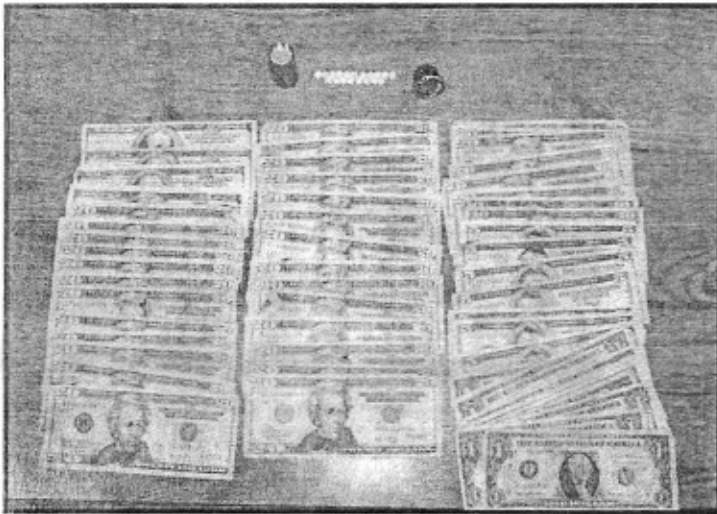


DAILY EDITION

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Monday, February 8, 2010

LCSO ND seizes numerous pills, hundreds in cash in drug raid



Agents with the Loudon County Sheriff's Office Narcotics Division arrested one man and seized several hundred dollars in United States currency and numerous schedule II pills in a drug raid at a Jackson Bend Road residence Thursday evening.

On February 4, 2010, at 8:25 PM the Loudon County Narcotics Division along with LCSD Patrol, CID, and Reserve Divisions served



Jeffery Alvin Graves
Possession of Schedule II for Resale

(see Graves pg. 7)

Outbuilding burgled

A Philadelphia man called investigators when he discovered someone stole numerous items of lawn equipment and gasoline from his outbuilding.

According to a report filed by Deputy Mickey Patterson, LCSO; Mr. Ed Donley of Oakland Road, Philadelphia stated he purchased gasoline on or about

(see Outbuilding pg. 6)

I-40 in Tennessee Ranked Best Road in Nation for Fourth Year in a Row

Nashville, Tennessee - At 455 miles in length, Tennessee is home to the longest stretch of Interstate 40 in the nation and, for the fourth straight year, the nation's truckers have rated it the best stretch of roadway in

America. In addition, truck drivers rated Tennessee's overall roadway system third best in the country for the eleventh year in a row according to a recent survey of truck owners and operators by Overdrive Magazine.

(see I-40 pg. 3)

Shoplifters beware: Investigator Sartin's hot on your trail

Investigator Jonathan Sartin, LCPD, charged a Lenoir City woman with the late January theft of a hair care product she allegedly stole from a local grocery store.

Dana Ann Frye, 42, Hair Lane, Lenoir City was charged with theft under \$500.

According to the affidavit (see Frye pg. 3)



Dana Ann Frye

Verse of the day

Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, he works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father. And whatsoever ye shall ask in my name, that will I do, that the Father

may be glorified in the Son.

John 14:12-13

Obituaries

Edward H. Petty
Vicky Lynn Bell

Weather:

Today: Mix of rain and snow showers. Highs in the mid 40s.

Tonight: Lows in the mid

30s.

Tuesday: Rain and snow showers. Highs in the mid 40s and lows in the upper 20s.

Wazzup

A great big thank you to Valley Recycling in Sweetwater. You're easy to find, on site directions are fantastic, and your staff is awesome!

Horoscopes

Aquarius

(Jan 21-Feb 19)

You are feeling rather odd about something that's

(see Horoscopes pg. 2)



"Tennessee's roadways are a major economic asset in our work to attract opportunities for growth and development in our communities," said Governor Phil Bredesen. "I'm pleased to see this consistently high ranking of the state's transportation system from some of the people who use it the most - our nation's truckers."

Overdrive Magazine polls more than 300 truck drivers across the nation each year asking them to rate the nation's roads and drivers, state by state. The survey includes opinions about the quality of the roads, the smoothness of the riding surface, road markings, construction detour availability

and more. Overdrive Magazine began surveying truck drivers across the nation 13 years ago.

Trucker Stan Bloom from Grimes, Iowa told the magazine he's driven I-40 in Tennessee more than 40 times, "It's a pleasant drive through there. The road surface is good and they use a lot of blacktop. They keep it up well."

Tennessee's roads are consistently ranked as some of the best by the nation's truckers and by the Asphalt Pavement Alliance, who have awarded seven Perpetual Pavement Awards to TDOT, the most awarded to any other state except Minnesota.

"For more than a decade the nation's truckers have ranked Tennessee roadways

among the best in the country," said TDOT Commissioner Gerald Nicely. "This speaks volumes about the commitment to quality from TDOT employees and contractors. The strong support from the Governor, the Tennessee General Assembly, our local

government partners and the citizens of our state also contributes to our quality roadway system."

"This is another great honor for TDOT and for the contractors who help build and maintain our roadways,"

added TDOT Chief Engineer Paul Deggés. "But we cannot rest on our past work. We must continue to look for more ways to improve not just our roadways but our entire transportation system."

The best and worst roads as mentioned by Overdrive Magazine are:

Best Roads

1. Florida
2. Texas
3. Tennessee

Best Highway Segment

1. I-40 Tennessee
2. I-75 Florida
3. I-10 Florida

Worst Roads

1. Pennsylvania
2. Michigan
3. NY & California (tie)

Worst Highway Segment

1. I-10 Louisiana
2. I-95 New York
3. I-40 Arkansas

Overdrive Magazine is a monthly magazine distributed to trucking industry representatives around the country. More information about the annual survey can be found at <http://www.overdriveonline.com/the-good-the-bad-the-better/>.

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Frye

vit filed by Detective Sartin; on or about January 22nd, 2010, Dana Frye went to the Food City on Market Drive in Lenoir City and while there went to the health and beauty section where she took a

box of hair dye and put it in her purse.

Frye reportedly then left the store without paying for the merchandise. This was done without permission or consent of Food City.

The total amount of

the loss was estimated at \$7.99. Detective Sartin made the arrest Wednesday.

Police Beat

Mario Sanchez, 27, Poplar Street, Lenoir City was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Michael Wilson, LCSO made the arrest.

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Outbuilding

January 11th, 2010, and put the gas in his outbuilding. Everything was there at that time.

On February 1st, Mr. Donley went to the building and noticed the lock was not locked, even though he thought he had locked it. He opened the building to get the gas and all the items

were gone.

Items missing include a red 6" one-man gas powered posthole digger, a 14" Poulan chain saw, a red Troy Bilt blower/mulcher, a red Cub Cadet 2 cycle 3000 cc weed trimmer, a 1 gallon can of gas and a 5 gallon can of gas.

The total amount of Mr. Donley's loss was

estimated at \$1269.

On this day

1910 Boy Scouts of America incorporated & chartered (William D Boyce-Chic)

1912 1st eastbound US transcontinental flight lands in Jacksonville, Fla

Highland Park Ruritan Club Pancake Breakfast

All you can eat pancake breakfast the Highland Park Ruritan Club located on Highway 821 in Lenoir City across from Walmart.

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7:00 AM - 11:00 AM February 13, 2010

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Graves

a drug search warrant at the Jeffrey Alvin Graves residence located at 3697 Jackson Bend Road in Lenoir City Tennessee.

While searching the residence 19 pills identified as 30 Mg. Oxycodone were discovered

in a green metal pill container located in the bathroom and one 60 Mg. Oxycodone pill was located in the toilet.

Also found in the bathroom was a large amount of U.S. currency.

During an interview, Graves, 44, admitted to selling his and his wife's prescription oxycodone pills, as well as other Oxycodone pills that he had purchased for resale from others.

Graves also stated that when they observed Law enforcement arrive they flushed several 60 Mg. Oxycodone pills and that he swallowed an 80 Mg. Oxycodone pill.

Oxycodone is a Sch. II controlled substance.

stance.

Police Beat

Kenneth L. Akens, 48, County Road, 297 Sweetwater was charged with DUI 1st offense, failure to maintain lane and implied consent.

The report states, Trooper Eric Miller, THP stopped Mr. Akens's red Pontiac Trans Am for failure to maintain his own lane on Pond Creek Road. He also was not wearing a seat belt.

Mr. Akens had an odor of an alcoholic beverage about his person and told the officer he'd drank 4 alcoholic beverages

prior to driving.

Akens could not perform field sobriety tasks as instructed and refused implied consent.

Kreston Anthony Churchwell, 31, Jim Hartsook Drive, Lenoir City was charged with driving on suspended license.

According to records, Patrolman Brandon Gentry, LCPD stopped a green Pontiac on West Broadway for a light law violation.

A check of Mr. Churchwell's drivers license through NCIC revealed his license are suspended.

Help Wanted

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The Loudon County Sheriff's Office also has approximately 30 firearms to be auctioned as well. To bid on a firearm you must possess a valid FFL license and a current business license. A copy of these documents should be delivered to the Sheriff's Department prior to the beginning of the auction. Firearms will be sold in lots of ten or more.

Any inquiries can be made to the Sheriff's Department at 865-988-2309.

*The Loudon County Sheriff's Department reserves the right to reject any and all bids on vehicles offered at auction.