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Tuesday, May 5, 2009

# Multiple pills found Man charged after shooting in traffic stop

Police reported finding multiple pills, all scheduled narcotics, in a pill bottle after stopping a man known to be driving on revoked license.

James Lellan Oody, 62, Carding Machine Road, Loudon was charged with driving on revoked, possession of schedule Il Methadone, possession of schedule II Oxvcontin and possession of schedule II Endocet.

According to records, (see Oody pg. 8)



## Thieves ransack home

Philadelphia residence when erty. a couple returned home

Police were called to a stolen over \$8000 in prop-

According to records, to find someone had ran- Monday at approximately sacked their residence and 6:35 p.m., Deputy Lawson,

(see Thieves pg. 7)

A local man was jailed when he reportedly fired a gun into the air after female got after him with a stick during a dispute that became physical.

Ronnie Lee Ward Jr., 31, of Oakland Avenue, Lenoir City, was charged with aggravated assault by domestic violence. According to the report, Officer Dennis Guider, LCPD was dispatched to Oakland Av-

(see Ward pg. 6)



# No license

Marco Antonio Millan, 35, Commerce Street, Loudon was charged with no drivers license, window tint and tint violation. financial responsibility.

Sgt. Eddie Range, LCPD

stopped a green 1998 Chevy Tahoe on Highway 321 at 2nd Avenue for a window

The driver, Millan did not According to reports, have a drivers license or insurance.

(see No License pg. 8)

## Tennessee Receives CDC Confirmation of Novel H1N1 Virus Case

Centers for Disease Control the initial case of the novel April 29.

Nashville, - The Tennessee H1N1 virus identified in the Department of Health has re- state has been confirmed ceived notification from the positive. The initial case was identified by the department and Prevention (CDC) that in Williamson County on

Starting this week, the state public health lab will be able to confirm cases of the virus for the state with the use of flu kits provided by federal officials.

"The state of Tennessee is taking the necessary level of precaution as directed by the CDC to slow the spread of this new flu virus in these identified communities."

(see Confirmation pg. 4)

#### Verse of the day

Seek ye the Lord while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near: Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts: and let him return unto the Lord.

and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. Isaiah 55:6-7

## Obituaries

Sallie B. (Meme) Smith Linda Kay Spivey Rev. James W. Williford

#### Weather:

Today: Showers early then scattered thunderstorms developing later in the day. High 77. Chance of rain 40%. Tonight: Partly cloudy skies early giving way to a few showers after midnight. Low 62.

Chance of rain 30%. Wednesday: Rain nie Mae Fritts - we showers early, becoming a steady, soaking rain later in the day with a few rumbles of thunder possible. High 74. (Apr 21-May 20) Chance of rain 80%.

#### Wazzup

Hope you get to feel-

ing better soon, Johnmiss va!

#### Horoscopes Taurus

Romance is on your mind now -- and you (see Horoscopes pg. 2)

#### Ward

enue in Lenoir City on a domestic involving a gun. Upon arrival the officer met a female and Ronnie Ward Jr. They were having an argument and it became physical when he grabbed her and held her down on the around.

The woman got up and went after Ronnie with a stick.

Ronnie ran to his vehicle and got his pistol and shot it up in the air to scare the victim.

The gun was found in the console of the vehicle. Officer Dennis Guider, LCPD made the arrest.

#### Police Beat

Jessika Darlene Wilson, 19, of Gay St, Loudon, was charged with driving on suspended.

According to

the report, Corporal Pete McGinley, LCSO observed a vehicle that appeared to be lost and when it stopped the deputy checked

on the driver, Ms. Wilson and she was found to have a suspended license.

Corporal Pete Mc-Ginley LCSO made the arrest.

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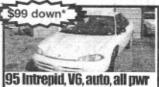
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#### Thieves

LCSO was dispatched to Pond Creek Road, Philadelphia on a report of a burglary to a residence. Mr. William "Bill" Smith and his wife Mrs. Melissa Smith advised when they got home from work, Mrs. Smith observed a broken window and a 50 inch TV

missing. Mr. Smith arrived home minutes later. Mrs. Smith dialed 911. Upon his arrival Deputy Lawson also observed the window busted and the screen cut and removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith checked the rest of the house for anything else that might be missing. Mrs. Smith noticed her jewelry box with numerous jewelry items in it was missing from her bedroom.

The house was rummaged through in two bedrooms and the den area.

Strange tire tracks were discovered in the driveway area. One door in the back of the house was unlocked and it ap-

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peared this is where the burglars left the residence from.

The missing items were; a Sony HD television, large Bombay jewelry box, gold necklace with two gold nuggets with four diamonds, yellow gold ring with opal inset with four diamonds, white gold ring with one blue diamond and diamonds

surrounding, one pair 10K gold earrings with a diamond in each one, college class ring with two black onyx stones, gold ring with a quartz vein through it, 14K gold charm bracelet with heart and tennis racket charms on it, 14K gold Omega bracelet, gold necklace with a 1/4 caret Princess cut diamond charm and a gold necklace with Opal charm.

The total value of the loss was estimated at \$8870.

#### Police Beat

Verlin Preston Acuff 67, D Street, Lenoir City was charged with failure to appear.

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





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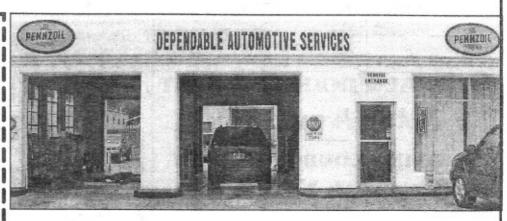
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#### Oody

Officer Jonathan Yates, LPD observed Mr. Oody driving a gray 1994 Chevrolet Beretta on Highland Avenue and had prior knowledge his license was revoked.

The officer stopped the vehicle on Carding Machine Road.

Mr. Oody reportedly exited the vehicle quickly and walked back to Officer Yates. Dispatch confirmed his license status to be revoked for failure to file after an accident.

Mr. Oody reportedly gave his consent to search. A white bottle was discovered with no label approximately ten feet from the car. The bottle was reportedly used to store a variety of scheduled narcotics.

Found in the bottle were several pills including two peach colored Methadone wafers - schedule II, six yellow oblong Endocets - schedule II, one and a quarter green 80mg Oxycontins - schedule II and two blue Xanax, schedule - IV.

Mr. Oody disclaimed ownership and knowledge of the narcotics.

#### No License

Alvaro Mondragon Valentin, 24, Gallaher View Road, Knoxville was charged with driving without a license, driving under the influence, violation of implied consent and open container violation.

According to records, Sgt. Lynette Ladd, LCPD observed a white 2002 Ford truck traveling on Old Highway 95. The driver was tailgating another vehicle and appeared to be attempting to pass on a double yellow.

There was no visible registration on the vehicle. The officer stopped the vehicle and the driver was identified as Alvaro Mondragon Valentin.

Valentin reportedly had a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage on his person

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and extremely red eyes. An open container of beer was found near the drivers seat, under a jacket, it was cold and partially full.

A check through NCIC determined Valentin did not have a valid drivers license. The area was not appropriate for field sobriety tasks to be given and there was a communication barrier.

Once at the jail, Mr. Valentin had difficulty exiting the vehicle. An interpreter read him the implied consent form and he allegedly agreed to submit

using the intoxometer.

Valentin refused to give a sufficiant sample, reportedly holding his breath instead of exhaling into the intoxometer.

Bryan Casaca, 23, of Johnson Drive, Lenoir city was charged with driving without a license.

According to the report, Officer Jason Felts, LCPD stopped a green vehicle for a broken turn signal and found Casaca to have no license.

Marvin Antonio Olmedo Rosales, 24, D Street, Lenoir City was charged with driving without a license.

According to the report, Patrolman Jason Felts, LCPD observed a red 1991 Acura run the stop sign at the intersection of G Street and West Hills Drive. After stopping the vehicle and identifying the driver, it was discovered Mr. Rosales does not have a valid drivers license.