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PRESS INFORMATION

TYPE OF ARREST: Felony Possession of Stolen Property

CASE NUMBER: 17-01026

GENERAL LOCATION: S. Jackson Street, Red Bluff

DATE AND TIME OF INCIDENT: June 16, 2017 at approx. 3:05 am

ARRESTEE: Arthur Keith Peniaranda

AGE: 26

CHARGES: 496-PC: Possession of Known Stolen Property

BAIL: NO BAIL

SUMMARY OF INCIDENT:

On 06/16/17 at approximately 3:00 am Tehama County Sheriff Deputies conducted a traffic stop on a silver Jeep for minor traffic violations. Arthur Peniaranda was contacted as the driver and sole occupant of the vehicle.

During the course of the investigation it was discovered Arthur Peniaranda stole the jeep he was driving from a residence in the Chico area that same night. The vehicle was not discovered as missing by its owner until a call was put into Chico Police to contact the owner. The owner of the vehicle was asleep at the time of theft.

Arthur Peniaranda admitted to stealing the vehicle and other items from the unlocked residence of the owner as they slept. It was also discovered Arthur Peniaranda is a transient from the Butte County area that was released from Butte County Jail the day before.

The stolen Jeep and the stolen items were returned to the owner later that morning.

Arthur Peniaranda was arrested for the listed charge and for an outstanding arrest warrant. He was then transported to the Tehama County Jail for booking.

Preparing Officer's I.D# S255