



Birch Statue Presented in Nashville



The city of Nashville unveiled a statue of former Tennessee Supreme Court Chief Justice Adolpho A. Birch, Jr. on Saturday, Aug. 27. The eight-foot-tall bronze statue was created by New Jersey artist, Brian Hanlon, and is located in front of the main entrance of the courthouse on Second Avenue. [The Tennessean](#) reported that the event marked

the 10-year anniversary of the courthouse, which was named in honor of Justice Birch. The event included speeches from Birch's son, Adolpho Birch III, Nashville Mayor Megan Barry and Davidson County General Sessions Judge Rachel Bell.

Davidson County Celebrates First Graduate of Trafficking Court

Davidson County's sex and human trafficking intervention court, which offers treatment and other resources to women arrested for crimes such as prostitution or drug offenses, honored its first graduate on Aug. 23 according to [the Tennessean](#). Rather than serve time in jail,

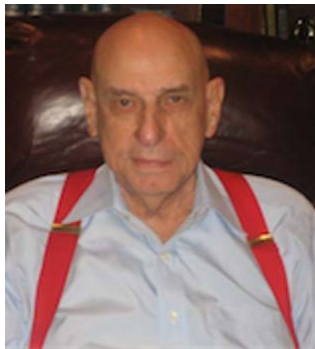


the graduate was one of the first participants in the Cherished HEARTS program, which allowed her to receive extensive drug treatment and counseling, get a job and locate

Judge Casey Moreland and currently consists of 12 women.

Investiture Ceremony for New Chancellor

An investiture ceremony for the new Davidson County chancellor, William E. “Bill” Young, was held on Friday, Aug. 26, in the Chancery Part II courtroom of the Historic Davidson County Courthouse. Prior to former Chancellor Carol McCoy’s retirement on Sept. 1, Young was appointed to the court on Aug. 5, per [Tennessee State Courts](#). His previous roles include administrative director for the Administrative Office of the Courts, solicitor general for the Tennessee Attorney General and vice president of risk management for BlueCross BlueShield.



Attorney Dale Quillen Dies at 91

Nashville lawyer Dale Quillen, 91, died on Aug. 13. The former U.S. Marine served during World War II in Guam and Iwo Jima and later attended YMCA Night Law School to earn his law degree. His service was held Friday, Aug. 26, at the Veterans Cemetery Chapel in Nashville. On Oct. 8, there will be a gathering at Zion Cemetery in Baileyton to spread his ashes over family graves. Read more about his life and words from his

colleagues in [the Tennessean](#).

Lawyer Jack Norman Dies at 89

Attorney Jack Norman Jr., 89, passed away on Aug. 28. Norman practiced law for 50 years before retiring as Settlement Judge for the Circuit Courts of Davidson County. Norman served in the Air National Guard during World War II and retired as a lieutenant colonel. He was a member of the Nashville and Tennessee Bar Associations and a fellow of the American College of Trial Lawyers. A visitation service was held on Sept. 1 at Calvary Methodist Church in Nashville. Read more about his life in [the Tennessean](#).



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JURY TRIALS					IF CASE WAS APPEALED FROM GENERAL SESSIONS	
CASE	TYPE OF CASE	COURT	CIRCUIT JUDGMENT	G. S. JUDGMENT	APPELLANT	
Week of July 11						
14C203	Automobile	6	Plaintiff - \$58,358 Total Damages to All Plaintiffs & Counter Plaintiffs - Final Court 1 & County Pcty. 70%, Dist. 2 30%			
13C690	Sr & Fall	6	Plaintiff - \$28,000 - Final 100%/100%			
Week of July 18						
15C887	Automobile	5	Defendant - Default Verdict in Both Cases			
Contributors with 15C1488						
16C991	GSA - Auto	6	Plaintiffs - P1 \$5,377, P2 \$1,215, Total = \$6,592			
NON-JURY TRIALS						
CASE	TYPE OF CASE	COURT	CIRCUIT JUDGMENT	G. S. JUDGMENT	APPELLANT	
NOTE: THIS WAS NO NON-JURY DOCKET IN JULY, 2016						
SPECIALLY SET TRIALS						
CASE	TYPE OF CASE	COURT	CIRCUIT JUDGMENT	DATE OF TRIAL	JURY OR NON-JURY	G. S. JUDGMENT BY
2015-B-1178	Dist	2	Motion on Day 2 of Trial	7.13.16	Jury	
2015-A-369	Dist	2	Plaintiff - GSA - Auto - County of Davidson & Dist. Pcty	7.18.16	Jury	
16C123	GSA - Defense	5	Plaintiff	7.27.16	Non-Jury	Pcty. \$200 + Dist. Proceeds
15C4097	Contract & Surety Bonds	5	Plaintiff	7.28.16		

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