

CASE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_  
SUPERVISOR SIGN.: \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

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Inv. Assigned: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**COMPLAINT REPORT NARRATIVE**

**OFFENSE:** (2) Counts Domestic Battery  
Aggravated Discharge Of A Firearm  
(2) Counts Of Battery  
Criminal Damage To Motor Vehicle

**DATE/TIME/DAY:** 04-01-06 1749hrs. Saturday

**LOCATION:** 5962 Rolling Hills Ln. Belleville IL

**ZIP CODE:** 62223

**ZONE:** 68-16

**SUSPECT:** James T. Hodgkinson W/M 12-12-50  
Suzanne M Hodgkinson W/F 12-08-52

**OTHER PARTICIPANTS:** N/A

**DEPUTY:** Matthew J. Dobler

**COMPLAINT #:** # 172364

On 04-01-06 I Deputy Dobler responded to 5964 Rolling Hills Ln. for a possible Domestic Battery. While en-route the dispatcher advised me shots were being fired from the residence. Prior to my arrival the dispatch told me the weapon had been put away inside the residence of 5941 Rolling Hills Ln.

When I arrived, [REDACTED] W/M 06-07-86 stated the male resident at 5941 Rolling Hills Ln., who was later identified as James Hodgkinson punched his girlfriend in the face with a closed fist. [REDACTED] went to 5941 to speak with him about the battery. When [REDACTED] reached the outside porch area Hodgkinson walked outside with a shotgun and aimed it at [REDACTED] face. [REDACTED] attempted to get away from the shotgun and was struck in the left side of his head with the wooden stock by Hodgkinson. After [REDACTED] was struck he started running back to 5962 when the male subject shot one round. It was unknown at the time of this report if

the subject fired the round at [REDACTED] or in the air.

When [REDACTED] finished telling his side of the story I spoke with his girlfriend [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] stated while inside the residence at 5962 with her friend [REDACTED]. The male subject from 5941 who was identified as James T. Hodgkinson W/M 12-12-50 ' [REDACTED] father' forced the front door open and came inside. Once inside the residence James started screaming for

[REDACTED] was in an up stairs bedroom and came down to see what her father wanted. James told, [REDACTED] to get your stuff its time to come home. [REDACTED] told, James she wanted to stay at the residence until her friend came home. [REDACTED] then went up stair's into a bedroom and locked the door. James followed [REDACTED] to the bedroom and started cursing and asking where she was. James forced the bedroom door open and told [REDACTED] to get up. [REDACTED] was trying to hide next to the bed on the floor.

Once again [REDACTED] stated "No" and James became violent. James grabbed [REDACTED] by the hair and pulled her off the floor. After [REDACTED] was off the floor she attempted to run away. James would not release his grip and threw [REDACTED] to the floor. [REDACTED] friend [REDACTED] heard screaming and went up stairs. [REDACTED] observed James throwing [REDACTED] around the bedroom area.

[REDACTED] was able to get away from James and ran into an adjacent bedroom and went on top of the bed. James followed [REDACTED] and started hitting her arms, pulling hair and started grabbing her off the bed. [REDACTED] once again broke free and both [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] ran out of the residence.

[REDACTED] had her 2000 Green Honda Civic with [REDACTED] parked outside. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] entered the vehicle and attempted to leave. James came to the vehicle and opened the passenger's door where [REDACTED] was seated. [REDACTED] attempted to back out of the driveway but couldn't because James had the door open. After James could not get [REDACTED] out he reached inside the door and turned off the ignition. James then pulled out a possible pocket knife and cut [REDACTED] seatbelt.

After the seat belt was cut, [REDACTED] mother Suzanne M. Hodgkinson came to the vehicle.

Suzanne started fighting with [REDACTED] striking her in the arms and pulling hair in attempt to get her out of the vehicle. Suzanne had no success getting [REDACTED] out of the vehicle by striking her so she grabbed [REDACTED]'s legs to drag her out. [REDACTED] held [REDACTED]'s arms to keep her inside the vehicle. Suzanne finally gave up and told [REDACTED] "I'll just call the police and put you back into foster care." [REDACTED] believed at that time Suzanne walked away but was not sure because James started grabbing her once again. James was choking [REDACTED] while she was holding onto the steering wheel of the vehicle. During the struggle [REDACTED] had her Blue Belleville West sweat shirt ripped. [REDACTED] told James she was going to call the police. James became upset and punched [REDACTED] in the face with a closed fist. After the punch James left the area and went to his residence across the street. I observed red marks on [REDACTED] right arm and left side of her neck. I further observed hair which were pulled out on the ripped sweat shirt. I did not observe marks on [REDACTED] or [REDACTED].

After gathering the above information I waited for Deputy's Quirin and Pirtle to arrive. Once Quirin and Pirtle arrived we made contact with James at his residence. I recovered an Ithaca model 300, 12-gauge with serial number S7112390 from the kitchen leaning on the north wall for evidence. James was taken into custody with handcuffs in front because of a shoulder problem. During the frisk I recovered and secured a small pocket knife which was placed into evidence. Deputy Quirin took Suzanne into custody and secured her in the rear of his unit. A fired 12 gauge shot gun casing was found near the front porch of the residence in the yard which I took for evidence.

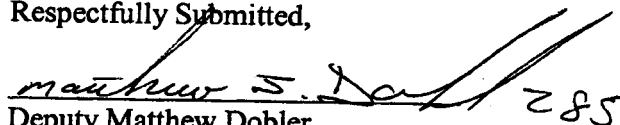
Deputy Frisse arrived on scene and transported [REDACTED] to the St. Clair County Sheriff Department. I transported James and Deputy Quirin transported Suzanne. Once at the Jail I placed a hold on James for Aggravated Discharge Of A Firearm and Domestic Battery. Suzanne also had a hold placed for Domestic Battery.

Non-Traffic Complaints # 5013454 (Battery), #5013455 (Unlawful Damage To Motor Vehicle), and #5013456 (Battery) were signed against James. The Non-Traffics were not served and are awaiting the outcome of the felony charges.

All the listed Evidence was secured in St. Clair County Evidence # 23 Cathy's sister Julie S. Simpson W/F 11-14-76 responded to the Sheriff's Department at approximately 2255hrs and took custody of her.

Note: Deputy Quirin took pictures of all the victims along with the evidence listed in this report.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
Deputy Matthew Dobler