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COLUMBUS CHIROPRACTOR INDICTED ON CHILD PORN CHARGES



A Delaware County Grand Jury has returned an 82-count indictment against 56-year-old Dr. David T. Ryan, of Lewis Center.

The indictment comes after it was reported an individual had e-mail transactions known to contain child pornography. The Delaware County Sheriff's Office along with the Franklin County Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force investigated the downloading and file sharing of child pornography to pinpoint Dr. David Ryan.

"It took several agencies working together to ultimately track down Dr. David Ryan," said Delaware County Prosecutor Carol O'Brien. "The result was a search warrant being issued on Dr. Ryan's home, in Orange Township, and ultimately, his arrest."

Several electronic items were seized in a search warrant executed at Dr. Ryan's home. Another search warrant was obtained for an additional electronic item, which was seized at his business, Columbus Chiropractic Center.

Ryan is charged with thirty-eight counts of Pandering Sexually Oriented Matter Involving a Minor – second-degree felonies and forty-four counts of Pandering Obscenity Involving a Minor – second-degree felonies.

Ryan is in jail. Arraignment has not yet been set.

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Dr. David T. Ryan, Chiropractor indicted on child pornography charges, was in court today for his arraignment. A \$75,000 bond, along with a trial date of May 2, 2017 was set.



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DELAWARE MAN INDICTED FOR FELONIOUS ASSAULT/KIDNAPPING



A Delaware County Grand Jury has returned a five-count indictment against 48-year-old Roger Allen Madison.

"In the early morning hours of February 5, 2017, a Delaware Police Officer was flagged down by a woman in the area of North Houk Road and West Central Avenue," said Delaware County Prosecutor Carol O'Brien. "She was in need of medical care and transported to Grady Hospital."

R. Madison After investigation, Roger Madison was charged with felonious assault – a second-degree felony, two counts of kidnapping – both first-degree felonies, domestic violence – a first-degree misdemeanor, and aggravated menacing – also a first-degree misdemeanor.

"If you or someone you know is experiencing abuse and needs help, contact law enforcement," said O'Brien. "Turning Point is our local organization serving domestic violence victims. They can be reached at 1-800-232-6505."

An arraignment date for Madison is not yet set.



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DUO INDICTED ON CHARGES OF THEFT AND IDENTITY FRAUD

A Delaware County Grand Jury has returned a 34-count indictment against 36-year-old Jennifer Byrum of Grove City, Ohio and 42-year-old Eugene Clark of Hamilton, Ohio.

Charges stem from a June 17, 2016 call to law enforcement that a purse had been stolen in the parking lot of the Genoa Township Kroger store.

"A customer reported her purse had been snatched from her cart as she unloaded groceries into her vehicle," said Delaware County Prosecutor Carol O'Brien. "Her credit cards were used a short time later."

Video surveillance showed a maroon Chevy S10 leaving the scene. The driver and passenger were later caught on camera purchasing gift cards with the stolen credit cards.

An investigation revealed the boyfriend/girlfriend duo were suspects in several similar crimes at various other retailers.

They are each charged with 16 counts of theft – fifth-degree felonies, one count of theft – a fourth-degree felony, one misdemeanor count of theft, 12 counts of identity fraud – fourth-degree felonies, two counts of identity fraud – both third-degree felonies, and two counts of identity fraud – both fifth-degree felonies.

Arraignment dates have not yet been set.

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**ASHLEY MAN INDICTED ON ATTEMPTED AGGRAVATED MURDER
AND AGGRAVATED ARSON CHARGES**



C. Richardson

A Delaware County Grand Jury has returned a three-count indictment against 26-year-old Christopher M. Richardson of Ashley.

Charges come after officials were called to a house fire at 10 Vine Street the morning of January 28, 2017.

"On scene, the home was engulfed in flames," said Delaware County Prosecutor, Carol O'Brien. "A woman who had been inside the home was transported to Ohio State University Hospital where she remains for treatment.

Richardson, who lived in the home with his mother, was apprehended later that day. He is charged with one count of attempted aggravated murder – a first-degree felony, and two counts of arson – one a first-degree felony and the other, a second-degree felony.

An arraignment date has not yet been set.

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COLUMBUS MAN INDICTED FOR CREDIT CARD FORGERY



G. Graves

A Delaware County Grand Jury has indicted 46-year-old Glen Allen Graves on twelve counts, including 10 felonies and two misdemeanors.

Charges come after law enforcement received a call from a concerned employee at the Huntington National Bank in Westerville on January 28, 2017.

"The call came when two credit cards came back as invalid after Graves attempted to use them for cash advances," said Delaware County Prosecutor Carol O'Brien. "Further investigation showed the cards to be fraudulent."

Graves is charged with four counts of possessing criminal tools – all fifth-degree felonies, four counts of forgery – also fifth-degree felonies, one count of receiving stolen property – a fifth-degree felony, one count of attempted theft – a first-degree misdemeanor, and two counts of theft – one being a fifth-degree felony and the other being a first-degree misdemeanor.

Similar activity was shown to have occurred the day before at another Huntington National Bank location in Columbus.

An arraignment date for Graves is not yet set.



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THREE INDICTED ON DRUG TRAFFICKING CHARGES

A Delaware County Grand Jury has returned an 11-count indictment against three Columbus men for illegal drug activity.

The Delaware County Drug Task Force, along with agents from the Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) worked together to bring charges.

"During the investigation, officials seized more than 500 grams of heroin and more than \$14,000 cash," said Delaware County Prosecutor Carol O'Brien. "Several search warrants also yielded items such as plastic baggies, a digital scale, rubber gloves, and more than a dozen cellular phones."

Specifications on the indictment allege that all three are major drug offenders.

"Because the amount of drugs seized was more than 250 grams, the major drug offender specification can be applied," explained O'Brien. "If found guilty, a specification would add time to a sentence."

The charges are as follows.

Jesse Gomez, 29, Gilberto U. Perez-Tapia, 33, and Alejandro E. Chavez-Guzman, 29, are each charged with seven counts of trafficking in drugs – three are first-degree felonies, two are second-degree felonies, and two are fourth-degree felonies.

Gomez and Perez-Tapia are also charged with possession of drugs – a first-degree felony.

Gomez is additionally charged with another count of possession of drugs – a first-degree felony and possession of drugs – a fourth-degree felony.

Arraignment dates are not yet set.



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Delaware County Resident Pleads Guilty to Theft

Columbus, Ohio – Following a referral from the Ohio Division of Securities and an indictment returned by a Delaware County Grand Jury, Bruce Durr, Jr. of Westerville, pleaded guilty today to four counts of theft, all felonies of the fourth degree.

This case is being prosecuted by the Office of the Delaware County Prosecutor, Carol O'Brien. The conviction stems from allegations that Durr, Jr. solicited and received \$69,400 from four Ohio residents to invest in The Denture Place, a new company touted as a denture manufacturer.

"Instead of investing the money as promised, Durr, Jr. used the funds for personal expenses," O'Brien said. "The denture company never opened, and investors were not refunded."

The conviction spans from September 2014 through January 2015.

Sentencing is scheduled for April 3. A presentence report was ordered by Judge Everett H. Krueger. Durr, Jr. faces a maximum of 6 years in prison.

About the Ohio Division of Securities

The Ohio Division of Securities (ODS) administers the Ohio Securities Act by licensing securities salespersons, dealers, investment advisers, and investment adviser representatives. The Division also registers securities offered for sale to Ohioans. Additionally, the ODS investigates alleged violations of the Ohio Securities Act and enforces its provisions through administrative actions, civil injunctive actions and criminal prosecutions.

To avoid potential financial fraud, investors are encouraged to call the Division's Investor Protection Hotline at 877-683-7841 before they invest money and ask:

- Is the brokerage firm and salesperson licensed to sell securities in Ohio?
- Have any enforcement actions been taken against them?
- Has the security been properly registered with the Division of Securities?

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FATAL CRASH RESULTS IN AGGRAVATED VEHICULAR HOMICIDE/OVI CHARGES

A Delaware County Grand Jury has returned an indictment against 64-year-old Mark C. Noonan of Kilbourne, Ohio. Noonan is the driver of a car that crashed into a semi on December 15, 2016.

The crash occurred in front of the Delaware County Jail on U.S. 42 North. On scene authorities observed a white Chevy Impala wedged under the trailer portion of a semi.

"All three people in the car had to be mechanically extricated," said Delaware County Prosecutor Carol O'Brien. "Noonan and a female, front seat passenger were transported for medical care. The male, rear seat passenger, 43-year-old Kristian Halley of Delaware, was deceased at the scene."

The driver of the semi and his two passengers were not injured.

Noonan is charged with one count of aggravated vehicular homicide – a second-degree felony, and one count of operating a vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs – a first-degree misdemeanor.

An arraignment date is not yet set for Noonan.



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REPEAT OVI OFFENDER INDICTED AFTER HIT/SKIP CRASH

A Delaware County Grand Jury has returned an eight-count indictment against 46-year-old Mark H. Holbrook of Lewis Center.

Charges come after a January 23, 2017 crash in the area of US 23 and Meadow Park Avenue.

"On scene, law enforcement observed a white 2005 Nissan Maxima SL with heavy front end damage and deployed air bags," said Delaware County Prosecutor Carol O'Brien. "Two of the three people in the car, a mother and child, had sustained serious injuries and were transported for medical care."

Witnesses reported the other vehicle involved in the crash, a gray van, had fled the scene.

"Law enforcement located the 2008 Chevrolet van, and its driver, Mark Holbrook, a short time later at his residence," O'Brien said.

Holbrook is charged with two counts of aggravated vehicular assault – both second-degree felonies, two additional counts of aggravated vehicular assault – both third-degree felonies, two counts of operating a vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs, stopping after an accident on public roads or highways – a fifth-degree felony, and driving under OVI suspension – a first-degree misdemeanor. Holbrook has four previous OVI convictions.

An arraignment date has not yet been set.

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FACEBOOK POST

COLUMBUS MEN SENTENCED AFTER TWO GAS STATION ROBBERIES



J. Lanning

R. Long

John Lanning and Richard Long were indicted in November 2016.

Charges came after authorities responded to a robbery in progress call at the Circle K on Sawmill Parkway in Powell on October 26, 2016. While the Circle K scene was being processed, Columbus Police responded to a similar call at the BP Duchess Shoppe on West Dublin Granville Road.

Lanning, 19, pleaded guilty to robbery and was sentenced to four years in prison. Long, 27, also pleaded guilty to robbery and was sentenced to three years in prison.

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DELAWARE MAN INDICTED AFTER CHASE BANK ROBBERY



A Delaware County Grand Jury has returned a three-count indictment against 42-year-old Jose Angel Santiago Cintron of Delaware.

Charges come after a February 17, 2017 call to authorities that a robbery was in progress at the Chase Bank located at 61 North Sandusky Street in Delaware.

Cintron “The caller reported a man, dressed in black, had demanded money,” said Delaware County Prosecutor Carol O’Brien. “It was also reported that the man had held a patron at knifepoint.”

Cintron is charged with one count of aggravated robbery – a first-degree felony and two counts of kidnapping – also first-degree felonies.

An arraignment date is not yet set.



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COUPLE INDICTED ON 54 COUNTS FOR CEMETERY SCHEME

A Delaware County Grand Jury has returned a 54-count indictment against 53-year-old Theodore Martin and 46-year-old Arminda Martin of Ravenna, Ohio.

Charges come after multiple victims reported they paid the couple for services at Fairview Memorial Park in Lewis Center, but had not received anything for their money.

"There are 44 victims named in the indictment," said Delaware County Prosecutor Carol O'Brien. "They describe purchasing items such as grave markers, grave plots, and vaults, all of which were never provided after payment."

The Martins are charged with one count of engaging in a pattern of corrupt activity – a second-degree felony, 17 counts of theft – fourth-degree felonies, 15 counts of theft – fifth-degree felonies, and three additional counts of theft – first-degree misdemeanors.

Mr. Martin is additionally charged with 10 counts of theft – fourth-degree felonies, and six counts of theft – fifth-degree felonies. Mrs. Martin is also charged separately with two additional counts of theft – both fifth-degree felonies.

Arraignment dates have not yet been set.