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ARREST RELEASE

At about 3:10 am on 01-28-16, Rockford Police Officers were dispatched to the Road Ranger at 3302 11th Street for an Armed Robbery that had just occurred. The complainant reported that a white male of large stature had robbed her while armed with a handgun.

Officer checked the area around the store and located a white male matching the description of the suspect. That man, subsequently identified as Brian Swain, was contacted and further investigation ensued. He was found to have drug paraphernalia on his person as well as apparent proceeds of the Armed Robbery. Swain was positively identified by the victim. A search warrant was obtained for his residence. Execution of that search warrant revealed further proceeds of the Armed Robbery. Brian Swain was subsequently charged in this crime. Note, too, that Swain was previously convicted of Robbery.

Brian W. Swain - 39 year old Rockford Resident
6'4" tall, 235 lbs.
Charged with: Armed Robbery +
Possession of Drug Paraphernalia



Brian Swain was lodged in the Winnebago County Jail. These charges are allegations and Swain is presumed innocent unless proven guilty in court.

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