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LE TITLE 61 Quickie Hwy 61 Many Townsend (Victim) Shot in abdomen, leg.	VICTIM Many Townsend	COMPLAINT # 88 010565
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REPORT RE: Subject robbed with handgun, shot in abdomen and leg, left side area.

At approx. 22:28 Hrs. this police department received an alarm dealing with the 61 Quickie Store located on Hwy 61 across from Kossman's. Officer Keeton, the first to arrive on the scene, arrival time, 22:29 Hrs. discovered a W/F, later IDed to be the cashier, Many Townsend, lying on the floor behind the cash register, in a pool of blood. Williams Ambulance Service was called to the scene and immediately took the victim to the Bolivar County Hospital. The scene was protected until investigators arrived. Officer Serio worked the crime scene with the assistance of Butch Prescott S06 of the B.C.S.O. and Charles Anderson S17 who assisted in keeping people away from the inside of the store. Auxiliary Units were also called out to assist in containing the area in case the subject or subjects were still in the area.

This officer and Officer White then went to the emergency room to see if we could get any information in reference to a description of the subject(s) involved. We were told by S017 Townsend that she told him that the subjects were young black/males; one light skinned one dark skinned, standing approx. 5'4" to 5'6", weight unknown. One wearing a gray colored shirt the other one wearing a blue shirt, the one in the gray shirt also had on a baseball type cap, he was the one that pulled the trigger. This officer did not get a chance to talk with the victim before she entered surgery. The female doctor in the emergency room told this officer not to talk to the victim and that she was being rushed to surgery and at this time wouldn't be talking correctly, due to the medicine they were giving her to prep her for surgery. Townsend also stated that they apparently left out the south door.

It is unclear at this time as to what caused the subject to shoot the victim. Officer Serio did find a spent piece of lead behind the counter, apparently a 38 round, smashed flat, lying in an area that would have put the subject behind the counter at the time of the shooting. It is believed that the subject(s) took in the neighborhood of \$185.00 in bills.

This officer and Officer White compiled several pictures of suspects, we feel would be capable of doing this. See list:
1.) Micheal McCoy, 2.) John Henry Dotson, 3.) Tyrone Lewis, 4.) John Henry Norman,
5.) Gary Dumas, 6.) John Jackson, 7.) Douglas Brown, 8.) Larry Donnel Thompson,
9.) Keith Thompson, (Continued) WTQ

SIGNATURE (Agent) William T. Quinton	DATE 07 17 88
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Need pictures of Jimmy Bass, Marcus Thomas, and Micheal Matthews. Also had pictures of extras John Skipper, Leroy Binge, Antonio Shelton, James Thompson, John Williams, George Matthews, Manuel Smith,

A Jacque, Manager of Domino's Pizza stated that he saw a Brown small car leave the area at a high rate of speed, the subjects that were in this car are: Gary Forrest, Adrian Smith, and Carl Williams, this officer and Officer White are going to talk with these subjects in the morning, but feel that they were not the ones in the robbery, but may have seen something.

We talked with these subjects this date, but will get detailed statements in the morning. Adria mother stated that she had sent them to the store, but that they didn't come back with any purchases.

This writer did a sketchy original report, because of this information being of value and this officer not wanting it in the paper for the defendants to see and be able to hide evidence etc.

This report will be continued at a later date. W.T.Q C7

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FILE TITLE

61 Quickie Arm Rob
Mary Townsend (Victim)

VICTIM

COMPLAINT #

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REFERENCE: Line-Up (Picture Identification) ①

At approx. 11:00 AM, on Monday, July 18, 1988, this officer took several color pictures to the Bolivan County Hospital, C.I.C.U. unit and asked Dr. Wright if I could speak with Mary Townsend. He stated that I could. I went into the room, in the presence of Timmy Townsend, B.C.S.O. 17. She looked through a few pictures, colored photos and stated that she didn't see the party on panties involved in the robbery in these pictures, see list of names in line-up:

- 1.) John Williams
- 2.) John Henry Honnan
- 3.) Gary Dumas
- 4.) Michael McCoy
- 5.) Leroy Binge
- 6.) George Matthews
- 7.) Tyrone Lewis
- 8.) John Henry Dorstny
- 9.) Douglas Brown
- 2.) John Jackson
- 1.) James Thompson
- 2.) Antonio Shelton
- 3.) Manuel Smith
- 4.) John Skipper

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t approx. 2:00 PM this date, this officer again went to the Bolivan County Hospital and talked with the victim, again asking her to look through some pictures to see if she could identify the parties involved in the robbery. All of the above pictures were left in the line-up and the following pictures of persons were added to the line-up:

- 5.) Kevin Northington
- 5.) Anthony Keaton
- 7.) Walter Green
- 8.) Jerry Henry
- 7.) Marcus Thomas #11 - *Ember*
- 7.) Larry Donnell Thompson
- 1.) Steve Ratliff

the victim, Mary Townsend then picked out picture number 19, Marcus Thomas as being the person, he felt was the one that shot her, she stated that she could better identify the subject if he saw him in person, but that she was almost sure that this was the person that actually shot her. She then picked out picture number 20, Larry Thompson as being the subject that had the baseball cap on and had ordered the hotdog, that she was fixing during the time of the robbery. She again stated she would feel better if she could pick him out of a live line-up, that she was pretty sure that he was the one by the photo. She stated that she didn't feel that he would be able to pick the third person involved in the robbery out, because she didn't pay that much attention to him and that he stayed near the door, possibly as the look-out.

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I then had her look through some black and white photos do identify these parties again and possibly identify the other party, one we suspected as having been involved also, because of his hanging around with these other subjects:

- 1.) 08544 Jimmy Bass
- 2.) 09500 John Henry Dotson
- 3.) 10313 Keith Thompson
- 4.) 10361 Gary Dumas
- 5.) 10469 Marcus Thomas - DA's HAS
- 6.) 10484 Larry Thompson *
- 7.) 10725 Micheal McCoy

She again picked the pictures of Marcus Thomas as the shooter, and wrote her initials on the back of that picture, with myself placing the time and date of identification on each. She then again picked out Larry Thompson as being the person in the baseball cap and again placed her initials on this picture. She stated that these were the two that she had picked out in the color photos, and was correct.

I then asked her what caused the person to shoot her and she stated that when he came behind the bar, she was going to just get near the button, alarm button, that had just been placed in the store on Saturday, July 16, 1988, and the subject with the gun told her to back off. She then stated that he told her to get the money, but before she had time to, he went to the register, behind the counter and got the money himself, he then turned and shot her twice and told the other ones, let's get out of here. She stated that she then pushed the button when they left after falling to the floor. She stated that she made no sudden move to make him shoot her and didn't threaten to call the police on anything else. She stated that these subjects had been in and out of the store for the week before and that they had been in the store shortly before pulling the armed robbery. She stated that she would recognize them in person and that the shooter subject stood approx. 5'5" slender and had on a gray colored shirt. She described the weapon as being gray, she thought at first it was a joke because the gun didn't look real. She stated that the other one was wearing a blue shirt and had on a baseball type cap and that he stood approx. 5'7" to 5'8" and was also slender build.

I then advised her I would get back with her later when she felt better and would get a detailed statement from her and would get a live line-up set up later for her.

July 22, 1988

Went to room 365 at the B.C.H. this date and showed Mary Townsend a VCR picture line-up consisting of the following persons. 1.) Micheal McCoy, 2.) Marcus Haywood, 3.) James Haywood, 4.) John Jackson, 5.) Marcus Thomas, 6.) Douglas Brown, 7.) Larry Thompson, 8.) Jimmy Bass, 9.) Anthony Keaton, 10.) Timmy Townsend

This line-up was shown at approx. 1:30 PM in the presence of Ollie White, Timmy Townsend and this officer, Quinton, she stated that she was almost positive that the subject in picture number #5 was the subject that shot her, but she would be absolutely positive if she could see him in person. This will be arranged at a later date, she also stated that Larry Thompson a complexion appeared to dark, but the number two person looked like him. WTQ

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61 Quicke Ann Rob.

VICTIM

Mary Townsend

COMPLAINT #

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DEFENDANT

Richard Thomas

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On this date, this officer and officers Senio and White compiled 6 persons for a physical line-up for the victim of the 071788 armed robbery to see if the party that actually shot her was in fact placed in the line-up. The following persons were placed in the line-up: #4 John Jackson, #5 Marcus Thomas, #7 Larry Thompson, #8 Nathan Tolder, #9 Jimmy Bass, #11 Derrick Thomas. These names were the same ones used in the line-up conducted on 6/17/68. The line-up was held on 6/21/68 at approximately 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, July 21.

A VCR line-up was gathered at the Bolivar County Sheriff's Office on Thursday, July 21, 1988 at approx. 4:30 PM, in the presence of defense attorney, Boyd Atkinson. This line-up was filmed at this time and the persons filmed are listed on page 4 of this report.

We couldn't find some of the persons that were filmed on this date for the line-up this morning and Raymond Wong, who stood in to witness this line-up this date at approx. 10:45 AM this date, Tuesday, August 2, 1988, stated that he couldn't wait any longer for us to get the remaining persons involved in the VCR line-up because he had to go to a Preliminary hearing at Justice Court at 11:00 Am this date. The line-up was conducted at the Cleveland Police department, placing the victim, Mary Townsend inside a holding cell in the hallway area and lining the subjects up against the wall opposite the one way glass in the holding cell door. All were lined up with the numbers placed at their chest area, no questions were asked of any of them, they were told to look at the door, turn to their left, turn and face the rear, turn to the left again, and then face the door again. This took approx. 4 minutes and then they were all dispersed away from the area, some having been taken back to jail and some released and taken home.

This officer along with Officers White, and Serio then asked her if the person that robbed her with a gun was in the line-up and she stated that she was absolutely positive at this time having seen them in person that Markus Thomas, #5 was the party that actually had the gun on her and shot her after having obtained the money, \$185.00 from her at the 61 Quickie Store on July 17, 1988, Sunday night. I then obtained a taped statement from her in reference to the line-up and had her clarify that no name has been mentioned to her, her not knowing #5's name until the end of the taped statement. She was then advised she could go home and we would contact her later. She told us who the party was in the presence of Raymond Wong. At this time, he stated is that the end of the line-up, I informed him that it was and then he stated that he had to leave.

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This officer then attempted to get a statement from Markus Thomas in the presence of
Miranda Warnings, signing a waiver to this affect and then advised me that he had been
with Jimmy Bass during the time of the robbery at his residence, Jimmy Bass's residence
and that Jimmy's family being there to verify it.

I talked with several of the members of Jimmy Bass's family, including Jimmy Bass and they all stated that they didn't see Markus Thomas the night of the armed robbery, see typed statements of subjects. I feel that the victim can recognize and identify the defendant and is positive to the line-up as to who shot her, this officer also feels it would be difficult to identify the other parties involved. WTC.

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