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On August 13, 2015 a Bates County Sheriff's Office Deputy responded to Rich Hill in reference to a white Camaro that was driving down 6th Street at a high rate of speed. The reporting party advised Dispatch that the Camaro was heading west out of Rich Hill on A Highway. The Deputy began to canvas the area in an attempt to find the vehicle. During his area canvass he was able to locate the suspected vehicle. The Deputy then activated his lights and sirens and attempted to pull the vehicle over. The Camaro failed to yield and took off at a high rate of speed. The Camaro continued into Vernon County. Dispatch notified the Vernon County Sheriff's Office of the situation. Vernon County advised Bates County that they had possibly located the vehicle on WW Highway in Vernon County. Deputies successfully located and were able to get the vehicle to stop on TT Highway in Vernon County. The female driver was identified as Rhiannon M. Jacobs (DOB 3/29/1978). Vernon County Deputies issued her citations for operating a motor vehicle in a careless and imprudent manner and for operating a motor vehicle on a highway while drivers license was revoked. Jacobs was arrested and was returned back to Bates County. She was placed on a 24 hour investigative hold. More charges are expected to be filed from the Bates County Prosecutor later today.

