

STATE OF MAINE
CUMBERLAND, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT
CRIMINAL ACTION
DOCKET NO. CR-23- 2227

STATE OF MAINE

V.

JOSEPH EATON
DOB: 02/07/1989

INDICTMENT FOR:

COUNT I

17-A M.R.S. §§152, 152-A, & 201(1)(A)
AGGRAVATED ATTEMPTED MURDER
(CLASS A)

COUNT II

17-A M.R.S. §§152, 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A)
ATTEMPTED MURDER WITH THE USE
OF A FIREARM
(CLASS A)

COUNT III

17-A M.R.S. §§208-B (1)(A) & 1604(3)(A)
ELEVATED AGGRAVATED ASSAULT WITH
THE USE OF A FIREARM
(CLASS A)

COUNT IV

17-A M.R.S. §§152, 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A)
ATTEMPTED MURDER WITH THE USE
OF A FIREARM
(CLASS A)

COUNT V

17-A M.R.S. §§208-B (1)(A) & 1604(3)(A)
ELEVATED AGGRAVATED ASSAULT WITH
THE USE OF A FIREARM
(CLASS A)

COUNT VI

17-A M.R.S. §§152, 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A)
ATTEMPTED MURDER WITH THE USE
OF A FIREARM
(CLASS A)

COUNT VII
17-A M.R.S. §§208-B (1)(A) & 1604(3)(A)
ELEVATED AGGRAVATED ASSAULT WITH
THE USE OF A FIREARM

COUNT VIII
17-A M.R.S. §§152, 201(1)(A), & §1604(3)(A)
ATTEMPTED MURDER WITH THE USE
OF A FIREARM
(CLASS C)

COUNT IX
17-A M.R.S. §§152, 201(1)(A), & §1604(3)(A)
ATTEMPTED MURDER WITH THE USE
OF A FIREARM
(CLASS C)

COUNT X
17-A M.R.S. §§152, 201(1)(A), & §1604(3)(A)
ATTEMPTED MURDER WITH THE USE
OF A FIREARM
(CLASS C)

COUNT XI
15 M.R.S. § 393(1)(A-1)(1)
POSSESSION OF A FIREARM BY A
PROHIBITED PERSON
(CLASS C)

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

COUNT I
AGGRAVATED ATTEMPTED MURDER
17-A M.R.S. §§152, 152-A, & 201(1)(A)
ATN: 481452B
CTN:001
Sequence No.: 08307
Class A

On or about April 18, 2023, in Cumberland County, State of Maine, **JOSEPH EATON** (dob: 02/07/1989), did attempt to commit the crime of murder against **SEAN HALSEY** (dob: 08/30/1971),

JUSTIN HALSEY (dob: 11/23/1993), **PAIGE HALSEY** (dob: 11/18/1997), with the use of a dangerous weapon, namely a firearm, by intentionally engaging in conduct that, in fact, constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the crime of murder, and with the intent to complete the commission of that crime, in that **JOSEPH EATON** did shoot at Sean Halsey, Justin Halsey, and Paige Halsey, intending to cause multiple deaths, all in violation of 17-A M.R.S. §§152(1)(A), 152-A (1)(B) & 201(1)(A).

COUNT II

ATTEMPTED MURDER WITH THE USE OF A FIREARM

17-A M.R.S. §§152, 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A)

ATN: 481452B

CTN:002

Sequence No.: 000621

Class A

On or about April 18, 2023, in Cumberland County, State of Maine, **JOSEPH EATON** (dob: 02/07/1989), did attempt to commit the crime of murder against **SEAN HALSEY** (dob: 08/30/1971), with the use of a dangerous weapon, namely a firearm, by intentionally engaging in conduct that, in fact, constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the crime of murder, and with the intent to complete the commission of that crime, in that **JOSEPH EATON** did shoot Sean Halsey with a firearm, intending to cause his death, all in violation of 17-A M.R.S. §152(1)(A), § 201(1)(A), & § 1604(3)(A).

COUNT III
ELEVATED AGGRAVATED ASSAULT WITH THE USE OF A FIREARM
17-A M.R.S. §§ 208-B(1)(A) & 1604(3)(A)
ATN: 481452B
CTN:003
Sequence No.: 010077
Class A

On or about April 18, 2023, in Cumberland County, State of Maine, **JOSEPH EATON** (dob: 02/07/1989), with the use of a dangerous weapon, namely a firearm, did intentionally or knowingly cause serious bodily injury to **SEAN HALSEY** (dob: 08/30/1971), all in violation of 17-A M.R.S. §§ 208-B (1)(A), & 1604(3)(A).

COUNT IV
ATTEMPTED MURDER WITH THE USE OF A FIREARM
17-A M.R.S. §§ 152, 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A)
ATN: 481452B
CTN: 004
Sequence No.: 000621
Class A

On or about April 18, 2023, in Cumberland County, State of Maine, **JOSEPH EATON** (dob: 02/07/1989), did attempt to commit the crime of murder against **JUSTIN HALSEY** (dob: 11/23/1993). with the use of a dangerous weapon, namely a firearm, by intentionally engaging in conduct that, in fact, constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the crime of murder, and with the intent to complete the commission of that crime, in that **JOSEPH EATON** did shoot Justin Halsey with a firearm, intending to cause his death, all in violation of 17-A M.R.S. §§152(1)(A), 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A).

COUNT V
ELEVATED AGGRAVATED ASSAULT WITH THE USE OF A FIREARM
17-A M.R.S. §§ 208-B(1)(A) & 1604(3)(A)
ATN: 481452B
CTN:008
Sequence No.: 010077
Class A

On or about April 18, 2023, in Cumberland County, State of Maine, **JOSEPH EATON** (dob: 02/07/1989), with the use of a dangerous weapon, namely a firearm, did intentionally or knowingly cause serious bodily injury to **JUSTIN HALSEY** (dob: 11/23/1993), all in violation of 17-A M.R.S. §§ 208-B (1)(A) & 1604(3)(A).

COUNT VI
ATTEMPTED MURDER WITH THE USE OF A FIREARM
17-A M.R.S. §§ 152, 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A)
ATN: 481452B
CTN:006
Sequence No.: 000621
Class A

On or about April 18, 2023, in Cumberland County, State of Maine, **JOSEPH EATON** (dob: 02/07/1989), did attempt to commit the crime of murder against **PAIGE HALSEY** (dob: 11/18/1997), with the use of a dangerous weapon, namely a firearm, by intentionally engaging in conduct that, in fact, constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the crime of murder, and with the intent to complete the commission of that crime, in that **JOSEPH EATON** did shoot Paige Halsey with a firearm, intending to cause her death, all in violation of 17-A M.R.S. §§152(1)(A), 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A).

COUNT VII
ELEVATED AGGRAVATED ASSAULT WITH THE USE OF A FIREARM
17-A M.R.S. §§ 208-B(1)(A) & 1604(3)(A)
ATN: 481452B
CTN:007
Sequence No.: 010077
Class A

On or about April 18, 2023, in Cumberland County, State of Maine, **JOSEPH EATON** (dob: 02/07/1989), with the use of a dangerous weapon, namely a firearm, did intentionally or knowingly cause serious bodily injury to **PAIGE HALSEY** (dob: 11/18/1997), all in violation of 17-A M.R.S. §§ 208-B (1)(A) & 1604(3)(A).

COUNT VIII
ATTEMPTED MURDER WITH THE USE OF A FIREARM
17-A M.R.S. §§ 152, 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A)
ATN: 481452B
CTN:008
Sequence No.: 000621
Class A

On or about April 18, 2023, in Cumberland County, State of Maine, **JOSEPH EATON** (dob: 02/07/1989), did attempt to commit the crime of murder against **DANIEL HARRISON** (dob: 07/12/1979) with the use of a dangerous weapon, namely a firearm, by intentionally engaging in conduct that, in fact, constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the crime of murder, and with the intent to complete the commission of that crime, in that **JOSEPH EATON** did shoot at Daniel Harrison with a firearm, intending to cause his death, all in violation of 17-A M.R.S. §§152(1)(A), 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A).

COUNT IX
ATTEMPTED MURDER WITH THE USE OF A FIREARM
17-A M.R.S. §§ 152, 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A)
ATN: 481452B
CTN:009
Sequence No.: 000621
Class A

On or about April 18, 2023, in Cumberland County, State of Maine, **JOSEPH EATON** (dob: 02/07/1989), did attempt to commit the crime of murder against **CHAO-HSUAN JIANG** (dob: 12/03/1976) with the use of a dangerous weapon, namely a firearm, by intentionally engaging in conduct that, in fact, constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the crime of murder, and with the intent to complete the commission of that crime, in that **JOSEPH EATON** did shoot at Chao- Hsuan Jiang with a firearm, intending to cause his death, all in violation of 17-A M.R.S. §§152(1)(A), 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A).

COUNT X
ATTEMPTED MURDER WITH THE USE OF A FIREARM
17-A M.R.S. §§152, 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A)
ATN: 481452B
CTN:010
Sequence No.: 000621
Class A

On or about April 18, 2023, in Cumberland County, State of Maine, **JOSEPH EATON** (dob: 02/07/1989), did attempt to commit the crime of murder against **EVANGELINE KENSELL** (dob: 09/24/1962) with the use of a dangerous weapon, namely firearm, by intentionally engaging in conduct that, in fact, constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the crime of murder, and with the intent to complete the commission of that crime, in that **JOSEPH EATON** did shoot Evangeline Kensell with a firearm, intending to cause her death, all in violation of 17-A M.R.S. §§152(1)(A), 201(1)(A), & 1604(3)(A).

COUNT XI
POSSESSION OF A FIREARM BY A PROHIBITED PERSON

15 M.R.S. § 393(1)(A-1)(1)

ATN: 481452B

CTN: 011

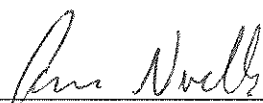
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Class C

On or about April 18, 2023, in Cumberland County, State of Maine, **JOSEPH EATON** (dob:02/07/1989), having been convicted of a crime in Maine punishable by imprisonment for a term of one year or more, namely Aggravated Assault (17-A M.R.S. § 208(1)(C)) on April 29, 2014, in Androscoggin County Superior Court, Docket Number AUBSC-CR-2013-435, did possess or have under his control one or more firearms, all in violation of 15 M.R.S. §393 (1)(A-1)(1).

DATED: JUNE 7, 2023

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