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Lakeland Fire Department Report

03/31- Call to an alarm on Westwind Way. Arrived to find that all was okay.

03/31- Call to a woods fire on Hwy 135 North. Arrived to find that it was a control burn.



A message from Congressman Austin Scott

Happy Easter! My family and I wish you a joyous day of celebration for the resurrection of our Savior. He is risen!

“Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.” - 1 Peter 1:3

As always, my staff and I are here to help. If you need assistance with a federal agency or have comments or concerns to share with me, please do not hesitate to call my Warner Robins, Tifton, or Washington, D.C. offices.

Sincerely,

Austin Scott
Member of Congress



Visiting Dorminy Medical Center

I recently stopped by Dorminy Medical Center in Fitzgerald to meet with leadership and learn about their future updated Emergency Department.

Dorminy has been offering a range of medical services to Ben Hill and surrounding counties since 1974. This new department will allow them to continue providing needed healthcare to rural Georgians.



Joining the Fitzgerald Ben Hill Chamber of Commerce Lunch

I joined the Fitzgerald Ben Hill Chamber of Commerce for their Community Connections lunch on Tuesday. It was great to hear updates from local businesses and community leadership, and I was glad to give them an update on what is going on in D.C.

Lanier County Sheriff's Office Report

• **March 26**, 0639 hours. **Carlos Moreno** (55) charged with Defective or no headlights, and Driving without a valid license (misdemeanor). Housed for: Coffee County Jail. Arrested by: Georgia State Patrol. Arresting officer: Nicholas Morris. Property/Cash Bond: \$1,370.00/none listed.

• **March 29**, 0817 hours. **Paige Nicole Lamb** (24) charged with Driving while license suspended or revoked (misdemeanor), and Knowing making a false statement pertaining to motor vehicle insurance requirements. Housed for: Coffee County Jail. Arrested by: Lanier County Sheriff's Office. Arresting officer: Josh Luke. Property/Cash Bond: none listed/none listed.

• **March 30**, 0951 hours. **Lecedric Jamal Oliver** (39) charged with Driving while license suspended (1st offense in 5 years), and Speeding 11 to 15 miles over 35 & 45 MPH zone. Housed for: Coffee County Jail. Arrested by: Lanier County Sheriff's Office. Arresting officer: Josh Luke. Property/Cash Bond: NO BOND.

• **March 31**, 0130 hours. **McArther Mack Murray** (37) charged with Criminal trespass, Interference with government property – felony, and Willful obstruction of law enforcement officers – misdemeanor. Housed for: Coffee County Jail. Arrested by: Lanier County Sheriff's Office. Arresting officer: Dallas Harmon. Property/Cash Bond: none listed/none listed.

Lakeland Police Department Report

• March 23, 1414 hours. Lakeland City Police Units were advised to place a phone call in reference to threats. Offender's name: none listed. Incident type: none listed. Reporting Officer: Gena Willis. Property type: not listed.

• March 24, 2106 hours. [No Narrative Given] Offender's name: Penny Carol Walker (Chestnut Ridge Circle, Lakeland). Incident type: Theft by taking less than \$500.00. Reporting Officer: Zachary Benka. Property type: not listed.

• March 25, 1422 hours. Officer Terry Grant had a walk-in by the name of [redacted] come in reference to harassment. Offender's name: none listed. Incident type: none listed. Reporting Officer: Terry Grant. Property type: not listed.

• March 28, 1742 hours. Juvenile Incident Report. [No Narrative Given]. Offender's name: [Redacted] (Boykin Avenue, Nashville). Incident type: Escape. Reporting Officer: Zachary Benka. Property type: not listed.

• March 28, 0131 hours. Lakeland City Police Units were dispatched to South

Lakeshore Drive in reference to a male throwing a phone in the trash. Offender's name: none listed. Incident type: none listed. Reporting Officer: Officer Kevin Christian. Property type: not listed.

• March 28, 1647 hours. [No Narrative Given]. Offender's name: UNKNOWN. Incident type: Theft by taking more than \$500.00. Reporting Officer: Gena Willis. Property type: \$405.62.

• March 29, 2115 hours. Officer Terry Grant was dispatched to South Valdosta Road in reference to an unwanted person. Offender's name: none listed. Incident type: none listed. Reporting Officer: Terry Grant. Property type: not listed.

• March 31, 0115 hours. Officer Harmon was dispatched to South Murray Street in reference to an unwanted/suspicious person. Offender's name: McArther Mack Murray (W. Howell Dr., Lakeland). Incident type: Burglary – no forced entry – residence, Damage to property – private 2nd degree (2 counts). Reporting Officer: Dallas Harmon. Property type: not listed.

Berrien Co. Sheriff's Office Report

• **March 22**, 2324 hours. **Julie Stone** charged with Fleeing or attempting to elude police officer (felony), Speeding 96 MPH plus in 55 MPH zone, Speeding 70 MPH to 73 MPH in 55 MPH zone, Fleeing or attempting to elude a police officer – misdemeanor, Reckless driving, Adult restraint law seatbelt, (18 years and older), Distracted driving, Failure to drive within single lane, Giving wrong signal, failure to stop for stop sign, Speeding 96 MPH plus in 55 MPH zone, Driving on wrong side of the road, Failure to stop for stop sign (2 counts), Too fast for conditions, Speeding 74 MPH to 78 MPH in 55 MPH zone, Affixing materials that reduce or increase light transmission/reflectance of window. Total Bond: 0. Court: Superior.

• **March 24**, 1716 hours. **Michael Prickett** charged with Probation violation (when probation terms are altered) for finger printable charge. Total Bond: 0. Court: Superior.

• **March 25**, 1302 hours. **Destanie Rogers** charged with Bench warrant (misdemeanor). Total Bond: 0. Court: City.

• **March 26**, 1441 hours. **Bradley Bishop** charged with Aggravated stalking (felony). Total Bond: 0. Court: City.

• **March 26**, 1504 hours. **Kimberly Boyd** charged with Party to a crime (felony). Total Bond: 0. Court: City.

• **March 26**, 1839 hours. **Larry Kier** charged with Failure to appear for finger printable charge – misdemeanor (felony). Total Bond: 0. Court: Superior.

• **March 27**, 1546 hours. **Molden Owens** charged with Probation violation (when probation terms are altered) for finger printable charge (misdemeanor). Total Bond: 0. Court: Municipal.

• **March 28**, 1543 hours. **Wade Edalgo** charged with Failure to appear for finger printable charge – felony. Total Bond: 0. Court: Superior.

• **March 28**, 2355 hours. **Macy Rogers** charged with Probation violation (when probation terms are altered) for finger printable charge (felony). Total Bond: 0. Court: Superior.

• **March 29**, 2224 hours. **Cody Eubanks** charged with Failure to appear for finger printable charge – felony. Total Bond: \$1,560.00. Court: Municipal.

• **March 29**, 2327 hours. **Ebonyee Merriweather** charged with Brake lights and turn signals required (misdemeanor), defective equipment (misdemeanor), Failure to dim headlights (misdemeanor), Driving while license withdrawn (misdemeanor), and Possession of marijuana possession of marijuana (felony). Total Bond: \$9,900.00. Court: Municipal

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