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The following subjects have been charged with a crime but are presumed innocent until proven guilty:

On January 1, 2024 approximately 04:50 Crawford County Deputies responded to a domestic violence complaint between husband and wife near the 400 block of E. Franklin St in Palestine. Upon an investigation deputies arrested Samuel Ballard, age 50, of Palestine for; Aggravated Domestic Battery. Ballard was transported to the county jail for processing and remains in custody awaiting a detainment hearing.

On December 31, 2023 approximately 18:22 Crawford County Deputies arrested Veronica Uhart, age 49, of Altamont, IL for; Unlawful Possession of a Controlled Substance. Uhart was transported to the county jail for processing and later released on Pre-Trial Fairness Act with a future court date to appear. Traffic stop N. Jackson @ E. Cherry Streets in Robinson.

On December 30, 2023 approximately 13:05 Crawford County Deputies responded to a 911 Hang up call near the 200 block of S. Wood Ln in Hutsonville. Dispatch made contact with the complainant and he advised wanted a female subject out of the residence. Deputies arrested Rebecca Stephens, age 42, of Hutsonville for; Unlawful Possession of Methamphetamine. Stephens was transported to the county jail for processing and later released on Pre-Trial Fairness Act with a future court date to appear. Pedestrian stop Clover @ Rose Streets in Hutsonville.

On December 29, 2023 approximately 12:24 Crawford County Correctional Deputies arrested Skylar Gregory, age 26, of Robinson for; Crawford County Bench Warrant / Body Attachment. Gregory was released with a future court date to appear.

On December 29, 2023 approximately 15:51 Crawford County Deputies arrested Paula Perrine, age 52, of Hutsonville for; Retail Theft, Resisting a Peace Officer and Driving While License Suspended. Perrine was transported to the county jail for processing and later released on Pre-Trial Fairness Act with a future court date to appear. Upon a theft investigation at the Dollar General Store near Hutsonville.

On December 28, 2023 approximately 21:03 Crawford County Deputies arrested Rita Perrine, age 52, of Robinson for; Crawford County Failure to Appear Warrant – (Domestic Battery) during the arrest Perrine received additional charges of Resisting a Peace Office. Perrine was transported to the county jail for processing. Perrine attended a detainment hearing and was later released on Pre-Trial Fairness Act with a future court date to appear. Warrant Service 400 block of W. Railroad St. in Robinson.

On December 28, 2023 approximately 17:56 Crawford County Deputies arrested Karl Miller, age 51, of Vincennes, IN for; Driving while License Revoked and Operating an Uninsured Motor Vehicle following a traffic stop on CR-1400E and CR-800N. Miller was given a Notice to Appear with a future court date.

On December 28, 2023 approximately 12:06 Crawford County Deputies arrested Michelle Baldwin, age 35, of Terre Haute, IN for; Crawford County Failure to Appear Warrant (Unlawful Possession of Methamphetamine, Unlawful Possession of a Controlled Substance and Obstructing Identification). Baldwin was transported from the Vigo County Jail in Terre Haute, IN and extradited back to the Crawford County Jail. Baldwin was processed in the county jail and remained in custody. Baldwin had a detainment hearing and was later released on Pre-Trial Fairness Act with a future court date to appear.

On December 27, 2023 approximately 17:27 Crawford County Deputies arrested Derek Cavin, age 45, of Palestine for; Crawford County Failure to Appear Warrant – (Retail Theft). Cavin was transported to the county jail for processing. Cavin attended a detainment hearing and was later released on Pre-Trial Fairness Act with a future court date to appear. Warrant Service 400 block of W. Porter St in Palestine.

On December 27, 2023 approximately 17:00 Crawford County Deputies responded to a car/deer accident IL RT 33 @ CR 200N in Montgomery Township. Cassandra Murphy, age 38, of rural Robinson driving a 2013 Kia Rio collided with a deer causing over \$1,500 in damage. No injuries reported and the vehicle was drivable from the scene.

On December 27, 2023 approximately 12:19 Crawford County Deputies responded to a single vehicle accident IL RT 33 @ CR 600N in LaMontte Township. Eric Littlejohn, age 38, of Shelburn, IN driving a 2019 Nissan Frontier was heading south on IL RT 33 and lost control of his vehicle and left the roadway and collided with a ditch causing side airbags to deploy. Over \$ 1,500 in damage was reported. No injuries reported but the vehicle had to be towed by Crouse Wrecker Service of Robinson.

On December 27, 2023 approximately 06:35 Crawford County Deputies responded to a car/deer accident CR 1050N near CR 300E in Oblong Township. Debra Hawkins, age 50, of Oblong driving a 2023 Chevrolet Equinox collided with a deer causing over \$1,500 in damage. No injuries reported and the vehicle was drivable from the scene.

On December 26, 2023 approximately 22:35 Crawford County Deputies responded to a car/deer accident IL RT 33 near CR 1465E in LaMotte Township. Erica Shidler, age 37, of Robinson driving a 2018 Chevrolet Utility collided with a deer causing over \$1,500 in damage. No injuries reported and the vehicle was drivable from the scene.

On December 25, 2023 approximately 18:20 Crawford County Deputies responded to a car/deer accident CR 1925N @ CR 475E in Prairie Township. Jordyn Weger, age 27, of Robinson driving a 2017 Buick Enclave collided with a deer causing over \$1,500 in damage. No injuries reported and the vehicle was drivable from the scene.

On December 21, 2023 approximately 23:00 Crawford County Deputies responded to a car/deer accident IL RT 33 @ CR 700N in Montgomery Township. Lori York, age 43, of Palestine driving a 2014 Toyota Prius collided with a deer causing over \$1,500 in damage. No injuries reported and the vehicle was drivable from the scene.

County Jail Population Report:

Males: 15 Females: 3 Juveniles: 0 Total: 18

Sentenced and waiting transport to IDOC: 0

**Lawrence County: 0 Edgar County: 0 Jasper County: 0 Jackson County: 0
Clay County: 0**

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