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Detective Ben Adams Notes:

10/28/22 I Detective Ben Adams received a call from the Catahoula Parish Sheriff's Office dispatcher in reference to a fatal stabbing at the Catahoula Correctional Facility. I advised dispatch I would be en-route to the facility. I then received a call from Chief Detective Eldred "Bubba" Roy stating that he and Det. Gary Vines would be responding to the prison as well.

Upon my arrival, I entered through the main entrance door accompanied by Lt. Prince who escorted me and Det. Vines through the facility to the J-Dorm area.

Asst. Warden Eric Stott, Captain Patti Stott, Major Dennis Wascom, Lt. Trevor Mitchell, and a female Northeast La. Ambulance Service employee (EMT). was standing near a body on the ground, as I walked up to them I asked the NELA employee if they had ran an ECG strip on the victim? She replied that they did run a strip, and had given it to the Coroner Mr. Raymond. Mr. Rouse was inside the control tower along with his assistant coroner, Mrs. Jackie Rouse gathering information about the victim.

The body laying on the ground at the end of the sidewalk was later identified as Maintrell Rodgers. He was at the end of the sidewalk, near the exit door of J- Dorm. The victim was laying on his back on a white-tee shirt, wearing long leg white thermal pants, multicolored shorts, and another pair of blueish colored shorts, with leather POLO boots. See photographs.

I asked Asst. Warden Stott if this was the original crime scene? He (Stott) stated no it was a fight inside the dorm. I informed Asst Warden Stott that we would need to photograph that area as well. Due to security reasons we left everyone inside the dorm temporarily.

Asst. Warden Stott provided me with a copy of a booking sheet with the inmate offenders information on it as follows: Name: Maintrell Rodgers
Address: 616 N .Sixth Street
West.Monroe, La. 71202 Phone: 318-559-0066 DOB: 01/20/1990 Age: 32 Height: 5'09"
Race: B Sex: M Weight: 176 Eyes: Bro Hair: Blk Ethnicity: N.Appearance: Scars/Marks/
Tattoos:
Complexion: La. ID: 2511383.

Chief Detective Roy arrived on scene and began to search the victims clothing. The following is a list of items located on or inside the clothing:
Item V-22- Small shank removed from clothing.
Item V-24 Personal items removed from clothing, charging cable, ear-pods.
Item V-25. JLAB ear buds.
Item V-26 Naviforce watch with 1/2 band missing.
Item V-27 Ear bud case.
Item V-28 Blunt inside ear bud case.

Det. Roy, Vines, & Adams, Asst. Warden Stott, Major Wascom, Chief of Security Benny Ramsey, Lt. Corey Whittington, C/O Freddie Lilly & C/O Zachary Busscher went inside the

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dorm area and discovered that it had been mopped and cleaned prior to our arrival. We then began to check inmate offenders for wounds. After we identified several inmate offenders from the video surveillance footage, they were removed from the dorm and then a shake down was conducted inside the dorm area.

The following is a list E-01/11 that was collected and placed into evidence:

Item E-01 Small shank on victim.

Item E-02 Concrete in sock located inside dorm area.

Item E-03 Concrete in plastic bag inside dorm area.

Item E-04 Combination lock inside bag inside dorm area.

Item E-05 Metal Shank. Identified by eye witness.

Item E-06 Broken broom handle 1'x14" in length. Inside dorm area.

Item E-07 Personal effects on body of victim.

Item E-08 Photo of Evidence collected.

Item E-09 Metal Shank from Major Wascom on 11/09/22.

Item E-10 From Autopsy.

Item E-11 DVD-R with autopsy photographs.

Interviews:

10/28/2022 Lance Larry Jones DOB 12/24/1993 from Jefferson Parish. I/O Jones states he came in at same time the victim later identified as Maintrell Rodgers did from Madison parish and did not know any of the inmate offenders that were fighting.

10/31/2022 Jeffery S. Trader DOB 08/18/1981 350 Elmwood Cir. Shreveport, La. Ph. 318-617-1183 Witnessed the fight. He states that the victim had a shank identified as Made a positive identification on Inmate offender Javonte J. Lejeune 1326 First Ave. Lake Charles, La. 71601 DOB: 09/12/1999 Ph. 337-532-8946 striking victim in head area with combination lock in a bag several times. He stated during the interview he did not understand how the victim was still standing after that many blows to the head.

Positive identifications made by staff members from video surveillance and eye witness:

Major Dennis Wascom identified the following inmate offenders -

Sirdarrean L. Fox throwing first punch in fight.

Jacquese Colton stabbing the victim.

Jeffery L. Marks striking victim with broom handle.

Javonte J. Jeleune striking victim in head with combination lock multiple times. Eye witnessed by I/O Jeffery Trader who states he is willing to testify seeing this.

Daniel Ford striking victim.

Reports from CCC include the following:

10/28/2022 MCC/SCC Booking sheet. pg. 2 received from Warden Stott on scene.

10/31/2022 Madison Correctional Center Disciplinary Report. Received pg. 1-9 via FAX.

10/31/2022 East Carroll Sheriff's Department Arrest Report. Received pg. 10-15 via FAX.

11/04/2022 Unusual Occurrence Report from - C/O Zachary Busscher.

11/04/2022 Unusual Occurrence Report from C/O Brooks.

11/07/2022 Unusual Occurrence Report from Captain Jeremy Wiley.

11/07/2022 Unusual Occurrence Report from Lt. Corey Whittington.

On Duty the Night of the murder:

Transportation Mark Cagle & Sgt. Vernon James

Control Room 4/J Dorm Mya Brooks

Control Room 4/J Dorm Shnonna Atkins

Correctional Officer Jackery Busscher

Correctional Officer Christopher Calhoun

Sgt. Freddie Lilly

Lt. Corey Whittington

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Reports provided by these individual.

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11/09/2022 Major Dennis Wascom came to CPSO to assist with identification of individuals involved in the fight. Major Wascom made positive identification on (5) individual involved in the fight from October 28, 2022 inside J - Dorm at Catahoula Correctional Center Harrisonburg, La. 71340. Major Wascom stated that none of the other individuals were willing to do an interview.

11/10/2022 Warrants for Second Degree Murder were signed by 7th Judicial Judge Kathy Johnson in chambers for the following individuals: Sirdarrean L. Fox, Jaquesè Colton, Jeffery L. Marks, Javonte J. Lejuene, Daniel Ford, and Joseph L. Kirklin Jr. for Second Degree Murder of Maintrell Rodgers.

11/22/22 Met with Major Wascom and stated that I still need a copy of report from C/O Lilly and Calhoun.

11/22/22 Advised Chief Roy and T.F. 02 I needed a report from them on the incident.

See Video Surveillance footage of fight from CCC.

See photographs taken on scene by Det. Adams.

See autopsy photographs.

Detective Ben Adams

November 22, 2022

CATAHOULA CORRECTIONAL CENTER

UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE REPORT

NAME: MAINTREL RODGERS	NUMBER:	DORM/CELL J-DORM	DATE OF INCIDENT 10/28/2022	TIME: 17:30
LOCATION OF INCIDENT: J - DORM	WITNESSES: CPT. WILEY			

TYPE OF INCIDENT CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX (ES)

ASSAULT ON STAFF	MAJOR DISTURBANCE	ROOF SHAKEDOWN	PROTECTION REQUESTED	MAINTENANCE
AGG. SEX OFFENSE	SEX OFFENSE	SHIFT SHAKEDOWN	VIOLENT DEATH	REPAIR REQUEST
X AGGRAVATED FIGHT	USE OF FORCE	FRONT GATE SHAKEDOWN	DEATH DUE TO ILLNESS	FENCE CHECK
FIGHT	MINOR DISTURBANCE	MATTRESS SHAKEDOWN	MENTAL HEALTH	WEEKLY INSPECTION
ESCAPE	SEARCH OF INMATE	GROUNDS SHAKEDOWN	MEDICAL	MONTHLY INSPECTION
CONTRABAND	OTHER:			
CHEMICAL AGENTS USED		MECHANICAL RESTRAINTS USED		

ON THE ABOVE DATE AND APPROXIMATE TIME, I LT WHITTINGTON CAME ONTO SHIFT AS WE WERE RECEVING SIX NEW INTAKE. I LT WHITTINGTON THEN PULLED THE SIX NEW INTAKE TO THE A-B HALL TO WRITE THEIR NAMES DOWN TO NOTIFY THE CONTROL ROOMS THE MOVEMENT OF THE SIX NEW INTAKE TO J-DORM. AT APPROXIMANTLY 17:54 I LT. WHITTINGTON AND CAPTIAN WILEY WALKED THE SIX OFFENDERS INCLUDING MAINTRELL RODGERS TO J-DORM AND PLACED THEM IN THE DORM. I LT. WHITTINGTON THEN WALKED INTO CONTROL 4 TO PROVIDE THE NAME OF THE OFFENDERS THAT ENTERED J-DORM. I LT. WHITTINGTON THEN REPORTED BACK TO THE A-B HALLWAY. AT AROUND 18:11 A CODE 3 MEDICAL WAS CALLED OVER THE RADIO IN J-DORM AND I LT. WHITTINGTON INSTANTLY REPORTED BACK TO J-DORM TO OBSERVE THE SITUATION. I THEN NOTICED OFFENDER MAINTRELL RODGERS BLEEDING FROM THE BACK, NOSE AND MOUTH. AT APPROXIMATELY 18:14 NORTHEAST AMBULANCE SERVICES WAS CONTACTED DUE TO THE EXTENT OF OFFENDER MAINTRELL RODGERS WOUNDS. AT 18:32 NORTHEAST AMBULANCE SERVICE ARRIVED AT FACILITY TO FURTHER ASSIST WITH THE INJURIES OF OFFENDER MAINTRELL RODGERS. AFTER NORTHEAST AMBULANCE SERVICES WORKED ON OFFENDER MAINTRELL RODGERS IT IS NOW APPROXIMATELY 18:48 AND OFFENDER MAINTRELL RODGERS WAS PRONOUNCED DECEASED

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REPORTING OFFICER

11-1-2022 2300
DATE AND TIME COMPLETED