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Press Release

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On January 20th at approximately 9:00 p.m. officers responded to 6612 New Jesup Highway, Rick's Supermarket, in reference to a robbery. The owner, 40 year old Paresh Patel of Brunswick, reported being beaten and robbed by two black males. Mr. Patel reported the two suspects entered the store and attempted to buy cigarettes with an EBT card. Mr. Patel told them they could not purchase cigarettes on the EBT card. The suspects became irate and began cursing Mr. Patel. They exited the store and Mr. Patel walked outside to apologize to them for not being able to sell them cigarettes on the EBT card. At that time, the suspects began beating Mr. Patel. One of the suspects went back inside the store and took an undisclosed amount of money from the cash register. One of the suspects fled in a light blue car and the other suspect fled on foot. Mr. Patel's two children, age 13 and 6 witnessed the events. They were not injured. Mr. Patel was treated at the scene by the Glynn County Fire department.

Patrol officers located a vehicle matching the description in Shady Acres Mobile Home Park. A subsequent investigation by uniform patrol officers, led to the arrests of Derek Keith Walker, age 22 of Yulee and Javon Shamont Richardson, age 24 of Yulee.

Richardson and Walker with each charged with aggravated assault, cruelty to children in the 2nd degree and robbery.



Walker



Richardson

The investigation continues by Inv. Jeremiah Bergquist, 554-7825.