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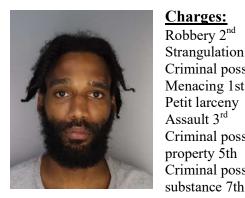
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Charges:		
Robbery 2 nd	1 Count	Class C Felony
Strangulation 2 nd	1 Count	Class D Felony
Criminal possession of a weapon 3 rd	1 Count	Class D Felony
Menacing 1st	1 Count	Class E Felony
Petit larceny	1 Count	Class A Misdemeanor
Assault 3 rd	1 Count	Class A Misdemeanor
Criminal possession of stolen	1 Count	Class A Misdemeanor
property 5th		
Criminal possession of a controlled	1 Count	Class A Misdemeanor

Arrested:

DILLON, JAMMEL A. (Age 33) Albany

On Tuesday morning, August 15, 2023, at about 11:00 am, Mechanicville Police were called to the JS Moore Homes on Harris Ave for a disturbance. When patrols arrived, they found a victim with head and body injuries resulting from allegedly being physically attacked by a male suspect, who fled the scene. During the attack, the suspect, later identified as Jammel A Dillon, a registered level II sex offender, is alleged to have forcefully stolen property from the same residence. Officers began a perimeter search of the area. They encountered **Dillon** on 3rd Ave, near Park Ave, after which he jumped a backyard fence and continued to flee. Officers from the Stillwater PD, and Saratoga County Sheriff's Office, including their K9 Unit, assisted in the continuing search for **Dillon**, who was later located and taken into custody at the rear of a N. 3rd Ave property. **Dillon** was arraigned in Mechanicville City Court on the above-listed charges and remanded to the Saratoga County Jail pending further court action.

The Mechanicville Police Department recognizes that persons arrested for crimes are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. People reviewing these arrests should understand that an arrest is often the first step of many in the criminal justice process.