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# "Burglary Spree Halted"



Breion Rideau age 17  
309 W. Eliza St.  
Opelousas, La. 70570

From: The Opelousas Police Dept. (Chief Perry Gallow)

The Opelousas Police Dept. wishes to report that a significant crime spree has been halted as a result of efficient and dedicated investigations by members of the Opelousas Police Dept. Special Operations Section. This morning officers booked Mr. Breion Rideau of 309 W. Eliza St. Opelousas, La. in connection to three burglaries of the Roy Motors Repair Shop. The burglaries occurred in August and September of this year. The break in the case came when finger print analyst(s) were able to match a print taken from the scene to Mr. Rideau. In the recent years OPD detectives have been receiving more extensive training in finger print collection methods. The training has paid off in several recent cases. Mr. Rideau being arrested earlier this year by the SLSO led to his prints being on file. More charges are expected to follow as this investigation continues and other suspects will be arrested. It should be noted that Mr. Rideau lives only a couple blocks from the business that was targeted. Detectives will be attempting to recover stolen property taken from Roy Motors customer's vehicles during these burglaries This case is just another example of how the aggressive approach to Law enforcement employed by the Opelousas Police Dept. has lead to a major increase in case clearance. As always I would like to request that any citizen with information regarding any crime contact the Opelousas Police Department at (337) 948-2500, [crimetips@opelousaspd.com](mailto:crimetips@opelousaspd.com) all calls will be kept anonymous.

Contact Chief Perry Gallow to obtain any additional information.