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PRESS INFORMATION

INCIDENT: ARMED ROBBERY

CASE NUMBER: 21-00718

GENERAL LOCATION: 400 & 600 Block of Ventura Avenue, Gerber, CA 96035

DATE AND TIME OF INCIDENT: April 14, 2021 at approx. 5:30 AM

VICTIM: Adult Male

AGE:

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INJURIES/LOSS/DAMAGES: None

SUMMARY OF INCIDENT: On 04/14/21 at about 6:35 AM Tehama County Sheriff Deputies responded to a report of a robbery that just occurred on the 400 block of Ventura Avenue in Gerber. The suspect had fled the scene prior to authorities being called.

The victim reported he was approached by a slender unknown male suspect dressed all in black and wearing a ski mask covering his face. The suspect produced a pistol and pointed at the victim threatening to shoot him if he did not provide him with items that were in his pocket. The victim had no items, and the suspect fled the scene on foot with nothing leaving him unharmed.

The suspect was described as a white male; early to mid-20s; about 5' 9"; 120 to 140 lbs.

A second victim of a similar circumstance reported they were robbed by a slender black male suspect dressed all in black and wearing a ski mask covering his face. In this incident the suspect also produced a pistol and demanded money from the victim who was outside his home getting ready for work that same morning and about the same time.

The victim said the suspect pointed a pistol at him and demanded money. He gave the suspect the money in his pocket which was about \$40 in cash. The suspect then fled the scene on foot leaving the victim unharmed.

The second robbery occurred on the same street the initial one occurred on, Ventura Avenue.

The Tehama County Sheriff's Office is actively investigating these incidents and any information provided by the public is welcomed.