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Robbery

On July 1, 2024, officers from the DeKalb Police Department responded to the 800 block of Ridge Drive for a report of a robbery. The victims of the robbery were interviewed by DeKalb Police Department Detectives, and they informed the detectives that they were battered and robbed by two masked individuals. The offenders removed a cell phone from the victims along with other miscellaneous items. The victims identified one of the offenders (Jacques D. Alexander) from a photo lineup, and the second offender (a juvenile) was identified via social media photos. On July 2, 2024, DeKalb Police Department Detectives obtained and executed a search warrant at Jaques Alexander's residence, 835 Edgebrook Dr. DeKalb, Illinois. Detectives located the stolen I-Phone and stolen house keys in the residence. A more detailed search led to the recovery of the victim's Illinois Identification Card, credit card, and Electronic Benefit Transfer Card all concealed in a lamp shade.

The two offenders were processed and charged with the following offenses:

Defendant: Jacques D. Alexander M/B/ 19 YOA

Defendant: *Juvenile* F/B/15 YOA

Charges:

- Robbery (Felony) Class 2
- Aggravated Battery (Felony) Class3
- Mob Action (Felony) Class 4

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All persons are presumed innocent in a court of law until proven guilty

If you witnessed this incident or have any information that can help with this investigation, please contact the DeKalb Police Department.