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<http://lrc.state.ky.us/statrev/frontpg.htm> (Kentucky Revised Statutes)
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Hello Everyone! Welcome to the 38th Edition of our newsletter.



SPOTLIGHT: Lucas Cayce/Summer Intern



ords/ (Court Case Information)

<http://courts.ky.gov> (Docket Information)

<http://www.dea.gov/seizures/kentucky.html> (Locations of Meth Labs)

<http://www.bop.gov/> (Federal Inmate Locator)

<http://ag.ky.gov> (KY Attorney General)

<http://www.usdoj.gov/dea/index.htm> (DEA)

https://www.vinelink.com_ (KY Statewide Offender custody status)

Lucas Cayce has been working with our office this summer as a legal intern. Throughout the summer, he has been assisting our staff with numerous projects as well as helping prepare for weekly court and jury trials.

Lucas is a 2012 graduate of The University of Kentucky where he earned a B.A. in Political Science and International Studies. Lucas will start his second year of law school at Salmon P. Chase College of Law when he returns to school in the fall.

About the experience, Lucas says, "Working in the Commonwealth Attorney's Office this summer has been such an amazing experience. No matter what they teach you in school, you still don't understand how our legal system works unless you get to see it firsthand. Working with Lynn and the whole staff gave me an opportunity to do this. I was able to sit in and assist on two jury trials, as well as sitting in on Grand Jury and observing the weekly operations of the Christian County Circuit Court. I also was able to assist the attorneys by researching and be helping prepare responses to motions and other legal documents. I'm so grateful for the opportunity they gave me, and will take this learning experience with me back to school in the fall. I look forward to working with them again in the future!"

We have enjoyed having Lucas as an intern in our office, as he has been an extraordinary help with legal research and other projects. Good luck in law school Lucas, and maybe we'll see you next summer or in the future!!

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SAFETY TIPS FROM COMMONWEALTH'S DETECTIVE KENNY OVER

Wedding Safety Tips

My daughter is getting married this weekend and here are a few things I have learned.

- A wedding is a BIG, HUGE, OMG! event for the bride and her mother! [Dads - not so much]
- Stay calm.
- Weddings are expensive! I had no idea. Start saving early.
- Make a schedule and a check list, appoint people certain tasks and responsibilities, and appoint a problem solver- brides really wig out when problems arise.
- Hire qualified professional people - from the servers to the photographer. Great Aunt Sally may beg for something to do, but she may not be the best person for the job.
- Have back up plans - have two copies of everything, check with photographers and caterers to make sure they have a back-up plan, in case of vehicle trouble, etc.
- Ensure that the food stays fresh, list ingredients in each dish so people with allergies can avoid them.
- Serve alcohol safely and sparingly.
- Arrange transportation, good directions, and lodging for out of town guests. Grandma's 3rd cousin, by marriage - must be treated royally.
- Make sure there is plenty of food at rehearsal dinner and reception.
- Appoint someone to ensure the safety of purses, gifts (many people give cash), etc., at the venue.

For Dads only:

- Tell your wife that she looks great in her dress and that she hasn't gained a pound in the last 25 years.
- Smile a lot, say 'yes dear' to everything, and don't ask your wife what anything costs.
- Try not to slap the groom.
- Pray for their marriage to be successful.

GRAND JURY:

The May-June Grand Jury effectively and proficiently returned **126** "True Bill" Indictments, **2** "No True Bills," and there was **1** case referred to District Court. As always, the Grand Jury was very dedicated, and we appreciate their service to our community. Their report is attached.

COURT PROCEEDINGS:

From May 1, 2013, through June 30, 2013, our office handled **170** arraignments, **22** probation revocation hearings, and **76** sentencing hearings.

JURY TRIALS:



COMMONWEALTH VS. LINDA MCKENZIE AND SELENA WELLS

Judge: Andrew Self

Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves

Agency: Hopkinsville Police Dept.

On June 10, 2013, Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Ramsey Groves tried the case of Commonwealth vs. Linda McKenzie and Selena Wells. Selena Wells was charged with Criminal Possession of a Forged Instrument, 2nd Degree; Theft By Deception Over \$500; and Theft By Unlawful Taking Over \$500. Linda McKenzie, the mother of Selena Wells, was charged with complicity to all of the charges that her daughter was facing. Essentially, the charges stemmed from Ms. Wells taking a check intended for a disabled veteran, presenting that check to a local car dealership, along with a fabricated story indicating that the check was rightfully in her possession, and then using that check to obtain both a vehicle and cash from the car dealership. Ms. McKenzie was charged with complicity due to her role in facilitating Ms. Wells' deal with the car dealership.

Christopher Levy was the first witness for the Commonwealth. Mr. Levy testified that he was a disabled veteran and was supposed to receive disability checks from the United States Government. Mr. Levy testified that he previously resided at 140 Darlene Drive, Apartment #6, in Clarksville, Tennessee. However, he stated that he and his family moved out in the spring of 2011. Mr. Levy testified that he reported his new address to the government and was supposed to receive a disability check totaling roughly \$5,000. However, Mr. Levy did not receive that check, even though the government informed the Levys that the check had been cashed. He testified

that he never saw the disability check and accordingly never endorsed it. Mr. Levy reported that he did not know Linda McKenzie or Selena Wells and that he certainly never gave either of the women permission to use his disability check for any purpose.

Vic Joslin, the maintenance man at the apartments on Darlene Drive, next testified for the Commonwealth. He testified that he was familiar with Selena Wells and that she lived at 140 Darlene Drive, Apartment #6 in October of 2011.

Ray Cardwell, the owner of Truck Country Auto Sales, and Jim Rager, the manager of Truck Country Auto Sales, also testified on behalf of the Commonwealth. Both gentlemen stated that they were contacted by Linda McKenzie, who had previously purchased a vehicle from them, and that she reported that her daughter would like to come in and look at a vehicle. According to the gentlemen, Ms. McKenzie stated that her daughter had a check that she would be using. Mr. Cardwell and Mr. Rager stated that both women came in on several occasions and test drove vehicles. At some point, Ms. Wells actually settled on a 2002 Dodge Intrepid. According to Mr. Cardwell and Mr. Rager, the two women sat together in the small office at the car dealership as Ms. Wells told them the completely fabricated story about how she came to be in possession of a \$5,296 check from the United States Treasury issued to Christopher Levy in October of 2011 and mailed to 140 Darlene Drive, Apartment #6, Clarksville, Tennessee. Ms. Wells reported that she had a son who was injured while fighting for the military and that he was elsewhere recovering. Ms. Wells alleged that her son, Christopher Levy, had asked her to use his disability check to purchase a vehicle so that she could visit him. Ms. Wells is an African American woman and is actually younger than Christopher Levy, a Caucasian male. Clearly, there was no truth to this story. Ms. McKenzie allegedly sat quietly as her daughter lied to the men at Truck Country Auto Sales. However, Mr. Cardwell and Mr. Rager did not know Christopher Levy and testified that, based upon their good relationship with Ms. McKenzie, they believed her daughter. The gentleman cashed the check and ultimately provided Ms. Wells with the 2002 Dodge Intrepid and the excess cash, as the \$5,296 check was worth more than the vehicle.

Unfortunately, there were several discrepancies in the paperwork generated by Truck Country Auto Sales pertaining to the transaction with Ms. Wells. Accordingly, there was conflicting testimony concerning exact dates, the value of the vehicle, and the amount of cash that was provided back to Ms. Wells.

Det. Chuck Inman, retired from the Hopkinsville Police Department, testified that he began investigating once it came to the attention of the car dealership that Ms. Wells had used a check belonging to someone else to obtain the vehicle. Det. Inman testified that he ultimately located Ms. Wells in Tennessee in possession of the exact 2002 Dodge Intrepid that was purchased with Christopher Levy's disability check.

Ms. McKenzie and Ms. Wells took the stand in their own defense. The women testified that they knew absolutely nothing about the check that was presented to Truck Country Auto Sales. They testified that cash was used to purchase

the 2002 Dodge Intrepid. According to Ms. Wells, it was just a huge coincidence that a check intended for someone else but mailed to her exact address was used to purchase the exact vehicle that she was found to have in her possession. The jury did not believe Ms. Wells either.

After a lengthy deliberation, the jury found Ms. McKenzie not guilty of all charges. However, Ms. Wells was found guilty of Criminal Possession of a Forged Instrument, 2nd Degree and Theft By Unlawful Taking Over \$500. Ms. Wells was acquitted of Theft By Deception Over \$500.

Following the jury's guilty verdict, the Commonwealth made an offer to the Defendant, rather than proceed forward with the penalty phase and ask the jury to recommend a sentence. The Defendant entered a plea to a 2 year sentence, with restitution to the car dealership, knowing that the Commonwealth will be opposed to probation at sentencing. Ms. Wells will be sentenced on July 31, 2013.

GUILTY PLEAS/SENTENCINGS:

This section of our Newsletter includes a brief description of sentencing hearings that took place during the previous two-month period. While many consider "plea-bargains" as a negative way to resolve cases, defendants typically plead guilty to the same charges they are indicted for. When the defendant is sentenced following a guilty plea, they stand convicted of the charges just as if a jury had found them guilty. Therefore, the only thing they bargain away is their right to a jury trial and right to appeal. You will also see the jail-intake photos of these Defendants, when available.

Once the Commonwealth makes an offer and the Defendant enters a guilty plea, it is up to the Circuit Judge to determine if the Defendant will be probated or sentenced to prison. Another option that the judge has is one that must be agreed upon by the Defendant and by the Commonwealth – Pretrial Diversion.

Pretrial Diversion: Kentucky Revised Statutes allow for a person to be placed on a "Pretrial Diversion" under certain circumstances. 1) All charges which they are pleading guilty must be Class D felonies (1-5 years); 2) The person must enter a plea of guilty, or a plea pursuant to *North Carolina v. Alford* before becoming eligible for pretrial diversion; 3) Persons ineligible for probation, parole or conditional discharge under KRS 532.045 shall be ineligible; 4) a person convicted of a Class D felony for which early release is disallowed by statute including KRS 189A.010(8) and KRS 189A.120(2) [DUIs] shall be ineligible 5) No person shall be eligible for this program more than once in any five (5) year period. A person who is placed on diversion is considered a convicted felon during the period of their diversion and is subject to the same conditions as someone who is on felony probation. If someone completes that period of diversion/probation without any infractions or new charges, they can move the court to have their case dismissed/diverted, and they are no longer a convicted felon.

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COMMONWEALTH V. FRED GREENWADE

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: March 13, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 1, 2013
Charges: Possession of Cocaine; Possession of Oxycontin;
Possession of Drug Paraphernalia; Possession of
Marijuana
Disposition: 3 Years – Probated



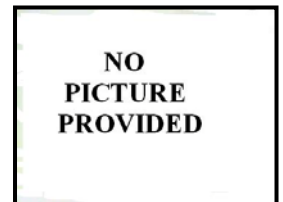
COMMONWEALTH V. PAULA RUSSELL

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: February 27, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 1, 2013
Charges: Theft by Unlawful Taking over \$10,000
Disposition: 10 years – Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. MARVA HARRIS

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Office of the Inspector General
Guilty Plea Date: January 9, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 1, 2013
Charges: Fraudulently Obtaining SNAP
Benefits over \$100
Disposition: 2 Years – Probated & Diverted



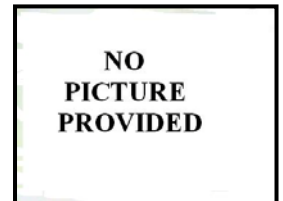
COMMONWEALTH V. VERNA COLEMAN

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Agency: Office of the Inspector General
Guilty Plea Date: February 27, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 1, 2013
Charges: Fraudulently Obtaining SNAP Benefits over \$100
Disposition: 3 Years – Probated & Diverted



COMMONWEALTH V. TELEKA WHEELER

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Agency: Office of the Inspector General
Guilty Plea Date: March 13, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 1, 2013
Charges: Fraudulently Obtaining SNAP
Benefits over \$100, Fraudulently Obtaining Medicaid
Benefits over \$100
Disposition: 5 Years – Probated & Diverted



COMMONWEALTH V. STEPHANIE BOOTH

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Kentucky State Police and Christian Co. Sheriff's Office



Guilty Plea Date: March 21, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 7, 2013
Charges: Manufacturing Methamphetamine, 1st Off.; Tampering With Anhydrous Ammonia with Intent to Manufacture Methamphetamine; Failure to Notify DOT of Address Change; Criminal Trespass, 2nd Degree
Disposition: 15 years – Prison

COMMONWEALTH V. CHAD WEASE

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Kentucky State Police



Guilty Plea Date: March 22, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 7, 2013
Charges: Knowingly Receiving Stolen Property over \$500
Disposition: 3 Years- Probated for 5 years

COMMONWEALTH V. JILL WHITE

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Kentucky State Police



Guilty Plea Date: March 22, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 7, 2013
Charges: Knowingly Receiving Stolen Property over \$500
Disposition: 3 Years – Probated for 5 years

COMMONWEALTH V. ANTHONY GRIMES

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department



Guilty Plea Date: March 25, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 7, 2013
Charges: Wanton Endangerment, 1st Degree, 2 Counts; Theft by Unlawful Taking Over \$500
Disposition: 15 Years – Probated & Diverted

COMMONWEALTH V. TAMESHA HARRIS

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Office of the Inspector General



Guilty Plea Date: March 20, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 7, 2013
Charges: Fraudulently Obtaining KWP Benefits over \$100
Disposition: 2 Years – Probated & Diverted

COMMONWEALTH V. ANTONIO HASKINS

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: March 27, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 7, 2013
Charges:



Promoting Contraband, 1st Degree; Fleeing or Evading Police, 1st Degree; Resisting Arrest; Carrying a Concealed Deadly Weapon; Possession of Marijuana; DUI, 1st Offense, w/ Aggravator
Disposition: 3 Years – Probated

COMMONWEALTH V. HUGH CHAMBERS

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: March 13, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 8, 2013
Charges:



Possession of Cocaine, 3rd Offense or Greater; Tampering with Physical Evidence; Disregarding a Traffic Regulation by a Pedestrian
Disposition: 1 Year and 6 Months – Prison

COMMONWEALTH V. DUSTIN FRAZIER

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Christian County Sheriff's Department
Guilty Plea Date: May 8, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 8, 2013
Charges: Wanton Endangerment, 1st Degree
Disposition: 2 Years – Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. STEVEN WATSON

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Christian County Sheriff's Department
Guilty Plea Date: May 8, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 8, 2013
Charges: Assault, 4th Degree
Disposition: 12 Months – Probated



COMMONWEALTH V. GARRY McCARLEY

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: February 25, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 8, 2013
Charges:



Trafficking In Marijuana Over 8 oz., Under 5 Lbs.; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia
Disposition: 3 Years – Prison

COMMONWEALTH V. ANTONIO GRAY

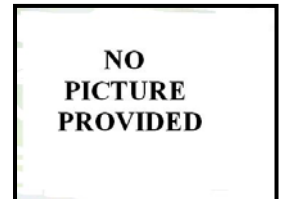
Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Oak Grove Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: March 13, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 8, 2013
Charges: Wanton Endangerment, 1st Degree, 2 counts
Disposition: 10 Years – Probated & Diverted

**COMMONWEALTH V. CORY MURRAY**

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: March 20, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 8, 2013
Charges: Wanton Endangerment, 1st Degree, 2 counts
Disposition: 8 years – Probated & Diverted for 3 years

**COMMONWEALTH V. MARTHA P'POOL**

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: May 15, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 15, 2013
Charges: Theft by Unlawful Taking under \$500
Disposition: 10 Months – Probated

**COMMONWEALTH V. ROSE BINGHAM**

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Office of the Inspector General
Guilty Plea Date: March 20, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 15, 2013
Charges: Fraudulently Obtaining SNAP Benefits over \$100
Disposition: 3 Years – Probated & Diverted

**COMMONWEALTH V. BRYANT KING**

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Office of the Inspector General
Guilty Plea Date: March 27, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 15, 2013
Charges: Fraudulently Obtaining SNAP Benefits over \$100
Disposition: 3 Years – Probated

**COMMONWEALTH V. JOYCE KRAMER**

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Duncan Cavanah
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: March 27, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 15, 2013



Charges: Wanton Endangerment, 1st degree; Theft by Unlawful Taking under \$500
Disposition: 2 Years - Probated

COMMONWEALTH V. DEMARIO PRYOR

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Kentucky State Police
Guilty Plea Date: May 6, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 22, 2013
Charges: Failure to Comply with Sex Offender Registry, 2 Counts; Sex Offender Using Social Networking Site
Disposition: 4 Years – Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. JAMON WILLIAMS

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Duncan Cavanah
Agency: Christian County Jail
Guilty Plea Date: May 23, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 23, 2013
Charges: Promoting Contraband 1st degree
Disposition: 2 years - Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. THOMAS CROFT

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Duncan Cavanah
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: May 28, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 28, 2013
Charges: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia
Disposition: 12 Months - Probated



COMMONWEALTH V. JEFFREY CULP

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Duncan Cavanah
Agency: Christian County Sherriff's Dept.
Guilty Plea Date: March 20, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 28, 2013
Charges: Operating with a Suspended License; DUI 4th Offense with Aggravator; Driving without Insurance
Disposition: 2 Years - Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. AUSTIN JONES

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Duncan Cavanah
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Dept.
Guilty Plea Date: September 5, 2012
Sentencing Date: May 29, 2013
Charges: Wanton Endangerment 1st degree; DUI 1st offense; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia
Disposition: 3 years – Probated



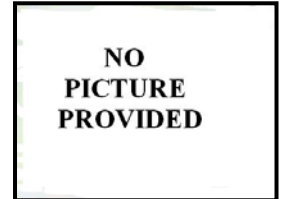
COMMONWEALTH V. DANIEL HART

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Oak Grove Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: April 8, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 29, 2013
Charges: Criminal Mischief, 1st Degree; Burglary, 2nd Degree; Bail Jumping, 1st Degree
Disposition: 6 Years – Prison



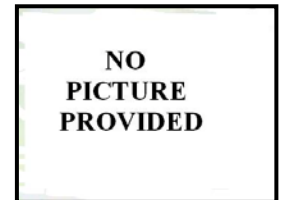
COMMONWEALTH V. CLAUDIA MONTUFAR

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: April 3, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 29, 2013
Charges: Criminal Possession of a Forged Instrument, 2nd Degree
Disposition: 2 Years – Probated



COMMONWEALTH V. LARRY COOK

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: April 10, 2013
Sentencing Date: May 29, 2013
Charges: Trafficking In Dilaudid
Disposition: 3 Years – Probated



COMMONWEALTH V. CHARLES PILLOW

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Duncan Cavanah
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: March 27, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 5, 2013
Charges: Burglary 3rd degree; Receiving Stolen Property under \$500
Disposition: 3 Years - Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. JAVORIEN POOLE

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Christian County Sheriff's Department
Guilty Plea Date: June 5, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 5, 2013
Charges: Assault, 4th Degree, 3rd Offense or Greater, Domestic Violence
Disposition: 3 Years – Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. ANDREW SCOTT

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: April 10, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 5, 2013
Charges: Assault under Extreme Emotional Disturbance; Knowingly Receiving Stolen Property Over \$500, 2 Counts; Theft By Unlawful Taking Over \$500; Knowingly Receiving Stolen Property Under \$500



Disposition: 3 Years – Probated

COMMONWEALTH V. KENRON PRINCE

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: February 7, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 5, 2013
Charges: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, While Armed



Disposition: 2 Years – Probated & Diverted for 2 years

COMMONWEALTH V. DANIEL GIBSON

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: May 9, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 5, 2013
Charges: Robbery, 2nd Degree
Disposition: 10 years – Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. DAMONZ CAYCE

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Lynn Pryor
Police Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: January 16, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 5, 2013
Charges: Flagrant Non-Support, 4 Counts; Escape 2nd Degree; Trafficking in Cocaine



Disposition: 5 Years – Prison

COMMONWEALTH V. KENRON PRINCE

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Lynn Pryor
Police Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: January 17, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 5, 2013
Charges: Trafficking in Cocaine; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia; Trafficking in Marijuana less than 8 ounces; Sell or Transfer of a Simulated Controlled Substance



Disposition: 12 Months – Probated

COMMONWEALTH V. JAMES BREWER

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: April 9, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 11, 2013
Charges: Possession of Cocaine
Disposition: 3 Years – Probated & Diverted

**COMMONWEALTH V. RANDY MAJOR**

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department / Kentucky State Police
Guilty Plea Date: March 26, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 11, 2013
Charges: Criminal Possession of a Forged Instrument, 2nd Degree, 14 counts; Theft by Unlawful Taking Over \$500, 2 counts; Forgery 2nd Degree; Theft by Deception Over \$500; Theft by Failure to Make Required Disposition of Property under \$500, 3 counts; Theft By Unlawful Taking Under \$500, 8 counts
Disposition: 15 Years – Probated and Diverted

**COMMONWEALTH V. STEPHEN COSTELLO**

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Kentucky State Police
Guilty Plea Date: June 11, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 11, 2013
Charges: Rape, 3rd Degree; Sodomy, 3rd Degree, 2 Counts
Disposition: 2 Years – Prison

**COMMONWEALTH V. LARRY GIBBS**

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Office of the Inspector General
Guilty Plea Date: April 17, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 11, 2013
Charges: Fraudulently Obtaining SNAP Benefits over \$100
Disposition: 2 Years – Probated

**COMMONWEALTH V. ANGELIQUE LAMPLEY**

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Duncan Cavanah
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Dept.
Guilty Plea Date: April 17, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 11, 2013
Charges: Criminal Possession of a Forged Instrument, 1st degree; Attempting to Obtain Controlled Substance by Fraud or False Statement, 4 counts



Disposition: 3 Years - Probated & Diverted

COMMONWEALTH V. FALLON LASALLE

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Duncan Cavanah
Agency: Private Complaint
Guilty Plea Date: April 29, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 11, 2013
Charges: Theft by Unlawful Taking over \$500
Disposition: 3 Years - Probated & Diverted



COMMONWEALTH V. CHAD LOVE

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Duncan Cavanah
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Dept.
Guilty Plea Date: March 20, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 11, 2013
Charges: Fraudulent Use of a Credit Card over \$500
Disposition: 2 Years - Probated



COMMONWEALTH V. TYRONE POINDEXTER

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Lynn Pryor
Police Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: April 30, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 11, 2013
Charges: Possession of a Handgun by a Convicted Felon; Fleeing or Evading Police, 1st Degree; Resisting Arrest; Operating a Motor Vehicle under the Influence of Alcohol or Controlled Substance, 1st off.; Reckless Driving; Possession of an Open Alcoholic Beverage Container in a Motor Vehicle; Disregarding a Stop Sign, 4 Counts; Failure to Dim Headlights; Instructional Permit Violations; Theft by Unlawful Taking; Theft by Deception; Criminal Mischief, 1st Degree
Disposition: 7 Years – Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. DARRELL TIDWELL

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Lynn Pryor
Police Agency: Kentucky State Police
Guilty Plea Date: April 29, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 11, 2013
Charges: Reckless Homicide
Disposition: 5 Years – Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. JONATHAN MCCOY

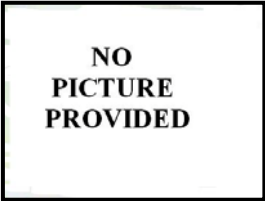
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Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Christian County Sheriff's Department
Guilty Plea Date: June 12, 2013



Sentencing Date: June 12, 2013
Charges: Knowingly Receiving Stolen Property over \$500
Disposition: 2 Years and 6 Months – Prison

COMMONWEALTH V. SHELIA PRICE

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Office of the Inspector General
Guilty Plea Date: May 1, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 12, 2013
Charges: Fraudulently Obtaining SNAP Benefits over \$100
Disposition: 5 Years – Probated & Diverted



COMMONWEALTH V. STANLEY LEE

Judge: John Atkins
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: June 12, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 12, 2013
Charges: Theft by Deception Under \$500, 12 counts
Disposition: 12 Months - Probated for 2 years, restitution paid in full



COMMONWEALTH V. MONIQUE BABB

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: June 12, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 12, 2013
Charges: Assault, 4th Degree
Disposition: 12 Months - Probated



COMMONWEALTH V. DARRON BEAN

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Oak Grove Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: August 20, 2012 and June 12, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 12, 2013
Charges: Burglary, 2nd Degree, 2 counts; OMV on a Suspended Operator's License; Tampering with Electronic Monitoring Device
Disposition: 16 Years - Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. TORRY TAYLOR

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Wal-Mart/Oak Grove Police Dept.
Guilty Plea Date: May 1, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 12, 2013
Charges: Theft by Unlawful Taking over \$500, 5 counts
Disposition: 8 Years - Probated & Diverted



COMMONWEALTH V. BOBBY KYLES

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Kentucky State Police
Guilty Plea Date: June 12, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 12, 2013
Charges: Failure to Comply With Sex Offender Registry
Disposition: 1 ½ years – Prison (consecutive to 7 and ½ year sentence presently serving)



COMMONWEALTH V. JARED GOOD

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Oak Grove Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: April 15, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 12, 2013
Charges: Robbery, 2nd Degree; Theft by Unlawful Taking over \$500
Disposition: 10 Years – Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. JIMMY GOOD

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Lynn Pryor
Police Agency: Christian County Sherriff's Office
Guilty Plea Date: May 6, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 12, 2013
Charges: Manufacturing Methamphetamine, 2 Counts; Possession of Anhydrous Ammonia in an Unapproved Container to Manufacture Methamphetamine, 2 Counts; Tampering with Anhydrous Ammonia to Manufacture Methamphetamine, 2 Counts; Theft by Unlawful Taking of Anhydrous Ammonia with Intent to Manufacture Methamphetamine, 2 Counts; Possession of a Controlled Substance, 1st Degree, 1st Offense, Methamphetamine
Disposition: 20 Years – Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. MICHAEL MEFFORD

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Lynn Pryor
Police Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: April 8, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 12, 2013
Charges: Attempting to Manufacturing Methamphetamine; Attempting to Possession of Anhydrous Ammonia in an Unapproved Container to Manufacture Methamphetamine; Attempting to Tampering with Anhydrous Ammonia to Manufacture Methamphetamine; Attempting to Theft by Unlawful Taking of Anhydrous Ammonia with Intent to Manufacture Methamphetamine
Disposition: 5 Years – Probated



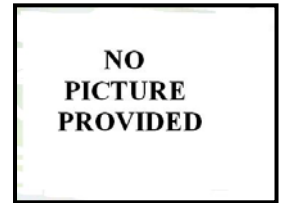
COMMONWEALTH V. COREY QUARLES

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: May 8, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 19, 2013
Charges: Possession of Cocaine; Tampering With Physical Evidence
Disposition: 2 Years – Probated and Diverted



COMMONWEALTH V. EDGAR GARAY MUNOZ

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Lynn Pryor
Police Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: March 20, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 19, 2013
Charges: Trafficking in Marijuana greater than 5 pounds
Disposition: 5 Years – Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. CARLINA TEMPLE

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Michael Cotthoff
Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: May 22, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 26, 2013
Charges: Possession of Cocaine; Possession of Marijuana; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia; Bail Jumping, 1st Degree
Disposition: 4 Years – Prison



COMMONWEALTH V. CHRISTOPHER BROWN

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Ramsey Groves
Police Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: April 10, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 26, 2013
Charges: Criminal Mischief, 3rd Degree, 6 Counts; Burglary, 3rd Degree, 2 Counts; Burglary, 2nd Degree
Disposition: 7 Years – Probated



COMMONWEALTH V. LAQUITA SMITH

Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Duncan Cavanah
Agency: Kentucky State Police
Guilty Plea Date: April 17, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 26, 2013
Charges: Fleeing and Evading 1st Degree; Criminal Mischief 1st degree; Resisting Arrest
Disposition: 3 Years - Probated & Diverted



COMMONWEALTH V. ANTONIO HAMILTON



Judge: Andrew Self
Prosecutor: Lynn Pryor
Police Agency: Hopkinsville Police Department
Guilty Plea Date: April 17, 2013
Sentencing Date: June 26, 2013
Charges: Robbery, 1st Degree; Theft by Unlawful Taking; Fleeing or Evading Police, 1st Degree
Disposition: 2 Years – Prison

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Sincerely,
Lynn Pryor – Commonwealth’s Attorney