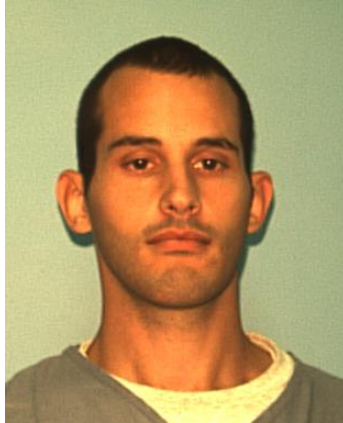


**PRESS RELEASE**

On May 25, 2015 the Holmes County Sheriff's Office received an anonymous tip that two subjects, John Earl Judah and Dylan John Weiler, with active Holmes County warrants, were at a residence located on Mt. Pleasant Road in Holmes County. Holmes County Deputies proceeded to the residence to attempt to make contact with the subjects. Upon arrival the deputies encountered Weiler sitting in a stolen vehicle in the yard of the residence, as deputies approached the vehicle Weiler produced a handgun and pointed it at the deputy, the deputy fired his weapon striking Weiler. Judah remained in the residence for approximately 5 hours, not responding to deputies commands to exit the residence. The Walton County Sheriff's Office SWAT team was requested to assist in securing Judah from the residence. Judah was apprehended without incident. Weiler was transported to a Bay County Hospital where he remains in stable condition and Judah was transported to the Holmes County Jail. Sheriff Brown would like to thank the Walton County Sheriff's Office and FDLE for their assistance during this incident.



Dylan John Weiler

W/M 25 of Bonifay

VOP-Poss of Cont. Substance, VOP- Agg. Assault with deadly weapon

Burglary & Dealing in stolen Property (Bay County)

Agg. Assault with firearm on LEO

Felon in poss. of firearm,

Poss. of cont. sub, Poss of drug para.



John Earl Judah

W/M 36 of Bonifay

VOP-Poss of Meth

Child Support