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Media Release

Date/ Time of Release: July 15th 2020

Date of Incident Occurrence: July 14th, 2020

Location of Event Occurrence: Wall St. Auburn, NY 13021

Nature of Event: *ARREST* - **James G. Scott**

Media Release Written by: Detective Scott Deyo

On 07-14-2020 at approximately 3:33 pm members of the Auburn Police Department were dispatched to a residence on Wall St. for a report of a domestic related stabbing. Upon arrival officers learned the victim was a 14 year old female who had suffered two stab wounds, one to her right shoulder and one to her upper back. The incident began when the defendant, James Scott, approached the victim outside her home as she was hanging onto a dog that James claimed was his. James pulled out a knife and advanced toward the victim. The victim threw the dog at James and punched him in self-defense as he was advancing toward her. James then stabbed the victim twice with the knife. James picked up the dog and then fled the scene prior to police arrival. James was located, by officers, a short time later getting into a vehicle on Washington St.

The victim was transported to Upstate University Hospital and treated for non-life threatening injuries.

James was charged with:

- (1) 1 ct. Robbery 1st Degree-B Fel.
- (2) 1 ct. Assault 2nd Degree-D Fel
- (3) 1 ct. Criminal Possession of a Weapon 3rd Degree - D Fel
- (4) 1 ct. Endangering the Welfare of a Child - A Misd.

James was held at the Auburn Police Department pending arraignment.

This investigation is ongoing. If you have additional information concerning this case please contact Det. Deyo at the Auburn Police Department at (315) 258-9880 or (315) 253-3231. Callers are reminded that they can remain anonymous.



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