

Man Convicted Of Threatening To Kill Officer, Speeding 105 mph

A man who allegedly led an Ocean Isle Beach Police officer on a high-speed chase to Shallotte, then threatened to kill him, was sentenced to two years in Brunswick County Jail after being found guilty of multiple offenses in district court last week.

Leonard Charles Harrison, 18, of Beach Drive, Sunset Beach, was found guilty of evading arrest at a speed of 105 miles per hour in a 35 mph zone, failure to yield for a police, fire or emergency vehicle, driving without a license, reckless driving, resisting a public officer and communicating threats.

After being cornered in a restaurant parking lot, Harrison allegedly told Officer Dan Hunter, "Don't come any closer or (mess) with me. Go ahead and shoot me. I have a .22. I will kill you and then kill myself," while coming toward Hunter with his hands in his pockets and displaying a shiny object, according to the arrest warrant.

After the incident, Hunter was praised by Ocean Isle Beach Police Chief Curt Pritchard for showing "remarkable restraint" in not using deadly force against Harrison. Instead, Hunter wrestled Harrison to the ground after he was distracted by the arrival of Shallotte Police Officer David Edwards.

Harrison was found to be armed with a box-cutter razor knife.

Hunter confronted Harrison after chasing him from Ocean Isle to Shallotte when he was identified as the suspect in the theft of a 1987 Ford Taurus from the Sea Village area.

In district court last Tuesday (Dec. 7), Harrison was sentenced to four consecutive six-month jail terms. He has appealed his convictions to superior court, where he faces several felony larceny charges.

During three days of court last week, Judge David Wall presided Monday. Judge Jerry Jolly heard cases Tuesday and Wednesday. Assistant district attorneys Lee Bollinger, Lillian Salcines and Rick Green prosecuted, while Marie Jordan served as courtroom clerk.

Other defendants who appeared in court last week, with their charges, pleas and judgments include:

Jerry Lee Bell, assault on a female, voluntarily dismissed at request of plaintiff.

Allen Brown Jr., larceny, N.C. Department of Corrections two years to run at expiration of sentence serving.

Frank Chasteen, assault with a deadly weapon, voluntarily dismissed, no plaintiff.

John Jay Crowley, owning and operating vehicle with no insurance, voluntarily dismissed; failure to yield police/fire/emergency vehicle, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, \$25 and costs.

Michael Daniels, disorderly conduct, Brunswick County Jail three days to run concurrent with sentence presently serving.

Rex Allen Ferguson, simple possession of Schedule VI Controlled Substance, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, \$50 and costs, not use, possess or consume any illegal drugs unless prescribed by licensed physician and remain in original container; possession drug paraphernalia, voluntarily dismissed.

Sandra Renee Gore, allowing unlicensed to drive, voluntarily dismissed.

Kila Gwenette Griffin, shoplifting/concealment of goods, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, \$25 and costs, \$2.00 to plaintiff, not go back about premises of Food Lion in Southport for two years without their written permission to do so, 24 hours of community service within 60 days.

Dena Jordan Gunn, DWI, volun-

tarily dismissed, no plaintiff.

Lithia Brooks Hahn, DWI, Level 5, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, \$100 and costs, surrender license, assessment, not operate motor vehicle with any blood alcohol content above .00 in her body, community service waived.

Jeffrey Lee Hewett, intoxicated and disruptive, voluntarily dismissed, state unable to show that he was not on his own property.

Edward Hinson, simple assault, communicating threats, consolidated judgment, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, \$25 and costs, not assault, harass or threaten plaintiff in future.

Robert Weldon Hudson, DWI, resisting/obstructing public officer, registration documents fictitious/cancelled/etc., consolidated judgment, Level 4, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, \$125 and costs, surrender license, 48 hours of community service within 90 days to Cumberland County, assessment to Cumberland County. Appealed. Drinking beer/wine while driving, motion to dismiss allowed at the close of state's evidence.

Lori Watkins McDuffie, expired registration card/tag, voluntarily dismissed, complied.

Timothy Lee Riddle, speeding 71 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Donald Taylor, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$40 and costs.

Patrick John Barry, second degree trespassing, prayer for judgment continued and costs remitted, not go back about Ms. Smith's property.

Aaron T. Bollinger, indecent exposure, voluntarily dismissed.

Rhonda Britton, probation violation out-of-county, probation revoked, suspended sentence activated. Appealed. One count of probation violation out-of-county, probation revoked. Appealed. One count of probation violation out-of-county, probation revoked. Appealed.

Cathy Mae Clemmons, false report of theft of motor vehicle, voluntarily dismissed.

Douglas Cross, simple assault, voluntarily dismissed, cross complaint.

Willies R. Daniels, probation violation, continue on supervised probation, Brunswick County Jail 10 days to begin immediately with work release recommended.

Jacqueline Floyd, injury to personal property, voluntarily dismissed.

Marvin Eugene Fredlaw, assault on a female, two counts of communicating threats, voluntarily dismissed no plaintiff; two counts of breaking and/or entering, voluntarily dismissed; two counts of misdemeanor larceny, consolidated judgment, N.C. Department of Corrections two years; one count of probation violation out-of-county, run concurrent with previous sentence.

Joseph Robert Hall, communicating threats, assault on female, consolidated judgment, N.C. Department of Corrections two years, sus-

pending sentence five years, costs, not communicate with assault, harass, or threaten plaintiff for two years, Brunswick County Jail 24 hours to begin immediately, not violate any laws for two years.

LaFayette Hewett, possession with intent to sell and deliver marijuana, voluntarily dismissed.

Freddy Hicks Jr., simple assault, voluntarily dismissed, cross complaint.

Walter Hicks, simple assault, voluntarily dismissed, cross complaint.

Cherie Ann King, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$15 and costs.

Douglas Franklin Lacy, assault inflicting serious injury, voluntarily dismissed.

William J. McDonald, unsafe movement, costs.

Rusty McWells, simple assault, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence one year, supervised probation one year, costs, make restitution to plaintiff for medical bills determined by probation officer, not communicate with or go about plaintiff for one year, not violate any laws for one year.

Michael Patrick Moody, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

Althea Lynn Moore, possession of stolen goods, voluntarily dismissed.

Okey Emmanuel Palmore, vehicle not registered/titled, voluntarily dismissed.

Darryl Edward Rattley, assault with deadly weapon with intent to kill, voluntarily dismissed.

Gregory D. Rivenbark, false report of theft of motor vehicle, voluntarily dismissed.

Jonathan C. Smith, covering/disguising registration plate, voluntarily dismissed.

Robert Gene Szczypta, misdemeanor larceny, N.C. Department of Corrections two years, suspended sentence two years, supervised probation \$1,300 to Food Lion, \$250 attorney fees, not go on property of Food Lion for two years, Brunswick County Jail seven days to be served under discretion of his probation officer, not violate any laws for two years.

Tony C. Watts, assault on a female, voluntarily dismissed.

Valdez Whitmore, assault inflicting serious injury, voluntarily dismissed.

Archie Lee Williams, assault on a female, Brunswick County Jail six months, suspended sentence two years, costs, not go about, assault, grab, threaten or communicate with plaintiff for two years, not violate any laws for two years.

Dona E. Mahler, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

Mary Ruth Cole, speeding 70 in a 55 zone, \$10 and costs.

James Bernard Cooper, driving while license suspended/revoked-not permanent, voluntarily dismissed.

Derek Timothy Cordel, five counts of larceny, prayer for judgment continued and costs, restitution \$65.95 to plaintiff (Long Beach Police), 24 hours of community service within 90 days, \$200 attorney

fees (pay within 90 days), not violate any laws for two years; five counts of possession of stolen goods, voluntarily dismissed.

Linda Kaye Ellis, speeding 69 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Linwood Earl Hannah, failure to deliver title, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, not violate any laws for two years.

Lori Hasket, injury to personal property, prayer for judgment continued and costs remitted.

Robert Louis Hauser, speeding 53 in a 35 zone, DWI, consolidated judgment, Level 5, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, \$100 and costs, not operate motor vehicle until valid license effective 5 p.m. today, 30 days of non-operation in lieu of community service, assessment anywhere, not violate any laws for two years.

Jamie Huff, probation violation, suspended sentence activated, Brunswick County Jail 30 days.

Richard Brady Jackson, speeding 80 in a 55 zone, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, \$50 and costs, surrender license, not violate any laws for two years.

Jeffrey Lee James, speeding 70 in a 55 zone, costs.

Oriental L. Johnson, speeding 76 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

David James Jones, five counts of larceny, consolidated judgment, prayer for judgment continued and costs, \$65.95 to Long Beach Police Dept., 24 hours of community service within 90 days, not violate any laws for two years; five counts of possession of stolen goods, voluntarily dismissed.

Kevin Andrew Kokes, possession/consumption beer/wine on unauthorized premises, costs.

Gene McCoy, assault with a deadly weapon, voluntarily dismissed, no plaintiff.

Donna Lucille McQuaig, failure to report accident, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, not violate any laws for two years; driving left of center, voluntarily dismissed.

David L. Miller, worthless check closed account for \$79.94 to Family Dollar, voluntarily dismissed.

Brian Wayne Mintz, speeding 60 in a 45 zone, \$15 and costs.

Richard Morris, reckless driving/to endanger, voluntarily dismissed, no plaintiff.

Aubrey Labron Nelson, DWI, Level 5, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, \$100 and costs, surrender license, assessment, not operate motor vehicle until valid license, 30 days of non-operation in lieu of community service, not violate any laws for two years.

Benny Norwood Jr., speeding 70 in a 55 zone, \$10 and costs.

James Arthur Saunders, speeding 70 in a 55 zone, costs; speeding 82 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment

continued and costs.

James F. Simmons, DWI, Level 2, N.C. Department of Corrections one year, supervised probation two years, costs, make restitution to plaintiff for damages to vehicle (to be determined by probation officer), make any restitution for any medical bills (determined by probation officer), assessment, surrender license, Brunswick County Jail 14 days 12-10-93 7 p.m. to 12-12-93 7 p.m. next six weekends, not violate any laws for two years, \$150 attorney fees; misdemeanor hit and run, N.C. Department of Corrections one year to run at expiration of DWI.

Teddy Eugene Speights, speeding 99 in a 55 zone, inspection violation, consolidated judgment, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, \$50 and costs, surrender license, not violate any laws for two years.

Joanne M. Stephenson, speeding 70 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Hiwana Lee Taylor, worthless check closed account to Wal Mart for \$305.28, two for \$209.88 a piece, consolidated judgment, Brunswick County Jail five months.

Lealon C. Ward Jr., breaking and/or entering, injury to real property, dismissed at the close of state's evidence.

John Thomas Williams, speeding 74 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment

continued and costs; driving while license suspended/revoked-not permanent, voluntarily dismissed.

Colston M. Woodard, DWI, habitual impaired driving (felony), voluntarily dismissed.

Colston Miles Woodard, driving while license suspended/revoked-not permanent, voluntarily dismissed.

Clinton L. Frink, shoplifting concealment of goods, Brunswick County Jail five days-credit.

Clinton Lindell Frink, violation of court order, voluntarily dismissed, complied.

Jeffrey Daniel Hoy, speeding 70 in a 55 zone, \$20 and costs.

Michael McKoy, three counts of larceny, resisting/obstructing public officer, consolidated judgment, N.C. Department of Corrections one year.

Jason David Umphenour, failure to wear seat belt/driver, driving while license suspended/revoked-not permanent, Brunswick County Jail six months, suspended sentence two years, \$200 and costs, not violate any laws for two years.

William R. Cooley, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

Clarification

The Shane Holden listed in last week's district court docket is not the Shane Holden who lives at 139 High Point St. in Holden Beach.

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