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PRESS RELEASE

A Manson man was arrested after a report of a disturbance at his residence.

On August 1, 2023, at about 1244 hours, the Pocahontas County Sheriff's Office responded to 62803 280th Ave, to investigate a report of a domestic disturbance involving a gun. When deputies arrived, the victim informed law enforcement that, Colton James Clark, had threatened to kill him while displaying a handgun. Information was also given that the suspect was barricaded himself inside of the residence, and potentially had possession of an AR-15 rifle. After a brief period, the subject surrendered peacefully. Clark was arrested and subsequently charged with Domestic Assault While Displaying a Weapon, an aggravated misdemeanor, Harassment 1st, an aggravated misdemeanor, and Possession of a Firearm While Under the Influence, a serious misdemeanor. Clark was transported to the Pocahontas County Jail where he was booked.

The Pocahontas County Sheriff's Office was assisted by the Pocahontas Police Department and the Laurens Police Department.

A criminal charge is merely an accusation, and the defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty in the court of law.