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Tuesday, September 16, 2008

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Detective Charles Cosner, LCSD Criminal Investigation Division (CID) filed charges against the janitor at Greenback High School after a report was filed by a juvenile at the school.

According to the warrant, on or about September 10, 2008 a female juvenile witness made an official state-

(see Wilson pg. 4)



GB janitor charged with Funeral home patriarch passes

> Co-founder and Click Funeral Home patriarch Glenn Click has passed away.

> Click Funeral Home was established in 1965 by Glenn Click and his wife Polly with a dream, a prayer, and a commitment from the family to lots of hard work. Born in Monroe County, Glenn Click was raised on a farm, but

(see Patriarch pg. 3)



Glenn D. Click

Mom & son charged with assaulting each other





(see Charged pg. 7)

5th DUI and 6th Revoked for Ldn man

A Loudon man was charged with his fifth DUI after a concerned citizen alerted police he was driving under the influence of alcohol and his young child in the vehicle with him.

According to the report, Officer Jonathan Yates, LPD received a call from dispatch advising that a white van was leaving West Lee Hwy with Ryan St. Pierre driving. The complainant

(see St. Pierre pg. 6)



Verse of the day

Many waters cannot quench love, neither can the floods drown it: if a man would give all the substance of his house for love, it would utterly be contemned.

Solomon 8:7 Obituaries

Glenn D. Click

Ruby Tuck Wheat

Weather:

Today: Cloudy with a few showers. High 77. COR: 30%.

Tonight: A few clouds from time to time. Low near 60. Wednesday: Times of sun & clouds. Highs in the low 80s and lows in the low 60s.

Wazzup

A special THANK YOU to Jerry Seay & Wanda Potter for all your help. -The Dotson Family

Horoscopes Virgo

(Aug 24-Sep 23)

Listen carefully when people come to you with new plans today -- at least one of them is a sure-fire winner, even though it may seem like a big loser on its face. Your open mind could save the day!

(see Horoscopes pg. 2)

Local gets DUI, more

Police arrested a local man on multiple charges after stopping his vehicle for a light law violation and finding he reportedly was under the influence of alcohol. He reportedly also had a handgun within his reach.

Jerry Lee Roach, 26, of

(see Roach pg. 2)

Obituaries

Glenn D. Click, age 80, of Lenoir City passed away suddenly Saturday afternoon, September 13, 2008. Glenn was a member of Central United Methodist Church for over 50 years. He and his wife Polly, founded Click Funeral Home in 1965. Glenn was a graduate of McMinn County High School and John A. Gupton School of Mortuary Science. He was a 60 year member of the Tennessee Funeral Directors Association. Glenn was a member of Avery Masonic Lodge #593 F&AM, Tipton Green Council, York and Scottish Rite Bodies, Eastern Star and Kerbela Temple. His son, Stevie Click; parents, A.L. (Fate) and Mattie Bryant Click; sister, Ruth Click Brown; brothers, Jimmy and J.D. Click, preceded him in death. He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Polly McCosh Click; daughter and son-in-law, Glenda and Dewayne McNabb of Lenoir City; sons and daughters-in-law, Rev. Eddie and Bobbye Carol Click of Lenoir City, Tim and Karen Click all of Lenoir City; Larry and Jan Click of Farragut; grandchildren, Missy Click Mason and husband Matt of Asheboro, NC, Chris Click and wife Dawn of Lenoir City, Betsy Click Junot and husband

Jason of Lenoir City; Rachel Click Wilson and husband Davy of Salisbury, NC, Farrell Click Oliver and husband Matt of Johnson City. Jordan McNabb and wife Mindi of Atlanta, GA, Josh McNabb of Lenoir City, Jason Click, Emmah Click and Atley Click all of Lenoir City: great grandchildren, Cory, Kaitlyn and Noah Mason. Amber, Gracie and Hunter Click, Jackson Junot; sister, Louise Liles of Lenoir City: brothers and sisters-in-law. Tom and Helen Click of Maryville, Margaret Click of Maryville and Ouida Click of Lenoir City; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Raymond and Helen McCosh of Ocala, FL, Wendell and Edith McCosh of Richmond, VA, Margaret and O. B. Cobble of Niota, Joyce and Don Burns of Whittier. NC, Pat and Bobby Mullis of Ft. Oglethorpe, GA, Doug and Nancy McCosh of Carrollton, GA; several nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends after 12 Noon on Monday and Tuesday at Click Funeral Home in Lenoir City. A Celebration of Life will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday at Central United Methodist Church with Rev. Ron Fisher and Rev. Dick DeMerchant officiating. Funeral directors will serve as honorary pall bearers.

A private interment will be in Lake View Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Central United Methodist Church Bldg. Fund, 301 Hickory Creek Road, Lenoir City, TN 37771 or to Highland Park Baptist Church, 4333 Hwy. 11 East, Lenoir City, TN 37772. Click Funeral Home, 109 Walnut Street, Lenoir City is serving the Click Family.

Click Family. Ruby Tuck Wheat, age 88 of Lenoir City left this world on Sunday, September14. 2008 at the Baptist Health Care Center in Lenoir City. She was born May 11, 1920. Ruby was a member of Sixth Avenue Church of God. She was retired from Eaton Yale and Towne in 1981. Her husband, James D. Wheat; son, James Ray Wheat; daughters, Dortha Sue Sheffield and husband, Lester R. Sheffield, and Jo Ann Stamey and husband. Terry Stamey; grandson, Dale R. Sheffield; parents, Charles Ray Tuck and Verla May Crisp Tuck; brother, Archie Ray Tuck and half brother. W. F. Vaughn, preceded her in death. She is survived by her sons, Glenn A. Wheat and wife, Mary Lee Wheat, Jerry L. Wheat and wife, Christina D. Wheat, Billy C. Wheat and wife, Fran O. Wheat; sister. Pearl Moore: sisterin-law, Margaret Vaughn; 10 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren; special

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friend, Connie P. Wheat. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Click Funeral Home in Lenoir City. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Click Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Ernie Varner and Rev. A.J. Crawford officiating. Interment will follow in the Lakeview Cemetery. Click Funeral Home, 109 Walnut Street, Lenoir City is serving the Wheat family.

Patriarch

became interested in the funeral business while attending McMinn County High School. Evans Funeral Home was located near the high school. Through his association with its owner, Glenn found not only his career path, but his calling. After high school graduation, Glenn attended the John A. Gupton School of Mortuary Science in Nashville. There he met and married Polly Mc-Cosh who was attending Treveca College. After his graduation from Gupton's in 1949, Glen moved to Lenoir City to work for Guy F. Tallent Funeral Home.

During the sixteen year tenure at Tallent, Glenn and Polly learned the funeral business and had their family of three boys and a girl, Eddie, Stevie, Larry, and Glenda. After Mr. Tallent's retirement in 1965, the funeral home was sold to Cecil Karnes of Quinn and Karnes Funeral Home in Loudon. At this time, Glenn and Polly made a courageous decision to start their own business. Their lack of financial assets was outweighed by their strong faith and tremendous commitment to hard work and service. Unlike the conventional marketing techniques seen today,

Polly and Glenn took to the streets, going door to door, to make personal contact with the people of Lenoir City. They introduced themselves, their new business, and shared their genuine desire to serve the needs of each family who would put their trust in them. From this simple and honest pledge, Click Funeral Home was born.

The original location of Click Funeral Home was 900 East Broadway. which is the present day site of Broadway Florist. When Walnut Street Elementary School was closed in 1972, Polly and Glenn made another bold decision to purchase the building and undertake the maior renovation needed. In 1973, the transformation was complete and Click Funeral Home moved into its present location at 109 Walnut Street with the family residing underneath.

Click Funeral Home has always operated as a family business. At its inception, Glenn called on his brothers J. D. and Jimmy Click to help operate the new, but fast growing business. It was during those years while the young business flourished, that Polly and Glenn faced "death" on another level with the loss of their son Stevie at the age of sixteen. A few months later their fifth son, Tim, was born, and brought new life to the family, while Stevie continued to live on in the hearts of everyone who knew him. As Polly and Glenn's children have literally grown up in the family business, it is no surprise that each of them have chosen the Funeral Home as their life's work.

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Wilson

ment to the Loudon County Sheriff's Department that she witnessed the janitor at Greenback High School, whom she identified as Kenneth Wilson, in the locker room kneeling on the floor beside her pocketbook. The pocketbook was open and \$10 was on the floor beside him.

In the statement the victim stated when Mr. Wilson saw her he got up and left the locker room.

Kenneth Lee Wilson, 38, of Old RR Bd. Road, Maryville, was charged with attempted theft un-

der \$500. Detective Charles Cosner. LCSD CID made the arrest and filed the charge.

Police Beat

Rhonda Lynnette Arwood, 37 of Blair Road, Loudon was charged with failure to appear on criminal trespassing and failure to appear on evading arrest.

Officer Nathan Wilson LCPD made the arrest

James Darvl Odomirok, 37, of Wesley Road, Lenoir City was charged with failure to appear.

Deputy Rob Lane, LCSD made the arrest.

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St. Pierre

advised dispatch that St. Pierre was intoxicated and had his child with him.

The officer made contact with the van after it pulled onto Hwy 11 and observed St. Pierre driving. The officer had prior knowledge St. Pierre has a revoked license for DUI.

Upon stopping the van St. Pierre produced an ID only card with DUI offender on it. A check through NCIC showed him to have a revoked license with 5 prior revoked convictions and 4 prior DUI convictions.

St. Pierre had his 6-year-old child in the

vehicle with him and had the odor of an intoxicating beverage on his person and stated he had been drinkina. He refused to do sobriety tasks and was unsteady on his feet.

St. Pierre refused a BAC test and refused to sign the form as well.

Rvan Kevin St. Pierre, 34, of Old Hollow Road, Loudon, was charged with DUI 5th offense and driving on revoked 6th offense. Officer Jonathan Yates, LPD made the arrest.

Police Beat

Jill Annette Coker. of West Lee Hwv. Philadelphia, was charged with violation

of probation.

According to the affidavit. Coker was convicted of DUI and jovriding and sentenced to probation for 11 months 29 days.

Since then she has failed to meet with probation officer; failed to pay costs/fines, owes \$3384.50; failed to pay probation fees, owes \$478.75; failed to respond to notices and has new charges for contempt and criminal impersonation.

Deputy John Wilson LCSD made the arrest.

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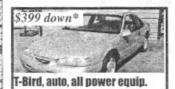
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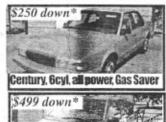


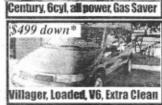
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Charged

Sgt. Brian Jenkins and Officer April Farmer, LPD answered a domestic call at the campground behind the Citgo on Hwy 72 in Loudon. The altercation was between Vaughn McNew and his mother.

According to statements from witnesses the mother started the original confrontation by poking and hitting Vaughn with a stick. Vaughn took the stick away from his mother then instead of stopping the confrontation by walking away he chose to begin hitting his mother with

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the same stick that she had been hitting him with.

Witnesses also stated that at some point Vaughn was choking his mother. Officer Farmer and Sgt. Jenkins determined there were two separate incidents and Vaughn was the primary aggressor in one of those.

The mother, Anita Louise McNew, according to the report, stated she was upset with her son Vaughn over some food in a freezer. She stated she waited with a wooden stick for her son, Vaughn to come home so she could confront him about the food.

When Vaughn arrived the witnesses stated Anita began to poke Vaughn with the stick and did strike him on the forehead with the stick.

Vaughn did have a red mark on his forehead.

Anita Louise Mc-New, 47, and Vaughn Raymond McNew, 19, both of Loudon were charged with aggravated assault by domestic violence. Officer April Farmer and Sgt. Brian Jenkins LPD made the arrests.

Police Beat

Robert Dennis Key, 40, of Riverview Road, Lenoir City, was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy John Wilson LCSD made the arrest.





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