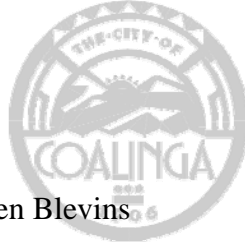


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## LOCAL WOMAN ARRESTED AFTER SEARCH WARRANT

On Thursday March 27, 2014, Officers from the Coalinga Police Department served a search warrant in the 500 block of Roosevelt Street regarding stolen property and narcotics. Officers were looking for 25 year old Coalinga Resident, Jesus Quintero, who was wanted for 2 burglaries and a stolen vehicle that occurred over the past month. During the service of the search warrant 33 year old Coalinga Resident, Mercedes Moore Bradsteen, was arrested for various charges, including mail theft, narcotic paraphernalia, theft of utilities, and child endangerment.

Quintero was arrested a short time later at a different location. He was charged with three counts of burglary as investigators were able to tie Quintero into a third residential burglary that occurred in 2013. Mercedes was held at the Coalinga Police Department and released on a criminal citation. The mail theft was turned over to Postal Inspectors for further investigation.



Jesus Quintero



Mercedes Moore Bradsteen

Subjects identified above are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.