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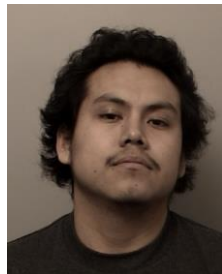


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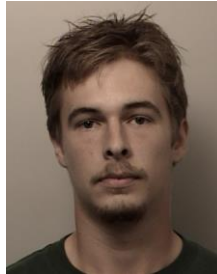
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Placerville, CA – Juan Xoquic and Austin Maxfield were arrested by Placerville Police for vandalism.

On Saturday evening of March 2nd 2019, Placerville Police officers took several reports of vandalism that occurred in various locations around the city. The first report was at the parking garage on Saturday evening around 5:40 pm. Graffiti was painted on the ramp from the second to first levels, reading, “PIG”, “TOTK”, “Free Booze”, “Moone Vapor”, “XA”, and “CREEPS”. About an hour and half later another report of graffiti was reported at 441 Main Street, Placerville Hardware. The side of the building was painted with the letters, “PIGXA”. Officer’s observations indicated that it was similar to the graffiti located in the parking garage.

Around 8:30 pm, an officer was driving past El Dorado Savings Bank on Main Street and saw a male subject dressed all in black standing near the west side wall of the bank. The officer immediately turned his patrol car around and entered the Fox parking lot. The male subject was no longer in the area. The officer began to walk around the area and noticed that the wall had fresh graffiti painted on it. The letters “PIGGER”, “XAMA”, and “TOT” were painted on the wall. The officer continued walking around and located a vehicle with two male subjects sitting in the vehicle with the seats reclined. The officer contacted and identified the subjects as Juan Xoquic and Austin Maxfield.

The officer engaged the subjects in conversation and admitted to painting the El Dorado Savings Bank wall. Xoquic and Maxfield then admitted they had spray paint cans in the car with them. They handed the cans to the officer, at which time he observed fresh paint on their hands. The two subjects admitted to spray painting several areas throughout the city.

Xoquic and Maxfield were arrested for PC 594(A)(1), Vandalism and booked into the El Dorado County jail.