

forensic evidence. Two suspects were in the bedroom with Detective Constable Oake when one of them made a determined attempt to escape. He punched the police officer standing in the doorway, ran past him into the kitchen where he acquired a knife, then he moved back towards the bedroom where he slashed out with the weapon. Detective Constable Oake was repeatedly stabbed in the frenzied attack and was locked with the suspect for several minutes. He called out that the suspect had a knife and that he needed help. The Detective

Sergeant attempted to assist Detective Constable Oake and was stabbed in the upper left arm. He nevertheless decided to go forward a second time in an attempt to restrain the suspect. He managed to punch the man in the face but was stabbed once more. He was then pulled away from the suspect and other police officers eventually overpowered the man. The suspect was found guilty of murder (22 years), attempted murder (two counts) (15 years) and wounding with intent (eight years). All sentences to run concurrently.