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**Page County Attorney, Carl M. Sonksen, reports the following activities in the Iowa District Court for Page County for the week of July 3, 2017. The Honorable Mark J. Eveloff, District Court Judge of the Fourth Judicial District presided. All persons are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.**

Ronald Leslie Burden, age 50, Pickering Missouri, appeared with his attorney and entered a written Waiver of Rights and Appearance; Plea of Guilty to Theft in the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree. The Defendant was sentenced to thirty days in jail, suspended. The Defendant is ordered to pay a fine in the amount of \$315.00, suspended. The Defendant is placed on informal probation for a period of one year. The Defendant is ordered to pay all applicable surcharges and court costs immediately.

Michael Lee Dunlap, age 32, Shenandoah, Iowa, appeared with his attorney and pled guilty to Possession of a Controlled Substance, Marijuana. The Defendant was granted a deferred judgment for a period of one year. The Defendant was placed on Informal Probation for a period of one year subject to the terms of probation. Conditions of probation include obtaining a drug/alcohol evaluation and follow through with any recommendations, receive no criminal violations, abstain from all controlled substances, and shall serve thirty days in the Page County jail, all of which is suspended. The Defendant was assessed a civil penalty of \$400.00, court costs, surcharges, attorney fees, and restitution.

Heather Leann Lentz, age 30, Council Bluffs, Iowa, appeared with her attorney and pled guilty to Possession with Intent to Manufacture or Deliver a Controlled Substance. The Defendant was sentenced to ten years in prison, suspended and placed on Formal Probation for a period of two years. Conditions of probation include obtaining a drug/alcohol evaluation and follow through with any recommendations, receive no criminal law violations, and pay all financial obligations ordered herein. The Defendant was fined \$1,000.00. The Defendant was ordered to pay all fines, penalties and surcharges, court costs, and court appointed attorney fees. The Defendant's driving privilege is to be revoked for a period of 180 days.

Dustin Trinity McClarnon, age 39, Clarinda, Iowa, appeared with his attorney and admits to violating the terms and conditions of his probation. The Defendant was sentenced to fifteen days in the Page County Jail. Upon completion of his sentence, the Defendant will be unsuccessfully discharged from probation. The Defendant is ordered to pay costs and restitution of court appointed attorney fees.

Jay Dean Miles, age 42, Clarinda, Iowa, appeared with his attorney and pled guilty to Count I Possession with Intent to Manufacture or Deliver a Controlled Substance, Methamphetamine; Count II Possession of a Controlled Substance, Marijuana Third or Subsequent Offense; and Count IV Attaching a Used Drug Tax Stamp on a Taxable Substance. Count II was dismissed. Count I the Defendant was sentenced to 10 years in Prison and fined \$1,000, Count III the Defendant was sentenced to 5 years in prison and fined \$750.00; Count IV the Defendant was sentenced to 5 years in prison and fined \$750.00. The Defendant's fines were suspended. Count III and Count IV shall run concurrently. Count I shall run consecutively with Count III and Count IV. The Defendant shall be given credit for time served. The Defendant was ordered to pay fines, penalties and surcharges, pay court costs, and pay court appointed attorney fees. The Defendant shall submit a physical specimen for DNA profiling. The Defendant's driving privileges shall be revoked for 180 days on both Count III and Count IV.

Derek Paul Thomson, age 27, Clarinda, Iowa, appeared with his attorney and entered a written plea of guilty to Possession of a Controlled Substance, Marijuana. The Defendant was sentenced to thirty days in the Page County Jail; suspended. The Defendant was placed on Informal Probation for a period of one year. Conditions of probation include obtaining a drug/alcohol evaluation and following through with any recommendations, receive no criminal law violations, pay all financial obligations ordered. The Defendant was fined \$315.00, ordered to pay all fines, penalties and surcharges, court costs, and court appointed attorney fees. The Defendant's driving privileges shall be revoked a period of 180 days.

**Page County Attorney, Carl M. Sonksen, reports the following activities in the Iowa District Court for Page County for the week of July 17, 2017. The Honorable Mark J. Eveloff, District Court Judge of the Fourth Judicial District presided. All persons are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.**

Matthew Jon Buchanan, age 26, Shenandoah, Iowa, appeared with his attorney and entered a written Waiver of Rights and Appearance; Plea of Guilty to Driving While Barred. The Defendant was sentenced to sixty days in jail, suspended. The Defendant was placed on informal probation for a period of one year. The Defendant's driving privileges in the State of Iowa were barred for an additional two years. The Defendant was fined \$625.00, suspended. The Defendant was ordered to pay all applicable surcharges, court appointed attorney fees, and court costs.

Marshall Mahmud Graham, age 22, South Bend, Indiana, appeared with his attorney and entered a written Waiver of Rights and Appearance; plea of guilty to Operating Without Owner's Consent. The Defendant was sentenced to two years in prison, suspended. The Defendant was placed on one year formal probation. The Defendant was fined \$625.00, suspended. Defendant is ordered to pay all applicable surcharges and court costs immediately.

Joseph Edward Harris, age 43, Shenandoah, Iowa, appeared with his attorney and pled guilty to Domestic Abuse Assault. The Defendant was sentenced to two years; suspended. The Defendant was placed on probation for a period of one year. The Defendant is ordered to participate and successfully complete the Iowa Domestic Abuse Program. The Defendant is fined \$625.00.

Michael Patrick Johnson, age 31, Bedford, Iowa, appeared with his attorney and pled guilty to Operating While Intoxicated. The Defendant was sentenced to thirty days in jail, with all but two days suspended, with credit for time served. The Defendant was placed on Informal Probation for one year with the conditions of not receiving any criminal law violations, paying all financial obligations, and attending and completing the Second Chance Program. The Defendant was fined \$1,250.00, ordered to pay penalties and surcharges, fines, court costs, and court appointed attorney fees.

Alfred Vernon Mutchler, age 35, Shenandoah, Iowa, appeared with his attorney and pled guilty to Possession of Methamphetamine, Second Offense. The Defendant was sentenced to twenty seven days in the Page County Jail with credit for any time served in connection with this case. The Defendant was placed on Informal Probation for a period of two years. The Defendant was fined \$625.00, suspended. The Defendant was ordered to pay all applicable court costs, surcharges and appointed attorney's fees. The Defendant was ordered to complete a court approved substance abuse evaluation.

Douglas Franklin Nicholas, age 49, Clarinda, Iowa, appeared with counsel and admits to violating the terms and conditions of probation. The Defendant was found to be in willful contempt of court and sentenced to sixty days in the Page County Jail. Upon completion of incarceration, the Defendant will be unsuccessfully discharged from probation. The Defendant is ordered to pay costs and restitution of court appointed attorney fees immediately.

Ryan Michael Woods, age 33, Shenandoah, Iowa, appeared with his attorney and entered a written plea of guilty to Operating While Intoxicated, First Offense. The Defendant was sentenced to a period of thirty days with all but five days suspended. The Defendant was fined \$1,250.00 and taxed the court costs, expenses and surcharges. If the Defendant files proof of valid driver's license within four months of the date of the sentencing order, half of the fine shall be waived. The Defendant is authorized to enter the Urban Dream/Weekender Program to satisfy the 48 hours of incarceration ordered; Defendant shall enter said program within ninety days of this order. The Defendant is placed on Informal Probation for a period of one year. Conditions of probation include obtaining a substance abuse evaluation and following all treatment recommendations, receive no criminal law violations, attend and successfully complete the Drinking Driver's School, and pay all restitution, fines and court costs.