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# Press Releases

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### PRESS RELEASE

On Thursday, September 01, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Dorian Preston John Parkinson, II, 30, of Cedar Rapids. Parkinson was arrested on an active arrest warrant out of Buchanan County for Failure to Appear. The Linn County Sheriff's Office assisted in this arrest.

### PRESS RELEASE

On Friday, September 02, 2016 at approximately 11:50 am, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies responded to a report of a motor vehicle accident in the 2400 blk 130th Street southwest of Aurora. According to the investigation, a 2001 Freightliner tractor/trailer operated by Craig Passick of Independence was traveling west on 130th Street. A 1999 Chevrolet Suburban operated by Dalton Becker of Dundee was also traveling west on 130th Street behind the Passick vehicle. Becker, who was traveling at a faster speed than Passick, was unable to judge the distance between his vehicle and the Passick vehicle ahead of him due to the dust cloud the Passick vehicle was producing on the gravel road. Becker struck the rear of the Passick vehicle and came to a stop in the roadway. No injuries were reported in this accident.

### PRESS RELEASE

On Friday, September 02, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Tiler Madison Streets, 21, of Monticello. Streets was arrested and charged with Possession of Controlled Substance – Marijuana (serious misdemeanor) and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia (simple misdemeanor). This arrest was made following a traffic stop on Hwy 20 near the 254 mile marker.

### PRESS RELEASE

On Saturday, September 03, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Tommy Lee Schwab, 57, of Alburnett. Schwab was arrested and charged with first offense Operating While Intoxicated (serious misdemeanor). Schwab was also cited for Open Container. This arrest was made near 245th Street and Lee Avenue following citizen complaints of a vehicle driving poorly.

### PRESS RELEASE

On Tuesday, September 13, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Jerney Earl Dralle, 37, of Allison. Dralle was arrested on an active arrest warrant out of Buchanan County for Violation of Pre-Trial Release. Dralle was held at the Buchanan County Sheriff's Office.

### PRESS RELEASE

On Tuesday, September 13, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Jackie Joe Kern, 55, of Hazleton. Kern was arrested and charged with Domestic Abuse Assault (serious misdemeanor). This arrest was made following a reported disturbance in the 400 blk E Sufficool Street in Hazleton.

### PRESS RELEASE

On Tuesday, September 13, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Brian Matthew McConnelee, 36, of Dunkerton. McConnelee was arrested and charged with third or subsequent

offense Possession of Controlled Substance – Marijuana (class D felony), third or subsequent offense Possession of Controlled Substance – Methamphetamine (class D felony), Possession of Controlled Substance with Intent to Deliver (class D felony) and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia (simple misdemeanor). McConnelee was also issued citations for Open Container, Failure to Carry Proof of Insurance and Failure to Carry Registration Card. This arrest was made following a traffic stop in the 400 blk 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue SE in Independence. The Buchanan County Sheriff's K-9 Unit assisted in this arrest.

#### PRESS RELEASE

On Wednesday, September 14, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Chase Daniel Zerba, 18, of Coggon. Zerba was arrested on an active arrest warrant out of Buchanan County for Failure to Appear. Zerba was held at the Buchanan County Sheriff's Office.

#### PRESS RELEASE

On Thursday, September 15, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Terrance David Rooney, Jr., 43, of Independence. Rooney was arrested and charged with Assault on Persons Engaged in Certain Occupation Causing Injury (aggravated misdemeanor). This arrest was made following an incident that originally occurred on August 20, 2016 in the 2200 blk Iowa Avenue west of Independence.

#### PRESS RELEASE

On Thursday, September 15, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Tyler John Tegler, 23, of Independence. Tegler was arrested and charged with Driving While License Revoked (serious misdemeanor) and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia (simple misdemeanor). This arrest was made following a traffic stop near the 242 mile marker of Hwy 20 west of Jesup.

#### PRESS RELEASE

On Friday, September 16, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Devon Glen-Allen Wells, 18, of Dunkerton. Wells was arrested and charged with Forgery (class D felony) Malicious Prosecution (serious misdemeanor) and Possession of Alcohol Under Legal Age (simple misdemeanor). This arrest was made following an investigation of a traffic stop that had been originally conducted on July 03, 2016. During the traffic stop, Wells gave false identification information to the Deputy. It was later discovered and investigated.

#### PRESS RELEASE

On Saturday, September 17, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Brooke Renee Cromwell, 27, of Oelwein. Cromwell was arrested and charged with Driving While License Revoked (serious misdemeanor), Failure to Have SR22 Insurance as required (simple misdemeanor) and Operation without Ignition Interlock Device as required (simple misdemeanor). Cromwell was also cited for Unlawful Possession of Driver License. This arrest was made following a traffic stop in the 300 blk 12<sup>th</sup> Street NE in Independence.

#### PRESS RELEASE

On Sunday, September 18, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Jerry Dean Cornwell, 71, of Hazleton. Cornwell was charged with Assault (simple misdemeanor). This arrest was made following an incident in the 200 blk E Hayes Street in Hazleton.

#### PRESS RELEASE

On Tuesday, September 20, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Kelly Jean Staker, 45, of Independence. Staker was charged with Domestic Abuse Assault (simple misdemeanor). Staker was also arrested on an active arrest warrant out of Linn County for Failure to Appear. This arrest was made following an incident in the 1800 blk Grant Avenue west of Otterville.

PRESS RELEASE

On Thursday, September 22, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Nathan Alan McDowell, 21, of Quasqueton. McDowell was arrested on an active arrest warrant out of Buchanan County for Probation Violation. McDowell was held at the Buchanan County Sheriff's Office.

PRESS RELEASE

On Saturday, September 24, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Bruce Wayne Krum, 47, of Oelwein. Krum was charged with Driving While License Barred (aggravated misdemeanor) and Driving While License Suspended (simple misdemeanor). Krum was also cited for Failure to Use Seat Belt and Failure to Carry Proof of Insurance. This arrest was made following a traffic stop in the 200 blk E Benton Street in Hazleton.

PRESS RELEASE

On Saturday, September 24, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Robert Charles Moreno, 36, of Oelwein. Moreno was charged with Driving While License Suspended (simple misdemeanor). Moreno was also cited for Operating Non-Registered Vehicle and Failure to Carry Proof of Insurance. This arrest was made following a traffic stop in the 200 blk E Sufficool Street in Hazleton.

PRESS RELEASE

On Sunday, September 25, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies responded to a report of a car vs. train accident in the 2100 blk Carter Avenue east of Jesup. According to the investigation, a 2000 GMC Sierra operated by Robert Gudenkauf, of Independence, was traveling southbound on Carter Avenue approaching the railroad crossing. As Gudenkauf approached the crossing, he failed to yield and his vehicle rolled into the side of an eastbound CN train. No injuries were reported and Gudenkauf was cited for Failure to Yield. Damage was estimated at \$3,500 to the Gudenkauf vehicle and \$300 to the CN train locomotive. The Buchanan County Sheriff's Office was assisted at the scene by the CN Railroad Police.

PRESS RELEASE

On Sunday, September 25, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Troy Donovan Vargason, 34, of Independence. Vargason was charged with Driving While License Suspended (simple misdemeanor). Vargason was also cited for Failure to Carry Registration and Failure to Carry Proof of Insurance. This arrest was made following a traffic stop in the 1700 blk First Street East in Independence.

PRESS RELEASE

On Sunday, September 25, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Eric Dean Zieser, 35, of Hazleton. Zieser was charged with Driving While License Barred (aggravated misdemeanor), Driving While License Revoked (serious misdemeanor), Driving While License Suspended (simple misdemeanor) and Failure to Have SR22 Insurance as Required (simple misdemeanor). Zieser was also cited for Driving on Wrong Side of Roadway, Unsafe Turning, Speed Violation, Failure to Carry Registration and Failure to Carry Proof of Insurance. This arrest was made following a traffic stop in the 1300 blk Fontana Blvd south of Hazleton.

PRESS RELEASE

On Monday, September 26, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Keith Harold Reuscher, 48, of Aurora. Reuscher was charged with fifth degree Criminal Mischief (simple misdemeanor). Reuscher was also cited for Reckless Driving. This arrest was made following an incident in the 100 blk Prospect Street in Aurora.

PRESS RELEASE

On Tuesday, September 27, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Damain Lee Welsh, 26, of Peosta. Welsh was arrested on an active arrest warrant out of Buchanan County for Probation

Violation. Welsh was held at the Buchanan County Sheriff's Office.

#### PRESS RELEASE

On Wednesday, September 28, 2016 at approximately 2:40 am, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies responded to a report of a motor vehicle accident in the 1500 blk 100<sup>th</sup> Street (Hwy 281) west of Oelwein. According to the investigation, a 2008 Chevrolet Cobalt operated by Nicholas Eickhoff, 18, of Oelwein, was traveling eastbound on 100<sup>th</sup> Street when Eickhoff lost control of the vehicle. The vehicle entered the south ditch, striking a culvert and rolling over, coming to rest on its top. All three occupants of the vehicle were taken to Mercy Hospital in Oelwein by private vehicle with unspecified injuries before law enforcement arrived on scene. This accident remains under investigation.

#### PRESS RELEASE

On Wednesday, September 28, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Dustin Lyle Burkhardt, 25, of Oelwein. Burkhardt was charged with Possession of Controlled Substance – Methamphetamine (serious misdemeanor), Possession of Controlled Substance – Marijuana (serious misdemeanor), and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia (simple misdemeanor). This arrest was made following a traffic stop in the 300 blk Enterprise Drive in Independence.

#### PRESS RELEASE

On Wednesday, September 28, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Nickalus Lee Redenbaugh, 22, of Independence, Jacob Paul Schmitt, 23, of Farley, and Tanner Dale Grover, 22, of Independence.

Redenbaugh was charged with first offense Operating While Intoxicated (serious misdemeanor), Controlled Substance Violation (class C felony), Possession of Controlled Substance – Methamphetamine (serious misdemeanor), Possession of Precursor – Sodium Hydroxide (class D felony), Possession of Precursor – Petroleum Distillates (class D felony), and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia (simple misdemeanor). Redenbaugh was also cited for Speed Violation, Fail to Obey Stop Sign and Failure to Carry Proof of Insurance

Schmitt was charged with Controlled Substance Violation (class C felony), third or subsequent offense Possession of Controlled Substance – Methamphetamine (class D felony), Possession of Precursor – Sodium Hydroxide (class D felony), Possession of Precursor – Petroleum Distillates (class D felony), and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia (simple misdemeanor).

Grover was charged with Controlled Substance Violation (class C felony), Possession of Precursor – Sodium Hydroxide (class D felony), Possession of Precursor – Petroleum Distillates (class D felony), Possession of Controlled Substance – Methamphetamine (serious misdemeanor) and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia (simple misdemeanor).

These arrests were made following a traffic stop in the 1600 blk 220<sup>th</sup> Street west of Independence. The Buchanan County Sheriff's Office was assisted at the scene by the Independence Police Department K-9 Unit.

#### PRESS RELEASE

On Thursday, September 29, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Cody Joe Pattison, 29, of Evansdale. Pattison was charged with second offense Operating While Intoxicated (aggravated misdemeanor). This arrest was made following a traffic stop in the 1400 blk 220<sup>th</sup> Street east of Jesup.

#### PRESS RELEASE

On Friday, September 30, 2016, Buchanan County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Tanner Dale Grover, 22, of Independence. Grover was arrested on two active arrest warrants out of Buchanan County for Probation Violation. Grover was held at the Buchanan County Sheriff's Office.