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After presentation by Victor D. Rowcliffe, First Assistant District Attorney, the following cases were handled in the Livingston County Court before the Honorable Dennis S. Cohen on August 8, 2019.

REBECCA D. ANDERSON, age 24, of Geneseo was charged with Tampering with Physical Evidence (E Felony), Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the Seventh Degree (Misdemeanor), and Criminal Possession of Hypodermic Instrument (Misdemeanor). She was arraigned with her attorney, pled not guilty, and the matter was adjourned to September 19, 2019.

GENE A. BROWN, age 41, of Rochester, charged with Driving While Intoxicated (E Felony), two counts of Aggravated Unlicensed Operation of a Motor Vehicle in the First Degree (E Felony), Operating a Motor Vehicle with Inadequate Headlights, and Following Too Closely, appeared with his attorney and the matter was adjourned to September 19, 2019 for hearings.

A YOUTHFUL OFFENDER was sentenced on a conviction of Rape in the Second Degree (D Felony) to time-served and ten years probation. He was also ordered to pay a \$325 surcharge and a \$50 DNA fee.

SHANE A. CLARK, age 47, appeared on a violation of probation and the matter was adjourned to August 29, 2019.

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RUDOLPH HETTIS, age 67, of Geneseo was charged with Driving While Intoxicated (E Felony), Obstructing Governmental Administration in the Second Degree (Misdemeanor), Failure to Keep Right, Failure to Comply, and Failure to Stop at a Stop Sign. He was arraigned with his attorney, pled not guilty, and the matter was adjourned to August 15, 2019. His license was suspended pending prosecution.

PHILLIP JOHNSON, age 39, of Dansville pled guilty to Attempted Assault in the Second Degree (E Felony) and the matter was adjourned to October 3, 2019 for sentencing. He was remanded to the Livingston County Jail without bail.

ANTONIO R. MASEDA, age 20, of New York City, charged with two counts of Criminal Sale of a Controlled Substance in the Fifth Degree (D Felony), two counts of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the Fifth Degree (D Felony), and Criminal Sale of Marihuana in the Fourth Degree (Misdemeanor), appeared with his attorney and the matter was adjourned to September 19, 2019.

JUSTIN P. MOORE, age 25, of Livonia was charged with Criminal Possession of Marijuana in the Second Degree (D Felony). He was arraigned with his attorney, pled not guilty, and the matter was adjourned to September 5, 2019.

CHRISTOPHER J. SCHLEDORN, age 32, of Nunda, charged with Driving While Ability Impaired by the Combined Influence of Drugs or of Drugs and Alcohol (E Felony), Driving While Ability Impaired by Drugs (E Felony), Criminal Possession of Hypodermic Instrument (Misdemeanor), Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the Seventh Degree (Misdemeanor), Inadequate Headlight, and Inadequate Plate Lamp, appeared without his attorney and the matter was adjourned to August 29, 2019.

VERNARDO V. TAITE, age 36, formerly of Groveland Correctional Facility was sentenced on a conviction of Attempted Promoting Prison Contraband in the First Degree (E Felony) to 1½ to 3 years in state prison as a second felony offender. He was also ordered to pay a \$325 surcharge and a \$50 DNA fee.