

# Media Information



Columbus Division of Police

Date: 02/12/2020

Major Crimes Bureau / Felony Assault Unit

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Type of Offense/Incident: Shooting

Date: 02/12/2020

Time: 4:53pm

Location of Offense/Incident: Alley W/O N. Champion  
Ave and N/O Toronto Street

Zone: 5

Precinct: 7

Incident Report #: 200117405

Cruiser District: 73

Victim: Michael Pryor

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 37

Victim: Lachelle Higgins

Sex: Female

Race: Black

Age: 29

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Jeffrey Chapple Jr

Address: 2312 Petzinger Rd

☐ Arrested ☒ Warrant on File

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 29

Charges: Felonious Assault (F-2)

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

**Incident Summary:** On February 12, 2020, at approximately 4:53 p.m., Columbus Police officers were dispatched to the 500 block of N. Ohio Ave. on a report of a shooting. Upon arrival officers located MICHAEL PRYOR suffering from a gunshot wound. Mr. Pryor was transported to an area hospital in critical condition. It was determined that JEFFREY CHAPPLE JR drove up to Mr. Pryor, pulled out a handgun, and shot at him multiple times then shot multiple times at LACHELLE HIGGINS, who was inside a vehicle. Mr. Chapple fled the area.

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