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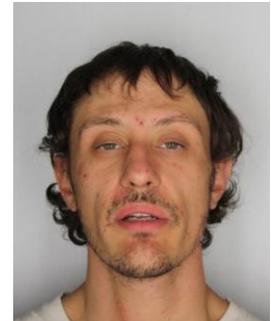
On Tuesday morning a Sidney woman and Franklin man were arrested by Delaware County Sheriff's Deputies and Investigators with the assistance of K-9 "Ozzie".



On Tuesday morning 26 year old Amy J. Brooks of Sidney was arrested by Deputies after being tracked by K-9 "Ozzie" into a wooded area after she fled from a Franklin residence as Deputies, attempting to arrest her on Bench Warrant issued by the Village of Sidney Court, were obstructed in their arrest efforts by a tenant of that residence, 26 year old Mark H. Rathbun.



Brooks was arrested on the Village of Sidney Court Bench Warrant for Violation of the Terms and Conditions of her Release by that court on charges of Burglary in the Second Degree and Petit Larceny. Brooks was also charged with Resisting Arrest, a class A misdemeanor, as a result of her actions Tuesday morning.



Rathbun was arrested and charged with Obstructing Governmental Administration in the Second Degree, also a class A misdemeanor, for attempting to prevent Deputies from performing their duties.



K-9 "Ozzie", who has been trained in tracking and apprehension of fleeing criminals, was instrumental in the apprehension of Brooks who immediately froze in position after being advised that K-9 "Ozzie" would be deployed if she continued to flee.

Brooks was arraigned in the Town of Franklin Court where she was ordered held in lieu of \$5,000 cash bail on the Village of Sidney Warrant and was also held on an additional \$2,000 cash bail on the Resisting Arrest charge.

Rathbun was also arraigned in the Town of Franklin Court where he was ordered to be held in lieu of additional \$2,000 cash bail on the charge of Obstructing Governmental Administration.