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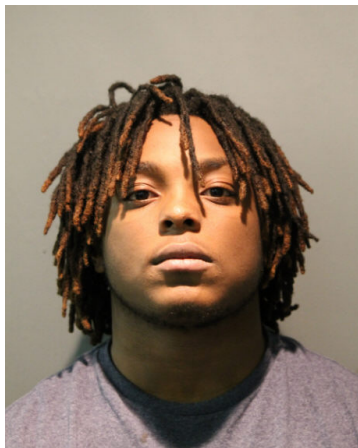
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Greater Grand Crossing Man Charged in Shooting



Name: Donell Blassingill, 19
14000 block of S. Ingleside Ave.
Dolton, IL

Charge: One felony count of -Reckless Discharge Firearm - Endanger

Court: Central Bond Court – 2600 S. California Avenue – March 14, 2016

Narrative: Donell Blassingill was arrested after he was identified as the man who accidentally shot an 18 year old male. This incident occurred in the 7000 block of S. Eberhart on March 13, 2016 at approximately 3:25 p.m. Blassingill was inside a residence with acquaintances when he fired a shot with the gun he was holding. The victim was taken to Northwestern Hospital with a gunshot wound to the right arm and is listed in good condition. Blassingill was charged accordingly. No further details are available at this time.

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