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Arrest Thursday for Springs man charged in violent assault

A 39 year old Springs man will be arraigned tomorrow (Thursday February 24) on a grand jury indictment in Suffolk County court in Riverhead, District Attorney Thomas Spota said today.

Sabas Martinez allegedly attacked Naomi Sanchez on February 13 in her home on Squaw Road in Springs. East Hampton Village police said the victim was shot in the head with an air rifle and stabbed several times with a kitchen knife in front of her children.

Police charged Martinez with burglary, assault, criminal possession of a weapon and endangering the welfare of minor charges.

State Supreme Court Justice William Condon (fourth floor of the courthouse) will unseal the indictment. The calendar will be called at 9:30 am.

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