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Friday, September 14, 2007

Reckless driver nabbed in McGhee Square

A resident of McGhee Square Apartments was apprehended just outside her apartment after authorities received calls of a reckless driver.

Upon arrival Officer Mark Maxwell, LCPD noticed the suspect vehicle parked halfway on the grass and halfway on the pavement. It was noticed Kelly Marie

(see Jones pg. 3)



Kelly Marie Jones

Deadbeat tattoo artist charged with stealing tattoo kit

A man who still owes money in Lenoir City has been apprehended and charged with the theft of a tattoo kit. Detective Jack Fine, LCPD, apprehended the self-proclaimed tattoo artist at the Econolodge in Knoxville.

Michael D. "Tattoo" Ross, 44, was charged with theft over \$500.

According to the warrant,

(see Ross pg. 4)

Rifle stolen

When a local man went to get his rifle Wednesday he discovered someone had stolen it from his home.

(see Rifle pg. 8)



Michael D. "Tattoo" Ross

DUI of pills

A local woman was jailed following a crash in which she reportedly was under the influence of numerous

(see DUI pg. 6)

A local woman who is incarcerated in the Loudon County Jail received drug charges after a search revealed pills in her bunk.

Melody Leanne Wiggins, 28, of Steekee School Road, Loudon, was charged with introduction of drugs into penal facility and poss. of sch. IV.

According to the warrants, on July 18, 2007 a

(see Wiggins pg. 8)



Melody Leanne Wiggins

Burglar re-locks doors after theft

Police were called to investigate the burglary of a local man's residence Tuesday after he returned

home to find someone had stolen several items and all his were doors locked like they should have been.

(see Burglar pg. 6)

Young man charged in connection with runaway female

A young Lenoir City man was jailed after he reportedly was found in the presence of a juvenile female who left a

friend's residence to be with him, even though she wasn't supposed to be. She then reportedly failed to return

(see Charged pg. 7)

THP gets illegal citizen wanted by feds

A THP officer arrested a Georgia man for several traffic violations and discovered the man was an illegal

citizen of the United States and is wanted on a federal charge.

Juan Juarez, 22, of Tuck-

(see Juarez pg. 9)

Verse of the day

And ye shall teach them your children, speaking of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.

Deuteronomy 11:19

Obituaries

Ernest "Rudy" McConnell

Weather:

Today: Showers and thundershowers likely. High 82.

Tonight: Low around 62.

Saturday: Morning clouds followed by afternoon sun.

Highs: mid 70s; Lows: Low 50s.

Sunday: Abundant sunshine. Highs: low 80s; Lows: upper 50s.

Wazzup

Good luck on your marathon this weekend, Susan Harrison!

Horoscopes

Virgo

(Aug 24-Sep 23)

Take a big step away from your normal routines today and make a scene of some kind. It doesn't have to be a tantrum -- it could

(see Horoscopes pg. 2)

Jones

Jones had gotten into the passenger's seat with the vehicle still running. Jones got out of the Chrysler LHS and she was unsteady on her feet, had a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage on her person and slurred speech.

According to three different witnesses Jones drove the ve-

hicle in a reckless manner, putting other people in danger and fear. The witnesses reported Jones nearly hit a person walking through the parking lot.

No sobriety tasks were given due to the fact Jones became very belligerent and would not comply with officer's commands. Jones was

very combative in and out of the patrol car and had to be restrained. Jones was also found to have a suspended license.

Kelly Marie Jones, 22, of Kelly Lane, Lenoir City, was charged with DUI, resisting arrest, reckless endangerment, implied consent and driving on suspended. Officer Mark Max-

well, LCPD made the arrest.

Police Beat

Norman Mason McQueen, 46, of Ferry St., Loudon, was charged with DUI 2nd.

According to the report, Officer Bennie Houser, LPD was dispatched to a suspicious vehicle. The

officer found the vehicle and stopped it. The driver was Mr. McQueen II.

Mr. McQueen gave the officer a Nevada license and stated he was on his way home. McQueen had a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage on his person and was unsteady on his feet. Officer Bennie Houser, LPD made the arrest.

Audra Denise Morton, 23, of Hotal Avenue, Knoxville, was charged with 2nd failure to appear on revoked license charge.

Corporal Kami Galaba, LCSD made the arrest.

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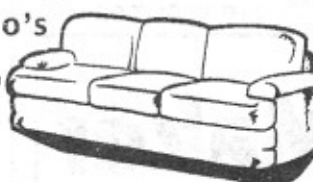
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Ross

filed by Detective Jack Fine, LCPD; on the 5th day of September 2007 at approximately 12:15 p.m. Michael D. Ross Sr. was in possession of stolen property, that being one Big Joe Kaplan Transformer, one foot pedal and two tattoo guns belonging to Mike Sullivan, without the effective consent of

Mr. Sullivan, with the intent to deprive the true owner thereof. Ross took the stolen property to the Atomic Pawn and pawned the items for \$40.

The total value of the items is \$1150. Detective Jack Fine, LCPD made the arrest.

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Obituaries

Ernest Rudolph "Rudy" McConnell, age 85, passed away, Tuesday, September 11, 2007 on his 59th wedding anniversary. He resided at Loudon Healthcare Center and formerly lived in Rossville, Georgia. Rudy served with U.S. Coast Guard during WWII and was retired from DuPont. He was preceded in death by: his parents, Walter Ernest and Laura Emma Creech McConnell; his brother, Robert Ralph "Bobby" McConnell, Sr.; his sister, Wanda Riddle; and brother-in-law, Turner Riddle. Rudy is survived by his wife of 59 years, Christine "Pat" Neeley McConnell; sister-in-law, Frankie S. McConnell, Titusville, Florida; sister-in-law, Ella Ruth Ryan, Lenoir City; nieces & nephews: Robert R. McConnell, Jr. and wife Kathleen, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania; Jennifer L. McConnell Henry and husband William, Doylestown, Pennsylvania; Patrick Scott McConnell and wife Gina, Apex, North Carolina; Steven Riddle and wife Kathleen, North Carolina; Mary Laura Riddle Rambo and husband Hugh, Atlanta, Georgia; and Janet Ann Riddle Cooper and husband George, Wyoming; many great-nieces and great-nephew and friends. Special thanks to caregivers, Faye and Bill Packett, Antioch, Tennessee and Ken and Mary Dutton, Lenoir City. The family will receive friends 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Click Funeral Home. Graveside services will be held Friday at 2:00 p.m. in Lakeview Cemetery with the Rev. George Seay officiating. Click Funeral Home, 109 Walnut Street, Lenoir City is serving the McConnell family.

Burglar

According to reports, Michael Qualls, Caldwell Road, told

Deputy Michael Watkins, LCSD, he and his son returned home to find the front door locked, but with the appearance of having been jimmied. He also said he always keeps the master bedroom locked, and although he found the door locked he entered the bedroom to find three of his shotguns missing from his gun cabinet. The gun cabinet had also been locked back.

Records indicate further items taken from the residence included two full coffee cans of change and a Cannon Power Shot digital camera.

The shotguns were described as a 12 gauge 18" Remington Model 870 with a wood stock, a 12 gauge Mossberg single-shot with break-open wood stock and a 20 gauge auto long barrel that Qualls advised he didn't know the brand of.

The value of the loss was unknown at the time of the report.

DUI

medications.

Kimberly H. Lee, 43, of Cusick Lane, Lenoir City, was charged with DUI.

According to the report, Ms. Lee was the driver of a car that was involved in a crash. She advised she was on a number of medications and had taken Ambien the night before.

Trooper SF Holcomb III, THP reported Ms. Lee appeared

intoxicated and did not remember the crash. Ms. Lee was taken to the ER for a blood test and then transported to the jail. Trooper SF Holcomb III, THP made the arrest.

Police Beat

Justin Allen McKee, 24, of Burdett Road, Sweetwater, was charged with DUI, poss. of sch. VI and contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

According to the report, Officer Brendan Deboer, LPD observed a white vehicle speeding 45 m.p.h.

in a 30 m.p.h. zone and stopped it. The driver, Mr. McKee and the passenger Tracy Bugenhagen were in the vehicle.

McKee appeared very nervous and his pupils were dilated. At that time the officer asked McKee to exit the vehicle and asked if there was anything illegal in the vehicle and McKee stated no and gave the officer permission to search.

The officer found a green leafy substance believed to be marijuana on the floorboard and 2 more

marijuana cigarettes between the seats.

Mr. McKee admitted to smoking marijuana that evening with the female passenger.

Freddy Garcia, 21, of 5th Avenue, Lenoir City, was charged with driving without a license. According to the report, Garcia was stopped for loud music and found to be unlicensed.

Officer Jason Butler, LCPD made the arrest.

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Charged

home and was listed as a runaway.

Jonathan Wade Smallen, aka Jon Jon, 20, of Ash Av-

enue, Lenoir City was charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

According to the report, Deputy Chris Bowen, LCSD was

dispatched to CVS to a report of a runaway juvenile. Upon arrival the officer spoke to the mother who stated she had taken her juvenile daughter to work at CVS in Farragut. Her daughter was then to spend the night with a friend.

The woman reported her daughter phoned her from the residence she was going to at approximately 11:20 p.m. on 9-1. The woman then received another call at approximately 2:30 a.m. stating that her daughter was at Ash Trailer Park with a Mr. Jonathan Wade Smallen in an argument.

By the time LCPD arrived both individuals were gone. Since this time the juvenile

has been in the company of Mr. Smallen and has not returned home. The mother also stated the juvenile was not to be around Mr. Smallen.

The juvenile was entered as a runaway. Deputy Shane Ezell, LCSD made the arrest.

Police Beat

Michael Allen Stanislawski, 43, of Jackson Bend Road, Lenoir City, was charged with public intoxication.

According to the report, Deputy Daniel Kelly, LCSD was dispatched to an unwanted person at a residence. Upon arrival the officer found Stanislawski staggering outside on the porch, loading items

into his vehicle.

The officer spoke with the complainant who stated Michael was extremely intoxicated and was told to get his stuff and leave. Michael did not have a license and was charged with public intoxication. Deputy Daniel Kelly LCSD made the arrest.

Julio Jesiel Pineda, 19, of W. 1st avenue, Lenoir City, was charged with no driver license.

According to the report, Lt. Gillis Morgan, LCPD stopped Pineda for failing to stop for a stop sign on McGhee Blvd and Rock Springs. He was found to have no license.

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Wiggins

cell search was done in the female block of the jail. While searching inmate Wiggins' bunk a bag of tobacco was found.

Another female inmate advised there were xanax's in the bag and upon further investigation a blue tablet was found and identified as xanax.

After it was sent to the lab it was determined to alprazolam, a schedule IV narcotic. Deputy Brad Rayfield, LCSD made the arrest.

Rifle

Investigator Chris White, LCSD, wrote that he spoke with Dustin Thomas of Watkins Road, Loudon, who advised he discovered his Marlin .22 Mag with Bushnell scope missing when he went to get it and said there had been no signs of forced entry, nor had he found

any other items missing from his home.

Thomas further reported he did not know when the weapon was stolen. The value of the loss was unknown.

Police Beat

Terrance Brandon Brown, 31, of Old Hwy 95, Lenoir City, was charged with assault by domestic violence.

According to the report, Corporal Pete McGinley, LCSD responded to a domestic call and upon arrival spoke to both parties.

The victim stated Terrance Brown came into the apartment yelling at her and the kids. During the altercation the victim stated Mr. Brown banged her head into the wall and then threw her into another wall.

The victim had scrapes and carpet burn on her left and

right arm. No alcohol was involved in this incident.

Mr. Brown stated he did push the victim out of his way. Corporal Pete McGinley, LCSD made the arrest.

Joseph Michael D Stump, 28, of W. 2nd Avenue, Lenoir City was charged with public intoxication, poss. of sch. VI and poss. of drug paraphernalia.

According to the report, Officer Mark Maxwell, LCPD was responding to assist Officer O'dell on a fight call and when approaching the area Stump ran across the road in front of the officer's patrol car.

Stump was found hiding in the bushes and had a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage on his person. He also had a green box with a green leafy substance believed to be marijuana and a pipe in his possession. Officer Mark Maxwell, LCPD made the arrest.

Darno Rodriguez,

21, of Maremont Parkway, Loudon, was charged with driving on revoked.

According to the report, LPD received a call of a possible drunk driver in a black vehicle. Officer Blake Norman LPD clocked the suspect vehicle at 42 m.p.h. in a 30 m.p.h. zone and stopped it.

Rodriguez was found to have a re-

voked license. Officer Blake Norman, LPD made the arrest.

Matthew Chad Berry, 24, of Ash Avenue, Lenoir City, was charged with VOP for failure to appear on shoplifting.

Sgt. Joe Foster, LCPD made the arrest.

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Juarez

er, GA, was charged with being unlicensed, speeding and expired insurance.

According to the report, Trooper Carey Hixson, THP stopped a vehicle for speeding 87 m.p.h. in a 65 m.p.h. zone on I-75. The driver, Juan Juarez was found to be an illegal resident of this country and also to be unlicensed.

A K-9 alerted on the

vehicle but the search was negative. Juarez also has a federal warrant for his arrest as well. Trooper Carey Hixson, THP made the arrest.

Police Beat

Christopher Lynn Arwood, 30, of W. 1st Avenue, Lenoir City was charged with failure to appear.

Officer Josh O'Dell, LCPD made the arrest after responding to a disturbance call and

made contact with Arwood who had an active warrant for FTA.

Juan Aguilera Zavala, 27, of D Street, Lenoir City, was charged with public intoxication.

According to the report, Officer Mike Hodges, LCPD was dispatched to a disturbance call on D St.

Upon arrival he found Zavala walking in the middle of the

street and he had a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage on his person and was unsteady on his feet. Officer Mike Hodges, LCPD made the arrest.

Cletis McCurry, 40, was charged with viol. of community corrections.

According to the affidavit, McCurry was

convicted of DORL, DUI 5th, and reckless endangerment and sentenced to community corrections for 4 years.

Since then he has failed to report for over 30 days and failed to pay costs, fines and fees as scheduled.

Sgt. Jeff Russell, LCSD made the arrest.

Betty Sue Givens, aka Ward, Robinson, 44, of Wilson Road, Lenoir City was charged with a capias out of general session because she failed to appear for a deposition scheduled before the court and failed to appear on two other occasions as well.

Corporal Chad Estes, LCSD made the arrest.

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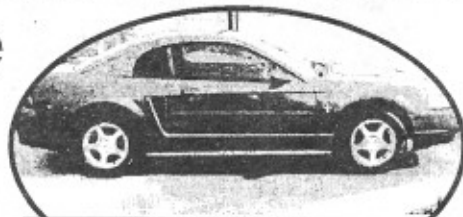
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