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Joel D. Rivers, 23 of East Greenbush turned himself in after he was notified by Warrant Control Officer Ronald Yeates that Town Court had issued a Bench Warrant for his arrest. The warrant stems from an open Larceny case.

In other cases;

Raheel B. Basharat, 26 of Albany was charged with DWI during a traffic stop. Officer Edward Ashley clocked the 2005 Nissan speeding on Columbia Turnpike and detected alcohol impairment.

Dakota C. Clark, 25 of Hudson, was taken into custody by State Police following a traffic stop where it was learned Clark was wanted on a Town Court Bench Warrant. Clark was turned over to Officer Griffin Hotaling, booked at police headquarters and turned over to the court.

Robert K. Bigness, 30, and Joseph M. Collandra, 28, both of East Greenbush, were taken into custody at about midnight after Officer Nicholas Peter noticed them driving around together in an unregistered car. Both were wanted by Albany Police for a case involving stolen beer kegs. They were turned over to Albany Police.

Shaun J. Saviano, 28 of East Chatham was charged by Sgt. Ernest Tubbs with Criminal Impersonation 2nd Dgr., after Saviano falsely identified himself during a traffic stop to avoid being apprehended on an outstanding arrest warrant.

Michael A. Lynch, 55 of East Greenbush was charged with DWI by Officer Edward Witko, after the officer noticed that Lynch was failing to keep right as he was driving on Columbia Turnpike.

Tonya R. Walendziak, 41 of Schenectady was arrested by Detective Michael Guadagnino for Failing to Appear in Town Court on a prior Larceny charge.

All cases will be heard in Town Court. Refer to source above for additional information.