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These persons appeared recently in the Williams County Common Pleas Court:

Martin T. Nagel, 39, of Bryan, Ohio was sentenced on the charge Rape with a finding of force, a felony of the first degree, to a term of life imprisonment. Nagel also received consecutive sentences of five (5) years each on five (5) counts of Sexual Battery, each a felony of the third degree. The combined sentences require Nagel to serve a minimum term of incarceration of thirty-five (35) years prior to any eligibility for parole. The sentencing follows a three day jury trial that concluded on October 1, 2009.

Steven L. Bechtol, Jr., 18, of Edon, Ohio pleaded guilty to the charge of Illegal Manufacture of Drugs (Methamphetamine), a felony of the second degree. He was then sentenced to three (3) years to be served at the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction.

Jason M. Googe, 21, of Toledo, Ohio was sentenced on the charge of Vandalism, a felony of the fifth degree, to eleven (11) months to be served at the department of rehabilitation and correction.

Curtis D. Roth, 20, of West Unity, Ohio was sentenced on the charges of Breaking and Entering and Vandalism, both felonies of the fifth degree to three (3) years of community control.

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