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Summit County Jury Finds Akron Woman Guilty of Killing Her Mother

AKRON, Ohio (Wednesday, September 20, 2023) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that a Summit County jury found Sydney Powell, 23, of Scudder Drive in Akron, guilty in the murder of her mother, 50-year-old Brenda Powell.

Jurors found Sydney Powell guilty of the following charges:

- Two Counts of Murder – Special Felonies
- Felonious Assault – a Felony of the 2nd Degree
- Tampering With Evidence – a Felony of the 3rd Degree

In March of 2020, Sydney Powell struck Brenda Powell in the head with an iron skillet, then stabbed her nearly 30 times in the neck.

Summit County Common Pleas Court Judge Kelly McLaughlin is scheduled to sentence Sydney Powell on Thursday, September 28 at 8:30am.