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2 Men Facing Larceny Charges, Arrested in Central

Two men are facing charges of Larceny Servant and House Breaking and Larceny. The men were arrested in the Central Division in separate incidents yesterday.

In the first incident, on September 22nd, around 8 pm the victim of Forest Park, Claxton Bay, secured his home and went away, on his return, he discovered his home ransacked and a quantity of electronic items missing.

A report was subsequently made to the Couva Police Station. When the officers arrived at the victim's home, they heard noises emanating from inside the house. As the officers began to close in on the sound, two men were seen jumping out of a window and running away. The officers gave chase and with the assistance of villagers, one of the suspects was detained.

A 32-year-old man from Curepe and Gasparillo was arrested and taken to the station for processing.

Earlier in the day, a business owner was conducting inventory at his hardware located at Southern Main Road, Cunupia when he discovered several stock items valued at \$18,158, missing.

Officers of the Cunupia Police Station were contacted. The officers visited the hardware and collected valuable leads which led to the arrest of a 28-year-old employee of Dyette Street, Cunupia.

A search warrant was executed at his home and all the items reported missing were recovered.

The man is expected to be charged with Larceny Servant.

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