

Women Sent To Jail For Talking During District Court Case

Two women who refused to be quiet during a session of Brunswick County District Court last week were sentenced to 30 days in jail and fined \$100 for criminal contempt by Judge Jerry A. Jolly.

Terry Wilson and Tonya Williams, both of Southport, were witnesses for a case that appeared on the docket for last Wednesday, Feb. 26.

According to the Brunswick County Clerk of Court's records, the women were in the audience at 9 a.m. and "talking the whole time court was going on...in that the court warned defendants to be quiet. Defendants continued to talk after being instructed not to," the order states.

Judge Jolly ordered each arrested for "willful behavior committed during the sitting of a court and directly tending to interrupt its proceedings," as outlined by the N.C. General Statutes.

The women were in the court to serve as witnesses for a case involving Ms. Theron Ray of Southport who had been charged with assault on a child under the age of 12 and second-degree trespassing.

Ms. Ray was found guilty on each count and was also given a 30-day active sentence in the Brunswick County Jail. After consolidating the charges, Judge Jolly sentenced her to two-years in prison, suspended for two years and placed her on two years' supervised probation.

She was also ordered to pay court costs, \$175 in restitution to the prosecuting witness, to not contact or go about the person or premises of the prosecuting witness for two years and to not violate any laws for two years.

Judges can find persons in criminal contempt for disrupting court sessions, publishing inaccurate reports of court proceedings, failure by an officer of the court to perform his duties, negligent failure to comply with schedules and court practices, refusal to testify and talking with a juror.

Judges Jolly and David G. Wall also heard the following cases in District Court for the period Feb. 24-27:

Frank Harold Allers, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Keith Richards Alston, improper equipment, \$25 and costs; driving while license suspended/revoked-not permanent, voluntarily dismissed.

Terri Hales Anglin, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

Ernest Lee Bell, notice to revoke unsupervised probation, unsupervised probation revoked, Brunswick County Jail 29 days.

Gloria Renee Bell, unsafe movement, voluntarily dismissed, insurance paid.

Kimberl L. Bernard, DWI, level 5, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, \$100 and cost, surrender license, no blood alcohol content in body, 24 hours community service within 60 days, assessment.

Charles C. Bozeman, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Maxine Bracey, speeding 70 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Catherine Ann Cook, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

Robert Ernest Cribb, driving while license suspended/revoked-not permanent, vehicle not registered/titled, registration documents fictitious/canceled/etc., owning and operating vehicle with no insurance, consolidated judgment, Brunswick County Jail 60 days. Appealed.

Angela Edwards Crooks, failure to wear seat belt-driver, owning and operating vehicle with no insurance, voluntarily dismissed, has valid insurance.

Michael L. Dinkins, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Paul E. Dubrouillet, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

William Harold Farmer, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

Winston Flynt, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Mablelene S. Ford, speeding 70 in a 55 zone, costs.

George Edward Freeman, speeding 70 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

James Patrick Gavigan, speeding 50 in a 35 zone, costs.

Tawyna M. Grissett, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Gofery L. Hankins, failure to wear seat belt/driver, \$25 fine.

George J. Hardesty, assault on a female, voluntarily dismissed, request of plaintiff.

Gilbert Allen Heath, speeding 72 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Garry Alonzo Hill, reckless driving/to endanger, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, \$50 and costs, surrender license, 30 days of non-operation(hold, do not send in); speeding 82 in a 55 zone, voluntarily dismissed.

Ottis Lorenzo Hill, simple possession Schedule VI Controlled Substance, voluntarily dismissed; carrying a concealed weapon, Brunswick County Jail six months, gun turned

over to Shallotte Police Dept. Appealed.

Bonny Blake Hobbs, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Christopher Hutchinson, driving after drinking-provisional license, voluntarily dismissed, couldn't put defendant behind the wheel of the automobile.

John Shepard Iames, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Patricia Lynn Johnson, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Mark Allen Kmak, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Michael A. Knicy, inspection violation, voluntarily dismissed.

Andy Olieven Long, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

Larry Willard Mason, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

Roger Gene Mavis Sr., speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Theresa L. McKeithan, expired registration card/tag, voluntarily dismissed, valid registration.

Alfred Frank McLaurin, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Scott Young Medlin, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

William G. Miller, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

Edward Jackson Morgan, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Edward B. Murrell, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Vincent G. Newton, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Phillip B. Patterson, failure to obey traffic officer, exceeding safe speed, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Jason Scott Pelfrey, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

David Ross Pierce, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Starlyn Jean M. Raab, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs; no driver's license, voluntarily dismissed.

Gezim Rakipi, speeding 70 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Ernest Lee Reynolds, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

Melvin Russell Riley, failure to yield stopsign/flashing redlight, voluntarily dismissed.

Edgar Pierce Sager, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Crystal Diane Sandy, DWI, level 4, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, \$150 and costs, surrender license, assessment, 48 hours of community service within 90 days, go back to regular school and graduate from high school, \$150 attorney fees; DWI/provisional license, voluntarily dismissed. Appealed.

Leslie J. Scoggins, inspection violation, voluntarily dismissed, valid inspection.

Michael Timothy Smith, owning and operating vehicle with no insurance, \$25 and costs; vehicle not registered/titled, voluntarily dismissed.

Ricky J. Smith, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, no driver's license, consolidated judgment, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, \$50 and costs, not operate motor vehicle until valid license.

Robert Earl Smith, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

William Sanders Smith, expired registration card/tag, voluntarily dismissed, valid registration.

Thomas Edward Swain, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs; tinted windows, voluntarily dismissed.

Melissa S. Thomas, larceny, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, \$50 and costs, not go back about the person or premises of plaintiff for two years, Brunswick County Jail 48 hours to begin Saturday 2-29 8:00 p.m.

Michael Thomas, larceny, voluntarily dismissed.

Kenneth D. Underwood, careless and reckless operation, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence three years, \$100 and costs, attend and successfully ADETS in Alamance County, surrender license—hold for 30 days, (do not send to Raleigh to begin midnight tonight).

Michael Dale Varnam, assault on a female, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence five years, \$25 and costs, not assault, harass or threaten plaintiff for five years.

Rhonda Varnum Vaughan, inspection violation, costs; failure to wear seat belt-driver, voluntarily dismissed.

Robin Ann Vincent, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Kenneth R. Waddell, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Durwood Gary Ward Jr., failure to yield to oncoming traffic, voluntarily dismissed.

John Edward Young, two counts of assault with attempt to commit serious injury, both voluntarily dismissed; discharging weapon-occupied property, injury to personal property, all voluntarily dismissed.

Richard Young, communicating threats, voluntarily dismissed.

John Lukman, speeding 54 in a 45 zone, \$45 fine, no costs.

Debra Glenn, speeding 70 in a 55 zone, \$45 fine, no costs.

Connie W. Cole, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 fine, no costs.

Gerald Skipper, probation violation, admits, continued on probation with the following modifications—report next Friday 3-6-92 at 7:00.

Michael Wayne Tew, probation violation, probation terminated.

Matthew White, speeding 70 in a 55 zone, \$45 and costs.

Winston Flynt, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, \$45 fine, costs remitted.

Mary Lowery, no child restraint, \$25 and costs.

Johanna C. Acker, speeding 74 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Nancy Daniel Allison, resisting /obstructing public officer, driving left of center, both voluntarily dismissed; DWI, level 5, Brunswick County jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, \$100 fine, surrender license, assessment, 24 hours of community service within 30 days, not violate any laws for two years.

Terry Lee Baker, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

Gary Steven Barnes, failure to yield left turn, voluntarily dismissed, insurance paid.

James Olin Barrett, assault with deadly weapon on government official, resisting/obstructing public officer, both voluntarily dismissed.

Frederick C. Barton, speeding 71 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Alfred Blackston Jr., exceeding safe speed, costs.

Lisa Marie Blanton, speeding 57 in a 35 school zone, Brunswick County Jail 10 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, \$25 fine, surrender license, not violate any laws for two years.

Albert Perdie Bowen, unsafe movement, costs.

Carol Sue Brandenburg, no child restraint system, costs.

Forrest Dean Britt, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

Glenn D. Brown II, failure to yield left turn, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Perry Alfred Brown, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs; license not in possession, voluntarily dismissed.

Arthur Ray Bunch, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

Kenneth Eugene Byrd, speeding 54 in a 45 zone, costs.

Christopher W. Canady, taking oysters from polluted water, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Kenneth Lane Canady, taking oysters from polluted water, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

James C. Corbett, speeding 71 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Gary Robert Craddock, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

Albert Doshier, assault on a female, injury to real property, communicating threats, injury to personal property, consolidated judgment, Brunswick County Jail six months, suspended sentence two years, not violate any laws for two years.

Terri L. Dove, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

Curtis Epps, larceny, voluntarily dismissed, defendant paid for gas.

Loise Ann Faircloth, taking greater than one bushel of oysters on Saturday, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, no fine, not violate any laws for two years.

Jimmy R. Faulk, no driver's license, voluntarily dismissed; possession drug paraphernalia, simple possession Schedule VI Controlled Substance, consolidated judgment, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, \$50 fine, not violate any laws for two years, destroyed marijuana, paraphernalia and liquor.

Dennis Karl Finley, failure to yield from private drive, voluntarily dismissed.

John Guy Frezza, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

William Levine Graham, speeding 73 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Terry Dewayne Graves, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

Wyndi Sue Grundrum, simple assault, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, 48 hours community service within 60 days, write a letter of apology to plaintiff's within seven days, not violate any laws for two years; assault with a deadly weapon on a government official, voluntarily dismissed.

Lamont Hankins, no driver's license, voluntarily dismissed.

David Jonathan Hanson, speeding 70 in a 55 zone, costs.

James L. Henderson, speeding 54 in a 45 zone, costs.

John E. Holland Jr., improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

Stephen Douglas Horne, speeding

64 in a 55 zone costs.

Lucky L. Hurlburt, DWI, no driver's license, consolidated judgment, level 2, N.C. Department of Correction one year, suspended sentence two years, \$150 fine, not operate motor vehicle until valid license, assessment to New Hanover County, Brunswick County Jail seven days to begin 2-28 Friday 7:00 p.m. to Sunday 7:00 p.m. next 2 1/2 weekends, not violate any laws for two years.

Carl Lynn Inman, DWI, level 1, N.C. Department of Corrections two years; driving while license suspended/revoked-not permanent, N.C. Department of Correction two years to run at expiration of DWI sentence.

Kenneth Robert Jenks, speeding 55 in a 35 zone, allowing person under age to consume, consolidated judgment, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, \$100 fine, not violate any laws for two years.

Acquinetta R. Johnson, no driver's license, voluntarily dismissed.

Ira Johnson Jr., careless and reckless, Brunswick County Jail 10 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, \$25 fine, not violate any laws for two years.

Charles Keller, second degree trespassing, DWI, both voluntarily dismissed.

Joseph R. Leadman, DWI, level 2, N.C. Department of Corrections two years, suspended sentence two years, costs, \$100 fine, surrender license, assessment, not violate any laws for two years, Brunswick County Jail seven days to begin Sat. 2-29 8:00 a.m. to Sunday 8:00 a.m. next six weekends.

James Frederick Lee, taking more than one bushel of oyster on Saturday, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, not violate any laws for two years.

Sarah McMillian Levin, speeding 68 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Leslie Martin Lewis, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

Paul David Masouras, DWI, driving left of center, consolidated judgment, level 5, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, \$100 fine, surrender license, assessment to Wake County, 24 hours community service within 60 days to Wake County, not violate any laws for two years.

Janet Benton Mayer, speeding 71 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Mary Yvonne McMillian, expired operator's license, voluntarily dismissed, valid license.

Harold Hoover Miller, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

Valorie Vann Miller, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

Tanya Lynne Mitchell, no driver's license, voluntarily dismissed, wrong person charged.

Shanda Michelle Moore, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

William Frank Munn, speeding 54 in a 45 zone, costs.

Gordon William Nash Jr., speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

William M. Nicholson, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

David Allen Norris, failure to yield to stopsign/flashing red light, voluntarily dismissed, insurance paid.

Darin Dean Pifer, speeding 93 in a 55 zone, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, \$100 fine, not violate any laws for two years, not operate motor vehicle until privilege restored.

David Buddy Poarch, driving while license suspended/revoked-not permanent, Brunswick County Jail six months, two years, costs, \$200 fine, not violate any laws for two years.

Robert Pollock, no driver's license, failure to reduce speed, death by vehicle, consolidated judgment, N.C. Department of Corrections two years. Appealed.

Karen Irene Popka, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

Martin Eugene Reis, simple possession Schedule VI Controlled Substance, voluntarily dismissed; possession drug paraphernalia, Brunswick County Jail six months, suspended sentence two years, costs, not violate any laws for two years.

Pumell Roberts, assault on a female, voluntarily dismissed.

John Austin Rogers II, DWI, level 2, Brunswick County Jail 60 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, \$100 fine, surrender license, assessment, not violate any laws for two years, Brunswick County Jail 24 hours to begin on Friday 2-28-92 at

6:00 p.m. in lieu of community service.

James V. Sanderlin, give or lending license/plate, voluntarily dismissed.

Eric Edward Schrom, improper equipment, \$25 and costs.

Leo Edsel Shepard, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

Lorenzo Smith, simple assault, communicating threats, both voluntarily dismissed.

Anita M. Stephens, speeding 54 in a 45 zone, costs remitted.

James Allen Tidwell, speeding 76 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Jeffery Glenn Todd, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

Leamon Corbett Ward, taking greater than two bushels of oysters without vessel, voluntarily dismissed.

Donna Lynn Wilkes, improper equipment, \$25 and costs; license not in possession, voluntarily dismissed.

Charles J. Williams, simple assault, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, \$46.20 restitution to Doshier Hospital, \$300 attorney fees, not communicate with or go about the person of plaintiff, not violate any laws for two years.

Ziad Abdallah Yusuf, speeding 75 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Dan D. Galloway III, speeding 79 in a 55 zone, driving while license suspended/revoked-not permanent, consolidated judgment, N.C. Department of Corrections two years, costs, \$250 fine, not violate any laws for two years; larceny, voluntarily dismissed, no witness.

Winston L. Hemingway, speeding 64 in a 55 zone, costs.

Lorenzo Smith, assault with a deadly weapon, voluntarily dismissed.

Larry Livingston, taking under-sized clams, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, \$25 fine, not violate any laws for two years.

Joel Voss, speeding 68 in a 55 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Carl Hensley, taking clams from polluted water, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, \$25 fine, not violate any laws for two years.

Mark A. Battles, probation violation, suspended sentence activated, Brunswick County Jail 29 days.

Kimble Bernard, assault on a female, voluntarily dismissed, no plaintiff.

Scott F. Betzold, speeding 52 in a 35 zone, prayer for judgment continued and costs.

Daniel Briles, misdemeanor breaking and entering, misdemeanor larceny, consolidated judgment, N.C. Department of Corrections two years.

Harvey David Brown, assault by pointing a gun, simple assault, both voluntarily dismissed.

Ronnie L. Cassara, probation violation, admits, suspended sentence activated—four years 10 months.

Shelly Lee Crabtree, second degree trespassing, voluntarily dismissed, no plaintiff.

Terry Davis, two counts of assault by pointing a gun, consolidated judgment, Brunswick County Jail six months, suspended sentence two years, costs, not violate any laws, not have in his possession any firearms outside his residence.

Elinita Ford, one count of misdemeanor food stamp fraud, N.C. Department of Corrections two years, suspended sentence three years, supervised probation three years, costs, restitution \$829, \$361, \$1029 and \$2,150, not violate any laws for three years, \$100 attorney fees, not apply for or receive any public assistance or food stamps; misdemeanor public assistance fraud, N.C. Department of Corrections two years to run consecutive with previous sentence, suspended sentence three years, supervised probation three years, food stamp fraud, N.C. Department of Corrections two years to run consecutive with previous cases, suspended sentence three years, supervised probation three years; public assistance fraud, N.C. Department of Corrections to run consecutive with previous sentence, suspended sentence three years, supervised probation three years.

Richard C. Henry, registration documents fictitious/canceled/etc., Brunswick County Jail 30 days, sus-

pended sentence two years, costs, \$25 fine, not violate any laws for two years.

Billy Joe Lawson, simple assault, prayer for judgment continued until 3-18-92 to allow state to contact plaintiff.

Dewayne Edward Leeth, probation violation out-of-county, admits, suspended sentence activated, N.C. Department of Corrections two years as a Criminal Youth Offender.

Grover H. Lloyd Jr., unsealed wine/liquor in passenger area, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, \$25 fine, not violate any laws for two years; no driver's license, voluntarily dismissed.

Marvin Luther, injury to personal property, voluntarily dismissed.

Jamie Moore, simple assault, voluntarily dismissed, no plaintiff.

Alfred L. Morrison, worthless check/closed account for \$25 to Wilsons, Brunswick County Jail six months, suspended sentence two years, costs, restitution, not violate any laws for two years; worthless check/closed account to Wilson for \$50, Brunswick County Jail six months to run at expiration of previous sentence, suspended sentence two years, restitution, not violate any laws for two years; simple worthless check to Linwood Brown for \$20, Brunswick County Jail 30 days to run at expiration of previous sentence, suspended sentence two years, restitution, not violate any laws for two years.

Douglas Keith Rutter, driving license suspended/revoked-not permanent, voluntarily dismissed, has valid license.

Marlin Dale Smith, breaking and/or entering, N.C. Department of Corrections one year, suspended sentence two years, costs, continued attend AA meeting, not violate any laws for two years.

Carver Wilson Jr., communicating threats, motion to dismiss at the close of state evidence allowed.

Teresa Lynn Wright, simple assault, Brunswick County Jail 30 days, suspended sentence two years, costs, not communicate with or go about plaintiff for two years, not violate any laws for two years.

William Dean Hewett, injury to real property, communicating threats, simple assault, two counts of injury to personal property, consolidated judgment, N.C. Department of Corrections two years, suspended sentence two years, supervised probation two years, costs, restitution \$1,100 to Kathie Johnson, restitution \$200 to Sammy Long, restitution \$250 attorney fees, not violate any laws for two years.

Herman Musselwhite, two counts of sewage disposal violation, consolidated judgment, prayer for judgment and costs, bring trailer park sanitation into compliance with state and county laws within a reasonable time.

Robert Booth, speeding 69 in a 55 zone, costs.

Michael A. Gore, failure to complete community service, Brunswick County Jail 15 hours in lieu of remaining community service.

Carl Lynn Inman, driving while license revoked, DWI and resisting arrest,