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Getaway driver sentenced

The getaway driver in two pharmacy robberies and a bank holdup was sentenced in Suffolk County court today to eight years in prison and five years post release supervision.

Gerald Ott, 26, of West Babylon pleaded guilty to robbery in the first and third degrees. Ott drove for his codefendant John Frevele, 26, of North Babylon in the armed robberies of pharmacies in West Islip and West Babylon and the Chase Bank in West Babylon.

In September, Frevele was sentenced for the thefts by Judge James Hudson to ten years in prison and five years post release supervision.

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