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Authorities secure warrant in overnight shooting



Suspect: Demetric Stewart

Shreveport Police are seeking the whereabouts of a suspect in an overnight shooting which sent local woman to the hospital in west Shreveport.

Just before 1:00 a.m. on July 15, 2016, Shreveport Police were called to the 2300 block of Marion Street relative to a shooting. On scene there, officers made contact with the victim, 31 year old Demonica Chapman, who was suffering a single gunshot wound to the leg. Chapman was taken to University Health for injuries considered non life-threatening.

Detectives assigned to the case were able to gather information indicating that Chapman was shot while engaged in a verbal dispute with a known male. At the height of the dispute, it is alleged a second male arrived on scene at the Marion Street home and fired at Chapman, striking her once. The suspect fled the scene following the encounter driving a blue Ford pick up truck. Since the investigation began, authorities have gathered evidence linking 35 year old Demetric Stewart of Shreveport to the shooting, and have since, obtained a warrant for his arrest charging him with a single count of Aggravated Battery. Bond in the matter has been set at \$100,000.00. Persons with any information on the whereabouts of Demetric Stewart are urged to contact Crime Stoppers at (318) 673-7373 or visit their website at www.lockemup.org.

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