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Daytime Residential Burglaries Towns of Amherst and Lanark

The Portage County Sheriff's Office is currently investigating several daytime residential burglaries that occurred last week. In more than one instance, entry was forced into a residence during the midday hours, while residents were not home. Personal documents, tools, jewelry, and other valuables were taken in the crimes.

Witnesses reported seeing an older white pick-up truck with an extended cab, possibly a Dodge Dakota, driving slowly through the areas of the burglaries. The crimes currently being investigated occurred in the Towns of Amherst and Lanark.

One suspect has been identified and is currently in custody. Anyone who may have noticed any suspicious person(s), vehicles, or activity recently that could be related to these crimes should contact Detective Kevin Flick at (715) 346-1400.

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