

AFFIDAVIT

This affidavit is given at the request of District Attorney Steve Lanier, Floyd County, Rome, Georgia, for Gary Mitchum Reeves.

On or about March 5, 1976, Beverly Reynolds Minshew told me that she shot and killed her mother, Grace Wade, on the evening of August 13, 1974. The specific reason she gave was jealousy of her mother dating the same man that she (Beverly) was dating: Truman Newberry.

Since no murder weapon was ever found, I asked Beverly what she did with the gun? Beverly said she gave the gun to Richard Holcomb. When I asked what Richard did with the gun, Beverly's exact words were: "We buried the gun with Mama."

Affiant Beatrice Purdy 11-21-94
Beatrice Purdy date
Witness Jacquelyn Fountain 11-21-94
date

Personally appeared the above affiant, who after being duly sworn, states that the above facts contained in the foregoing affidavit are true to the best of my knowledge.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21st day of November, 1994.

Gary S. Wade
NOTARY PUBLIC Floyd County

My commission expires:
11-15-96
