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On 3/12/08, at approximately 12:50 A.M., a uniformed officer was approached by a complainant at 44th Street and Lancaster Avenue, who stated he had just been robbed, point of gun, by two males in the 800 block of N. 44th Street. Police Radio was notified and the officer drove the complainant to 800 block of N. 44th Street, where the complainant pointed to three males and identified the offender with the gun. The officer exited his patrol car, drew his weapon and told the males to stop. The offender turned toward the officer, at which time the officer discharged his weapon, striking the offender. The offender fled the scene and was later apprehended inside an apartment in the 800 block of N. 45th Street. The second offender was apprehended at the scene by uniformed officers. The third male was determined to be a robbery victim. A .38 caliber revolver, loaded with five spent cartridges, was recovered under a parked car on 4400 block of Parrish Street. The offender was transported to the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania.