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Crime Stoppers tip leads to arrest of armed robbery suspect

Authorities have now arrested a man they say is responsible for the armed robbery of a west Shreveport hotel earlier this week.

Just before 2:00 p.m. on Monday February 25th, officers were called to the Days Inn hotel located in the 4900 block of West Monkhouse Drive relative to an armed robbery. While on scene at the business, officers gathered information about the suspect accused of committing the robbery. Detectives assigned to the case were able to obtain surveillance footage from the hotel which showed images of the suspect during the commission of the caper. The recovered video was later aired on television, and only after a day of being shown, authorities began receiving calls from viewers offering leads as to the possible identity of the suspect. Acting on a Crime Stoppers tip, investigators with Shreveport Police Department's Tactical Robbery Unit were able to develop 30 year old Quincy Young of Shreveport as a suspect. This afternoon, investigators arrived at the home of Young, located in the 4000 block of Marion Place. Authorities were successful in locating Young inside the home, where he was quickly taken into custody without incident. Officers also located a Lincoln Town Car at Young's home, matching the description of the vehicle authorities suspected used in the robbery. A firearm was also recovered during the arrest of Young that is also believed to be the weapon used to commit the robbery.

From his home, Young was transported to Shreveport Police headquarters and interviewed by detectives. Following speaking with investigators, Young was booked into the Shreveport City Jail on charges of armed robbery.

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