

Man tells police he was assaulted

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Frank S. Blair, who recently pleaded guilty and is on probation in a sexual assault case, told Farmington police that he was the victim of an assault and battery Saturday night.

Blair, 30, co-owner of the Gourmet To Go in the Mainwood Square shopping center in Farmington Hills, said that he and a friend were confronted by an 18-year-old man who Blair said he recognized for making prior threats, according to a police report.

Police are investigating the incident for any connection to the sexual assault case involving Blair.

Blair told police the man "chased them down," according to the report.

Blair and his friend got into their car and headed for the nearest pay phone in a gas station on Grand River.

Blair's friend immediately called for police assistance.

The man reportedly made verbal threats and "enticed him to throw a

punch," Blair said in the police report.

Although Blair said that he refused to fight, the man struck him in the face. Blair told police that the man threatened to kill him, according to the police report.

The man told police, however, that he went to the station to get gas but when he saw Blair he approached him in an attempt to "discuss the situation."

The man told police that, while he swung at Blair, he did not make contact. A witness told police that he saw the man throwing punches

at Blair.

Blair had no visible signs of injuries, according to the police report.

The man faces arraignment on an ordinance charge for an assault and battery charge at 9 a.m. July 6 at 47th District Court. If convicted, he faces a fine of 90 days in jail and/or \$500.

Oakland Circuit Judge Robert Anderson sentenced Blair to serve five years probation and pay court costs of \$1,200, according to court information; in the second-degree sexual assault of a 15-year-old female employee.

POLICE/FIRE CALLS

Listed below are some of the Farmington-area police incidents, fire calls and court cases reported during the past week.

ASSAULT REPORTED

A 19-year-old Farmington Hills man was assaulted by an unidentified man and woman about midnight Friday on Elm Grove, according to a Farmington Hills police report.

The resident was driving southbound on Elm Grove from Grayfield when he saw a light-colored Pontiac Grand Am parked across the road so he couldn't pass. The car was occupied by a woman with wavy shoulder-length blonde hair.

The resident got out of his car and began yelling at the woman in the other car when he was hit from behind on the left cheek. The resident turned and faced a man with short, straight hair who was wielding a double-edge knife. The unidentified man slashed the resident and scratched his stomach.

The resident tripped the man and once he was on the ground, the resident hit the man's head against his knee.

During the scuffle, a house light went on nearby and the woman entered the car, jumped out to get her accomplice and drove off at a high rate of speed. The man was described as 5 feet 10 inches tall and 170 pounds.

INDECENT EXPOSURE

An unidentified man exposed himself to a 33-year-old store employee as he was shopping in the store Friday, according to a Farmington Hills police report.

The employee told police the man walked into A.T. Lesperance & Sons, 2940 Grand River, and picked up some roses and carnations to buy. Because the man had

a \$50 bill, the employee went into the back to get change for him. When she returned, he had pulled down his shorts and exposed himself.

The woman ran out of the store and when the man left the store, she returned and locked the door. She saw the man leave in an older model Camaro. The man then returned and knocked on the door.

The man was described as 5 feet 6 inches tall, 155 pounds, with blond short hair and a mustache. He wore a white polo shirt and black shorts.

INDECENT EXPOSURE

In a second incident at the same Green Hill Apartments location, an unidentified man exposed himself to a 43-year-old woman early Tuesday, according to a Farmington Hills police report.

The woman's 17-year-old daughter heard a knock on her bedroom window about 2:45 a.m. She woke her mother who was in the next bedroom. Through the window, the mother confronted a man who was fondling himself. He was dressed only in a blue windbreaker and tennis shoes.

The man is described as in his 20s, about 5 feet 10 inches tall, 165 pounds, with brown, short wavy hair. He is described as athletic and attractive.

ANIMAL CRUELTY

A passerby told police he saw a 13-year-old boy on Kiltaran, near Middlebelt and 11 Mile roads, put a noose around a dog and hang it from a tree Sunday. The dog was not injured, according to a Farmington Hills police report.

The man was driving in the Kimberly subdivision when he saw the boy put a large rope around a small dog's neck. The boy then

threw the rope around a tree and lifted the dog off the ground by his neck.

When the man saw what the boy was doing, he contacted police.

When police arrived, they found the boy slamming a shovel on the ground until it broke. The boy's mother was not at home. Police talked with the boy about what he had done to the dog. The boy told police he was just playing with the dog.

CAR LARCENIES

Three cars on Pond Ridge were broken into June 18-19. From a 1984 Volkswagen, a radio amplifier, speakers and flashlight valued at \$470 were reported stolen. Approximately \$200 worth of coins were reported stolen from a 1986 Buick. Twenty tapes valued at \$200 were reported stolen from a 1985 Renault, according to Farmington Hills police reports.

THEFTS REPORTED

A telephone valued at \$500 was reported stolen from a 1992 Suzuki at Maple Ridge Apartments on Middlebelt, June 19.

A computer valued at \$1,800 was reported stolen from a business on Northwestern Highway, June 18-19.

A stereo, speakers and amplifier valued at \$870 were reported stolen from a 1986 Chevrolet on Concord, June 19.

Golf clubs and bag, as well as golf shoes, balls and a jacket valued at \$950, were reported stolen from a garage on Gettysburg, June 15-19.

A stereo and cassette tapes valued at \$400 were reported stolen from a 1990 Pontiac at Vladimir, 28125 Grand River, June 19.

Three air conditioning units valued at \$1,500 were reported stolen from Wynner Court in the Greenpointe of Coppercreek subdivision,

June 19.

Two 35 mm cameras, a cookie jar, candy dish and binoculars valued at \$450 were reported stolen from a unit at the Curdiss Apartments on 12 Mile, June 19.

Two bicycles and a radar detector valued at \$700 were reported stolen from a garage on Waldron, June 20.

Gold chains, makeup and a ring valued at \$780 were reported stolen from a house on Yorktown, May 22-25.

An AM-FM cassette stereo, speakers, tapes and a tape case valued at \$580 were reported stolen from a 1991 Chevrolet on Cass, June 22.

A 1989 Ford valued at \$6,000 was reported stolen from a house on Tulare, June 21-22.

A large garden rock at a house on Clairview valued at \$2,000 was reported stolen, June 22.

DAMAGE REPORTED

Damage was estimated at \$750 when someone smashed the corner bed of a 1989 Dodge pickup on Ridgebrook, June 19.

A garden fountain at a house on Country Ridge Circle was reported broken. Damage was estimated at \$800.

STOLEN AUTO

A Farmington woman left her keys in her 1988 Mercury Tracer when she went inside to pay for the gas she pumped about 7 p.m. Saturday at the Ole Toll Shell on Grand River. She heard tires squealing and saw her car was gone. A Farmington police officer located the vehicle in the Chatham Hills Apartments lot on Grand River near the Clubhouse. The car keys were left on the seat, but the women's \$200 car phone was stolen as well as her purse and its contents.



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