



NEWS RELEASE

Paul M. Tiernan, Chief of Police

October 16th, 2014

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

SUBJECT: NPD Arrest Newark Man for TD Bank Attempted Robbery

Newark Police Detectives have arrested 26 year old Aaron Mathis, of Newark, for the attempted bank robbery on September 25th of the TD Bank located at 230 East Delaware Avenue.

Mathis was developed as a suspect following several tips from the public. On October 15th, Detectives executed a search warrant at his home, locating several items further linking him to the crime. Mathis was taken into custody at the home without incident. He was arrested and arraigned via JP Court #2. Mathis was released after posting \$4,000 secured bail.

Defendant: Aaron Mathis (DOB 6/4/88)
32 E. Stephen Drive
Newark, DE 19702

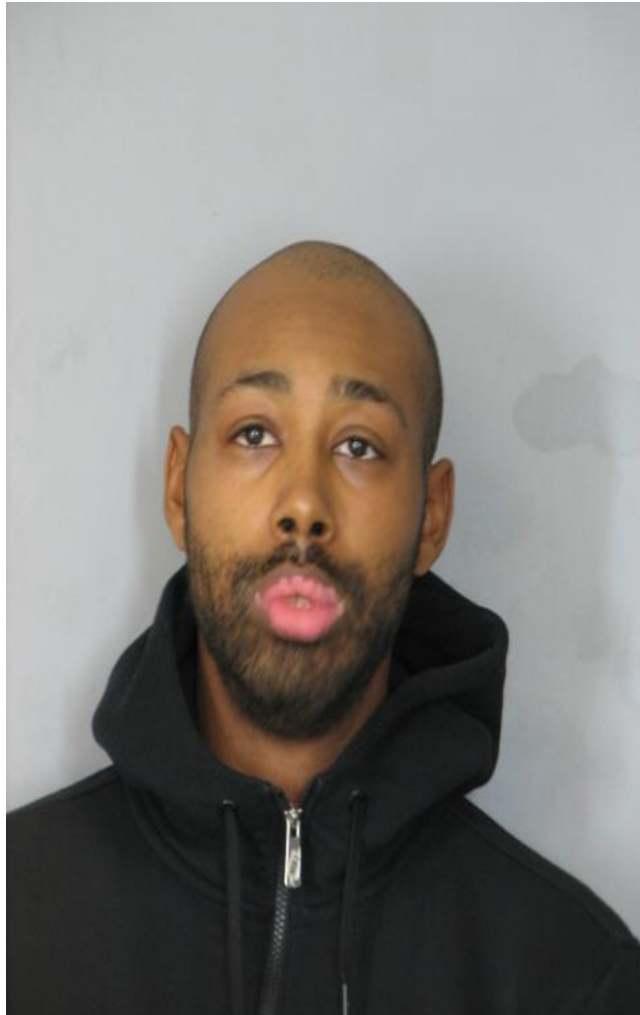
Charges: 1 ct. Attempted Robbery 2nd Degree

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September 25th, 2014

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SUBJECT: NPD Investigate Attempted Bank Robbery at TD Bank

Newark Police are investigating an attempted bank robbery just after 9:00am this morning at the TD Bank located at 230 East Delaware Avenue.

During this incident the blank male suspect presented the teller a note demanding money. The teller declined to turn over cash and the suspect fled the bank on foot last seen westbound through Traders Alley.

The suspect is described as a black male, approximately 25 years old, 6'tall, with a full beard and a thin build. The suspect was wearing a grey hooded sweatshirt with "Fitness" written across the hood. He was also wearing dark colored sweatpants, dark colored gloves and white sneakers.

Surveillance photographs are attached to this release.

Anyone with information about this bank robbery is asked to contact Det. James Skinner at 302-366-7110 ext 135 or james.skinner@cj.state.de.us. You can send an anonymous text message tip by texting 302NPD and your message to TIP411. Information can also be provided anonymously to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333 or via the internet at www.tipsubmit.com where a reward may be available.

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