Diagram of Shotgun

The shotgun found next to Judge Dixon's body is a Browning B-SS28, 12-gauge, single-barrel, single-shot shotgun. It has a lever on the top of the pistol-grip (tang) portion of the stock, which when pushed opens (or "breaks") the barrel at the breach where the shotgun shell is inserted. Just behind the lever on the top of the tang is a safety button, which slides forward to the "on" position and backwards to the "off" position. The "on" position means that the safety is on, and the shotgun will not discharge when the trigger is pulled; the "off" position means that the safety is off, and the shotgun will discharge when the trigger is pulled.

The gun barrel is thirty inches from the end of the muzzle to the breach. It is thirty-two inches from the muzzle end to the single trigger. Overall, from end to end, muzzle to butt, the shotgun is forty-six and three-quarters inches. The barrel has a modified choke (it narrows to keep the shot close together on discharge), and the gun weighs seven pounds.

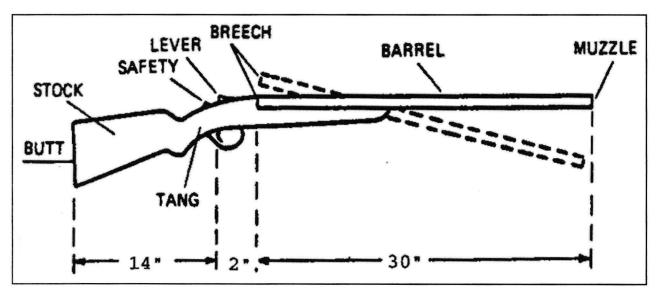


Exhibit 11

Diagram of Skull Prepared by Dr. Celli

