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Kenny Rogers Guilty of Robbery in the Second Degree

Rochester, NY- Today, a Monroe County Jury found 26 year old Kenny Rogers guilty of Robbery in the Second Degree for the April 18, 2013 robbery of 29 year old Daniel Hallimen, a veteran of the United States Military. On that date, Rogers forcibly stole Mr. Hallimen's cell phone, wallet, and a lighter he brought back from Afghanistan after punching him and threatening further harm in the smoking area behind Oxford's Pub on Monroe Avenue in the City of Rochester.

The case was prosecuted for the People by Jennifer Hyatt of the Monroe County District Attorney's Office Major Felonies Bureau.

"The jury's verdict today ensures that Rogers will be held accountable for his actions" said Hyatt. "I hope that the resolution of this matter brings some peace to the victim and his family."

Rogers will be sentenced on June 23, 2014 before New York State Supreme Court Justice Thomas Moran, where he faces up to 15 years in prison. Rogers was remanded to custody following the verdict, and will remain in the Monroe County Jail until sentencing. Rogers, a former football star at East Ridge High School, will be sentenced as a second violent felony offender. In July, 2007, he was convicted of Assault in the Second Degree for which he served 30 months in New York State prison.

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