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Monday, September 20, 2010

Philly man charged with aggravated Local gets 4th DUI assault

A Philadelphia man is accused of threatening another man with an axe handle during an altercation at a Loudon grocery store early Wednesday evening.

Daniel Ray Pitts, 37, Sewell Road, Philadelphia was charged with aggravated assault.

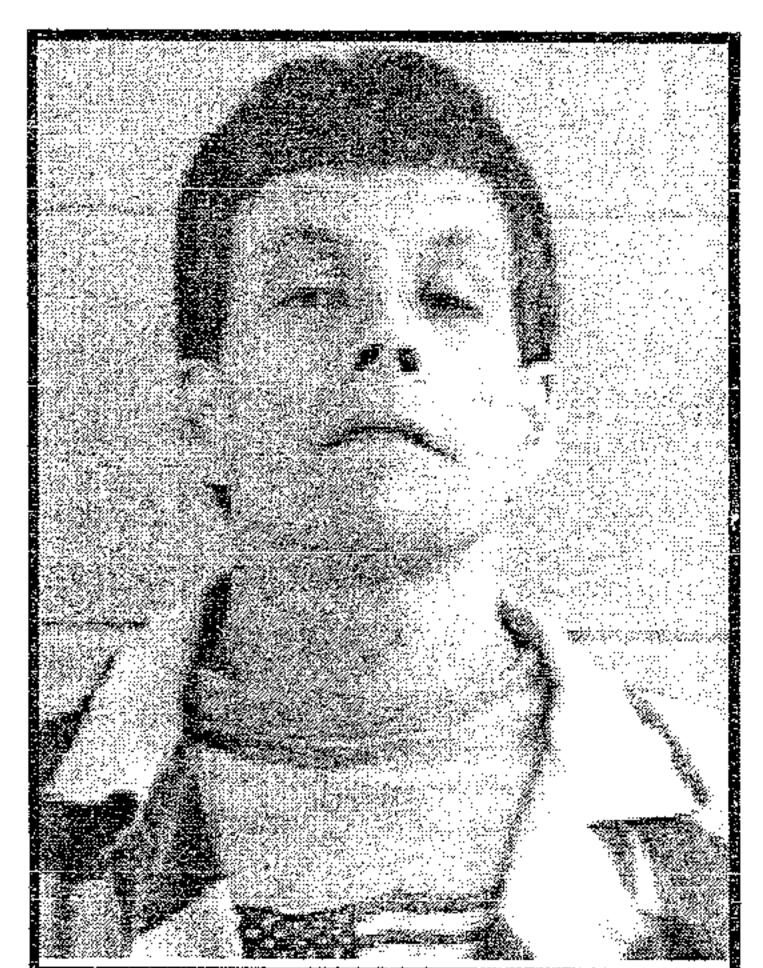
Records indicate, Wednesday, at approximately 4:40 PM, the Loudon Police Department received a call about a fight in progress at the Food City on



(see Pitts pg. 4)

A local man received his fourth DUI charge after police responded to a complaint of a suspicious person and upon locating him in his vehicle discovered he was under the influence of an intoxicant.

Richard Darren Queen, 38, Tinnel Lane, Lenoir City



(see Queen pg. 3) Queen

4-wheeler stolen

A Philadelphia man called authorities when he discovered someone had stolen his four-wheeler.

According to the report, Mr. Mike Milsaps, Pond Creek Road, Philadelphia told Deputy Mickey Patterson, LCSO the last time he saw his 4 wheeler was Monday, at 4:00 PM, and it was outside under a shed.

(see 4-wheeler pg. 5)

Truck burglarized GPS taken

Authorities were called to investigate the theft of a bike and a CB radio when a man discovered someone had burglarized his truck.

According to records, Deputy Chris Bowen, LCSO was dispatched to a Hines Valley Road residence Monday in reference to the theft of property. The com-

A Greenback man flagged down a law enforcement officer Monday to report the theft of a GPS system from his vehicle.

According to reports, When Deputy Marty Stanley was on patrol in Greenback Monday, he was flagged down by a man on Craigs Chapel Road. Mr. Mike Tarwater advised sometime over the weekend,

(see GPS pg. 5)

gun stolen

gun to authorities after his front door.

An elderly man re- one had broken into his ported the larceny of a residence by kicking in

he returned home from According to reports, an outing to find some- a 77 year old Poplar (see Gun pg. 3)

Elderly man reports August Unemployment Rate 9.6 Percent

(see Truck pg. 6)

Seasonally Adjusted Rate Down 0.1 Percentage Point from July's Revised Rate

of Labor & Workforce point from the revised from the July rate of 9.5 Development Neeley announced Ten- The August 2009 rate "Though unemploynessee's unemployment was 10.9 percent. The ment rates remain unrate for August was national unemployment usually high, August

NASHVILLE – Ten- 9.6 percent, down one- rate for August 2010 Commissioner tenth of a percentage was 9.6 percent, up James July rate of 9.7 percent. percent.

(see Rate pg. 9)

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Verse of the Day righteousness, But the LORD shall shall minister judg- Sr. endure for ever: he ment to the people

he Jack Heatherly Lefler, Highs in the low 90s.]

Wazzup

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Today: Mainly sunny. mid 60s.

Tonight: Lows in the Virgo 8/23-9/22 low 60s.

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(see More pg. 2)

Queen

was charged with DUI 4th offense.

According to records, Wednesday, around 11:07 AM, Officer Dennis Guider, LCPD was dispatched to Highway 321 and Simpson Road in reference to a suspicious

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person driving a maroon Ford Taurus. The officer got behind the vehicle on Highland Park Drive and followed it to the intersection of Highway 11. It made a right turn onto Highway 11, traveled about 100 feet and stopped in the middle of the road, causing a semi truck to come to an abrupt stop behind it. Officer

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Guider went around the semi with his emergency equipment on. The Taurus made a left turn onto Tinnel Lane and stopped at the intersection of Tinnel and Chrisman Road. The driver, Mr. Queen, jumped out of the car and walked back toward the police car.

Queen's clothing was wet from sweating and he was very talkative. The officer started administering field sobriety tasks but he couldn't finish the tasks for Queen's lack of concentration

and talking. He agreed to implied consent and submitted to a BAC at Fort Loudoun ER before going to jail.

Cun

Springs Road, Loudon, man reported to Deputy Mickey Patterson, LCSO he left his residence for a short time on Monday and when he returned home he found someone had kicked open the front door of his residence.

The man advised the suspect went inside and took his silver

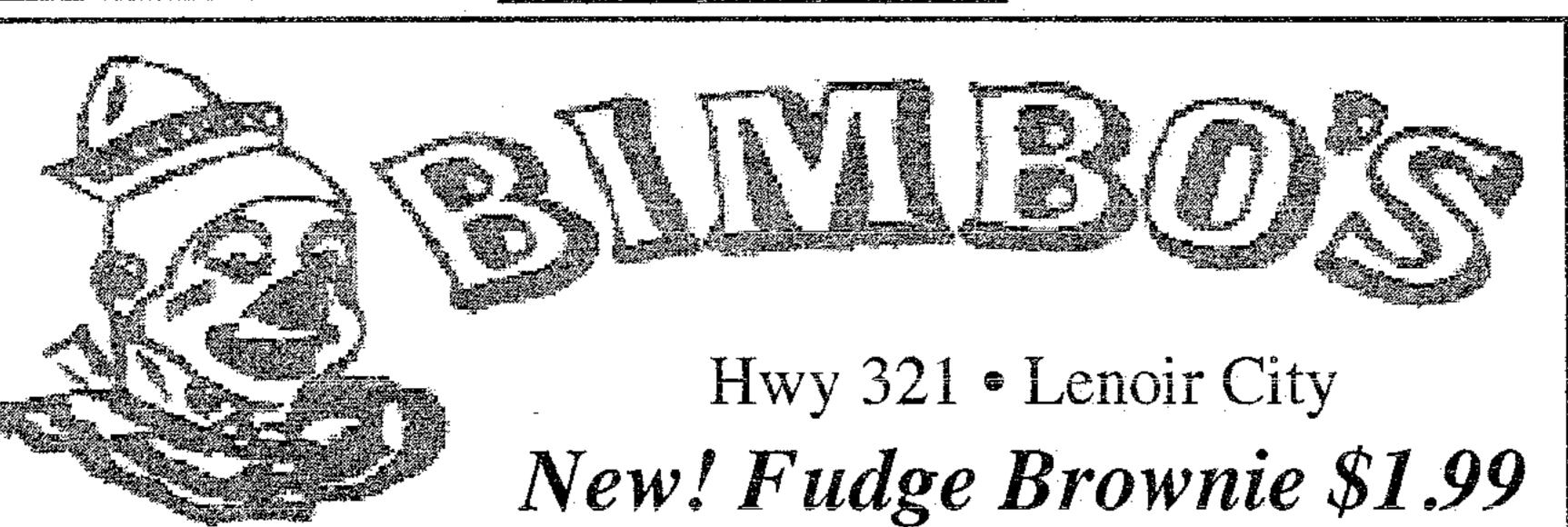
.380 automatic pistol off the night stand next to his bed, but he found nothing else missing.

The estimated value of the firearm was \$250. The investigation is ongoing.

Police Beat

Deloris Louise Cowart, 'aka' Matlock, 53, Beals Chapel Road, Lenoir City was charged on three worthless check warrants.

Deputy John Maples, LCSO served the warrants Tuesday, at the Loudon Conty Jail.



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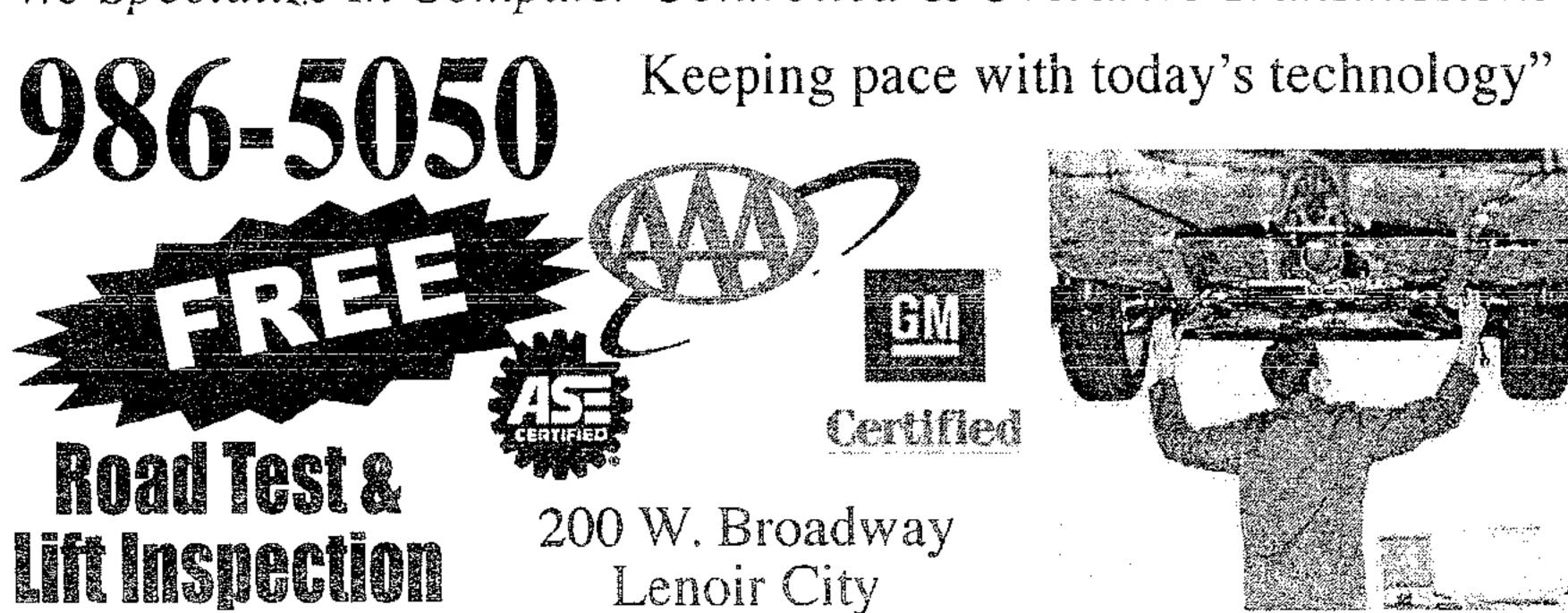
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Pitts

Highway 72. Upon ar-Patrol woman rival, Fainci, LFD April made contact with all parties involved identified one of them as Danny Pitts.

The officer reported she spoke with the male victim and all witnesses and discovered that during the altercation, Mr. Pitts went back to his vehicle and retrieved an axe handle, then went towards the victim in a threatening manner and told the him he was going to kill him.

Officer Farmer further reported she determined Mr. Pitts dis-

played a deadly weapon during the altercation and threatened the victim with bodily harm and placed him under arrest.

Police Beat

Roberto Rafael Perez, 31, unknown address, was charged with pub-

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lic intoxication.

According to reports, Monday, around 1:23 AM, Sgt. Joe Foster, LCPD was dispatched to a residence on West 4th Avenue in reference to an unwanted person.

Donations for little Adyson Cosner, 2 1/2 vr. old daughter of Detective Charles Cosner and Misty Cosner, can be taken to Foothills Federal Credit Union, 956 Mulberry Street, Loudon, Tn 37774. Account: Adyson's Journey C/O Charles and Misty Cosner.

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When the sgt. arrived, Mr. Perez had already left, walking through the back yard. The officer found him in the back alley.

Mr. Perez had a very strong odor of an alcoholic beverage about his breath and person,

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This years ride will benefit 2 1/2 year old Adyson Cosner, recently diagnosed with Leukemia. Adyson is the daugher of Charlie and Misty Cosner of Loudon.

The ride will take place at the fisherman's boat ramp across the dam off of Hwy 444 (Tellico Parkway).

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By this notice, Lenoir City Police Department is offering 10 DUI/Drug Seized Vehicles, City Vehicles and Equipment for Sale to the highest bid- in a property. on vehicles offered at auction. Auction will be held Saturday, October 2, 2010 lat 10:00 am.

Vehicles may be inspected prior to date of sale.

garding condition of vehicle. All sales will be for cash.

Auction will be held at the following:

Lenoir City Police Department 260 S. Grand Street Lenoir City, TN 37771

Further inquiries should be made to 865-986-2005.

4-wheeler

When he went outside the next day at 8:00 AM, the 4 wheeler was gone.

The 4 wheeler was described as a 2003 red Honda TRX650, valued at \$4000. The case is under investigation.

GPS

his Garmin GPS, valued at \$200, was taken from his unlocked vehicle on

der at public auction. LCUB is offering the only thing he noticed missing serves the right to reject any and all bids had another GPS taken from his ve-

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Lenoir City Utilities auction from 8:00 am - 10:00 am on Board will have a Workshop lin the Council Chambers of All sales will be final and As/Is re- City Hall located at 600 East Broadway, Lenoir City, Tennessee, on Monday, September 20, 2010, beginning at 3:00 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the new Gas Department rate structure.

hicle two weeks prior but didn't report it because he recovered it from a juvenile.

This is an ongoing investigation.

Police Beat

Adrian Seth Miles, 21, Highway 360, Vonore was charged with DUI 1st offense.

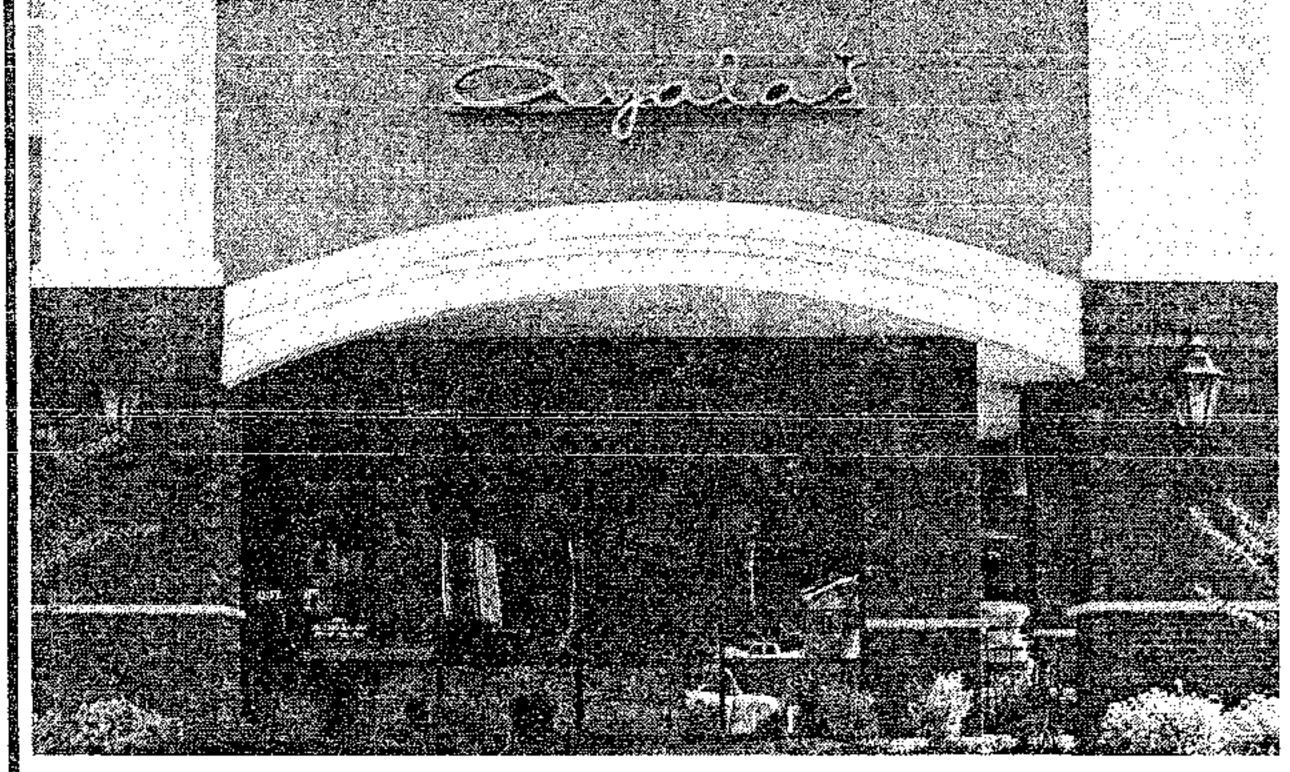
According to reports, Deputy Ron-Branam, LCSO noticed a blue Ford Thunderbird sitting in the parking lot of the Greenback Corner Market after closing time around 3:33 AM, Saturday. He pulled in to check the vehicle and found a white male laying on the ground in front of it, woke him up and asked him what he was doing.

The man, later iden-

tified as Adrian Miles, stated he was sleeping. He had been at Cancun Restaurant at Foothills Mall where he drank approximately 7 beers. The vehicle was still warm and had the keys in the ignition. Mr. Miles had a strong odor of an alcoholic bever age on his person, red watery eyes and was very unsteady on his feet. There was no one with him and he told Deputy Branam, he drove to that location.

Miles performed poorly on all field sobriety tasks and was taken into custody. While at the Loudon County Jail, Mr. Miles agreed to submit to a breath test to determine his alcohol content. His results were a .10% BAC.

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Truck

Morgan, stated he arrived at the residence at approximately 10:30 PM, Sunday and his bike was strapped in the bed of his truck. When he went to his truck Monday morning he discovered the bike was gone, as well as his CB radio, which had been unhooked but not removed. The door to his truck also was ajar.

The bike was described as a Specialized - light blue, black rims and forks. Total estimated value \$3600. The case has been turned over to an investigator.

Police Beat

Shawn Benjamin Allen, 19, Oohleena Way, Loudon was charged with simple possession.

According to reports,

Deputy Rondel Branam, LCSO observed a white Chrysler van traveling west on Highway 72 at a high rate of speed. Radar verified the vehicle's speed at 64 mph in a posted 45 mph zone. The deputy stopped the van in the parking lot of O'Riley's Auto Parts on Mulberry Street. The driver was identified as Shawn B. Allen by his Michigan drivers license.

Mr. Allen stated his drivers license was restricted for frequent traffic violations and he seemed very nervous. Dispatch advised Mr. Allen's license were restricted for prior drug offenses.

Deputy Branam asked and received consent to search the vehicle and discovered two small baggy's of a green leafy substance believed to be marijua-

na inside a CD case between the front seats.

Mr. Allen had a passenger in the van with him. He was identified as Steven Anthony Scott. Both Mr. Scott and Mr. Allen claimed ownership of the marijuana.

A pat down of Mr. Scott produced a clear glass pipe commonly used to smoke marijuana. The pipe had an odor of marijuana emitting from it.

Steven Anthony Scott, 20, Chatuga Lane, Loudon was charged with simple possession and possession of drug paraphernalia.

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Deputy Shaw, LCSO made the arrest at the Anderson County Jail Monday.

Eugenia Dawn Taylor, 28, Old Spears Road, Lenoir City was charged with failure to

appear.

Deputy Olwin Norman, LCSO made the arrest Wednesday.

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clined by 700; and arts, entertainment and recreation declined by 700 iobs.

Major Changes in Estimated Nonagricultural Employment

August 2009 to August 2010

Year-over-year creases occurred in professional and business services, up by 11,800; health care and social assistance gained 6,200; and retail trade was up by 4,500. Yearover-year decreases occurred in transportation and warehousing, down

by 6,400; mining/construction lost 5,200; accommodation and food services decreased by 4,600.

Police Beat

Luther Scooter Smith, 19, Steekee Road, Loudon charged with driving on suspended license and criminal impersonation.

According to records, Officer Jamie Pistole, LPD observed the driver of a green Plymouth Breeze not wearing a seat belt while travelling on Grove Street in Loudon and stopped it on Harper Street. The driver stated he didn't have his license on him and advised his name Jonathan Kress with a date of birth of 11-7-1990.

Officer Pistole ran

the information through dispatch and was advised it wasn't on file through the state. The driver then said his license was at home and the officer followed him to his residence at Lake View Apartments on Grove Street.

The wallet couldn't be located and man finally disclosed his real name, Luther Scooter Smith with the same date of birth. With that information, dispatch advised Smith's license were suspended and there was a warrant for his arrest in Loudon County for passing a bad check.

Upon receiving the information, Officer Pistole placed Smith under arrest. The warrant was served at the jail.

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