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Wednesday June 13, 2012

Man helps himself to property, sells stolen trailer on Craigslist

A Kingston man is accused of stealing a trailer from an asphalt company, then selling it and some of its contents and storing the rest at a residence on Matlock Road.

Eric Christopher Wolf, 40, Farmer Road, Kingston was charged with theft over \$10,000.

According to an affidavit filed by Investigator Jason R. Smith, LCSO-CID; on June 6, 2012, Mr. Brian Wilson of Professional Asphalt Sealing and Maintenance reported to the Knox County

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Wolf

Local man tries, but can't outrun LCSO, KCSO, helicopter

A local man racked up a slew of charges after led local and neighboring authorities, including Knox County Air Watch, on a chase after Deputy Chris Bowen and fellow lawman went a Martel Road residence to pick him up on outstanding warrants.

Christopher Charles Watson, 26, Martel Road, Lenoir City was charged with evading arrest, resisting stop, frisk, halt, search or arrest, and theft under \$500.

According to reports, Deputy Chris Bowen, LCSO was advised

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Watson

Verse of the Day

People who want to get rich fall into temptation and a trap and into many foolish and harmful desires that plunge men into ruin and destruction. — 1 Timothy 6:9

Obituaries

Johnny Lee "Blue" Brewer

Larry Joe Wiggins

William Harrison Jones
Clarence Elbert Raby

Wazzup

Be sure to check out Good Fellas Tobacco & Beer Outlet on Highway 72 in Loudon; Jay said come on down and get your smokes, or milk and bread right at his drive

thru window without having to leave the comfort of your vehicle!

Weather

Today: Mostly sunny. Highs in the mid 80s. Northeast winds 5 to 10 mph.

Tonight: Mostly clear. Lows around 60. Northeast winds 10 mph or less.

Thursday: Mostly sunny. Highs in

the mid 80s. East winds 10 mph or less in the morning becoming light and variable. Lows in the mid 60s.

Horoscopes

Gemini 5/21-6/21

You need to consider the changes you want to see in your life -- and how to bring them about.

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Man charged with burglary while in jail for PI

A Lenoir City man was taken to jail after he reportedly went to confront another man about a cell phone after he had been drinking alcohol. He was charged the following day with aggravated burglary when Detective Jonathan Sartin went to the jail to serve him with a warrant stemming from an incident that occurred on late May.

Joshua Lynn Ferguson

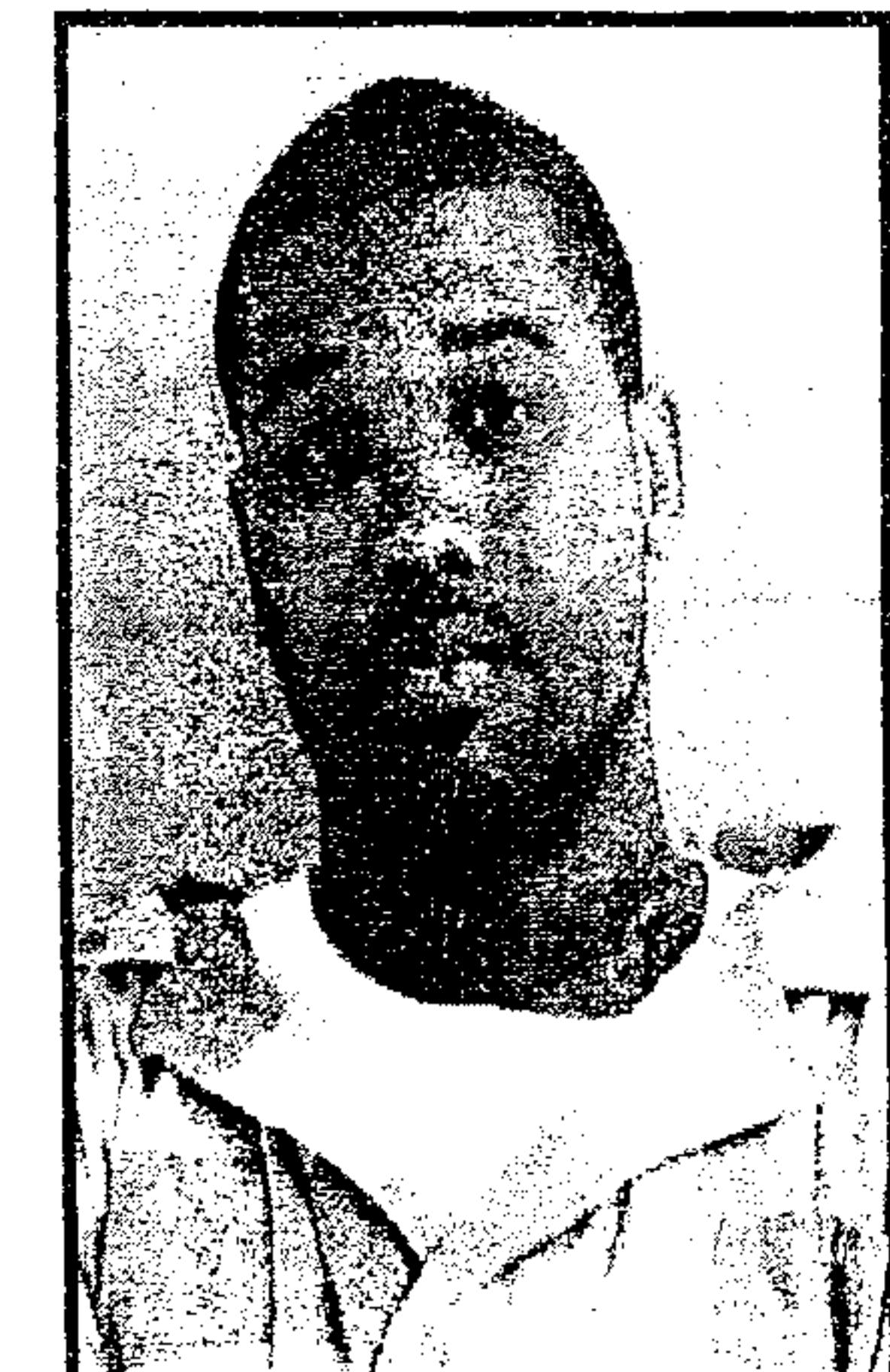


Ferguson

Motorcycle chase ends at River Manor

An Alcoa man led police on a high speed chase to a Lenoir City apartment complex when Investigator Jason Butler tried to stop his motorcycle for running a red light Saturday.

Eric Curtis Henry, Jr., 29, Hamilton Street, Alcoa was charged with felony evading arrest, reckless driving and speeding.



Henry

Jailed

Christopher C. Watson was at a residence on Martel Road Wednesday, around 2:28 PM, and having active warrants out of Knox and Loudon Counties for

Watson's arrest, he responded to the residence.

Deputies Bowen, Williams and Tinnell approached the house, with Deputy Bowen at the front door and Wil-

liams and Tinnell at the rear of the residence. Bowen knocked on the front door and reported he heard movement in a room to his right in the front of the residence before he heard loud

verbal commands from the rear of the residence for Mr. Watson to stop.

Watson continued on and exited the house through a window on the side of the residence and started running east towards Knox County.

Deputy Bowen gave chase on foot and gave loud verbal commands for Watson to stop, but he continued onto the railroad tracks, then left the tracks and ran into the woods where he crossed a field into another wooded area.

By that time, other Loudon County and Knox County Sheriff's Office units and the Knox County Air Watch Helicopter had responded to the area and had set up a perim-

eter. During the search of the area, Lt. Paul Curtis, LCSO made contact with Watson on Virtue Road and placed him into custody.

Deputy Bowen responded to the location and took custody of Watson then transported him to the Loudon County Jail.

On Thursday, Detective Jonathan Sartin, LCPD went to the jail to serve Watson the theft warrant.

According to that affidavit, on or about June 6, 2012, Mr. Watson went to Walmart where he took spark plugs and other items and walked out of the store past all points of sale without paying.

The total amount was \$18.37.

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Charged

guson, 'aka' Joshua Kerr, 28, Highway 321 South, Lenoir City, was charged with public intoxication and aggravated burglary.

According to reports, Deputy Brian Smith, LCSO responded to

6370 Industrial Park Drive Sunday night for a call of an argument and upon arriving found Joshua L. Ferguson hiding in the woods behind the apartments.

After Ferguson came out of the woods, Deputy Smith noticed a strong odor of alco-

hol coming from his person. When asked if he'd been drinking, Ferguson stated he'd had some beer and liquor. Mr. Ferguson also stated he had come to the apartments to confront another man about a phone and had been in an argument with the

man in the parking lot.

Mr. Ferguson was deemed a danger to himself and others and was placed under arrest.

On Monday, around 3:00 PM, Detective Jonathan Sartin, LCPD charged Mr. Ferguson charged with aggravated burglary.

According to the de-

tective's affidavit; on or about May 31, 2012, Joshua Ferguson went to a Kelly Lane apartment and the victim wouldn't let him in so he kicked the door completely off the hinges, went upstairs and got into an argument with the victim he slung the door back and hit her with it.



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According to affidavits; Investigator Jason Butler, LCPD observed Eric Curtis Henry, Jr.,

driving a black Suzuki GSXR 1000 motorcycle Saturday, around 11:08 PM. He was traveling south on Highway 321 near McGhee Bou-

levard and ran the red light at the intersection of 321 and McGhee Boulevard, at which point Investigator Butler activated his emer-

gency equipment.

Henry refused to stop and then traveled west on Broadway at speeds exceeding 80 mph in a 30 mph zone. Butler followed the speeding motorcycle to River Manor Apartments in Lenoir City where he placed Mr. Henry, Jr. under arrest.

Police Beat
Joey Lee Roberts, 45,

Pond Road, Sweetwater was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Charles E. Huskin, LCSO made the arrest.

Steven Ray "Opy" Tallent, 39, Mayfield Lane, Maryville was charged with violation of probation.

Corporal John Wilson, LCSO made the arrest.

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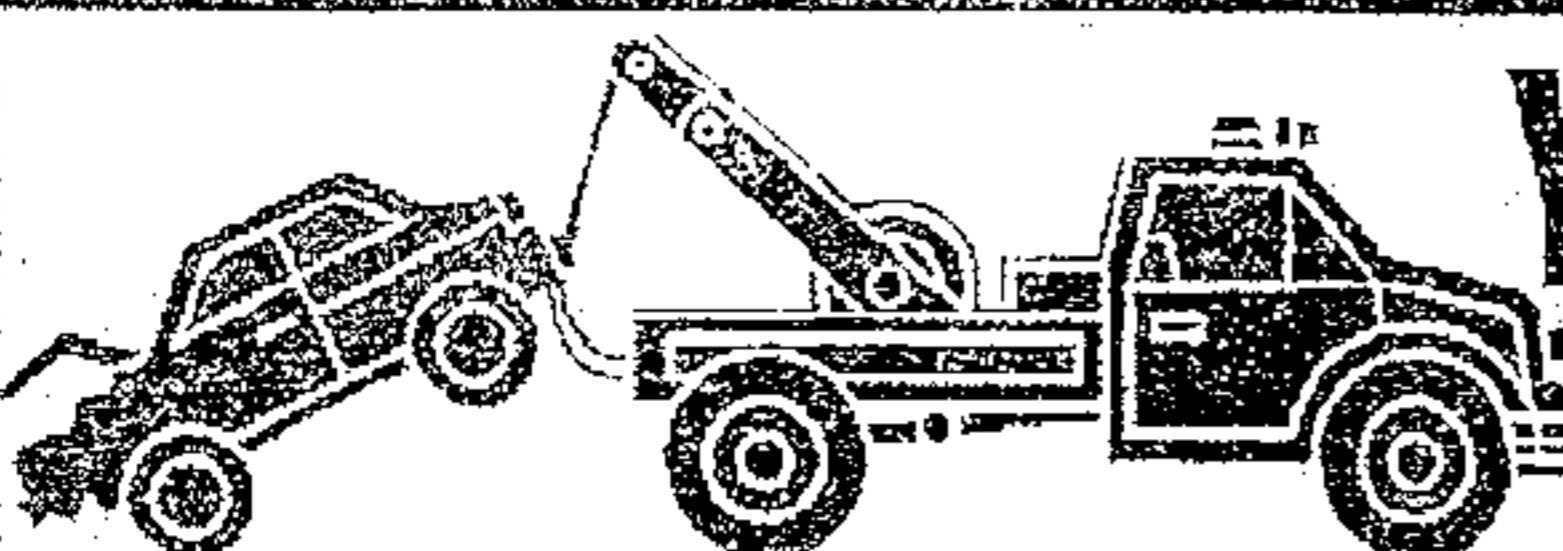
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Busted

Sheriff's Office a trailer containing equipment was stolen. The total value was approximately \$45,000.

Mr. Wilson reported he had learned a subject was attempting to sell items which matched the description of the items he had stolen and they included motorized sprayers and paint. The subject identified himself as Eric Wolf

and asked Wilson to meet him at Bimbos in Lenoir City so he could take them to the items.

Detective Charles Cosner, LCSO-CID and Investigator Smith followed Eric Wolf and Mr. Wilson as he took them to 2315 Matlock Road. Mr. Wilson identified the items as his.

The trailer was not located.

The resident at the address stated Wolf had left the items there and

he left a note stating he would be back to get the trailer. Mr. Wolf admitted he left the items there and had worked on the engines.

Investigator Smith asked Mr. Wolf how he had acquired the items and he said he was buying the items for \$300. Mr. Wolf could not provide any detail on where, when or from

whom he purchased the items.

Mr. Wolf in a recorded interview after having been read his rights stated he'd sold the trailer to a subject after he placed it on Craigslist. The man was located and he advised he purchased the trailer for \$1425.

Investigator Smith made the arrest Friday, at the Loudon County Jail.

Police Beat

Jerry Alan Palmer, 47, Spears Road, Friendsville was charged with driving on suspended license second offense.

According to records, Deputy T.J. Scarbrough, LCSO was dispatched to the area of Shaw Ferry Road at Highway 11 in reference to an individual who had stolen property from

Roane County.

Deputy Scarbrough and Corporal Pete McGinley, LCSO got out with a primer colored Chevy pick up truck and identified the driver as Jerry A. Palmer.

Mr. Palmer stated he didn't have any identification with him and a check through NCIC revealed his license was suspended for failure to satisfy a citation.

Mr. Palmer was transported to the Loudon County Jail and duly charged.

Heather Marie Farr, 'aka' Heather Marie Johnson, 34, Poplar Creek Road, Oliver Springs was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Daniel Ferguson, LCSO, made the arrest at the Anderson County Jail.

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