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“CRAIG’S LIST ROBBER” ARRESTED BY OAKLAND POLICE

Oakland (CA) - On May 24, 2009 at 6:33 p.m., OPD Communications Division received information that outstanding robbery suspect Damien Bell, the “Craig’s List Robber,” was inside a café located at the corner of 45th Street and MLK Jr. Way. Oakland Police Officers responded to the location and observed Bell flee the café on foot; however, he was taken into custody without incident as he attempted to climb a fence alongside Highway 24. Bell was arrested for a no-bail robbery warrant and transported to the North County Jail.

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