN: I'll give that to you.

5 THE COURT: All right. So 10:00 a.m.
6 tomorrow. For the lawyers, 9:45 or so. I think
7 I'm signing search warrants at like 9:30, so
8 that's why. I don't know how many there's going
9 to be, but that's what I'm doing here apparently.

10 Thank you.

11 MS. CAMPBELL: Thank you.

12 THE COURT: Good night, everyone.

13 (The trial was adjourned at 4:15 p.m.)

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3 COUNTY OF BEAUFORT

4 State of South Carolina,

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1 THE BAILIFF: All rise. Carmen Mullen
2 presiding.

3 THE COURT: Please be seated.

4 Miss Campbell, just for me to anticipate for
5 lunch today, how long do you think your two witnesses
6 are going to be this morning?

7 MS. CAMPBELL: I believe that Jamie Green
8 from SLED probably, for the State, 30 minutes.

9 THE COURT: Okay.

10 MS. CAMPBELL: And then Dr. Beaver for
11 the State, maybe 15 minutes.

12 THE COURT: Okay. Marshall, what are we
13 thinking about as far as -- I'm just trying to
14 anticipate closing arguments, lunch, if we're
15 better to break for lunch or not.

16 MR. NEWMAN: Well --

17 THE COURT: Yes.

18 MR. NEWMAN: I want to -- I may call a
19 witness. I'm going to see if I can get a
20 subpoena. You heard the testimony from the DNA
21 analyst on the gun they believe they tie to the
22 shooting. The DNA came back positive for a guy
23 named Andrew Grover.

24 MS. CAMPBELL: I'm sorry. That's the
25 wrong gun. The 457 is not tied to this shooting.

1 The 457 was not involved in this at all.

2 The 238 is involved according to the forensic
3 firearms expert, but there was no DNA on the 238 that
4 was located.

5 MR. NEWMAN: Anyway. Mr. Grober is in
6 Jasper County jail charged with two counts of
7 murder, so I may see if I can get him subpoenaed
8 and get him brought over.

9 THE COURT: Okay.

10 MR. NEWMAN: And he matches the
11 description of the suspects.

12 THE COURT: Who is his attorney in
13 Jasper?

14 MR. NEWMAN: I have no idea. He's been
15 in Jasper County jail. Maybe the PD's office.
16 I'm not sure.

17 MS. CAMPBELL: That's actually a murder
18 case that I'm handling in Jasper County. It's a
19 several-co-defendant case. We can look it up in
20 Matrix.

21 THE COURT: Because, obviously, if you're
22 going to pull him over here to testify, he needs
23 his lawyer.

24 Does Ashley Cornwall send possible -- I
25 mean, she's conflict counsel, right?

1 MR. NEWMAN: I just found out this
2 information when I was cross-examining Agent
3 Garinger, the DNA analyst.

4 MS. CAMPBELL: And again, for the record,
5 Your Honor, what Mr. Newman is talking about is
6 State's Exhibit 110, which is the 9mm Glock that
7 ends in the serial number 457 that was in the
8 dirty clothes hamper in the kitchen at Mink Point.
9 This firearm was one of the seven that was taken
10 to SLED. Two were left based upon the NIBIN
11 testing for further testing. Upon further
12 testing, State's Exhibit 110 is not associated in
13 any way whatsoever with this murder.

14 MR. NEWMAN: You introduced it as
15 evidence. You say it's relevant.

16 MS. CAMPBELL: It's introduced as
17 evidence because Jamie Green worked on this
18 firearm and excluded it.

19 MR. NEWMAN: That's pretty damning.

20 THE COURT: Those are arguments for the
21 jury.

22 Okay.

23 MS. CAMPBELL: Ashley Cornwall.

24 THE COURT: Let's bring the jury in.

25 THE BAILIFF: Yes, Your Honor.

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Your Honor, the jury is ready.

THE COURT: Thank you.

(Jury enters the courtroom at 10:15 a.m.)

THE COURT: Good morning. Thank you-all
for being so prompt this morning. We are going to
continue with the State's case this morning.

Ms. Campbell, if you will call your first
case for the morning.

MS. CAMPBELL: Thank you, Your Honor.
The State calls Jamie Green.

THE CLERK: Good morning. Would you
raise your right hand, please? Do you solemnly
swear or affirm to truthfully answer all questions
asked of you by this court so help you God?

THE WITNESS: Yes, ma'am.

THE CLERK: Please state and spell your
name.

THE WITNESS: James Green, G-r-e-e-n.

THE CLERK: And speak directly into the
mic. Thank you.

WHEREUPON:

JAMES GREEN,
after having been sworn, testified as follows:

DIRECT EXAMINATION

BY MS. CAMPBELL:

1 Q Good morning.

2 A Good morning.

3 Q Where are you currently employed?

4 A I'm employed by the South Carolina Law
5 Enforcement Division, commonly referred to as
6 SLED.

7 Q What is your position there?

8 A I'm a senior forensic scientist or a
9 criminalist in the firearms department.

10 Q And how long have you been there?

11 A Since 2005, so right at 19 years.

12 Q And have you ever been qualified as an expert in
13 forensic firearms examination in the state of South
14 Carolina?

15 A Yes, ma'am.

16 Q All right. And how many times?

17 A 113 or 114. Somewhere around there.

18 MS. CAMPBELL: Your Honor, without going
19 to what is, I'm sure, his immense educational
20 background, I would proffer him at this time as an
21 expert in the field of forensic firearms
22 examination.

23 MR. NEWMAN: I know Mr. Green. I would
24 stipulate to that.

25 THE COURT: All right. Ladies and

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1 gentlemen, in this case, Mr. Green has qualified
2 as an expert in forensic firearms examination.
3 That allows him to his opinion and the reasons for
4 his opinion, and that's for you to use as you see
5 appropriate as compared to other evidence in this
6 case.

7 MS. CAMPBELL: Thank you, Your Honor.

8 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

9 Q So I'm going to start by showing you State's
10 Exhibit 46, which is a bag that you and I opened this
11 morning, I believe.

12 A Yes, ma'am.

13 Q Can you identify that bag for us and then we'll
14 talk about the items that were inside.

15 A Yes, ma'am. State's Exhibit 46 was a
16 evidence taped, sealed envelope with a label on it
17 of L20-00315 container number A, and this was the
18 container that all the fired cartridge cases that
19 were submitted to me were submitted in.

20 Q Thank you. Within State's Exhibit 46, did you and
21 I then take those items out of that State's 46?

22 A Yes, ma'am.

23 MS. CAMPBELL: Your Honor, at this time,
24 the State would introduce State's 46 and the
25 contents of that exhibit into evidence.

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1 THE COURT: Without objection?

2 MR. NEWMAN: Subject to prior

3 objection.

4 THE COURT: All right. Subject to prior

5 objection. Thank you. It's in evidence.

6 MS. CAMPBELL: Thank you, Your Honor.

7 (STATE EXH. 46, Bullet Casings, was entered
8 into evidence.)

9 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

10 Q All right. So let's start with -- I'm going to
11 hand these to you one at a time.

12 MS. CAMPBELL: And I'm going to ask if I
13 can get some assistance with the board up here,
14 please. Thank you.

15 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

16 Q Let's start with this bag right here. And what
17 I'll ask you to do for us is identify what was
18 submitted to you then and your item number.

19 A Yes, ma'am. This a heat-sealed Ziploc bag
20 still sealed. It has my initial and a sealed date
21 on it. And it contains SLED item 1/3, which is a
22 fired 9mm Luger caliber cartridge case.

23 Q So, you've identified the cartridge case here as
24 your item 13?

25 A Yes, ma'am.

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1 Q All right. And that was obtained from where at
2 the crime scene?

3 A Marker number 10, is what it says on the
4 packaging.

5 Q All right. So your item 13 came from marker number
6 10.

7 All right. The next one, if you could
8 identify for us.

9 A This is another bag, heat-sealed Ziploc bag
10 and it contains SLED items 6 and 7, which were two
11 fired 9mm caliber cartridge cases.

12 Q So your SLED item 6, can you tell me if you can
13 read or understand there the marker where that was
14 placed?

15 A The outside of the bag says just marker
16 number 9. It doesn't differentiate as to which
17 one came from marker 9.

18 Q Okay. And then was it 7, you said?

19 A Yes, ma'am. 6 and 7 were both in the bag.

20 Q All right. And that was at marker number 9.
21 Okay.

22 All right. And the next one for us?

23 A This heat-sealed Ziploc bag contains another
24 9mm Luger caliber cartridge case that was
25 submitted as SLED item 5.

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1 Q All right. Does it have a marker next to it?

2 A Yes, ma'am. It says marker Number 6.

3 Q And this item?

4 A This is SLED item 3, that was fired 9mm Luger
5 fired cartridge case.

6 Q All right. So SLED item 3?

7 A Yes.

8 Q And does it have a marker?

9 A Not that I can see on the bag, no, ma'am.

10 Q Got you. Thank you.

11 And then this one?

12 A This is another 9mm Luger caliber cartridge
13 case. It was submitted SLED item 12.

14 Q Is there a marker on that?

15 A It says, under victim, from driver's seat.

16 Q Got you.

17 All right. So the next one?

18 A This is another Ziploc bag that contained
19 SLED items 8 and 9.

20 Q And SLED item 8, does it have a marker number for
21 that?

22 A The outside of the bag says evidence marker
23 9.

24 Q And, I'm sorry, was it 7?

25 A Yes, ma'am. I'm sorry, no. SLED items 8 and

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1 9.

2 Q And SLED item 9, what was the marker for that?

3 A It says marker 7. It's another one that
4 doesn't differentiate it.

5 Q Got you.

6 And this bag?

7 A This is SLED items 10 and 11. They were also
8 both fired 9mm Luger caliber cartridge cases.

9 Q And do we have markers for them?

10 A It says marker Number 8.

11 Q All right. And then our last one?

12 A The last bag contained SLED item 4, which is
13 another fired 9mm caliber Luger cartridge case.

14 Q And SLED item 4, does that have a marker number?

15 A It says item number 9, but it doesn't have a
16 marker number.

17 Q I got you.

18 Okay. So let's talk about the items that you
19 just told us about, did you perform any testing upon
20 these items?

21 A Yes, ma'am.

22 Q And what sort of testing did you perform?

23 A When cartridge cases are submitted to us at
24 the laboratory, what the investigating agency is
25 wanting to know was whether the cartridge cases

1 were fired by one gun, two guns, three guns, four
2 guns, however many. So our job is to look at the
3 tiny scratches, striations, left on those
4 cartridge cases by active firing. Different
5 manufacturers have different class
6 characteristics, like cars. Chevy makes trucks,
7 SUVs, and, you know, cars, or sedans. Gun
8 manufacturers are the same way. They will say we
9 want to make a pistol in this caliber. It's going
10 to have this type of rifling. It's going to have
11 this firing pin aperture shape. All these
12 characteristics they need to be there.

13 And when they're producing those guns, they
14 make those characteristics, but, as a byproduct, tiny
15 microscopic striations are left on the working
16 surfaces of those firearms. The firing pin and the
17 barrel on the breach case that we can use to identify
18 fired evidence back to that particular firearm.

19 Q And performing that testing upon these SLED items
20 3 through 13, which you received from the Bluffton PD
21 in this case, were you able to come to some
22 conclusions or results in reference to these SLED
23 items?

24 A Yes, ma'am.

25 Q All right. So, if I may, let me draw your

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1 attention to the conclusion that you reached as to
2 SLED item -- let's do it this way. SLED item 5, the
3 cartridge case for SLED item 5.

4 A Yes, ma'am.

5 Q All right. Can you tell me your conclusion or
6 result for that?

7 A SLED items 5, 6, 9, and 13 were all fired by
8 the same firearm.

9 Q All right. And did you reach a conclusion as to
10 SLED item 3 and 12?

11 A Yes, ma'am. 3 and 12 -- or SLED items 3 and
12 12 are fired by a second firearm.

13 Q And did you reach a conclusion as to SLED items 4,
14 7, 8, 10, and 11?

15 A Yes, ma'am. They were all fired by a third
16 firearm.

17 Q All right. Let me talk to you about State's
18 Exhibit 64. I'm going to hand you what has been
19 marked and identified as State's Exhibit 64 and ask
20 you if you can identify that and how you can identify
21 it.

22 A Yes, ma'am. State's Exhibit 64 is the Glock
23 model 43 pistol that I examined in this case as
24 SLED item 2.

25 Q Okay. So SLED item 2 is a Glock 43?

1 A Yes, ma'am.

2 Q And what is the serial number for that Glock 43?

3 A It is BHYL238.

4 Q Now, when you received that item from Bluffton PD,
5 were you able to discover maybe a mislabeling on the
6 original box? Could you explain that to the jury?

7 A Yes, ma'am. When evidence is submitted to
8 the laboratory, it's sealed when it comes into the
9 laboratory and it's put into an evidence locker
10 with the paperwork. Sometimes when the evidence
11 is brought in, if there are, like, two Glockes in a
12 case or two Smith & Wessons in a case, you'll get
13 a lab number label put on item 2 when it should be
14 on item 1.

15 The integrity of the evidence is not
16 compromised in any way. It was simply a clerical
17 error putting the wrong label on the wrong box.

18 So when I opened up the two pistols submitted
19 in this case, I realize that the information for SLED
20 item 2 was -- the gun for SLED item 2 was in the box
21 with the item 1 label on it and vice versa. SLED item
22 1 pistol was in the box with the SLED item 2 label.
23 Nothing was wrong, except the label was put on the
24 wrong box. All the information matched. It was just
25 the swapping of the labels.

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1 Q And did you correctly label then the contents of
2 State's 64 as the Glock 43?

3 A Yes, ma'am.

4 Q And I think you wrote something on there maybe
5 about Bluffton item 103.

6 A That was --

7 Q There was some notation on there about item 103.

8 A Yes, ma'am. That would have been prior to my
9 getting it.

10 Q Okay.

11 All right. So tell me about this Glock 43,
12 State's Exhibit 64, were you able to identify any of
13 the casing -- cartridge cases in this case to
14 State's Exhibit 64, the Glock 43 ending in serial
15 number 238?

16 A Yes, ma'am.

17 Q And tell us what you were able to identify.

18 A Well, the first thing we do when we get guns,
19 you know, we make sure they're safe. And this gun
20 is unloaded, by the way. It's not going to hurt
21 anybody.

22 But to get test specimens we know were fired
23 by that gun, we know beyond a shadow of a doubt, we
24 shoot the gun ourselves. So I'll shoot it and know
25 that those cartridge cases and bullets were fired by

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1 that gun because I shot them myself. So I can
2 microscopically compare them to see if the gun is
3 marking them consistency, and then I will compare
4 those with the three different groups of cartridge
5 cases I had in this case. I'll compare tests from
6 SLED item 2 to items 5, 6, 9, and 13, and I'll compare
7 them to 3 and 12, and I'll compare them to 4, 7, 8,
8 10, and 11, and I'll come to my conclusion.

9 In those conclusions I said that gun number
10 1, so, on the board gun number 1, SLED item 2, or
11 State's 64, fired SLED items 5, 6, 9, and 13.

12 Q And so this is the Glock 43?

13 A Yes, ma'am.

14 Q With the serial number ending in 238?

15 A Yes, ma'am.

16 Q This gun, which is your item number 2 --

17 A Yes, ma'am.

18 Q -- it fired these cartridge cases, correct?

19 A Yes, ma'am.

20 Q All right. So did you reach -- I'll take that
21 back from you.

22 MS. CAMPBELL: Having identified State's
23 Exhibit 64, State moves exhibit 54 into evidence,
24 Your Honor.

25 THE COURT: Subject to your prior

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1 objection?

2 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am.

3 THE COURT: All right. It's in evidence.

4 (STATE EXH. 64, Glock 43 Handgun, was
5 entered into evidence.)

6 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

7 Q Were you able to reach any conclusions about the
8 cartridge cases 3 and 12 then in relation to the Glock
9 43?

10 A Yes, ma'am. They were not fired by the Glock
11 43.

12 Q Not fired by the Glock 43.

13 A Right.

14 Q Your conclusion in reference to 4, 7, 8, 10, and
15 11, were they fired by the Glock 43?

16 A No, ma'am.

17 Q So the way I read your board at this point is that
18 there were three guns firing?

19 A Based on the cartridge cases, yes, ma'am,
20 there were three guns.

21 Q Okay, thank you.

22 All right. So let's move on a little bit to
23 the second report that you issued and worked on, which
24 would be State's 58. Could you identify that for us,
25 please?

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1 A Yes, ma'am. State's Exhibit 58 is SLED
2 container L20-00315 container number C, and it
3 contained some projectiles from autopsy.

4 Q From autopsy.

5 A Yes, ma'am.

6 MS. CAMPBELL: Your Honor, at this time,
7 the State would move State's Exhibit 58 into
8 evidence.

9 MR. NEWMAN: Subject to prior
10 objection.

11 THE COURT: Thank you. Subject to your
12 prior objection, they're in evidence.

13 (STATE EXH. 58, Bullet Fragments from
14 Autopsy; Blackshear, was entered into evidence.)

15 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

16 Q On the description on State's 58, could you just
17 tell us what the items are described as in State's
18 Exhibit 58?

19 A So the bullet fragments, shoulder, neck slash
20 chest, bullet fragment, head, and then bullet
21 fragments, body bag.

22 Q Okay, thank you.

23 And then State's Exhibit 54, if you can take
24 a look at that and tell me if you can identify that.

25 A Yes, ma'am. State's Exhibit 54 is SLED

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1 container L20-00315, container E, and it contains
2 SLED items 16 through 19.

3 Q The bags would be marked within State's Exhibit 54
4 with the location that these bullet fragments were
5 removed from in the vehicle?

6 A Yes, ma'am.

7 Q All right. Thank you.

8 MS. CAMPBELL: Your Honor, the State
9 moves State's Exhibit 54 into evidence at this
10 time.

11 THE COURT: Subject to your prior
12 objection.

13 (STATE EXH. 54, Bullet Fragment, was entered
14 into evidence.)

15 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

16 Q So let's talk a little bit then about your work
17 that you did on the bullet fragments from both the
18 victim and from the vehicle, if we may.

19 A Yes, ma'am.

20 Q All right. So were you -- let's go item by item.
21 So item 16, could you tell us a little bit about your
22 finding -- what it was and what your findings were?

23 A SLED item 16 was one fired bullet jacket
24 fragment and one lead core.

25 Q Okay. So 16 is a?

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- 1 A Bullet jacket fragment and a lead core.
- 2 Q And a lead core. And that came from?
- 3 A The front door of the Accord.
- 4 Q From the Honda Accord?
- 5 A Yes, ma'am.
- 6 Q And the front door of that Accord, okay.
- 7 Sled item 17?
- 8 A Was a fired bullet.
- 9 Q And where did that come from?
- 10 A Under rear bench seat of the Accord.
- 11 Q Under the rear bench seat in the Honda Accord?
- 12 A Yes, ma'am.
- 13 Q SLED item 18?
- 14 A It was a fired bullet jacket fragment.
- 15 Q Fired bullet jacket fragment?
- 16 A Yes, ma'am.
- 17 Q And where did that come from?
- 18 A Around the glove compartment.
- 19 Q Again, in the Honda Accord from the glove
- 20 compartment area?
- 21 A Yes, ma'am.
- 22 Q All right. State's Exhibit 19?
- 23 A Was a lead core.
- 24 Q And where was that from?
- 25 A Under hood, behind the engine block of the

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1 Accord.

2 Q Honda Accord, under the hood and the engine block?

3 A Yes, ma'am.

4 Q And State's Exhibit 20?

5 A Was a bullet jacket fragment.

6 Q All right. And that came from?

7 A It was listed as coming from the body bag.

8 Q State's Exhibit 21?

9 A There was one fired bullet, one bullet jacket
10 fragment, one lead core, and two pieces of lead.

11 Q All right. I've got fired bullet?

12 A Bullet jacket fragment.

13 Q Bullet jacket fragment. And lead core?

14 A And two pieces of lead.

15 Q And then two pieces of lead.

16 And where did that come from?

17 A Trey Blackshear's head and brain during
18 autopsy.

19 Q And item 22?

20 A It was a fired bullet jacket, one lead core,
21 and one piece of lead.

22 Q And one piece of lead. And where did that come
23 from?

24 A Found in Trey Blackshear's shoulder, neck,
25 and chest during autopsy.

1 Q Tell me a little bit about the difference between
2 what we put up here between the bullet jacket
3 fragments, lead core --

4 A Yes, ma'am.

5 Q All right.

6 A A jacketed bullet -- the easy way to think
7 about it, everybody likes M&Ms. A jacketed bullet
8 is like an M&M. The jacket of the bullet is the
9 candy outside of the M&M and the core is the
10 chocolate filling of the M&M. If I were to throw
11 an M&M at the wall behind me, it's going to come
12 apart and break into pieces. Sometimes jacketed
13 bullets break apart when they hit something hard,
14 or when they hit something soft just depending on
15 how they're made.

16 So you can have a bullet with a jacket and
17 core in tact, you can have a core separate from a
18 jacket, or you could have a bullet fragment, or a
19 bullet jacket fragment.

20 Q All right. Thank you.

21 So, I am -- before we come back to talk about
22 this in just a moment, I'd like to direct your
23 attention to your report -- full report on ammunition
24 cartridge case worksheet, if I could. Tell me a
25 little bit about head stamps on ammunition.

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1 A Head stamps are placed on cartridge cases.

2 Cartridge cases are easier to work with than
3 projectiles when determining caliber, because the
4 caliber will be stamped on to the head of the
5 cartridge during manufacturing. So the cartridge
6 case's head stamp will give you the manufacturer
7 of cartridge case and the caliber.

8 Q All right. Were you able to determine caliber on
9 the casings and the head stamps?

10 A Yes, ma'am.

11 Q All right. So I'll take you to what you have
12 listed I guess as item 3 and 12. Can you tell me the
13 head stamp that you found on 3 and 12?

14 A Yes, ma'am. The short version is S&B, but it
15 stands for Sellier & Bellot. S-e-l-l-i-e-r,
16 ampersand, B-e-l-l-o-t.

17 Q Then I'll draw your attention to the head stamp
18 for your item 4.

19 A Yes, ma'am. Items 4 and 10 have the same
20 head stamp and they were SIG, S-I-G.

21 Q So 4 is a SIG?

22 A Yes, ma'am.

23 Q How about 10?

24 A It's also a SIG.

25 Q All right. I'll direct your attention then to 5,

1 6, 9, and 13. And what were the head stamps on 5, 6,
2 9, and 13?

3 A They all had Winchester head stamps.

4 Q Okay.

5 A But on my worksheet I put in parenthesis USA
6 behind it because USA is the generic brand of
7 Winchester, even though the Winchester head
8 stamps, they could be in a box that says USA on
9 it.

10 Q Okay. 7 and 8?

11 A 7 and 8 also S&B head stamps.

12 Q And how about this lone 11 out here. What do we
13 find there?

14 A It was a JAG head stamp, J-A-G.

15 Q All right.

16 Okay. Are some of the bullet fragments and
17 lead cores and bullet jacket fragments and fired
18 bullets, are they -- some easier to work with and make
19 determinations about than others and why?

20 A If I have a whole bullet, it's easier to
21 determine caliber versus a fragment of a bullet.
22 Because when I have a whole bullet, I can look at
23 everything that we call OPCs, the observable,
24 physical, characteristics. You know, when you do
25 it long enough, you can look at a bullet and tell

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1 what caliber it is. But to verify that, you weigh
2 it and you measure it. But each manufacturer has
3 a certain standard they set by. This ammunition
4 manufacturer is SAAIMI, S-A-A-I-M-I.

5 9mm Luger bullets usually weigh either 115
6 grams or 124 grams or 147 grams. Those are your three
7 big ones. So if I get a bullet that looks like a 9mm
8 and measures the right diameter and it weighs 115
9 grams, it's a 9mm. But we'll say it's most consistent
10 with 9mm. The only way to definitive say it is a 9mm
11 or a 40, or a 10, or whatever, is if I match it to a
12 gun with that caliber.

13 So when our reports will say that these items
14 were examined and they were most consistent with 9mm,
15 or if they're damaged, we can sometimes give like a
16 family of calibers like nominal 38 including 9mm,
17 something like that.

18 Q Take us through any of the items here on the
19 bullet fragments that you examined that were
20 unsuitable for identification?

21 A Item 16 core --

22 Q There's a lead core here --

23 A Yes, ma'am.

24 Q -- that's unsuitable?

25 A Item 19, the item 21 core, the item 22 core,

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1 and then the item 21, this is a lead, and the item
2 22 piece is a lead. And then item 20 was a bullet
3 jacket fragment. I couldn't tell you if it was
4 fired or not because I didn't see anything fired.
5 That wasn't suitable. And then the item 21 bullet
6 fragment jacket was also unsuitable. And
7 unsuitable, what that means -- it's just one of
8 our conclusions. We have positive fired by
9 negative, not fired by unsuitable. So it's either
10 too damaged to make a determination or there are
11 no marks on there.

12 And then inconclusive. Inconclusive is a
13 fancy word for "I don't know." And there's enough
14 marks for me to say it could have been fired by that
15 gun, but there's not enough for me to say, yes, it
16 was.

17 Q All right. We're whittling down here. So were
18 there any remaining items that we have on the board
19 that may or may not be suitable for identification?

20 A Yes, ma'am.

21 Q And which item was that?

22 A The easy to way it is, everything you haven't
23 crossed out so far.

24 Q Okay. All right. Well, that works.

25 How about we talk then about item 16, what do

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1 we have there? What can you tell us about item 16?

2 A Item 16 -- we we're talking about item 16,
3 now we're just talking about the bullet jacket
4 fragment?

5 Q Correct. Not what is unsuitable.

6 A Yes, ma'am.

7 Since it wasn't a whole bullet, I can only
8 say it was consistent with a nominal 38 caliber, and
9 in that family of 38 includes 9mm, among others.

10 Q All right. And how about 17, the fired bullet.
11 Do we have any results or findings on that?

12 A Yes, ma'am. It was consistent with being a
13 bullet loaded in some 9mm Luger caliber
14 cartridges.

15 Q Okay. And how about 18, the fired bullet jacket
16 fragment?

17 A It was also consistent with being nominal 38,
18 including 9, among others.

19 Q All right. And then we skip over here and we go
20 to 21, the fired bullet.

21 A 21 is a bullet jacket, yes.

22 Q I'm sorry. I got that wrong. What was 21? One
23 fired bullet?

24 A 21.

25 Q Do we have any conclusions from your work here on

1 that?

2 A 21 was a bullet jacket, yes, ma'am. It was
3 also nominal 38 and 9mm.

4 Q Okay. And then do I then move to 22?

5 A Same thing, nominal 38.

6 Q Including the 9mm?

7 A Yes, ma'am.

8 Q All right.

9 So having gotten to that point, can you tell
10 me anything more specific about item 16?

11 A Yes, ma'am. The item 16 bullet jacket
12 fragment, item 18, the 21 bullet jacket, and the
13 item 23 bullet jackets were all inclusive of each
14 other. I couldn't tell you if they were fired by
15 one gun or multiple guns.

16 But what I can tell you is, they were not
17 fired by the Glock 43 that was submitted to me, and
18 they were not fired by the firearm that fired SLED
19 item 17.

20 Q Okay. And the firearm that fired SLED item 17
21 was?

22 A I'm sorry?

23 Q I'm trying to -- oh, okay.

24 And SLED item 17 is the one that's under the
25 bench in the back seat, correct?

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1 A Yes, ma'am.

2 Q So those items you just listed, tell me them
3 again.

4 A The 16 bullet jacket fragment, item 18, item
5 21 bullet jacket, and the item 22 bullet jacket.

6 Q They were not fired by the gun that fired 17?

7 A Correct.

8 Q And anything more specific about item 17 that you
9 were able to find or could tell me?

10 A Yes, ma'am.

11 Q In addition to being a 9mm, item 17 was
12 inconclusive with test bullets fired by the Glock 43.
13 There were some arcs there that led me to believe it
14 could have been fired by that gun. There was not
15 enough for me to say, yes, it was fired by that gun.

16 And, versely, SLED item 17 was not fired by
17 the firearm or firearms that fired 16, 18, 21, and
18 22.

19 Q Thank you.

20 (STATE EXH. 136, Photo; Cartridge Cases, was
21 marked for identification.)

22 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

23 Q I'm going to show you what has been marked as
24 State's Exhibit 163 (sic) and ask you if you can
25 identify State's 163.

1 A This is a photograph of the evidence or the
2 cartridge cases I took while I was conducting
3 inventory of the evidence.

4 Q Thank you.

5 MS. CAMPBELL: Have you seen this?

6 MR. NEWMAN: Yeah.

7 MS. CAMPBELL: Your Honor, State would
8 seek to introduce State's 136 and publish at this
9 time.

10 MR. NEWMAN: Subject to --

11 THE COURT: Subject to your prior
12 objection, it's in evidence.

13 (STATE EXH. 136, Photo; Cartridge Cases, was
14 entered into evidence.)

15 MS. CAMPBELL: If we could just pull that
16 up.

17 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

18 Q So I'm going to switch our board over and talk
19 about those casings again. Starting in the top left,
20 could you read to us the head stamps that you have
21 here?

22 A Yes, ma'am. We got S&B, SIG, Winchester,
23 Winchester, S&B, S&B.

24 Q And the bottom row?

25 A The bottom row, I can't see that actually.

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1 Q That's all right. I know it's a little bit hard
2 to read. How about the next one?

3 A JAG, JAG, S&B, Winchester.

4 Q And so?

5 A Actually, I'm sorry. The bottom left is
6 Winchester, I see it now.

7 Q Winchester Sig, JAG, S&B, Winchester?

8 A Yes, ma'am.

9 Q And those are the casings that we just finished
10 talking about here from your report; is that
11 correct?

12 A Yes, ma'am. That's the picture. When we get
13 evidence in, not only do we conduct an inventory
14 so we know what was supposed to be submitted
15 versus what we actually have, we take pictures of
16 it as we proceed so we know how to package it back
17 when it goes back, but also for evidentiary or
18 note-taking purposes. So that is a picture I took
19 from the camera we have while I was conducting
20 inventory.

21 Q And obviously they are not lined up in any
22 particular order in your photo?

23 A They're lined up numerically.

24 Q Got you. Thank you.

25 MS. CAMPBELL: Just one second, Your

1 Honor.

2 Thank you so much.

3 THE COURT: Mr. Newman.

4 MR. NEWMAN: Thank you, Your Honor.

5 CROSS-EXAMINATION

6 BY MR. NEWMAN:

7 Q Now, when you identified -- I'm Jared Newman. I
8 don't think we've met.

9 A A long time ago, actually.

10 Q Yeah, maybe. Yeah, okay.

11 A Yes.

12 Q When you identified things as coming from
13 somewhere, you're relying on what other officers
14 provided, correct?

15 A Yes, sir. I don't go to any crime scenes.
16 So whenever I put something in the report, if it
17 says one fired cartridge case from marker A or
18 marker B that's just me reiterating what was put
19 on the evidence submission forms. So whenever the
20 investigator is recreating a crime scene based on
21 my report, they can see where, you know, guns were
22 when they were being fired.

23 Q Right. So if the investigating officer had
24 mislabeled it, you're just going on what they label
25 and you assume that they're true and correct in their

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1 labeling?

2 A Yes, sir. I have no direct knowledge. So
3 I'm just saying, you told me item 1 came from
4 marker A, so I'm telling you marker A is number
5 1.

6 Q Right. And if the gun came from a silver Chevy,
7 you would say that's where I believe it came from. I
8 don't have any personal knowledge.

9 A Correct.

10 Q Or if it said a black Camry, which it doesn't --

11 A Right. I have no idea.

12 Q Now, I'm interested in this because the -- I don't
13 know what she did with it. You weren't here
14 yesterday. I talked with Garinger I think is his
15 name. He's the DNA analyst. A lot of times these,
16 especially with weapons, pass through a bunch of
17 different hands, correct?

18 A More times than not, yes, sir.

19 Q I mean, there might be blood on the muzzle. It
20 will go to serology. There might be DNA on it and it
21 will go for biological testing?

22 A Yes, sir. When evidence is submitted to the
23 laboratory, we get things last. So if it was
24 processed for DNA or latent prints, it would go to
25 other departments before it came to me.

1 Q Right. So, what I'm talking about, the DNA guy
2 said that this gun was associated with a fellow named
3 Andrew Lee Grober who is in jail in Jasper for two
4 counts of murder. Did you do any work on that case?

5 A That's the first I've heard of anything about
6 it.

7 Q So you --

8 A I don't see reports from other departments.

9 Q Okay. So you wouldn't see the DNA report that
10 matches to Andrew Grober.

11 A One, I wouldn't see it. Two, I wouldn't even
12 understand it.

13 Q I barely understand that, too. I understand what
14 you're talking about too.

15 Thank you.

16 REDIRECT EXAMINATION

17 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

18 Q Just to clarify before we have close, State's
19 Exhibit 64, I believe is what you testified, was the
20 firearm that fired the casings 5, 6, 9, and 13?

21 A Yes, ma'am.

22 Q Thank you.

23 MS. CAMPBELL: That's all.

24 THE COURT: Yes, sir.

25 RECROSS-EXAMINATION

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1 BY MR. NEWMAN:

2 Q And relying on other officers in the packaging, if
3 you can look at it, where was that pistol located?

4 A It says silver Chevy, SC tag, SOI524.

5 Q Okay. And it doesn't say black Toyota? Silver
6 Chevy.

7 A Correct.

8 Q All right. Thank you, sir?

9 MS. CAMPBELL: That's all.

10 THE COURT: All right. Any objection to
11 this witness being excused?

12 MR. NEWMAN: No, ma'am.

13 THE COURT: You're excuse, sir. Thank you.

14 MS. CAMPBELL: Your Honor, may we
15 approach before the next witness.

16 THE COURT: You may.

17 MS. CAMPBELL: Dr. Beaver is coming in
18 and testifying. I don't think we ever got -- Dr.
19 Beaver is next. I don't think we ever got a
20 decision from the Court on the photographs
21 submitted from autopsy, as to whether or not they
22 would need to be in black and white. I do have
23 them in black and white.

24 THE COURT: Can I see them?

25 MS. CAMPBELL: Yes, absolutely.

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1 MR. NEWMAN: I can't see that one. Are
2 those radiographs?

3 MS. CAMPBELL: Yeah.

4 THE COURT: All right. So you have them in
5 black and white as well?

6 MS. CAMPBELL: I do.

7 THE COURT: Can I see those?

8 MS. CAMPBELL: Absolutely.

9 THE COURT: All right. So my question to
10 you, Miss Campbell, is: What is the difference?

11 MS. CAMPBELL: So Dr. Beaver will be
12 talking about the closeness of the shot.

13 THE COURT: Okay.

14 MS. CAMPBELL: Particularly to the wound
15 in the head. We can do a black and white for
16 every one except the one to the head.

17 THE COURT: Okay. So those would be
18 those. And you want to use --

19 MR. NEWMAN: That's the shaved one.

20 THE COURT: Is it because you can see
21 stippling?

22 MR. NEWMAN: That's fine. If we can use
23 black and white with everything else. I
24 understand the relevance of that.

25 THE COURT: Okay. Which one are you

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1 going to use? You want this one or this one?

2 MS. CAMPBELL: Well, see Dr. Beaver then
3 shaved around it to get a better picture. This is
4 how he originally shaved it, and then he got it in
5 close. And then both of them are probative.

6 THE COURT: In color, is that what you're
7 saying?

8 MS. CAMPBELL: Yes, ma'am.

9 MR. NEWMAN: I think you can pick one.

10 THE COURT: Yeah, I think they're the
11 same thing. I think you need to pick one.

12 This?

13 MR. NEWMAN: Black and white, no
14 problem.

15 THE COURT: Talk to me about the
16 stippling. Do you have any problem with that?

17 MR. NEWMAN: No.

18 THE COURT: Is this the same thing?

19 MR. NEWMAN: The fragments I don't have
20 any problem with.

21 THE COURT: Okay. Head and shoulders.
22 Got it.

23 MR. NEWMAN: No problem. From my
24 understanding, the doctor is going to testify.

25 THE COURT: She wants him to testify to

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1 that. The bullets and the fragments. Those are
2 okay.

3 MR. NEWMAN: This is okay here if you're
4 using it to show stippling.

5 THE COURT: You're just using it for the
6 stippling.

7 MR. NEWMAN: That's fine.

8 THE COURT: All right. Those are the
9 objections; is that correct? No objections?

10 MR. NEWMAN: Correct. No objection.

11 MS. CAMPBELL: By agreement.

12 MR. NEWMAN: By agreement, yes, ma'am.

13 Okay. Let's just take five minutes before we
14 bring them out. She's here, isn't she?

15 MS. CAMPBELL: Dr. Beaver, he, yes.

16 THE COURT: Let me give these back to
17 you.

18 MR. NEWMAN: Are we going to take a
19 break?

20 THE COURT: Is that okay? Just take five
21 minutes.

22 MR. NEWMAN: That's fine.

23 THE COURT: All right. Ladies and
24 gentlemen of the jury, we're just going to take a
25 quick five-minute break. I need to remind you,

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1 don't discuss this case. It wouldn't be
2 appropriate to do so.

3 Madame Foreperson, when the jury has
4 refreshed themselves, knock on the door, and I
5 will bring you right out, okay?

6 (Jury exits the courtroom at 10:58 a.m.)

7 THE BAILIFF: The door is closed and the
8 jury is clear.

9 THE COURT: Thank you. Let's just take a
10 quick five-minute break. Anything from the State
11 before we take a break?

12 MS. CAMPBELL: No. And I appreciate that
13 five minutes or so, Your Honor, so that Mr. Urdell
14 can get the proper ones taken out and put in for
15 display.

16 THE COURT: Okay, very good. It might be
17 ten, depending on how long it takes the jury to
18 refresh themselves.

19 MR. NEWMAN: I got no problem with that,
20 Your Honor.

21 THE COURT: And for the young lady that's
22 in the pink back there, I just want to make sure
23 you sit up straight. Don't lean your head on
24 people around you, okay? You just need to sit-up.
25 Thank you.

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1 We'll be at ease for 10 minutes.

2 (A break was taken from 10:55 a.m. to 11:13 a.m.)

3 THE BAILIFF: All rise. This court is
4 back in session.

5 THE COURT: Please be seated.

6 The State ready?

7 MS. CAMPBELL: Yes, ma'am.

8 THE COURT: Defense ready?

9 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, Your Honor. I'm sorry.
10 I was talking to the pathologist.

11 THE COURT: Let's bring the jury in.

12 THE BAILIFF: Your Honor, the jury is
13 ready.

14 THE COURT: Thank you.

15 (Jury enters the courtroom at 11:56 a.m.)

16 THE COURT: Miss Campbell, call your next
17 witness?

18 MS. CAMPBELL: The State calls Dr. Thomas
19 Beaver.

20 THE CLERK: Please raise your right hand.
21 Do you solemnly swear or affirm to truthfully
22 answer all questions asked of you by this court so
23 help you God?

24 THE WITNESS: I do.

25 THE CLERK: Please state and spell your

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1 name.

2 THE WITNESS: Yes. My name is Thomas
3 Richard Beaver, B-e-a-v-e-r.

4 THE CLERK: Thank you.

5 THE COURT: Please come around.

6 THE CLERK: And speak directly into the
7 mic, please.

8 WHEREUPON:

9 RICHARD BEAVER,
10 after having been sworn, testified as follows:

11 DIRECT EXAMINATION

12 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

13 Q Good morning, Dr. Beaver.

14 A Good morning.

15 Q All right. Where are you currently employed?

16 A Medical University of South Carolina.

17 Q And your position there?

18 A I'm a clinical associate professor.

19 Q Have you worked with the department of pathology
20 and lab medicine performing forensic autopsies?

21 A Yes, ma'am. That's my primary function.

22 Q Okay. And have you been qualified as an expert in
23 the state of South Carolina as an expert in the field
24 of forensic pathology?

25 A Yes, ma'am.

1 Q All right. And how many times?

2 A It's not that many because I just came here
3 in 2018 and we had the COVID thing.

4 Q Right.

5 A About, I would say, maybe 12 times, 13 times,
6 something like that.

7 Q All right. And, of course, you've been
8 qualified --

9 MR. NEWMAN: Not to interrupt, I would
10 stipulate. I've talked to Dr. Beaver. I would
11 stipulate that he is a qualified expert to render
12 opinions in pathology.

13 MS. CAMPBELL: Thank you.

14 THE COURT: Thank you.

15 Ladies and gentlemen of the jury, Dr. Beaver
16 in this case is being qualified as an expert in
17 forensic pathology. Again, it allows him to give his
18 opinion and the reasons for his opinion and that's for
19 you to use as you see appropriate and as compared to
20 other evidence in the case.

21 MS. CAMPBELL: Thank you, Your Honor.

22 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

23 Q Dr. Beaver, do you have a copy of your work that
24 you did in this case?

25 A Yes, ma'am, I do.

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1 Q All right. Thank you.

2 Did you perform an autopsy on a patient Trey
3 Blackshear on December 27th of 2019?

4 A Yes, ma'am.

5 Q And I'd like to take you to that report and I'd
6 like to ask you a couple of things about on page 2
7 your evidence of injury to your patient.

8 A Yes, ma'am.

9 Q And, before we do that, I'm going to show you
10 what's been marked and I believe agreed upon with the
11 defense --

12 MR. NEWMAN: I'm sorry. That's correct.
13 We have no objection to these exhibits.

14 THE COURT: Okay. Thank you.

15 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

16 Q All right. I'm just going to show you these
17 State's exhibits, make sure that you can identify
18 them, and then we'll introduce them and we publish
19 them during your testimony.

20 A Yes, ma'am. I'm good with these. 101, I'm
21 not -- it's very close up and I'm not sure
22 exactly -- that looks like the shoulder wound to
23 me, but it's so close that I don't have an
24 anatomical landmark to definitely say that's the
25 shoulder wound. But it looks like what I

1 remember.

2 Q Okay, thank you.

3 MS. CAMPBELL: All right. Your Honor, at
4 this time the State would move State's Exhibits
5 97, 98, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107
6 into evidence and be permitted to publish.

7 MR. NEWMAN: Without objection, Your
8 Honor.

9 THE COURT: Without objection you may
10 publish.

11 (STATE EXH. 97, Photo, was marked and
12 entered into evidence.)

13 (STATE EXH. 98, Photo, was marked and
14 entered into evidence.)

15 (STATE EXH. 100, Photo, was marked and
16 entered into evidence.)

17 (STATE EXH. 101, Photo, was marked and
18 entered into evidence.)

19 (STATE EXH. 102, Photo, was marked and
20 entered into evidence.)

21 (STATE EXH. 103, Photo, was marked and
22 entered into evidence.)

23 (STATE EXH. 104, Photo, was marked for
24 identification, was entered into evidence.)

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1 Q Okay. So I'm going to take you to page 2, the
2 evidence of injury. If we could talk a little bit
3 about gunshot wound 1, could you tell me what you
4 found?

5 A Yes, ma'am. So gunshot wound number 1 occurs
6 on the right side of the neck, sort of at the base
7 of the neck, and it's coming in at an angle so it
8 creates, kind of, an elongated wound passes
9 through the skin subcutaneous tissue, a little bit
10 of muscle, and then it exits. And the exit wound
11 is very close to the entrance wound. So it's
12 superficial, a fraction of an inch and it would
13 just be a graze wound.

14 It doesn't impact any major neurovascular
15 structure, not any major arteries or veins. It
16 doesn't impact any major bone. So it's a pretty
17 superficial wound coming from right to left and going,
18 kind of, front to back -- or back to front, excuse me,
19 and slightly upwards.

20 Q Thank you. I want to pull up State's Exhibit 97
21 for us. This appears to show what you have just
22 testified to us about, Dr. Beaver. And in State's
23 Exhibit 97, is that the gunshot wound you just told us
24 about?

25 A Yes, ma'am. Yes.

1 Q Thank you.

2 All right. So I'm going to take you to
3 gunshot 2. If you tell us the evidence of injury that
4 you found at gunshot wound 2.

5 A So this is a gunshot wound on the --

6 MS. CAMPBELL: No, that's the wrong one.
7 Pull that down. You need to pull up State's
8 Exhibit 100, please.

9 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

10 Q There we go.

11 All right. Can you tell us about the
12 evidence of injury in gunshot wound 2.

13 A So this is on the back of the head near the
14 occipital, which is, like, the very back of the
15 head. The part that sticks out the most on the
16 back of the head.

17 We shaved -- I shaved away the scalp hair so
18 that we could actually see the wound. And the hole is
19 there and around the wound is this black sooty
20 material. And so that's soot from the muzzle of the
21 gun from the burning powder. And that only gets
22 deposited like this if it's a close range. So a
23 matter of a few -- of less than an inch. A few
24 fractions of an inch would be the range here.

25 I made it close contact. It doesn't quite

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1 have all the features of a contact wound, but it also
2 doesn't quite fit the definition of a close-range
3 wound, so it's very close. It's almost a contact
4 wound.

5 Q So we're talking in State's Exhibit 100, as you
6 say, a close contact, less than an inch, a fraction of
7 an inch. Can you give me the movement of that?

8 A So, the path of the wound is back to front.
9 I believe it's slightly upwards and there's very
10 little change in the lateral dimension. I have to
11 look on my report one second just to make sure.

12 Q Certainly.

13 A Yeah, I said at the time, "The overall path
14 of the wound is back to front, slightly upwards
15 with little or no change in the lateral
16 dimension." That's what I said at the time.

17 Q Thank you, Doctor.

18 I'd like to next move to State's Exhibit 102.
19 If you can talk to me about any items that were
20 recovered from the area of gunshot wound 2.

21 A So, we do an x-ray at the beginning. And
22 then after we do that, we do the dissection and I
23 look for fragments that I see on the x-ray. And
24 so I dissect through the brain and the skull and
25 everything and I find -- I collect the fragments

1 basically and these are bullet fragments that I
2 collected from the brain.

3 And so when they are all collected, we
4 photograph them and we place them into evidence. And
5 this is the photograph we take right before they're
6 packaged up and submitted as evidence.

7 MS. CAMPBELL: If we could pull up
8 State's 104, please. Thank you.

9 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

10 Q Dr. Beaver, could you tell me a little bit about
11 the matter that we are looking at in Trey's head here
12 from State's 102. Tell us about the location and what
13 you found in the pathway here.

14 A Yes, ma'am. So this is a front view of the
15 head. So we're looking, kind of, straight on to
16 the face. And the bony structures, they're light
17 colored. And the things that are more like air or
18 water are dark colored. The lighter the color the
19 more dense the material.

20 So, the bullet fragments are very dense.
21 Lead is dense, and even the copper parts of it are
22 dense. So those show up as those lights splotches
23 superimposed on the rest on the brain tissue and the
24 skull. And so we're seeing those. We see 1, 2, 3, 4,
25 5. Five, what I would consider recoverable fragments.

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1 And then there's maybe 1, 2, 3, 4 fragments that don't
2 look like -- they don't look large enough for me to be
3 able to find them.

4 The x-ray magnifies everything, so those
5 fragments are actually smaller than what it looks like
6 on the x-ray, plus we zoomed in on it.

7 We can also see a couple of other features.
8 There's a skull fracture that's a dark squiggly line.
9 Yes, right there. That's a skull fracture where the
10 bone is separated and so we can see through it.

11 We can see on the far left side of the
12 brain, there's a little cloudy, wispy, darker
13 colored area -- yes, right there. That's probably
14 a hemorrhage. That's a hemorrhage that's occurred
15 on the outside of the brain.

16 And there's some other skull fractures, but
17 that's about it for that.

18 Q When we go -- thank you, Doctor.

19 When we go to move to wound 3, I'd like to
20 just pull down on this particular exhibit to his
21 shoulder, if we could, and look at that and then we'll
22 pull up the next exhibit.

23 And so tell us something about what we see
24 with wound number 3.

25 A Yes. So gunshot wound number 3 occurs in the

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1 shoulder scapular area, back of the shoulder. And
2 it comes through skin and the bullet fragments end
3 up stopping right behind the clavicle.

4 So, the shoulder joint is complex. To the
5 far right of this frame you see this, kind of, rounded
6 structure. And that's the top of the humerus, the arm
7 bone. And then joint itself is right next to that.
8 And then the clavicle is just, sort of, a round
9 cylinder bone that's going across the front. And the
10 bullet fragments sit right -- it looks like they're in
11 front of it because of the x-ray is a two-dimensional
12 drawing -- representation of a three-dimensional
13 space, but they are actually behind it. And so I've
14 dissected through the skin and muscle and got the
15 fragments from behind the clavicle.

16 It doesn't break the clavicle. It's all
17 fine. And it doesn't enter the chest the cavity,
18 which is just below. You can see a couple of ribs
19 right there curving through the bottom of the picture.
20 And it didn't hit anything, any major vessels. There
21 are some big ones there, but it doesn't hit those.

22 MS. CAMPBELL: And so, if we could pull
23 up State's Exhibit 103 at this time.

24 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

25 Q Can you tell us what we're looking at here,

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1 Doctor?

2 A Sure. Once again, I've seen the fragments on
3 the x-ray and now I go hunting and I'll find them,
4 and these are the fragments that I was able to
5 recover. We photograph them and place them into
6 evidence, and this is the photo we took. So
7 there's, kind of, a lead-colored fragment and then
8 there's a copper-colored fragment and then there's
9 one that's got, kind of, a little of both.

10 MS. CAMPBELL: If we could pull up
11 State's Exhibit Number 98, please.

12 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

13 Q I think on injury 3, the gunshot 3 --

14 MS. CAMPBELL: Zoom in for me.

15 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

16 Q -- we've worked our way, sort of, inside out.
17 Tell us what we see here, Doctor.

18 A Yes. So those fragments we just recovered
19 from behind the clavicle, this is the entrance
20 wound. And so the bullet comes in, goes somewhat
21 upwards and towards the midline, and it's going
22 through the muscle there and doesn't really cause
23 any significant damage.

24 There is -- there is no tearing and there's
25 no powder stippling but the caveat would be that

1 there's intermediate targets. So if you have clothing
2 on, you don't usually get much in the way of soot or
3 stippling even if the muscle is close.

4 Q Thank you, Doctor.

5 And the path of the wound in Trey's shoulder?

6 A Yes, as I recall, and I'll check the report,
7 but it's back to front, slightly upwards and
8 slightly right to left. I just want to make sure
9 of it.

10 Q Sure, let's do that.

11 A Yeah. So I said the overall path of the
12 wound is back to front, moderately right to left,
13 and slightly downwards. So that's the path that I
14 got at the time.

15 Q All right. And, finally, State's 107, if we could
16 pull that up and if you tell us what we're looking at
17 in State's 107 and the significance of that?

18 MS. CAMPBELL: Zoom in, please. Thank
19 you.

20 THE WITNESS: So, the autopsy, we take
21 photos every step of the way and some of the first
22 photos we take are when the body is placed on the
23 table. It still has clothing on. So we see this
24 hand and we see that he's got a dark-colored
25 sleeve in the left side of the photo and still has

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1 some clothes on, it looks like pants, up where the
2 hand is. And I've taken this photo because it
3 shows us powder stippling.

4 So there are some things that come out of the
5 muzzle of the gun besides the bullet that we use to
6 classify the range of fire. And so one of the things
7 that comes out of the muzzle of the gun are unburned
8 powder granules.

9 Q All right.

10 A So these are tiny, tiny, like, grains of
11 sand. That's the way the powder is packaged in
12 the cartridge.

13 And so when those grains come out, they'll
14 hit the skin and they'll make a little mark, and
15 that's what you see. Those little red dots are all
16 dots of powder granules hitting the skin. You can
17 even see some, kind of, reflected on the dark of the
18 jacket. Those are powdered granules that were
19 probably burning, or unburned, not all the way burned,
20 and they hit the jacket and stuck there.

21 And so powder granules are light and
22 they're not very aerodynamic so they don't go very
23 far. So that means that the muzzle of the gun is
24 probably six or eight inches from where this --
25 where we're seeing this on the skin. It won't

1 travel much further than that.

2 Now, there's some variation there. It's
3 probably plus or minus a few inches, but -- and
4 it's based on ammunition type and the muzzle of
5 the gun, barrel length, things like that.

6 But, generally, if you're thinking the 6- to
7 8-inch range, you're probably very close to the
8 reality of this.

9 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

10 Q And if I could direct you finally to the first
11 page of your report, you have a diagnosis and you have
12 four points on that diagnosis. Could you tell us what
13 those four points are?

14 A Can I say one thing about that photo?

15 Q Certainly.

16 A I just want to point out that the powder
17 granules hit the skin, but no bullet did.

18 Q Correct.

19 A So there was no bullet wound to the hand. I
20 don't want to confuse that point.

21 Q Thank you for clarifying, Doctor.

22 So on page 1 with the diagnosis, could you
23 just tell us the four headings of your diagnosis
24 section?

25 A Yes. So I have a gunshot wound to the head

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1 as number 1, number 2 is a gunshot wound to the
2 right anterior neck, that was the first one we
3 talked about, and number 3 is gunshot wound to the
4 right shoulder, and that one is the last shoulder
5 wound that we talked about. And then the 4th one
6 is post-mortem toxicology.

7 Q And the post-mortem toxicology, what are you
8 having positives for on toxicology?

9 A Yeah. So it's positive for Alprazolam and
10 its metabolite, and THC, and there's a myriad of
11 metabolites and different compounds, but they're
12 all cannabinoids.

13 Also, cotinine and nicotine are positive.
14 Cotinine is actually a metabolite of nicotine and
15 nicotine is delivered either through vape or
16 cigarette.

17 Q Thank you.

18 And, lastly, Doctor, what was the cause of
19 death of Trey Blackshear?

20 A I made the cause of death gunshot wound to
21 the head.

22 Q And then manner of Trey Blackshear's death?

23 A I made the manner of death homicide.

24 Q Thank you.

25 MS. CAMPBELL: That's all I have, Your

1 Honor.

2 THE COURT: Okay. Mr. Newman.

3 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am. Thank you.

4 CROSS-EXAMINATION

5 BY MR. NEWMAN:

6 Q Dr. Beaver, I'm Jared Newman. We had a chance to
7 meet out in the hallway.

8 A Yes, sir. It was a pleasure.

9 Q I heard about your extensive travels throughout
10 the country and you're a ME in Daytona, Florida?

11 A Yes, sir. That's true.

12 Q And we talked about the tragedies of Spring Break
13 and things like that that had to endure there.

14 A Yes, sir.

15 Q In forensics and pathology, this is kind of
16 marrying the legal side to the medical side, correct?
17 And you're able to explain -- let me say this. You
18 said the manner of death was homicide?

19 A Yes, sir.

20 Q And that is when one person kills another or
21 people kill a person?

22 A There is a definition for it, and it's a
23 fairly strict definition. It's not a legal
24 definition. It's a definition that we use for the
25 death certificate.

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1 Q Right.

2 A And also to talk in forensic pathology. The
3 definition is, *Death at the hands of another*. And
4 it's carefully constructed to eliminate intent.

5 Q Understood, because some homicides could be
6 justifiable, self-defense. That's not your area. I
7 understand that.

8 A That's all legal. Legal constructs of murder
9 and slaughter and all of those things are
10 complicated, too complicated for a forensic
11 pathologist.

12 Q Right. And when the State executes somebody, that
13 would be a homicide, correct?

14 A Yes, sir.

15 MS. CAMPBELL: Objection, Your Honor.
16 Relevance and inappropriate.

17 THE COURT: Okay, sustained. It's not
18 relevant in this case.

19 MS. CAMPBELL: Thank you.

20 BY MS. CAMPBELL:

21 Q Okay. So, you went through wounds 1, 2, and 3.
22 Do you arbitrarily number them? You can't tell which
23 one happened first, second, third.

24 A That's true, yes.

25 Q Just for your ease, you arbitrarily number them.

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1 A It's usually just for during -- when I'm
2 actually performing the exam, I generally start at
3 the head and I move to the foot. But, also, I
4 have to take into consideration other things I
5 might have to do, like, if I have to turn the body
6 over, or if I have to remove the scalp hair. So I
7 might make one wound number 1 and describe that
8 and then move to the wounds because they're harder
9 to get at or I have to do some special thing to
10 examine them.

11 So they might end up -- even though they're
12 at the head level where I start --

13 Q Right.

14 A -- they might not get described as number 1.
15 It might be number 2 or 3, because I have to
16 manipulate the body to get a good look at them.

17 Q I understand. So you're not able to tell first
18 shot, second shot, third shot.

19 A Right. I make no implication as to sequence
20 in my numbering.

21 Q And, in your opinion, the wound to the back of the
22 head was fatal?

23 A Yes, sir.

24 Q Okay. And the -- well, let me ask that.

25 MR. NEWMAN: Do you have the photos?

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1 MS. CAMPBELL: I do. I put them in
2 order.

3 MR. NEWMAN: Okay. Court's indulgence,
4 Your Honor.

5 BY MR. NEWMAN:

6 Q Now, I'm going to refer to State's Exhibit 100. I
7 think you saw that on the big board.

8 A Yes, sir.

9 Q All right. That wound as you described was
10 probably -- the muzzle of the gun was probably within
11 a fracture of an inch, correct?

12 A Yes, sir.

13 Q And the pathway is kind of straight through the
14 head and a little bit up or down. I don't remember.

15 A Yes. I think it was slightly upwards, but
16 it's essentially going straight through the head.

17 Q Straight through.

18 A Yes.

19 Q And that wound, does it appear to be left of the
20 midline?

21 A Yes, sir, I believe it is.

22 Q Okay. So kind of here on the left side
23 (indicating)?

24 A Yes. It's very close to midline. Maybe half
25 an inch to the left of midline.

1 Q Okay. Now, what is -- you say you tested positive
2 for Alazer --

3 A Alprazolam.

4 Q Yes.

5 A Xanax. It's an anti-anxiety sometimes used
6 for sleep.

7 Q Okay. And I guess the other one was a metabolite
8 of the Xanax?

9 A Yes. That's a metabolite, I believe. And
10 the levels are consistent with what you would see
11 in somebody taking it therapeutically.

12 Q And then the --

13 A It's Alprazolam, and then there's the
14 alpha-hydroxy. Alprazolam is the metabolite we
15 identified.

16 Q Right. The Delta-9, tetrahydrocannabinol, that's
17 marijuana, basically.

18 A Yes.

19 Q Or the psychoactive drug in marijuana?

20 A The Delta-9 is the one.

21 Q Now, as a scientist using hard science, do you
22 have any evidence that Terrance Wing, that's this
23 gentleman over here, created these wounds?

24 A No, sir. I don't have any evidence.

25 Q Okay. Thank you. Thank you, Doctor.

1 A You're welcome.

2 THE COURT: Miss Campbell?

3 MS. CAMPBELL: Nothing else.

4 THE COURT: Any objection to this witness
5 being excused?

6 MS. CAMPBELL: None from the State.

7 MR. NEWMAN: None from the defense.

8 THE COURT: You're excused, Doctor.

9 Thank you.

10 MR. NEWMAN: Thank you, Doctor.

11 MS. CAMPBELL: Your Honor, at this time
12 the State rests.

13 THE COURT: Ladies and gentlemen of the
14 jury, at this time, the State has rested their
15 case. I am going to send you back to your jury
16 room for a brief moment for a matter of law. Be
17 right back with you shortly and I'll tell you
18 where we're going from here. Okay? Thank you.
19 Do not discuss the case.

20 (Jury exits the courtroom at 11:43 a.m.)

21 THE BAILIFF: Jury is clear and the door
22 is closed, Your Honor.

23 THE COURT: Thank you.

24 Any motions?

25 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am.

1 THE COURT: Mr. Newman?

2 MR. NEWMAN: You understand for appellate
3 purposes, I must make this motion. I would say,
4 at this time that the State has failed to provide
5 substantial evidence against Mr. Wing in this
6 case. All the forensic evidence basically
7 excludes Mr. Wing except for a mixture of DNA that
8 was explained can travel. And, quite frankly, as
9 Special Agent Graniger testified to, he said, *I*
10 *can't put Terrance Wing in that car based on this.*

11 We do have Jordan Singleton who was
12 actually in the car. Could not identify this man
13 as being in the car.

14 So that leaves us with indicted murderer
15 Xavier Barnes, who appeared with his attorney, and
16 ask you to observe the way he took his oath. He
17 put three fingers on the Bible and held his hand
18 sideways, so, I guess, so God wouldn't strike him
19 down as he was lying on the stand. That's the
20 only evidence. I believe that evidence is so
21 incredible that this Court should direct a verdict
22 for failure of substantial evidence, substantial
23 circumstantial evidence of guilt.

24 Thank you, Your Honor.

25 THE COURT: Miss Campbell.

1 MS. CAMPBELL: Thank you, Your Honor.

2 I believe that the State has met the
3 lawful burden that we must meet at this time.
4 Trey Blackshear's cause of death was a gunshot
5 wound to the head and the manner of death was
6 homicide, death at the hands of another. Based on
7 the testimony and the record of this case at this
8 point, I believe there is sufficient evidence to
9 submit this case to the jury.

10 THE COURT: All right. Well,
11 respectfully giving -- looking at the evidence in
12 the light most favorable to the State as I'm
13 required to do, I do think there's substantial
14 evidence from which this jury could conclude, both
15 direct and circumstantial, that Mr. Wing is guilty
16 of murder and I'm going to send it to the jury.

17 Mr. Newman, are you going to put up a case?

18 MR. NEWMAN: One moment.

19 If it pleases the Court, Your Honor, we
20 intend to rest and renew all our motions and
21 objections during the trial. And I believe at
22 this point, I believe the Court needs to examine
23 Mr. Wing.

24 Terrance, stand up, please.

25 THE COURT: Would you swear him in,

1 ladies?

2 THE CLERK: Could you raise your right
3 hand, please, sir. Do you solemnly swear or
4 affirm to truthfully answer all questions asked of
5 you by this court so help you God?

6 MR. WING: I do.

7 THE COURT: Mr. Wing, we've come to that
8 part in the trial where you are allowed to present
9 your defense. I want you to understand that the
10 Fifth Amendment to the Constitution states, in
11 part, that no person is required to be a witness
12 against themselves. Obviously, it's the clause
13 against self-incrimination.

14 However, I want to make sure you
15 understand that it is also your choice to testify
16 on your own behalf if you choose to. I just need
17 you to know that if you do choose to testify, the
18 State is going to be able to cross-examine you on
19 anything that I deem relevant to this case and any
20 prior qualifying convictions that are allowed
21 under our laws.

22 So, sir, I want to make sure that you
23 understand that this right to testify or not
24 testify is a personal right. I expect you to talk
25 to Mr. Newman about it and confer with him, but I

1 want to make sure you understand the decision to
2 testify or not testify needs to be made by you.
3 Do you understand that?

4 MR. WING: Yes, ma'am.

5 THE COURT: And understanding all that,
6 sir, do you wish to testify in this case?

7 MR. WING: No, ma'am.

8 THE COURT: All right. And is that your
9 decision, sir?

10 MR. WING: Yes, ma'am.

11 THE COURT: I find it freely and
12 voluntarily made, sir. You may be seated and
13 thank you.

14 MR. WING: Yes, ma'am.

15 THE COURT: Okay. What I propose we do
16 is this, Mr. Newman and Miss Campbell, I propose
17 we bring the jury back out here. You go ahead and
18 rest for the record. We'll renew our motions.
19 And then I will have already sent them to lunch.
20 Have them come back from a quick lunch, if that's
21 acceptable for you-all.

22 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am.

23 THE COURT: I know no one has talked to
24 me about ordering any food, so you're better off
25 me sending them for an hour, correct?

1 MR. NEWMAN: Yes.

2 THE COURT: Bring them back, do closing
3 arguments, and then I'll charge them.

4 Is that acceptable for the State?

5 MS. CAMPBELL: That's acceptable to the
6 State.

7 MR. NEWMAN: That would be good. I think
8 both sides need a little bit of time to organize
9 their closing statement.

10 THE COURT: Okay. Well, I'm giving that
11 to you. So, let's do that.

12 So when the jury comes back in again, I
13 just want you to formally rest for the record and
14 before them, Mr. Newman, and then I'll send them
15 to lunch. Okay?

16 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am. Thank you.

17 THE COURT: Thank you.

18 THE BAILIFF: Your Honor, the jury is
19 ready.

20 THE COURT: Thank you.

21 (Jury enters the courtroom at 11:50 a.m.)

22 THE COURT: Mr. Newman.

23 MR. NEWMAN: Your Honor, respectfully the
24 defense rests.

25 THE COURT: Ladies and gentlemen of the

1 jury, the defense has rested as well. What is
2 left for us to do is hear the closing arguments
3 from the lawyers and my charge on the case. Also,
4 there's some matters of law I need to take up in
5 between that time.

6 So, by the clock in the back of the
7 courtroom, I am going to ask that you all return
8 from lunch to your jury room at one o'clock. Is
9 that acceptable? It doesn't give you a lot of
10 time, but I would like to keep going. Do you need
11 a little bit more time or no? It's up to you? Is
12 that okay from everyone? All right. Grab a bite
13 to eat, ladies and gentlemen, come back at one
14 o'clock and you're going to hear the closing
15 arguments, you're going to hear my charge on the
16 law, and we're going to send the case to you. So,
17 obviously, you're going to be deliberating today.
18 Okay, thank you.

19 (Jury exits the courtroom at 11:52 a.m.)

20 THE BAILIFF: The jury is clear. The
21 door is closed, Your Honor.

22 THE COURT: All right. Let's renew your
23 motion.

24 MR. NEWMAN: I'm sorry, Your Honor.
25 Having rested, and for sake of brevity, we renew

1 all of our trial motions, all the trial
2 objections. We renew our motion for a directed
3 verdict as it stands. Thank you.

4 THE COURT: Thank you. And resting on
5 your earlier argument, is that correct,
6 Ms. Campbell, on behalf of the State?

7 MS. CAMPBELL: That's correct, Your
8 Honor.

9 THE COURT: Based on my earlier ruling as
10 well, I do find there is substantial evidence from
11 which this jury could determine that Mr. Wing is
12 guilty of murder and possession of a weapon during
13 the commission of a violent crime. So we are
14 going to send it to the jury.

15 I wanted to go over very briefly just the
16 jury charge. I know my law clerk had sent it to
17 you last night and I wanted to make sure that
18 there was no exceptions or additions to it.

19 MS. CAMPBELL: Your Honor, the State did
20 review the jury charge as sent. We also have
21 reviewed this morning the verdict form that your
22 law clerk presented to the State, and the State
23 has no objections to the jury charge or the
24 verdict form.

25 THE COURT: Mr. Newman?

1 MR. NEWMAN: Dido. No objection.

2 THE COURT: All right. Dido.

3 MR. NEWMAN: Ms. Campbell made an
4 excellent motion. We were co-defendants in a
5 trial together in an arm-robbery case. She made a
6 brilliant motion and the judge looked at me and
7 all I could say was 'Dido'.

8 THE COURT: Who was it in front of?

9 MS. CAMPBELL: Tommy --

10 MR. NEWMAN: The older Thomas Cooper.

11 THE COURT: Oh, yes. From Columbia, or
12 Sumter.

13 MR. NEWMAN: He had a good sense of
14 humor.

15 THE COURT: Right, right. He did. He
16 did. Very well.

17 So there's no objections. We'll go forward
18 with what we have. What time do you-all want -- yes,
19 ma'am.

20 MS. CAMPBELL: If I may, before we break
21 for lunch --

22 THE COURT: Sure.

23 MS. CAMPBELL: I would like to take up
24 three exhibits that the State put together and
25 intends to use that are not admitted in evidence

1 but they are demonstrative of the evidence.

2 THE COURT: Okay.

3 MS. CAMPBELL: And so the State provided
4 these exhibits to the Court and to -- excuse me,
5 not exhibits, but demonstrative pieces of evidence
6 to the Court in the shared folder that we gave to
7 the Court last week and to the defense. And so I
8 can hand them up to the Court.

9 Mr. Newman, you have seen these as well.

10 The first one, Your Honor, is in a board that
11 depicts Jamie Green's testimony, along with the
12 evidence in this case as to the location of the
13 casings and the guns that he testified that they
14 matched.

15 THE COURT: Okay.

16 MR. NEWMAN: But he did refer to them in
17 his testimony. The only thing that went in was
18 the FARO. He was not examined on these and these
19 are --

20 MS. CAMPBELL: No. We're talking about
21 this one first.

22 MR. NEWMAN: He didn't even talk about
23 that.

24 MS. CAMPBELL: Yes, he did.

25 So, on the board, we labeled each one of

1 his SLED items. He testified the bag labels of
2 where they were located within the vehicle. And
3 the photos show the marker numbers where these
4 casings are located within the vehicle. It's all
5 in evidence.

6 MR. NEWMAN: Although, he also said he
7 never examined the crime scene and had to rely on
8 somebody else.

9 MS. CAMPBELL: Again, it's a compilation.

10 THE COURT: This is a demonstrative
11 exhibit.

12 MS. CAMPBELL: Correct.

13 THE COURT: It would be the same thing if
14 she drew it on the board, so I'm going to allow
15 the first one.

16 MS. CAMPBELL: All right.

17 THE COURT: It's not in evidence.

18 MS. CAMPBELL: No.

19 THE COURT: Just that you're going to
20 publish it.

21 MS. CAMPBELL: Correct.

22 THE COURT: What's this?

23 MS. CAMPBELL: The next one, Your Honor,
24 is a compilation of the FARO scan and the
25 testimony of SLED analyst Todd Schenk. It also

1 shows the testimony of Garinger of BCSO DNA for
2 Terrance Wing and the DNA evidence for Xavier
3 Barnes is all demonstrated. Again, demonstrative
4 within this proposed closing exhibit.

5 MR. NEWMAN: And this is intentionally
6 misleading. The agent said that you draw a line.
7 As you remember from basic geometry, a line goes
8 to infinity. It has no middle or anything. A
9 line segment is a portion of a line. And what he
10 was able to testify to is what's called a ray. A
11 data point in here to there. I can't tell you one
12 inch, two inches, a foot. This is misleading.

13 MS. CAMPBELL: I think it's not
14 misleading.

15 MR. NEWMAN: It's purposely misleading,
16 based on his testimony.

17 MS. CAMPBELL: I do not think it is
18 misleading. It corresponds to the FARO scans. It
19 corresponds to his testimony. Mr. Newman
20 cross-examined him. It's clear from the FARO scan
21 that these lines go all the way out. This is
22 simply a diagram that we intend to use in our
23 closing, and it does match the evidence and the
24 testimony.

25 MR. NEWMAN: And it is purposely

1 misleading based on his testimony about a ray.
2 Not a line, not a line segment, a ray. A data
3 point here to there, I can do. I can't tell
4 you -- I can't tell you that. That is purposely
5 misleading. All of that is purposely misleading
6 because he can't -- all he can testify to to
7 trajectory is a ray. Not even a line segment. To
8 a ray. Data point one to data point two, where it
9 struck another object and passed through that
10 object. So this is intentionally misleading.

11 MS. CAMPBELL: Okay. So if Mr. Newman
12 has that objection, we can make the red lines go
13 all the way out exactly as the FARO scan did to,
14 as he said, match the FARO scan. I'll be happy to
15 do that.

16 MR. NEWMAN: That doesn't negate it. Cut
17 that red line out and put it over there, for God
18 sakes.

19 MS. CAMPBELL: Again, the FARO scan shows
20 the FARO line originally and moving across here.

21 MR. NEWMAN: And that's false. It does
22 not originate there. It originates here,
23 according to his expert testimony.

24 MS. CAMPBELL: It's a piece of
25 demonstrative evidence that the State intends to

1 use in compiling evidence in this case.

2 Mr. Newman fully cross-examined the witnesses that
3 this demonstrative piece of evidence is based on.

4 MR. NEWMAN: And he said it's misleading.

5 THE COURT: He didn't say it was
6 misleading. He said it could be along any part of
7 this trajectory.

8 MS. CAMPBELL: Right.

9 THE COURT: So what I'm going to make you
10 do is, you have to finish it out.

11 MS. CAMPBELL: Sure.

12 THE COURT: But I think you can easily
13 call them out, just like you did in your
14 cross-examination. It could have been very easily
15 that this passenger put the gun right here.

16 MR. NEWMAN: Right to the back of his
17 head.

18 THE COURT: Exactly.

19 MR. NEWMAN: Within a fraction of an
20 inch.

21 THE COURT: So I think you can make that
22 argument.

23 So you're just going to have to extend
24 all of these.

25 MS. CAMPBELL: Extend the red lines.

1 MR. NEWMAN: Like, off the page?

2 THE COURT: Well, not off the page, but
3 long enough to go.

4 MS. CAMPBELL: All right. Thank you.

5 And then lastly, this particular item was
6 admitted into evidence, Your Honor. We had that
7 with Garinger and these are in evidence, and all
8 the State to demonstratively --

9 THE COURT: These are the ones that
10 Garinger lined up?

11 MS. CAMPBELL: Correct.

12 MR. NEWMAN: These are not in evidence. You
13 never moved them in.

14 MS. CAMPBELL: The photograph was in
15 evidence. Not the actual bullets themselves. But
16 the photograph of the bullets was admitted into
17 evidence.

18 And so what the State has done is, we
19 have highlighted Garinger's testimony with the
20 different bullets here in blue and red and the
21 same thing for the State's exhibit, blue and red.

22 THE COURT: Explain to me how -- wait a
23 minute. Explain to me --

24 MR. NEWMAN: These are fired.

25 THE COURT: These are fired.

1 MR. NEWMAN: These, they came they --

2 THE COURT: The casings?

3 MR. NEWMAN: No. These are live rounds,
4 unfired.

5 THE COURT: These are live rounds
6 unfired.

7 MR. NEWMAN: That they can't match to any
8 gun.

9 THE COURT: Right.

10 MR. NEWMAN: They were found on him. The
11 State is going to try and say, well, he had some
12 9mm things, and some of these are SIG or
13 Winchester, that is totally --

14 MS. CAMPBELL: Again, in evidence, these
15 were removed from the defendant's pocket at the
16 execution of the search warrant. These are the
17 same head stamp as the -- as some of the casings
18 within the victim's vehicle and they're S&B and
19 SIG and the only other ones here are the
20 Winchesters that are from the Glock 238.

21 MR. NEWMAN: And these actual things, the
22 State did not put into evidence.

23 MS. CAMPBELL: We didn't have to.

24 THE COURT: All right. I'm sorry,
25 Ms. Campbell, I'm not going to allow you to do

1 this left picture.

2 MS. CAMPBELL: Okay.

3 THE COURT: You can do the right because
4 you put it into evidence. But didn't you put one
5 in like this that, I know it was objected to by
6 you, but it didn't have the red?

7 MS. CAMPBELL: I can take those off.

8 THE COURT: Okay.

9 MS. CAMPBELL: We'll do that. Thank you,
10 Your Honor.

11 MR. NEWMAN: Thank you.

12 MS. CAMPBELL: Perfect.

13 THE COURT: Okay. Anything else?

14 MR. NEWMAN: No, ma'am.

15 THE COURT: You-all be back about five
16 minutes till.

17 And, ladies and gentlemen, I will warn
18 you before we start, when these attorneys give
19 their closing arguments, I need to make sure that
20 everyone is quiet. You are permitted to leave the
21 courtroom, but I don't want people's eyes drawn.

22 Additionally, people tend to have a habit
23 of either shaking their head in agreement with an
24 attorney during a closing or shaking it this way.
25 I can't have any of that, because, once again, I

1 don't want the jury looking at you. I want them
2 listening to the lawyers and their closing
3 arguments.

4 And then when I charge on the law, the
5 doors are going to be locked in the back. So that
6 means no one moves and no one leaves when I start
7 my charge on the law. And I will tell you, it's
8 not that long in this case, but it will be a good
9 10, 15, maybe 20 minutes or so. So I just want
10 you to know that when I start charging, no one
11 moves. Okay? You can't get out. So if you think
12 you need to use the restroom, go ahead and make
13 sure you do it ahead of time.

14 All right. Everyone grab a bite to eat. And
15 if the lawyers will be here five minutes to 1:00,
16 we'll be ready to go. Okay, thank you.

17 MR. NEWMAN: Thank you, Your Honor.

18 (A break was taken from 12:02 p.m. to 1:11 p.m.)

19 THE COURT: Is the State ready?

20 MS. CAMPBELL: State's ready.

21 THE COURT: Is the defense ready?

22 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, Your Honor.

23 THE COURT: Let's bring the jury in.

24 THE BAILIFF: Yes, Your Honor. Your
25 Honor, the jury is ready.

1 THE COURT: Thank you. I appreciate it.

2 (Jury enters the courtroom at 1:13 p.m.)

3 THE COURT: I hope everyone got a bite to
4 eat. Ladies and gentlemen, at this time, what
5 we're going to do is hear the closing arguments
6 from the attorneys and then I'm going to charge
7 you on the law that's applicable to this case and
8 we're going to send it to you for your
9 deliberations.

10 All right. Whenever you're ready.

11 MS. CAMPBELL: Thank you, Your Honor.

12 CLOSING ARGUMENT

13 MS. CAMPBELL: Good afternoon. Remember
14 this: "He reached. I had to put him down."

15 (911 called played.)

16 MS. CAMPBELL: Xavier Barnes and this
17 defendant, Terrance Wing, got into the back of
18 Trey Blackshear's Honda at the Lord of Life
19 Lutheran Church on Buckwalter Parkway in Bluffton,
20 South Carolina. And when they got out of Trey's
21 car and ran from the murder, this is what they
22 left behind, Trey Blackshear shot in the neck,
23 shot in the shoulder, shot in the head, in the
24 neck, those bullet fragments they left behind,
25 neck, chest, shoulder. Bullet fragments they left

1 behind ripping through the shoulder and his head.

2 They left Trey dead. They ran. They fled.

3 In the combined surveillance video that you
4 watched earlier in this trial, Xavier Barnes when he
5 testified told you and identified himself and the
6 defendant running across the hill from the murder.

7 Next.

8 He identified which one of those was him.

9 Next.

10 And again identified which one of those was
11 him and where he got in the car.

12 Now, you also saw on the combine
13 surveillance video -- bring that back up -- he
14 identified Jaesean Redd, this man right here. And
15 you can see that Jaesean Redd has a very
16 distinctive stripe down his sweatshirt. He is a
17 heavier-set man. He's a man. And the two long
18 lanky men running in the other State's exhibits
19 that you viewed, Xavier Barnes and Terrance Wing.

20 Now, this guy right here, Jaesean Redd,
21 he's the older man in this situation. He's the
22 leader. He's not one of the troops. He stays in
23 that gold Camry with the mother of his children,
24 with Lexy. You know, he's gotten his stripes.
25 He's been to prison. And as the defense attorney

1 talked about, he's sending the youngens out to
2 earn their stripes.

3 MR. NEWMAN: Your Honor, I object to
4 that. That's not what I brought up at all.
5 That's a total fabrication.

6 THE COURT: All right. Overruled.
7 Go ahead.

8 MS. CAMPBELL: Thank you, Your Honor.

9 The defense attorney also threw around
10 the courtroom Andrew Grober, talking about this
11 DNA, Andrew Grober. I'll tell you where Andrew
12 Grober is not. He's not in the back of Trey
13 Blackshear's car. This defendant is and his DNA.
14 That's a red herring. You're probably going to
15 hear a lot of those in a few minutes.

16 They also left behind -- next -- money
17 that they brought. Again, money. They left
18 behind shell casing after shell casing after shell
19 casing. Again, shell casings, all right there in
20 the front seat. Notice those marker numbers
21 because they're on the bags that you're going to
22 have back there in the jury room.

23 Next.

24 Again, marker number 9. Stop.

25 I don't see it up here, but you also will

1 have in evidence in the iPhone. The photograph of
2 the iPhone. And you have the iPhone in evidence
3 that Xavier Barnes left when he ran.

4 Now, let's talk about State's 21.

5 Can you pull that up?

6 All right. So we have 11 shell casings
7 that have been identified. Now, it's a little
8 hard to follow along because we have three
9 different agencies and three different numbers,
10 but the shell casings were assigned, essentially,
11 locations within the vehicle with Bluffton PD.
12 When they did that, they gave an accurate location
13 from where they were found inside that car.

14 Then they go to SLED and SLED assigns
15 them a number. Jamie Green talked to you. They
16 were numbered 3 through 13, and we talked at
17 length with him about those shell casings and the
18 numbers that he attached to them and we'll talk
19 about that more later.

20 And then, of course, the State gives them
21 a number.

22 So we know there were 11 shell casings
23 inside Trey's car. Now, 9, Jordan Singleton fired
24 two times, he testified, in self-defense, and his
25 casings, as you see in a moment and through the

1 testimony you've heard, his casings are 3 and 12.
2 3 and 12, the testimony was, under Trey. And you
3 heard testimony about the ejecting to the right of
4 a handgun. And when Jordan is down in his seat
5 and his gun is on top of his head and he turns
6 around and he's firing in self-defense backwards
7 through the seat, those are ejecting on to Trey
8 right where they were found. Now, obviously, his
9 body had been moved out of the car, but that's
10 where they were found, in his seat.

11 Now, Jordan Singleton told you that the
12 man behind him could have gone on top his head,
13 the barrel on his head, and then he said, *Run that*
14 *shit*. And I asked him, *What does that mean to*
15 *you? What do you understand is happening at that*
16 *moment?* And he says, *We're being robbed at*
17 *gunpoint*. And Jordan Singleton told you that
18 Xavier Barnes sat behind Trey and that the other
19 guy sat behind him, and Jordan Singleton
20 identified Xavier Barnes in a photo line-up.

21 Pull up the photo line-up, please.

22 Jordan Singleton told you -- Jordan
23 Singleton identified his initials. And, again,
24 notice in the photo line-up the description that
25 Jordan gave right after this happened, right after

1 he saw Trey shot and killed was that the fellow
2 behind Trey had the shorter hair. Short hair.
3 And the other guy had, sort of, longer twists or
4 dreads. He told you he didn't have a gun when he
5 got into Trey's car at the Parker's on Hilton
6 Head. He told you that Trey handed him a gun. He
7 told you that he found out they were going to sell
8 a little weed to some friend, a friend of Jordan's
9 -- excuse me, Trey's from a school that they went
10 to, and that Trey gave him a gun. And that gun,
11 the one that he fired in self-defense, that gun,
12 Jordan Singleton's gun, which we will call, at
13 this point, gun number 2. This is Jordan
14 Singleton's gun.

15 Everything in this case tells you that
16 this gun is the gun that fired 3 and 12 and Jordan
17 Singleton fired it.

18 17 also, and the bullet fragments, tells
19 you that's his gun because that is the one that
20 went front to back. 17 was the fired bullet found
21 in the rear bench seat -- under the rear bench
22 seat. This officer right here collected it. 17
23 is fired by gun 2.

24 Now -- all right. Not too good at math
25 but we're going to try. So that's 11 casings.

1 Now we're down two, so let's talk about the other
2 ones. What about the other nine casings? Where
3 did they come from? Who fired them?

4 The SLED forensic firearms expert, Jamie
5 Green, told you that four of the shell casings were
6 fired by State's Exhibit 64. Now, you know now that
7 State's Exhibit 64 is a Glock 43, last three serial
8 number 238. This gun is found right here in the
9 backyard, all the 9mms that were collected from Mink
10 Point that night. The gold Camry is there. The BOLO
11 identified it. This gun in this car.

12 Now, he told you that 5, 6, 9, and 13
13 were fired by the Glock 43. And the evidence he
14 also gave you is that the casings from this gun
15 were all Winchesters. All Winchesters.

16 Pull up State's 120, please.

17 And that's where it was found.

18 And State's 60, please.

19 And there's your large overhead of Mink Point
20 and the location of the Glock that fired inside Trey
21 Blackshear's car on December 23, 2019, a minimum of
22 four times.

23 No, pull up State's 65.

24 Who else was at Mink Point when they executed
25 the search warrant? Terrance Wing, matching the

1 description of the other fellow that was in the back
2 of Trey's car. Not short hair. Longer hair with the
3 twists or dreads right here.

4 And guess what else was in Terrance
5 Wing's, the defendant's, pocket? Everybody was
6 searched. Everybody was photographed.

7 Pull up State's 66, please.

8 The bullets. The nine, 9mm bullets.

9 And State's 126, please.

10 MR. NEWMAN: Your Honor?

11 MS. CAMPBELL: And there you go.

12 MR. NEWMAN: Your Honor, please. I have
13 an objection.

14 THE COURT: Okay. What's your one-word
15 objection.

16 MR. NEWMAN: The Court ruled not in
17 evidence.

18 MS. CAMPBELL: The photos of the bullets
19 are in this evidence, Your Honor.

20 THE COURT: They are in evidence.

21 MR. NEWMAN: The side-by-side.

22 MS. CAMPBELL: What the Court rules is
23 that I was to take the circles off of it, which we
24 did, Your Honor.

25 THE COURT: Correct.

1 MR. NEWMAN: That was not my
2 understanding of the ruling.

3 THE COURT: That is not how I ruled.

4 MR. NEWMAN: Of course not.

5 MS. CAMPBELL: Can you pull that back up,
6 please?

7 All right, State's 126. So what we have
8 here is the photograph that Jamie Green told you
9 that he took --

10 Zoom in on Jamie's photograph, please.

11 He told you that he documents every
12 single item he works with, and he told you that
13 the shell casings he had here, that they were four
14 Winchesters. Those four Winchester's belong to
15 this gun right here. There they are. He also
16 told you that you had S&B and SIG, and one weird
17 JAG, like the loan JAG there.

18 Zoom in on the State's exhibit with the
19 bullets from the defendant's pocket.

20 Every single one of those, they are an
21 S&B or a SIG. Same head stamps.

22 So let's go now and talk a little bit
23 more about what Jordan did. Jordan told you he
24 ran -- he grabbed the backpack, he ran to find
25 safety. He didn't know that this was ongoing,

1 were they coming back, what was happening. He
2 called for Trey in the car. You know, he's
3 calling out his name. He's trying to get him to
4 respond to him. He told you Trey is not answering
5 him. He can see the bullet holes in his body and
6 he realizes that Trey is dead.

7 He told you, when he ran, he was
8 terrified. He was in shock. He called Trey's
9 brother Cameron, and he called Trey's father, and
10 he said, *Somebody, these guys, they just killed*
11 *your brother. They just killed your son.* And
12 they say, *Call 911*, and he did. And you've heard
13 his 911 call.

14 He told you he was terrified. He was in
15 shock. He ran into the woods. He's 17 years old.
16 He put down the backpack. Tossed the gun that
17 Trey had given him, and, yeah, he didn't tell the
18 police about it that day. He was afraid of
19 getting in trouble. So a couple days later, he
20 told them. They went, they looked, they couldn't
21 find that gun. They couldn't find gun number 2.

22 Can you pull up State's Exhibit 125, please?

23 So you've had the evidence in a number of
24 different formats, and it basically tells us this.
25 And we're going to back through it.

1 All right. Let's talk about that placard
2 number 1, which is the defendant -- excuse me. Yeah,
3 defendant Xavier Barnes's phone. That is his iPhone
4 by the car. BCSO DNA expert Garinger told you Barnes
5 was a DNA patch to that item. He also told you that,
6 based upon his review of evidence in the case, that he
7 found Terrance Wing's DNA a match one in however
8 million, billion on the inside armrest there of the
9 exact place where he was sitting in Trey's car and
10 then on the other door. We'll talk about that in a
11 minute. Again, on the inside.

12 From the FARO scan and from the defects
13 in the vehicle, we know that a shot went out
14 Trey's door. We know that 21 and 22 -- 21 is from
15 Trey's head and his brain, and 22 is from his
16 shoulder and his neck. That is exactly the same
17 flight path from the FARO scan that we'll talk
18 about in just a moment where SLED crime scene
19 analysis, Todd Schenk, put a flight rod in and
20 told you the flight path of the shot that went out
21 Trey's door. You got a shot in the engine, a shot
22 in the glove box, and you got a shot on the
23 passenger door. Right there. You put it all
24 together, it tells a little story. It tells all
25 the facts. And when you use all of this evidence,

1 it tells you who is responsible and who is
2 accountable for the murder of Trey Blackshear.

3 Xavier Barnes is behind Trey. Terrance
4 Wing is behind Singleton. Terrance Wing put the
5 gun to Jordan Singleton's head.

6 Okay. So the State's evidence and the
7 law of South Carolina locks down your guilty
8 verdict on both of these indictments beyond a
9 reasonable doubt. Just as the defendant said when
10 he got back in Lexy's car, *I had to put him down.*
11 *He reached.*

12 Your verdict of guilty stands firmly
13 locked down on the evident and the law on three
14 pillars; identity, confession, and science. It's
15 a trifecta of this defendant's guilt.

16 MR. NEWMAN: Your Honor, again, I have to
17 object. There's no statement by Mr. Wing of ever
18 taken or ever been in evidence. There's no
19 confession in this case. That's false.

20 MS. CAMPBELL: It is an interpretation of
21 the statement, which I'm allowed to make, and
22 characterize it, Your Honor, that's attributed to
23 him from Xavier Barnes.

24 THE COURT: All right. I'll allow it.

25 MS. CAMPBELL: Xavier Barnes testified --

1 he told you he's under indictment by the State of
2 South Carolina for the murder of Trey Blackshear.
3 He told you he has an attorney. His attorney was
4 here with him. He came in to this courtroom to do
5 what he did. He came in here to identify the
6 defendant for you. He came in here and he told
7 you that this defendant put a gun on Jordan
8 Singleton's head, told you, he said, *I didn't have*
9 *a gun.*

10 Whether he had a gun or not is not for
11 this day. Whether -- what's going on this day is
12 about this defendant. It's about this courtroom,
13 this jury, this trial. It's not about
14 Xavier Barnes and his accountability and his
15 responsibility for the murder of Trey Blackshear.
16 That's another day. Another trial. Another
17 courtroom. Another jury.

18 He told you that he used to go to school,
19 middle school I think he said, with the defendant.
20 He told you the defendant had been out of the area
21 for several months. He hadn't seen him in a while
22 and that he was back in town. They got up with
23 Lexy and Fats and they drove over to Bluffton. He
24 told you that somehow the defendant is related to,
25 close friends with, not exactly sure, to Fats,

1 Jaesean Redd. He told you that he knew Trey from
2 the school they went to. He said, *I know him.*
3 *Yeah, I do. I know him. Friends. Going to buy*
4 some weed from him.

5 He told you that he knew Lexy and Fats
6 from Gay Drive where they used to live. He told
7 you he was sitting behind Trey. He told you the
8 defendant was sitting behind the other guy that it
9 didn't seem like he knew was going to be there.
10 He said, *I don't know him. I never seen him*
11 *before. He just came with Trey. And the*
12 defendant, TJ, put a gun to his head. And then
13 the passenger ducked his head. And then the
14 passenger had a gun. And that was after TJ pulled
15 out his gun and put it on the passenger's head.

16 He told you, *I tucked down to hide and I*
17 *ran. I ran to the car. I got back in Lexy's car.*
18 *I had blood on my clothes. And when I got in the*
19 *car, I told them. They turned around, they're*
20 freaking out. *What the hell happened? What*
21 *happened out there?* And that's when the defendant
22 said, *He reached. I had to drop him. And Fats*
23 says, *You need to clean up this car, to Lexy.*
24 *Wipe it down. And then Jordan -- and then said*
25 that TJ gave a gun to Fats, hand it over to him.

1 *Here you go. He reached, I had to put it down.*

2 *Here's the gun.*

3 Jordan Singleton's testimony. He said,
4 *First, we rolled down the window, and after a few*
5 *seconds, Trey said, hop in. I mean, that is what*
6 *you would say to a friend. Someone that you*
7 *consider a friend. Someone you're not worried*
8 *about killing you. Hop in. And he described*
9 *these people as both African American men. One*
10 *with short hair and one with twists or shorter*
11 *dreads. The one with the short hair sat behind*
12 *Trey. The other one got in behind me. Once they*
13 *got in the car, I ask the, What happened? And he*
14 *said, Well, Trey pulled into the parking spot.*
15 *And then the one behind Trey had some money and*
16 *the one behind me put a gun to my head and said,*
17 *"Run that shit."*

18 And remember this: Then he says, *I saw Trey*
19 *kind of fidget and that's when the shooting started.*
20 That fidgeting, that movement is Trey moving to his
21 gun, which I'm -- based on where it was dropped in the
22 floor board, right there in that door panel. My
23 friend has a gun to his head. I'm getting my gun.
24 That's him reaching.

25 You put Xavier Barnes and Jordan

1 Singleton together with the forensic science in
2 this case, and the man behind Jordan Singleton was
3 the defendant. The man who said, *Run that shit*.
4 The man who trained his gun on the back of the
5 victim's head, forensic DNA, again, for identity.
6 Identity are your first pillars; Barnes, Jordan
7 Singleton, now your DNA. The defendant was
8 sitting in the back of Trey Blackshear's car. His
9 DNA is on both doors. That means he got in the
10 car, just like Xavier Barnes told you. Barnes got
11 in this side. Jordan got in that side. He opened
12 the door, he got in, he closed the door.

13 Then the armed robbery happens. Then
14 Xavier Barnes says he swings the door open. He's
15 running. Shooting is going on. He's running.
16 And Terrance Wing, the defendant, we already know,
17 gun on Jordan's head. He reaches, Trey reaches,
18 the gun moves here, boom, boom, boom, then Jordan
19 starts firing, boom, boom, boom. You saw the
20 injury to Jordan's leg right there along the
21 passenger door and the FARO scan has it that
22 Barnes is leaning over clear across the car doing
23 this. It didn't happen like that.

24 And then the fastest way out of the
25 car -- the fastest way out of that car is not to

1 try to -- I got a gun in my hand. It's not to
2 fumble with this door and try to go back out that
3 way. No. This door was already open. That's
4 where I'm going. I'm going right out that open
5 door and I'm grabbing that door and I'm closing
6 that door because I'm closing it on Jordan
7 Singleton, again, in self-defense. He's shooting
8 at me. That's how Terrance Wing's DNA gets on
9 both of those doors.

10 The second pillar, which we talked about
11 a few moments ago, is that statement made by the
12 defendant when he got back in Lexy and Fats's car,
13 *He reached and I had to put him down.*

14 And you know what a confession is, you
15 know what that statement is? That is an
16 acknowledgement of responsibility, of
17 accountability, ultimately guilt.

18 Now, you couple that statement, those
19 acknowledgements with flight. He ran. He fled to
20 Florida for an entire month.

21 The marshall, the U.S. marshall came in here
22 and testified. Investigator Fazekas contacted them
23 and said, Hey, we got an outstanding warrant. We
24 can't get him in. We're trying to reach these people,
25 those people, get him to turn himself in, just like

1 Barnes did. They called his mom. Bring him in. He
2 came in a couple hours later.

3 This defendant gone for a month into
4 Florida. They surveilled that house in Florida
5 where they believed him to be for two days. He
6 never comes or goes. He is locked down. He is
7 inside. His mom is coming and going, so they stop
8 her down the street. *Is he here? Is he there?*
9 *Yeah, he's here. He's here.*

10 Okay. So they go down there. They try
11 to get him out for about 20 minutes or so.
12 They're on the loud speaker. They got the sirens
13 going. They need to come out. They're telling
14 him why he needs to come out. He still won't come
15 out. They get the keys from mom. They go in. He
16 still won't come out. He's back in the interior
17 bathroom, I think he said. Something like that.

18 And then, finally, when they're in the
19 house, they got their shields up, he told him,
20 *Come here*, and he did and he's take taken into
21 custody.

22 And, lastly, the science. We talked somewhat
23 about the science in this case.

24 Let's pull up the FARO scan please, State's
25 90 A through F.

1 So the first one we looked at -- Now,
2 again, the video is in evidence as well. But if
3 you look in State's 90-A, the flight path is
4 exactly -- remember, that flight path is from the
5 bullet hole that went out Trey's door. We don't
6 have a flight path for the bullets that were shot
7 into his head and his shoulder. That's out the
8 door. But we know that that flight path, that
9 line runs across the back passenger seat.

10 Next.

11 And you see it from a different angle in
12 the next one. That is exactly that flight path.
13 And I know on cross-examination the defense
14 attorney asked questions about, you know, the gun
15 can be anywhere along that flight path. Okay.
16 Okay. He says, absolutely. But, again, when we
17 get to what's reasonable here -- next -- firing
18 inside Trey's car from the back passenger seat at
19 Jordan Singleton. And the ones that they were
20 able to do, again, is the glove box, that defect,
21 and the defect in the passenger door. That flight
22 path, there is no way. And he told you that.
23 There is no way somebody in this other passenger
24 seat in the back could have made those shots, all
25 day long.

1 Next.

2 And then the final one shows the three
3 defects that they were able to document for you.

4 And next.

5 And that, again documenting defects, those
6 are the shots that Jordan made. The two shots,
7 remember, again, is gun number 2, and that's shell
8 casings 3 and 12.

9 Next.

10 That flight path, again, he showed you
11 how it went in the trunk and how it went under the
12 seat. And when it did that, remember Investigator
13 Fazekas told you, I tried to find the bullet
14 fragment from the trunk. Never could find it.
15 But the one they did find under the seat, that
16 factors into all of this situation as well. It's
17 Number 17.

18 Next. I think that's all.

19 All right. So let's pull up State's 122,
20 please.

21 And this is an exhibit that the State has
22 put together, again, a demonstrative of an exhibit
23 for the time that we have with you now, and this
24 is the casing exhibit.

25 Zoom in just a bit for me.

1 This shows you, again, matching up, every
2 casing bag that Investigator Fazekas collected,
3 along with the item numbers that Jamie Green
4 assigned to them, and it clearly shows you, again,
5 guns eject to the right. Jordan is firing
6 backwards. There is a cluster of casing right on
7 top of Jordan. And that is either one -- remember
8 he said they both had two guns -- so either one or
9 two to the right.

10 You can pull it down. Thank you.

11 Can a shell casing leave the scene?
12 Absolutely. Can it go down your shirt, get in
13 your hair, do I have all of them into evidence?
14 Can a bullet fragment -- can a bullet leave the
15 scene? Absolutely. The bullet that went through
16 Trey's windshield, it left. We don't have that.
17 The bullet that went through his driver's side
18 window, we don't have that either. But you know
19 what, when you factor it into accounting, for this
20 gun right here, that's two right there.

21 All right. Now, the DNA, again,
22 defendant's DNA is in the back seat of the
23 victim's car. Barnes's DNA is on the iPhone
24 outside. The MUSC forensic pathologist, the last
25 witness here today, he told you when he went

1 through all of it, all of the injuries to Trey's
2 body, and he told you they were all back to front,
3 slightly upward, little or no lateral movement.
4 He talked about the soot in the wound on his head
5 and that that gun was literally millimeters from
6 his head, and that fits every other piece of
7 scientific evidence and the testimony, which when
8 you're sitting here and then you reach, that is
9 your head turned toward this defendant.

10 And the stippling, oh, my gosh, the
11 stippling on his right hand. So, again, he is
12 reaching for his gun. He is shot in the shoulder.
13 He is shot in the neck. The only thing he had to
14 defend himself with is a natural human reaction
15 and that is in the evidence as well, which is the
16 stippling on his hand that he put up next to his
17 head and the pathologist told you it would have
18 been about six inches from the barrel of the gun
19 and that is exactly right.

20 And let's look at this defendant's
21 actions. How do we characterize all of this then?
22 How do we make it make sense? So you see a
23 chance. You go along with your old buddy Xavier
24 Barnes. It's the holiday. You're going to go buy
25 a little weed. You don't know this guy. You know

1 Barnes knows him. You're old buddy Barnes. I
2 knew you were back in town. And this guy, the one
3 who's going to bring the weed, he doesn't know
4 you. He doesn't even know you're coming. You
5 know, he's not going to be worried about a robbery
6 because he trusts Xavier from school. And when
7 Trey said, *Hop in*. And so it's going to be an
8 easy lick. He's not going to be ready for the
9 trouble you're bringing, and this is your chance
10 to earn a stripe. This is your chance to make
11 that lick, to get that robbery. When you got your
12 nine and you got your serve, and that trust was
13 the final thing that you needed, it was right
14 there. Trey trusted Xavier and he got in that
15 car. And you know what, he'd get in that car and
16 you're ready -- you're ready to *run that shit*.
17 You *run that shit*. Your ready to do it. Set it
18 off.

19 But, okay, all done. We got two men out.
20 Hold on. Let Barnes get the money out. The weed
21 is out now. That's in the testimony. And then
22 that's when you move. That's when you put the gun
23 on him. You put your gun on the passenger's head
24 and say, *Run that shit, Give me your shit*, and
25 Trey reaches for his gun in self-defense.

1 Can you pull up State's 135, please.

2 The guy in front of you is shooting back
3 at you. Of course, he does. Absolutely. You're
4 shooting at literally inches from his head and
5 he's hunched down, and he doesn't even realize
6 what's happening. And then -- right there. His
7 leg is against the passenger door. And you have
8 in evidence the photos. You can see the bullets
9 that went into the door. And your bullets hit
10 Trey over and over and over again, and your kill
11 shot was right up against his head.

12 You can pull it down.

13 And then you run. You run over to Fats.
14 You run to your cousin or family, or whatever he
15 is, and you tell him, *Man, he reached. I had to*
16 *put him down*, and you hand that gun. You hand
17 that gun to Fats. Maybe you're giving it back to
18 him. Maybe you're saying, here you go. You're
19 going to -- you can have this one back, the one
20 they found at Mink Point. You can have this one
21 back.

22 The evidence and the defense on
23 cross-examination he says to Barnes -- Xavier says,
24 *You know that Jaesean Redd, Fats, he's been to prison.*
25 *He's was out on parole. He was arrested for accessory*

1 *after the fact to this murder and then they revoked*
2 *his parole. Yeah. Yes to all of that. And then he*
3 *says, Well, no, wait a minute. Did you plan a lick?*
4 *Maybe you and Fats were planning a lick? And maybe,*
5 *Fats sent you guys out to do the lick.*

6 You know who is not coming in here, Lexy
7 and Fats. You know, they were arrested for
8 accessory after the fact in this murder. They're
9 not in this courtroom. They're not coming in
10 here. They know the drill. If you're arrested,
11 what do you do? You shut your mouth. You toss
12 your gun. You know to do that much.

13 But, if I get rid of gun 3, I'm not
14 getting rid of the bullets. They're perfectly
15 good bullets. Bullets cost money. Nine 9mm
16 bullets in the defendant's pocket on 12/27/2019
17 with the same head stamp as those fired inside
18 Trey's car just a few days before.

19 You know, maybe Fats keeps that Glock.
20 Maybe he passes it on to one of his fellows here.
21 Maybe he sells it on down the line. It's there.
22 It's still there probably. That's where it's
23 found.

24 And then the sheriff's department, and the
25 SWAT team, and violent crimes task force, when they

1 show up and they find all the guns and all the mags,
2 and all the other evidence, that Glock is waiting for
3 them. It's waiting for you. It's waiting for the
4 defendant. And it is the gun that fired inside Trey's
5 car. That search warrant for the murder of Trey
6 Blackshear, that information is left with the
7 homeowners. You know, abiding by the law. Word is
8 out. Everybody at Mink Point knows the jig is up,
9 people. It's been four days, three or four days. Law
10 enforcement is on to them now and you slip out of the
11 net. Why do you slip out of the net? Because they
12 don't know your name yet. You go. You're gone. And
13 then you're really gone.

14 And there's no evidence from the Toyota
15 Camry because -- why is there nothing that they
16 can find in that Camry? Because Lexy did exactly
17 what she was told to by Fats. She wiped it down
18 good, including hiding the two hubcaps in the
19 trunk.

20 So, you know, the defendant is at that
21 party that night. He's got nothing to worry
22 about. In his mind, he got away with it. And
23 he's pretty sure that Xavier Barnes is so scared,
24 and rightly so, that he will not open his mouth
25 and he didn't until the 28th of December. He's

1 not going to say anything.

2 But you know what he didn't know? He
3 didn't know Barnes never told you that he dropped
4 his phone. And when he dropped his phone that was
5 the thread. Surveillance video, the BOLO, the
6 car, we identified him, and it's getting smaller
7 and smaller and smaller. Barnes's photo is on his
8 phone, and they identify all of this. And right
9 then, they don't know who you are but they do when
10 Barnes comes in and tells them what happened. Now
11 they have your name. Now you're on the run.

12 The defendant unleashed an unmerciful
13 death inside Trey Blackshear's car over \$60
14 dollars worth of weed. Shot him dead.

15 Pull up State's 15, please.

16 This is Trey. His hand is in his lap and
17 the flesh stippling on his hand where you tried to
18 hide his head from the defendant's 9mm handgun
19 firing in his body over and over and over.

20 You can pull it down.

21 Responsibility and accountability. Today
22 the responsibility for the murder of Trey
23 Blackshear rests squarely and fairly and rightly
24 beyond a reasonable doubt at this table with this
25 defendant. And the accountability today for the

1 murder of Trey Blackshear, again, in this trial
2 today, is not Xavier Barnes's trial, not today.
3 For this defendant, this week, who clearly set out
4 to rob Trey and then killed him, or, as he said
5 himself, "put him down," rests at that table with
6 this defendant.

7 Now, accountability and responsibility
8 moves squarely into your hands. By taking your
9 oath as jurors to well and truly try this case
10 according to the evidence and the law, you have
11 taken on the responsibility in this trial today
12 for holding this defendant accountable for his
13 actions in the murder of Trey Blackshear. And the
14 verdict that speaks to the defendant's
15 responsibility and accountability for the murder
16 of Trey Blackshear, is guilty.

17 Remember I asked you at the beginning of
18 my time with you to remember this, *He reached, I*
19 *had to put him down.* Your verdict, your guilty
20 verdict speaks a genuine infallible principle of
21 our law and the facts of this case. And it says,
22 unequivocally, in this county, in this town where
23 we live, you cannot put a man down without going
24 down with him, and that is guilty.

25 Thank you.

1 THE COURT: Mr. Newman.

2 MR. NEWMAN: Thank you, Your Honor.
3 Solicitor.

4 CLOSING STATEMENT

5 MR. NEWMAN: Good afternoon.

6 The solicitor is trying to portray to you
7 that Trey Blackshear and Jordan Singleton are just
8 two little kids going around buying some weed.
9 Jordan Singleton told you they had done this
10 before. Buying drugs is a dirty business. You
11 got lots of enemies. Lots of folks after you.
12 You arm yourself. If you're going to see
13 somebody, you know, like Xman -- didn't know this
14 guy -- if you're going to see somebody like that,
15 why are you carrying a gun? Because it's a
16 dangerous business. You rip people off. You shot
17 at people. You've done other things. So they
18 came armed. They weren't just saying, *Oh, we're*
19 *going to get a dime. Just sell him a little bit*
20 *of weed.* We came armed.

21 And Jordan Singleton lied. He lied to
22 the police. *I didn't have a gun.* The solicitor
23 said, *Oh, well, you know, he was all upset,*
24 *scared, and nervous and things like that happen,*
25 *ooh, ooh, ooh.*

1 You heard him, Jordan Singleton, on the
2 911 call. Two dudes. He told them they had two
3 guns. What did Lieutenant Fazekas tell you? They
4 didn't buy that for a minute. So he's so upset,
5 but yet he can lie on a 911 tape. That ain't
6 upset. That's covering your tracks, man. He
7 didn't call the police. He didn't want to call
8 the police because he was involved and he's a drug
9 dealer. He called Trey's brother and his father,
10 and his father finally told him, *Hang up and call*
11 *911*. That's what you're supposed to do. It's not
12 what Jordan Singleton wanted to do.

13 And out of the people that were in that
14 car, we know that Trey was in the car in the
15 driver's seat with his head straight back with a
16 bullet hole to the left midline of the back of
17 head that went out the windshield straight.

18 Now, Xavier Barnes says, *I was sitting*
19 *right behind the dude*.

20 I'm sorry. I don't my left from right
21 hand. It doesn't really matter.

22 Barnes is sitting right behind the thing.
23 Straight in head, out the windshield.

24 Well, the one thing Jordan Singleton told
25 the truth about, he never seen this guy. Did he

1 point him out on the stand? Did he say, *That's*
2 *the dude that was in the car? That's the dude*
3 *that put a gun to my head?* No. And the reason he
4 didn't, because that's not Mr. Wing. This
5 ridiculous story from murderous-trash-from-hell
6 Xavier Barnes is that, *I didn't have a gun.* Well,
7 the guy lived next door or two doors down from
8 Lexy and Fats, or whatever. I'll talk about them
9 in a minute. But I know him, and he's just giving
10 him a ride?

11 I'll put to you like this, the solicitor
12 is telling you Xavier Barnes is sitting right
13 behind the guy with a fatal shot that went
14 straight through the head that way and out the
15 window. Not sideways or whatever. Bam, bam.
16 Xavier Barnes had blood on him, lots of bloods on
17 him because when you do a gunshot wound it's
18 messy. Okay? Crime scenes are messy. Guns do
19 terrible things. We're not here about that. It's
20 about who, who, who, and the proof, proof, proof,
21 if any.

22 So, Xavier admits to being there because
23 he has to because the dummy dropped his cell
24 phone. And on the cell phone, we find out -- was
25 there anything about Mr. Wing? Absolutely not.

1 None. Zero. Mr. Xavier, or Xman, set this up.

2 And they tell you, well, that's a
3 different trial for a different day. Maybe it is
4 and maybe it ain't. He said he didn't get a deal
5 for testifying. He's just doing it for the love
6 of God, Jesus, and his country. He's doing it to
7 save his hide. And you were here. You were able
8 to watch people take the oath on the holy Bible.
9 You saw the police officers swear to tell the
10 truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.
11 Yes, ma'am. Both Jordan Singleton and, especially
12 Xavier Barnes, if you watched them take the oath,
13 put three *fingers on the Bible and held their hand*
14 *sideways. Oh, Lord, don't strike me dead because*
15 *I'm going to get up here and I'm going to lie.* He
16 can put his hand on the Bible and swear to
17 almighty God. He barely touched it and his hand
18 was shaking. He's going to lie.

19 And it's amazing to me how the State of
20 South Carolina says, okay, we're going to try
21 Xavier Barnes for murder. It doesn't matter.
22 They put up testimony -- they, the State, put up
23 testimony from Xavier Barnes that, *I didn't have a*
24 *gun. I didn't do anything like that. I ducked my*
25 *head.* Well, why are they trying him for murder if

1 they believe that? They don't believe it.
2 They're trying to sacrifice a 16-year-old, now a
3 20-year-old young man into the system, twists in
4 his hair and all that. How many young African
5 American males do you know that have short hair?
6 How many do you know that have dreads; long dreads
7 or short dreads or twisting? That's the only
8 description. That's kind of like the same, just
9 go find two young colored boys and bring them in
10 and we'll see if we can pin it on them. That's
11 the last vestibules of racism in the South.

12 The last witness, the doctor, told you
13 about that gunshot wound. That gunshot wound, the
14 fatal wound, the only fatal wound, came from
15 Xavier Barnes, the person who sat right there
16 (indicating), right through him and out the
17 windshield.

18 What did Xavier Barnes -- oh, what a good
19 lad to come in here and do the right thing. What
20 did he do when he got home? He burned his
21 clothes. Why did he do that? Because he just
22 murdered a guy and the State is letting him get
23 away with it because they're trying to figure out
24 who the second guy was. We know who the second
25 guy was. It's Andrew Grober. His DNA is on the

1 gun. And he's in Jasper County jail with two
2 counts of murder on him. And the police didn't
3 even want to ask him a question? How did your DNA
4 get on the murder weapon?

5 MS. CAMPBELL: Your Honor, he is arguing
6 facts that are not in evidence. There is no
7 evidence about Andrew Grober and Andrew Grober's
8 DNA is not on that gun. No evidence. None.

9 I asked that be stricken.

10 THE COURT: Okay.

11 MR. NEWMAN: I'll read -- I
12 cross-examined -- I'll read the DNA report.

13 MS. CAMPBELL: It's on the Glock 457.
14 Not the Glock 238 that's in evidence.

15 THE COURT: Hold on a second between the
16 two of you. Don't mischaracterize evidence, is
17 what I'm saying. So, you need to say what you
18 want. But, again, if I need to stop and I need to
19 go back and look at, I can correct it.

20 MR. NEWMAN: Out of these Glockes, Andrew
21 Grober's DNA was found.

22 We agree on that?

23 THE COURT: Okay, we're not doing this.
24 Just don't mischaracterize evidence.

25 MR. NEWMAN: This is the gun the State is

1 trying to attribute to Mr. Wing that has none of
2 his DNA on it whatsoever. In fact, on any gun,
3 there's no DNA. They tried to tell you, *Well, I*
4 *think he handed it to Fats and then put it in a*
5 *black Corolla -- or Camry, something like that.*
6 The black car, the one in the middle. That's
7 where they found it.

8 They can't connect the car, any car, to
9 Mr. Wing. Sixteen years old. He doesn't have a
10 driver's license. Doesn't have a car.

11 And the agent had told you, Jamie Green,
12 he had to relabel some of these but they were
13 mislabeled. And this gun, it was testified, was
14 found by Matthew Huggins in the black Camry or
15 Corolla that might be associated with this
16 defendant and might not. *Might* doesn't cut it in
17 this court.

18 I don't know if you can see that. Where
19 was this gun found? Suspect Xavier Barnes. Found
20 in a silver Chevy, SC tag, and it's got the tag
21 number on it. No evidence ever puts a gun in
22 Terrance Wing, Jr.'s hand at all. And no evidence
23 puts Terrance Wing, Jr. in the car except for
24 Xavier Barnes, which the State is going to have to
25 let go because they put up testimony that he

1 didn't have a gun. They charged him with murder.
2 He said he didn't have a gun. And they put him up
3 to swear to that. Now, they're going to try him
4 and say, *Oh, you had the gun? You did it?* Nope.

5 Burned his clothes. Burned his clothes. The
6 State even said to you in his closing, *Well, we don't*
7 *know whether or not he had the gun; i.e, he's a liar,*
8 and we're going to convict a young soul on the basis
9 of a liar.

10 I asked the DNA guy, did you find any of
11 Grober's DNA on the gun? Yeah, I did. What did
12 police do with what information? What did they do
13 with that information? Not a damn thing. They
14 had their name. Barnes said this guy who he
15 hadn't seen in months must have been the guy. And
16 the DNA analyst, Garinger, explained it to you
17 very well. And I asked him the key question: Did
18 you find any mixture of this trace DNA? And what
19 did he say? We all shed about 400,000 cells a
20 day. We don't realize it. There's DNA all over
21 the place.

22 Transfer DNA, he can't tell you. I asked
23 him, as a scientist, can you put Terrance Wing,
24 Jr. in that car? He said, no, I cannot, because
25 it's touch DNA. It's trace. He said any number

1 of scenarios could have allowed that DNA got in
2 there. Any number of scenarios. That's your
3 scientist. That's science. So the science says
4 we don't have any evidence. The DNA says we don't
5 have any evidence except for Grober and Xman,
6 Xavier Barnes.

7 So what do we do, we get Jordan
8 Singleton. And Jordan Singleton is sitting right
9 in the car. And he said he didn't ID this guy.
10 Did they do a line-up with Andrew Grober's picture
11 in it? No. Should they? Yeah.

12 You can't just say, oh, well, Xavier
13 Barnes told us, blippity, blippity, blipp, told us
14 where to get the gun and we're not going to look
15 any further. Wouldn't you like to know, if you
16 were an investigator, to look into this suspect?

17 Jaesean Redd is neighbors with Xavier
18 Barnes. I asked Lieutenant Fazekas go charge them
19 with accessory for dropping him off or at least
20 picking him up. He never did. The State dropped
21 the charges. Why? Because the only evidence they
22 really had was Xavier Barnes.

23 So the State didn't believe Xavier
24 Barnes. They let Jaesean Redd go. They let Lexy
25 go, who cleaned up the car on Jaesean Redd's

1 order. Just let them go because all they had was
2 Xavier Barnes. They go, that's flimsy. I can't
3 go to court with that evidence, but yet they're
4 doing it here in this case trying to pin this
5 on -- I don't want to say boy -- on a young man
6 who lives in Jacksonville, Florida, with his
7 mother.

8 The State is trying to tell you, *Oh, he*
9 *ran.* Well, when did he run? This supposedly
10 happened on the 23rd of January -- I'm sorry,
11 December. Four days later, he's with 27 other
12 people and four juveniles, and I don't know if he
13 was listed as an adult or a juvenile at that point
14 because he was a juvenile. Four days later. Four
15 days later. Does that sound like running to you?
16 *Oh, crap, I just killed somebody. I got to get*
17 *out of here.* No.

18 What's happening during this time in your
19 calendar, if you have kids, grown kids? Christmas
20 break. What did you do? You come home for
21 Christmas break to where you grew up, although you
22 no longer there. You live with your mom. Your
23 family comes up, see some friends, relatives. And
24 to say it's evidence of flight. He didn't leave
25 until a couple weeks later. And where did he flee

1 to? His mom's house where he lived, him and his
2 little sister.

3 That's another interesting thing. We
4 think Terrance uses his sister's phone. What did
5 the officer tell you he found in the house? The
6 gentleman -- the officer from Florida from
7 Jacksonville. *Now, Mr. Wing, come on out.*

8 Now, the State wants you to believe that
9 Jordan Singleton can panic and Xavier Barnes can
10 panic, even burn -- I don't mean panic and burned his
11 clothes. But his house is surrounded. He can panic.
12 He's 16 years old. They want you to make something
13 out of that. That's called trying somebody sideways,
14 when you don't have good evidence. You're just trying
15 to make him look dirty. He turned around, put his
16 hands behind his back. He's in his house with his
17 little sister. His little sister.

18 They say, well -- the State is giving you
19 all this theory. Here's how it happened. They're
20 making all that up. They can't prove any of that.
21 They don't know what the hell happened in that car
22 at all.

23 The only ones who know are Jordan
24 Singleton, Xavier Barnes, and probably Andrew
25 Grober.

1 So if his testimony is not worth being
2 able even charge -- or drop the charges against
3 Lexy and Fats, or whatever their names are, then
4 how is it good testimony in here?

5 Now, when we talk about reasonable doubt,
6 please know that on our side of the fence, no
7 defendant ever, ever has to prove his innocence
8 because many times that's just not possible. It's
9 not to the State to come in with evidence. It
10 says in the Bible, *To whom much is given, much is*
11 *expected.* And all we have in this case, throw out
12 Jordan Singleton. He doesn't he know the guy.
13 He's never seen him.

14 Xavier Barnes who the State is going to
15 tell you -- they have to. They can't prosecute
16 him now, because they put up testimony that he
17 didn't have a gun. And if that's false, that's
18 perjury. They can't do that. They have to let
19 him go. He came in with his lawyer, you need
20 somebody, I'll hand you somebody. I know this
21 dude. I haven't seen him in a number of months,
22 but he came into town on Christmas break.

23 Ask yourselves when you look at this, is
24 there one piece, other than -- I still can't figure
25 that out. He's trying to get out of the car. I don't

1 know why he would cross over that. It was a small
2 car.

3 I'm not going to get into trajectories
4 and all that because Mr. Wing was not there.
5 Mr. Singleton was there. And he got cooked
6 because he dropped his cell phone. He got cooked
7 because on that cell phone are calls, there's
8 Snapchats -- I don't know what young people do
9 these days -- to Trey Blackshear probably and his
10 accomplice Jordan Singleton. This wasn't their
11 first rodeo according to Jordan Singleton. They
12 sold drugs. They buy guns.

13 No physical evidence. DNA guy says I can't
14 put him in the car and explain to you why he can't.

15 So, when you talk about reasonable doubt,
16 if Xavier Barnes came up to you and said, *Hey, I*
17 *just built this bridge across the Beaufort River,*
18 *it's a good bridge, drive across it.* Would you
19 hesitate? And say, *Ah, I need a little more*
20 *information than that.* Now, if you hesitate,
21 that's reasonable doubt. You have to believe
22 Xavier Barnes 100 percent.

23 When you come into court there's no such
24 thing as lying just a little. Lying and lying. He
25 lied to the police. He lied to you. And I am adamant

1 that you examine the evidence critically, because,
2 when you do, the State proved a lot of stuff but they
3 didn't prove Terrance Wing shot anybody at all. No
4 DNA on any of those guns at all. That is reasonable
5 doubt.

6 Now, as the judge will tell you, she's
7 the judge of the law. You're the judge of the
8 facts. Today you become the government. You have
9 to decide whether the government met its burden.
10 All of us in this courtroom, judge, solicitor, and
11 me, all of us agree, you have to find it beyond a
12 reasonable doubt. You have to be firmly convinced
13 that Terrance Wing is guilty. If you have any
14 doubts, they go to the benefit of Mr. Wing; such
15 as, no DNA on any guns, lying witnesses. Because
16 your verdict -- and you had heard us object, both
17 sides, to some things and hearing the judge either
18 overrule it or sustain it. Not that they would,
19 but we can appeal Judge Mullen's rulings if we
20 think she was wrong on some piece of evidence or
21 something. Either side.

22 What's the one thing that we can't appeal
23 that lasts forever is your verdict. The Supreme
24 Court of the United States cannot change your
25 verdict on the facts. No court, that's in the

1 Constitution, may reexamine your determination of
2 what the facts are and whether the facts prove the
3 case beyond a reasonable doubt.

4 Barnes is telling you, not looking at any
5 deal, yeah, he's looking at 30 to life. I'm
6 sorry. I'd pay any amount of money if I could if
7 I could crawl out from a sentence like that.
8 That's just what he did to protect his friend
9 Grober, a guy he barely knows here. All he knows,
10 he's in town. And that's what it is.

11 So I ask you, examine the evidence
12 critically, look for the physical evidence on the
13 guns, anything, that puts Terrance Wing even ever
14 touching any guns. The answer is, you can't.

15 And I think when you search your soul,
16 search through the evidence, Mr. Wing seated
17 there, and know that we are dealing -- I mean,
18 murder are tough cases. I'm certainly not happy
19 that Trey Blackshear got shot. There's too much
20 violence in this world, and that's a tragic death.
21 But it's really tragic if you put somebody away
22 that didn't do it, that the State didn't prove
23 beyond a reasonable doubt that they did it.
24 Because this is for keeps. This is our one shot
25 in court on behalf of TJ -- his parents call him.

1 I call him TJ.

2 I thank you. I thank you for your
3 attention. I watched you during the trial. I
4 know you paid attention with examination,
5 cross-examination, and the evidence with each
6 witness. Just remember how they testified.

7 I thank you-all very much.

8 THE COURT: Ladies and gentlemen of the
9 jury, we're going to just take a quick five-minute
10 break before I charge you on the law. All right?
11 If you would leave your pads in your seats, if you
12 would, go refresh yourselves, and I'm going to
13 bring you right back.

14 Madame Foreperson, when you're ready and
15 everyone is ready to go, just knock on the door.

16 (Jury exits the courtroom at 2:21 p.m.)

17 THE BAILIFF: The jury is clear and the
18 door is close.

19 THE COURT: All right. When we take this
20 brief break, will you-all go through the evidence
21 right now so when I'm finished we can have it
22 already in the cart and ready to go?

23 MR. NEWMAN: We've already done that,
24 Judge.

25 THE COURT: It's all good? It's all

1 there? It's all accounted for, Sharon?

2 COURT REPORTER: Yes, ma'am.

3 THE COURT: Perfect. You can go ahead
4 and get a cart out, if you would like to, Norman.
5 I'll be right back.

6 (A break was taken from 2:23 p.m. to 2:31 p.m.)

7 THE BAILIFF: All rise. This court is
8 back in session.

9 THE COURT: Please be seated.

10 Is the State ready?

11 MS. CAMPBELL: Yes, Your Honor.

12 THE COURT: Defense ready?

13 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am.

14 THE COURT: Bring the jury in, Marshall.

15 (Jury enters the courtroom at 2:31 p.m.)

16 JURY CHARGE

17 THE COURT: Madame Foreperson, members of
18 the jury, you followed very patiently and listened
19 very attentively to the presentation of the
20 evidence in this case and I want to thank you for
21 that. It now becomes the duty of the trial judge
22 to charge and instruct you on the law that's
23 applicable to this case and it's your duty as
24 jurors to accept and apply the law exactly as I
25 will state it to you.

1 As jurors, it is your exclusive duty to
2 decide all the issues of fact in this case. You
3 must determine the effect, the value, the weight,
4 and the truth of the evidence. Both the State of
5 South Carolina and the defendant have a right to
6 expect that you carefully consider and evaluate
7 the evidence and apply the law of the case to the
8 evidence. And by doing that, both the State and
9 the defendant will receive a fair and impartial
10 trial in this matter.

11 Now, the State of South Carolina by bills
12 of indictment in this case charge the defendant
13 Terrance Wing with the offenses of murder and
14 possession of a weapon during a violent crime.
15 Now, I remind you that the fact that the defendant
16 was arrested, charged, and indicted in this case
17 is not evidence in this case and cannot be
18 considered by you as evidence of guilt in this
19 case, nor does it create any presumption or
20 inference the guilt. An indictment is simply the
21 formal written instrument which contains a charge
22 that's made against the defendant. It's the
23 formal document by which the case is brought into
24 this court.

25 Now, the defendant in this case has pled

1 not guilty to these indictments and the plea puts
2 the burden on the State to prove the defendant
3 guilty.

4 A person charged with committing a
5 criminal offense in South Carolina is never
6 required to prove themselves innocent. I charge
7 you that it's an important rule of law that a
8 defendant in a criminal trial, no matter what the
9 seriousness of the charge or charges may be, will
10 always be presumed to be innocent of a crime or
11 crimes for which the indictments were issued
12 unless guilt has been proven by evidence
13 satisfying you, the jury, of that guilt beyond a
14 reasonable doubt.

15 Now, this presumption does not end when
16 you begin your deliberations but it accompanies
17 the defendant throughout the trial until you reach
18 a verdict of guilt based on evidence satisfying
19 you of that guilt beyond a reasonable doubt. The
20 presumption of innocence is like a robe of
21 righteousness that's placed about the shoulders of
22 the defendant and it remains with the defendant
23 until it has been stripped from him by evidence
24 satisfying you of the defendant's guilt beyond a
25 reasonable doubt.

1 The presumption of innocence is not a
2 mere legal theory. It's not just a legal phrase
3 we use. It is a substantial right to which every
4 defendant is entitled unless you, the jury, are
5 satisfied from the evidence of the defendant's
6 guilt beyond a reasonable doubt.

7 So what is a reasonable doubt in the law?
8 A reasonable doubt is the kind of doubt that would
9 cause a reasonable person to hesitate to act in
10 their most important decisions. The State has the
11 burden of proving the defendant guilty beyond a
12 reasonable doubt. And the term reasonable doubt
13 must be given its plain and ordinary meaning.
14 However, to the extent that I may define it for
15 you, again, a reasonable doubt is the kind of
16 doubt that would cause a reasonable person to
17 hesitate to act in the most important of their
18 personal decisions.

19 The defendant is entitled to every
20 reasonable doubt arising in this case. If upon
21 any issue of fact essential to a conviction you
22 have a reasonable doubt as to how that issue
23 should be resolved, you must resolve that
24 reasonable doubt in favor of the defendant.

25 Now, some of you may have served as

1 jurors in civil cases where you were told that it
2 was only necessary to prove that a fact is more
3 likely true than not true, such as by the greater
4 weight of what we call the preponderance of the
5 evidence. In criminal cases, the State's proof
6 must be more powerful than that. It must be
7 beyond a reasonable doubt. Suspicion, no matter
8 how strong, is insufficient to convict a person
9 charged with a crime, that the facts and
10 circumstances presented may seem suspicious and
11 the defendant's guilt may seem probable, this is
12 not sufficient in the law to convict.

13 Proof beyond a reasonable doubt is proof
14 that leaves you firmly convinced of a defendant's
15 guilt. Now, there are very few things in this
16 world that we know with absolute certainty, and in
17 criminal cases the law does not require proof that
18 overcomes every possible doubt. If, based on your
19 consideration of the evidence, you are firmly
20 convinced the defendant is guilty of the crimes
21 charged, you must find the defendant guilty. If,
22 on the other hand, you think there is a real
23 possibility the defendant is not guilty, you must
24 give the defendant the benefit of the doubt and
25 find him not guilty.

1 Now, I remind you that during this trial
2 you and I have certain duties to perform. As a
3 trial judge, it's my responsibility to preside
4 over the trial of this case and I also have the
5 duty to rule on the admissibility of evidence
6 that's offered during this trial. You are to
7 consider only the competent evidence before you.
8 You are to consider only the testimony which has
9 been presented from this witness stand as well as
10 any other exhibits which have been made a part of
11 the record in this case.

12 I have the additional duty to charge you
13 the law that's applicable to this case. As a
14 presiding judge, I am the sole judge of the law in
15 this case and it is your duty as jurors to accept
16 the law and apply the law as I will now state it
17 to you.

18 If you already have any idea as to what
19 the law is or what you think the law ought to be
20 and it does not agree with what I now tell you the
21 law is, you must abandon this idea because you are
22 sworn to accept the law and apply the law exactly
23 as I state it to you.

24 In every case tried in this court before
25 a jury, the jury becomes the sole and exclusive

1 judge of the facts in a case. A trial judge
2 cannot intimate, state, comment on, or make any
3 statement to a trial jury about the facts in a
4 case. And since you, the jury, are the sole judge
5 of the facts in this case, you are not to infer
6 from what I've said during the progress of this
7 trial in ruling upon the admissibility of evidence
8 or otherwise or anything that I say now during the
9 course of this instruction to you that I have any
10 opinion about the facts in this case. The law
11 does not allow me to have an opinion about the
12 facts in this case. This is a matter solely for
13 you, the jury, to determine.

14 Now, the indictments in this case allege
15 different offenses against the defendant. Each
16 indictment charges a separate and distinct
17 offense. You must decide the indictment
18 separately on the evidence and the law applicable
19 to it. If you find the defendant not guilty of
20 murder, then under the laws of this state the
21 defendant is not guilty of possession of a weapon
22 during a violent crime.

23 Now, there are two types of evidence
24 which are normally produced during a trial; direct
25 evidence and circumstantial evidence. Direct

1 evidence directly proves the existence of a fact
2 and does not require deduction. Circumstantial
3 evidence is proof of a chain of facts and
4 circumstances indicating the existence of a fact.

5 Crimes may be proven by circumstantial
6 evidence. The law makes no distinction between
7 the weight or value to be given to either direct
8 or circumstantial evidence. However, to the
9 extent the State relies on circumstantial
10 evidence, all of the circumstances must be
11 consistent with each other and when taken together
12 point conclusively to the guilt of the accused
13 beyond a reasonable doubt. If these circumstances
14 merely portray the defendant's behavior as
15 suspicious, the proof has failed. The State has
16 the burden of proving the defendant guilty beyond
17 a reasonable doubt and this burden rests with the
18 State regardless of whether the State relies on
19 direct evidence, circumstantial evidence, or some
20 combination of the two.

21 Now, in this case, we have seen some
22 demonstrative evidence, and demonstrative includes
23 items such as photographs, charts, diagrams, or
24 video animation that explains or summarizes other
25 evidence and testimony you heard during this

1 trial. In this case, demonstrative evidence has
2 been entered into evidence for you to examine and
3 consider during your deliberations. Demonstrative
4 evidence represents only a recreation of a
5 proposed version of events. In no way should
6 demonstrative evidence be viewed as an absolute
7 truth. Like all evidence presented during the
8 trial of this case, any demonstrative evidence may
9 be accepted or rejected in whole or in part.

10 Now, necessarily, you must determine the
11 credibility of witnesses who have testified in
12 this case, and credibility simply means
13 believability. It's your duty as jurors to
14 analyze and to evaluate the evidence and determine
15 which evidence convinces you of its truth. In
16 determining the believability of witnesses who
17 have testified in this case, you may believe one
18 witness or over several witness, or several
19 witnesses over one witness. You may believe a
20 part of the testimony of a witness and reject the
21 remaining part of the testimony of that same
22 witness. And you may believe the testimony of a
23 witness in its entirety or reject the testimony of
24 a witness in its entirety. And you may consider
25 whether any witness has exhibited to you any

1 interest, bias, prejudice, or other motive in this
2 case. And you may also consider the appearance
3 and manner of a witness while on the witness
4 stand.

5 Now, the rules of evidence ordinarily do
6 not permit witnesses to testify to opinions or
7 conclusions. An exception to this rule exists for
8 witnesses we call expert witnesses, a witness who
9 by education and experience has become an expert
10 in some art, science, profession, or calling may
11 state an opinion as to relevant, material matter
12 in which the witness claims to be an expert, and
13 they may also state the reasons for the opinion.
14 You should consider any expert opinion received in
15 evidence in this case, and, like any other
16 evidence, give it the weight that you think it
17 deserves.

18 If you decide that the opinion of an
19 expert witness is not based on sufficient
20 education and experience, or, if you concluded
21 that the reasons given in support of the opinion
22 are not sound, or that the opinion is outweighed
23 by other evidence, you may disregard the opinion
24 entirely.

25 An expert witness's testimony is to be

1 given no greater weight than that of other
2 witnesses simply because the witness is an expert.
3 Further, you are not required to accept an
4 expert's opinion even though it is not
5 contradicted.

6 Now, I instruct and emphasize the fact
7 that the defendant did not testify is not a factor
8 to be consider by you in any way in your
9 deliberation and in your consideration on the
10 question of the guilt or the innocence of the
11 defendant. It must not be considered by you in
12 any manner whatsoever. A defendant has the
13 constitutional right to remain silent and the
14 assertion of this right must not be considered by
15 you in your deliberations. I repeat: Under your
16 oath you are to draw no conclusion whatsoever from
17 the fact that the defendant in this case did not
18 testify. The fact this defendant did not testify
19 should not even be discussed in the jury room.
20 The burden of proof remains on the State. The
21 defendant is not required to prove his innocence.
22 And the burden of proof remains on the State to
23 prove guilt beyond a reasonable doubt.

24 Now, in this case, the defendant is
25 charged with two charges. And the first charge

1 that Mr. Wing is charged with is the murder of
2 Trey Blackshear. To prove the offense of murder,
3 the State must prove beyond a reasonable doubt
4 that the defendant killed another person with
5 malice aforethought. Malice is hatred, ill will
6 or hostility towards another person. It is the
7 intentional doing of a wrongful act without just
8 cause or excuse and with an intent to inflict an
9 injury or under circumstances that the law will
10 infer an evil intent.

11 Malice aforethought does not require that
12 malice exists for any particular time before the
13 act is committed, but malice must exist in the
14 mind of the defendant just before and at the time
15 the act is committed. Therefore, there must be a
16 combination of the previous evil intent and the
17 act. Malice aforethought may be expressed or
18 inferred. And these terms "express" and
19 "inferred," do not mean different kinds of malice,
20 but merely the manner in which malice may be shown
21 to exist. That is either by direct evidence or by
22 inference from the facts and circumstances which
23 are proved.

24 Ladies and gentlemen, criminal intent is
25 a state of mind which operates jointly with an act

1 or omission in the commission of a crime.

2 Criminal intent is a mental state of conscience
3 wrongdoing. Criminal intent includes those
4 consequences which represent the very purpose for
5 which an act is done, or are known to be
6 substantially certain to result regardless of
7 one's desire. Intent may be shown by acts and
8 conduct of the defendant and other circumstances
9 from which you may naturally and reasonably infer
10 intent. Criminal intent must be proven by the
11 state beyond a reasonable doubt.

12 Now, in addition to murder, the defendant
13 is also charged with possession of a weapon during
14 a violent crime. And to prove this charge the
15 State must prove beyond a reasonable doubt that
16 the defendant was in possession of a firearm or
17 visibly displayed what appeared to be a firearm
18 during the commission of violent crime. A firearm
19 means any machine gun, automatic rifle, revolver,
20 pistol, or any weapon which will or is designed to
21 or may be readily converted to expel a projectile.

22 Now, in order to the consider whether the
23 defendant is guilty or not guilty of possession of
24 a weapon during the commission of a violent crime
25 you must first find the defendant guilty of either

1 committing a violent crime or attempting to commit
2 a violent crime. Ladies and gentlemen, I charge
3 you under the laws of this state, murder is
4 violent crime.

5 Now, the State must prove beyond a
6 reasonable doubt also that the weapon further
7 advanced or helped in the commission of the crime.

8 Now, ladies and gentlemen, you have asked
9 to take notes in this case. And please understand
10 that your notes should be used only as aids to
11 your memory and should not be allowed to take
12 precedence over your independent memory of facts.
13 Notes are only for the juror's personal use in
14 refreshing recollection of the evidence. When in
15 deliberations at the end of this case, do not rely
16 on the recollection of a juror who took notes
17 about the testimony of a witness solely because
18 the juror took notes. You should not be unduly
19 influenced by the notes of other jurors. As we
20 all know, notes can be wrong. Notes are not
21 entitled to any greater weight than each juror's
22 memory of the evidence. Those jurors who do not
23 take notes should rely on their independent
24 recollection of the evidence and not be influenced
25 by the fact that another juror has taken notes.

1 Madame foreperson, members of the jury,
2 as you retire to begin your deliberations in this
3 case, I wish to express the hope that each of you
4 will be mindful of the importance of your
5 responsibility here today. You're not called upon
6 very often to serve as jurors and the proper
7 performance of that duty requires each of you to
8 reach the height of freeing your mind of all
9 improper influences. So please don't get the idea
10 that I'm trying to intimate to you or tell you how
11 I think you should find this case, because I've
12 already told you under the laws of the State of
13 South Carolina you, the jury, are the sole judge
14 of all questions of fact and it would be highly
15 improper for me to influence you in your
16 performance of that duty.

17 But, ladies and gentlemen, as the
18 presiding officer of this court, I am vitally
19 concerned with whatever verdict you find will be
20 the result of you're going back into your jury
21 room and confining your consideration to the
22 evidence and the law that you've heard here in
23 this courtroom weighing it fairly and impartially,
24 as I have every confidence you will.

25 Madame Foreperson, I remind you, you

1 verdict must be unanimous. It must be the verdict
2 of all 12 jurors. And to that end, my law clerk,
3 Kylin, as prepared a verdict form. It has the
4 caption of this case, the *State of South Carolina*
5 vs. *Terrance Wing*, and it has two questions and it
6 says verdict. The first one says: "As to the
7 charge of murder of Trey Blackshear, we, the jury,
8 find the defendant Terrance Wing . . . ," and it
9 either says not guilty or guilty. I need you to
10 check one or the other.

11 Ladies and gentlemen, if you find that
12 defendant not guilty, you would stop your
13 deliberations because you have reached a verdict
14 and you would not go on to answer question number
15 2.

16 If you did check guilty, then you would
17 go on to answer question number 2 which states:
18 "As to the charge of possession of a weapon during
19 the commission of a violent crime, we, the jury,
20 find the defendant Terrance Wing . . . ," again,
21 not guilty or guilty.

22 Under that, Madame Foreperson, there is a
23 line for you to sign and date the verdict form.

24 Now, when the jury has reached a
25 unanimous verdict, I need you to knock on the jury

1 room door and we are going to accept you back into
2 the courtroom.

3 Ladies and gentlemen, for a few
4 housekeeping matters, I want you to know that I am
5 going to send back with you the verdict form and
6 what I just read to you as the jury charge in this
7 case, so you will have that back with you. You
8 will also have your note pads and you will have
9 all the evidence that's been introduced into this
10 case.

11 Ladies and gentlemen, if it is not back
12 there with you in the jury room, you are entitled
13 to it. We did have demonstrative evidence that
14 came in as evidence in this case and you will have
15 that. However, there was other demonstrative
16 evidence that was not entered into the case, which
17 means you are not entitled to have it back there
18 with you. All right?

19 Also, ladies and gentlemen, I know you've
20 seen that my court reporter has been taking down
21 everything everyone says in this courtroom.
22 However, I want you to know that there is not
23 printed transcript of this. If you want to hear a
24 certain witness's testimony, what I can do is
25 bring you back into the courtroom and I can play

1 you that witness's testimony. I just need you to
2 know that if you ask for a specific witness, I am
3 required to play that witness's direct exam,
4 cross-examination, and redirect, and any re-cross,
5 so that entire testimony. All right?

6 Ladies and gentlemen, for the very last
7 time, I'm going to tell you to go back to jury
8 room and not discuss this case. If there's
9 something further that the lawyers want me to
10 charge you on the law that's applicable to this
11 case, I'm going to bring you back out here and I'm
12 going to charge you further. If not, Madame
13 Foreperson, when you get obviously the verdict
14 form and the charge as well as all the evidence
15 that they will probably bring back on a cart to
16 you, and I'm sure there will be gloves back there
17 as well, that will be your indication to begin
18 your deliberations.

19 All right. I appreciate it, ladies and
20 gentlemen, you're excused back to your jury room.

21 (Jury exits the courtroom at 3:51 p.m.)

22 THE COURT: Any exceptions or additions
23 to the charge from the State?

24 MS. CAMPBELL: None from the State.

25 THE COURT: From the defense?

1 MR. NEWMAN: None, Your Honor.

2 THE COURT: All right. You said you
3 already put all the evidence back together to take
4 back to them, is that correct, Marshall? You have
5 it?

6 THE BAILIFF: Yes, Your Honor.

7 THE COURT: We'll go ahead and send it to
8 them and I'll bring the alternates out. Thank
9 you.

10 (Deliberations commence at 3:55 p.m.)

11 (Alternates enter the courtroom.)

12 THE BAILIFF: Just come here and face the
13 judge, please.

14 THE COURT: I want to thank you three
15 very much. We didn't lose any jurors, which is
16 unusual post COVID, so I appreciate you being
17 here. I am now going to go ahead and excuse you,
18 and I'm going to excuse you for the rest of the
19 week.

20 I will tell you, it's acceptable and fine
21 to speak about the case now when you go home.
22 There's nothing prohibiting that. Also, sometimes
23 the investigators, the attorneys, or someone may
24 want to ask you something about what your thoughts
25 are. You can talk to them if you want to, but

1 you're certainly not required to in any way. If
2 you have no interest in speaking, just say no
3 thank you and keep going. They will not persist
4 you. But, if for any reason they did, I need you
5 to call up to the clerk of court's office and I
6 will take care of them. All right?

7 So we really do appreciate your help in
8 this. You helped us resolve this case. I had
9 other cases on my docket that I had other
10 resolutions just based on having a jury here
11 willing to serve.

12 So, at this time, I am going to excuse
13 you. And, again, thank you so much. We really
14 appreciate it. If you need work excuses, the
15 bailiffs will go ahead and give them to you. But
16 if not, I am happy to go ahead and excuse. I will
17 tell you, if you are interested in the verdict,
18 you are welcome to either call to the clerk of
19 court's office or I will tell you that, typically,
20 if there is a conviction, it's usually in the
21 newspapers too. I will tell you that. So that's
22 oftentimes what you'll see.

23 But other than that, we really appreciate
24 it and thank you for being here and your
25 willingness to serve.

1 Thank you, again.

2 (Alternates excused at 3:58 p.m.)

3 THE COURT: Miss Campbell, do you know if
4 the State has anything else for us to do this
5 afternoon while the jury is deliberating.

6 MS. CAMPBELL: I believe the State does
7 not have any further matters.

8 THE COURT: Okay.

9 So we'll be at ease in this until we hear
10 back from the jury, and just stay close by in case
11 they have questions. Okay? Thank you.

12 We'll be at ease.

13 (Verdict watch from 2:59 p.m. to 4:13 p.m.)

14 (Question from jury.)

15 THE BAILIFF: All rise. Court is in
16 session.

17 THE COURT: All right. Now, everyone is
18 here and we're on the record, Sharon.

19 The jury has sent me a note with two
20 questions. The first says: "Picture with the
21 shell casings, can we see it again?" They mean
22 the one in your closing argument, and the answer
23 is no because it was a demonstrative.

24 And the second question is: "What gun
25 was used in the shot wound number 2 head shot?"

1 We agree, obviously, they cannot see -- I'm going
2 to write, *No, it's not in evidence.*

3 Number 2, what do you want me to say? *What*
4 *gun was used in the shot wound number 2 to the head?*
5 I mean, I really want to say that's a question of fact
6 for the jury to determine.

7 MS. CAMPBELL: That is correct. In my
8 experience, that would be the appropriate answer.
9 That's all we can do.

10 THE COURT: Mr. Newman, any thoughts?

11 MR. NEWMAN: No, ma'am. I think that's
12 appropriate. You know, you tell them you heard
13 the facts in evidence and you have to decide.

14 THE COURT: Sharon, do you want to put an
15 exhibit sticker on here for a Court's exhibit and
16 I'll send it back?

17 THE COURT REPORTER: Yes, ma'am.

18 THE COURT: And we'll just be at ease
19 until we hear back from the jury.

20 MR. NEWMAN: I'm sorry. Are you going to
21 bring them out or are you just going to answer the
22 question?

23 THE COURT: No, no, no. I'm just going
24 to send it back what I just wrote on there which
25 is exactly what I just said I was going to do.

1 MR. NEWMAN: I'm sorry.

2 THE COURT: I just said, the answer to
3 the first question, when they say, *Can we see it*
4 *again? No, it's not in evidence.* And number 2,
5 *That is a question of fact for the jury to*
6 *determine.*

7 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am.

8 THE COURT: Okay. Let's go ahead and
9 send that back to them. And, again, we'll just be
10 at ease until we hear back from the jury.

11 MS. CAMPBELL: Thank you, Your Honor.

12 THE COURT: Thank you.

13 (Deliberations continue from 4:18 p.m. to 4:34 p.m.)

14 (Question from jury.)

15 THE BAILIFF: All rise. This court is
16 back in session.

17 THE COURT: Please be seated.

18 All right. Now that I have the attorneys
19 all here, for the record, the foreperson sent me a
20 note that says, "Can we come back at 9:00 a.m.
21 tomorrow morning, please?"

22 So, I'm going to go ahead and bring them
23 in here and release them for the night. Obviously
24 tell them not to do any independent research.
25 They will be escorted to their cars. And

1 everybody in the courtroom is going to remain
2 where they are until they are all gone, and then
3 we'll let everybody go after that. Okay?

4 You ready for me to bring them in?

5 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am. You'll caution
6 them about the media, too?

7 THE COURT: Oh, yeah.

8 MR. NEWMAN: Mr. Evan is here. I just
9 didn't know if there would be an article in the
10 paper or something about it.

11 THE COURT: Good point, thank you. I
12 appreciate that.

13 All right. Go ahead and bring them in.

14 THE BAILIFF: Yes, Your Honor.

15 Jury is entering the courtroom.

16 THE COURT: Thank you.

17 (Jury enters the courtroom at 4:39 p.m.)

18 THE COURT: All right. Welcome back,
19 ladies and gentlemen.

20 So, Madame Foreperson, you have sent me a
21 note that says, "Can we come back at 9:00 tomorrow
22 morning, please?" And the answer is yes. That is
23 not a problem. Just a few cautionary things
24 before we leave. Number 1, the deputies are going
25 to escort you-all to your cars before anyone

1 leaves the courthouse. Secondly, there has been
2 some news coverage on this case. We have had a
3 reporter here. Ladies and gentlemen, I have to
4 caution you, you are not to read anything in the
5 newspaper. You are not to listen to anything on
6 the radio. You are not to watch anything that's
7 potentially on TV or the news. You are not to do
8 any independent research.

9 I remind you again, you will have
10 everything you need to decide this case right here
11 in the courtroom, and it would be highly
12 inappropriate for you to be influenced.

13 Additionally, when you go home, you are not
14 permitted to say anything to a loved one, colleague,
15 friend, neighbor about what's going on up here or talk
16 about the case. It's simply not appropriate.

17 All right. Tomorrow morning, you said
18 you wanted to come back at nine o'clock. Is that
19 an agreement by everybody? Is nine o'clock fine?

20 All right. I'm going to make sure that they
21 bring you something for breakfast. It's not going to
22 be fancy, I assure you of that. But you will have
23 something back there to nibble on.

24 Madame Foreperson, you cannot restart
25 your deliberations until all 12 of you are here.

1 Additionally, ladies and gentlemen, I have
2 excused the alternates, so I absolutely need all 12 of
3 you here tomorrow. For any reason anyone has any
4 problems overnight, I need you to tell me. All right?

5 I think you-all should be fine for Thursday
6 because we told you originally that we would go
7 Wednesday or Thursday. I don't have anyone that's got
8 an issue with tomorrow. Is that correct?

9 JURY PANEL: Yes.

10 THE COURT: Very good. I will see you
11 then tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. I will
12 send in word -- once all 12 of you are there, I
13 will send in word through the bailiffs that you
14 are to begin your deliberations again. Again, do
15 not start talking about the case at all tomorrow
16 morning until all 12 of you are sitting in there.
17 Okay, thank you. See you tomorrow. Okay.

18 (Jury is excused for the evening at 4:41 p.m.)

19 THE BAILIFF: Your Honor, the jury has
20 left the courtroom.

21 THE COURT: All right. So we're going to
22 sit here until we get word that all of the jurors
23 are in their cars and have left the grounds. So
24 we're just going to sit tight for now. Okay?

25 And then after that, I think what we'll

1 do is, we'll just excuse the people that are
2 sitting here on behalf of the State. I'm going to
3 assume you-all can take care of that.

4 Winston, you can make sure for the State
5 that everyone gets to their cars and is fine?

6 THE DEPUTY: Yes, ma'am.

7 THE COURT: I appreciate that. And then
8 we'll do the same thing with the defense.

9 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am.

10 THE COURT: Yes, sir.

11 MR. NEWMAN: May we now be at ease?

12 THE COURT: Absolutely, absolutely.

13 If you two want to go back and talk, let
14 Mr. Newman have some time with him.

15 Okay. We'll see you in the morning.

16 The bailiffs are securing the jury room
17 overnight and locking everything in there.

18 THE COURT REPORTER: Yes, ma'am.

19 (Court adjourned at 4:42 p.m.)
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1 THE COURT: So for those of you that are
2 here in the courtroom, I understand we have a
3 verdict in the case of Terrance Wing. I want to
4 make sure that everyone can control themselves.
5 Obviously, no one knows what the verdict is, but I
6 want to make sure that there are no outbursts in
7 any way. For any reason you cannot control
8 yourself regardless of what the verdict is, I need
9 you to remove yourself from the courtroom right
10 now. Because, if there is any outburst, I am
11 going to have to find you in contempt and you will
12 be taken into custody. So I just want to make
13 sure, if you cannot contain yourself, again, in
14 this verdict, then I need you to leave. Okay?

15 MR. NEWMAN: Can we get Mr. Wing?

16 THE COURT: Yes.

17 All right. State ready for me to bring them
18 out?

19 MS. CAMPBELL: Yes, Your Honor.

20 THE COURT: Defense ready?

21 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am.

22 THE COURT: Let's bring the jury out,
23 Marshall.

24 THE BAILIFF: Yes, ma'am.

25 Your Honor, the jury is ready.

1 (Jury enters the courtroom at 10:15 a.m.)

2 THE COURT: Madame Foreperson, I
3 understand the jury has reached a verdict.

4 FOREPERSON: Yes.

5 THE COURT: Will you please hand it to
6 the bailiff.

7 Mr. Wing, will you please rise with your
8 attorney.

9 In the case of the *State of South*
10 *Carolina vs. Terrance Wing*, as to the charge of
11 murder of Trey Blackshear, we, the jury, find the
12 defendant Terrance Wing guilty.

13 As to the charge of possession of a
14 weapon during the commission of violent crime, we,
15 the jury, find the defendant Terrance Wing guilty.

16 Signed by our foreperson.

17 You may be seated.

18 Ladies and gentlemen of the jury, I want to
19 thank you. You have helped us resolve this matter and
20 we appreciate it. At this time, I am going to go
21 ahead and excuse you for the remainder of the week.
22 You certainly have earned your exemption.

23 At this time -- I'm not sure what the wishes
24 are of Mr. Newman and the State. Do you want to go
25 forward and sentence Mr. Wing right now or do you wish

1 to wait?

2 MR. NEWMAN: Yes. I've got to motions to
3 make, and I also request that the jury be polled.

4 THE COURT: Of course, I will.

5 All right. Ladies and gentlemen -- thank you
6 Mr. Newman.

7 At this time, what I'm going to do is
8 pole the jury. What I'm going to do is, I'm ask
9 you -- I'm going to say your number and I'm going
10 to ask you, "Is this your verdict?" and the answer
11 is yes or no. And, "Is it still your verdict?"
12 And the answer is yes or no.

13 So, Juror Number 92?

14 JUROR 92: Yes.

15 THE COURT: Is this your verdict, sir?

16 JUROR 92: Yes.

17 THE COURT: Is it still your verdict?

18 JUROR 92: Yes.

19 THE COURT: Do you mind just waiving when
20 I do your number so I know exactly -- thank you,
21 sir. I appreciate it.

22 Juror Number 64. Sir, is this your verdict?

23 JUROR 64: Yes.

24 THE COURT: Is it still your verdict?

25 JUROR 64: Yes.

1 THE COURT: Thank you, sir.

2 Juror Number 9. Sir, is this your verdict?

3 JUROR 9: Yes.

4 THE COURT: Is it still your verdict?

5 JUROR 9: Yes.

6 THE COURT: Thank you, sir.

7 Juror Number 201. Sir, is this your verdict?

8 JUROR 201: Yes.

9 THE COURT: Is it still your verdict --

10 JUROR 201: Yes.

11 THE COURT: Thank you.

12 Juror Number 56. Ma'am, is this your

13 verdict?

14 JUROR 56: Yes.

15 THE COURT: Is it still your verdict?

16 JUROR 56: Yes.

17 THE COURT: Thank you, ma'am.

18 Juror Number 111. Ma'am, is this your

19 verdict?

20 JUROR 111: Yes.

21 THE COURT: Is it still your verdict?

22 JUROR 111: Yes.

23 THE COURT: Thank you, ma'am.

24 Juror Number 18. Ma'am, is this your

25 verdict?

1 JUROR 18: Yes.

2 THE COURT: Is it still your verdict?

3 JUROR 18: Yes.

4 THE COURT: Juror Number 206. Is this
5 your verdict?

6 JUROR 206: Yes.

7 THE COURT: Is still your verdict?

8 JUROR 206: Yes.

9 THE COURT: Thank you.

10 Juror Number 308. Is this your verdict?

11 JUROR 308: Yes.

12 THE COURT: Is it still your verdict?

13 JUROR 308: Yes.

14 THE COURT: Thank you.

15 Juror Number 277. Sir, is this your verdict?

16 JUROR 277: Yes.

17 THE COURT: Is it still your verdict?

18 JUROR 277: Yes.

19 THE COURT: Thank you.

20 Is the juror that's 999, do you know?

21 THE CLERK: 401 or 999.

22 THE COURT: It's 401 or 999. Sir, is
23 this your verdict? It's either 401 or 999. We
24 had two different numbers for you.

25 JUROR 401: Yes.

1 THE COURT: Is it still your verdict?

2 JUROR 401: Yes.

3 THE COURT: Thank you, sir.

4 And, lastly, Juror Number 230. Sir, is this
5 your verdict?

6 JUROR 230: Yes.

7 THE COURT: Is it still your verdict?

8 JUROR 230: Yes.

9 THE COURT: So, Mr. Newman, in addition,
10 are you going to ask for any time prior to
11 sentencing if you need to do any mitigation, or
12 are you prepared to go forward now?

13 MR. NEWMAN: I would like to -- are you
14 holding court tomorrow?

15 THE COURT: As of right now, no, because
16 we didn't have additional matters. I am holding
17 court Monday and Tuesday here.

18 MR. NEWMAN: I would -- because I do have
19 a number of people who would like to address the
20 Court and I would like some time to prepare for
21 that. Obviously, I need to file some post-trial
22 motions with Your Honor.

23 THE COURT: Certainly.

24 MR. NEWMAN: So I'll leave it in your
25 discretion. I know we have court next week.

1 THE COURT: Miss Campbell, are you in
2 court next week somewhere else?

3 MS. CAMPBELL: I'll be here on Monday,
4 Your Honor, if that works for the State. I defer
5 to Your Honor.

6 MR. NEWMAN: I can work it on Monday.

7 THE COURT: I just want to give you an
8 opportunity if you need to do any kind of
9 mitigation. I know Mr. Wing was very young at the
10 time.

11 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am.

12 THE COURT: And you said you have people
13 that want to speak on his behalf; is that correct?

14 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am.

15 THE COURT: So, ladies and gentlemen, I'm
16 asking them all of this because sometimes I will
17 go ahead and sentence immediately and I invite you
18 to stay if you choose to or I also invite you to
19 leave. So that was why we have this little
20 conversation.

21 But I think we're going to go ahead and
22 sentence him either tomorrow or on Monday,
23 depending on what we can arrange here.

24 Ladies and gentlemen, so at this time I
25 am going to go ahead and excuse you with my thanks.

1 Madame Foreperson -- I need her to sign the
2 indictments that she has. Is that correct? Has she
3 signed them yet?

4 Madame Foreperson, I need you to sign the
5 indictments for me as well.

6 Ladies and gentlemen, I will tell you, at
7 this time, you are permitted to discuss what
8 you've been doing up here. There's nothing wrong
9 with that when you go home. Sometimes the
10 attorneys or investigators may want to ask you
11 your opinion or ask you about something with the
12 case. You're not required to talk to anyone,
13 ladies and gentlemen. If you have no interest,
14 you just say no thank you and keep walking.

15 And, if for any reason anyone persists --
16 no one is going to -- but if they were to persist,
17 I need you to call to the clerk of court's office,
18 tell them you were on my jury and the defendant's
19 name and I will take care of it. Okay? Because
20 you are not required to talk to anyone about this.
21 All right? We will make sure you get escorts to
22 your car.

23 Ladies and gentlemen, again, thank you.
24 If you need anything else, please just ask the
25 bailiffs. They will take care of you and we

1 appreciate it very much. Thank you. Thank you.

2 You're excused.

3 (Jury is excused at 10:37 a.m.)

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1 (Sentencing started at 10:15 a.m.)

2 THE BAILIFF: All rise.

3 THE COURT: Please be seated.

4 We are here for the sentencing of
5 Terrance Wing found guilty by a Beaufort County
6 jury last Thursday of murder and possession of a
7 weapon during the commission of a violent crime.

8 Would the State like to begin?

9 MS. CAMPBELL: Thank you, Your Honor.

10 Judge Mullen, on behalf of the State, I
11 would make the following statement as Your Honor
12 begins the sentencing process. The grief and the
13 heartache in this courtroom today, Your Honor, has
14 cloaked this victim's family every day since
15 December 23rd, 2019, and that grief and heartache
16 is only just now able to slightly shift toward
17 thoughts of healing with the guilty verdict.

18 The State will not spend our time telling
19 you about the life of Trey Blackshear and what he
20 meant to his family and to this community because
21 the State is confident that his family and friends
22 will bring that portion of the sentencing to Your
23 Honor with dignity and clarity and completeness.

24 As the representative of the State of
25 South Carolina, I will say briefly that among many

1 years of service to the State and this community,
2 I have always stood before Your Honor and spoken
3 fairly, I believe, and ethically and truthfully on
4 any sentencing that took place in your courtroom.
5 And in the continuation of that what I consider to
6 be a foundational principle for an officer of the
7 court, I say on behalf of the State of South
8 Carolina that this defendant was given the
9 opportunity to take responsibility and enter a
10 guilty plea as indicted for a recommendation from
11 the State of South Carolina for a 30-year sentence
12 and he did not choose to take responsibility.

13 The Court is well aware that there is an
14 enormous, well-reasoned body of law when it comes
15 to sentencing those souls who are committing
16 murder when they are 16 years old. The State will
17 not recite for this learned Court that body of law
18 except to say that requesting a life sentence for
19 this defendant would fall outside the parameters
20 of that body of law.

21 However, the State deems it appropriate
22 to remind this Court that this defendant, while he
23 was on bond for the murder of Trey Blackshear, was
24 brought before this Court in July, 2021, for a
25 violation of his bond involving firearms, and this

1 court graciously allowed this defendant to remain
2 on bond but provided new restrictions upon his
3 bond at that time.

4 Then the defendant violated the new
5 conditions that Your Honor set for his bond. He
6 traveled outside the state of South Carolina to
7 Georgia where he was arrested in Georgia in a
8 vehicle with three other individuals and illegal
9 narcotics and four firearms were located. That
10 was October 2022. The State requested from this
11 Court a bench warrant and filed a motion to revoke
12 his bond. That bench warrant was granted and a
13 hold placed upon the defendant in Georgia.

14 When one of the defendants in Georgia
15 took responsibility for all of the narcotics and
16 all of the firearms in that vehicle, the charges
17 against this defendant were dismissed in the state
18 of Georgia and he was returned to the State of
19 South Carolina right here in Beaufort County under
20 this Court's bench order and subsequently his bond
21 was revoked in March 2023 by this court and he has
22 remained in the custody of the Beaufort County
23 Detention Center awaiting the trial that took
24 place last week.

25 So the State of South Carolina cannot say

1 that this defendant has a criminal record, but the
2 State can say that his behavior while on bond for
3 this murder did not demonstrate good behavior.

4 Finally, the State will take a moment to
5 thank the Bluffton Police Department, Beaufort
6 County Sheriff's Office, and the South Carolina
7 Law Enforcement Division for their exceptional
8 work in the days, months, and years following the
9 murder of Trey Blackshear. And, in particular,
10 the State would recognize Bluffton Police
11 Department Investigator Ryan Fazekas for his
12 diligence and dedication. He was, Your Honor, as
13 you know, the first law enforcement officer on
14 scene at the crime scene at the Lord of Life
15 Church parking lot, and he was the last law
16 enforcement officer on scene in the courtroom last
17 week as the jury returned their verdict of guilty.

18 So, therefore, in closing, on the great
19 matter of sentencing today for this defendant, the
20 State of South Carolina respectfully requests that
21 this honorable court sentence this defendant to 45
22 years for the murder of Trey Blackshear.

23 And, at this time, the State invites Trey's
24 family and friends to address the Court.

25 THE COURT: Thank you.

1 All right. Whoever would like to speak, I
2 just need you to give me your name and relationship to
3 Mr. Blackshear and just make sure you address your
4 comments to me. Okay?

5 MS. ALFRED: Okay.

6 THE COURT: Thank you.

7 THE WITNESS: My name is Mary Alfred and
8 I was raised with Trey as a family member but
9 not.

10 THE COURT: Okay.

11 MS. ALFRED: When you say direct your
12 comments, I realize the defendant -- I wanted to
13 use his name.

14 THE COURT: Are you allowed to use his
15 name?

16 MS. ALFRED: When we ask when we're saying --

17 THE COURT: You can say his name. But,
18 again, you can't direct your comments to him
19 directly. You got to tell me what it is that you
20 want to tell me and it's to be directed towards
21 me.

22 MS. ALFRED: Perfect. Thank you.

23 So, first, thank you for the opportunity to
24 speak about Trey. There is so much I want you to know
25 about him and the gravity of what was taken on

1 December 23rd of 2019.

2 Trey was the second of three boys. All of
3 them were two years apart. And as if her three boys
4 did not keep her busy enough, his mom welcomed every
5 child into her home. I was fortunate enough to be one
6 of those children and I got to grow up alongside him.
7 Throughout the years, I played many different roles in
8 his life. First as babysitter. My most salient role
9 was a surrogate big sister. And my last role was as a
10 de facto college adviser.

11 Four days before he was killed, Trey
12 graduate high school a semester early. In fact,
13 his mother got his graduation pictures on the day
14 of his funeral.

15 Prior to his death, Trey reached out and
16 asked me if I could help him with selecting a college,
17 and so that's when we started planning his future. We
18 started considering things like what university he
19 wanted and how far away from home he wanted to be and
20 what he wanted to study.

21 On December 16th, 2019, I gave Trey a list of
22 universities that matched his interests and we planned
23 to work on it over Christmas break. We never got that
24 opportunity because a week later Trey was callously
25 and senselessly taken from us. While his brother

1 returned home from the crime scene after having to do
2 the unimaginable, there was a letter from the
3 university in the mail. They were interested in Trey
4 playing soccer for them. He continued to receive
5 letters and scholarship offers from interested
6 colleges well past his funeral and in to 2020. Trey
7 never got to decide what university he wanted to
8 attend. He never got to decide what he wanted to
9 study or the kind of man he wanted to become.

10 He never got to see his brother play
11 football at his favorite university, or any of his
12 other brothers or hilariously hideous dog. These
13 moments, his future was stolen from him and
14 Terrance stole that future.

15 And as if that was not enough, we had to
16 spend a week hearing his name being smeared while
17 they tried to convince us and everyone else in the
18 courtroom that he didn't matter because of \$60
19 worth of weed. I want you to know that he did
20 matter. He had a very bright future and he was
21 excited for the next chapter in his life. His
22 family and friends loved him dearly and I can't
23 even begin to describe what the impact of losing
24 him has done to his family and the people who love
25 Trey.

1 I watched his mother lose her best friend
2 and the woman who helped raise me as she struggles
3 with the loss that no parent should ever have to
4 face. Every accomplishment, celebration, joyous
5 moment has been overshadowed by who is missing,
6 Trey.

7 While Trey's future is bright, had he
8 been given the chance to live, I know he would
9 have done amazing things. I can't say the same
10 for Terrance Wing.

11 He showed no remorse for his actions and
12 he talked about Trey as if he was a dog that had
13 to be put down. He repeatedly violated the terms
14 of his bond and has knowingly associated with
15 dangerous and malicious individuals.

16 Following the jury's verdict his family
17 and friends took to Facebook to harass our loved
18 ones and to continue to smear Trey's name,
19 including things like, *I know that dead ass boy.*
20 *He was just a drug dealer,* and yelling profanities
21 at my sister. That was a couple of days ago.
22 These are the kind of people you will be releasing
23 him to if you give him a life sentence (sic). He
24 has continued to show the kind of person he is,
25 and, I hope, when you determine your sentence, you

1 will consider all that was taken that day, the
2 future that was stolen, the countless lives that
3 have indelibly altered and the lack of remorse
4 Terrance Wing has shown since making that fateful
5 decision.

6 Thank you for the opportunity to speak.

7 THE COURT: Thank you for your words.

8 MS. HOWERTON: Your Honor, I'm Mimi
9 Howerton. I'm Mary's childhood best friend, and
10 we raised the kids together.

11 Your Honor, I'm grateful for the
12 opportunity to address the court. Mary, Trey's
13 mother and I, shared a lifelong friendship akin to
14 sisterhood. We grew up together. We worked side
15 by side in a salon near our children's school and
16 essentially raised our kids as one family.

17 Our lives were intertwined with joyous
18 moments, laughter, and love, including shared
19 vacations and holidays. We made a point to spend
20 time collecting valuable memories with our
21 precious children.

22 However, everything changed tragically
23 two days before Christmas in 2019. I vividly
24 recall the devastation etched on Mary's face as we
25 pulled into the driveway only to find her mother

1 hastily removing Trey's Christmas presents before
2 we got back from the scene. It marked the
3 beginning of enduring holidays without him, a pain
4 that seems to magnify rather than alleviate. I
5 keep a photo of Mary and me on my nightstand a
6 poignant reminder of her radiate smile before
7 Trey's senseless murder shattered our lives.

8 Her smile has faded since then, replaced
9 by indelible grief. Trey was not just a son,
10 grandson, brother, or friend, he was an
11 extraordinary young man whose life was unjustly
12 stolen leaving his mother forever changed.

13 Now, Mary's remaining sons have to
14 witness her agony. They are forced to navigate a
15 world of heartache and sorrow that no parent
16 should endure.

17 Your Honor, I implore you to consider the
18 profound loss and pain inflicted upon Trey's
19 mother and our entire community and family when
20 sentencing Terrance Wing who has exhibited no
21 remorse or acknowledgement of the magnitude of his
22 actions.

23 Thank you for your consideration.

24 THE COURT: Thank you.

25 DAVID MOUSER: Your Honor, my name is

1 David Mouser. I'm Trey's grandfather. While the
2 Court has many options for this sentencing, I ask
3 the Court this morning for a just sentencing of
4 life imprisonment without parole for Terrance Wing
5 convicted of murder.

6 We can't replace the loss of a fine young
7 man's life that had just begun to live. The Court
8 can't replace the pain, the tears, the heartache,
9 and all the experiences that our family has had to
10 endure since the murder of Trey. The tears from
11 nowhere like ghosts that are always there and not
12 there. The pain of not touching him again,
13 hugging him, smelling him, watching him smile. I
14 no longer hear him laugh. I no longer hear him
15 say, "I love you, Grandpa."

16 And the worst, the worst is the crack in
17 our hearts and the eternal emptiness. I can't
18 find any words for the pain of that. The pain
19 accelerates when images explode from no where,
20 images I can't erase. Images of a gun barrel
21 pressed against his head, bang, bang, bang, bang,
22 bang, bang, bang. As fast as you can pull a
23 trigger. The horrific execution-style murder now
24 a round hole in the back of his head. His
25 beautiful, soft, curly, red-clad hair so often

1 caressed as a little boy in my lap, now black with
2 gun powder and bright-red blood splattered at the
3 scene.

4 And today, the defendant begs for
5 leniency and mercy to avoid the life sentence I
6 asked for without parole because he was a youth
7 and whatever.

8 I speak as a grandfather of 80 years
9 robbed of my grandson's life because of a murder,
10 an unmerciful murder, bullet after bullet after
11 bullet pounding Trey's body. And the kill shot,
12 the gun muzzle against his head. The
13 execution-style.

14 My family must forever live with Terrance
15 Wing's brutal and unmerciful act and his
16 statement, "I had to put him down," boasting to
17 the driver in his getaway car. The Court has the
18 transcript.

19 Today you will hear his defense attorney,
20 possibly others, pleading for leniency and mercy
21 in sentencing. Trey was put down execution style
22 like a dog. My grandson was not a dog. How do we
23 even consider a lesser sentence for Trey's
24 horrible and unmerciful death as we relive
25 Terrance Wing's savage violence.

1 Trey was robbed of life at a young age.

2 Life without parole, Your Honor, is equal
3 and just for Terrance Wing.

4 Your Honor my heart is not really full of
5 vengeance. It respects the rule of law demanding
6 accountability. It reminds us, we must be prudent
7 in our responsibility to protect lives not yet
8 taken by murderers like Terrance Wing, often
9 returning them to society and murdering again.
10 Life out on parole meets these standards. His
11 violence and mentality indicate he will kill again
12 upon release. And we must not make the mistake to
13 release him to the remainder of his natural life.

14 We believe the Court is possibly aware of
15 the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Criminal
16 Justice statistics published in 2022. And,
17 obviously, a much higher figure as the court's
18 release murderers every day in the national news.
19 Seventy-six percent of the convict population
20 return to prison after release. Twenty-nine
21 percent of convicted murderers released are
22 reincarcerated for murder. They kill again.
23 Leniency is sadly a time bomb for additional loss
24 of life.

25 Terrance Wing's mercy and leniency has

1 already been granted, Your Honor. South Carolina
2 has no death penalty. We must not reward. We
3 must not reward. We just must not reward the
4 ferocity and barbarianity with the return to
5 freedom. This was a violent murder level 10. A
6 full magazine emptied into the body of my
7 grandson. Not once, but multiple times in the
8 matter of seconds.

9 Terrance Wing, fortunately, failed to
10 kill Jordan Singleton, his best friend, shooting
11 him repeatedly at point-blank range, and only by
12 the grace of God did Jordan survive. Had it not
13 been for Jordan escaping death, his bullets were
14 fired again and again in a matter of seconds,
15 Terrance Wing would still possibly be free to rob
16 and kill again. Terrance Wing has undoubtedly
17 killed others in my opinion just from the remark,
18 "I had to put him down." That's a gang-style
19 mentality.

20 Lastly, let's remember that four days
21 after Trey's death with two days of surveillance,
22 immediately effecting a raid where Terrance Wing
23 was present in a home on Saint Helena Island
24 revealed 27 people living in one house with cars
25 hidden around back, automatic assault rifles, 14

1 handguns confiscated. This was not a family
2 reunion. Oh, I tell you, it was a meeting of the
3 Redd family known by law enforcement for robbery
4 and gang activity.

5 Sled identified five of the 14
6 unregistered handguns and murder weapons by
7 ballistics and four unsolved murders in a house
8 full of killers.

9 This home is reportedly known to be a
10 gang headquarters within our community that
11 breeds. I asked the solicitor's office, why do we
12 allow this to exist in our society? The answer
13 was scary. Our justice system is not perfect.

14 A life sentence without parole, Your
15 Honor, is more than just to separate convicted
16 murderers from society. It would prevent them
17 from more innocent lives lost.

18 Your Honor, Terrance Wing has already
19 been granted mercy and leniency in today's
20 sentencing. He continues his existence because
21 the death penalty does not exist. His bonus? His
22 bonus is he still gets to live his life. A prison
23 lifestyle, watch TV, enjoy recreation, and his
24 family members can visit him, Your Honor, versus
25 Trey's family as we visit the cold and lonely

1 grave where Trey is buried.

2 His family members and attorney will
3 plead for leniency saying he is a young life, made
4 a bad choice. He has time yet to become a good
5 citizen later in society. He was a youthful
6 victim of being in the wrong place at the wrong
7 time and deserves a chance to be free again. No.
8 No.

9 My grandson's justice is a life sentence
10 without parole. Terrance Wing forfeits his
11 freedom. Justice must be equal and accountable
12 for the bad choices we make. The Court must
13 protect the yet un-murdered 29 deaths that are
14 inevitable when we grant freedom and leniency in
15 the sentencing. One more death is one too many in
16 the 29 of 100 statistically that face us every
17 day.

18 My request for life imprisonment without
19 parole is without malice. It is just for the life
20 that Terrance Wing took.

21 You know, when we forget God, we lose
22 ourselves. It's a simple mistake. I'm going to
23 quote one simple verse. It's Psalms 11:7. *For*
24 *the Lord is righteous; he loves justice. The*
25 *unrighteous will see his face.*

1 Terrance Wing has been fairly judged by a
2 jury of his peers. A life sentence without parole
3 is justified upon this earth as God loves justice.
4 Possibly Terrance Wing may be granted leniency and
5 mercy in the higher court that awaits us all. He
6 will have that opportunity as promised by the
7 cross.

8 On behalf of his father, Derick, his
9 loving mother, his loving family members, we thank
10 Judge Mullen for presiding in this case. We thank
11 the jury for their time listening attentively to
12 the evidence and finding a fair verdict. One down
13 and three to go, Your Honor. We thank the
14 solicitor's office, Trasi Campbell and Detective
15 Ryan Fazekas in the pursuit of justice.

16 And, as I close, we placed our trust in
17 God to endure this trial. We placed our trust in
18 the State to seek justice. We placed our trust in
19 the jury to find the truth. And now, we place our
20 trust in the judicial system to fairly and justly
21 sentence Terrance Wing to life imprisonment with
22 no parole.

23 Thank you, Your Honor, for the
24 opportunity to address this court.

25 THE COURT: Thank you, sir.

1 THE WITNESS: Thank you, Your Honor. My
2 name is Mary Corey and my son was Trey Blackshear.
3 And no one wins in this. I'm not happy that
4 another young man is going through this. I dealt
5 with that with my oldest son already. I know the
6 pain that his mom and his family feels, and I
7 don't wish this on them or us, but I'm not getting
8 Trey in 45 years or 50 years. I'm not having
9 grandchildren. That's all I have to say.

10 THE COURT: Thank you.

11 Is that everything on behalf of the
12 State?

13 MS. CAMPBELL: That's all.

14 THE COURT: Thank you.

15 All right. Mr. Newman.

16 MR. NEWMAN: If it pleases the court,
17 Your Honor, and good morning. As you know, I've
18 been a police officer and a prosecutor.

19 This whole situation is senseless. When
20 you got four children with guns, high capacity
21 magazines, this is insane. The situation is
22 insane.

23 Mr. Wing was evaluated when he was 16
24 years old. His evaluations came out that he was
25 subject to rehabilitation. The evaluations also

1 shown with 16-year-old children that they tend to
2 think more with the amygdala than the frontal
3 cortex, and that's to make irrational decisions.

4 Mr. Wing is not going to say anything
5 here today. Your Honor knows I've got other legal
6 rights to protect for him, so I will be speaking
7 for him. He is here with his family; his dad,
8 mom, extended family. They are here.

9 And, as you know, the sad thing in this
10 course is, one millimeter away and everybody might
11 be sitting on the opposite side of the courtroom.
12 That's what's tragic.

13 Another thing that's tragic to me is the
14 State basically offered the same thing to
15 Mr. Barnes, but we couldn't do it. The problem
16 that I have -- one of the problems that I have is,
17 the State is judicially estopped now from
18 prosecuting Xavier Barnes. They put up testimony
19 that they have to believe, that they vouched for,
20 said he didn't have a gun and he didn't do
21 anything. They are judicially estopped.

22 I hope they do go after the Redd family.
23 I've discussed this with Lieutenant Fazekas. I've
24 discussed this with the sheriff, and I hope
25 charges will be brought and reinstated in that.

1 I also -- you can see the Redd family is
2 substantially older than Mr. Barnes and Mr. Wing,
3 and I believe they could exert undue influence.

4 I'll just say, Your Honor, as to
5 sentencing, we leave that in your hands. We know
6 that murder is 30 years day-for-day to life, five
7 years with the pistol.

8 Unfortunately, for the victim's family,
9 the U.S. Supreme Court -- not you -- says that you
10 cannot sentence a juvenile to life without parole.
11 That's just the law of the country and the
12 constitution of the United States. And that may
13 be sad or not, but it is the law.

14 I echo one thing that I heard here today.
15 No one today is going to be happy. No one. He
16 goes to prison for a long. It's not going to make
17 his family happy. Nothing can replace
18 Mr. Blackshear. When we say justice, all we can
19 do is, perhaps, something we attribute to justice.
20 Justice isn't going to bring somebody back. That
21 can't happen.

22 Out of my 40 years or so of doing this, I
23 am against sentencing in situations like this
24 because these are children. It's just insane.
25 You've seen it all over the State, Judge. This is

1 not just a problem in Beaufort County. Big
2 counties or small.

3 I ask Your Honor to consider that he has
4 been in been in jail for 429 days. I can get you
5 a verification on that. He did about 12 months
6 even in DJJ custody where, as I said, he was
7 extensively evaluated.

8 THE COURT: Is that in addition to the
9 429 days or no?

10 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am.

11 THE COURT: Okay.

12 MR. NEWMAN: Yes, ma'am.

13 So with that, you know, whatever words I can
14 say in condolence -- I'm sure the family doesn't want
15 to hear from me. I understand that. I've been on
16 both sides. However, I would ask you to consider
17 Mr. Wing's age at the time, that he was screened by
18 DJJ and found to be subject to rehabilitation.

19 With that, Your Honor, Mr. Wing, do you
20 want to say anything? Anybody like to say
21 anything? This is his mom sitting over here.
22 This is his father.

23 As you heard his father is a
24 long-distance, over-the-road truck driver. He was
25 living in Charlotte at the time with Terrance.

1 Christmas break, it's a good time. He was going
2 to move and did with his mom. He was enrolled in
3 school in Jacksonville, Florida. He started a
4 semester. It was a nice natural break to, kind
5 of, switch custody. His parents have long been
6 divorced and separated, but they get along. They
7 get along especially when it comes to their son,
8 which I think is a good thing.

9 I just ask -- you got the hardest job
10 here today. I had -- I remember telling Judge
11 Glock in federal court one time, I said, these are
12 really hard cases. Really hard on the attorney.
13 He goes, *Try being a judge*. So I do not envy you
14 in that, and we just ask that you exercise your
15 wisdom and discretion and whatever mercy you can
16 find.

17 Thank you.

18 THE COURT: Thank you. And no one else
19 wishes to speak on behalf of -- yes, ma'am. Your
20 name for the record.

21 FAMILY MEMBER SHERYL: Good morning, Your
22 Honor.

23 MR. NEWMAN: Stand up here.

24 FAMILY MEMBER SHERYL: Good morning, Your
25 Honor. I'm Terrance's Auntie. My name is Sheryl.

1 I am a retired Air Force Veteran with over 24
2 years of combined services. I retired from the
3 Air Force in 2009.

4 As I reflected on the events of this case
5 for the past several days, I struggle to process
6 the range of emotions that TJ's identification as
7 a suspect, his arrest, his indictment, the trial,
8 and, Thursday morning, a guilty verdict, as I come
9 before you today with a heavy heart.

10 With that, I want to take a few minutes
11 to tell you a little bit about my nephew, TJ. Of
12 courses, as you heard during the trial, he's
13 affectionately known by his family and friends as
14 someone loving. He's supported by his family.
15 He's kind, respectful, compassionate, and
16 considerate of adults who interact with him. He's
17 a dad of a one-year-old. He's a brother to five
18 older sisters and one younger sister. He is uncle
19 to five nieces and a nephew.

20 On November 24, 2020, he successfully
21 passed two modules while in DJJ custody surpassing
22 the minimum of 18 to 30 points.

23 On October 25, 2021, and October 29,
24 2021, he successfully passed last two modules to
25 receive his diploma -- GED diploma surpassing the

1 minimum score of 24 to 27 points.

2 He worked as an equipment operator at a
3 golf course for approximately one year. With no
4 prior experience, he learned the following: How
5 to fix water pipes, how to drive and operate a
6 manual shift, and other duties that were assigned
7 to him by his supervisor.

8 While acknowledging the seriousness of
9 this case and the jury verdict, I requested Your
10 Honor to consider TJ's whole life and character.
11 He is not a menace to society. He's a person
12 capable of growth and redemption given the
13 opportunity.

14 Your Honor, I humbly ask for leniency in
15 sentencing. Please consider alternatives to
16 incarceration that prioritizes rehabilitation and
17 reintegration. By giving TJ a chance at
18 redemption, we not only offer him hope for a
19 better future but also to uphold justice and
20 mercy.

21 TJ, grandpa sends their love and they
22 will continue to pray for you.

23 Your Honor, I thank you for considering my
24 words and this opportunity to speak a little bit about
25 my nephew Terrance. Thank you.

1 THE COURT: Thank you.

2 MR. NEWMAN: Thank you.

3 THE COURT: Okay.

4 MR. WING, SR.: Your Honor?

5 THE COURT: Yes, sir.

6 MR. WING, SR.: I'm Terrance Wing, TJ's
7 father. His sister is here also.

8 I apologize to the family for you-all's
9 loss. I can't explain the relationship I have.
10 He is my only child -- my only boy out of seven
11 kids, so I just want you to have -- you have all
12 the evidence in front of you last week. I
13 understand everything that went on. You heard
14 what I heard. You seen the evidence that I seen.
15 I ask you to take that into consideration in your
16 decision.

17 Thank you.

18 MR. NEWMAN: Thank you, Mr. Wing.

19 THE COURT: Yes, ma'am.

20 GRANDMOTHER; WING: I don't have anything
21 written but I'm TJ's grandmother. When I heard
22 about what my grandson would have done, it really
23 bothered me. I grieve anybody's family's loss
24 because I lost my only son and I know what it's
25 like to lose someone you love. But hearing the

1 things that my grandson would have done, he is not
2 a violent person. Yes, everybody grows up and
3 have their good things and their bad things
4 against them.

5 But in the presence of my grandson, who
6 is very respectable person to me, his grandmother,
7 his sisters, his one and only son here, yes, he
8 may have done some things but I have never known
9 him to murder or want to hurt anyone. People get
10 mad, but not to the extent of him wanting to
11 murder.

12 And if he was to be released, I doubt
13 very much, because my understanding when this
14 gentleman spoke of God, he, for my understanding,
15 got baptized in jail looking for the relief from
16 God and his blessing to go straight and to learn
17 and to live the right way.

18 But to think that life without my only
19 grandson, I leave that in your hands to do the
20 right thing that you see for my grandson.

21 THE COURT: Thank you.

22 Anyone else? Mr. Newman, anything else?

23 MR. NEWMAN: No, ma'am, Your Honor.

24 THE COURT: So as alluded to by both the
25 State and the defense, as you know, we have

1 extensive law in sentencing people who are youth
2 or minors when they committed offenses. It's the
3 Byars case, and we look at a number of factors;
4 the immaturity of a 16-year-old defendant, the
5 impetuosity of teenagers, and, most shockingly, a
6 failure to appreciate risks and consequences
7 which, quite frankly, describes all four of the
8 young men that showed up in that car to buy or
9 sell \$60 worth with drugs all armed with weapons.

10 I have been doing this job for going on
11 18 years now, and there's two things that I always
12 say: If I could get rid of drugs and if I could
13 get rid of the guns in the hands of youth, we
14 would save our community and our society. We
15 would be so much better off. I mean, truly, that
16 is the root of what I see here in this courtroom,
17 and I do this every day, unfortunately.

18 But only one person was shot in this car
19 based on the ballistics, is, to me, almost a
20 miracle because in a minimum of 12 to 13 shots
21 going back and forth in a small passenger area of
22 a sedan car, it really is shocking that more
23 people weren't killed.

24 Additionally, when we do have those, one
25 being a 16-year-old, we have two other gentlemen

1 here that were charged with murder, and now one
2 convicted of murder and possession of a weapon
3 during the commission of a violent crime.

4 Mr. Newman is correct. These are not
5 easy cases. And the youth of all four of these
6 men that came to this, to me, a just jarring. I
7 think it behooves us as grown-ups to teach them
8 that drugs are dangerous, guns can kill, and I
9 think, as adults, we need to do a better job
10 keeping people and these kids tapped down to
11 understand the repercussions of what happens when
12 gunfire flies.

13 With that said, I have done my best to
14 temper, again, the youth versus the crime. I know
15 that no one here can bring back Trey Blackshear.
16 And, in effect, Mr. Wing's family is devastated as
17 well because their son is going to incarcerated
18 for a very long time. So I'm certainly sad for
19 your loss in the Blackshear family. And, again,
20 I'm sorry for the loss of the expectation of your
21 son, Mr. Wing, as well.

22 On indictment 2020-GS-7-02234 for the
23 charge of murder the sentence of this court is you
24 be committed to the Department of Corrections,
25 Mr. Wing, for a period of 35 years.

1 On indictment 2020-GS-7-2292 for the
2 charge of possession of a weapon during the
3 commission of a violent crime, I sentence the
4 defendant to a period of five years. Those are to
5 run consecutive -- I'm sorry, consecutive to each
6 other, and I'm giving you credit for 429 days.

7 Good luck to you, sir, and good luck to
8 your family.

9 MR. NEWMAN: Your Honor, we also have the
10 year for DJJ time?

11 THE COURT: I'm sorry?

12 MR. NEWMAN: We also have the year for
13 DJJ time?

14 THE COURT: I'm sorry. I thought you
15 told me that that was inclusive of the 429 days.

16 MR. NEWMAN: No, ma'am.

17 THE COURT: So what is the total amount?

18 LAW CLERK: 794.

19 THE COURT: 794.

20 MR. NEWMAN: That sounds right.

21 THE COURT: All right. I will give him
22 credit for the 794 days that he has served.

23 Good luck to you.

24 MR. NEWMAN: Your Honor, with that, I
25 have one closing matter. I have an order

1 relieving counsel. I've shown it to the
2 solicitor.

3 THE COURT: Why don't you give it to
4 Kylin and I'm going to step down for five minutes
5 so you can prepare for the next set of court
6 matters. I'll go ahead and take a look at it.

7 (The trial was concluded.)

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CERTIFICATE OF REPORTER

I, SHARON G. HARDOON, Official Circuit Court Reporter, III for the State of South Carolina at Large, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, accurate and complete Transcript of Record of the proceedings had and evidence introduced in the trial of the captioned case, relative to appeal, in General Sessions, Beaufort County, South Carolina.

I do further certify that I am neither kin, counsel, nor interest to any party hereto.

October 22, 2024

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Sharon G. Hardoon". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large initial 'S'.

Sharon G. Hardoon, CSR
Official Circuit Court Reporter, III

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County of Beaufort

SEARCH WARRANT

Assist Bluffton PD

BCSO 19S317809

Date : 12-27-2019

MSgt. Fraser, Jeremiah L.

SCCA 513
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SEARCH WARRANT

Form Approved by
SC Attorney General
Section 19-13-160
March 15, 1978

TO ANY BONDED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THIS STATE OR COUNTY OR OF THE
MUNICIPALITY OF BEAUFORT:

It appearing from the attached affidavit that there are reasonable grounds to believe that certain property
subject to seizure under provisions of Section 17-13-140, 1976 Code of Laws of South Carolina, as amended, is
located on the following premises:

DESCRIPTION OF PREMISES (PERSON OR THING)
TO BE SEARCHED
See Exhibit A

Now, therefore, you are hereby authorized to search the subject premises for the property described below,
and to seize such property if found:

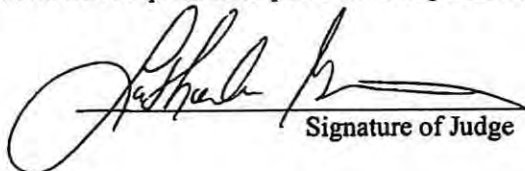
DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY
See Exhibit B

This Search Warrant shall not be valid for more than ten days from the date of issuance.

A written inventory of all property seized pursuant to this Search Warrant shall be made to A
Magistrate within ten days from the date of this warrant, such inventory to be signed by the officer executing
this warrant, and a copy of such inventory shall be furnished to the person whose premises are searched if
demand for such copy is made.

A copy of this Search Warrant shall be delivered to the person in charge of the premises searched at the
time of such search if practicable, and, if not, to such person as soon thereafter as is practicable; in the event the
identity of the person in charge is not known or if such person cannot be found after reasonable diligence in
attempting to locate the person, a copy shall be attached to a prominent place on such premises.

Beaufort, South Carolina


Signature of Judge

Dated: 12-27-2019 @ 3:40 pm

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF BEAUFORT

AFFIDAVIT

Personally appeared before me, one MSgt Jeremiah Fraser, who being duly sworn, says that there is probable cause to believe that certain property subject to seizure under provisions of S.C. Code Ann. § 17-13-140, as amended, is located on the following premises in this County:

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY SOUGHT

See Exhibit B

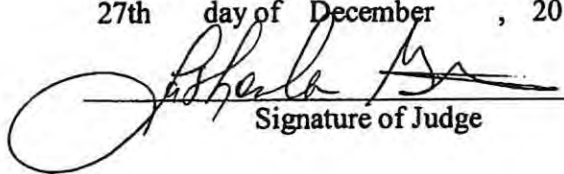
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TO BE SEARCHED

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REASON FOR AFFIANT'S BELIEF THAT THE
PROPERTY SOUGHT IS ON THE SUBJECT PREMISES

See Exhibit C

Sworn to and Subscribed before me
27th day of December, 2019. 3:42pm


Signature of Judge



Affiant

Address 2001 Duke Street Beaufort, SC
Phone 843-255-3417

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RETURN

I received the attached Search Warrant 12/27/19, and have executed it as follows:
On 12/27/19 at 1743 o'clock, I searched (the person) described in the warrant and (the premises)

I left a copy of the warrant with Shawn Kedd (Name of person searched or "at the place of search" with.)

Together with a receipt for the items seized.

The following is an inventory of property taken pursuant to the warrant:

See attached inventory

[Signature]
12/27/19

This inventory was made in the presence of Sgt Snider; USgt Fraser
AND _____

I swear that the inventory is a true and detailed account of all the property taken by me on the warrant.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me
this 30 day of December, 2019

[Signature]
Signature of Judge

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[Signature]
(Signature of Officer Executing Warrant)

[Signature] 12/27/19

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SEARCH WARRANT
Exhibit A

COUNTY OF BEAUFORT

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Description of Premise (Person or Thing) To Be Searched

This search warrant is for the complete search of the residence at [REDACTED] Mink Point Blvd Burton, Beaufort County SC. The residence is described as a brick / stucco single family residence bearing the number [REDACTED] above the garage on the home. The residence is currently under surveillance by the BCSO. In addition there are multiple vehicles currently parked at the residence. This search warrant also includes the search of any vehicles or outbuildings on the property. In addition there are several people currently hanging out at the residence. This search warrant is also to include those on the premise.

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SEARCH WARRANT
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Description of Property Sought

The vehicle identified as being the getaway vehicle from the murder described in Exhibit C is currently located at the residence. It was also located at the residence on 12-26-2019. It is believed that the murder suspect was/is located at the residence [REDACTED] Mink Point Blvd. Burton, Beaufort County SC. This search warrant is for evidence related to the murder of Trey Singleton on 12-23-2019 at [REDACTED] Buckwalter Blvd. Bluffton, Beaufort County SC. This includes, but is not limited to clothing which can be identified as being worn/owned by the suspect, counterfeit money, firearms, bullets, projectiles, casings, latent, DNA, blood, narcotic, electronic devices (phones) which may tend to identify the suspects in the case.

In addition, this search warrant is for the person of Xavier Barnes (DOB: [REDACTED]) which is charged with the offense of Murder in Family Court. The Honorable Family Court Judge Feuge has signed a Family Court Pick Up Order for his arrest.

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[Signature] 12/2-1/19

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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SEARCH WARRANT
Exhibit C

COUNTY OF BEAUFORT

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Affidavit:

Personally appeared before me, one MSgt Jeremiah Fraser, who being duly sworn, says that there is probable cause to believe that certain property subject to seizure under provisions of S.C. Code Ann. § 17-13-140, as amended, is located on the following premises in this County:

I have been employed with the Beaufort County Sheriff's Office since 2002 and I am a Certified South Carolina Law Enforcement Officer. I received basic and advanced training in but not limited to Crime Scene Processing, Interview and Interrogation, Homicide Investigation, Narcotics Interdiction, Burglary Investigation, Robbery Investigation, Fingerprint Identification, and Missing Person Investigation.

I have served as a Criminal Investigator and as the supervisor over the Northern Criminal Investigations Section. In these positions, I worked as the lead investigator on hundreds of criminal investigations and also supervised several hundred criminal investigations. These investigations resulted in numerous arrests and seizures of property, related to arrest.

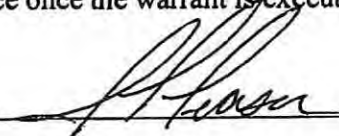
The information contained herein is based upon my own investigation as well as information gathered from other members of the Law Enforcement.

**Reason for Affiant's Belief that the Property Sought is on the
Subject Premises:**

1. On 12-23-2019, the victim in the case, Trey Blacksheir was found deceased in a vehicle located at [REDACTED] Buckwalter Pkwy in Bluffton, Beaufort County South Carolina. The victim had been shot multiple times while in the vehicle.

2. During the ensuing investigation, Sgt. Fazekas (BPD case Officer) was able to locate surveillance footage from a nearby business which provided video (and subsequently still images) of the suspect vehicle fleeing the area. The vehicle has a large dent in the rear passenger door, and is identified as a Toyota Camry.
3. Jordan Singleton, a witness who was in the car when the murder occurred stated the suspects in the case were present to purchase marijuana from Blacksheir. As they entered the car they almost immediately pulled out pistols and began shooting which ultimately led to the death of Blacksheir. Singleton was able to identify one of the shooters as 16 year old Xavier Barnes.
4. Through further investigation, Sgt. Fazekas was able to identify the vehicle listed in Exhibit A (2001 Toyota Camry SC Reg 3825NH) as belonging to one Kionna Ferguson. Kionna Ferguson is the live in girlfriend of Jaesean Redd who currently resides at [REDACTED] Mink Point Blvd. Burton, Beaufort County SC. Redd previously lived at [REDACTED] Gay Dr. which is where the vehicle is registered. Barnes address is [REDACTED] Gay Dr. Lady's Island, SC.
5. Once BCSO received this information officers located the vehicle parked behind the residence at [REDACTED] Mink Point Blvd; however, at the time Xavier Barnes was not positively identified as the suspect.
6. On 12-27-2019 Sgt. Fazekas was able to meet with Jordan Singleton and positively identify Barnes as the suspect in the case.
7. Additionally, it is believed that the vehicle went to the residence after the murder of Blacksheir and has been at the residence multiple times since. It is believed that evidence related to the murder of Blacksheir will be located within the residence.
8. As the offence of Murder is defined as a Violent Crime in South Carolina it is requested this search warrant be a "No Knock" search warrant to protect Officers and others in proximity to the residence once the warrant is executed.

Affiant



Signature of Judge:



12/27/19

SEARCH WARRANT INVENTORY

CASE NO.: 195317809 PAGE: 1 OF 5
 LOCATION: [REDACTED] Mink Pt Blvd DATE: 12/27/19
 Beaufort, SC 29906 BEGIN: 1743 END: 2105

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	LOCATED BY	TIME
• 1	(3) Apple iPhones unknown s/n (1) turned over to Bluffton PD	outside front door step	Byrd	1857
• 2	(1) Apple iPhone (other box) 12 case	Living room table	Snider	1858
• 3	Navy Tommy Hilfiger backpack contained the following: (2) .40 cal mags w/ 13 rounds each (1) bag bullets (1) bag suspected marijuana (1) ear buds (3) condoms	Living room floor	Snider	1900
• 4	Dell Laptop; (2) cell phones (1) Apple tablet; SC ID for Jaesean Redd Bluffton PD	Bedroom 2	Squires	1912
• 5	White Apple iPhone	Bedroom 3 (Dresser)	Robson	1915
• 6	(1) Ruger Magazine w/ 17 rounds - Bluffton PD	Bedroom 3 Dresser	Robson	1915
• 7	Ruger pistol #86067127 9 mm - Bluffton PD	Bedroom 3 Dresser	Robson	1915
• 8	Glock 23 .40 cal #BKS 3596	Bedroom 3 Dresser	Robson	1915
• 9	Glock .40 cal mag w/ 22 rounds	Bedroom 3 Dresser	Robson	1915

House

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SEARCH WARRANT INVENTORY

CASE NO.:

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LOCATION:

Mink Pt Blvd
Beaufort, SC 29906

DATE:

12/27/19

BEGIN:

1743 END: 2108

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	LOCATED BY	TIME
• 10	Pro mag magazine w/ 12 9mm rounds - Bluffton PD	Bedroom 3 Dresser	Robson	1915
• 11	Century Arms magazine w/ 18 9mm rounds Bluffton PD	Bedroom 3 Dresser	Robson	1915
• 12	5.56 x 45 magazine - empty	Bedroom 3 Dresser	Robson	1915
• 13	Century Arms 9mm pistol Model T6472-16 FN 16AP20603 Bluffton PD	Bedroom 3 Dresser	Robson	1915
• 14	Apple iPhone	Bedroom 3 Dresser	Robson	1915
• 15	(2) 9mm rounds Bluffton PD	Bedroom 3 Dresser	Robson	1915
• 16	(1) .40 cal	Bedroom 3 Dresser	Robson	1915
• 17	(2) receipts from Port Royal Gun & Pawn - Daquana Redd	Bedroom 3 Dresser	Robson	1915
• 18	(3) 410 shells & (2) .45 bullets	Master bedroom closet	Johnson	1930
• 19	Taurus Judge revolver 5 shot S/N C5824139	Master bedroom closet	Johnson	1930
• 20	(4) 410 shells	Master bedroom closet	Johnson	1930

SEARCH WARRANT INVENTORY

CASE NO.:

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LOCATION:

██████ Mink Pt Blvd
Beaufort, SC 29906

DATE:

12/27/19

BEGIN:

1743

END: 2108

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	LOCATED BY	TIME
• 21	Samsung flip phone	Master bedroom night stand	Johnson	1910
• 22	Wallet w/ 4 MD SC IDs for clason Thomas	Bedroom 1 hall dresser	Johnson	1929
• 23	HTC cell phone	Bedroom 1 hall dresser	Johnson	1929
• 24	(1) .40 cal bullet	Bedroom 1 hall dresser	Johnson	1929
• 25	Black pellet pistol	Bedroom 1 hall dresser	Johnson	1929
• 26	(9) Broken cell phones (1) VISA debit - Shawn Redd	Bedroom 1	Robson	1945
• 27	9mm Glock extended mag w/ 31 rounds - Bluffton PD	Bedroom 3 closet	Murphy	1857
• 28	Assorted ammo - 410 & 10mm (2) 10mm mags	Bedroom 3 closet	Murphy	1857
• 29	34 rounds of 9mm ammo Blazer brand - Bluffton PD	Bedroom 3 closet	Murphy	1857
• 30	White Apple iPhone	Den on leather couch	Seifert	1918
• 31	Samsung tablet	Den - floor	Byrd	1938
• 32	Black Verizon ZTE w/ charger	Den - leather recliner	Seifert	1933

House

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LOCATION:

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Beaufort, SC 29906

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	LOCATED BY	TIME
• 33	Fendi shoulder bag containing (2) jars suspected Marijuana (1) Scale & (2) batteries	Den - behind recliner	Seifert	1933
• 34	LG cell phone	Den on tv stand	Seifert	1950
• 35	Taurus 9mm GAC, S/N TLN23031 w/ Streamlight TLR6 laser site & mag w/ 6 rounds Bluffton PD	Den behind couch	Squires	1936
• 36	SAR Black gun case w/ mag w/ 15 9mm bullets Bluffton PD	Garage on Chair	Johnson	2010
• 37	White Lectrus tablet w/ Black cover (dongle touch)	Kitchen table	Byrd	1955
• 38	White Lectrus tablet w/ "Composition Book" cover	Kitchen table	Byrd	1955
• 39	SAR 9mm S/N T7102-17BV05541 w/ mag containing 16 rounds	Den behind	Byrd	1941
• 40	Glock 19 9mm green/BK S/N! B6VC457 w/ laser dot & mag w/ 16 rounds - Bluffton PD	Dirty clothes hamper - kitchen	Murphy	2001
• 41	9mm bullet found in Anna backpack - Bluffton PD	Garage	Garst	2025

House

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SEARCH WARRANT INVENTORY

CASE NO.:

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LOCATION:

[REDACTED] Munk Pt Blvd

DATE:

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Beaufort & 29906

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	LOCATED BY	TIME
• 42	Black cell phone	Garage b/k Rm Garst backpack	Garst	2028
• 43	9mm bullet Bluffton PD	Garage inside b/k waste mgmt bag	Garst	2027
• 44	Scale	garage. inside b/k waste mgmt bag	Garst	2027
• 45	Tar Suspected Marijuana	Bedroom 3 closer	Robson	1851
• 46	TCL cell phone	Bedroom 2 Kionna Ferguson purse	Byrd	1915
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VEHICLES ON PROPERTY

SEARCH WARRANT INVENTORY

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 LOCATION: ██████ Mink Point Bldg. DATE: 12.27.19
Beaufort SC 29906 BEGIN: 1743 END: 2105

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	LOCATED BY	TIME
1	Palmetto State Armory 223	TAN MERZ CA# RPA6368	HUGGINS	1908
2	Full Mag FOR 223 w/ ROUNDS	TAN MERZ	HUGGINS	1908
3	MAGPUL AFG in BOX	TAN MERZ	HUGGINS	1905
4	TOMMY HILFIER BACKPACK CONTAINING: PLASTIC SANDWICH BAGS LATEX GLOVES BLK 24 ROUND MAG. FOR .45 (1) DIGITAL SCALE (1) MASON JAR CONTAINING SUSP. MARIJUANA (1) .45 CAL GLOCK MAG. w/ 13 ROUNDS (1) BLACK STRAW NANA LIGHTER (1) PKG DABWOODS GRAPE PUNCH	SILVER CHEV MALIBU SC# SBT524	GARST	1905
5	(1) BLACK IPHONE	SILVER CHEV.	CUSHMAN	1910
6	(5) INDEX CARDS	SILVER CHEV.	CUSHMAN	1911
7	GLOCK 3D .45 CAL SER# NDF877 w/ LOADED MAG PLUS 1 ROUND	SILVER CHEV	GARST	1910
8	GLOCK 43 9mm SER# BH1L238 w/ LOADED MAG PLUS 1	BLACK TOYT. COROLLA SC# 3164HL	HUGGINS	1930
9	PURPLE CROWN ROYAL BAG CONTAINING: (2) JARS CONTAINING SUSP. MARIJUANA (1) BAG CONTAINING SUSP. MARIJUANA (1) BLACK DIGITAL SCALE	BLACK TOYT.	HUGGINS	1930
10	(1) TAURUS JUDGE SER# 1149449 w/ (3) 410 ROUNDS & (2) .45 LONG COIT ROUNDS	GRAY HONDA ACCORD SC# NCH404	ABEL	1920
11	(1) LG CRICKET PHONE & (1) ZTE PHONE	BLACK TOYT.	HUGGINS	1935
12	(3) JUDGE ROUNDS & (3) 410 ROUNDS	GRAY/TAN CHEV. 1500	SAUNDERS	1941
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P.J. Tanner
Sheriff

**OFFICE OF SHERIFF
BEAUFORT COUNTY
POST OFFICE BOX 1758
BEAUFORT, SOUTH CAROLINA 29901**

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PROPERTY RECEIPT

Case Number: 19s317809

I, Sgt. R. Fazekas, have received from the Beaufort County Sheriff's Office the below listed items on 12-27-2019. Said items were confiscated, found, recovered, stolen as a result of Assisting another Agency on 12-27-2019.

- 1- SAR Black Gun Case w/ Magazine and fifteen 9mm bullets (#36)
- 2- Cellphone 1- Apple Tablet 1- Dell Laptop SCID for Jaesean Redd (#4)
- 1- 9mm Taurus S/N TIN23031 (#35)
- 1- 9mm Ruger S/N 86067127 (#7)
- 1- 9mm Glock S/N BGVC457 (#40)
- 1- 9mm SAR9 S/N T110217BV05541 (#39)
- 1- 9mm Century Arms S/N 16AP20603 (#13)
- 1- 9mm Glock extended magazine with 31 rounds (#27)
- 1- Box of Blazer 9mm ammo with 34 rounds (#29)
- 1- White Lectrus Tablet with black and white cover (#38)
- 2- 9mm rounds (#15)
- 1- 9mm round (#41)
- 1- 9mm round (#43)
- 1- Promag Magazine with 12- 9mm rounds (#10)
- 1- Century Arms Magazine with 18 9mm rounds (#11)
- 1- White Lectrus Tablet with black "don't touch me" cover (#37)
- 1- IPHONE (#1)
- 1- Ruger Magazine w/ 17- 9mm rounds (#6)
- 1- Magazine from Glock S/N BGVC457 w/ 16- rounds (#40)

Signature: [Signature]

Date/Time: 12/27/2019 @ 2323

Witness: [Signature]

Date/Time: 12/27/19 @ 2323



P.J. Tanner
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- 1- 9mm Magazine w/ 16- rounds (#39)
- 1- 9mm Magazine w/ 6- rounds (#35)
- 1- 9mm Glock S/N NDF877 (#8 Outside SW)
- 1- 9mm Glock magazine w/ 7- rounds (from #8 Outside SW)



Signature: _____

Date/Time: 12/27/2019 @ 2323

Witness: _____

Date/Time: 12/27/19 @ 2323

BEAUFORT COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

NCIC # _____ VEHICLE IMPOUNDMENT AND INVENTORY RECORD

CASE # 195317809

Vehicle Information

Year 2001 Make Toyota Type Camry Color TRN Odometer Reading _____License # 3825NH State SC Year 2019 Vin # 4T1P6221K210067803Vin Checked with Registration Yes _____ No X Altered _____Vehicle Operator Kionna Ferguson Address [REDACTED] Mink Pt Phone # _____Registered Owner Kionna Ferguson Address [REDACTED] Mink Pt Phone # _____

Name of Arrested Party _____ Arrest Report # _____

Reported by R. Byrd Date 12-27-19 Time 2100Reason for Impoundment Search WarrantDUI _____ Stolen _____ Abandoned _____ Felonious Use X Attachment _____ Claim & Delivery _____Other than above Search WarrantExact location where vehicle picked up [REDACTED] Mink Pt. BlvdName of tow-in Service Felver Driver Greg FelverVehicle towed to County Impound Date _____ Time _____

Inventory and Condition of Vehicle when Towed-in _____

Doors and Trunk: Locked _____ Unlocked X Keys in Car _____ Keys in property room _____

Other _____

(Use condition symbol: 1- Excellent 2 - Good 3 - Fair 4 - Poor)

Condition		Condition	
Front End	<u>3</u>	LF 1/4	<u>3</u>
LF Door	<u> </u>	LR Door	<u> </u>
LR 1/4	<u> </u>	Rear End	<u> </u>
RF 1/4	<u> </u>	RF Door	<u> </u>
RR Door	<u> </u>	RR 1/4	<u> </u>
Hood	<u> </u>	Top	<u> </u>
Rear Lid	<u> </u>	Radio	<u> </u>
Tape Deck	<u> </u>	Tools	<u> </u>
Glass	<u> </u>		

Remarks Search Conducted Later at Impound

(Use Supplementary Report for any details not listed on this page)

Describe any personal property left in vehicle _____

Person Property: Removed by operator _____ In Property Room _____ Other _____

Report made by R. Byrd Date 12-30-19 Time 1322

The above vehicle has been released to me and I found it's condition to be as indicated above

SIGNED _____ Date _____ Time _____

1. WHITE - Sheriff's Office

2. YELLOW - Wrecker Driver

3. PINK - Auto Driver

HENRY D. MCMASTER
Governor



MARK A. KEEL
Chief

The following document is a summary of the crime scene investigation conducted by agents of the SLED Crime Scene Department as of the below listed date. Additional actions taken after the listed date shall be described in Supplemental Summaries. Please refer to the SLED Laboratory case record for complete case information

CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

January 24, 2020

Laboratory Number L20-00315
Reporting Agent Todd Schenk
Requesting Agency Bluffton Police Department

Introduction

On 1/8/2020, the Bluffton Police Department requested SLED Crime Scene assistance with a vehicle processing related to a homicide investigation in Bluffton, SC. S/A Todd Schenk, S/A Dalila Jazic, and S/A Harold Owens responded on 1/9/2020 and met with Bluffton Police Department Sergeant Ryan Fazekas.

SLED Crime Scene agents were provided the following information: The vehicle was already processed by Bluffton Police Department, and SLED Crime Scene agents were requested to additionally process the vehicle with flight path rods.

Scene Summary

The scene consisted of a silver in color 2012 Honda Accord located at [REDACTED] Progressive St., Bluffton, SC 29910. Refer to the Crime Scene Notes for further information.

During the crime scene investigation, photographs were taken by SLED Crime Scene agents. A copy of the photographs was hand delivered to Sergeant Fazekas on 1/9/2020. Additional copies are available upon request.

Evidence was submitted by SLED Crime Scene agents to the SLED Forensic Services Laboratory. Refer to the submission documentation for further information.



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Attachments

- *CS Notes
- *Submission Documentation

This report contains the conclusions, opinions and interpretations of the analyst whose signature appears below.

Technical records supporting the conclusions in this report are available upon request. Afford sufficient time for production.



Todd Schenk
Forensic Scientist



Crime Scene Attachments



SLED CRIME SCENE DEPARTMENT

CRIME SCENE NOTES

Lab No: L20-00315

Examiner: S/A Todd Schenk

On 1/8/20, S/A Schenk was advised by Captain Samuel Reighley of the SLED Crime Scene (CS) unit of a vehicle processing request from the Bluffton Police Department (BPD). S/A Schenk made contact with Kelly McConley of the BPD, who provided the following information: the vehicle in question had previously been processed by BPD. CS agents were requested to additionally document the vehicle with flight path rods. S/A Schenk, S/A Dalila Jazic, and S/A Harold Owens responded to the scene on 1/9/20.

Address: [REDACTED] Progressive St., Bluffton, SC 29910

Victim: Trey Blackshear

BPD Case Number: 19BP62723

BPD personnel on scene: Sergeant Ryan Fazekas (Lead)

CS agents arrived on scene at approximately 0931 hours with clear conditions and an approximate temperature of 51°F. CS agents met with Sgt. Fazekas who provided the following additional information: the victim had been shot in the vehicle. He advised CS agents that he had already processed the vehicle and used flight path rods. CS agents were requested to document the vehicle with flight path rods and collect measurements. BPD provided a search warrant for the vehicle.

S/A Owens documented the vehicle with photographs, while S/A Schenk documented the vehicle with notes and FARO scans.

The vehicle was a silver in color Honda Accord with SC license plate "KXK924" and VIN: 1HGCP2F63CA017956. CS agents observed multiple defects located in the vehicle. Most of the defects were already scaled with BPD scale tape. CS agents used the same marker numbers and scale tape that BPD had previously used to document defects where applicable. CS agents placed flight path rods in the defects where applicable and collected measurements of the elevation and azimuth angles with a protractor and an angle finder. All measurements are approximate.

- Defect 13: located in the interior driver door
 - The defect had a 45° angle from left to right
 - The defect had a 72° angle from up to down
 - The projectile appeared to travel towards the front of the vehicle.
- Defect 17: located in the passenger side dashboard
 - The defect had a 83° angle from the right to left
 - The defect had a 75° angle from up to down
 - The projectile appeared to travel towards the front of the vehicle.

Issuing Authority: Quality Manager

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**SLED CRIME SCENE DEPARTMENT****CRIME SCENE NOTES**

- Defect 18: located in the front passenger seat back
 - The defect had a 77° angle from left to right
 - The defect had a 63° angle from up to down
 - The projectile appeared to travel towards the back of the vehicle.
 - Defect 15 was located on the back of the front passenger seat, and Defect 21 was located on the back seat armrest. It appeared that the projectile perforated the front passenger seat (Defect 18 through Defect 15) and then perforate the back seat (Defect 21 and unscaled defect in back of seat)
- Defect 19: located in the armrest of the front passenger door
 - The defect had a 20° angle from right to left
 - The defect had a 59° angle from up to down
 - The projectile appeared to travel towards the front of the vehicle.
- Defect 20: located in the center armrest of the backseat
 - The defect had a 74° angle from left to right
 - The defect had a 78° angle from up to down
 - The projectile appeared to travel towards the back of the vehicle.

There were other defects in the vehicle that CS agents could not place flight path rods through. The defects that CS agents could not place flight path rods through were not measured.

CS agents located a fired projectile fragment in the glovebox area of the vehicle. The owner of the vehicle claimed that there was a GPS device she had placed on the vehicle. CS agents located a pelican case under the rear bumper of the vehicle. The pelican case had a suspected GPS tracker and other miscellaneous items in it. The fired projectile fragment and the pelican case were collected by BPD.

Crime Scene Review:

All actions taken and items collected were discussed with Sgt. Fazekas. The vehicle was released to the BPD. CS agents cleared the vehicle at approximately 1300 hours.

Issuing Authority: Quality Manager

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**SLED LABORATORY
FORENSIC SERVICES REQUEST**

SLED LAB No. L20-00315
Submission: 2 1/15/2020 10:04:08AM

Name of Investigating officer: <u>Ryan Fazekas</u>	Agency ID: <u>SC0070200</u>
Agency: <u>Bluffton Police Department</u> Phone No: <u>843-706-4550</u>	Agency Case No: <u>19BP62723</u>
Fax No: _____ Email: <u>rfazekas@townofbluffton.com</u>	Offense: <u>HOMICIDE</u>
Mailing Address: <u>P.O. Box 386</u>	County: <u>Beaufort</u>
City / State / Zip: <u>Bluffton, SC 29910-0386</u>	Offense Date: <u>12/23/2019</u>
CC: _____	Officer Involved Shooting ☐ Yes
	Rush: ☐ Yes

Is this evidence related to another lab number?
☐ Yes ☒ No
If yes, Lab Number: _____

SLED ITEM No LAB ONLY	Agency Item No.	Description of Evidence	Analysis Requested
14		Digital Media - Digital images of crime scene	CS - SLED Crime Scene
15		Digital Media - FARO scan data of crime scene	ADP - Advanced Digital Photography - Faro

Suspect(s)	Sex	Race	DOB	SSN
Xavier Da'Quan Barnes	M	B	██████	
Terrence Wing	M	B	██████	
Kionna Michele Ferguson	F	B	██████	

Victim(s) Deceased	Sex	Race	DOB	SSN
Trey Jaden Blackshear	M	B	██████	

Comments

All sealed evidence packages accepted by the laboratory are assumed to contain what they are "said to contain" by the submitter. The laboratory does not conduct a detailed inventory of evidence package contents during the evidence intake process.

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**SLED LABORATORY
FORENSIC SERVICES REQUEST**

SLED LAB No. L20-00315
Submission: 2 1/15/2020 10:04:08AM

Submitted By :

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Todd Schenk

Received By :

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Todd Schenk
Forensic Scientist

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STATE

TERRANCE WING

INDICTMENT/CASE#: 2020GS0702234

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

COUNTY OF BEAUFORT

STATE

VS.

INDICTMENT/CASE#: 2020GS0702234

TERRANCE WING

A/W#: 2020A0720200199

AKA: TJ

Date of Offense: 12/23/2019

Race: Black Sex: Male Age: 20

S.C. Code §: 16-3-10

DOB: [REDACTED] SS#: [REDACTED]

CDR Code #: 0116

Address: [REDACTED] Saxonville Road, Saint Helena Island, SC

29920

City, State, Zip:

DL#:

SID#:

SENTENCE SHEET

*CDL Yes ☐ No ☐ CMV Yes ☐ No ☐ Hazmat Yes ☐ No ☐In disposition of the above indictment comes now the Defendant who was ☒ CONVICTED OF or ☐ PLEADSTO: MurderIn violation of § 16-3-10 of the S.C. Code of Laws, bearing CDR Code # 0116☐ NON-VIOLENT ☒ VIOLENT ☐ SERIOUS ☒ MOST SERIOUS ☐ Mandatory GPS ☐ § 17-25-45(CSC w/minor 1st or CSC w/minor 3rd)The charge is: ☒ As indicted, ☐ Lesser Included Offense, ☐ Defendant Waives Presentment to Grand Jury. (def.'s initials)The plea is: ☐ Without Negotiations or Recommendation, ☐ Negotiated Sentence, ☐ Recommendation by the State.

ATTEST:

Traci Campbell 15149

Solicitor

SC Bar #

Defendant

[Signature]

Attorney for Defendant

12930

SC Bar #

WHEREFORE, the Defendant is committed to the ☒ State Department of Correction ☐ County Detention Center,for a determinate term of 35 days/months/years Time Served ☐ Youthful Offender Act not to exceed yearsand/or to pay a fine of \$; provided that upon the service of days/months/years/Time Served and or paymentof \$; plus costs and assessments as applicable*; the balance is suspended with probation for

months/years and subject to South Carolina Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services standard conditions of probation, which are incorporated by reference.

The sentence shall run

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INDICTMENT/CASE#: 2020GS0702234

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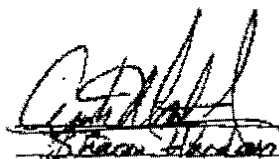
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TOTAL

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Presiding Judge:

Judge Code:

Sentence Date:

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IN THE COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS

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STATE

VS.

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TERRANCE WING

A/W#: DIRECT INDICTMENT

AKA: TJ

Date of Offense: 12/23/2019

Race: Black

Sex: Male

Age: 20

S.C. Code §: 16-23-490

DOB: [REDACTED]

SS#: [REDACTED]

CDR Code #: 0549

Address: [REDACTED] Saxonville Road, Saint Helena Island, SC
29920

City, State, Zip:

DL#

SID#

SENTENCE SHEET

*CDL Yes ☐ No ☐ CMV Yes ☐ No ☐ Hazmat Yes ☐ No ☐In disposition of the above indictment comes now the Defendant who was ☒ CONVICTED OF or ☐ PLEADS

TO: Possession of a Weapon During Commission of a Violent Crime

In violation of § 16-23-490 of the S.C. Code of Laws, bearing CDR Code # 0549☒ NON-VIOLENT ☐ VIOLENT ☐ SERIOUS ☐ MOST SERIOUS ☐ Mandatory GPS ☐ § 17-25-45(CSC w/minor 1st or CSC w/minor 3rd)The charge is: ☒ As indicted, ☐ Lesser Included Offense, ☐ Defendant Waives Presentment to Grand Jury. (def.'s initials)The plea is: ☐ Without Negotiations or Recommendation, ☐ Negotiated Sentence, ☐ Recommendation by the State.

ATTEST:

Traci Campbell 15149

Solicitor

SC Bar #

Defendant

Attorney for Defendant

SC Bar # 12930

WHEREFORE, the Defendant is committed to the ☒ State Department of Correction ☐ County Detention Center,for a determinate term of 5 days/months/years/Time Served ☐ Youthful Offender Act not to exceed yearsand/or to pay a fine of \$; provided that upon the service of days/months/years/Time Served and or paymentof \$; plus costs and assessments as applicable*; the balance is suspended with probation for

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CERTIFICATE OF COUNSEL FOR APPELLANT

Counsel for appellant certifies that this Record on Appeal contains all material proposed to be included by any of the parties and not any other material and that this Record on Appeal complies to the best of my ability with the April 15, 2014 order from the South Carolina Supreme Court entitled "Revised Order Concerning Personal Identifying Information and Other Sensitive Information in Appellate Court Filings."

Respectfully Submitted,

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This 14th day of January, 2026.