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Friday/Monday, September 26/29, 2008

## Stolen property call leads to drug bust

According to the report, filed by Sgt. Brian Jenkins, LPD; he received a call in reference to a black or blue Isuzu coming into the City of Loudon on Steekee Street from the Piney area.

The anonymous caller advised the lady driving the vehicle had just dropped off stolen property and she had drugs in her possession.

The officer observed the  
(see Bowers pg. 3)



Christina Gail Bowers

## Vehicle break-in at city park

Police were called to Philadelphia City Park Sunday evening when two women discovered their property missing from their vehicle after another car was in the

(see Break-in pg. 11)

## Mower stolen

A Blue Springs Road man covered someone stole his lawn mower sometime during the night.

(see Mower pg. 4)

### Verse of the day

*Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.*

Joshua 1:9

### Obituaries

Margaret H. Franklin

June E. Bode

### Weather:

Today: Chance of showers. Highs in the low 70s.

Tonight: Lows in the mid

50s.

Saturday: Mostly cloudy. Highs in the upper 70s and lows in the mid 50s.

Sunday: Plenty of sun. Highs in the low 80s and lows in the mid 50s.

Monday: Sunny. Highs in the low 80s and lows in the mid 50s.

### Wazzup

Congratulations, Sgt. Gill Morgan, on 25 years (yes, that's a quarter of a century, folks) protecting & serving the citizens of Lenoir City!

(see Horoscopes pg. 2)

## East Tennesseans open hearts to victims of abuse

(see CAC pg. 9)



Hallerin Hilton Hill and Bill Williams, emcee

## Donation box stolen

A Loudon County man called police Friday when he discovered someone stole a donation box that was attached to his mailbox. According to reports, Deputy Craig Brewer, LCSD, responded to the call and

(see Stolen pg. 7)

## Home burglary

Police responded to a Greenback residence Thursday when a man returned home from work to find someone had broken into his residence. Deputy Brad Rayfield, LCSD, reported he spoke with Mike Klemet who advised he had come home from work to find a safety pin laying on the floor, but

(see Burglary pg. 8)

## Tennessee taxes: August

Nashville, - August 2008 collections of the Tennessee Department of Revenue were \$771,199,735, a decrease of \$38,045,859 or 4.7 percent from August 2007 collections.

Sales and use tax collections totaled \$564,579,666 a decrease of \$7,272,476 or

(see Collections pg. 6)

# Obituaries

**Margaret H. Franklin**, age 88 of Lenoir City, passed away Wednesday, September 24, 2008 at the Roane Medical Center. She was a member of Nelson Street Baptist Church in Lenoir City. Preceded in death by her husband, Silas J. Franklin; daughter, Barbara Jean Franklin; son, Silas Franklin, Jr.; 2 granddaughters and 1 grandson. Survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Margaret and Bill Crox of Lenoir City; several grandchildren and great grandchildren. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Hawkins Chapel, 102 B Street, Lenoir City. Family and friends will gather at 2 p.m. Friday in the Lenoir City Cemetery for graveside services with Rev. George Seay officiating. Hawkins Chapel, 102 B Street, Lenoir City is serving the Franklin family.

**June E. Bode**, age 88 of Tellico Village, Loudon, TN passed away on August 26, 2008. June was a member of the Tellico Village Community Church since 2003 when she and her husband, Calvin, who preceded her

in death, moved to the village from Lakeland, FL. June had been a resident of the Neighborhood at Tellico Village since spring, 2007. June is survived by her three children, sons: Larry Fritchley and wife Karen of Bloomington, MN, Ronald Fritchley and wife Sandra of Tellico Village and daughter Sheryl Ann Hanigan and husband George of Hallum, NE; June was also blessed with nine grandchildren; 18 great grandchildren and 4 great-great grandchildren; she is also survived by three stepsons: Dale Bode, Louis Bode and wife Ellen, and Ron Bode and wife Pamela, all of Waterloo, IL; additionally, there are six step grandchildren and nine step great grandchildren. A Celebration of Life will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, October 4th at Tellico Village Community Church with Dr. Tim Meadows and Rev. Marty Singley officiating. A reception will follow the service at the church. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made to Tellico Village Community Church Music Pro-

gram, 130 Chota Center, Loudon, TN 37774 or to The Friends of the Library at Tellico Village, 304 Lakeside Plaza, Loudon, TN 37774. Click Funeral Home, 109 Walnut Street, Lenoir City is serving the Bode family.

## Bowers

vehicle on Steekee Street. Officer Brendan Deboer, LPD was coming from the opposite direction. As the vehicle passed the officer clocked the vehicle at 34mph in a 30mph zone and was stopped by Sgt. Jenkins.

The driver was identified as Christina Gail Bowers and the officer noticed several pill bottles along with several hypodermic needles inside a soda bottle. Sgt. Jenkins asked for consent to search but she refused and Deputy Chris Jenkins, LCSD responded with his K9 partner who alerted to the presence of a narcotic odor coming from the vehicle. He put the dog inside the vehicle and

stated the K9 alerted to he center console area. When Sgt. Jenkins searched the area he discovered a spoon with a white powder residue in it, which appeared to have been burned on the bottom, which the Sgt. believes, was for intravenous drug use. Also in her purse was a pill crusher and oxycontin, which she has no prescription for. In the glove box the officer discovered a hypodermic needle syringe, which appeared to be loaded with some type of narcotic. Bowers stated the substance is oxycodone, which is also a schedule II narcotic.

Christina Gail Bowers, 37, of Old Hwy 95, Lenoir City, was charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of schedule II narcotics (oxycodone). Sgt. Brian Jenkins, LPD made the arrest.

## Police Beat

Tim Lee Brantley, 49, of Rio Vista Drive, Loudon, was charged with public intoxication.

According to the report, Officer Dewayne Williams, LPD noticed a subject staggering down Highland Avenue in Loudon.

Upon stopping the subject the officer noticed he had a strong odor of an alcoholic

beverage on his person and admitted to drinking. Officer Dewayne Williams, LPD made the arrest.

Manuel Lonnie Frase, 59, of Vineyard Road, Lenoir City was charged with driving on revoked 2nd.

According to the report, Officer B. Gentry LCPD stopped Frase for going through a red light.

A check showed Frase to have a revoked license for DUI and also had a prior revoked charge as well. Officer B. Gentry, LCPD made the arrest.

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## Mower

Deputy Daryl Smith, LCSD, reported he spoke with Clarence Green who said he'd gone to bed around 9:30 p.m. Friday and was not yet asleep when he heard a noise on his front porch.

Green reported he thought the noise was caused by his cats and he went to sleep without investigating.

The officer noted Green advised he discovered his lawn mower missing when he got up in the morning and after a look around his property called for police.

The missing mower was described as a red Murray 22" cut push mower with a 4 h.p. engine valued at \$200.

## Police Beat

Jeffery Scott Roberts, 31, of Wilson Station Road, was charged with 3rd failure to appear on VOP.

Deputy Ryan Grubb, LCSD made the arrest.

Troy Edward Cheatham, 28, of West 2nd avenue, Lenoir city was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Mike Williams, LCSD made the arrest.

**Hmmm...**

How important does a person have to be before they are considered assassinated instead of just murdered?

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## PUBLIC NOTICE Personnel Committee Meeting

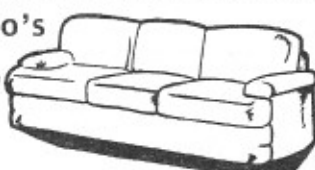
Lenoir City Personnel Committee will meet at City Hall in the small conference room on Monday, September 29, 2008, at 4:00 p.m. The purpose of the committee meeting will be to discuss/consider making recommendations to the full council on the following:

- Salary for City Recorder Post ion
- Support Staff for Codes Enforcement Office

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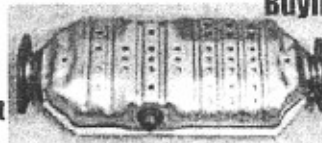
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## Stolen

reported he spoke with a 72 year old man who said he had checked a United Way donation box that was attached to his mail-

box with a chain on Thursday and then on Friday when his wife went to check the mail she noticed the chain had been cut and the box was missing.

The man advised he did not know if any donations, which could have included checks or cash, had been placed in the box since he last checked it.

## Police Beat

Nicholas Gerald Young, 18, of Bob Gray Road, Knoxville, was charged with failure to appear in compliance court. Deputy Kimber Littleton, LCSD made the arrest.

Matthew Justin Holtsclaw, 20, of Outlet Drive, Knoxville, was charged with 2 counts of failure to appear in Lenoir City Court. Officer Nathan Wilson, LCPD made the arrest.

## Sweet Potatoes Are at Their Peak

Fall and winter are the peak seasons for sweet potatoes—delicious vegetables packed with vitamins A and C, beta-carotene, folic acid and potassium.

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3 grams of fiber and just 160 calories, making it a good nutritional choice any time of year.

A sweet potato has a dark, orange skin and a vivid orange, sweet inside that cooks to a moist texture. When buying fresh sweet potatoes, choose those that are small to medium in size with smooth, unbruised skins.

Sweet potatoes are best stored in a dry, dark environment at about 55 degrees Fahrenheit. They will keep for up to three to four weeks.

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## Burglary

didn't think anything of it until he and his wife started noticing things missing.

Klemet reported several rings were taken from a jewelry box where he had earlier found the pin and a safe was missing. A Mossberg .12 gauge shotgun, black on black with a 26"-28" barrel and a vent rib barrel and side saddle carrier with shells in it also was missing.

The value of the loss was unknown at the time of the report. Several suspects were identified to police.

## No License

John Doe, was charged with DUI,

driving without a license and violation of implied consent.

According to the report, Officer B. Gentry LCPD was stopped by motorists and told of a possible intoxicated driver. The officer was able to get behind the vehicle and while following it observed the vehicle crossing over into the other lane of travel several times and stopped it.

The driver, a Hispanic male, had no identification, and refused tests. Officer B. Gentry LCPD made the arrest.

## Police Beat

Jamie Austen Anderson, 29, of Tellico St, Madisonville, was charged with driv-

ing on suspended, speeding and financial responsibility.

According to the report, Anderson was driving on Broadway and was stopped for speeding 50mph in a 30mph zone. She could not provide proof of insurance.

A check of Anderson's license showed them to be suspended for failure to satisfy a citation. Officer Dennis Guider, LCPD made the arrest.

Robert Dennis Key, 40, of Riverview Road, Lenoir City, was charged with a mittimus out of Lenoir City.

Officer Dennis Guider, LCPD made the arrest.

Joshua Jacob Earl Cole, 28, of Grove Street, Loudon was charged with failure to appear in compliance court.

Officer April Farmer LPD made the arrest.

## Stock Your Fall Pantry

For a nonperishable supply of fruit and vegetables this winter, buy canned and jarred varieties. They're great to have on hand for boosting your vegetable and fruit consumption and for convenience — especially when their fresh counterparts aren't in season.

Check the product's label for important in-

formation about canned goods:

\* For canned fruit, look for descriptions such as "packed in its own juices," "packed in fruit juice," "unsweetened," "in light syrup" or "in heavy syrup." Fruits packed in juices contain less added sugar and therefore fewer calories than fruits packed in syrup.

\* If you're cutting back on sodium, look for descriptions such as "no salt added" and "reduced sodium" on Nutrition Facts labels of canned vegetables.

For maximum flavor and nutritional value from canned foods, use the product immediately after opening it. Handle leftovers as you would any perishable food: Store in the refrigerator or freezer to retain taste and nutritional quality.

## Election Notice for Lenoir City Voters

In order to be eligible to vote in the Lenoir City election, a person must reside within the corporate limits of Lenoir City.

To establish a residence, a person must have physically lived at an address in the city with the intent to remain at that address. Under state law, the person may not be at the address solely for commercial purposes or for temporary purposes.

TCA 2-2-122

**NOTE: Making false statements on your Voter Registration Application is a felony.**

T.C.A. 2-19-109

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**Break-in**

area.  
According to reports, Deputy Jack Yokley, LCSD, was dispatched to the park where he spoke with Debbie and Janis Berry of Stalcup Road. The

women advised they were with the family at the children's area of the park for several hours by themselves and noticed a white four-door vehicle had stopped near theirs. A white male with dark curly hair and medium

build was standing next to the car and a short time later the vehicle left the area.  
Debbie reportedly said they left the play area and once at their vehicle she noticed her change purse containing about \$40 was missing.

Janis reported her purse was missing and advised it contained cash, personal documents, medication and other items.  
The officer noted the women advised they searched the area but were unable to find any of their property.

**Police Beat**

Haley Alysse Wiggins, 24, of W. 6th avenue, Lenoir City was charged with forgery of a prescription.  
According to the warrant, filed by Detective Jonathan Sartin, LCPD; on or about

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September 17, 2008  
Haley Wiggins went to Ft. Sanders Medical Center on Hwy 321 and was seen by the doctor in the emergency room. She was given a prescription for Percocet 5/325.  
Between leaving the hospital and going to Walgreens on Hwy 321 Haley changed the 5/325 to 7.5/325. This was done without the permission or knowledge of the doctor. Detective Jonathan Sartin, LCPD filed the charges and made the arrest.  
Eric Leigh Abney, 22, of Edith Lane, Lenoir City, was charged with three mittimus out of Lenoir City.  
Officer B. Gentry LCPD made the arrest.

**Shopping for 1**  
If you are a single-person household, you can maximize your food dollars at the grocery store.  
\* Buy frozen vegetables and fruit in bags so you can take out what you need and freeze the rest.  
\* Look for foods sold in single servings such as juice, yogurt, frozen meals, soup and pudding.  
\* Shop from bulk bins so you can buy smaller amounts.  
\* Ask the butcher or produce manager for a smaller amount of prepackaged items.  
\* Buy produce that keeps longer in the refrigerator such as broccoli, Brussels sprouts, cabbage and carrots.  
\* Buy small loaves of bread or wrap and freeze bread you won't use right away.

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