Weld heard no conversation between Harris and Klebold. She only heard Harris cursing at his weapon. She stated that she initially thought that the students were doing a videotaping for the RNN. She stated that prior videos had been shown on the RNN Network that involved students around the school hallways shooting weapons.

Weld retraced her steps back into the main area of the library behind the librarian’s desk. She walked over to the east end of the north computer table where Mr. Long was sitting. She asked him to go back to the conference room with her to tell her if what she was seeing was for real. Peggy Dodd also joined them. The three of them walked back to the same far north conference room on the northwest hallway. Long and Peggy Dodd entered the room, but Carole Weld did not. Long told Dodd and Weld that it was “real” and to “get low.”

Weld went back into the library area. She could see that students were looking out the west windows of the library. I asked her if she remembers who those students were, and she could not. Weld went behind the main counter and saw a white male lying down on the floor. His feet were facing towards the east. He stated, “I’ve been hit.” Weld stated that Long, Dodd and Kean went to help him. This male was later identified as Brian Anderson.

Weld went into the room directly behind the main librarian counter. This is a work room which is also known as the kitchen. She used the phone in that room to call the office. A male student answered. She told him that she needed Jan right away. The student replied that help was on the way. Lois Kean came into the room and asked what they should do. The two of them then went back into an adjoining room to the north, which is the RNN studio. They went into the sound booth inside the studio. Weld had a key to open the door to the sound booth. They entered and shut the door, which has an automatic lock on it. They both got under the counter and hid themselves.

Weld told me that she never saw either Klebold or Harris shooting their weapons. She did hear additional shots continuing while she was in the library area and prior to her getting into the booth. Weld could not remember the time that she and Kean entered the RNN room. She stated that once inside the sound booth she could still hear gunshots and bombs going off, but she could not hear voices or screaming. She stated it almost sounded as if the gunshots were coming from a machine gun. She also could
smell smoke while she was in the sound booth, but she did not see any smoke. Her and Keen discussed whether or not the school might be on fire. They also thought perhaps what they were smelling was the smoke from the guns.

At one point after entering the sound booth, Weld heard what she described as "a thundering sound." She thought it was students running down the hallway. She could not tell a direction. She did not know what time it was when she heard this sound.

Weld stated that approximately 45 minutes after they had been in the sound booth, she heard the door slam which connects the kitchen and the RNN room. That door had been shut when the two women went earlier into the sound booth. Weld remembers that when she heard the slamming sound she saw light come into the area of the sound booth. Weld stated there are two windows on the sound booth, one the door that they entered and one just above the counter. She saw the change in light when she heard the door slam. She did not hear any voices, nor did she hear any footsteps. She stated after the door had slammed it was very quiet for possibly 30 minutes.

After this period of silence, the two women decided to venture out. Weld noticed that the west door in the RNN room, which leads out into the northwest hallway, was ajar. She stated it had been closed earlier. She looked into the hallway and saw a powder burn on the floor, 14 to 18 inches long and very dark. She did not go into that hallway, but went from the RNN room into the kitchen. She used her key to open the door that connects the two rooms. This is the door that she thought she heard being slammed earlier. This door can be opened without a key from the kitchen side, but cannot be opened without a key from the RNN side.

Once in the kitchen, Weld went through the door which leads from the kitchen into the audio visual room. When she entered the audio visual room she saw a red shotgun shell on the floor towards the east. She did not know if it was a spent shell. She then looked through the opened doorway that connects the audio visual room to the main library. She saw a student on the floor with a hole in his back. I asked her if she could tell whether it was a male or a female. She stated she did not know. She said this student was lying on the floor by table #1. Weld said that the trophy case had to have been shattered at this point because normally she could not have seen into that area due to the reflection of the glass on the trophy case. Weld stated she saw no
other students. She went back into the kitchen where she met up with Kean and both of them got their purses out of their lockers in the kitchen, went back into the RNN room, and into the sound booth.

Weld stated that she heard no sounds as she walked around in the kitchen and audio visual area. She does not recall hearing a fire alarm. When the ladies returned to the sound booth, Kean asked Weld if she was aware that Patty Nielsen was hiding in the kitchen. Weld was not aware of this.

Weld stated that after they had returned to the sound booth they heard some gunfire. Weld assumed it was coming from the library. She said it was two or three gunshots. She does not remember when this occurred. She stated she heard no voices at the time she heard the gunshots. She stated it was a "good hour" before she looked at her watch. Kean asked her what time it was. Weld realized that she had a light on her watch and looked at it. The time was 1500 hours.

The two women waited about an additional 25 minutes, then decided to leave the sound booth. Weld took a chair and looked over a poster which was over a window on the door which leads from the RNN room into the kitchen. She didn't see anything. She then opened the door to the kitchen with her key and walked through the kitchen to the opened doorway which connects the kitchen and the audio visual room. From her position, she was able to see through the opened audio visual door and into the hallway through the opened library entrance. In the hallway was a SWAT Team member. The officer saw Weld and asked, "Are you staff?" Weld acknowledged that she was. He asked her how many persons were there. She answered, "Three." Kean, who was in the kitchen, notified Patty Nielsen that it was alright to come out. The three women then exited the library by going through the audio visual room and out the entrance into the hallway. The officer instructed the women to keep their hands on top of their heads.

Weld stated that the SWAT team members told her and the teachers with her to move down the stairs to the first landing. She stated she saw science teacher Kent Friesen come out of the science area and join them. Weld stated that while they were stopped on the landing they were also joined by teacher Al Cram. They were given further instructions, then all the teachers walked down the stairs through several inches of water in the cafeteria area. They were instructed to walk along the kitchen
wall towards the west exit doors of the cafeteria. When they exited the cafeteria they went up the stairways to the second level. Weld stated that she stepped over the body of the student she had seen when she first looked out the west windows from the library. She stated that they were instructed to go up to the second level. When they did this they were met by a patrol car and taken to Clement Park.

Weld stated that at Clement Park she gave a statement to two officers; one was a Littleton Police Department officer. She also remembers an officer with the last name of West asking her if she knew his son. Weld told him that she did not.

Weld also told me that while she was in the RNN room she heard the sound of what appeared to be a tank. She stated this was after she had been in the sound booth for a couple hours. I asked Weld if she was aware of any special groups meeting in the library at the time of the shooting, such as a bible study group. She stated she was not aware of any groups meeting in the library at that time. Four maps were utilized in my interview with Carole Weld. Those maps are attached to this report.

Weld then told me that the Thursday following the shooting she had a meeting with other teachers and students from the library at Heritage Methodist Church at 1000 hours. She remembers some students saying that as they were leaving the library they tried to get Kyle Velasquez to join them. The students said that they told Velasquez, "They’ve gone to reload, we’ve got to go now." The students were saying that they later felt very bad because they learned that Kyle Velasquez was killed and they felt he was killed because he did not go with them. I asked Weld if the students sharing indicated that Velasquez gave them any kind of acknowledgment or eye contact when they made the statement. She stated that they did not. She could not remember the names of the students who shared at the meeting.

She did say that there was a therapist there whose name was David Hollingsworth. She had his business card, which gave an address of 777 South Wadsworth Blvd., Suite 201, Building 1, Lakewood, Colorado 80226. (303) 969-9192. I contacted Hollingsworth who stated the students were not referring to Velasquez when they made those comments.

**Disposition:** Open
NARRATIVE

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On 042299 (w) Welsh and his father came into the
PDP to give his account of the Columbine H.S. Shooting

(w) Welsh advised he was in the library when (5) Klitzold
and (5) Harris came into the room. (w) Welsh observed
the two suspect(s) shoot several students, and make
ficial statements. (w) Harris observed a shotgun,
rifle, and a handgun, and observed two bomb explosions.

(w) Welsh described two other persons who claimed to
be in the so-called "Trenchcoat Mafia," these two were not
observed on 042099. [Blacked out], and [Blacked out]

[Unsure of last name].

(w) Welsh can identify both suspects, and can give good
accounts of the situation.

Dispo- Forwarded to Investigations.

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Connected to Jefferson County Sheriff's Department Case Report #99-7625.

On 06/01/99, Det. Boatright (IO) was assigned DN#18987, requesting he contact and interview Aaron Welsh. Within the narrative of the lead, IO was informed Aaron Welsh was in the library when the incident started and was believed to be located under table #7. IO was requested to interview Aaron Welsh to confirm his whereabouts during the incident and obtain any additional information he may have relevant to this investigation. The aforementioned interview was scheduled to occur at Aaron Welsh's residence on 06/11/99.

On 06/11/99 at approximately 1315 hours, IO met with Aaron Welsh and his mother at their residence located at 7719 West Portland Ave., Littleton, CO 80128, phone: 303-978-1976. IO subsequently confirmed with Aaron K. Welsh, he is 18 years of age, with a date of birth of 07/22/90. IO went on to verify with Aaron Welsh at the time of this incident he was a senior at Columbine High School. For purposes of clarification, Aaron Welsh's mother remained for the interview.

IO subsequently requested Aaron Welsh provide an account of his activities on 04/20/99, beginning at the time he arrived at school. Aaron Welsh indicated on the date in question, he drove himself to school, parking in the senior lot, "space #225." Aaron Welsh indicated he arrived at school at approximately 0720 hours and utilized the lower southwest entrance to gain access to the school. According to Aaron Welsh, the above activity was part of his normal routine and he did not make any unusual observations upon arriving at school that day.

Aaron Welsh stated prior to responding to his first period class, he went to his locker which was located in the north hall, towards the west end. Aaron Welsh stated after going to his locker, he then went to his first period class.

According to Aaron Welsh, he attended his first period class which began at approximately 0730 and concluded at approximately 0820 hours. Aaron Welsh identified his first period class a "psychology" which is taught by "Tom Johnson." Aaron Welsh stated his psychology class is located in the social studies area and identified the room as "SS4." IO would note the social studies section of the school is located on the east side (center area) near the main east entrance.

Aaron Welsh reported he then attended his second hour class which he estimated began at approximately 0825 hours and concluded at approximately 0920 hours. Aaron Welsh identified his second period class as "history" taught by "Mr. Hayes." Aaron Welsh stated his "history" class is taught in room "SS1," again being in the social studies section of the school.
Aaron Welsh explained he next attended his third period class which he estimated began at approximately 0925 hours and concluded at approximately 1015 hours. Aaron Welsh identified his third period class as "government economics" taught by "Mr. Tennyson." Aaron Welsh stated his "government economics" class is taught in social studies room "995," which again is located in the social studies section of the school.

According to Aaron Welsh, he then attended his fourth period class which he indicated began at approximately 1020 hours and concluded at approximately 1110 hours. Aaron Welsh identified his fourth period class as "first aid" taught by "Mr. Marshall." Aaron Welsh stated his "first aid" class is taught in the gymnasium, which is located on the far north side of the school.

Aaron Welsh explained at the conclusion of his fourth hour class, he is scheduled for "A lunch." Aaron Welsh stated on this particular day, he decided to go to the library during the time allotted for his lunch period. Aaron Welsh explained going to the library during "A lunch" was not an unusual activity. Aaron Welsh explained after leaving the gymnasium, he then walked directly to the library and arrived a short time prior to the 1115 bell. Aaron Welsh indicated when he arrived at the library, he was alone carrying a "blue" backpack. IO subsequently supplied Aaron Welsh with a diagram of the library and asked where he sat after arriving at that location. Aaron Welsh subsequently pointed to table #7, indicating he sat at the far northeast corner of that table (facing west). Aaron Welsh clarified he was alone at table #7 throughout the course of this incident.

Aaron Welsh explained after arriving in the library, he began studying and recalled after approximately five minutes, he began to hear what he described as "popping noises" coming from the outside area near the "commons." Aaron Welsh stated his initial reaction to the aforementioned sounds was that he assumed they were "construction noises." According to Aaron Welsh, he was not concerned by the sounds he was hearing nor did he observe anyone else in the library who appeared to be initially concerned.

Aaron Welsh stated he could not recall the exact number of "popping sounds" he heard, but believed they continued for several minutes, after which he observed "Brian Anderson" enter the library and run behind the main counter. Aaron Welsh stated to his knowledge, he believed Brian Anderson went behind the main counter, utilizing an east side access to that area. Aaron Welsh reported within "a few seconds" of seeing Brian Anderson enter the library, he then saw "Ms. Nielson" enter and follow Brian Anderson behind the main counter. IO clarified with Aaron Welsh, he was referring to Ms. Nielson arriving behind the main counter via the east access. Aaron Welsh added as soon as Ms. Nielson arrived behind the main counter, she began using the phone. Aaron Welsh stated
initially, he was uncertain as to why Ms. Nielson was using the phone, but it was very apparent she was "upset."

When asked if it was his impression something of a serious nature was occurring, Aaron Welsh stated, "not at first." Aaron Welsh related when he first saw Brian Anderson and Ms. Nielson enter the library, he was uncertain as to what was occurring, but knew the situation seemed somewhat out of the ordinary. When asked to elaborate, Aaron Welsh indicated when Brian Anderson entered the library, it appeared as though the forenamed was moving quickly and had a frightened look on his face. Aaron Welsh went on to state it was obvious Ms. Nielson was upset, due to the fact she was "yelling" and appeared "hysterical." Aaron Welsh reiterated initially he was uncertain as to why either of the above named were acting in the manner described.

Aaron Welsh related his next recollection occurred at the point Ms. Nielson began to shout, "Get under your desk." Aaron Welsh stated Ms. Nielson repeated the above command "a few times," but he was still unclear as to the nature of the situation.

Aaron Welsh stated it was at approximately this time, he heard what he believed were "explosions" coming from the commons area, directly under the library. Aaron Welsh pointed out by this point, he had positioned himself under table #7, lying face down with his head pointing north. Aaron Welsh then utilized the diagram to draw his positioning under table #7 10 again confirmed with Aaron Welsh he was unclear as to the nature of the emergency, but by this point certain the situation was serious.

When asked to continue with his explanation, Aaron Welsh reiterated he began to hear "explosions" coming from the commons area, directly beneath the library. Aaron Welsh added he could not only hear the explosions, but he could "feel the floor vibrate." Aaron Welsh explained he believed it was at approximately this time he heard Ms. Nielson announce to the person she had called, "Some guy has a gun." Aaron Welsh concluded Ms. Nielson was speaking with someone in authority, presumably the police.

Aaron Welsh stated he next observed Mr. Long walking east at a rapid pace behind the main counter. Aaron Welsh stated directly behind Mr. Long was Ms. Dodd. Aaron Welsh went on to state as he continued to watch Mr. Long, the forenamed exited the library via the east doors and believed he was followed by Ms. Dodd. Aaron Welsh then added he could not state specifically that Ms. Dodd exited the library via these doors, but she appeared to be headed in that direction when he last observed her movements. Aaron Welsh related the reason he did not continue to observe Ms. Dodd was due to the fact, he turned his head away and did not continue to make observations related to her activities.

Aaron Welsh explained his next recollection occurred as he
looked out into the hall area (utilizing the east doors and east window), at which time he heard a loud noise and observed a "big flash of light." Aaron Welsh stated the "flash of light" appeared to "fill up the hallway." Aaron Welsh explained within moments, smoke began filling the hallway and he then heard a fire alarm activate.

Aaron Welsh indicated as he continued to watch out towards the hallway, he then observed "Eric and Dylan come in together," adding, "I think Dylan shot a couple times," referring to a location east of the main counter. Aaron Welsh could not be more specific but did reference this action on his diagram. When asked if he knew either Eric Harris or Dylan Klebold, Aaron Welsh responded in the negative. Aaron Welsh stated initially, he did not recognize either individual, but after seeing media reports, positively identified the two individuals entering the library as Eric Harris and Dylan Klebold. To clarify with Aaron Welsh, prior to this date he did not know either of those individuals by name, nor did he recognize them at the moment they had walked into the library. Aaron Welsh did state he was positive in terms of his identification, which was based on photographs he had seen of the suspects as they appeared in a variety of media reports.

To subsequently ask Aaron Welsh to describe the individual he identified as Dylan Klebold. Aaron Welsh stated the person he identified as Dylan Klebold appeared to be a white male, in his late teens, approximately 6'4" in height, with a thin build with blondish colored, longer hair. According to Aaron Welsh, Dylan Klebold was wearing a black ball cap "backwards." Aaron Welsh stated he also recalled there was some sort of "red" markings on the cap. In respect to his clothes, Aaron Welsh stated Dylan Klebold was wearing a black trench coat and, at the time he first observed the above name, he did not recall any other aspects of that person's clothing. Aaron Welsh did add when he first observed Dylan Klebold, the forenamed was carrying a "sawed off shotgun." Aaron Welsh pointed out the sawed off shotgun had "two barrels."

When asked to describe the individual he identified as Eric Harris, Aaron Welsh stated he too was a white male, in his late teens and was approximately six feet tall, with a thin build. Aaron Welsh related Eric Harris had his hair cut short and was "dark blond in color." In respect to Eric Harris' clothing, Aaron Welsh pointed out the forenamed was not wearing a coat, however, he was wearing a white t-shirt with a dark colored military style vest. Aaron Welsh went on to state Eric Harris had on "black pants," and was carrying a "single barrel pump action shotgun, which was also sawed off." Aaron Welsh also noticed Eric Harris had a "rifle" slung over one of his shoulders. Aaron Welsh could not be more specific concerning which side the rifle was being carried. Aaron Welsh did note that the rifle appeared to be dark in color.

When asked what occurred after he observed the suspects enter
the library, Aaron Welsh stated both individuals proceeded west and walked between the main counter and the reference desk. Aaron Welsh stated as Eric Harris proceeded to the southeast corner of the far south computer table, he then heard one of the suspects fire a weapon from an area just west of the reference desk. Aaron Welsh stated he did not know for certain whether the weapon was fired by Eric Harris or Dylan Klebold, due to the fact, he could not see their upper bodies at that time. Aaron Welsh did note that after hearing at least one gunshot (possibly more), he observed Dylan Klebold join Eric Harris at that southeast corner of the south computer desk. Aaron Welsh pointed out it was at that point he heard one of the suspects begin making reference to "shooting jocks" adding one of the suspects had also said something to the effect of anyone with "white hats needed to stand up." Aaron Welsh continued by stating he also believed one of the suspects instructed "all jocks to stand up."

Aaron Welsh stated he then observed Eric Harris move further west in the library, walking between the far south computer table and table #18. According to Aaron Welsh, Dylan Klebold then stepped towards table #17 and fired at least once in a southwesterly direction. Aaron Welsh stated he did not specifically see where Dylan Klebold was shooting at that time. Aaron Welsh did indicate he believed Dylan Klebold was firing the double barrel shotgun.

After seeing Dylan Klebold fire his double barrel shotgun, Aaron Welsh observed Eric Harris looking under the south computer desk (west end). Pursuant to questioning, Aaron Welsh stated Eric Harris was towards the far west end of the south computer desk at that point. Aaron Welsh then pointed out it was around that time, he no longer could see Dylan Klebold, due to the fact that individual had moved further south on the west side of the library and his view was obstructed by bookshelves.

Aaron Welsh went on to explain as he continued to watch Eric Harris, the forenamed knelt down on one knee and pointed the pump shotgun under the south computer desk. Aaron Welsh stated Eric Harris then began firing the weapon at individuals who were positioned under the computer desk. Aaron Welsh stated he knew Eric Harris fired more than once, because each time after Eric Harris fired, he would get up and move to the next location. Aaron Welsh stated he believed there were at least three people positioned under the computer desk; however, he was not certain as to the number of shots fired. Aaron Welsh did clarify the previous statement by indicating he knew it was more than one. Pursuant to questioning, Aaron Welsh stated it appeared to him as though Eric Harris would fire the weapon and then move over to the next position (staying on a single knee) and then fire the weapon again.

Aaron Welsh stated as this was occurring, he began to hear the suspects laughing and "whooping it up." Aaron Welsh stated it was
very obvious that the suspects were enjoying what they were doing. Aaron Welsh went on to state, it was at this time that Eric Harris also moved south in the library after which he lost sight of that individual.

Aaron Welsh stated he then continued to hear what he believed were gunshots occurring on the far west side of the library. A short time later, Aaron Welsh heard one of the suspects state, "Oh, there's that little nigger over there." Aaron Welsh told IO moments later, he then heard approximately three gunshots, followed by the statement, "Is he dead? Is he dead?" Aaron Welsh stated after hearing that question, he heard one of the suspect respond, "Yeah, he's dead."

Aaron Welsh stated his next recollection occurred as Dylan Klebold walked back up toward the north end of the library and proceeded eastbound. Prior to continuing with Aaron Welsh's statement, IO asked if he recalled any additional activities which occurred on the west side of the library, prior to making the above observation. Aaron Welsh responded by relating much of the time the suspects were on the west side of the library, he was unable to observe their activities. Aaron Welsh did indicate he was able to recall at least one additional comment he heard while the suspects were on the west side of the library. Aaron Welsh stated at one point (sequence of events unknown), he heard one of the suspects state, "Look at this guy's brains and blood." Aaron Welsh clarified he did not know which suspect made this statement, nor did he know who they were speaking about. Aaron Welsh reiterated during the time the suspects were on the west side of the library, he continuously heard them "laughing and whooping it up." Aaron Welsh also referred to the fact there were several gunshots fired while the suspects were on the west side of the library which he was not able to observe.

IO asked Aaron Welsh to continue with his explanation from the point he saw Dylan Klebold begin moving to the east side of the library. At that point, Aaron Welsh referred to the diagram and drew a "D" indicating the path of travel he saw Dylan Klebold take when going east in the library. IO would note Aaron Welsh initially identified Dylan Klebold's location as just north of table #7. Aaron Welsh did clarify Dylan Klebold had come from the west side of the library, but this was the point where he identified Dylan as the person walking just to the north of his table. When asked as to the whereabouts of Eric Harris, Aaron Welsh stated that individual passed through the center section of the library, traveling east. As IO continued that line of questioning, Aaron Welsh acknowledged he did not actually see Eric Harris pass through the center of the library, but later heard and saw Eric Harris on the east side of the library, thus concluded he would have come somewhere through the middle, due to the fact, he did not see him north of this table. When asked if he was certain he did not see Eric Harris pass north of his table, Aaron Welsh
responded in the affirmative.

Aaron Welsh next stated he then began to hear shooting occurring on the east side of the library. Aaron Welsh stated there were numerous shots fired initially, during which he could hear "girls screaming and crying." Aaron Welsh then pointed out there was a time when he had heard "screams" coming from the west side of the library, but not with the level or intensity he was hearing at this point. Aaron Welsh stated as the gunshots and screams stopped, he heard one of the suspects (believed to be Eric Harris) say, "do you believe in God." Eric Harris heard a female respond, "yay," to which Harris reportedly inquired, "why, how do you know?" Aaron Welsh related it was obvious Eric Harris was having a conversation with a female on the east side of the library, however, he did not hear everything said by the female. When asked if he was certain the conversation was occurring on the east side of the library, Aaron Welsh responded in the affirmative, further identifying that area as the northeast section. Aaron Welsh was unable to be more specific concerning that point.

Aaron Welsh was subsequently asked how he was able to identify Eric Harris as the individual who was having the conversation with the female. Aaron Welsh clarified he was unable to make any visual observations during the course of that conversation, but presumed it was Eric Harris because the tone being used seemed to be "more angry." Aaron Welsh went on to clarify he later had the opportunity to observe and hear Eric Harris speaking and, based on that observation, believed the person having the conversation about God was, in fact, Eric Harris. IO confirmed with Aaron Welsh, the above situation occurred after he had heard Eric Harris and the female having the above conversation. IO asked Aaron Welsh to describe the situation where he could see and hear Eric Harris speaking.

Aaron Welsh told IO the observation he was referring to occurred very soon after he heard the conversation about God. IO did confirm with Aaron Welsh, he had no additional recollection and what he was about to relate was the next thing he remembered. Aaron Welsh continued with his explanation by stating moments after hearing the conversation about God, he then saw Eric Harris pass through the separation in the bookshelves (near table #9), placing him into the center section of the library. Aaron Welsh stated as Eric Harris proceeded north on the east side of table #7, he heard the forenamed state he needed to "reload." Aaron Welsh went on to state Eric Harris continued walking in a northwesterly direction until he arrived at the south computer table. IO clarified with Aaron Welsh, he was referring to the far east corner of that table. Aaron Welsh pointed out this was when he observed blood smeared around Eric Harris' mouth.

When asked what Eric Harris was doing at that location, Aaron Welsh stated he was uncertain due to the fact he looked back.
towards the east in an effort to "find Dylan." Aaron Welsh went on to state it was his belief Eric Harris was gathering additional ammunition in an effort to reload one of his weapons. Aaron Welsh clarified he did not actually observe Eric Harris engaged in that activity.

Aaron Welsh was asked to relate what he recalled occurring next. Aaron Welsh stated as he continued looking south in the library, he then observed Dylan Klebold walk into the center section of the library. According to Aaron Welsh, Dylan Klebold entered the center section by walking around the bookshelves at its furthest southern point. Aaron Welsh then drew a "D" with an arrow, indicating the path traveled by Dylan Klebold into the center section. IO would note according to Aaron Welsh, Dylan Klebold ended up standing on the south side of table #13, at the point he entered the center section. Aaron Welsh told IO it was at that point he again lost sight of Dylan Klebold.

Aaron Welsh told IO his next recollection occurred at the point he heard one of the suspects state (possibly Eric Harris), "You under there, identify yourself." Aaron Welsh then heard another voice respond, "John Savage." Aaron Welsh stated he was then certain it was Dylan Klebold who replied, "Oh John." Aaron Welsh explained during that contact, Dylan Klebold told John Savage he could leave the library. Aaron Welsh stated he could not recall the details of the conversation, but did know John Savage was allowed to leave. Aaron Welsh stated at the point that conversation ended, he observed John Savage run past his table on the west side, moving north. Aaron Welsh explained as he continued to watch John Savage, the forenamed ran out of the library via the east doors. According to Aaron Welsh, John Savage was wearing "jeans and a blue sweatshirt." Aaron Welsh stated he could not recall any additional details concerning that point.

Aaron Welsh told IO at that point, he was becoming even more concerned for his own welfare, due to the close proximity of the suspects. Aaron Welsh reported as a result, he then began "pulling in the chairs" which surrounded table #7. A short time later, Aaron Welsh stated Dylan Klebold walked past table #7 on the east side, traveling north. Aaron Welsh went on to state Dylan Klebold then walked over to the southeast corner of the computer table where he again saw Eric Harris. At that point in the interview, IO stopped Aaron Welsh and asked if he recalled hearing gunshots which were occurring in the center section of the library. Aaron Welsh responded in the negative, but point out he did hear multiple gunshots occurring southeast of his location. Aaron Welsh then thought for a moment and told IO he could not specifically state that there were not gunshots fired in the center section, adding he had become very preoccupied with his own survival and possibly blocked out those noises. Aaron Welsh then said, "It seemed like they were shooting all over the library most of the time they were there."
IC next asked Aaron Walsh if he was certain Eric Harris remained at the southwest corner of the computer table up until the point he was joined by Dylan Klebold. Aaron Walsh stated he did not see Eric Harris walk past his table (south), however, reiterated "I was really lookin' mostly for Dylan." IC clarified with Aaron Walsh, he also did not recall a time when he saw Eric Harris pass back by his table, going north.

Aaron Walsh was next asked to describe what was occurring at the southeast corner of the computer table, where Dylan Klebold and Eric Harris were now located. According to Aaron Walsh, he then heard one of the suspects state, "You all better get up and leave, we're going to blow up the library." Aaron Walsh stated he had no idea as to why the suspects would make that statement when it appeared as though their intention was to kill those present. Aaron Walsh next stated, based on what he could see and hear, he did not believe anyone in the library "moved." After a short pause, Aaron Walsh stated he observed Eric Harris produce a glass "chemistry flask" which he attempted to "light." Aaron Walsh went on to refer to that item as a "molotov cocktail." When asked for a further description of the item, Aaron Walsh stated the "chemistry flask" was manufactured out of what appeared to be "clear glass" and contained what he described as a "orange liquid."

IC confirmed with Aaron Walsh that Eric Harris was attempting to light the item he described above. Aaron Walsh could not describe what Eric Harris was using to light the item or if he actually saw a flame. When asked if he knew whether or not Eric Harris was successful in that task, Aaron Walsh stated he was uncertain, but did know the forenamed threw that object south in the library. Aaron Walsh stated he did not know where that object landed and did not hear any sound associated with that object after it was thrown.

Aaron Walsh explained after seeing the above action, he then observed both suspects move east through the library and eventually exit via the east library doors. Aaron Walsh stated he was certain Dylan Klebold went to the south after exiting the library, however, he did not know which direction Eric Harris went. Aaron Walsh did confirm Eric Harris exited the library at the same time as Dylan Klebold.

Aaron Walsh stated a short time later, he then crawled out from underneath table #7 on the west side and proceeded in a northwesterly direction through the library. Aaron Walsh stated he eventually made his way back to the north emergency door, where he exited the library. When asked if other students were leaving at that same time, Aaron Walsh responded in the affirmative. Aaron Walsh did indicate there was not any type of organized process in terms of the students leaving the library, adding "We all just kind of left on our own." When asked if there was any type of
announcement indicating it was safe to leave the library. Aaron Welsh responded in the negative. Aaron Welsh reiterated based on what he could recall, everyone was simply leaving the library on their own.

Aaron Welsh explained once he reached the north emergency exit, he then observed a marked patrol unit parked a short distance away. Aaron Welsh indicated that vehicle was parked in a northwesterly direction from the north emergency exit door. Aaron Welsh stated he subsequently ran to that location and took cover behind a vehicle. Aaron Welsh recalled there were two deputies present who were "covering" students as they exited the school. Aaron Welsh stated while he was at that location, he did recall seeing the school's "ERO" down in the south senior parking lot. Aaron Welsh added, as short distance further west from that officer was "Andy" (Martin).

Aaron Welsh told IO a short time after arriving at the marked patrol unit, police officers began to evacuate the students. Aaron Welsh stated marked patrol units were used to accomplish that task. Aaron Welsh recalled the more seriously injured students were evacuated first, followed by those who were less injured or non injured. Aaron Welsh stated he was subsequently taken to a place of safety, near "Yukon Court." Aaron Welsh told IO he did not independently recall any additional details related to this investigation.

Pursuant to questioning, Aaron Welsh estimated the suspects were in the library a total of approximately 30 minutes. Aaron Welsh was then asked if he recalled hearing any explosion occurring in the library after the suspects entered. Aaron Welsh stated he was uncertain. Aaron Welsh reiterated he heard numerous gunshots, but could not specifically state any of the sounds he heard were an explosion. When asked if he recalled any other sounds in the library (other than those previously described), Aaron Welsh thought for a moment and responded in the affirmative. Aaron Welsh stated he now recalled hearing "glass breaking." Aaron Welsh stated he initially heard glass breaking after the suspects had moved over to the west side of the library. Aaron Welsh told IO he could not identify the source of the glass that was broken, but assumed it was the west library windows.

Aaron Welsh went on to explain he also recalled seeing and hearing glass break as it related to the display case located just south of the east entrance. Aaron Welsh explained the glass case was originally shot at when the suspects were on the east side of the library (unable to be more specific on the time frame). Aaron Welsh stated he specifically recalled hearing glass break, but remembered the glass not actually "shattering until later." In respect to that point, Aaron Welsh stated he did not actually see who or what caused the glass to shatter, but knew it occurred a short time prior to the suspects leaving the library. Aaron Welsh
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could not be more specific concerning that point. Aaron Welsh was unable to provide any additional information. See the diagrams prepared by Aaron Welsh for complete details.
I was in the library and a teacher came running in in a panic - yelling that some kid had a gun & she kept asking "Where's Mrs. Keating" (she's our librarian), so she grabbed the phone & started calling the police, then a guy ran in & fell on the ground he had been shot & he was bleeding (Brian Andersen) - They told us to get under the tables, but we were frantic - then they told us to evacuate to the halls - right where they came in, but then we were told to get under the tables again & we did it kept panning our heads up until finally the lady screamed & said stay under there so there were three of us under one table - me, Sara Hany & Seth Hany. Seth Hany had me wrapped up in his arms & Sara was hugging my leg, I was shaking uncontrollably & crying - Seth kept me calm & told me to pray.

I have read the foregoing statement and the facts contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I do not maintain that it contains all of the facts or details of the incident, but only those facts about which I have been asked.
So together we prayed that God would protect us over and over again. We heard shots and huge booming noises moving through the hall, then we heard them move into the library. Where there was yelling and mean words.

I felt huge booms around my body. Bombs were going off and blowing debris around my body. Some hit my legs. Gun shots were flying everywhere. Hitting things. Bombs made loud crashing sounds. Then the guys came into the middle section of the library (there are 3 sections). They were speaking right above my head to my right. They said "We've wanted to do this all of our lives." I heard screaming. Then I heard someone ask "What are you doing?" And they said, "Killing people." They didn't sound regretful. They were happy. Then they saw a black guy and called him a nigga. I heard gun shots. Then I heard one of them say, "Who's next?" I am assuming they left the library because people started getting up and exiting out a side door. We ran.

I have read the foregoing statement and the facts contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I do not maintain that it contains all of the facts or details of the incident, but only those facts about which I have been asked.

Crystal Woodman

Date: 9/19/98
Time Statement Completed: 3:30 PM
Signature of Person Making Statement: 

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Denver Police Department

STATEMENT

Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)  Making Statement to:

Jared Street Address  City  County  State  Zip Code

Residence Phone  Business Phone  Social Security No.  Date of Birth / Serial No.

Business Street Address  City  County  State  Zip Code

Officer Taking Statement  Serial No.  Date  Time  Location where statement taken:

Concerning an incident occurring at:

Date  Time

Summary of Statement:

A man had a breast wound + his eyes were rolling back in his head + he was cramping. When I ran through the library I saw people spread out laying there. One of the cop cars + truck were in a field. I walked to the post office, called my parents, 60-90-1-1, and they called the police. They called to both my parents + I turned the whistle off and put it between us. I walked out to the parking lot + put the whistle between us. I have read the foregoing statement and the facts contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I do not maintain that it contains all of the facts or details of the incident, but only those facts about which I have been asked.

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I, Jared Street Address, certify that the facts contained in this statement are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Statement Completed  Signature of Person Making Statement

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Supplemental Report

Defendant: (Columbine shooting)  Docket Number: 99A062 (G)
Date: 042599  Case Number: 99-7625
Deputy D.A.:  Investigator: Mike Heylin

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Witness:

Crystal A. Woodman  DOB: 080982
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c/o mother; Cindy Woodman (no work) and father; Tom Woodman (w)
303-841-4348, (c) 303-599-8855
-CHS student, in library with Seth and Sara Houy during initial
shooting there, escaped out of library after suspects left

Investigation:

On April 22, 1999 at 1330 hours I interviewed Crystal Woodman at the
home of Seth and Sara Houy. Crystal was over visiting with them at
the time. Jeffco S.O. Sergeant Chris Tomford had given me a yellow
Denver PD statement form previously filled out by Crystal. I was
instructed to interview Crystal again. Her mother was at the Houy
home but did not sit in on the interview. Crystal then told me the
following:

* She is a junior at Columbine High.

* When asked if she knew Eric Harris, she said she did not. She
did not recognize the photographs she had seen of him.

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When asked if she knew Dylan Klebold, she said she did not. She did not recognize the photographs she had seen of him.

She said that the students in the Trench Coat Mafia used to play tarot cards last year.

She did not know [redacted] and thought that [redacted] was a junior in the school and that he was one of the jocks.

She knew John Savage by face and name.

She did not know anyone associated with a white Bronco.

She has done several media interviews. She said that she has been interviewed by Good Morning America, 20/20, Canadian T.V., CNN, and others. (She just finished an ABC interview at the home with Sara and Seth.)

She went into the library with Seth and Sara around 11:15 a.m. She had to study for a physics test. She said there are never any empty tables in the library but on that Tuesday, there were lots of empty tables.

She said that a librarian was getting mad at Sara and her for making noise. She said that a lady then came in screaming, "Where's Miss Keating, call police, there is people with guns in here."

She was not sure of the sequence with the teacher, but she said that she heard pops. She thought it all sounded like a paint ball gun. She thought it was a senior prank.

She then saw a student named Brian Anderson come in the main entrance to the library. She saw that he was bleeding from the shoulder. She saw him fall behind the main desk. A teacher picked up a phone and told them to get under the desks.

She heard pops getting closer and closer.
* She said she heard explosions underneath them. She got under the table she was at with Sara and Seth. (Table location previously reported as the second table from the front on the west side in the middle section of the library.)

* She heard the suspects voices. She said that every time the suspects would shoot, they "cheered." She said they sounded happy. She heard one of the suspects say, "Hey nigger." She then heard three shots after that.

* She heard shooting all around. She said it seemed like they were in the library shooting for a half hour to 40 minutes. She said that a student was shot and killed under a table right next to them (directly east according to the sketch of the library she referred to).

* She heard one suspect say, "We've wanted to do this our whole life. Who's next?" She said they sounded happy, not evil or mean.

* She said that the suspects asked who was under the table across and down from them. She said the student answered that he was John Savage. One of the suspects then said, "Hey John, get out of here, we'd like to blow this library up."

* She was hit in the arm with a chair one of the suspects pushed in to their table as they were walking by.

* She was not looking much as Seth was holding her head into his chest. She heard a suspect say he was out of ammo. She then heard him say that he had a knife and always wanted to kill someone like "this (with a knife)."

* When the suspects left the library, Seth told them to go. She flung her purse and left the library. She said she saw people sprawled out, "lifeless." She said the library was smoky and, "trashed."
* She said while she was in the library, she prayed.

* Once out of the library with Seth and Sara, they went behind a cop car. There were other injured students and lots of blood. Another cop car came to take them out of the area.

This concluded my interview with Crystal Woodman.
Crystal A. Woodman, date of birth August 9, 1982, 9685 West Power Circle, Littleton, Colorado 80123, telephone number (303) 973-8584, was interviewed at her home. After being advised of the identity of the interviewing agent and the nature of the interview, Woodman furnished the following information:

Woodman is a Junior at Columbine High School. Her first class of the day is during first period which runs from 7:30 a.m. to 8:20 a.m. This class is Spanish with Mr. Brookfield. Second period runs from 8:25 a.m. to 9:20 a.m. During this period she has math with Miss Hazelwood. Second period is an extra five minutes so the students can watch the day’s announcements on the Rebel News Network. The announcements are broadcast over televisions located within the classrooms. Woodman watches the announcements every day but doesn’t always pay attention. On April 20, 1999, she did not pay attention or remember anything unusual in the announcements. A friend told her after the incident at Columbine High School that the quote of the day was something to the effect of “you wish you weren’t here.” Her third period class is Physics with Mr. Cram. This class runs from 9:25 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. Her fourth-period class is Language Arts with Mr. Webb, running from 10:20 a.m. to 11:10 a.m. Woodman next has “A” lunch which runs from 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. During her lunch period she will sometimes go to the library to study or go out to eat. She is usually with Sara Houy, Seth Houy and Briaca Dendorfer at lunch or in the library.

On April 20, 1999, when she got out of her Language Arts class, Seth Houy was waiting for her outside the door. Together they went to Sara Houy’s locker and waited for her. The three of them then went to the library to study. Dendorfer was unable to join them as she had a French presentation to work on. They arrived at the library at approximately 11:15 a.m. Woodman saw several empty tables, which was not normal. Many of the tables were empty or only had one person to a table. The group would usually sit together in the middle section. Woodman, Sara Houy and Seth Houy sat down at table #10. Attachment A is a diagram of the Columbine High School library. Woodman indicated on the diagram where each of them sat around the table. Sara Houy was marked as #1, Woodman as #2, and Seth Houy as #3.
Woodman does recall seeing Josh Lapp sitting at table #8 with other students. She did not know the names of the other students.

Woodman had a camera with her that had prom pictures on the film. Woodman wanted to use up the film and asked Sara Houy to take a picture of her and Seth Houy. Seth Houy immediately jumped up and went to the magazine rack to find a magazine. Woodman had taken at least two pictures within the school that morning. One picture was a class photo in her math class, and the other was a photo in her physics class with Dendorfer.

Woodman had a good view of the front door from her seat. Approximately five minutes after sitting down, a lady teacher came running into the library yelling. She was asking where Miss Keating was and stated something about there being guys with guns and to get under the tables. The teacher went all the way around the librarian's counter. Brian Anderson, a student, followed the teacher into the library. He stumbled and fell to the floor after going through the book detection system. He got up and also went around the librarian's counter. At that point Woodman had not started to hear any noises. Seth Houy had come back to the table just after the teacher had come into the library.

A very tall, large white male teacher in his forties with glasses on came out of the magazine room or one of the other back rooms. Woodman thought the teacher may have been Mr. Stokland. The teacher was motioning and saying to get out. She then lost sight of him and didn't see where he went. Woodman, Seth Houy and Sara Houy got under the table. Seth Houy was sitting up and Woodman's head was laying in his lap. Woodman was whimpering and crying and Seth Houy kept telling her it would be okay. She then started hearing popping noises which she thought were paint ball guns. The popping sounds were in short bursts and were coming from the hallway outside the library. At this point she still didn't think it was real and thought it may be a senior prank. The popping sounds kept getting closer and closer to the library. She then heard screaming in the hallway outside the library. The screaming was moving from the Commons area towards the science and math areas of the school. At that point Woodman and the Houys realized that this was real. Seth Houy then laid down and pulled Woodman's head into his chest. Woodman
was facing west with her right ear on top of Houy's arm. She
couldn't see anything and Houy never let her look up during the
whole incident. Woodman began shaking uncontrollably. She began
to feel the floor shaking and thought the floor might crash down.
Two or three explosions caused the shaking and she thought they
had come from the Commons area.

She thought the gunmen must have been right at the
front entry of the library as she could hear gunshot radiating
within the library. The gunman said something immediately upon
entering the library. She doesn't specifically remember what
they said. The gunmen didn't waste any time and started shooting
immediately upon entering the library. Woodman began hearing
debris flying and items ricocheting. Woodman could hear the
gunmen talking and shooting in the west section of the library.
She kept hearing glass flying around. The sound was not of glass
shattering but of glass flying around in the air. She heard one
of the gunmen say, "Hey, you in the white hat." She thought they
may have been talking to Seth Houy as he took off his hat and hid
it between them. The gunman's voices seemed so happy. They
would "yippee" and "wahoo" like a victory cheer after shooting.
Woodman did not hear single gunshots, but thought they were
always in multiple numbers. The gunshots echoed throughout the
library and it sounded like the gunmen were right next to you.
She used their voices to tell what direction they were from her
and how close they were to her. She heard them say, "Who's ready
to die next?" and "Who's next?" She remembers hearing a comment
of "There's that nigger." This comment was followed by multiple
gunshots, three or four gunshots in rapid succession. She
thought the comment was made near the reference table.

The fire alarm started going off in the library right
after the gunman entered. She remembers smelling something
burning or singeing. Woodman did hear a blood-curdling scream
coming from the east side of the library. She thought the scream
may have come when the gunmen first entered the library.

Seth Houy wouldn't let Woodman look up at all. But
based upon the voices of the gunmen, she knew they moved from the
west side over to the east side of the library. She heard more
gunfire and screaming. She does not recall any specifics of the
gunfire on the east side. She then could hear them moving up
into the middle section. She doesn't know if they came into the
middle from the back or front of the section. The gunmen started shooting in the back section. They commented about needing to reload and being out of ammunition. Woodman heard them putting things down on a table and then sounds of them fiddling with their weapons. They were talking about "clips" and "ammo" during the noise. She thought they were close to her table and thought they may have been at table #12. Very close to her table and possibly also at table #12 she heard one of the gunmen ask, "Who is that?" She heard a response, "John Savage." One of the gunmen then said, "You haven't done anything to us. Get out." She could then hear someone run out the front door of the library. The middle chair of her table was pushed in by somebody. The chair hit her in the back of her right arm. She thought the gunmen may have moved the chair so they could get by their table. About that same time she heard one of the gunmen state that they had "wanted to do this their whole lives." There were numerous gunshots within the middle section, but she did not recall the specifics or location of the gunshots. The last comment by the gunmen she heard in the middle section was about a knife. One of the gunmen stated, "I've always wanted to kill somebody with a knife." After this comment the library got quiet.

Woodman made a comment to Houy about people getting up. Houy got up and moved to the west section of the library through the bookshelves. He came back and told Woodman and Sara Houy, "Come on, let's go" and, "Don't take anything with you." Both the girls hesitated getting up and Seth Houy insisted. Woodman got up and had a purse around her neck. She took off the purse and threw it. She did this because Houy had said not to take anything with her. They moved through the bookshelves going past tables #17 and #18. Things were scattered everywhere, including chairs and backpacks. They ran around the computer tables next to the windows on the west side of the library. As she went by the computer tables she saw a "kid" slumped in the side of a cubbyhole of the computer table. She did not see the student's face. She had seen other bodies laying on the floor on the west side. Her main focus was on exiting the library and she was not paying attention to the details around her. She did state that the library was really smoky and bad smelling.

They continued to the back door of the library.

Students were coming out of the offices in the hallway leading to the back door. Woodman thought she was one of the last students
to exit the library. Woodman had been holding gum in her hand during the entire incident in the library. She had taken it out of her mouth as she didn’t want to choke on it. She finally dropped the gum in the hallway by the back door. After exiting the back door she ran up a small hill and hid behind a police car. Her sandals kept falling off and she stumbled as she ran up the hill. After reaching the police car, Seth Houy then ran down the hill towards the Senior Parking Lot. Woodman did not know at the time why he had done this. Attachment B is a diagram of the Columbine High School grounds. Woodman indicated on the diagram the location of the police car.

There were two police officers hiding behind the police car. She saw numerous students behind the police vehicle. These students included Kacey Rugsegger, Jenna Park, Dan Stepleton, Makia Hall, Austin Bubanks, Josh Lapp, and Byron Kirkland. Lapp and Kirkland initially tried to keep Woodman calm. Numerous of the students were injured, including one boy with multiple wounds laying on the ground. His eyes kept rolling back and other students kept talking to him trying to keep him alert. Rugsegger was injured and Woodman could see the joint in her shoulder. Stepleton’s leg was bleeding but he was still trying to help other injured students. Hall had been hurt in the leg and Bubanks was bleeding in his finger and ankle.

At some point after reaching the police car, one of the police officers stated there was somebody on the roof. Shortly after that comment, other police cars started shuttling the injured students from behind the initial police car. They were shuttled to the shed next to the soccer field. After several vehicles, Woodman was picked up by a police vehicle she believed to be a Yukon. She was dropped off on the west side of the track below Rebel Hill. She started to walk away from the school and saw news media running down from the top of Rebel Hill. The news media interviewed Woodman. Woodman stated that at that time she was still hysterical. After the interview she walked with Sara Houy and Craig Scott toward the cul-de-sac in the neighborhood bordering Clement Park. They were on their way to the cul-de-sac to pray for the other students still in the school. As they were walking Seth Houy appeared and said that they should go to Houy’s father’s store called Wall Units. The store is located in the strip mall at the corner of Wadsworth and Bowles. Woodman, Seth Houy and Sara Houy all walked to Houy’s father’s store.
Woodman said the gunmen seemed to be in the library for approximately thirty minutes. She said it could have been only about ten minutes though. She stated that it was hard to differentiate between the explosions that occurred within the library. She heard what she thought were approximately five different explosions within the library. She could not distinguish between what might have been a pipe bomb explosion or a CO2-canister explosion.

Woodman had a black, square, Liz Claiborne purse that was left in the library. The purse has a long strap. In her purse was her student identification, driver's license, debit card and some cash. She left her backpack on top of table #10. The backpack contained a Texas Instruments TI-85 graphing calculator, glasses, books and notebooks. Her physics book would have been laid out on top of the table. Woodman had a blue fleece, Old Navy jacket, her camera and prom pictures that also should be at the table.

Woodman does not use her locker. Her locker is located in the hall next to the gym. She shares Dendorfer's locker which is located in the math hall. Most of Woodman's classes are in that area of the building and it was more efficient for her to share Dendorfer's locker.
On April 29, 1999 this investigator conducted an interview with Emily Wyant. Ms. Wyant is a sophomore at Columbine High School. Ms. Wyant made the following statements.

Ms. Wyant stated on April 20, 1999 she was suppose to be in science class. Mr. Petersen her teacher was giving a test. Ms. Wyant had not prepared for it so Mr. Petersen sent her to the library to look over her notes.

Ms. Wyant arrived at the library at approximately 10:45 A.M. Approximately 11:10 A.M. or after she heard gunshots. A female teacher came into the library yelling for everyone to get down. The teacher is the one, who dialed 911. The teacher kept telling the students to stay under the tables.

Ms. Wyant stated she was sitting with Cassie Bernal. Ms. Wyant was shown diagram of the library and noted she and Cassie Bernal were sitting at what is marked table # 18. Ms. Wyant stated she was facing west crouched down facing west. Cassie was crouched down facing east. For details see attached diagram.

Ms. Wyant stated you could hear the gunshots getting closer. The two gunmen entered the library through the library’s main entrance. She stated she had never seen either one of the gunmen before. Although she would recognize them again if she saw them again. She described gunman number one wearing a black trench coat, tall, with long brown hair. Gunmen number two did not have a
coat. He was wearing a white T shirt and black pants. Both had guns but she does not know what kind.

Both gunmen came into the library throwing pipe bombs and shooting. Both gunmen were talking back and forth with each other. They said they are doing this for revenge at Columbine High School. They were going to blow up the library. Who is the next one to die.

Ms. Wyant stated she believes they started shooting on the east side of the library. They were also over by the computers. She stated the gunmen looked under their table. They glanced at Ms. Wyant. Cassie was praying. The tall gunman shot Cassie in the head.

After shooting Cassie in the head they went over to where Isaiah was between table 17 and table 16. They shot Isaiah in the face. They were not sure he was dead. One said to the other shoot him again. They shot Isaiah two more times.

Both gunmen kept yelling for people in white hats to stand up. Both of the gunmen kept going back and forth in the library shooting and throwing pipe bombs.

Ms. Wyant stated that both the gunmen left for approximately five minutes. Before they came back Ms. Wyant stated she was so scared that she ran over and hid with the people under what is marked table # 19.

Ms. Wyant stated both gunmen came back into the library and started shooting all over again. She stated that Matt Katcher was shot during this period.

Ms. Wyant stated the gunmen left again and did not return. There was a whole group kids somewhere between 15 to 20 of them ran for the exit on the back side of the library. Seven of the people were injured. They went through the exit and saw a police car. They ran over to the police car and hid behind it.
Ms. Wyant stated the other people whom she recognized were Jennifer Matthews, Craig Scott, Joshua Lapp, Hedi Johnson, and Aaron Cohn.

Ms. Wyant was asked if she heard anything on the intercom or saw anything on the marquee relating to it being Hitler’s birthday or something bad was going to happen on April 20, 1999. Ms. Wyant stated she never saw nor heard anything like that.

Ms. Wyant stated described her backpack as a red JansSport. The backpack contained her books, her wallet with $40 to $50, drivers license and a calculator.

Ms. Wyant confirmed she has seen the pictures of the gunmen in the media.

In addition she overheard Bree Pasqual, another student beg for her life. Ms. Pasqual was under table 19 on the diagram.

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4-29-99
Date
Emily Wyant, date of birth January 23, 1983, 6577 South Ammons Court, Littleton, Colorado 80123, telephone number (303) 972-2383, was interviewed at her home in the presence of her parents, David and Cindie Wyant. After being advised of the identity of the interviewing agent and the nature of the interview, Wyant furnished the following information:

Wyant is a Sophomore at Columbine High School. Her first class of the day is Language Arts with Mrs. Haggert. This class is during first period which runs from 7:30 a.m. to 8:20 a.m. During second period Wyant has Spanish with Mrs. Hickman. This class runs from 8:25 a.m. to 9:20 a.m. Second period is extended an additional five minutes for the announcements to be broadcast over the Rebel News Network television system. On April 20, 1999, Wyant watched the announcements and does not remember anything unusual. Third period runs from 9:25 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. and Wyant has Choir with Mr. Andreas, Jr. Her fourth period class is Math with Mr. Havens. This class runs from 10:20 a.m. to 11:10 a.m. Wyant's fifth period class is Science with Mr. Peterson in Science Room Number #2. Fifth period runs from 11:15 a.m. to 12:05 p.m. Wyant then has what is known as "B" Lunch which runs from 12:10 p.m. to 12:40 p.m.

On April 20, 1999, Wyant went to her fifth period science class. The previous day, Wyant was involved in a golf tournament and missed her science class. Mr. Peterson sent Wyant out of the classroom to catch up on her studying for the science class. Her class was taking a test and the teacher wanted Wyant to be prepared for the test. Wyant went to the Library to study, arriving sometime between 11:15 and 11:20 a.m. She moved to the west side of the Library and sat down at table #19. Cassie Bernall was already sitting at the table. Bernall was sitting in a chair at the southwest corner of the table. Wyant sat down at the chair located at the northeast corner of the table. Attachment A is a diagram of the Columbine High School Library. Wyant indicated on the diagram the locations that she and Bernall sat at the table.

Within a few minutes of sitting down at the table, Wyant heard what she thought were "paint ball" sounds coming from outside the Library on the west side of the school. Several

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students moved to the window to look out and see what was happening. Wyant stood up from her chair and looked out the window. She saw a student running across the soccer field away from the school. Wyant only stood up at her table and did not move toward the window. Wyant saw no other movement in the area outside the school that she was able to see. Wyant immediately sat back down in her chair.

Within a few minutes of sitting back down, Mrs. Nielson, a teacher, came into the Library and was very frantic. She stated something to the effect of "a student with a gun" and told everyone to get down under the tables. Nielson was also asking where the librarian, Ms. Keating, was. Wyant then began hearing gun shots which came from the hallway outside of the Library. The gun shots were individual in nature and were not multiple gun shots. At that point Wyant and Bernall were both hiding under their table. Wyant was under the table on the east side facing in a western direction. Bernall was on the west side of the table facing in an eastern direction. Wyant was able to turn her head toward the front area of the Library. She was able to see the area near the reference table and the librarian's counter.

Wyant then heard talking and knew that somebody was entering the Library. This was followed by two or three gun shots as they entered the Library. Wyant was looking over her shoulder towards the librarian's counter and saw a student jump or go down on the floor near the counter. She then heard one of the gunman state, "Who wants to be killed next?" and another statement of, "We're gonna blow up the Library." The gunmen moved toward the west side of the Library and Wyant saw them as they moved past the reference table and toward the computer tables and table #18. The first gunman she saw was a white male wearing a long black trenchcoat, black pants, and army boots. He had long hair and was taller than the second gunman. Wyant thought this gunman was Dylan Klebold. This identification was based upon seeing his photograph in the media. Following Klebold was a white male wearing a white t-shirt, black pants, and army boots. She could not identify this individual. She was unable to identify any weapons being carried by the two gunmen.

Both gunmen moved toward what Wyant thought was table #18 and set something down on top. She could not specifically
recall what they set down, but knew it was more than a gun and appeared to be like a box. Both of gunmen set down something on the table. At that point, one of the gunmen made a comment about this being for "all the stuff Columbine put us through." She then remembers hearing the gunmen up near the computer tables. She heard several gun shots near the computer tables. She then remembers them making comments about "his brains".

Wyant and Bernall had pulled the chairs in around their table and they blocked Wyant's view of a lot of areas. The gunmen then went up toward the west windows of the Library. She remembers the gunmen going back toward to west windows on several occasions especially Klebold or the taller of the gunmen. She did not see them shoot out of the windows. She does remember hearing one of the gunmen make a comment about "cops." This comment was made when one of gunmen was standing along the west windows between the bookshelves and one of the reading chairs.

Both gunmen seemed to move past Wyant's table on the north side on several occasions. Wyant did not expect either of the gunmen "to come under her table" and start shooting. One of the gunman came around from the southwest corner of the table, put his gun under the table and peaked at Bernall. He then shot Bernall. Wyant does not remember any conversation between Bernall and the gunman. Wyant described this gunman as having pants and boots the same color. She did not see his shirt or his face. She thought he may have had long hair but was not positive. The gun he stuck under the table and shot Bernall with was very large. Wyant described the barrel as being shotgun sized or bigger. Prior to being shot Bernall and Wyant were whispering to each other. Bernall was praying out loud and had stated she wanted to get out of the Library.

After shooting Bernall the gunman turned towards the area between table number #20 and the bookshelves. Bre Pasquale was sitting up between table #20 and the bookshelves. She was not hiding under the table. The gunman looked at Pasquale. Pasquale said "don't shoot me" and "I don't wanna die." Wyant does not know what the gunman may have said to Pasquale. The gunman did not shoot Pasquale and must have gotten distracted as he moved away from the area between table #19 and #20.
Wyant remembers hearing a comment by the gunman pointing out Isaiah Shoels for his color. She does not specifically remember the gunman using the word "nigger." After hearing the comment, she heard one gun shot followed by another gun shot. She then heard one of the gunmen ask the other one if he was dead. This was followed by another gun shot. Wyant does not specifically remember if Shoels was shot before Bernall or after Bernall. She thought he may have been shot before Bernall was shot. Wyant places everything that occurred within the Library based upon the event occurring before or after the shooting under her table.

Wyant does remember hearing the shooting gunmen near the computer tables prior to Bernall being shot. Wyant could not see the gunmen by the computer tables, because her view was blocked by the chairs around her table. While the gunmen were on the west side of the Library she does remember hearing one of them ask people in white hats to stand up. She doesn't believe anyone stood up after the comment. Wyant cannot place this comment in the sequence of events of occurring prior to Bernall being shot or after. She also recalls hearing one of the gunmen state "I got myself." This comment may have occurred prior to Bernall being shot or after. Wyant remembers two pipe bombs exploding in the southern part of the west side of the Library. The explosions caused the Library to fill with smoke. The smoke made the air in the Library foggy and difficult to see. Wyant believes these explosions occurred after Bernall was shot. Wyant remembers seeing the firealarm strobe light flashing in the hallway. She can not specially recall when she saw the firealarm strobe flashing. Wyant did hear books falling of the bookshelves. She believes this occurred after the gunmen entered the Library.

After the shooting under her table, Wyant had difficulty hearing. She could barely hear the fire alarm going off in the Library. She did not hear much of the movement and comments of the gunmen or the gun shots in the middle and east sections of the Library. Wyant could give no specifics of what occurred in those sections of the Library.

After Bernall was shot and there was quiet or least no shooting in the Library for awhile. Pasquale motioned Wyant to come over near her. Pasquale was waving and verbally telling
Wyant to come over near her. Wyant moved out from under her table and sat next to Pasquale against the bookshelves near table #20. Wyant believes there may have been more shooting within the Library after she moved. Wyant did not look under table #16 after she moved. She does specifically remember hearing gunfire in other parts of the school after moving next to Pasquale. She does not remember how long she was next to Pasquale. Wyant was hiding under her table longer than she remembers being next to Pasquale. After further consideration, Wyant believes that she probably moved next to Pasquale after the gunmen had left the Library.

After there were no more gun shots in the Library and there were gunshots Wyant believes were coming from the Commons area, somebody said they're gone and let's get out. Wyant got up and moved along the west windows of the Library toward the back door. As she moved along the windows, she saw Steven Curnow sitting in the first cubby hole of the south computer table. Wyant did not see Curnow shot and at that point in time was not aware that he had been shot. She was surprised to learn that Curnow had been shot, as she does not recall any shooting in that area. As she ran along the west windows, she noticed only a few holes within the windows. She does not remember there being any glass on the floor in the Library from the windows. Wyant then exited the Library out the back door and ran up the hill hiding behind a police car.
Jake Apodaca  
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at soccer field with a friend and heard what sounded like firecrackers; saw 3 subjects near school, shooting; one threw bombs onto roof of school; subjects shot shotgun toward him and his friend; he and his friend ran to a house and called 911; he saw a gunman ducked down with a shotgun in Weaver Park; subjects were W/N, 2 wearing black trenchcoats, black berets, black pants, black Army boots, black T-shirts, carrying shotguns; he has seen them at school before, but did not find them in the yearbook he was shown; the third subject had light brown hair, wearing a white T-shirt and jeans, throwing bombs onto the roof; saw one explode; Apodaca has not seen him at school before (SEE WRITTEN STATEMENT).

Detective  
Brian Lynch  
4/20/99

JC-001-000653
I make the following statement of my own free will with no force or threats used against me and no promises made or implied to induce me to make this statement:

Name: LAKE APODACA Phone: Home: 904-2358 Business: PINATAS

Home Address: 2472 S. UANCE ST.

Business Name: PINATAS

Business Address:

ME AND MY FRIEND WERE AT THE SOCCER FIELD AND WE HEARD WHAT SOUNDED LIKE FIRE CRACKERS AND WE LOOKED OVER AND WE SAW 3 MEN BY THE SCHOOL AND THEY WERE SHOOTING GUNS. ONE OF THEM THREW A COUPLE OF BOMBS ON ROOF OF SCHOOL, AND THEN THEY SHOT WHAT LOOKED LIKE A SHOTGUN AT US, AND WE FELL TO THE GROUND AND THEN RAN TO A HOUSE NEAR BY AND CALLED THE POLICE. THERE WAS A GUNMAN IN PARK DUCKED DOWN WITH A SHOTGUN.

Date: 4-20-99

Time: 1:30

Signature: [Signature]

Witness: [Witness]

CSP 422 (REV 12/87)

JC-001-0008654
BEGINS AT 10 OR END AT 5
6 TO 12" BOLTED ENSANCH
TIE DINosaurs WITNESS

DOES THUNDER
PERCY ROBERT
SARGENT BRIAN
STARR JOSPEH

TRENCH COST MAEVE
WOMEN

DATE: [blank] SIGNATURE: [blank]
TIME: [blank] WITNESS: [blank] JC-001-000655
On April 27, 1999, Jacob Anthony Abodaca, date of birth October 4, 1982, of 7472 South Vance Street, Littleton, Colorado, telephone number (303) 904-2358, was interviewed at 6572 West Calhoun Place, Littleton, Colorado, in the presence of Howard E. Wisher, date of birth April 12, 1949, with the permission of his mother, Vicki Abodaca. After advisement of the identity of the interviewing agent and the nature of the interview, he provided the following information:

Abodaca is a sophomore at Columbine High School. On April 20, 1999 at 11:10 a.m., which is the end of fourth period, he went to the cafeteria to meet his friends, Chris Wisher, Josh Chavez and John [Last Name Unknown]. Just prior to the 11:15 bell, while sitting at a table near the south window in the cafeteria, he saw Dylan Klebold walk into the cafeteria through the southwest entrance. He was dressed all in black, black boots, black trousers, black shirt, a black trenchcoat, and was wearing a backwards hat with a Boston Red Sox emblem.

Abodaca knew Klebold only by sight and indicated that during lunch, he normally sat in his BMW in the parking lot on the south side of the cafeteria.

Abodaca and his friends walked out of the southwest exit of the cafeteria towards the soccer field. He heard what sounded like a string of firecrackers going off, and turned towards the school and saw two white males crouching along the northwest corner of the cafeteria.

One person was dressed in a white short-sleeved tee shirt and blue jeans, with no weapon visible. The other person was dressed all in black, black trousers, black shirt, black trenchcoat, a black beret, and was wearing what appeared to be a black mask. He did not recognize either of these individuals since one had on a mask and the person in the white tee shirt because was crouched down with his back to him.

Abodaca saw the person in the white tee shirt throw an object about the size of a soda can on top of the library. This object appeared metallic, since it looked silver in the sunlight. One or two seconds after landing on the roof, it exploded with a

loud boom, a flash of fire and puff of smoke. He then threw a second object on the roof which also exploded.

After the second device exploded, the person dressed in the black trenchcoat walked west from the northwest side of the cafeteria, and shot at three students near the southwest corner of the cafeteria, with what Abodaca believes was a shotgun.

After shooting at these three people, the shooter fired four or five times at Abodaca and his friends, who were about 40 to 50 yards away. They fell to the ground, and after the shooter entered the school through the southwest cafeteria entrance, they got up and ran to a nearby house on Teller Court.

Abodaca knew who Eric Harris was, but never talked with him. He knows two other members of the Trenchcoat Mafia, Joe Stair [who graduated from Columbine High School last year] and Chris Morris. During lunch, Morris usually sits by himself at a table on the south side of the cafeteria, but he cannot recall if he saw Morris there on April 20, 1999.

According to Abodaca, the audiovisual class transmits a "Phrase of the Day" over the school television system each day at the end of second period. Abodaca recalls the Phrase of the Day on April 20, 1999, which was broadcast on televisions in each classroom, appeared to be written in German. He later heard from other friends this Phrase of the Day was transmitted by Trenchcoat Mafia members in the audiovisual class, and was translated to mean "Today is the day you wish you weren't here."
I saw him start shooting at people. This person is about 6'0 and had a black trench coat on, we were on the field and he shot at us. It was so scary we started to run off the school and we stop only one low would stop. There were two people with guns and grunds.
ASSOCIATED CASE REPORT NUMBERS:

Jefferson County Sheriffs C.R.: 99-7625
FBI Control number: 174A-DIV-57419

SUBJECT: ARAPKILES, WILLIAM GEORGE
DOB: 11/16/83
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PARENTS:
MOTHER: MARY SUE ARAPKILES
FATHER: WILLIAM ARAPKILES

OBSERVATION / INVESTIGATION:

On May 5, 1999 I interviewed William (Billy) Arapkiles. Billy is a student at Columbine High School and was in the vicinity of the cafeteria at the time of the shootings. I learned about Billy while speaking to his mother about an interview with Billy's sister Amanda Arapkiles.

Billy reported that he was actually on the soccer field located to the south-west of the cafeteria during the shootings. Billy stated that he had been in the cafeteria between 11:00 and 11:10AM to see if his other sister, Amy, was going out to lunch. When he found out she had already left for lunch, he then went looking for a soccer ball to play soccer with. When he located the ball he went to the field where he played with some other students. Billy related that about five (5) minutes after he began playing soccer she heard what sounded like fire works going off in the area of the cafeteria. Billy said he and the others on the field began to cheer and shout thinking it was a prank. He said that he looked toward the school and observed three people near the west entrance to the north main hall. Billy stated that two the subjects were wearing trench coats, and the third was wearing a white shirt. According to Billy the two subjects wearing the trench coats had guns. He did not see the subject with the white shirt with a fire arm. Billy related that the subject wearing the white shirt was a victim but was with the other two. Billy reported that he was too far away to recognize the subjects.

Billy continued to say that while he was watching the subjects the
were shooting at the ground and into the air. He continued to say that he observed the subjects in the trench coats shoot one person near the top of the outside stairs leading from the cafeteria area to the west entrance to the north hall. He saw them shoot a second person at the bottom of the hill near the cafeteria, and a third as the victim was trying to run away across the student parking lot. At about this time the shooters noticed the people on the soccer field and began firing at them. Billy reported that during the shooting he believes that a long gun one of the shooters had jammed as there was a pause in the firing, and he observed the shooter making a rearward pulling action at the gun, like he was "cocking a crossbow".

Billy reported that he got down on his hands and knees and crawled across the soccer field to the fence on the west edge of the field, and jumped the fence into the back yard of a house. Billy reported that he and several students took shelter in the residence at 6337 South Teller Court. Billy reported that from this residence the dialed 911 and reported the shootings.

Billy said that while he was in the cafeteria he did not see anything like a duffel bag on the floor and no one carried such a bag into the cafeteria while he was there. Billy further advised that none of the subjects he saw doing the shooting were carrying a duffel bag.

Billy reported that he is a freshman. He had no additional information and the interview concluded at 0900.

Agent: 1173 STEFFEY, TIMOTHY
Printed: 05/06/99 13:14
---*EOR*---
On 5/7/99, James Archibeque, DOB 1/12/82, 7201 South Weber, Littleton, Colorado, was advised of the identity of the interviewing Agent, and the nature and purpose of the interview. He was interviewed in the presence of his Mother, Pam Archibeque, DOB 1/15/57. He provided the following information.

On 4/20/99, James arrived at Columbine High School at approximately 7:10 a.m. He parked his car, and went to the commons/cafeteria area to buy breakfast. After he bought his breakfast, he sat at table E22, with Brad Bohling. He didn't notice any duffel bags or packages out of the ordinary in the cafeteria. After breakfast, he went to his normal classes. His last class prior to first lunch period was photos class.

On that day, he was outside as part of his photos class, and was about to finish class at about 11:10 a.m. He heard gun shots from the vicinity between the cafeteria and the gymnasium. He saw students running out of the building near the cafeteria, and then heard the fire alarm. Many students were running toward Clement Park. James also ran in this direction, and kept running through the park, and all the way to Bowles. He later saw his Father, who is a West Metro Firefighter at the scene.

James didn't note any duffel bags being carried by anyone to include Harris and Klebold on Monday or Tuesday. Although he has seen Klebold and Harris around school, he didn't know them personally. Additionally, James stated that he knew of the Trench Coat Mafia (TCM), however he didn't know any of them, or never associated with people that knew them. James did however hear about an individual that may have been a possible shooter. He identified this individual as [redacted] from the [redacted]. He heard about this from an individual named [redacted] last name unknown (LNU). James believes that [redacted] telephone number is [redacted].
Donald Allen Arnold Jr., "Don", DOB 3/4/63, was interviewed at his residence, 5546 S. Yukon Way, Littleton, Colorado regarding the shooting at Columbine High School (CHS). After being advised of the identity of the interviewing Agent and the nature of the interview, Arnold provided the following information:

Arnold is a 10th grader at Columbine High School. Arnold's 3rd period class is American History. Arnold has 4th period off, has "A" lunch, and is in a drafting class 5th period. On the day of the shooting, Arnold left his 3rd period class at the end of the class period and walked to his locker. From his locker, Arnold walked to Polk St., near an alley, where he ate a lunch that he had brought to school (bagels). Arnold was with two of his friends, Pat Neville and Chris Wisher, when he ate his lunch. Arnold did not go in the cafeteria on the day of the shooting. Arnold did not see any bags or propane tanks in the hallway as he was leaving the building after third period. Arnold does not know what time 4th period ends and does not know the time that he ate lunch.

After eating his lunch, Arnold walked to an area on the soccer field near a shed. Arnold thinks it took approximately one minute to walk from Polk Street to the soccer field near the shed. Pat Neville and Chris Wisher were with Arnold as he was walking at the soccer field. Arnold saw 5 or 6 other people near the shed. Arnold had been on the soccer field for approximately five minutes when he heard what he thought were firecrackers coming from an area near the school, on the north side of the school. Arnold could not tell how many "firecrackers" exploded.

Arnold looked towards the school and saw a short, pudgy male, wearing a white T-shirt, and throwing something onto the roof of the school near the electrical transformers. Arnold heard and explosion and saw dust on the roof soon after. Arnold could provide no further description of this person and did not see this person with a gun.

Arnold then saw another male, whom he could not describe, shooting a shotgun towards the senior parking lot. This individual was standing on the upper level, north of the...
parking lot and near the school building, approximately 10 yards Southwest of the first male. Arnold is familiar with the sound of a shotgun from times he has gone shooting with his father. Arnold heard this shotgun and another, different, gun being shot but he did not see a second gun. Arnold does not know how many rounds were fired towards the senior parking lot. Arnold saw 3 or 4 people in the senior parking lot as the second male was firing into the lot. Arnold saw these people drop to the ground but does not know if they were shot.

The second male then turned towards the soccer field and fired 5 or 6 rapid fire shotgun blasts towards people on the soccer field. Arnold saw one person get shot near the edge of the soccer field that is closest to the school. Arnold then saw a second person get shot on the soccer field. This person was located to the west, southwest of the first person who got shot. Arnold thinks that one of the persons who was shot was shot in the ankle. There were approximately 10 or 11 people on the soccer field at this time.

Arnold saw a pump handle on the shotgun that the second individual was holding and a black barrel. Arnold did not see any other weapons. Arnold, Neville and Wisher started running after the second individual fired towards the soccer field. The three ran to a house located at 6805 W. Polk Ave., where they called the police. Arnold thinks that there were 15 to 16 students who ran to the house. In addition to Neville and Wisher, Arnold remembers seeing Jake Apodaca and Art Curtis at the house. Arnold went to Pinata's restaurant following the shooting where he was able to eat a free meal.

From the time Arnold heard the firecrackers to the time he started running was approximately one minute. Arnold did not hear the individuals say anything and thinks that some of the shots he heard from the gun which was not a shotgun might have been explosions. Arnold did not see the second individual reload his shotgun.

Arnold does not know Eric Harris or Dylan Klebold. He could not identify the two individuals he saw near the school due to the fact that he was approximately 50 yards away from them. Arnold knows one member of the trenchcoat mafia, Joe Stair. Arnold knows of Stair from Stair's sister Amanda. Arnold also
Donald Allen Arnold

has 5th period drafting class with the girl who was identified as helping Klebold and Harris purchase guns. Arnold could not provide her name.

Arnold kept his backpack as the shooting was happening and did not leave it on the school grounds. Arnold stated that Chris Wisher and Jake Apodaca were interviewed soon after the shooting by Fox Cable T.V., Ted Koppel, and the Colorado Springs Gazette. Arnold does not have a nickname but knows that Wisher is nicknamed "Sloth". Apodaca has two nicknames, "Indian" and "Dirty Native".

Arnold stated that the thought for the day on the Rebel News Network (RNN) on the day of the shooting was words to the effect of, "Today is the day you wish you weren't here". Arnold's teacher, Mr. Talocco (phonetic), told Arnold that he was mad about the message and did not think that Harris or Klebold had access to RNN.

Arnold indicated his position, the positions of the two individuals and the positions of the students who had been shot on a map labeled, "Columbine High School" which was produced by the FBI Evidence Response Team. A copy of this map is attached to this report.
INTERVIEW WITH JAYSON AUTENRIETH

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On 4-28-99, I went to Jayson Autenrieth’s residence to interview him concerning the Columbine H.S. incident. Autenrieth stated that on 4-20-99, at 6:48 a.m., he was at the bus stop and picked up by the bus and arrived at school at approximately 7:00 a.m. Autenrieth stated he went to his locker and met with some friends and was in first class at approximately 7:30 a.m. Autenrieth stated he had no 3rd period class and he was in the commons/lunch room seated on the west side of the commons, by the vending machines. Autenrieth stated that his 4th period class was a gym class involving weight lifting which was over at approximately 11:08 a.m. Autenrieth stated that he walked to the publications room and met with his girlfriend, Kim Blair, and Anna Marie Hochhalder. Autenrieth stated that he and the two girls walked downstairs to the commons and walked out the west door, located in commons area. Autenrieth stated the west door that they exited was the most easterly west door in the commons area, which exits to a concrete area in front of the senior parking lot. Autenrieth stated that he and the girls sat on the concrete at approximately 11:15 a.m., talking. Autenrieth stated that a short time later, possibly a minute or so he heard shots and his first thought was that it was a senior prank. Autenrieth stated that he saw two gunmen located west of where they were sitting, at the top of stairs, on the south west side of the library by the chain link fence. Autenrieth stated that suspect #1 was a white male, wearing no mask, and that he recognized him as a student of Columbine H.S. and a member of the Trench Coat Mafia. Autenrieth stated he now knows his name is Eric Harris by watching television. Autenrieth further described Eric Harris, suspect #1, as having black hair, short in length, a black full length trench coat, black pants, black boots, carrying a huge all black duffel bag approximately three to four feet long and two feet wide. Autenrieth further stated that he observed Harris put the duffel bag on the ground, unzip the bag and take out a gun. Autenrieth described the gun as a long barrel gun with a total length of approximately 48 inches long, semi-automatic. Autenrieth stated he saw the bullets from that gun being shot and hitting the ground in the grassy area where he was located. Autenrieth stated that suspect #2, was a white male, taller than suspect #1, approximately 6 foot to 6’ 2”, with a black cap worn backwards, black boots, black pants, black shirt, trench coat, carrying a black duffel bag, approximately the same length and width as suspect #1. Autenrieth stated he observed suspect #2 unzip and take out a gun, described as short gun, believed to be a fully automatic gun because of how fast the gun was firing. Autenrieth stated he observed suspect #2 shooting towards the west doors, and reloading a large magazine approximately 12 inches in length. Autenrieth stated he also observed suspect #1. Harris, shooting enough bullets that he had to reload a what as he described as a “curled” type magazine. Autenrieth stated after approximately a minute of shooting, suspect #2, left the top of the stairs out.
of his sight and suspect #1 stayed and continued to shoot. Autenrieth stated he observed suspect #1 shooting down in the area of the stairs, towards he, Blair, and Hochhalder. Autenrieth also stated he observed Eric, the shorter gunman shoot Dan Rohrbough and Lance Kirklin. Autenrieth stated that all the above occurred in approximately three to four minutes. Autenrieth stated that he, Kim Blair, and Hochhalder starting running towards the commons lower level doors, at which time Hochhalder got shot in the back and collapsed.

Autenrieth stated he and his girlfriend Kim Blair ran inside the commons and left Hochhalder on the concrete area in front of the commons area doors. Autenrieth stated he and Blair stayed in the commons area for approximately thirty seconds at which time two other girls, names unknown, were looking for his direction to which he told them to leave the commons area and run home. Autenrieth stated about that time he and Blair left the commons area and went to the aid of Hochhalder, at which time they drag her away from the gunfire, towards the south commons area doors. Autenrieth stated that while he was dragging Hochhalder’s body towards the school the suspects were shooting in his direction and also he observed a pipe bomb being thrown in the area of where Hochhalder had been lying. Autenrieth said he also observed the pipe bomb explode. Autenrieth stated that after putting Hochhalder near the building, face down, to protect her body from further explosions he and Blair ran towards the parking lot to hide behind a vehicle. Autenrieth stated that while running to the vehicle the suspects were firing on them from what he believed to be the library. Autenrieth stated that while hiding behind a vehicle in the senior parking he could hear screaming and yelling coming out of the library area. Autenrieth stated that some of the yelling was as follows: “This is what we always wanted to do.” “This is awesome.”

Autenrieth stated that again, he and Blair continued to attempt to move towards the soccer fields, moving from vehicle to vehicle until they could go no further due to the gun fire being directed towards them. Autenrieth stated after a period of time he and Blair were rescued by the police who drove them out of the area. Autenrieth stated that he now knows from seeing television that gunman #2’s name is Dylan Klebold.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Autenrieth stated he could hear voices out of the library due to the fact that the windows had been shot out and he was only approximately 30 feet away in the parking lot.

**DISPOSITION** OPEN, PENDING FURTHER INVESTIGATION
INTERVIEW WITH JAYSON AUTENRIETH

INVESTIGATION:

On Thursday, May 6, 1999, at about 11:00 a.m., at my request, Jayson Autenrieth responded to Columbine High School/south parking area.

Under my guidance and direction, Autenrieth walked back in the area of the southwest corner of the school. I then asked Autenrieth to go back over his footsteps and point out where he and others were on 4-20-99, at approximately 11:15 a.m. Autenrieth stated and pointed that he exited from the far east cafeteria door and walked south and west with Kim Blair and Ann Marie Hochhalder to an area in front of the farthest west and south planter near the west steps. Autenrieth stated that he was sitting approximately here, at which time he realized there were two paper back books located where he pointed and immediately said, "That is my book." Autenrieth then stated when asked where were the gunmen, pointed to the landing between the two stair pairs of steps going up towards the library and west entrance. Autenrieth stated that while they were eating their lunches by the planter, the shooting began and once they realized that the shooting was for real they started to run, at which time he believes, prior to Hochhalder running, that she was shot in the back and as she began to run she fell from the gunshot. Autenrieth stated that he and Blair ran into the cafeteria, staying there approximately 30 seconds, at which time he realized that he needed to assist Hochhalder. Autenrieth stated that he and Blair ran out of the cafeteria and pulled Hochhalder's body to an area behind the farthest west and south planter near the cafeteria wall. Autenrieth then stated he and Blair returned to the cafeteria for only a short period of time and then ran to the senior parking area to hide behind a vehicle in lane number 3, showing me where they went. Autenrieth stated that while hiding behind this vehicle he could see a long barreled gun now shooting from the southwest corner, upper level, out in the field in the direction towards the soccer field. Autenrieth stated that he and Blair began to move in a westerly direction to the parking lot, taking fire from what he described as the library area of the school. Autenrieth stated that after they got to the very west end of the parking lot they stayed there until they were rescued by police and fear of their safety.

At about 11:15 hours, this interview was completed.

[POSITION: Case open, pending further investigation. (See copy of attached diagram for further details).

   OFFICE Signature    Unit    Number    Supervisor initials and Date    Assigned To
   Investigator    VICTIM SERVICES    OTHER

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ARAPAHOE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

STATEMENT

I, ____________, make this voluntary statement to ________________, a Deputy Sheriff for the County of Arapahoe.

This statement is voluntary and is made by me without threat of punishment, and without unlawful coercion, influence or inducement.

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

First Name: HEALTH
Middle Name: ____________
Last Name: AVERY
DOB: ____________
Address: 3277 W.know Ave.
City: ____________
State: ____________
Zip: ____________
Phone: ____________

VEHICLE INFORMATION: ( ) Suspect ( ) Victim

Year: ____________ Make: ____________ Model: ____________ Style: ____________ Color: ____________

License: ____________ State: ____________ Vin #: ____________ Damage: ____________

SPECIFIC:

I was enjoying lunch and heard lots of gunshots and people started getting up to look where the gunshots were. I went outside and about to go for lunch, I went and looked to see what happened and I saw Anne Marie Hochhalter on the ground with blood all over her. Someone was trying to get her up off the ground. I heard more shots and saw a guy run upstairs with a gun. He had a black trench coat. I was one of the first to go inside and yell to everyone in the cafeteria that someone was shooting. Everyone got down on the floor. I heard more gunshots.

I further state that I have read the foregoing statement, that I understand the facts and all the facts stated therein are true in substance and in fact.

(Your Signature)

Witnessed by: ____________

Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office
5686 South Court Place
Littleton, Colorado 80120
started running to the Foreign Language hall. I ran with Misty (courtesy Haulman) into one of the rooms and ducked under a desk. I heard more bangs and the floor vibrated. Then we ran out of the room and out of the school. We ran as fast as we could to a house next to the school. That is all.

W. C. 7-29-73 1504 A. H.
INTERVIEW WITH HEATHER AVERY

7619 West Freemont Avenue

Littleton, Colorado

INVESTIGATION:

On April 29, 1999, at approximately 1405 hours, I arrived at 7619 West Freemont Avenue, Littleton, Colorado for the purpose of interviewing Heather Avery concerning the shooting that occurred at Columbine High School on April 20, 1999. Avery told me that she arrived at school at 0645 hours on April 20, 1999 and immediately went to the commons area of the school to study. Avery stated that she had classes first period through fourth period. Avery stated that at approximately 1105 hours her fourth period class ended and she immediately walked to the rest room located near her class, at which time she contacted Courtney Haulman and walked down to the lunch room, arriving at 1110 hours. Avery stated that after getting their lunch they walked outside the farthest east cafeteria door, which faces south, and sat on a concrete area in front of a cement wall. Avery stated that they had just sat down and she had taken two bites from a piece of pizza when she heard three or four "bangs," to which Courtney stated were gunshots. Avery stated that after a few seconds she heard more gunshots, at which time she and Haulman moved to the southwest corner of the cafeteria to investigate what they thought were shots. Avery stated that she saw Ann Marie Hochhalder lying on the ground and someone trying to help her. Avery stated that she was still also hearing gunshots at this time.

Avery stated that she saw two gunman by the very west cafeteria doors, describing the first gunman as follows: A white male, dark brown hair, tall, approximately 6' thin with no hat, wearing a black trench coat, army pants, black boots, black gun (pistol type), holding it in two hands. Avery described number two as a white male with light brown hair, shorter than gunman number one, wearing a trench coat, pants, color unknown, black boots, carrying a gun (longer than gunman number one's gun, black in color). Avery stated that gunman number two was shooting at other students directly west of his location. Avery stated that once gunman number two looked in her direction that she ran into the cafeteria, yelling at people to get down. Avery also stated that the janitor was saying the same thing. Avery stated that kids were running and screaming everywhere. Avery stated that we (Misty and I) ran to the foreign language hall to a class room and stayed there for approximately ten minutes. Avery stated that
other students were with them also. Avery stated that while in the room she could hear the fire alarm and felt explosions (three times) and that the wall and ceilings were crumbling. Avery stated that after approximately ten minutes of being in the room she and Haultman ran to the east end of the Senior parking lot and down to a seminary school located at Polk and Pierce. Avery stated that the period time of the above information was approximately 20 minutes. Avery stated that she never saw gunman number one or number two’s face, that she only got a side view of their faces. Avery did state that she did observe gunman one and two talking to each other.

Avery stated that she was not aware of the “Trench Coat Mafia” at Columbine High School until 4-20-99.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

Avery stated that she left her backpack by the far east outside cafeteria door, describing her backpack as black leather, possibly Outback brand, with three broken zippers.

**DISPOSITION:** Case open, pending further investigation.

JC-001-000877
WITNESS:

NIck BAKER, DOB/08-20-80
8374 South Everett Way #B
Littleton, Colorado 80123
Student: Columbine High School

INVESTIGATION:

On 04-29-99, at about 0930 hours, I contacted Nick Baker by phone. He gave me the following account as to what occurred on 4-20-99 at Columbine High School. Baker said he was in his 4th period creative writing class, which goes from 10:15 to 11:10 hours. He stated that normally suspects Harris and Klebold are in that class, however, they were not that morning. Baker stated he is familiar with both the suspects because they have taken classes with him, but that they are not social friends.

After 4th period class, at about 11:10 hours, Baker walked out of the building, exiting by the west doors on the upper level. When he walked out of the school he stated that he saw Eric Harris. He stated he is positive it was Harris. He stated Harris was standing near a tree perhaps 20 to 30 feet from the west doors Baker had exited from. He stated that Harris was standing in front of the tree looking over the senior parking lot. Harris was wearing a black trench coat and sunglasses. He may have been wearing a black baseball cap.

Baker stated that when he walked out of the school, Harris momentarily looked up at him and then looked back down. Harris was putting on a pair of black bicycle gloves which did not have fingertips. Baker saw Harris put a small grayish colored duffle bag on the grass. He stated that the bag appeared heavy and when it hit the ground it had a metal sound. Harris placed the grayish bag by his feet and slightly behind him. Baker stated there was no one around when he walked out of the school except for Harris. He never saw Klebold. Baker stated that before he exited the building he saw a teacher he believed to be Christy Nelson doing hall monitor duty just inside the double glass doors.
Baker stated he continued walking and took the stairs down to the parking lot where he met his friend, Nick Jackson. The two got into Jackson’s car and left the school grounds to go get lunch. Baker stated they did not know anything about the shooting at Columbine until afterwards when they were listening to the radio. Jackson drove Baker to his car which was parked in the Clement Park parking lot. Baker then went home and watched t.v. When he heard about suspects wearing trench coats he thought of Eric Harris and he called the Sheriff’s Office to pass on the information. This was at approximately 1300 hours.

Baker stated he does not recall the announcements that morning at 2nd period and did not remember the phrase of the day. He states he really has no relationship with either suspect, other than being in a class with them.

**DISPOSITION:** Open.
Colorado State Patrol
Investigative Services Section

Columbine High School Incident

Date of Report: 05-28-99
Control Number: 3280

Type or Print Name: (Report made by)  
Sgt. Tom Conroy

Signature:  

BM Number: 1534

Synopsis:

Andrew Beard, a senior at Columbine HS, has fifth hour free and his whereabouts at the time of the incident are unknown. This report documents the interview of Beard. Beard reveals that he spoke with Klebold the evening of 04-19-99, saw Klebold and Harris at bowling class on 04-20-99, and saw Klebold driving in the parking lot of Columbine HS on 04-20-99.

Subject:

BEARD, Andrew  DOB/04-30-81
3663 S. Sheridan Blvd. #0-9
Lakewood, CO 80235
Tele. 303 962-0720 - pager
303 762-9110 - work

BEARD said that on 04-20-99 his fourth hour class was wood shop. The class ended at 11:10 and BEARD walked from the shop to the tech lab to look for his friends. BEARD identified the friends he was seeking as Tim KASTLE and Chad LAUGHLIN. BEARD said that he was unable to locate KASTLE or LAUGHLIN in the tech lab, so he went to the teachers parking lot and got in his car. BEARD said that he exited the school through the main entrance on the north-east side of the school.

Once at his car BEARD said that he drove from the teachers parking lot, along the north side of the junior parking lot, and into the senior parking lot. BEARD said that he was looking for the vehicles belonging to KASTLE and LAUGHLIN to determine if they were still at the school. BEARD said as he drove through one of the aisles in the parking lot, Klebold drove his BMW into the same aisle. Klebold was traveling in the opposite direction. BEARD said he acknowledged Klebold with a nod of his head, but was unable to determine if Klebold acknowledged his nod. BEARD said that the windows on Klebold’s BMW were tinted. BEARD estimates the time of this encounter as between 11:15 and 11:20. BEARD diagrammed the path he drove through the parking lot. The diagram is attached and incorporated herein by this reference.

BEARD exited the parking lot onto Polk Avenue and drove to the Hamburger Stand Restaurant, 3100 S. Broadway, for lunch. BEARD remained at the restaurant for the remainder of the day, because his father would not allow him to
BEARD said that he did not have a backpack at school, did not carry a duffle bag and was not in the cafeteria on 04-20-99. According to BEARD the only items he had at school were his cutting board, which is a wood shop project, and the items in his locker.

BEARD said that he knew Klebold from school, was in bowling class with Harris and Klebold, and that Klebold and he participated in various fantasy sports leagues together. Beard said that on 04-19-99 he telephoned Klebold, attempting to arrange a trade of players in their fantasy baseball league. Klebold said, "I don't know, I'll think about it and let you know tomorrow." BEARD described the conversation as normal. BEARD did not sense that anything was troubling Klebold. BEARD also said that he would communicate with Klebold about fantasy sports via the internet. BEARD explained that the internet was not a good way to communicate with Klebold, as Klebold never checked his e-mail.

BEARD said that on the morning of 04-20-99 he was at bowling class and observed Harris and Klebold at the opposite end of the bowling alley. BEARD wanted to approach Klebold about the fantasy baseball trade, and when he finished bowling he went looking for him. Klebold and Harris were gone. BEARD described Harris as wearing his trench coat, and Klebold as wearing his black T-shirt and Boston Red Sox baseball cap. BEARD believes that Harris and Klebold were both wearing jeans. BEARD estimated he saw Harris and Klebold at 07:15 and discovered that they were gone at approximately 07:30.

BEARD is also a friend of [redacted]. BEARD said that at the after-prom he observed [redacted] standing with Harris and Klebold. BEARD said that [redacted] Harris, and Klebold left the after-prom at approximately 02:00. BEARD did not see Harris or Klebold again that morning, but [redacted] was seen playing volleyball with [redacted] at approximately 05:00.

BEARD said that he did not see [redacted] on 04-20-99. BEARD was told by Tim KASTLE that he, (KASTLE), saw [redacted] leaving the school for lunch at approximately 11:10.

BEARD has spoken with [redacted] on the telephone since the incident and states that [redacted] is mourning his friends. BEARD said that he does not believe that [redacted] was involved in the assault. BEARD saw [redacted] on 05-24-99. They watched Monday Night, which is WCW wrestling. BEARD also saw [redacted] on 05-20-99. [redacted] walked along with BEARD, KASTLE, and LAUGHLIN played golf at Overland Golf Club.

The interview with BEARD ended at 15:40.
Summary of Statement:

I was eating lunch outside by the stairs and I heard noise. At first I thought it was a joke, but then I saw bullets hitting the ground. Then I saw two guys go down, one got hit in the knee. After that I saw the guy with gun and he was about 6'2" and was wearing a black trench coat going down to his knees. I told my friends to run and we hid in the bathroom. We went out the door to the stairs and then out of the school by the weight room. We went to Clement park and then went to the apartment where I stayed my room. While I was in the bathroom I heard a sound like a bang. The gun looked like an AK47. I only saw one guy, armed and I saw him shoot two people.

I have read the foregoing statement and the facts contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I do not maintain that it contains all of the facts or details of the incident, but only those facts about which I have been asked.

Date: 4/20/99 2:40 PM

Signature of Person Making Statement

OPD 366 (Rev 2/95)
Will Beck, dob 6-16-83
5579 Maplewood Pl.
Littleton, CO. 80123
Ph. 303-738-0815

This investigator contacted this witness on follow up interview. Will's mother, Carol sat in on the interview. Will is a Sophomore.

Will stated he was at the lower end of the stairs by the cafeteria with Mark Christner when he heard what he thought was firecrackers. Will was outside and noticed dirt flying up about midway up the stairs.

At this time Will saw two students get shot. Will stated one said, "I'm paralyzed." Will stated he didn't know who the students were.

At this time Will looked up to see the suspect. He described him as Suspect #1, W-M, 6'2", skinny, blond hair, wearing black trench coat, knee length. Will stated the suspect was a junior or senior. The suspect held the gun with both hands and Will later learned it was a tech 9 gun. Will stated he heard a lot of shots and saw the suspect spraying bullets everywhere.

At this time Will stated he ran into the cafeteria and told Mr. Sanders, "There's guys out there with guns." Will stated Mr. Sanders went outside. Will told other students and then went into the small bathroom near the kitchen.
After a short time Will stated he and other students that had joined him in the bathroom left the room and found Mr. Andres holding the door of the auditorium open. Will stated he went upstairs thru the auditorium and out a door into the main hallway. At this time Will went down a hall to the weight room and exited that door to Clement park and then hopped a fence and went to Bowles and Pierce and called his mother.

Will stated the cafeteria sprinklers were not on when he exited the cafeteria. He used a wooden door from the kitchen to the cafeteria. He stated he heard a bomb go off that sounded like it came from the middle of the cafeteria.

Will stated he only saw one suspect and thinks it was Dylan. He didn’t see or hear any gunshots or bombs when he was in the park.

Will stated he left a green Jans Sport backpack, outside the lower level. It didn’t have his ID in it, but has a calculator and school supplies with his name on it. He thinks it is the only one outside.

Will stated he knows other TCM members and the only ones he knows are Chris Morris and Joe Stair.

Will didn’t go to the after-prom party.

Will then stated he remembers an incident on Thursday, April 15th., when he was lifting weights in 6th. Hour class. He stated a freshman who he doesn’t know came up to him and said, Will stated he told the kid to get away from him and he did and Will continued lifting weights. Will stated he didn’t think anything of the comment until after the school incident.

Investigator

Date

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CONTROL NUMBER #1899

REPORT TAKEN BY:

Agent Linda R. HOLLOWAY
CBI
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Denver, Colorado 80215
(303) 239-4218

WITNESS:

WILLIAM FREDERICK BECK
DOB: 06/16/83
5575 West Maplewood Place
Littleton, Colorado 80123
(303) 738-0815
Mother: Carol BECK
Father: Robert BECK

WHEN INTERVIEWED:

Phone interview: April 30, 1999 and May 4, 1999
Duplicate Control Number DN2406 - interviewed in person April 28, 1999 by Jim BURKHALTER - Jeffco DA

ACTION TAKEN.

On April 29, 1999 Agent Linda R. HOLLOWAY of CBI was assigned lead 1899 requesting contact with Will BECK, a student at Columbine High School. He was not listed on the Rapid Start system at that time. A message was left on an answering machine, phone number (303) 738-0815 on April 30, 1999.

On April 30, 1999 and again on May 4, 1999 I spoke on the phone with William BECK. He related that he was on the steps outside of the cafeteria at the time of the shooting. He first realized that there was a problem when he heard gunshots and saw students running and being shot at. He saw one gunman, that he described as tall, wearing a dark trench coat and having longer hair. He had a gun with a longer barrel and having circular holes. He left his backpack and fled into the cafeteria. He spoke with teacher, Mr. SANDERS, and hid in a restroom.

Shortly thereafter, he went through the auditorium and then ran out of the building to safety through the front doors. He had been in the cafeteria prior to school starting at around 7:20 a.m. He was with another another student, Dan MAUSER (sp) but saw nothing suspicious.

It was learned that he had been personally interviewed by District Attorney investigator Jim BURKHALTER on April 28, 1999 about the shooting.

BECK was concerned about his backpack and receiving the contents of his school locker and athletic locker.

There is no need for another "in person" interview of this witness.
Agent Linda R. HOLLOWAY
Colorado Bureau of Investigation
Gregory Beaver
aka, Scott Beaver
8111 W. Walker Dr.
Littleton, CO., 80123
303/948-7632

CHS student, in cafeteria and outside.

On May 28, 1999, this investigator met with Scott Beaver at his residence. Present during the interview were his parents.

Scott advised that on the day of the incident, he had just completed his fourth hour math class and was in the cafeteria at approximately 11:15 a.m. He said he got his lunch from the counter and went outside with his friend, Scott "Jack" Gregory. He described the area where they were as a grassy area on the south side of the cafeteria. He said that within a few minutes, another friend of his ran by and yelled to them that there was someone in the cafeteria shooting a gun. Scott Beaver stated that he then heard loud "booms" and he and his friend Jack Gregory ran to Leewood Park. He said he heard at least four more loud explosions coming from the school as well as the fire alarm. He advised that he left Leewood Park and ran to his residence. His father said that he arrived at the residence at 11:50 a.m. and Scott was there at that time.
Scott stated that he did not know Dylan Klebold or Eric Harris. He said he did know that some of the students wore black trench coats and that they were just another group of students in the school. He said that he did not see anything unusual in the cafeteria, nor was he aware of any rumors relating to this incident.

Investigation continues.
Denver Police Department

Metro Gang Task Force

Date: 05-07-99
To: Jefferson County
From: Detective Terry Demmel 78007-Assigned to the Columbine Law Enforcement Task Force

Supplementary Report

Ref: Interview with Columbine Senior student Michael Beeson DOB 08-10-81

On 05-06-99 at 6:30 P.M. Detective Terry Demmel, assigned with the Columbine Law Enforcement Task Force, contacted Columbine Senior student Michael Beeson by phone. Det. Demmel first spoke with Michael’s mother Alev explaining the need for the interview with her then handing the phone to Michael. Michael reported that he had A-period lunch and was walking to the cafeteria from the smoking pit when two unknown girls ran up and told him that there were people down there shooting people.

Michael reported that he ran back to the smoking pit, jumped the fence, then ran north to Clement Park.

While at the park Michael heard a lot of shooting and saw smoke coming off the roof of the school.

Michael reported that he did not know any of the kids who wore trench coats and did not know Eric Harris or Dylan Klebold. Michael left his back pack somewhere along his path as he ran.
I didn't see anything before school, everything was normal. At 11:20 (about) Jayson Antonietti, Anne Marie Hochhulter and I went out side to eat lunch. I looked up from our conversation and saw two male students dressed in black, putting down a black gym bag. Each pulled out a gun and the first shots were fired. The two male students on the steps fell. Only two feet away from me Anne Marie was shot in the back. The moments before I had made eye contact with Anne Marie fell. I went inside to get help. We were told to stay down. I returned outside to help Anne Marie. Jayson was dragging her to safety. Jayson and I huddled against the side of the building. The pipe bomb went off east of where I was. Rebel Corner was gone. Jayson and I ran into the parking lot and hid behind each other. The police cars were not visible yet but we heard them (the police) yelling at other students including Dusty Hochhulter to running down the street outside. It into

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4/20/99 2:50 AM
3:50 PM

Signature of Person Making Statement

JC-001-000699
Summary of Statement (cont.)

The western side of the parking lot Andy, the campus supervisor was yelling at them to take cover. Soon Jayson and I ran to the western fence and hid with other students behind the cars. We continually were interrupted by the sounds of gun shots and pipe bombs going off. We looked towards the baseball field (south) and saw the cop cars. Dusty and 3 other students left the scene by jumping over the wooden fence that was south from where we were. I glanced over the red cafe table I was hiding behind and saw a number of students I ran from the building from the upper western door. By now there was a helicopter circling the area and the cops were taking the people from upstairs to safety. Near Jayson, another student and I were rescued by the police in a cop car. We were taken to the field outside of school grounds from there I found my twin sister Hufi and we walked to safety. These are students go to CHS and are known as the French Coast gang. I do not know any of their names, but I have seen them at school.

I have read the foregoing statement and the facts contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I do not maintain that it contains all of the facts or details of the incident, but only those facts about which I have been asked.

1/20/99
1:50 PM

Signature of Person Making Statement