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On Friday August 31st, 2012, at 4:50 pm. San Benito Police Detectives assisted Texas DPS narcotics investigators in executing a narcotics search warrant in a residence located by the 400 block of Carlos Street. The investigators then made contact at the residence with 27 year old Jose A. Gonzalez out of San Benito, and 25 year old Alfredo Perez out of Harlingen. The investigators recovered a clear plastic bag that contained a small amount of marijuana as well as "sawed off" 12ga shotgun that Jose Gonzalez claimed ownership. Jose Gonzalez was then placed under arrest for possession of a prohibited weapon which is a 3rd degree felony as well as possession of marijuana in a drug free zone. Alfredo Perez was placed under arrest after it was discovered that he had an outstanding warrant of arrest from the Cameron County Sheriff's Department. Both subjects were then transported to City Jail where they were arraigned by Municipal Judge Adolfo Cordova who set bonds for Jose Gonzalez at \$25,000. Alfredo Perez was taken to the Cameron County Jail.

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