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On 2/3/10, at approximately 6:10 P.M., uniformed officers were stopped by a witness who informed the officers that three offenders armed with handguns were committing a home invasion robbery at his residence in the 1800 block of N. 18th Street. The officers arrived at the residence and heard the offenders demanding money. The first officer struck the front window with his ASP-Baton and one of the offenders fired several rounds at the officer through the front window. The first officer returned fire at the offender. All three offenders exited the rear of the property and one offender pointed his firearm at the second officer. The second officer discharged his firearm striking the offender. All three offenders were apprehended after a brief foot pursuit. The injured offender was transported to Temple Hospital. One 9mm semi-automatic pistol, loaded with four live rounds, and four fired cartridge casings was recovered inside the home. Approximately one thousand dollars U.S.C. that was taken from the homeowner was recovered in the driveway of the 1800 block of N. 18th Street.