

# DAILY EDITION

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Monday, July 5, 2010

## Car burglary suspect busted



Patrick Allen Johnson

(see Johnson pg. 3)

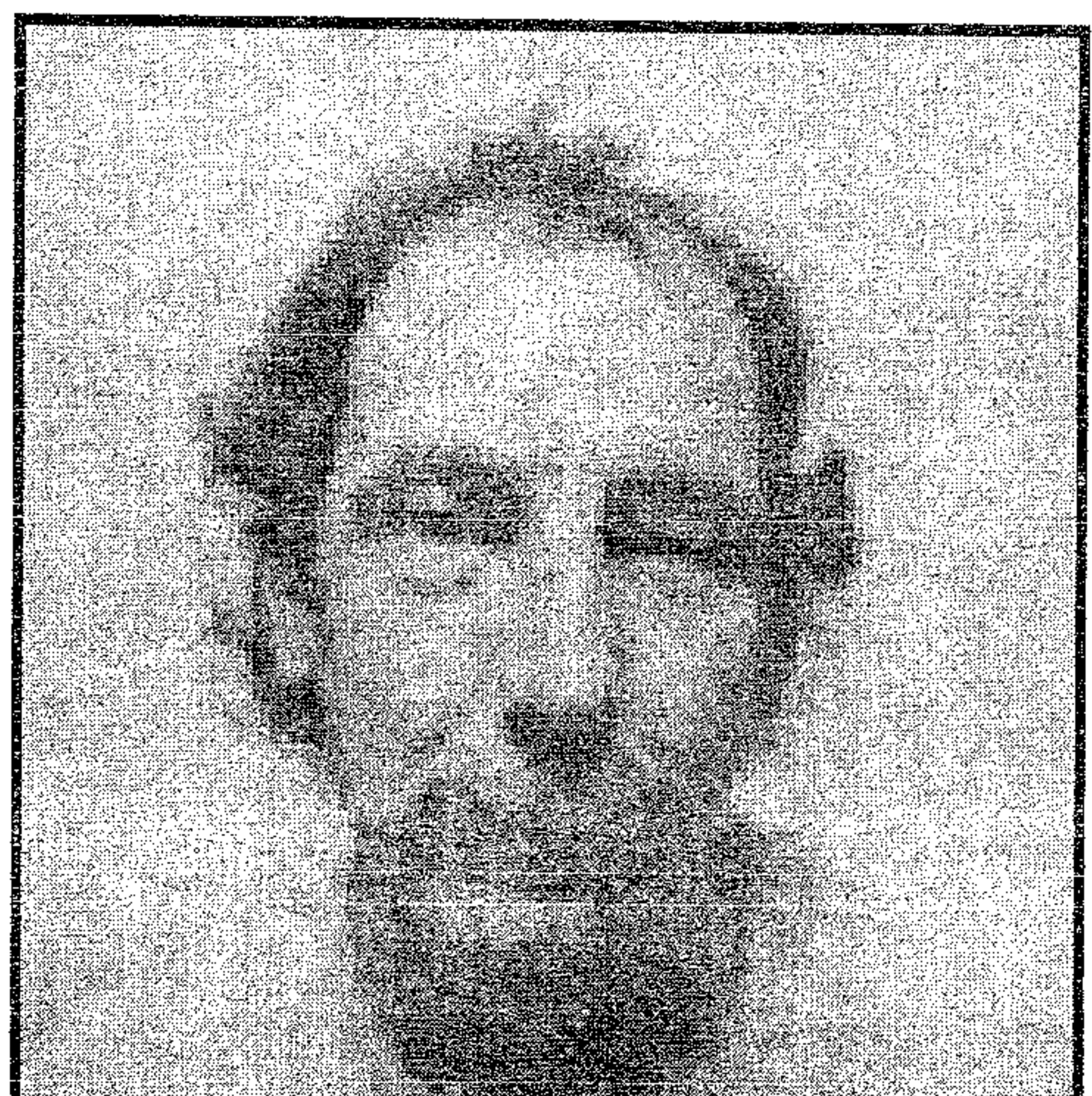
## Sex offender violation



Roy Anderson Baker

(see Baker pg. 4)

## Political sign vandal nabbed



Roy Harvey O Neal

(see O Neal pg. 6)

## Passenger has numerous pills

A passenger in a vehicle where the driving was arrested on a license violation received drug charges after numerous prescription pills were in her possession without prescriptions for them.

Saxon Michelle  
(see Ricketts pg. 4)



Natalie Cailean Ricketts

## Unlicensed and driving

Luis Roberto Rosado Lorenzo, 25, West 5th Avenue, Lenoir City was charged with no drivers license, financial respon-

sibility, and improper lane change.

According to reports, Saturday, at approximately 9:39 AM, Mr. Lorenzo was driving

(see Unlicensed pg. 7)

## “Operation Dry Water” Results in 27 Boating Under the Influence Arrests

NASHVILLE --- The Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency recorded 27 boating under the influence (BUI) arrests across the state as

part of “Operation Dry Water,” during the weekend of June 25-27.

TWRA teamed with the U.S. Coast Guard and the

(see Operation pg. 3)

### Verse of the day

Beware lest any man spoil you through philosophy and vain deceit, after the tradition of men, after the rudi-

ments of the world, and not after Christ.

Colossians 2:8

### Obituaries

None

### Wazzup

A big shout out to Shawn

and the gang down at the Grizzly Pig in Philadelphia!

Now we know you have a birthday coming up, Daisy Weatherly... Pictures anyone???

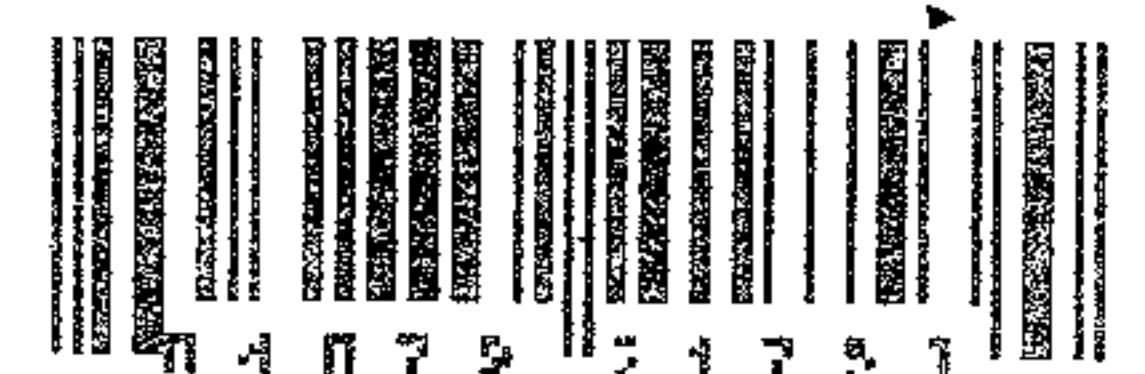
### Weather:

Today: Sunshine. Highs in

the mid 90s.

Tonight: Lows in the upper 60s.

(see More pg. 2)



**Johnson**

A Loudon man was jailed on charges he broke into a woman's vehicle while it was parked at a health care facility and took numerous items valued at over \$2000.

Patrick Allen Johnson, 44, River Bend Road, Loudon was charged with theft over \$1000 and auto burglary.

According to affidavits filed by Detective

Mike Newman, LPD; on December 25th, 2009, around 5:37 PM, Patrick A. Johnson took a purse, camera and several other items that did not belong to him when he entered into a locked vehicle at Loudon Healthcare by breaking out the window.

The property was valued at over \$2500. This was done without the owner's knowl-

edge or consent.

Detective Newman made the arrest Thursday.

**Operation**

National Association of State Boating Law Administrators (NASBLA) for "Operation Dry Water." TWRA boating officers saturated high traffic areas on reservoirs across the state. Along with the use of life jackets and other safety

practices, officers wanted boaters to be aware of the effects and ramifications of alcohol use.

Six of the BUI arrests came on Watts Barr Lake. TWRA officers made four arrests on Kentucky Lake and three on Chickamauga Lake. Officers also issued 127 other citations.

TWRA officers will be out in full force on state waters for the upcoming July 4 holiday weekend. The holiday period runs from 6 p.m. Friday, July 2 through midnight Monday, July 5.

**Police Beat**

Jennifer Suzzanna Langley, aka Jennifer Kelso, 25, Vonore Road, Loudon was charged with driving on suspended license.

According to reports, around 5:41 PM, Saturday, Deputy Rob Lane LCSO was driving on Davis Ferry Road and noticed a man walking down the road with a green Saturn stopped next to him. As the officer ap-

proached the car, it drove away and pulled into the Piney Ruritan parking lot.

Deputy Lane asked the man what was going on and he replied he and his wife Jennifer got into an argument, he left and she was trying to pick him up. The deputy had Mr. Langley get into his patrol car and drove to the Ruritan to talk to her.

Mrs. Langley advised they got into an argument and she was trying to get him to come home.

Deputy Lane ran both Mr. and Mrs. Langley's identifications through NCIC and warrant checks on both. Mrs. Langley stated her license were suspended for not paying a ticket. NCIC came back indeed suspended.

Charlie Wallace, 32, Vale Street, Loudon was charged with violation of probation.


Officer Brendan DeBoer, LPD made the arrest Monday.



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### Baker

Roy Anderson Baker, 45, homeless, was charged with violation of the sex offender registry x 2 and violation of community supervision for life.

According to affidavits filed by Investigator Jason Smith, LCSO-CID; Roy Anderson Baker committed the offense of violation of sex offender registry on or about June 8th, 2010. Roy Anderson Baker is a registered sex offender in the state of Tennessee and is required to report to probation officer Carolyn Brewer of the Board of Probation and Parole in Maryville, Tennessee.

Roy Baker is a resident of Loudon County, living at 165 Lee Hi Street, Lenoir City, according to his last verification form completed on April 22nd, 2010. On April 30th, 2010, Mr. Anderson contacted Carolyn Brewer and stated he was leaving.

Mr. Anderson has since failed to notify his probation officer of his whereabouts. Sex offender registry requires that if a subject is considered homeless they must report monthly. Mr. Anderson has not reported to Ms. Brewer since April 30th, 2010.

Deputy John Wilson, LCSO made the arrest Saturday.

### Ricketts

Sweeton, 21, Blair Road, Cleveland was charged Sunday with driving on suspended license.

Natalie Cailean Ricketts, 20, Cedar Drive SE, Cleveland was charged with possession of legend drug x 2 and possession of schedule IV.

According to reports, Deputy Brian Smith, LCSO responded to the TA Truck Stop on Watt Road in reference to a suspicious vehicle driving around the truck stop. Upon arrival, the deputy saw the vehicle, a white Ford, leaving

the Petro Station. He stopped it at the Pride Truck Wash.

A check of the driver's, Ms. Sweeton's social security number came back suspended for failure to satisfy a citation. Consent to search the vehicle was given by Ms. Sweeton and several copied DVD's were found on the back seat.

Ricketts was a passenger in the back seat and when Deputy Smith asked Ms. Ricketts if he could search her purse, she consented to the search.

Ricketts was asked if there was anything in her purse and she stated she had some of her mother's pills.

The deputy report-

ed he discovered three oval pink pills believed to be darvocet, five and one half round yellow pills

believed to be flexiril and two and one half oval white pills believed to be buspiron in Ricketts's purse.

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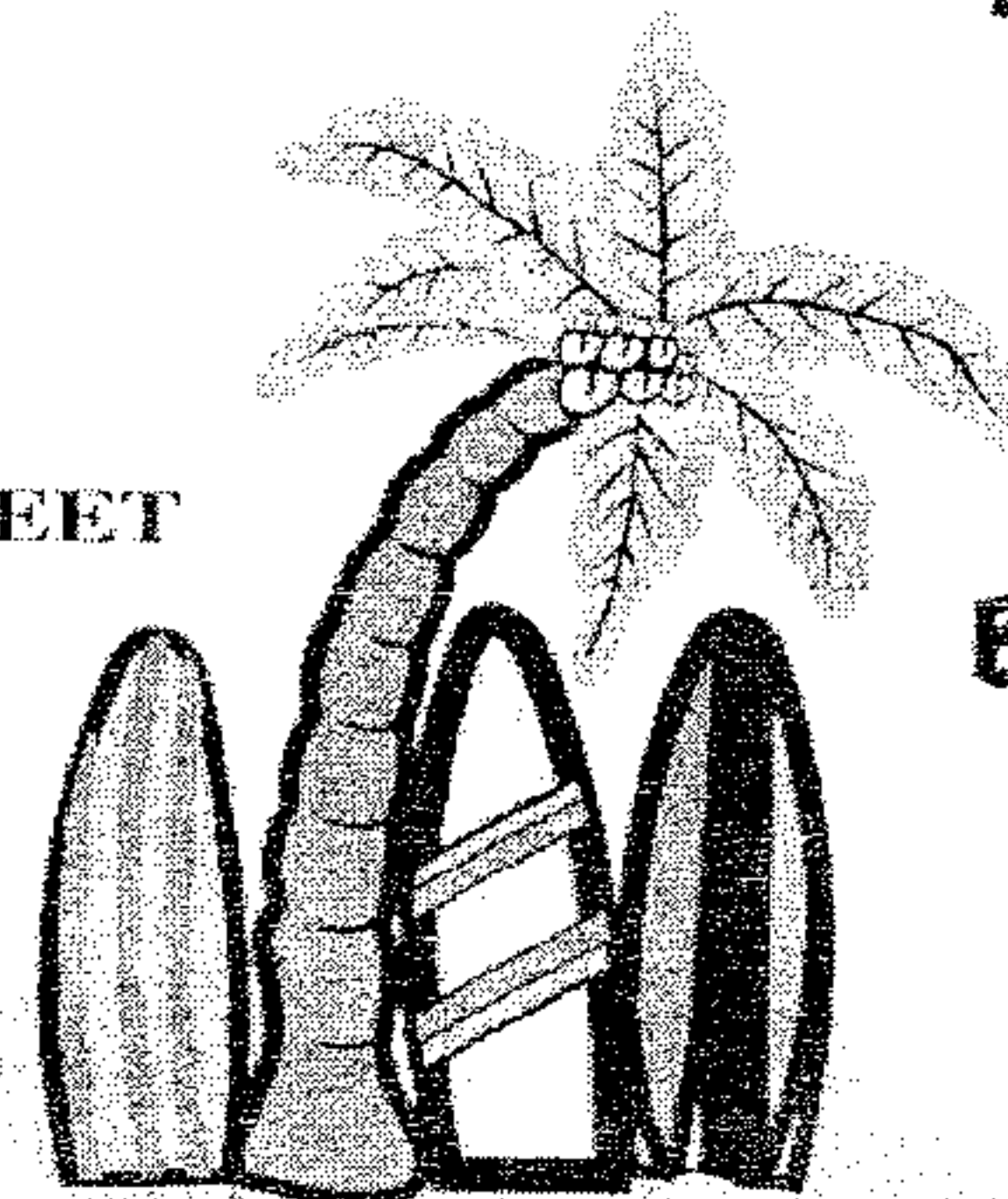
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### O'Neal

Roy Harvey O'Neal, 51, Muddy Creek Road, Lenoir City was charged with public intoxication and vandalism.

The report states while on routine patrol of Ford Road, around 9:00 PM, Thursday, Deputy Charles Butler, LCSO noticed a white male walking down the road stumbling. The deputy stopped, identified the man as Roy O'Neal and asked him where he was going.

The officer noted Mr. O'Neal had a very strong odor of alcohol about his breath and person, was unsteady on his feet, and had

red, glassy eyes and slurred speech. The deputy felt O'Neal was a danger to himself and others if left to continue walking and placed him under arrest.

Mr. O'Neal also was served a vandalism warrant out of sessions court, which was issued after O'Neal, reportedly was seen destroying a political sign belonging to Steve Harrelson. Harrelson is seeking the office of 6th district commissioner challenging incumbent Wayne Gardin for the seat.

Harrelson has had several signs destroyed along Muddy Creek Road near O'Neals residence. O'Neal re-

portedly also was seen by witnesses vandalizing a campaign sign that Harrelson had just put up to replace a sign that had been destroyed earlier.

O'Neal has a lengthy arrest record most recently being arrested for driving on a revoked license for DUI. O'Neal is also on the state sexual offender registry charged with aggravated sexual battery.

### Police Beat

Jimmy Sherman Morgan, 40, Grayson Freedman Lane, Lenoir City was charged with

DUI, violation of the light law, and violation of implied consent.

According to affidavits filed by Sgt. Lynette Ladd, LCPD; Saturday, around 9:33 PM, Jimmy Morgan committed the offense of driving under the influence when he operated a motor vehicle on West Hills Drive in Lenoir City.

Morgan drove on the officer's side of the roadway, nearly striking her vehicle and

his front passenger side headlight was not working.

Mr. Morgan had a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage on his person. His eyes were red and glassy, his speech was slurred and he was unsteady on his feet. Morgan did poorly on field sobriety tasks and stated he'd drunk 3 beers.

Morgan was read the Implied Consent and refused to submit to chemical testing.

## F.Y.I

**Loudon Quarterback Club Sign-ups** at Fort Hill will be held Sat. June 26 from 10 till 1 and every Tuesday and Friday from 6:30 till 8 and every Saturday in July from 10 till 1. First day of practice will be July 26th at 6. 1st year sign-ups bring copy of birth certificate. Please call Gary Whitfield with any Questions 865-740-3731.

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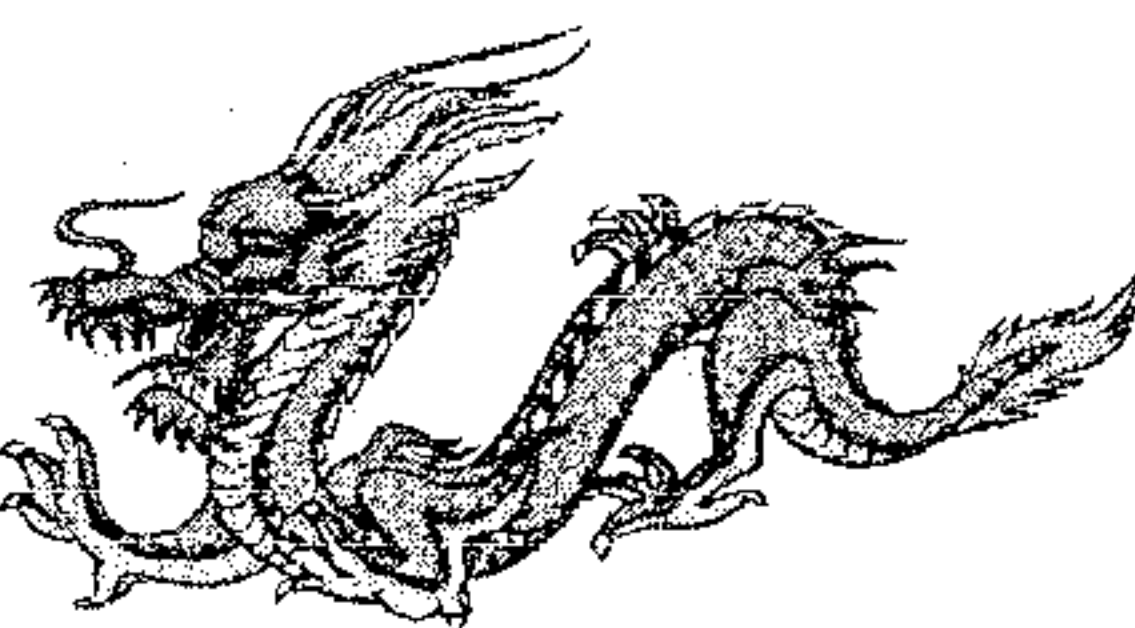
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**Unlicensed**

a red Honda north on Highway 321 when he attempted to change lanes and struck another vehicle causing a property damage accident.

Mr. Lorenzo did not have a drivers license, nor insurance. Officer Jamie Whitt, LCPD made the arrest.

Victor Hugo-Herrera Calderon, 27, Kennedy Drive, Lenoir City

was charged Saturday with driving without a license.

According to records, Deputy Chad Petty, LCSO noticed a green Toyota with only one headlight traveling north on Highway 321. He stopped the Toyota at United Community Bank.

The driver identified himself as Victor Hugo-Herrera Calderon and advised he didn't have a license.

A check through NCIC of Calderon's name and date of birth came back not on file for a drivers license.

Santos Maudilio Rivas, 21, West Broadway, Lenoir City was charged with no drivers.

According to records, Sunday, at approximately 2:10 AM, while at the Mr. Gas assisting a disabled vehicle, Officer Bennie Houser, LPD observed a white Lincoln Navigator pull in the parking lot. The officer made contact with the driver, Mr. Rivas.

Mr. Rivas tried to

walk away from Officer Houser, stating he was there to help the disabled vehicle.

The officer asked Rivas for his drivers license and he handed him a Guatemala ID Card. A check through dispatch came back no drivers license status on Mr. Rivas.

**Suspended**

Pamela Sue Loveday, 49, homeless was charged with driving on suspended license.

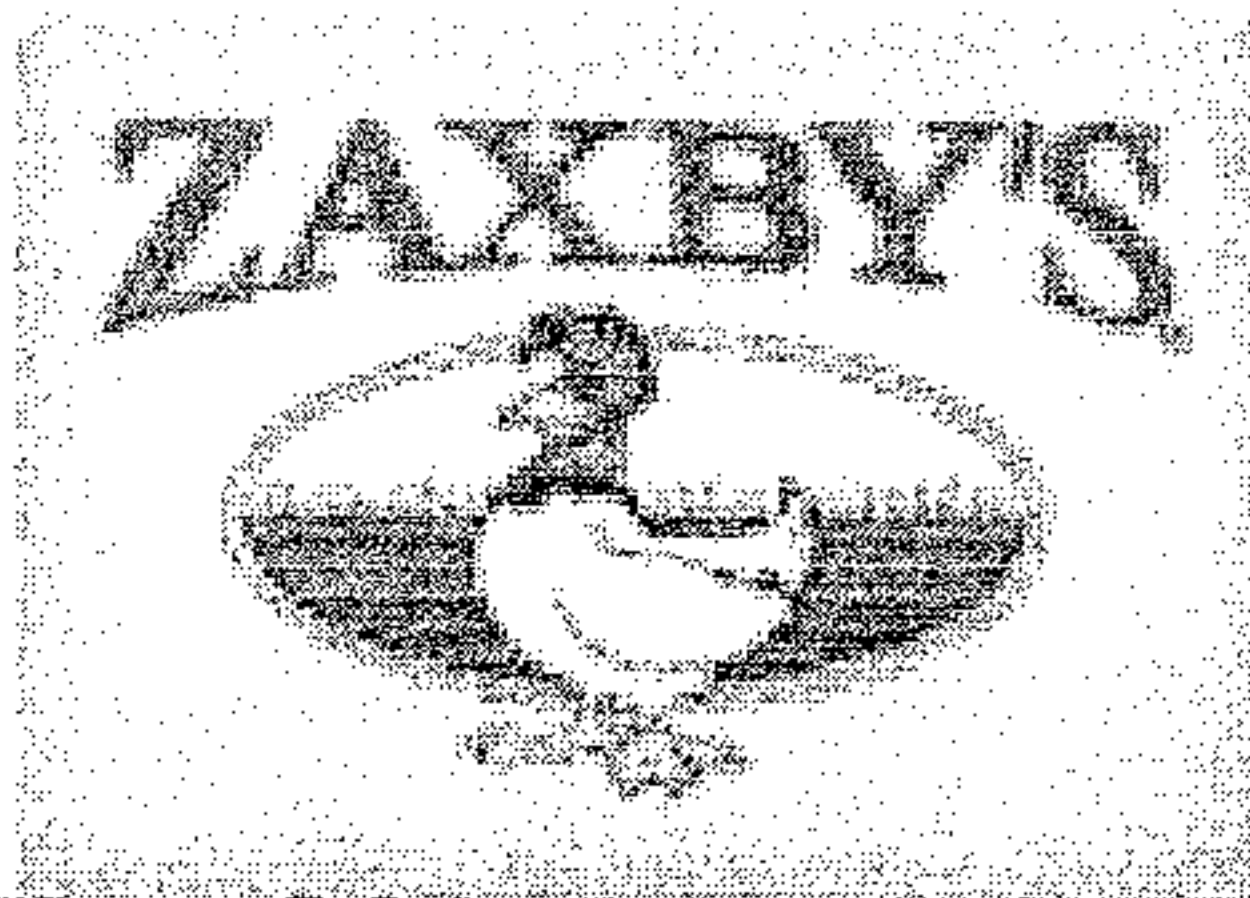
The report states, Monday, around 10:44 AM, Officer Allen Bean, LCPD made a traffic stop in the parking lot of the Home Depot on a white Ford van driven by Pam Loveday. Officer Bean had prior knowledge Ms. Loveday did not have a

valid drivers license. Loveday's license were suspended for seven failure to satisfy charges out of Knox, Blount, and Loudon counties.

Officer Bean reported he witnessed Ms. Loveday driving the van on Abbie Drive in Lenoir City.

**Probation Violators**

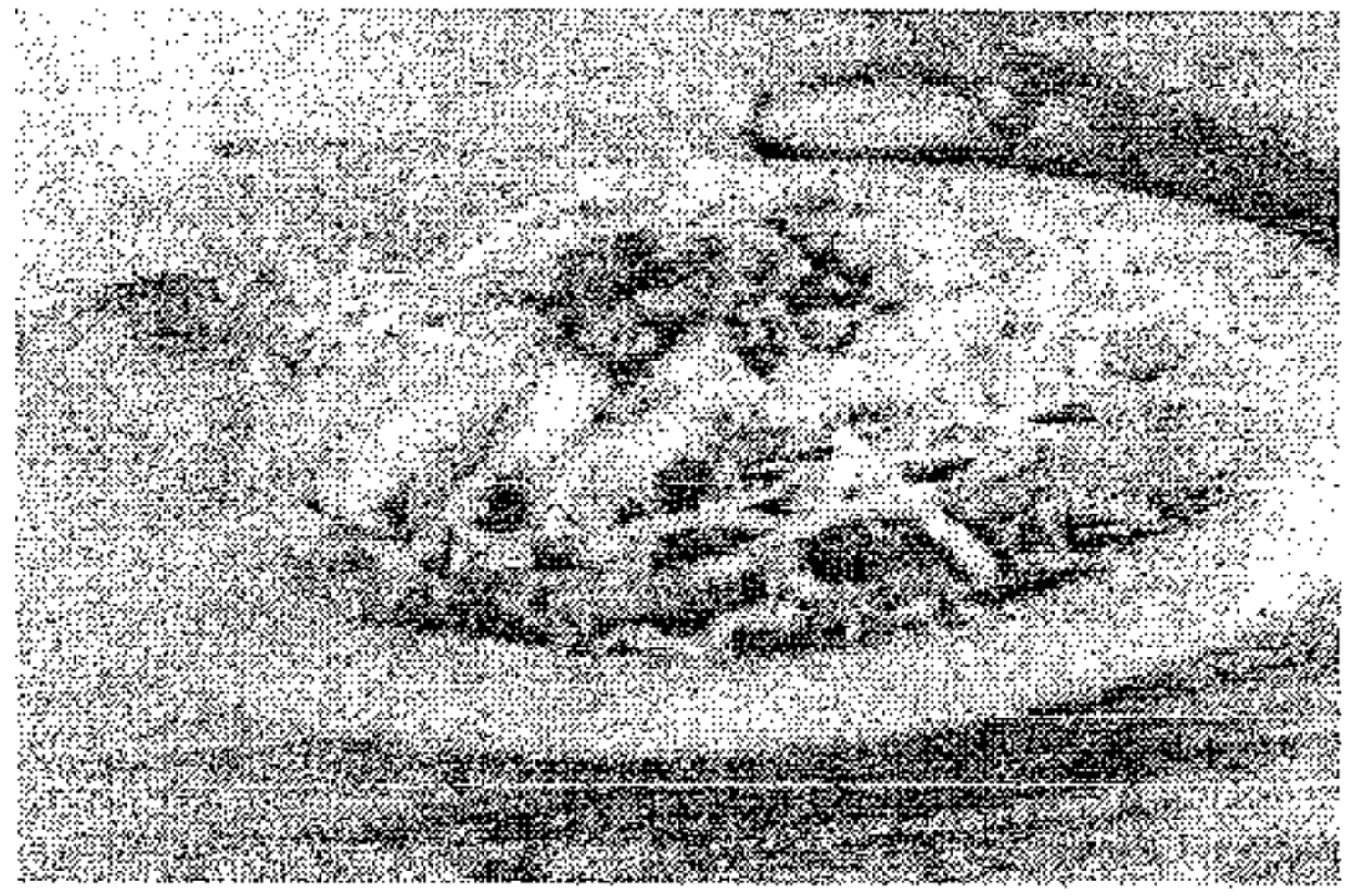
Curtis Alexander Graves, 24, 6th Avenue, Lenoir City, was charged with violation of probation. Patrolman Jason Felts, LCPD, made the arrest Sunday. Stephen Rodriguez King, 24, North C Street, Lenoir City was charged with violation of probation (Bradley County). Officer Colby Cannon, LPD made the arrest Monday.



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## THP Reminds Commercial Vehicle Operators of Amended Law

NASHVILLE --- The Tennessee Highway Patrol added to its list of safety measures to enforce when an amended state law on lighting regulations for commercial motor vehicles took effect on July 1, 2010. The amendment, adopted by the Tennessee General Assembly, came as a result of numerous close calls and serious injuries.

In summary, the law, TCA 55-9-405, was amended to say that any commercial vehicles transporting intrastate loads of logs, poles, etc., projected four feet or more beyond the rear,

between one half hour before sunset and one half hour after sunrise, should have one amber strobe-type lamp or one amber light emitting diode (LED) visible from the rear and both sides of the load. Additionally, both lamps should be detectable from a distance of at least 500 feet from the rear of the load.

"This legislation change is proactive and it allows commercial vehicles, particularly the lumbering industry, to continue to work effectively and efficiently at a greater level of safety," said THP Colonel Mike

Walker. "Our commitment to leading these vehicles and its' operators into compliance is great. Any new or amended state laws that help ensure the safety of the motoring public, we are prepared to enforce."

No changes are required of commercial vehicles that transport intrastate loads that extend less than four feet at night or for loads that extend more than four feet but are transported during the allotted time frame (i.e. between the one half hour before sunset and one half hour after sunrise).

Commercial vehicle operators out of compliance are subject to a Class C misde-

meanor, resulting in a \$50 fine and the potential for up to 30 days in jail. To read the amended law in its entirety, visit <http://state.tn.us/sos/acts/106/pub/pc1010.pdf>

During a 30-day grace period, the THP will issue warnings from July 1 through August 1; Citations will be distributed

thereafter.

The Tennessee Department of Safety's ([www.TN.Gov/safety](http://www.TN.Gov/safety)) mission is to ensure the safety and general welfare of the public. The department encompasses the Tennessee Highway Patrol, Office of Homeland Security and Driver License Services. General areas of responsibility include law enforcement, safety education, motorist services and terrorism prevention.

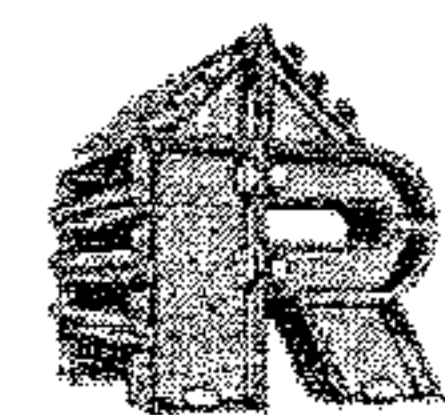
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