

BRPD News Item

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Date:	01-23-14
Slug:	Police Arrest Men for Burglary
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DWAYNE COSSETT, 30, 2001 SHERWOOD FOREST and FELTON BROWN, 22, 6655 NELLIE AVE, were arrested today after attempting to burglarize an apartment at 155 Marilyn Dr around 11:40am this morning. Police were dispatched to Marilyn Dr regarding calls about a suspicious vehicle in the parking lot. Upon arrival, uniform officers were able to prevent the suspects from leaving the parking lot in their vehicle by blocking them in.

Cossett and Brown then fled from the vehicle on foot and were apprehended after a short foot pursuit. A third suspect was able to elude police.

Brown and Cossett were arrested and charged with Attempt Burglary of an Inhabited Dwelling, Criminal Damage to Property and Resisting Arrest. Cossett had an additional charge of Disarming a Peace Officer. Cossett attempted to disarm the officer of his taser while resisting arrest.

Both men were booked into East Baton Rouge Parish Prison. Police are actively searching for the third black male suspect.

Anyone with information on this incident is urged to contact the Baton Rouge Police Department at 389-2000 or Crime Stoppers at 344-7867.