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Defendant's Name: Casey Mitchell
Age: 28
City and State of residence: Sioux City, IA
Criminal File Number: 15-366
Incident Date: September 7, 2015
Indictment Date: October 22, 2015
Arraignment Date: October 26, 2016
Change of Plea Date: March 03, 2016
Convicted of: Grand Theft, (F4) 22-30A-17 & 22-30A-1
Criminal Trespass, (M1) 22-35-5
Sentence Date: April 25, 2016
Arresting Officer: Officer Dustin Sharkey
Defense Attorney: Rachel Rasmussen

Case Synopsis:

On September 7, 2015 at about 2:48 p.m. Officer Dustin Sharkey was called to Mike Mitchell's shop to report that his son, Casey Mitchell, had recently been released from jail and broke into his business. Casey Mitchell steal one of his father's pickups from the shop. Casey Mitchell was arrested on a warrant from Plymouth County Iowa while still in possession of the stolen vehicle.

Sentencing Synopsis:

On the charge of Grand Theft, a class four felony, the Court sentenced Casey Mitchell to a suspended five year sentence with a three year term of supervised probation. The Court further ordered that Mitchell serve 90 days in the Union County Jail with 68 days of suspended on the terms of condition that Mitchell obtain a chemical dependency evaluation within thirty days of his release and thereafter complete any recommended treatment. The Court further ordered that Mitchell pay fines, court costs, and court appointed attorney's fees.

On the charge of Criminal Trespass, a class 1 misdemeanor, the Court ordered that Mitchell pay \$384.00 in court costs and fines in addition to the financial obligations on the felony charge.

Criminal History Synopsis:

This is Casey Mitchell's second felony offense. Mitchell's first felony offense was a third offense felony driving under influence conviction.