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On 2-23-73, at approximately 2000 hours, Detective K. Walker and I received a signal 50-48 to 431 Lanier Street, N.W. We received the call at 2005 hours and arrived at 2017 hours. Upon arrival, we observed two black males laying on the ground. Both subjects were apparently dead on the scene.

The #1 subject was observed to be a light-skinned black male who was lying on his back with both arms outstretched above his head and his left foot was crossed over his right foot. The subject's head was pointing toward the northeast and his feet were pointing toward the southeast. The subject's legs were stretched out into an area immediately east of where the pavement ended and from the waist up he was alying on the asphalt. This subject was observed to be wearing a red, blue, and yellow vertically striped shirt. He was also wearing gray pants, a black coat which was apparently stretched to mid-thigh, brown work shoes, and a wristwatch on his left arm. The subject's coat was alying approximately six inches to the right of the subject at a point near his head. The subject at a point near his head to the subject at a point near his waist.

The #2 subject was lying approximately nine feet east of Lanier Street in the driveway of 431 Lanier Street. Victim #2 was also observed to be lying 13 feet 10 inches southeast of Victim #1. Subject #2 was lying on his back with both hands pointing towards his feet, with his arms by his side. Subject #2 was lying so that his head was facing to the east and his feet were facing toward the west. Subject #2 was wearing blue Levi

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pants, a blue Levi jacket, a blue pullover shirt, and brown work shoes. Subject #2
was also wearing a shoulder holster which was located under the Levi jacket and a
.357 magnum pistol, which was recorded in photographs taken by Atlanta Identification
Officer B.D. Scoggins, was recovered laying near the subject by Det. K. Walker. Subject
#1 was also observed to be lying ten feet, three inches north from the left front fender
of City Car #031, which was the patrol car being driven by Officer B. W. Davis. Subject
#2 was lying 13 feet east of the right front fender of Officer Davis' patrol car.

We also observed three vehicles parked in the immediate area. One was a 1960 green Ford stationwagon bearing Ga. License LCB812. This car was parked approximately 5ft. north of where subject #1 was lying in the street. We also observed a white Chevolet believed to be a 1962 bearing Ga. License EBS311. This car was parked approximately fifteen feet east of subject #1, and parked in an area immediately adjacent to the driveway of 431 Lanier St. We also observed a 1964 blue Ford Galaxie bearing License EW239. This car was parked in the driveway of 431 Lanier Street, N.W., and was approximately six feet north of subject #2. We observed a bullet hole in the right rear fender of the white Chevolet bearing Ga. License FBS311 and we received one lead slug from the trunk of this Chevolet. Det. Walker and I recovered one shell casing from beside the left rear wheel of the green Ford stationwagon bearing license plate LCB812. We also recovered one shell casing which was found at the rear of the stationwagon, and approximatione foot north of subject #1. Det K. Walker also recovered a shell from this same

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area. Atlanta Identification Officer B.D. Scoggins took several photographs of the scene and also assisted Det. G.L. Sellers in the taking of measurements at the scene.

Det. Walker recovered a set of handcuffs from the coat of subject #1, a Cross ink pen, and 31 cents in change. From subject #2, Det. Walker also recovered 17 live .357 magnum rounds, a cigarette, a match, a set of keys, and twelve dollars in cash.

Det. K. Walker and I also recovered a .357 magnum with the brand name Astra and bearing serial number 150877 from the subject #2. We found a Plainfield .36 caliber M-l carbine with no serial number visible from the roadway immediatley in front of Officer B.W. Davis' patrol car. We also recovered two clips which contained ammunition for the .30 caliber M-l carbine.

We received one lead slug from Det. C.E. Landrum who stated that it had fallen out of subject#1 cap while he was at Grady Hospital to be pronounced dead.

The two subjects were removed from the scene by Hines Funeral Home and they were taken to Grady Hospital to be pronounced dead and they were then removed to the Fulton Co.

Morgue where Dr. Stivers will perform an autospy.

Patrolman B.W. Davis, car 12, stated that he had observed two subjects at Lanier St., N.W. and Carlile St., N.W. and that one of the subjects appeared to be a white man and that the subject was siting under a tree in front of some apartments at 388 Lanier

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St., N.W. Officer Davis stated that he had turned around and gone back to this area and at this time he had been unable to locate the light-skinned subject. He then stated that another black male wlaked up to the patrol car and, following a short conversation Officer Davis stated that he then observed the light-skinned subject walking north on Lanier St. Officer Davis stated that he stopped the subject in front of 431 Lanier St., and that he then got out of his patrol car to check the subject's identification. Officer Davis stated that during the course of his conversation, another black male appeared on the scene and that this subject had been dressed in Levi clothing. Officer Davis also stated that the light-skinned subject attempted to produce am M-1 carbine from under a long black coat and that at this time Officer Davis stated that he grabbed the barrel of the rifle and that he heard the rifle discharge at this time. He also stated that he then pulled his service revolver and shot the subject three times. Officer Davis then stated that the black male that was dressed in Levi clothing pulled a pistol and at this point, Officer Davis shot the second subject. (See statement of Officer Bavis)

Lt. G.L. Gamble of the Atlanta Police Department stated that he had monitored a signal 63-50 and 4 to 422 "anier Street." e stated that upon arrival he had observed a patrolman's hat lying between the #1 victim's head and the bumper of an abandoned automobile. Lt. Gamble also stated that he located Officer Davis and that he had then cancelled the signal 63. He also stated t at he observed a second black male lying

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in an east-west direction on his back with what appeared to be a .38 caliber pistol on the north side of the body. (See statement of Lt. G.L. Gamble)

Sgt. H.P. Goldhagin of the Atlanta Police Dept. Stakeout Squad stated that at approximately 8:00 p.m. he had received a signal 63-54 at Simpson and Lanier St., N.W. and that while in route, radio had advised him that the location was 422 Lanier St., N.W. Sgt. Goldhagin also stated that he and Lt. Gamble were the first officers to arrive on the scene. He also stated that he had observed an unoccupied uniform patrol car parked at the curb and two black males lying on the ground apparently suffering from GSW. He also stated that at this time, Officer Davis ran up to him, carrying a carbine with a sawed-off stock and that Officer Da is had stated that he was all right. (See statment of Officer H.B. Goldhagin)

Det. Wlaker checked the pistol which was used by Officer B.W. Davis and it was a .38 caliber bearing serial number G331443 and APD number 2107. This weapon is a Smitha and Wesson. Det. Walker recovered six spent shells from the chamber of this weapon.

Mrs. Sarah Smith, who is employed by Grady Hospital as a head nurse, stated that she had been contacted and was told that her nephew, Owen Winfield, had been shot and killed She then stated that she went to the Fulton County Morgue and identified one of the two subjects who had been killed by Officer Davis as her nephew Owen Winfield. Mrs. Smith also stated that she had viewed the second body which was that of a light-skinned black

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and she stated that the man looked like John Boyd, who was Owen Winfield's brother. John Boyd is currently being saught by the Detriot Police Dept. for the murder of a Detroit policeman. Lt. Neikirk is now having the finger prints of the unidentified black male checked through the FBI and the Detroit Police Dept to determine if this subject is John Boyd. (See statement of Mrs. Sarah Smith)

All of the shell casing and the two slugs which we recovered will be sent to the State Crime Lab for processing.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUES.

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