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**TRENTON MAN FOUND GUILTY OF ARMED ROBBERY**

**TRENTON** – A 23-year-old Trenton man who was identified by tear drop tattoos on his face was convicted yesterday of a June 2009 armed robbery.

The jury panel, made up of eight women and four men, deliberated for three and a half days before returning guilty verdicts against Daquan Brown, 23, of Bayard Street, Trenton. Brown was found guilty on counts of first-degree robbery, second-degree possession of a weapon for an unlawful purpose, third-degree theft by unlawful taking and fourth degree-aggravated assault. Jurors could not reach a decision on a charge of tampering with a witness.

Brown approached the 18-year-old victim and another individual while on the track bed near Jarvis Place in Trenton on June 8, 2009. He pressed a silver handgun to the victim's neck and robbed him of five dollars, a cell phone, an iPod, a gold necklace, gold earrings and a bronze ring. The defendant then fled the area.

The victim described the suspect as having tear drop tattoos under each eye and down one side of his mouth. He identified Brown through a photo lineup, and Brown was located and arrested two days later by Trenton police.

At the request of Assistant Prosecutor Amy Devenny, who represented the state, Superior Court Judge Robert C. Billmeier revoked Brown's \$100,000. He faces 20 years in state prison when he is sentenced on December 23.



**Daquan Brown**

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