

NEWS RELEASE



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CASE NUMBER: 2007-719

DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT: 01-24-2007 @ 1:10 a.m.

DATE/TIME OF RELEASE: 01-24-2007 @ 10:55 a.m.

NATURE OF STORY: Attempted theft of a Union Pacific railroad locomotive engine.

LOCATION: Union Pacific railroad tracks near Judkins Point, off Judkins Road, Eugene

INVOLVED VEHICLE: Union Pacific railroad engine with unknown number of rail cars attached.

ARRESTED: Gary, Caleb Joshua DOB 09-24-1984

DETAILS:

On 01-24-2007 at about 1:10 A.M., Deputies from the Lane County Sheriff's Office were dispatched to the Union Pacific railroad tracks near Judkins Point on the report of an intoxicated subject trying to drive a Union Pacific locomotive engine. The locomotive was attached to several rail cars. After being confronted, the subject was reported to be harassing the train crew and refusing to leave.

Upon our arrival, the subject had left the area on foot. The engineer of the train reported that the subject had snuck onto the locomotive and had depressed several levers and buttons, initiating about half of the sequence necessary to move the locomotive. When confronted, the subject stated something about wanting to drive the train and became upset about being ordered to leave.

A Deputy contacted the subject, identified as Caleb Gary, a short distance away. Gary was taken into custody without incident and lodged at the Lane County Jail on charges of Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle and Criminal Trespass in the 1st degree.

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