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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL  
FIRST DISTRICT OF FLORIDA**

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

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MORRIS PUBLISHING CO., LLC, d/b/a *THE FLORIDA TIMES-UNION*,

Petitioner,

vs.

STATE OF FLORIDA, TAJUAN DUBOSE, TERRELL DUBOSE, and  
RASHEEM DUBOSE,

Respondents.

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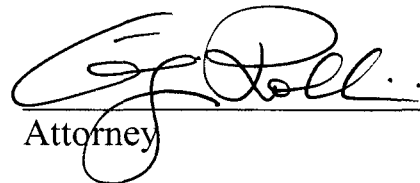
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR DUVAL COUNTY,  
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**ORDER DENYING MOTION TO ALLOW  
ACCESS OF REPORTER TO TRIAL WITH LAPTOP**

THIS CAUSE came on to be heard on Morris Publishing Company, LLC's Motion to Allow Access of Reporter to Trial with Laptop. Upon hearing argument of counsel and reviewing Rule 2.440, Judicial Administration Rules in which there is no provision for laptops in the courtroom, it is, *ORDERED AND ADJUDGED* that Morris Publishing Company, LLC, is allowed to intervene. *(JRW)*

ORDERED and ADJUDGED that the Motion to Allow Access of Reporter to  
Trial with Laptop <sup>for the purpose of communicating outside of the courtroom.</sup> is hereby DENIED. (LPH)

DONE and ORDERED at Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida this 14 day of  
January, 2010.



JUDGE

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## DUBOSE CRIMINAL TRIAL BLOG

<b>Wednesday, January 13, 2010</b>	
12:42	Times-Union moderator: Good afternoon. We are currently waiting for opening arguments to begin in the Dubose Trial. At that point we will begin our live coverage.
3:28	Bridget Murphy: If she was alive, DreShawna Davis would be 12 right now. She likely would be in seventh grade. This trial will be the forum for jurors to decide if three Jacksonville brothers with the last name DuBose ended her life on July 26, 2006. She was 8 then and watching a The Cat in the Hat video in her bedroom with two younger cousins.
3:29	Bridget Murphy: As court employees prepare for the trial to begin in a few minutes, I will catch you up on the case a bit.
3:32	Bridget Murphy: DreShawna dived on top of her cousins' bodies to protect them when one of 29 bullets that pierced her grandmother's Third Avenue home in Jacksonville's Riverview section killed her.
3:33	Bridget Murphy: Prosecutors believe the run-by shooting was payback for an attempted robbery by the 8-year-old's uncle that same day. He has been serving prison time for that crime but is expected to testify at the trial.
3:33	Bridget Murphy: On trial for their lives are Rasheem Dubose, 25, and his younger brothers Terrell "P.J." DuBose, 23, and Tajuane "Hammer" DuBose, 21. All three defendants face the death penalty if convicted.
3:34	Bridget Murphy: I was among the reporters who covered the homicide when it happened. I have interviewed members of the victim's family and the grandmother of the defendants. I also was one of the many people in Jacksonville who looked upon DreShawna in her white coffin at Bethel Baptist Institutional Church. Her death stirred an outcry against the city's rising homicide rate, getting the attention of both Jacksonville's top crime fighter and top politician.
3:35	Bridget Murphy: Along with daily articles in The Florida Times-Union by Paul Pinkham, I will be doing live blogging from the court room. You can get involved in the discussion by posting comments. Our TV news partner First Coast News will be providing a live image and sound of what happening's also on the Times-Union's Web site at Jacksonville.com.
3:37	Bridget Murphy: I believe there are two juries because the prosecution plans to use a statement that only one of the brothers made to police. The other two are getting a separate jury. They didn't say much in police interviews.
3:38	Bridget Murphy: Court officials erected a second jury box in the court room to seat the second jury. It actually is a band podium that's been used at the Jacksonville Landing for performances, court officials said earlier. It is wrapped in a black covering of sorts.
3:39	Bridget Murphy: Opening statements should start in a few minutes and should last a couple hours. The prosecution will present its opener, then lawyers for each of the brothers will speak.
3:40	[Comment From MARY ] SO DID THE ONE BROTHER IMPLICATE THE OTHER 2 BROTHERS, IS THAT WHY THERE ARE 2 DIFFERENT JURORS?
3:41	[Comment From STRICK ] SO IS TODAY THE FIRST DAY
3:43	Bridget Murphy: The judge's name is L. Page Haddock. Prosecutors for the State Attorney's Office are London Kite and John Guy. Lawyers for Rasheem are Richard Kuritz and Shelley Eckels. Lawyers for Terrell are Charles Fletcher and Richard Selinger. Lawyers for Tajuane are James Hernandez and Rick Sichta.
3:44	[Comment From Cheryl Berlin ] I heard Judge Haddock mention "jurors in Courtroom 10" - is that another trial on this case with one of the other defendants?
3:44	Bridget Murphy: The jurors are waiting in adjacent rooms until the proceedings start, to answer your question Cheryl.
3:46	Bridget Murphy: Lawyers finished picking a jury for Rasheem Dubose about an hour ago. On it are seven women and seven men. From outward appearances, three of the jurors appear to be African-American. The rest are white.
3:46	[Comment From Judith Chapple ] How Long do you think they will go today?
3:47	Bridget Murphy: Judith, you never know how long lawyers will talk. But I anticipate up to 30 minutes each for opening statements. Keep in mind there are three defendants.
3:49	Bridget Murphy: I believe the state also will put a witness on the stand today, likely Vonnie Frazier, one of DreShawna's grandmas.
3:50	[Comment From Judith Chapple ] Well, thanks in advance for the play by play. Lets Rock!



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3:50	[Comment From STRICK ] SO WATS THE CHANCES OF THEM BEING FOUND GULITY?
3:51	Bridget Murphy: That will be up to the jurors, Strick. Remember defendants are innocent until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt. That's how the system's supposed to work.
3:52	[Comment From STRICK ] YEA U RIGHT "SUPPOSED"
3:53	Bridget Murphy: In case you are wondering, the delay in trial happened because of lots of pretrial hearings and lawyer changes. The defendants waived their rights to a speedy trial and have been at the Duval County jail all along.
3:54	[Comment From Cheryl Berlin ] How many days do they anticipate the trial will take? Is the courtroom open to the public and what time will they convene tomorrow morning? Will First Coast News cover this trial live until verdict returned?
3:55	Bridget Murphy: Cheryl, the trial could last two weeks. The court room is open to the public. The judge will tell everyone what time to come back tomorrow when court finishes tonight. Our goal is to be bringing you live coverage from start to finish, right here on Jacksonville.com.
3:56	Bridget Murphy: The judge just took his seat.
3:58	Bridget Murphy: Terrell just came inside the court room. He is wearing a white shirt and tie. Tajuane just walked in too, straightening his tie. Rasheem followed his younger brothers in. Now family members are taking their seats.
4:01	Bridget Murphy: The lawyers and judge are talking about what photos they do or don't want displayed to jurors. It's some last-minute business before the juries come inside.
4:02	[Comment From Cheryl Berlin ] Is the spectator area filled to capacity?
4:02	Bridget Murphy: There are a few dozen people in the gallery, but it's not full, to answer your question, Cheryl.
4:04	Bridget Murphy: London Kite, the prosecutor, is arguing for particular photos of DreShawna at the scene to be included in the evidence. The 8-year-old girl died in her bedroom.
4:05	Bridget Murphy: James Hernandez, a lawyer for Tajuane doesn't want the photos from the bedroom in. Too much blood, he says.
4:06	[Comment From HOR ] I thought it was two jurors, why are all the brothers in the courtroom?
4:06	Bridget Murphy: HOR, the judge settles matters with the lawyers before jurors come inside sometimes. The defendants have a right to hear the discussions.
4:07	Bridget Murphy: The judge is ruling he'll allow some photos from DreShawna's bedroom.
4:07	[Comment From HOR ] I thought one of them asked for a change of location for the trial. Has that been resolved?
4:08	Bridget Murphy: A change of venue wasn't granted in this case.
4:10	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Is the courtroom full or is there plenty of seats available to come watch the trial?
4:11	Bridget Murphy: There are seat available for now. In the ones that are taken, I see DreShawna's granddaddy Willie Davis in one of them.
4:12	[Comment From pioggerellina ] You would think the lawyers would get the photos settled before the trial started instead of waiting until it started to determine which to allow and which to not allow.
4:13	[Comment From HOR ] Bridget, could you please explain how this two juror system will work? I'm a little confused by it.
4:14	Bridget Murphy: The jurors are on their way in now. One jury will decide Terrell and Tajuane's case. The other will decide Rasheem's. All three face the death penalty if found guilty.
4:16	Bridget Murphy: The state plans to use parts of a more than nine-hour statement Rasheem gave police after they first arrested the three on burglary charges. In it, he placed himself at the scene of the crime and said the motive for the shooting was going after DreShawna's uncle Willie Davis (who has the same name as DreShawna's granddaddy.) Rasheem said he and others he refused to name fled in a white car, that a .40-caliber chrome handgun was one of the guns used in the crime, and that he and the others hid in a Southside motel to disappear. The other two brothers did not make any substantive statements to police.
4:17	Bridget Murphy: The jurors are coming in. The defendants are standing and Terrell, also known as P.J., just waved to someone in the gallery. He's probably saying hi to a family member.
4:18	[Comment From HOR ] Wow, if they are found guilty a mother will lose 3 of her children.
4:19	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Everyone stands when jurors enter courtroom, to show respect for them.

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4:20	[Comment From jenman ] As an additional comment about the juries, this could have been two separate trials based on Rasheem's statements. But since so many of the details are/would have been the same, it's one trial with two juries rather than two separate trials.
4:20	[Comment From pioggerellina ] HOR, that mother losing her three children is nothing compared to the people who truly lost a child. At least these three will still be alive - too bad the same can't be said for that young child.
4:22	Bridget Murphy: Jurors on "Jury A," Terrell and Tajuane's jury have raised their hands and sworn to do their duties. "Jury B," Rasheem's jury, has now done the same.
4:22	[Comment From HOR ] @ pioggerellina I totally agree with you.
4:22	[Comment From Nicole ] Is there anyway they can turn the volume up on cam its hard to hear my computer is all the way up
4:23	Bridget Murphy: Nicole, unfortunately we're at the mercy of the courtroom acoustics. Please stay tuned.
4:24	Bridget Murphy: Judge Haddock is explaining the trial logistics to the jurors.
4:24	[Comment From pioggerellina ] All in all, what a sad situation all the way around.
4:24	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Nicole, try also hitting the volume icon on your task tray bar thing - see if that is all the way up, in addition to your speakers themselves.
4:24	[Comment From rj ] WAT TIME DID THE TRIAL TAKE PLACE
4:25	Bridget Murphy: R.J., we are coming to you live from Court Room 4 in the Duval County Courthouse.
4:25	[Comment From Nicole ] i have everything turned up
4:26	[Comment From rj ] I WAS WONDERING CAN THEY GET A MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE RATHER THAN MUDER CUZ THEY DIDNT MEAN TO KILL THE YOUNG GIRL
4:26	[Comment From marlene ] fcn should pan around the courtroom.
4:27	[Comment From theshot ] audio's good on my end
4:27	Bridget Murphy: R.J, manslaughter is not an option in this case. The defendants were indicted on first-degree murder charges.
4:28	Bridget Murphy: Marlene, the judge has strict instructions and cameras can't pan around the court room. I'll try to show you the big picture, best I can. :)
4:29	Bridget Murphy: London Kite is giving her opening statement now on behalf of the state."Violence lurked outside of a tiny home.....violence came in the form of three brothers armed with guns and seeking revenge...."
4:29	Bridget Murphy: Instead of killing their intended target, they shed the blood of the innocent, Kite says.
4:30	Bridget Murphy: "One bullet struck her in the back, penetrated her heart, and she died."
4:30	Bridget Murphy: Kite: That is what brings us all here today.
4:31	Bridget Murphy: Kite: "We're going to transport you to a place that you probably are not familiar with....a kind of place where people are robbed in the broad daylight" ... a kind of place where people settle scores with guns.
4:31	Bridget Murphy: Kite: You will be confronted by the reality of the street, and the reality of the people who dwell there.
4:33	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Willie David was taking his girlfriend Cinee Tinsley home. There was a confrontation with Tajuane. Davis swerves his car and almost hits Tajuane. Rasheem is watching. He confronts Davis. They get into a verbal altercation. Willie drives off, goes to his father's house on the Northside. "He goes there to arm himself with a gun." Kite: Says Willie's girlfriend will testify to all this.
4:34	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Willie Davis went back to the house with a gun, puts it to Rasheem's head and demands he turn his pockets out and drop his pants.
4:35	Bridget Murphy: Kite: The only things in his pockets are lint and condoms, and Davis ridicules him. Cinee's mother sees this and asks Davis to stop.
4:37	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Davis puts the gun down and walks away. Rasheems razzes him and Davis comes at him again. Then Davis leaves and goes back to his grandmother's Third Avenue home. DreShawna and her cousins are among the people in the house. Cinee was also there. "As he was sitting on that couch, little did he know what was brewing outside....What was brewing was brothers, not going to take anything lightly," Kite says of Davis and the Duboses.

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4:38	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Le'Sean Jackson, a friend, tried to calm Tajuane down. Rasheem and Tajuane started "going out of control."
4:39	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Then Terrell got mad and all three of them were uncontrollable. Their friend Jackson went home and stayed there. "It wasn't over. The three brothers were dead set on getting even."
4:40	Bridget Murphy: Kite: They called on their cousin Maxie Wilson, a.k.a. Boobie, to help them. He was driving around in a rented white Impala that day, smoking marijuana. Tajuane called him repeatedly, per Kite.
4:41	[Comment From rj ] wat side of town willie davis was on while he robbed tajuan
4:42	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Boobie drove to the Dubose house on Second Avenue. They loaded up in the car. Terrell and Tajuane were sharing a single firearm, fighting over it. Boobie went and picked up Rasheem.
4:42	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Boobie drove the three brothers by the victim's house. They saw Willie Davis' parked outside the Third Avenue residence. "That's his car. That's it," they said.
4:43	Bridget Murphy: Kite: They drove around back, by a bottled water business. Boobie had two guns in the car. He gave one to Rasheem and one to Tajuane. Terrell used the 9mm they already had.
4:44	Bridget Murphy: Kite: The three brothers jumped the back fence, surrounded the victim's home "and began to fire."
4:45	Bridget Murphy: Kite on the gunfire: One. Two. And then a hail of gunfire.
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4:46	Times-Union moderator: The trial has a second temporary jury box (right, with black bunting) for this trial.
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4:46	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Willie Davis hit the ground. He got up, went by the front door with his own gun from the attempted robbery, and tried to get a shot. He was unable. The shooting went on for minutes. Cinee was the first to get off the floor. She found DreShawna on the floor. Her arms were around her two younger cousins.
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4:46	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Jasmine, the little one, was too small to get out from underneath DreShawna.
4:47	Times-Union moderator: Photo above is of Terrell Dubose at today's trial.
4:47	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Firefighters responded and tried to help DreShawna. They pronounced her dead there.
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4:47	Times-Union moderator: Rasheem Dubose
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4:48	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Willie Davis didn't stay around. When the shooting stopped and he saw his niece had died, he ran out dead set on getting his own revenge. He didn't stay. He left. Six others were left behind.
4:48	Times-Union moderator: Tajuane Dubose with Rick Sichta
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4:48	Times-Union moderator: Judge Haddock
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4:48	[Comment From adrock ] Hmmm...Wilson supplied the guns, yet he isn't on trial here? Was he charged with anything Bridget?
4:48	[Comment From HOR ] what is the mix-up of the two juries?
4:48	Times-Union moderator: Shelly Echols talks to her client Rasheem before the trial began.
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4:49	Times-Union moderator: Another view of the courtroom. All photos were taken today by the T-U's Bruce Lipsky.
4:50	Bridget Murphy: Kite: There were .45-caliber projectiles and 9mm casings.
4:51	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Other officers were searching for Willie Davis. But when he turned himself in, all he could think about was himself. She says he'll explain his street mentality, how he wanted to retaliate.

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4:52	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Willie Davis told lies in his own self-interest. He is a convicted felon. That is a charge he will admit to. He was convicted of attempted armed robbery for the confrontation with Rasheem and is now serving 30 years for it.
4:53	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Police captured the Dubose brothers three days after the homicide of DreShawna. They were hanging out in a house on a desolated road on the Southside.
4:53	Bridget Murphy: Kite: A sergeant made contact with a neighbor, Betty Calhoun, after he came out looking for Boobie.
4:54	Bridget Murphy: Kite: She called her neighbor, David Creighton, and asked him to come home. He's a convicted felon too. He came home and found the brothers inside it. Boobie had told Creighton he wanted to stay there with a girlfriend.
4:55	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Creighton found three brothers. Nervous brothers. Terrell kept telling him "Call Boobie."
4:56	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Creighton held the brothers there and had Betty Calhoun call the police. Police arrested the brothers. Boobie was nowhere to be found.
4:56	[Comment From HOR ] so, all of the lawyers will provide an opening statement?
4:56	[Comment From marlene ] do we have a photo of willie davis?
4:57	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Then the search was on for Maxie Wilson. Police arrested him next on other charges.
4:57	Bridget Murphy: Kite: He didn't cooperate when police brought him downtown
4:57	[Comment From brandeis ] dear moderator: it's Shelly Eckels not "Echols"
4:58	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Maxie Wilson provided guns, a way to, and a way from, the scene.
4:58	Bridget Murphy: Kite: When he cooperated with police, he filled in the spaces of what happened.
4:59	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Someone else rented a white Impala from Avis for Maxie, a.k.a, Boobie, that was used in the crime.
5:01	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Maxie Wilson also said Sherman Ealey was inside the car. (don't have spelling of that guy's name, readers. Winging it for now.)
5:03	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Undoubtedly you are going to be presented with imperfect witnesses.....You are in a court room of law, not a moral court....The state asks that during the course of this trial you keep an open mind. This isn't fiction. This isn't Hollywood. This is reality.
5:03	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Brandeis, hate to tell you this - but it's SHELLEY ECKELS. You misspelled her first name.
5:03	Bridget Murphy: London Kite has finished her opening statement. Jury A has left the courtroom.
5:04	Bridget Murphy: Now London Kite is presenting to just Jury B, talking about Rasheem's statement to police.
5:04	Bridget Murphy: Kite: She is making a two-part opening statement, because of the dual juries.
5:05	Bridget Murphy: Kite: You will see how Rasheem talks freely about what wrong Willie Davis did to him. You will also see and hear how Rasheem admits he was angry about what Willie Davis did to him.
5:06	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Sgt. Scott Dingee gets the admissions about him being the victim of an (attempted) robbery. Detective R.V. Nelson talks to him too. You will see the weight of a murder on the shoulders of this man.
5:07	Bridget Murphy: Rasheem is looking at Kite as she recaps his police interview.
5:07	Bridget Murphy: Kite: Rasheem tells the detective five people were in the car. He admits he was involved in the crime. "Yes sir," he told R.V. Nelson
5:09	Bridget Murphy: Kite tells jurors they'll get to see Rasheem's interview with police. Then she says she's ready and court officials bring the other jury back inside the courtroom. This is a strange game of musical chairs.
5:09	[Comment From brandeis ] you are correct pioggerellina. i just noticed that.
5:11	Bridget Murphy: Kite continues: Other evidence includes fingerprints, but most were of no value. Not everything that comes into a lab is of value. But you will hear one of the prints found on the car outside DreShawna's house remains unidentified. You will hear her grandmother rarely washes that car. (She seems to be trying to explain what the defense may latch onto as a mystery shooter theory. Just a guess.)

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5:11	[Comment From Jax Beach ] brandeis, are we going to hear all trial how innocent these 3 are like we did during Hartfield?
5:11	[Comment From pioggerellina ] I have always thought law/being in the courtroom is nothing more than a serious game of chess. It's all about who moves when and who reveals what.
5:12	[Comment From carlzmom ] It's not musical chairs...this is serious! It's what is required when all 3 defendants are being tried together, and not all of them made statements to police...that's also why there are 2 juries.
5:12	Bridget Murphy: Carlzmom, this is serious. That's why it's strange to see people getting up and leaving in the middle of it.
5:13	[Comment From pioggerellina ] They leave in the middle because it's allowed. I bet if the Judge told everyone in the courtroom, you do not leave until it's recess time, there would be none of this.
5:14	[Comment From carlzmom ] I just take offense to your referring to this procedure as "a game".
5:16	Bridget Murphy: Kite is previewing the testimony of a firearms expert
5:17	[Comment From meg ] I think they are talking about one of the juries leaving b/c they can't hear about one of the defendant's statements, not about people in the courtroom leaving
5:18	Bridget Murphy: Kite: The bullet that struck DreShawna did penetrate her heart, but it never left her body. "During the autopsy of DreShawna Davis, we recovered the bullet that killed her."
5:18	Bridget Murphy: Meg: You are right about the people leaving and coming back.
5:19	Bridget Murphy: Kite: These brothers had a motive to kill Willie Davis. They set out to do it in his mama's living room. "All the bullets meant for Willie Davis passed by him and killed a little girl." "There was nothing stray about the bullet that killed DreShawna Davis."
5:20	Bridget Murphy: Kite has now concluded the state's opening statement.
5:20	[Comment From brandeis ] Jax Beach, they're all innocent unless and until the jury returns a verdict of guilty. One of the hallmarks of our system.
5:21	[Comment From brandeis ] I take it Rasheem didn't know about the felony murder doctrine when he gave his 9 hour talk with the police
5:22	Bridget Murphy: Brandeis, I've watched the whole tape. It's almost nine hours. The police read him his rights before he said anything.
5:22	Bridget Murphy: The court is going to take a 10-minute break now.
5:23	[Comment From pioggerellina ] I will never understand why suspects start yapping - after they have been thru the system a time or do, don't they get the part where they are told they do not have to talk to the police?
5:23	[Comment From brandeis ] right Bridget. from the Times Union's reporting, it appears he protested that he wasn't the trigger-man. apparently he must have thought this fact mattered.
5:24	[Comment From rj ] so who gun struck dershawna davis
5:34	Bridget Murphy: R.J.: We haven't heard that evidence yet about whose bullet killed DreShawna. But when the decision to seek the death penalty first came out, prosecutors, then Harry Shorstein's office, were only seeking it against Rasheem.
5:35	[Comment From brandeis ] Adam Liptak's article on felony murder in American jurisprudence: <a href="http://www.nytimes.com/2007/12/04/us/04felony.html">http://www.nytimes.com/2007/12/04/us/04felony.html</a>
5:36	Bridget Murphy: I just talked to DreShawna's granddaddy Willie Davis Sr. in the hall. He is wearing his Shell gas station uniform. He must have come straight from work. I have interviewed him there before. Also with him is one of his daughters.
5:37	How did the prosecutor do in her opening statement? slamdunk ( 87% ) hit the rim ( 7% ) total brick ( 5% )
5:39	Bridget Murphy: The defendants are now back in the court room. The recess is ending.
5:39	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Did DreShawna have parents - a mother and father?
5:40	Bridget Murphy: DreShawna's mother Chinetta Davis is in prison right now because of an unrelated case. Her father, Andre Washington, is a local resident and was part of her life.
5:41	Bridget Murphy: Lawyer James Hernandez is starting his opening statement on Tajuane's behalf. He says evidence will show there is reasonable doubt.
5:42	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez: Let's talk about the truly dangerous men we have in this case, what they do to try not to get caught. He's talking first about Maxie "Boobie" Wilson and an arrest for trafficking cocaine and possessing a weapon as a felon.
5:43	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez is addressing Jury A.
5:43	[Comment From brandeis ] I thought London's opening was pretty good.

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5:45	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez is talking more about Boobie being a drug dealer and having his cousin buy him a weapon. "You see that's what drug dealers need. They need firepower. They need lots of firepower."
5:45	[Comment From pioggerellina ] London's opening put me to sleep.
5:47	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez: When you hear Maxie Wilson's testimony, take into consideration that he signed a plea form. Federal charges will not be pursued against him (he's talking about a separate case). The reason is, because of his plea agreement. He has immunity in this murder case.
5:47	[Comment From coachcbs ] This one is boring!?!?
5:48	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez: Once the police started interviewing Maxie Wilson and Maxie Wilson becomes part of their team, the investigation stops as far as whether Maxie Wilson was the shooter in this case.
5:48	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez: Says the Sheriff's Office fell into bed with Maxie Wilson
5:49	[Comment From pioggerellina ] I agree - this is boring - the speaker - very low speaking and tired - putting me to sleep
5:49	[Comment From pioggerellina ] I wish Pat McGuinness was talking - now THAT is a good listening experience.
5:51	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez: The detective asked Maxie Wilson - where are the tennis shoes you were wearing on July 26th? (day DreShawna died) "You bet it's important to get every tennis shoe he has. ... to compare whether any of those footprints cast match Maxie Wilson."
5:51	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez says the JSO put on blinders, had only one theory.
5:51	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez calls Willie Davis Jr., known as "Psycho," a robber and a crook.
5:51	[Comment From brandeis ] or Tony Serra
5:52	[Comment From Cheryl Berlin ] He's planting the seed of reasonable doubt for his client. Has only said one thing about his client - first sentence of his opening statement.
5:52	[Comment From brandeis ] sounds like a summation
5:53	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez: "You've got to put in 110 percent. You can't just go on one theory. 'Cause who are you basing that theory on? You're basing it on Maxie Wilson. You're basing it on Willie Davis."
5:54	[Comment From Justicenjax ] Hernandez is trying to distract the jury away from the facts of the case.
5:54	[Comment From Cheryl Berlin ] Kite said "you will see" many times. This attorney hasn't said anything to convince me of what he is going to present in his case.
5:55	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez: These are young men. The government's gonna say that they are killers. But they stayed at a house with one man with a stick to control them? ... Use your common sense. (He's talking about their apprehension at Creighton's house.)
5:55	[Comment From brandeis ] the "reasonable doubt" strategy is always a treacherous one for the Defense, b/c that's what you have to go with if you don't have proof of innocence or an alibi. Most juries expect the defendant to prove his innocence despite the instructions the judge gives them about the presumption of innocence.
5:55	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez: There is no physical evidence that points to my client. None!
5:56	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez finishes up and Charles Fletcher begins on Terrell Dubose's behalf.
5:57	Bridget Murphy: Fletcher is making eye contact with Jury A. He tells them none of the physical evidence connects Terrell in this case.
5:58	Bridget Murphy: Fletcher: You will determine whether or not the people that are taking you back in time are credible...they carry guns...they smoke dope.
5:58	Bridget Murphy: Fletcher is working to suggest that the government's witnesses are thugs and not credible.
5:59	[Comment From J.R. ] if theres no evidence why is he in this
5:59	Bridget Murphy: Fletcher finishes quickly. And the judge calls a sidebar.
5:59	[Comment From HOR ] Are all of the attorneys from the Public Defenders office or are they private attorneys?
6:01	Bridget Murphy: HOR, none of the lawyers are from the PD's office. They were appointed by the court. The lead lawyers for each defendant are specially certified for death penalty cases. There were too many conflicts of interest for the PD's office to handle the case.
6:01	Bridget Murphy: Judge Haddock is dismissing Jury A for the night.

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6:01	[Comment From Justicenjax ] Oh please....eye witness testimony puts all three of these guys at the scene with the guns, shooting at the house!!
6:01	[Comment From pioggerellina ] None are APDs but Shelley used to be
6:02	[Comment From Justicenjax ] The attorneys are appointed.....PD's office had a conflict.
6:03	[Comment From HOR ] why is the camera showing the members of the jury?
6:03	[Comment From pioggerellina ] That was interesting. One juror waived to London as she was leaving.
6:05	Bridget Murphy: Jury B is now coming back inside.
6:06	Bridget Murphy: How weird. Now they're sitting in the A Jury's seats. The judge is cracking a joke about the setup.
6:06	Bridget Murphy: Richard Kuritz, Rasheem's lawyer, is opening his case now.
6:08	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz is talking about Psycho, Willie Davis Jr., being a drug dealer. He is talking about the confrontation between "Psycho" -- he keeps using his street name -- and Rasheem. "And yes, words were exchanged. Words, not bullets."
6:09	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz: And Psycho leaves to get a gun, driving with no license, after it happens. My client isn't going to arm himself. He's not running and hiding.
6:09	[Comment From HOR ] There attorneys have not been impressive at all in my view.
6:09	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz: This started as I am going to humiliate that man.
6:10	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz: I am going to make him strip his pants and dance in the streets. "This is their key witness," he says of Psycho.
6:11	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz is still recounting the original confrontation between Willie Davis Jr. and Rasheem Dubose.
6:11	[Comment From pioggerellina ] None of the attorneys has been impressive - from either side.
6:12	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz is looking at the jury, pacing a little bit and gesturing with his hands. Rasheem, his client, is watching, his left arm propped on the defense table and his hand to his face.
6:13	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz: If you believe what Maxie Wilson says, he didn't pick up my client. He picked up two brothers. Not my client.
6:14	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz: Maxie is riding around with guns in the car. He's trying to cut a government deal for himself, trying to avoid a 15-year sentence on another case. There should be another spot over here for him, Kuritz says of Maxie Wilson, suggesting he should be a defendant too if you believe his story. London Kite objects.
6:14	[Comment From pioggerellina ] For media outlets, who is present in courtroom?
6:16	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz is criticizing police for relying on Maxie Wilson, a drug dealer who wanted to make a deal to help himself in another case.
6:17	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz now talks about the brothers' arrest. Questioning how they could be held there by a man with only a stick.
6:18	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz's voice is taking a soft tone mostly, trying to treat jurors like he's having a personal talk with each one of them.
6:20	Bridget Murphy: Pioggerellina, there are staffers here from the Times-Union, Channel 4, Fox, and First Coast News that I can see.
6:21	[Comment From brandeis ] i have to disagree with the other commenter that the lawyers are unimpressive. Kuritz is good.
6:21	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz: The one thing we will know for sure at the end of the day....You will not hear one word about my client and fingerprints and DNA.
6:22	Bridget Murphy: One person who didn't have any shoes to hand over to law enforcement was Maxie Wilson, Kuritz says.
6:23	[Comment From BothSides ] So what were they doing at Psycho's girlfriends mother's house? Did they know each other prior to the incident?
6:23	Bridget Murphy: To BothSides, yes, they knew each other and had friends in common.
6:25	Bridget Murphy: One of the jurors is really concentrating on Kuritz's statement. He has his hand on his chin and his other on his hip.
6:26	[Comment From BothSides ] What time is this over today?
6:26	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz's voice is a whisper when he finishes, telling jurors they absolutely will have a reasonable doubt when they hear all the evidence. That ends today's proceeding.
6:27	Did the defense make a good opening case? Definitely ( 22% ) I can't say I don't have some doubts ( 9% ) No way ( 70% )

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6:28	[Comment From brandeis ] you have to appreciate the fact that hundreds of hours of preparation just went into the opening statements you just heard and the case that will be presented by each lawyer this week.
6:28	[Comment From BothSides ] I guess they thought they were gonna use belts as weapons or something???
6:30	Bridget Murphy: The judge is asking jurors to be back at 9:30 tomorrow morning. Hope you all can tune back in. Read tomorrow's Times-Union's and log on to Jacksonville.com for continuing coverage of the entire trial. Thanks, folks.
6:33	[Standby] Day one proceedings have concluded in the Dubose Trial. Our live coverage will resume Thursday when the proceedings resume.
6:39	[Standby] Live coverage will resume at approximately 9:30 Thursday morning once proceedings get underway.
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9:21	Bridget Murphy: Good morning. We are in the court room again, waiting for people to get in place. It will probably be another 10 minutes or so before proceedings start. Please stay tuned.
9:26	Times-Union moderator: Before the trial starts, here's some photos from yesterday taken by the Times-Union's Bruce Lipsky.
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9:27	Times-Union moderator: This photo shows the makeshift jury box to accommodate the additional jury.
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9:27	Times-Union moderator: Rasheem listens to Prosecutor London Kite's opening statement.
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9:27	Times-Union moderator: Prosecutor London Kite delivers her opening statement.
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9:28	Times-Union moderator: Tajuane with his defense attorney, James Hernandez
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9:28	Times-Union moderator: Hernandez during his opening statement in the defense of Tajuane Dubose
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9:28	Times-Union moderator: Charles Fletcher, the defense attorney for Terrell Dubose, during his opening statement
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9:29	Times-Union moderator: Richard Kuritz, attorney for Rasheem Dubose, begins his opening statement
9:29	[Comment From RETMIL ] Good Morning Bridget
9:29	[Comment From RETMIL ] Is there going to be Video Feed
9:30	Bridget Murphy: They're setting up the video feed now, RETMIL.
9:33	[Comment From Guest ] Will the trial be showed online today
9:34	[Comment From pioggerellina ] So what is on schedule to take place today in the trial?
9:34	[Comment From pioggerellina ] You mentioned yesterday about Shelley Eckels being one of the defense attorneys but when I look on the side of the TU website (where it lists all those involved in this case), I don't see her listed there. Why is that?
9:34	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Who is the photographer taking these pictures? (They are good pictures.)
9:36	Bridget Murphy: Pioggerellina, the photographer is Bruce Lipsky. I just passed on your compliment and he gives you a thank you. Gotta love live coverage, right?
9:37	[Comment From RETMIL ] is anyone else doing live Feed today
9:39	Bridget Murphy: RETMIL, there is only one feed. The court room is coming to life slowly this morning. It will be under way soon. You're not missing anything.
9:40	Bridget Murphy: To recap, yesterday we heard the lawyers make opening statements in the case against Rasheem, Terrell, and Tajuane Dubose. The brothers stand accused in the homicide of 8-year-old DreShawna Davis on July 26, 2006. Today the first witnesses will take the stand.
9:40	[Comment From pioggerellina ] That's for sure - love live coverage!



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9:44	Bridget Murphy: I was right behind attorney Shelley Eckels when she entered the court room this morning. She had a load of the usual files on a cart and three dress shirts. I believe they were to outfit the three defendants. I saw Tajuane come in a few minutes later in his orange jail uniform. I guess the defendants are changing in the back.
9:44	[Comment From Vikki ] do you know who the first witness today is going to be?
9:45	[Comment From RETMIL ] The Grandmother correct
9:45	Bridget Murphy: Yesterday there was some talk that Vonnie Frazier, DreShawna's grandma, would be on the stand first. But you never know. Frazier was one of the people inside the Third Avenue home during the shooting attack.
9:46	[Comment From RETMIL ] Bridget, Are the defendants parents or family in the courtroom
9:46	[Comment From Lynn ] Where's the live video
9:46	[Comment From RETMIL ] The attorneys are Pro Bono or provided by the state
9:46	[Comment From ralph james ] howlong is this this trial to take and do you think they can get a fair trial in jacksonville everybody just know they did it the dream team is what they need not public pertenders
9:47	Bridget Murphy: The lawyers for the defendants are not public defenders. They were appointed by the state. The lead lawyers are certified to try death penalty cases.
9:49	Bridget Murphy: None of the defendants' family members are in the court room yet. Same goes for the victim's family. That said, many of DreShawna's family members are witnesses in the case and won't be allowed to spend a lot of time inside the court room.
9:49	[Comment From RETMIL ] The fair trial doctrine, If i recall they pulled jurors from a pool, that they did not know about the case
9:51	Bridget Murphy: RETMIL, jury selection seemed relatively arduous in this case. They had a large pool of potential jurors. The judge communicated that the overwhelming standard should be whether each of them said they could be fair in their decision-making based just on the evidence.
9:51	[Comment From Justicenjax ] The thugs families and thug friends are always in the courtroom. During trial, they come out of the woodwork!
9:51	[Comment From RETMIL ] If not public defenders, What kind are they, Are you saying the State is funding their defense. Private Attorneys
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9:52	Times-Union moderator: Here's Vonnie Frazier, DreShawna's grandmother
9:53	Bridget Murphy: State Attorney Angela Corey just took a seat in the gallery. "I just want to be able to be here for the first couple witnesses," she said. She says she is a fan of the live coverage. "Awesome," she said.
9:55	[Comment From Vikki ] I don't understand how they wouldn't know about this case. It has been too public for people not to know about it
9:56	Bridget Murphy: Vikki, the standard isn't whether they know about the case, but whether they've already made their mind up about the case. Whether they can be objective based on the evidence.
9:57	[Comment From RETMIL ] I Applaud Angela Corey, Very Pro-Active!!!!!!!!!!!!!! She is doing a awesome job
9:57	[Comment From Tomika ] wheres the video
9:58	Bridget Murphy: Tomika, don't worry. You're not missing anything. Court officials are still setting up. They're also erecting large multimedia screens to show exhibits to the jurors, I presume.
9:59	[Comment From ralph james ] thanks for setting me str8 about the defence team this is a sad case with no winners these boys are to young to be put to death the adults in the court room should face trial next eye 4 eye is wrong
9:59	[Comment From lynn ] Where is the live video
10:03	
10:03	Bridget Murphy: If you want to catch up on yesterday's court room action, read this story by Paul Pinkham. This link below should take you there. <a href="http://jacksonville.com/news/metro/crime/2010-01-13/story/trial_opens_for_3_brothers_in_jacksonville_girls_slaying?utm_source=feedburner&amp;utm_medium=feed&amp;utm_campaign=Feed%3A+jax-com-dubose-trial+%28Dubose+Trial+Coverage%29">http://jacksonville.com/news/metro/crime/2010-01-13/story/trial_opens_for_3_brothers_in_jacksonville_girls_slaying?utm_source=feedburner&amp;utm_medium=feed&amp;utm_campaign=Feed%3A+jax-com-dubose-trial+%28Dubose+Trial+Coverage%29</a>

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10:03	Times-Union moderator: Here's Angela Corey in the courtroom.
10:04	[Comment From RETMIL ] Ralph, What should we do with Gun Carrying Teens, Who knowingly engaged in an incident that took a life, Remember the Pizza lady too
10:05	[Comment From pioggerellina ] When does Jury come back in? (I see we have live feed available now.)
10:05	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] Don't worry about their age, if they get the death penalty, it will be many years before it is applied.
10:05	Bridget Murphy: All of the defendants were adults when this crime occurred. Therefore, under Florida law, they are all eligible for the death penalty.
10:06	[Comment From tony ] angela corey is just trying to make a name for herself whats wrong with life atleast they wont get out these boys are fighting for there life and she is getting applauded shame on her
10:06	[Comment From sandy ] I truly beleave they should get THE DEATH SENTENCE
10:08	Bridget Murphy: To recap from yesterday, here are some of the legal players in the case: The judge's name is L. Page Haddock. Prosecutors for the State Attorney's Office are London Kite and John Guy. Lawyers for Rasheem are Richard Kuritz and Shelley Eckels. Lawyers for Terrell are Charles Fletcher and Richard Selinger. Lawyers for Tajuane are James Hernandez and Rick Sichta.
10:08	[Comment From ralph james ] well you got me on the pizza lady that was sad and so stupid all for nothing
10:08	[Comment From Justicenjax ] To Ralph James: DreShawna was TOO YOUNG to lose her life!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
10:10	Bridget Murphy: DreShawna was getting ready to start fourth grade at Lola Carver Elementary School when she died. She had won a bicycle for reading achievement in the previous school year. It was inside her bedroom where she died. One of the bullets landed under her bicycle. The jury may see photos of that bicycle and that projectile today. The judge has just come in.
10:11	[Comment From wynnee ] I can't believe Tony thinks that Angela Corey is trying to make a name for herself when an innocent 8 year old died in vain, for no reason other than simple revenge, the Dubose brothers were the ones trying to make a name for themselves!
10:11	[Comment From RETMIL ] Tony, Tell that to DreShawna mother who happens to be in prison. Too many of these kids think that this town is the Wild West Town, We as a community must take a firm coarse of action
10:11	Bridget Murphy: The Dubose brothers are in their way inside the court room now.
10:11	[Comment From ralph james ] yes she was to young to die im just tired of death and eye4eye i love children and it hurts to see any child die
10:12	[Comment From BothSides ] ¯ ° ø ù ˘
10:13	Bridget Murphy: The defendants are all wearing shirts, dress pants and ties again today.
10:14	[Comment From RETMIL ] That is my Q, where and the #%^&&&\$ are the parents
10:14	[Comment From Guest ] Im sure the boys parents didnt bring them u to be killers
10:15	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] Correct, they do not want to taint the jury by showing the defendants in jail jump suits.
10:15	[Comment From RETMIL ] RetJSO, are you the same on the other live on the Collier case
10:15	[Comment From Vikki ] the boys were brought up by their grandmother
10:16	Bridget Murphy: Vikki, their grandmother raised Rasheem. I believe she was less involved in raising Terrell and Tajuane, not that she loves them any less. I say this based on an interview with her back in 2006.
10:16	[Comment From pioggerellina] Defendants should also have their wrists IDs taped up their arm, right under cuff section of long sleeve shirt
10:18	Bridget Murphy: Some of DreShawna's family has just come in the court room with Ann Dugger from the Justice Coalition. Also taking a seat is Sgt. Barry Stevenson of the Sheriff's Office.
10:19	Bridget Murphy: The jurors from Jury A just came in the court room. They had to walk within inches of Terrell Dubose. He looked at each of them. Most, if not all of them, avoided eye contact with him. Can't tell if it was incidental or not.
10:20	[Comment From Retired JSO ] too bad the defendants are made to dress as they were on the day of the offense.
10:20	Bridget Murphy: Here comes the second jury.

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10:21	Bridget Murphy: Vonnie Frazier, DreShawna's grandma, is taking the stand.
10:22	Bridget Murphy: She survived the shooting attack.
10:22	Bridget Murphy: The defendants' supporters just came in the court room.
10:23	Bridget Murphy: London Kite is starting her questioning. This is her witness.
10:23	Bridget Murphy: Frazier is giving her address, the scene of the crime.
10:24	Bridget Murphy: Frazier says she lived there with DreShawna and her husband.
10:29	Times-Union moderator: Here's the brothers entering the courtroom
10:41	Times-Union moderator: We are having technical difficulties. Bridget will be right back.
10:49	Bridget Murphy: Sorry folks about the technical troubles.
10:50	Bridget Murphy: DreShawna's granny is finished on the stand. Now up is Michelle Milledge. She is an Army veteran who worked at a water bottling company behind the scene of the crime. She heard gunshots.
10:51	Bridget Murphy: Milledge: Saw three or fours guys running and heard shooting.
10:51	Bridget Murphy: John Guy, the assistant state attorney, is questioning Milledge.
10:52	Bridget Murphy: Milledge: Saw "brown-skinned" guys with guns. Doesn't remember how many of them had guns.
10:52	[Comment From pioggerellina] She works at Fidelity and husband works at bottling company.
10:53	Bridget Murphy: Pioggerellina, I was working on technical stuff when her employment came up. I believe you are right. Her husband does work for the bottling company.
10:54	Bridget Murphy: Milledge: She saw a car, could tell someone was inside it, couldn't see race or sex of driver, couldn't tell if anyone else was in the car.
10:54	Bridget Murphy: Folks, I'll recap DreShawna's grandmother's testimony for you during a break. Apologize for the technical problems.
10:55	Bridget Murphy: Milledge says she heard screaming.
10:57	Bridget Murphy: Guy is showing her a photo of the area on the big screen. It's a photo of the bottling company. Now another photo showing the parking lot. This is on Fourth Avenue, the street behind the crime scene.
10:57	[Comment From Concerned] I wonder are they gonna allow Chinnetta to come to any of the actual trial, as seeing she was actually in prison when DreShawna was killed and is in there now for child abuse?
10:58	Bridget Murphy: Now the cross exam of Milledge will start. James Hernandez is up first.
10:58	Bridget Murphy: Milledge says she was picking her husband up at work, was upstairs at the bottling company. She heard a popping sound.
10:59	[Comment From brandeis] the acoustics are poor
10:59	Bridget Murphy: Milledge's husband also heard a popping sound.
11:00	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez: You talked to your husband about the popping sound? Was there any other conversation? Milledge: She laughs a bit. Says she was trying to rush her husband, get him to go home. They also talked about the popping sound.
11:01	Bridget Murphy: Milledge says again she saw three to four brown-skinned males but couldn't distinguish race. Yes, they were running together, she tells Hernandez.
11:02	[Comment From RETMIL] Wow, I am recognizing names form the Richard Colier Case
11:02	[Comment From RetiredJSO] She seems polite and well spoken, and a veteran
11:02	[Comment From LittleFuzzy] is this televised on TV with better sound?
11:02	[Comment From sandy ] What does poor have to do with you being in or out of jail. No she should no be aloud to go to court. She was not being a mommy when she was killed was she ?
11:02	[Comment From pioggerellina] Bridget, how many people are accessing the live feed to watch this trial?
11:03	Bridget Murphy: Good question, Pioggerellina. Maybe the moderator can fill us in on that in a bit.
11:04	Bridget Murphy: Milledge says she had her eyeglasses on that day, not her contacts. She can't say if all of them had firearms, just that some did. That's what scared her and made her jump back in the building.
11:04	[Comment From pioggerellina] Sometimes people are allowed to be temporarily out of incarceration so they can attend a funeral but as far as attending a trial - I don't know about that unless, of course, they are a witness testifying.

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11:05	[Comment From LittleFuzzy] if you guys are going to have live feed.. any chance you can get a mic on that podium?
11:05	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] let the mother watch online like everyone else unless there is a need for her to testify
11:06	Bridget Murphy: Milledge is answering questions from Charles Fletcher now. He is Terrell's lawyer. He is asking about the size of the people she saw running. His client is smaller than his brothers.
11:06	Bridget Murphy: Now Kuritz is questioning Milledge on Rasheem's behalf.
11:06	[Comment From Concerned] I didnt know the inmates had access to the internet in prison, thats like a luxury. lol
11:07	Bridget Murphy: Prosecutor John Guy is redirecting more questions. Yes, she can see well with her glasses, she says. Now Kuritz again. Why go outside when you hear gunfire? She says it was sporadic. At first, everything looked fine outside. She wasn't sure what it was at first. Milledge is now stepping down.
11:09	Bridget Murphy: Officer Susan Witherow-Dunlap is going to the stand. She is a 10-year Sheriff's Office veteran.
11:10	Bridget Murphy: She was on patrol in the area that day, heard the call come in on her radio. She got there two minutes after the call about the shooting came out. She was the first officer on the scene.
11:10	Bridget Murphy: Dunlap: Firefighters were right behind me.
11:11	Bridget Murphy: Dunlap went inside the house along with firefighters. They found DreShawna. Dunlap says Dreshawna was in her bedroom. She was on the floor, Dunlap says. She didn't appear to be alive, the officer says.
11:12	Bridget Murphy: Dunlap: After firefighters went in the bedroom, she started to secure the home. She got all civilians out of the home. Firefighters pronounced the victim dead.
11:13	Bridget Murphy: Dunlap: Homicide detectives came to the scene. After she secured the scene, she detained the people who were inside the home during the shooting and spoke with them.
11:13	Bridget Murphy: Dunlap says no other civilians went inside after that. Evidence technicians responded to do their job too, she says. 11:23Times-Union moderator: Having some technical difficulties again. Bridget will be right back.
11:24	Bridget Murphy: The court is taking a recess now.
11:25	Bridget Murphy: Now that I've gotten restored here back live, I am also happy to report that the judge has asked court officials to turn up the microphones. Hopefully that means all you out there in cyberspace will be able to hear witnesses better.
11:27	Bridget Murphy: Now to recap what you might have missed: For the first time, jurors saw a photo of DreShawna as she was found after the shooting. A Jacksonville fire lieutenant testified about pronouncing her dead.
11:28	Bridget Murphy: The photo of the victim was quite large on the screen. The defense objected to showing it. She was wearing a red top and white bottoms.
11:28	Bridget Murphy: Defense lawyers did not cross-examine the JFRD lieutenant.
11:30	Bridget Murphy: What you might have missed during DreShawna's grandmother's testimony was that she started to break up a bit when she talked about finding her granddaughter unmoving. She said the 8-year-old was holding her two cousins under her arms. DreShawna's step-grandfather had to lift the 8-year-old's arms up so her little cousins Jasmine and Janae could get free.
11:30	[Comment From LittleFuzzy] We can hear the witnesses.. we can't hear the lawyers
11:31	Bridget Murphy: I hope everyone will hear better in a few minutes. They've pumped up the audio system. Jurors were also complaining.
11:31	[Comment From RETMIL] Bridget, Do you have any inclination as to whether the defense will call their own defendants to testify, HIGH UN-Likely
11:32	Bridget Murphy: Good question, RETMIL. I don't know what the lawyers are planning at this point. Sometimes, they just watch and see how things are going before they decide whether to put their clients on the stand. If any of them go up there at all, my bet would be Rasheem.
11:32	[Comment From LittleFuzzy] Wonder if the 'Bose Bros are going to take the stand

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11:36	[Comment From RETMIL] Bridget, With the prosecution, the way they are lining up there case i would assume the lead detective is about to take the stand, to line up the jury on the investigation process pinpointing the boys at the scene and the motive
11:37	[Comment From dancer01] Wonder why the defense objected to the picture of victim. It should be allowed I think.
11:37	[Comment From RetiredJSO] I believe the state has one of them on it's witness list as he implicated his brothers.
11:37	[Comment From RETMIL] Bridget, Got a Pic of Willie Davis
11:38	Times-Union moderator: Vonnie Frazier on the stand
11:38	[Comment From LittleFuzzy] Grandma did a good job staying strong through her testimony... I was in the court room for a murder case once and the judge wouldn't let the victim's bro testify because he broke down on the stand.
11:38	Times-Union moderator: mug of Willie Davis
11:38	Times-Union moderator: Willie Davis Sr.
11:39	[Comment From Justicenjax] Defendants have the right to remain silent during trial if they chose to. Hopefully they will be foolish enough to ignore that right and take the stand. It usually turns out very badly for them when they do.
11:39	Times-Union moderator: The lawyers at today's proceedings
11:40	Bridget Murphy: The next witness will be on the stand for a while. So it probably will be someone who investigated the case in some regard.
11:40	[Comment From d] I am surprised the defense didn't have them cut their hair.
11:40	[Comment From RETMIL] justicenjax, weren't you on here during the collier case
11:40	Times-Union moderator: Another Angela Corey picture
11:41	[Comment From RetiredJSO] The defense did not want the picture shown because that would have reinforced the fact that she was a real person. And by her age make it worse for their clients.
11:41	[Comment From Guest] are we back from recess yet
11:41	Bridget Murphy: Not back from recess yet. Hang in there.
11:41	Times-Union moderator: James Hernandez shows Vonnie Frazier her deposition.
11:43	How did DreShawna's grandma Vonnie Frazier hold up on the stand? She was a solid witness. ( 52% ) She was somewhat believable. ( 4% ) She was too emotional. ( 13% ) I didn't see the value of her testimony. ( 30% )
11:43	Bridget Murphy: The jury is coming back in now.
11:44	Times-Union moderator: Officer Susan Witherow-Dunlap on the stand
11:44	[Comment From LittleFuzzy] Grandma looks worn down from all of this
11:44	[Comment From RetiredJSO-2] Angela Corey... Thugs worst nightmare. Go get um.
11:44	[Comment From RETMIL] I think the fireworks are about to start, the Nitty Gritty, Guns, Interogation room and the MOTIVE
11:44	[Comment From LittleFuzzy] Were the other two little girls Willie's?
11:45	Bridget Murphy: Little Fuzzy, I believe the other two children, one a boy, one a girl, were a nephew and niece of Willie Jr.'s.
11:45	Times-Union moderator: Michelle Milledge on the stand.
11:45	[Comment From RETMIL] Bridget, How is the security in the courtroom, I noticed the defendants UN_CUFFED
11:46	Bridget Murphy: RETMIL, to handcuff the defendants might be prejudicial for jurors, so they are allowed that freedom during proceedings. There are several bailiffs and security looks well in place.
11:47	Bridget Murphy: Detective Wayne Gray is taking the stand. He is a JSO evidence technician.
11:47	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] Plenty of Officers on hand inside and outside the courtroom.
11:47	[Comment From PMPN8EAZ ] What is the link to the Live feed? I only have the chat.
11:48	Bridget Murphy: PMPN8EAZ, maybe the moderator can chime in and help you.
11:49	[Comment From sandy ] i know i can now HEAR a lot better !!1
11:49	Bridget Murphy: Glad to hear that Sandy!
11:50	[Comment From RETMIL ] I just remember one of those defendants during pre-trial throw the finger, would not put it past him
11:50	[Comment From Cheryl Berlin ] Is the spectator area crowded or are there available seats?

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11:52	Bridget Murphy: The seats aren't filled, Cheryl. Remember that a lot of family members of Dreshawna's are witnesses. The defendants have about two and a half full rows of people on their side of the court room.
11:52	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] That was when he only thought he was busted for burglary.. he's not laughing now
11:52	Bridget Murphy: Gray is talking about what the scene looked like when he arrived. Crime scene tape was up, he says. Police were regulating who was allowed in and out.
11:53	Bridget Murphy: The house was of wood construction, with vinyl siding, he says. Two bedrooms. Detached garage.
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11:54	Times-Union moderator: Here's a picture of the crime scene
11:54	
11:54	Bridget Murphy: The property has a metal chain-link fence. Doesn't block off the driveway in the front, Gray says. London Kite puts a photo of the house up on the big screen.
11:54	Times-Union moderator: picture of the garage
11:55	[Comment From dancer01 ] None of them are laughing. now. I hope this little girl gets justice.
11:55	[Comment From D ] Are they getting a fair trail ?
11:55	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Bridget, are you uncomfortable sitting there on the hard seats? (I recall Adam saying he was when he did what you are doing now. He wished he would have had a cushion with him for his back.)
11:55	[Comment From Justicenjax ] yes, I followed Collier.
11:55	Bridget Murphy: More family of DreShawna's has just entered the court room.
11:56	[Comment From Cheryl Berlin ] Is there something wrong with the feed - it's frozen on my computer.
11:56	[Comment From RetiredJSO-2 ] They are getting more than they deserve, and after the trial they are going to get all they deserve.
11:56	[Comment From RETMIL ] JusticenJax, Glad your on board
11:56	
11:56	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Nothing wrong with feed on my end. I can see the trial just fine.
11:56	[Comment From RETMIL ] Just re-fresh
11:57	[Comment From Cheryl Berlin ] Oops - I fixed it. Thanks! Am coming down after the lunch break.
11:57	Bridget Murphy: Say hi when you get here Cheryl. I'm near the back of the room. I'll be the one stretching my typing muscles.
11:58	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] live feed is working a lot better for me now, during collier trial I could only get chat.
11:59	Bridget Murphy: The judge has just barred someone from the court room for the rest of the trial because his cell phone went off during testimony. It was a gentleman sitting near some of the victim's family. He may well be one of them.
11:59	[Comment From BothSides ] How are the defendants looking? Are they smiling and joking like yesterday?
11:59	[Comment From RETMIL ] WOW, BARRED, That's standing protocol
12:00	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] Is this at Duval County Court House?
12:00	
12:00	Times-Union moderator: Det. Gray
12:01	Bridget Murphy: London Kite is putting up more photo exhibits from inside the house. Gray is agreeing that a gold shoe was found on the floor as depicted in the photo. Blood stains were found next to a couch and Gray says yes, samples of it were taken.
12:01	[Comment From pioggerellina ] It's a shame a judge even has to tell everyone to turn phones off when in courtroom. You would think a person would know to do that without being told.
12:01	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] He was lucky, could have been worse, jailed for contempt...up to 179 days.
12:02	[Comment From RETMIL ] Bothsides, Missed it yesterday, Are you saying they were laughing yesterday
12:02	[Comment From pioggerellina ] To me it's just as annoying when in court and someone's phone goes off as it is when people talk to each other while judge is addressing someone or someone is giving testimony. Some people lack manners and basic common sense.

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12:02	[Comment From BothSides ] Did they ever say they had any witnesses that saw the Dubose's do the shooting? I don't recall
12:02	[Comment From sandy ] It must of been so hard for this family to clean this home and to continue living there. God bless them
12:03	Bridget Murphy: Sandy, they moved out after this happened.
12:03	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] When the trial of my bro-in-law's murder was going on.. a group of students from somewhere came in and sat behind us - the victim's family and chatted and giggled during testimony.. wish they had been kicked out
12:04	[Comment From BothSides ] @ RETMIL - yes there were acting very non phased like they were in the principles office or something
12:04	Bridget Murphy: Kite is showing more pictures of the home, the kitchen, a dining room space with a table, a picture of DreShawna's bedroom from the doorway.
12:05	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Any well known attorneys from Jax in spectator seats?
12:05	[Comment From pioggerellina ] LittleFuzzy, did you report them to the bailiff?
12:05	[Comment From sandy ] Thank you Bridget I didnot know that.
12:05	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] It's an image thing.. they're really shaking in their britches
12:05	[Comment From RETMIL ] @ Bothside, I am not suprised though, these are the same THUGS who threw the finger at their PRE-Trial...
12:07	Bridget Murphy: Gray is testifying more about the photos, about finding The Cat in the Hat DVD in the DVD player. Now they show DreShawna's photo again as she was found, and a family member of hers starts crying. Another woman is rubbing her back.
12:08	Bridget Murphy: Another woman is dabbing her face with a tissue. She is clearly upset, rocking back and forth. It's heartbreaking.
12:08	[Comment From RETMIL ] Bridget, How are the defendants looking, If viewing the Photos
12:10	Bridget Murphy: RETMIL, all three defendants can look at the photos if they want to based on where they're sitting. I can only see Tajuane's face and Terrell's face right now. They aren't showing more emotion than usual. DreShawna's family members are passing around tissues.
12:11	Bridget Murphy: I believe the woman in the front row is DreShawna's aunt.
12:11	Bridget Murphy: That answer was for you, LittleFuzzy.
12:11	[Comment From sandy ] So many people have very little if even any respect any more for anything. LittleFuzzy im sorry your family had to go through that.
12:12	Bridget Murphy: Now Kite is showing a photo of the fence along the back of the crime scene, by the water bottling place.
12:13	[Comment From RETMIL ] @ Camera , Like to see the defendants if at all possible for their demeanor COULD YOU SCAN your camera from time to time
12:13	Bridget Murphy: RETMIL, I will pass on your suggestion to the camera man when there is a break.
12:14	[Comment From ReitredJSO-2 ] Not a lot of people on here defending the suspects. No one screaming about how corrupt the police and courts are.... I miss it.
12:14	Bridget Murphy: Gray is explaining how evidence technicians swab areas to look for DNA that might have been left behind.
12:14	[Comment From RETMIL ] @bridget, THANKS
12:15	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] Thank you Sandy
12:16	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] The camera man will have to be carefull, as I believe he can not show the jury members.
12:16	[Comment From RETMIL ] @RetiredJSO-2,That is so TRUE. Your talking about the Collier Case, I was there for that
12:16	[Comment From sandy ] You welcome littleFuzzy
12:16	Bridget Murphy: Kite is entering two DNA swabs into evidence.
12:18	Do you think the prosecution should have been allowed to show DreShawna as she was found after the shooting? Absolutely ( 85% ) Absolutely not ( 0% ) I'm not sure. It might be prejudicial. ( 15% )
12:18	[Comment From RETMIL ] @RETJSO, Your right forgot about the A&B jurors
12:19	[Comment From D ] they have no guns or eye witness saying those boys did anything, but i guess somebody have to hang!
12:19	Bridget Murphy: D, stay tuned. The trial is really only starting. The jurors haven't heard much yet.

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12:21	Bridget Murphy: Kite is showing a photo of shoeprints in the yards, yellow crime scene tape and evidence markers around them. Gray says it took about six days to collect the physical evidence for the case at the crime scene.
12:21	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] I have not checked but am curious what is the jury composition? male female. race?
12:21	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] Is it normal for the state to have such a large team of lawyers?
12:22	[Comment From ReitredJSO-2 ] alright D... lets get the doubt train going for these boyzz.
12:22	[Comment From Cheryl Berlin ] Jury A was shown yesterday leaving the court - remember, one of the jurors waived at London Kite. Was that a mistake by the cameraman?
12:22	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] D Florida did away with hanging a long time ago, if convicted all we ask is that they are punished. the state will decide the punishment.
12:23	[Comment From pioggerellina ] LittleFuzzy, State does not have a large team of lawyers defense does.
12:23	Bridget Murphy: There are two lawyers for each interest in this case. It is all even.
12:23	[Comment From RETMIL ] @D, they had motive, Ole Willie is doing 30yrs for it
12:24	[Comment From HOR ] Sorry, did i Willie Davis take the stand yet?
12:25	Bridget Murphy: HOR, Willie Davis Jr. has not testified yet. He was transported from prison for this trial.
12:25	[Comment From RETMIL ] Well ROOM we got a NON-Bleiever in the house
12:25	[Comment From RETMIL ] Has anyone else lost there feed
12:25	Bridget Murphy: Now Gray is taking about processing Vonnie Frazier's car in the driveway for fingerprints.
12:26	[Comment From Concerned ] @HOR not yet but I know he's out of dept custody by court order, so he's probably in a cell until they are ready for him
12:26	[Comment From butterfly ] I have lost my feed it seems once i click on the chat i lose the feed.
12:27	Bridget Murphy: Hang in there, butterfly.
12:28	[Comment From ReitredJSO-2 ] butterfly... get a mac
12:28	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] I have not lost feed since I've been here
12:28	[Comment From butterfly ] I'm hanging in there....you are doing an AWESOME job. Thanks.
12:28	Bridget Murphy: Appreciate it, butterfly.
12:29	[Comment From butterfly ] I am watching from work....RetiredJSO..some of us still have to work:)
12:29	Bridget Murphy: Kite is showing photos of shell casings recovered in the yard. It is littered with yellow evidence placards. It is a powerful image for communicating the violence of the attack.
12:30	[Comment From ReitredJSO-2 ] butterfly bummer
12:32	Bridget Murphy: Two of the folks on Jury B, Rasheem's jury, appear to be taking copious notes about the evidence.
12:32	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] wish we could see that big screen better
12:33	Bridget Murphy: Kite going through photo after photo after photo of the same thing. Casing after casing. She is drilling home the violence of the attack.
12:33	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] I lost both the video and audio, just got it back but is sporatic. darn city network.
12:34	[Comment From D ] i feel bad for what happed to that little girl, but how come word of mouth put you away this is not 1950
12:34	
12:34	Times-Union moderator: Prosecutor London Kite.
12:34	Bridget Murphy: Gray is sounding off time and time again to answer Kite's questions about the photos: "Evidence number (fill in the blank) with a casing"
12:36	[Comment From ReitredJSO-2 ] I saw the posting of the criminal records of these brothers on TU online web this morning. They all have lengthy violent criminal records. Should have been put away a long time ago. This is a result of the previous State Attorney letting the people of Jax. down.
12:36	Bridget Murphy: Kite is asking about the caliber of the casings found. There were 9mm and .45 caliber casings.
12:36	[Comment From RETMIL ] @ D, LOOK AT THE MOTIVE



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12:36	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] right now it is all about hte evidence, chain of custody and evidence processing.
12:37	[Comment From RETMIL ] Bridget, Lost Audio and Video, any suggestions
12:37	Bridget Murphy: RETMIL, you want to reload the page, or just wait a minute or two and see if pops back up.
12:37	[Comment From Butterfly ] I agree with you...RetiredJSO2
12:38	[Comment From RETMIL ] @ Retiredjso-2 Concur
12:39	Bridget Murphy: The placard they are showing now is evidence marker 92. I have covered a lot of homicides, but I never remember another scene where there were so many evidence markers.
12:41	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] I concur as well, funny thing is he now wants to be the Federal prosecutor.
12:42	[Comment From Butterfly ] My God....Since i can't see live feed..and the notes you are supplying us thru chat.. Bridget...i can only imagine...
12:42	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] I've been back and forth from the computer.. did Det Gray ever say whose DNA he discovered from the swabs?
12:42	Bridget Murphy: LittleFuzzy, they haven't gotten to that yet
12:43	Bridget Murphy: James Hernandez is going to cross-examine Gray now.
12:43	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] wonder if they'll break for lunch before they get into that
12:44	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] butterfly I had to refresh the whole page to get the feed back
12:44	[Comment From RETMIL ] Oh yeah I know, Isn't that a Holder call though.. The way he is handling things though especially the KSM in New York, That's A YES
12:45	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez has put up a map on the big screen.
12:45	Bridget Murphy: It is a diagram of the crime scene
12:47	Bridget Murphy: Was the fence at all bent? Hernandez is asking Gray.
12:47	Bridget Murphy: Were there any shoeprints by the fence? Hernandez wants to know. Gray defers to his notes. Then he says yes.
12:48	Bridget Murphy: Hernandez is harping on how much of the area by the fence police processed.
12:49	Bridget Murphy: The slides seem to be out of order so Hernandez changes his line of questioning a bit. He does it smoothly.
12:49	[Comment From pioggerellina ] There seems to be a several second delay from what you type to what is being said in live feed by witness. You print it first before we hear the audio. Why is there a delay?
12:50	Bridget Murphy: You are right, Pioggerelina. That is not by design, just a normal technological delay.
12:50	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz is now questioning Gray.
12:51	[Comment From pioggerellina ] I guess they will want to break for lunch soon? It's almost 1pm. I bet the jurors and attorneys are hungry.
12:51	[Comment From ReitredJSO-2 ] It's because Bridget is physic
12:52	[Comment From pioggerellina ] RetiredJSO....lol
12:52	Bridget Murphy: Kuritz is finished. Kite is doing a redirect on the witness.
12:53	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] We had the same delay for the Collier trial.
12:54	Bridget Murphy: Gray has been excused."Time for lunch!" judge says.
12:55	Bridget Murphy: Trial will resume in an hour. That's 2 p.m. Hope you all tune back in. We had some technical glitches this morning, but we're all working hard at Jacksonville.com to give you the best possible live coverage. Thanks for your support!
12:55	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Who is providing this live feed? Is it FCN?
12:56	Bridget Murphy: Yes, FCN is doing the live feed for us through a pool camera that all media are using.
12:56	[Comment From Butterfly ] sure did...back off of Bridget....let her do her thang'...lol
12:56	[Comment From ReitredJSO-2 ] Alright i'm headed for the donut shop cu after lunch
12:56	[Comment From RETMIL ] Bridget, hats off excellent coverage, Can yu also thank the Camera Guy for me
12:57	Bridget Murphy: RETMIL, I will talk to the camera guy for you. Remember he has to be careful not to capture jurors so there's only so much panning he can do.
12:58	[Comment From JOY ] Good job Bridget

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12:58	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Coverage is great! Tech issues this time around is nothing compared to what took place during Collier trial - many issues for that one.
12:58	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Thank you, FCN, for giving all of us this live feed!
12:58	[Comment From RETMIL ] Thanks BRIDGET
12:59	[Comment From JOY ] You make this so easy to follow Bridget.
12:59	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Thanks to photographer he is taking excellent pictures!!!
12:59	[Comment From Guest ] who's the next witness ? or whats next after lunch
1:01	Bridget Murphy: Ok fellow bloggers. I'm going to grab lunch in the court house press room. See you in about an hour. Enjoy your donuts, RetiredJSO-2. Nothing cliché about that. LOL
1:56	Bridget Murphy: Ok, things seems to be yawning to life here. Hope everybody had a good lunch. Stay tuned. I think it'll start up in a few minutes.
1:58	Bridget Murphy: Just to update all you in the blogosphere, more than 1,000 different people have tuned into the court blog so far for this trial. Also, I talked to the camera man -- today it's Jim from Channel 4 working the pool camera -- and he said he will try to pan to the defendants more. That's for you RETMIL!
2:00	[Comment From coachcbs ] I have a black screen (just tuning in). Is it not coming in?
2:00	Bridget Murphy: Coachcbs, they're just setting up the feed now.
2:01	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] Hope to start hearing how the evidence is connected to the defendants soon
2:01	[Comment From coachcbs ] Oops...sorry...there it is!
2:02	[Comment From Judith Chapple ] I just left the court room to return to the office. I was surprised that there were not more people there. It was very hard to see the pictures of that baby's body shot as if her life ment nothing.
2:03	Bridget Murphy: Glad you were here, Judith. Try to remember that a lot of the agrieved are also witnesses and therefore can't watch all of the proceedings.
2:03	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] wish I could go down there but I loan out my car during the day
2:04	Bridget Murphy: No worries, Little Fuzz, we'll keep you in the loop.
2:05	Bridget Murphy: Spectators are filing in now.
2:05	Bridget Murphy: DreShawna's grandma is taking a seat in the front row now that her testimony is over.
2:05	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] I wonder if anyone from the Justice Coalition is there for the victim's family.. they were great during my family member's trial..don't think people realize how important their role is
2:06	Bridget Murphy: The Justice Coalition is here with the family. So is a victim's advocate from the State Attorney's Office.
2:07	[Comment From Guest ] camera guy is killing me
2:07	Bridget Murphy: Easy on the camera guy, Guest. He's chatting with the prosecutor London Kite right now.
2:09	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] great.. they're wonderful people to give their time for this
2:09	[Comment From jmc77 ] Can we get a mic closer to the lawyers?
2:09	Bridget Murphy: O.K., we're back to business. The judge is on the bench.
2:15	Bridget Murphy: Signing off for now. The judge's order. Will post more later.
2:15	Bridget Murphy: He's saying it violates a Supreme Court order.
2:16	Bridget Murphy: We've put our protest on the record.
2:33	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Bridget, judge is calling you to task? What gives? You did nothing different from what Adam did during the Collier trial!
2:35	[Comment From RETMIL ] WOW, BUMMMER,
2:35	[Comment From pioggerellina ] But what about Collier trial - why wasn't it an issue then????
2:35	[Comment From RetiredJSO ] ?????
2:35	[Comment From pioggerellina ] So the Chief Judge was okay with it during Collier trial but things are not okay now?
2:36	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Who is the person who started this whole mess? Who reported you?
2:36	[Comment From Chris ] this just got interesting.
2:36	[Comment From pioggerellina ] I would like to know who raised this as an issue.
2:36	[Comment From RETMIL ] Bring up COLIER CASE

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2:36	[Comment From pioggerellina ] It's not that you did something wrong, Bridget, correct? The judge is just concerned about having a third media outlet in the courtroom - is that it?
2:36	[Comment From Guest ] so why has the judge allowed the coverage to this point, and is just now saying something?
2:37	[Comment From RETMIL ] Double standard, Collier Case
2:37	[Comment From phat pussy ] the judge is not right
2:37	[Comment From pioggerellina ] So what's the difference whether you type things or write them down by longhand. No difference. When you type, you are not recording, as far as I am concerned. If you have tape and put things on it, you record, like audio or visual.
2:37	[Comment From jmc77 ] TAKE OUT THE STILL CAM.....
2:37	[Comment From RETMIL ] Great Job Bridget, Thank you SO MUCH, For all of your WORK
2:37	[Comment From pioggerellina ] I can't get past that it was not an issue during Collier trial...but it is now? And who raised this as an issue now - who is raising a stink?
2:38	[Comment From Bob ] What Supreme Court order does coverage violate?
2:38	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Bridget, I thought you were going to take your blogging out in the hallway? I hope you do. I think many of us want to know why this transpired.
2:38	[Comment From TheTruck ] Why has the judge stopped the proceedings & why did he stop you all from posting?
2:38	[Comment From RETMIL ] I wonder how that came about, Didn't he say your audience grew ten fold
2:38	[Comment From Informer ] I'd like to see that supreme court order he's talking about.
2:38	[Comment From Guest ] I agree with you. I'm up set about this...TO RETMIL
2:39	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Bridget, I am sorry you are being silenced by the court.
2:39	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] I think I heard the judge say the jury was being distracted and kept looking over there
2:44	Bridget Murphy: I am now in the hallway outside Court Room 4. I post this update with all due respect to Judge Haddock and the justice system.He has told me that blogging live from the court room violates a Supreme Court order about how many transmitting devices are allowed in the room. I have asked him to hear argument from counsel from The Florida Times-Union and Jacksonville.com and he has denied my request. He has advised my company to take any objections to the Supreme Court. A reporter from Fox's TV station also had to leave. His setup had some extra equipment attached to the pool camera, something to make their two technological setups function together. Judge Haddock said it was too distracting to jurors. George Gabel, the attorney for The Florida Times-Union is researching the law right now and soon will be on his way the court house. Times-Union reporter Paul Pinkham is back in the court room listening to testimony, so you guys won't miss a thing if you tune into the newspaper tomorrow. He spoke to Chief Judge Donald Moran before he went back inside about Judge Haddock's decision. Haddock said he had consulted with Moran about
2:45	Bridget Murphy: The judge didn't cite a specific Supreme Court order, but as I said, the newspaper's lawyer Mr. Gabel is looking into the case right now.
2:45	[Comment From BothSide ] Man this is some BS!! How they gonna mess up the trial like this!!
2:45	[Comment From pioggerellina ] What US Supreme Court order is this all about??
2:46	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Laptops distract people? I guess those jurors better never go to a classroom at a college or university because that's all the students use. I find it more distracting when people whisper court than I do if someone taps a key on the laptop.
2:46	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Bridget, what did your supervisor at TU think of this?
2:46	[Comment From RETMIL ] @ bridget, I miss your synopsis of the proceedings.
2:46	[Comment From ralph james ] a reporter doing her job whats the problem is this still america so what they hear typeing its her job and a good one at that a real pro
2:47	[Comment From BothSides ] What was distracting? Was the laptop making beeping noises or was it from the typing?
2:48	Bridget Murphy: The Times-Union isn't asking to do anything that we don't believe the law allows. We've done live blogging coverage before, in the Hartsfield trial involving the former Jaguars player.
2:48	Bridget Murphy: I was working from the back of the room near a power outlet, an arrangement I set up with the bailiffs yesterday.

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2:48	[Comment From pioggerellina ] Bridget, I am sure you were sitting in the same spot Adam was when he covered the Collier trial. All the way in the back up against wall - out of way of everyone.
2:49	[Comment From Sandy ] The jurier's should be better than that. They should be doing what they are suppost to do. Listening to the witness. Not looking around the room.
2:50	[Comment From LittleFuzzy ] I find it hard to believe that adults can be so easily distracted when something so important is in their hands
2:52	[Comment From RETMIL ] This is interesting, he's got to be talking about the Florida Supreme Court, Remember he said Fla is a handfull of states that allows cameras, I wonder what Central Fla did with the Missing child cases,
2:57	Bridget Murphy: The Times-Union's attorney has just arrived and is going to ask the judge to hear him.
2:58	Bridget Murphy: I will be going back inside to listen and leaving my setup in the hallway. Be back soon.
3:16	Bridget Murphy: Update: Mr. Gabel has just spoken to the judge about our request to stay in the room blogging. The judge will sign an order denying the request.
3:17	Bridget Murphy: I also just spoke to the grandmother of the Dubose brothers in the hallway. She says she has spoken to her grandsons lately and they are holding up as well as possible.
3:17	[Comment From Guest ] It's kind of bizarre to see a murder trial interrupted in order to argue over blogging... I think the camera is enough without the on-scene commentary.
3:53	[Standby] We have discontinued live text updates by order of Judge Haddock. Our attorney is researching the judge's order. We will resume our live text updates if legally possible.
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STATE OF FLORIDA

vs.

CASE NO.: 162006CF018284AXXXMA

TERRELL DUBOSE,

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vs.

CASE NO.: 162006CF018285AXXXMA

RASHEEM DUBOSE,

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MORRIS PUBLISHING GROUP, LLC,  
d/b/a *The Florida Times-Union*,

Intervenor.

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**MOTION TO ALLOW ACCESS OF REPORTER TO TRIAL WITH LAPTOP**

MORRIS PUBLISHING GROUP, LLC, d/b/a The Florida Times-Union (also referred to as The Times-Union), moves the Court for an Order allowing its reporter, Bridget Murphy or her

designee, access with her laptop to the ongoing First Degree murder trial in this action, and to intervene in this action, upon the following grounds:

1. The Court has allowed under Rule 2.450, Judicial Administration Rules, for one television camera operating under a pooling arrangement and one still photographer to be present during the trial.

2. From the beginning of the trial earlier this week, the Florida Times-Union reporter has attended the trial with her laptop reporting simultaneously to the public on the events in the trial. The laptop is being used to communicate to jacksonville.com, the website for the Florida Times-Union, in what is referred to as a "blog". The blog has become this week the most popular news site on the web page in Jacksonville.

3. Today this Court expelled the reporter from the courtroom and prohibited her from utilizing her laptop to report on the trial.

4. The website blog of the Times-Union is the only source of simultaneous coverage for the trial with commentary and explanation. During a recent high profile trial, *State v. Hartsfield*, the Times-Union reporter provided the same type of coverage on the website and on an ongoing basis fielded questions from the public and provided answers and explanations of what was going on during the trial, the traditional function of the news media.

5. Florida courts have historically been open to the public. Cameras were first allowed in a courtroom more than 30 years ago as a result of the decision of *In re Petition of Post-Newsweek Stations, Florida, Inc.*, 370 So. 2d 764 (Fla. 1979). At that time the Internet did not exist. Since that time, however, the Internet has become the primary source of news for a whole generation.

6. The Court has announced in open court that since laptops are not covered by Rule 2.450, he is bound by the language of the rule and, unless a higher court orders him to do so, he will continue to exclude the reporter with a laptop.

7. The Florida Times-Union understands that it is important that the Court ensure decorum and prevent distractions during the trial in this case, but it suggests that there are ways in which a laptop can be used that will not be a distraction, including providing a pooling arrangement for other bloggers who may want to attend.

8. The Supreme Court of Florida recently supported the concept of the use of information technology in its decision *In re Statewide Standards for Electronic Access to the Courts*, stating:

The judicial branch of Florida has long embraced the use of information technologies to increase the effectiveness, efficiency, and accessibility of the courts. Technology holds great promise for both the courts and court users. Technology has and will continue to impact court operations, similar to the way in which technology has changed business practices in other organizations.

9. This Court should recognize the importance of the Internet as a means of communication today, a development which may some day be perceived as important to our society as was the Gutenberg press. To not allow a laptop computer into the courtroom to assist in reporting the news about the trial chills a free press because it does not allow the access to a high profile trial which the public has come to expect.

10. Even the Federal court, which has traditionally been hostile to allowing cameras into the courtroom, allows laptops. See Local Rule 4.11, U. S. District Court for the Middle District of Florida, which provides for computer equipment to be allowed at a trial at the judge's discretion.



11. The public has a right to attend the trial of this case, but physical limitations obviously prevent that from happening. The Times-Union blog promotes the openness, the integrity and the confidence of the court system in this community which is one of the very reasons the *Post Newsweek* decision was made. Under the standard announced in *Miami Herald Publishing Co. v. Lewis*, 426 So. 2d 1 (Fla. 1982), there is no legally sufficient basis to exclude the new technology.

WHEREFORE, Morris Publishing Group, LLC respectfully requests the Court to grant its request and enter an order allowing a laptop during the conduct of this trial.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 14th day of January, 2010, a copy of the foregoing was furnished via U.S. Mail to London Kite, Esquire, Assistant State Attorney, 220 East Bay Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32202; to W. Charles Fletcher, Esquire, 223 East Bay Street, Suite 1020,

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**Transcript ordered and will be filed immediately upon receipt.**

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**ADDENDUM TO ORDER DENYING MOTION  
TO ALLOW ACCESS OF REPORTER TO TRIAL WITH LAPTOP**

The Order of January 14, 2010, is addended as follows:

1. The Order of January 14, 2010, was issued because of the presence in the courtroom of a video camera with live streaming video available to all stations and networks, and a still photographer with two cameras, and is effective only when that video equipment is being used. This Order in no way prohibits the media from substituting more modern, unobtrusive types of electronic media for the devices named in the rule, provided the total number is still limited to two.

2. No radio station has attended the trial.

**DONE AND ORDERED** at Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida this 15<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2010.

*s/LAWRENCE P. HADDOCK*  
CIRCUIT JUDGE

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