

Tabor City Trio Pleads Guilty In Sunset Beach Larceny

Three Columbus County men plea bargained their way out of a prison sentence in Brunswick County District Court last week after admitting that they broke into a Sunset Beach home and stole more than \$5,000 worth of tools, fishing tackle and imported wine.

David Clay Grice, 29, James Fredrick Lee, 28, and Terry Emery Lee, 24, all of Route 3, Tabor City, were charged with felonious breaking and entering, larceny and larceny of a firearm for breaking into a home on North Shore Drive last October.

Court records indicate that the three made off with a 12-gauge auto-loading shotgun, more than \$2,200 worth of fishing equipment, numerous hand tools and power tools, several bottles of liquor and more than \$1,100 worth of wine, including 18 bottles of Pouilly Fuisse valued at \$540.

In a plea bargain arranged by their attorney R.C. Soles, the three men were allowed to plead guilty to the lesser offenses of misdemeanor breaking and entering and larceny. The third felony charge was voluntarily dismissed.

Grice and the two Lee brothers were sentenced to four years in prison, suspended two years on the condition that they each pay a fine of \$200, court costs and a community service fee. They were ordered to remain gainfully employed and to perform 72 hours of community service within 90 days.

The men were also ordered not to possess or consume any illegal drugs. They will be required to submit to blood, chemical and urine tests upon request and to allow warrantless searches of their persons, homes and automobiles for the period of their suspended sentences.

They were put on supervised probation for two years.

Judge Napoleon Barefoot Jr. presided over three days of district court last week, while Judge Jerry Jolly heard cases Thursday. District Attorney Rex Gore and assistant DA Rick Green prosecuted. Marie Jordan served as courtroom clerk.

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

Dena Thomas, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$10 and costs.

Gary Garner, exceeding safe speed, \$10 and costs.

Harley Ray Becraft Jr., two counts of assault on a female, consolidated judgment, N.C. Department of Corrections two years, supervised probation two years, any violations are to be reported back before Judge Barefoot, Brunswick County Jail two days to begin 6 p.m. on 5-13-94, not assault, threaten or harass plaintiff for two years, not to be used as a violation of his probation, costs.

John Francis Gaff, delaying a

public officer, prayer for judgment continued and costs, not violate any laws for two years; possession of pyrotechnics, voluntarily dismissed.

Joshua W. Hickman, delaying a public officer, prayer for judgment continued and costs, not violate any laws for two years; possession of pyrotechnics, voluntarily dismissed.

Robert Milton Hill, delaying a public officer, prayer for judgment continued and costs, not violate any laws for two years; possession of pyrotechnics, voluntarily dismissed.

Kenneth Lowell Keener, DWI, Level 5, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, \$100 and costs, assessment, surrender license, 24 hours of community service within 30 days, submit to test.

Daniel William Lillis, delaying a public officer, prayer for judgment continued and costs, not violate any laws for two years; possession of pyrotechnics, voluntarily dismissed.

Paul Timothy Pinkston, misdemeanor welfare fraud, N.C. Department of Corrections two years, supervised probation three years, \$1,416 restitution to state of N.C., costs, \$180 attorney fees, 72 hours of community service within 90 days, pay fee.

Eric Foster Smith, speeding 62 in a 35 zone, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence one year, \$50 and costs, not operate motor vehicle until valid license to do so.

Roland D. Clemons, intoxicated and disruptive, Brunswick County Jail four days credit.

James Edward Banks, speeding 82 in a 55 zone, no drivers license, consolidated judgment, Brunswick County Jail four months, suspended sentence two years, \$75 and costs, not operate motor vehicle until valid license to do so, not violate any laws for two years.

Gloria Jenkins Beatty, unsafe passing/yellow-line, voluntarily dismissed.

Derrick Lamont Best, speeding 79 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Kevin Wilson Best, registration documents fictitious/cancelled/etc, inspection violation, both voluntarily dismissed, complied.

Robin Bowens, injury to personal property, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, restitution: \$110 to plaintiff, costs, not violate any laws for two years, not assault, harass or threaten plaintiff for two years.

Thomas Chester Brown, speeding 69 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Joseph Chianes, unsafe movement, voluntarily dismissed.

Michael Steven Combs, speeding 60 in a 45 zone, prayer for judgment

continued and costs.

Betty Peterson Dale, improper equipment, \$20 and costs.

John Dillow, first degree trespassing, voluntarily dismissed at request of plaintiff; injury to real property, voluntarily dismissed.

Teri Suelane Frankum, speeding 69 in a 45 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Cindy M. Freeman, DWI, Level 2, N.C. Department of Corrections one year, supervised probation two years, Brunswick County Jail eight days served under the supervision of probation officer within 60 days, \$250 and costs, surrender license, submit to test, assessment, not to be used as a probation violation, any violation to be set before Judge Barefoot; driving while license suspended/revoked-not permanent, motion to dismiss allowed at the close of state's evidence.

Deborah Freeman, inspection violation, voluntarily dismissed, complied.

Deborah Z. Freeman, speeding 65 in a 35 zone, failure to yield stop sign/flashing red light, consolidated judgment, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Wantia Freeman, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$40 and costs.

Rodney Kevin Grindle, speeding 63 in a 55 zone, \$40 and costs.

Carol Hannah, harassing phone call, voluntarily dismissed at request of plaintiff.

Linwood Hannah, harassing phone call, voluntarily dismissed.

Linda Scott Hill, speeding 69 in a 55 zone, \$40 and costs.

Charlie James Hinson, simple possession Schedule VI Controlled Substance, voluntarily dismissed; no drivers license, Brunswick County Jail four months, suspended sentence two years, supervised probation two years, \$50 and costs, assessment, obtain his high school diploma or GED, not use, possess or consume any illegal drugs or controlled substances, not associate with or be present at where such illegal drugs or controlled substances are sold, kept or used, submit to test, submit to warrantless searches.

Wayne Dewey Hinson Jr, speeding 71 in a 45 zone, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence one year, \$50 and costs, not violate any laws for one year, not operate motor vehicle until proper license to do so.

Timothy Hoke, probation violation out-of-county, probation revoked, New Hanover County Jail 60 days.

Timothy Michael Hoke, probation violation, probation revoked, 60 days.

Shaun Michael Holley, speeding 50 in a 35 zone, prayer for judgment

continued and costs.

James Houston Ivey IV, maintaining a dwelling/motor vehicle to keep/sell controlled substance, voluntarily dismissed; simple possession of Schedule VI Controlled Substance, possession of drug paraphernalia, consolidated judgment, N.C. Department of Corrections one year, suspended sentence two years, substance abuse assessment within 60 days, not use, possess or control any illegal drugs or controlled substances, not associate with any previously convicted users, possessors or sellers, not be present at where such drugs are sold, kept or used, submit to test, submit to warrantless searches, \$50 and costs.

James Edward Lockamy, assault with a deadly weapon, communicating threats, consolidated judgment, Brunswick County Jail six months, suspended sentence two years, costs and \$25, not go back around, assault, harass, threaten or follow plaintiff for two years, not to effect any court ordered visitation with the child.

Linda Tosco McAndrew, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$60 and costs.

Regina Ruth Nichols, speeding 54 in a 45 zone, \$40 and costs.

Okey Emmanuel Palmore, assault with a deadly weapon, voluntarily dismissed at the request of plaintiff; injury to personal property, voluntarily dismissed.

Darryl Edward Rattley, no drivers license, voluntarily dismissed.

James C. Reaves, taking oysters from polluted water, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Leonard M. Silva Jr, assault on a female, voluntarily dismissed at the request of plaintiff.

Regina Silva, simple assault, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence one year, costs, not assault, harass, threaten or communicate with plaintiff for one year; second degree trespassing, communicating threats, both voluntarily dismissed.

Joyce Smailwood, second degree trespassing, voluntarily dismissed at the request of plaintiff.

Melody Doreen Smith, speeding 76 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Douglas R. Svenson, taking clams from polluted water, Brunswick

County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence one year, \$25 and costs, not violate any laws for one year.

Matthew J. Telarico, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$40 and costs; no drivers license, voluntarily dismissed.

Preston L. Williams, taking clams from polluted water, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence one year, \$25 and costs, not violate any laws for one year.

Charles B. Britt, failure to reduce speed, prayer for judgment continued and costs remitted.

Erin Derryl Brown, speeding 77 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Gerri Sue Carrube, owning and operating vehicle with no insurance, voluntarily dismissed, complied.

James Leroy Clemmons, injury to real property, voluntarily dismissed at request of plaintiff.

Daniel R. King, first degree trespassing, possession drug paraphernalia, consolidated judgment, Brunswick County Jail six months, suspended sentence two years, supervised probation two years, \$200 and costs, not go on property of plaintiff for two years.

John Ralph Ladd, vehicle not registered/titled, owning and operating vehicle with no insurance, driving while license suspended/revoked-not permanent, DWI, consolidated judgment, Level 1, N.C. Department of Corrections two years to run at the expiration of any previous sentence.

Jason Robert Lucas, reckless driving/to endanger, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, \$25 and costs, not violate any laws for two years.

Robert S. May, DWI, Level 5, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, \$100 and costs, not operate motor vehicle until valid license, assessment, 30 days of non-operation in lieu of community service, not violate any laws for two years; driving left of center, voluntarily dismissed.

Donna H. McKeithan, shoplifting/concealment of goods, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, 24 hours of community service within 30 days, pay fee, not go on property

of Jones Store for two years, not violate any laws for two years.

David Glenn Packer, possession of stolen goods, Brunswick County Jail six months, suspended sentence two years, \$25 and costs, not violate any laws for two years; unlawfully obtaining a credit card, voluntarily dismissed.

Jeffery D. Sessions, DWI, Level 5, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, \$100 and costs, not operate motor vehicle until valid license, assessment to Dillon County S.C., 30 days of non-operation in lieu of community service, not violate any laws for two years; driving left of center, voluntarily dismissed.

James Nathan Townsend, following too closely, voluntarily dismissed.

Ronald Allen Woodell, misdemeanor breaking and entering, N.C. Department of Corrections one year, suspended sentence five years, costs, \$132.93 restitution to plaintiff, not communicate with, go about the person or property of plaintiff for five years, not violate any laws for five years; larceny pursuant breaking and entering, voluntarily dismissed.

Ronald Ellis Robbins, assault on a government official, resisting/obstructing public officer, possession of drug paraphernalia, injury to personal property, consolidated judgment, N.C. Department of Corrections two years, supervised probation two years, costs, restitution to plaintiff Brunswick County Sheriffs Department \$313 to be determined by probation officer, not violate any laws for two years, Brunswick County Jail 15 days credit.

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