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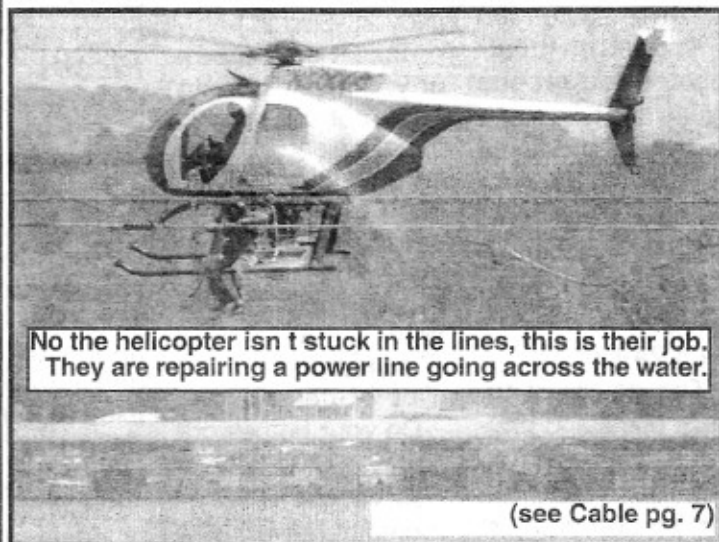
Monday, July 27, 2009

Sheriff fundraiser a huge success

How cool is your job?



Sheriff Tim Guider greets guests at a fundraiser held Thursday at Magnolia Manor (see Fundraiser pg. 3)



No the helicopter isn't stuck in the lines, this is their job. They are repairing a power line going across the water.

(see Cable pg. 7)

June 2009 County Unemployment Rates

Rates Increase in 84 Counties, Decrease in Eight, Remain the Same in Three

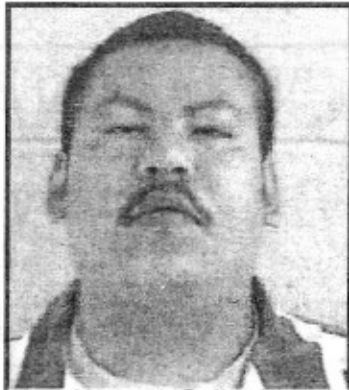
NASHVILLE—Tennessee's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate for June 2009 was released last week at 10.8 percent, 0.1 percentage point higher than the May rate of 10.7 percent. The United States' unemployment rate for the month of June was 9.5 percent. County non-seasonally adjusted unemployment rates for June 2009, released today, show that the rate increased in 84 counties, decreased in (see Rates pg. 4)

Cocaine found in LCSO Narcotics bust

(see Bust pg. 6)



Jesus Lopez



Homero Gallardo

Verse of the day

Humble yourselves therefore 1 Peter 5:6-7

under the mighty hand of God, that Lynn Nelson

he may exalt you **Weather:**

in due time: Casting all your care Today: Plentiful sunshine. High 88.

upon him; for he Tonight: A few clouds from time to time. Low

71.

Sunday: A few thunderstorms possible. Highs in the mid 80s and lows in the upper 60s.

Monday: Partly cloudy, chance of a thunderstorm. Highs in the mid 80s and lows in the low 70s.

Wazzup

A great big thank you to Greg Hensley and Lynn Milsaps from LUB. It's nice to see the powers that be can still work with and for the little man these days...

Horoscopes Leo

(Jul 23-Aug 23)

Try to take a second look at your financial situation today -- you may need to deal with something that's

(see Horoscopes pg. 2)

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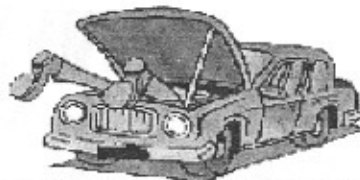
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Clabough

Sheriff Tim Guider made it official he wants to be your sheriff for four more years at a fundraiser held at the beautiful Magnolia Manor in Lenoir City this past Thursday evening. Former Governor Don Sundquist was the guest speaker and told the huge crowd when you have a good sheriff you keep him, which was met by a resounding applause. Blount County Sheriff James Berrong, District Attorney General Russell Johnson, former State Rep. Doug Gunnels, Tim Williams from State Rep. Jimmy Matlock's office, LCPD Chief

Don White, along with LC Councilman and LCSO Chief Tony Aikens were on hand to give their support as were numerous others.

Sheriff Guider spoke to the crowd letting them know in his tenure there are no unsolved murders in Loudon County, officers have in car cameras and the department is well equipped with the latest technology making Loudon County a safer place for us all. The sheriff also thanked all who helped put the fundraiser together and for all the support he has been given over the last 19 years as Sheriff of Loudon County.

RIDDLE

I was born in the 18th century, yet still live on today. Appearing on TV when I have something to say. Called everything from "honest" to a dirty rotten "crook", I used to wear a wig, but have had several looks. I've always had a party, but never disturb the neighbors. I've been shot at many times - major stories for the papers.

What am I?

Look for answer in next Monday's Edition

LAST WEEKS RIDDLE

I am the center of gravity, hold a capital situation in Vienna, and as I am foremost in every victory, am allowed by all to be invaluable. Though I am invisible, I am clearly seen in the midst of a river. I could name three who are in love with me and have three associates in vice. It is vain that you seek me for I have long been in heaven yet even now lie embalmed in the grave. What am I?

The letter "V"

Obituaries

Lynn Nelson, of Lenoir City passed away Wednesday, July 22, 2009. Lynn was owner of Nelson Tire Service, having been in the tire business for 54 years. He began his career with B. F. Goodrich Company in 1955 as a Territory Manager in South Georgia, North Georgia and Greeneville, TN before opening his own business in 1980. Lynn was a member of First Baptist Church and John Henry McNabb's Sunday School Class. He was a member of Avery Masonic Lodge #593 F & AM. He was preceded in death by his parents, Lant and Laura Nelson; granddaughter, Amanda Blake Nelson; sister and brother-in-law, Juanita and Cliff Melton; brother, Glenn Nelson; brother-in-law, James Hair, Jr.; father-in-law and mother-in-law, Ashley and Mary Dutton. Lynn is survived by his wife of 55 years, Jo Ann Dutton Nelson; daughters, Teresa Cunnane of Knoxville, Terri Lawson and husband, Lennie of Greeneville, TN; sons, Ricky Nelson, Randall Nelson and wife, Connie, J. Eric Nelson and wife, Jill all of Lenoir City; grandchildren: Erin Davis of Knoxville, Blaine, Abby, Audra Lawson of Greeneville, TN, Tanner Nelson, Emery and Ellie Nelson all of Lenoir City; great grandchildren, Kannon Lawson of Greeneville, TN and Cady Davis of Knoxville; sister, Ruth Hair of Lenoir City along with several nieces, nephews and special friends, Stuart Kitts, Allison and Greg Spears. The family would like to express a special word of thanks to

Jefferson City Health and Rehabilitation Center for the care and compassion they have given. The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday with Funeral Services to follow at 7 p.m. in the Click Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Dick DeMerchant officiating. Family and friends will gather at the funeral home by 9:30 a.m. Saturday at the funeral home and proceed to the Lakeview Cemetery for graveside services at 10 a.m. Serving as pallbearers: Mike Hickman, Tony Aikens, Gavin Bogus, Steve Cook, Ken Spoon and Johnny Kelley. Honorary pallbearers will be the John Henry McNabb's Sunday School Class, Wayne Chambers, G. L. Hall, Jim Reynolds, Larry Hall and Mickey Hall. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to "I Love My Church" Building Fund, First Baptist Church, 2085 Simpson Road East, Lenoir City, TN 37772. Click Funeral Home, 109 Walnut Street, Lenoir City is serving the Nelson family.

Rates

eight counties and remained the same in three counties.

Lincoln County registered the state's lowest county unemployment rate at 7.1 percent, up from 6.5 percent in May. Perry County had the state's highest unemployment rate at 22.1 percent, down from 24.2 in May, followed

by Lauderdale County at 19.7 percent, up from 19.2 percent in May.

Knox County had the state's lowest major metropolitan rate of 8.5 percent, up 0.6 percentage point from

the May rate. Davidson County was 9.4 percent, up 0.8 from the previous month. Hamilton County was at 9.3 percent, up 0.6 percentage point from the May rate, and Shelby County

was 10.5 percent, up from the May rate of 9.5 percent.

Information will be available on the Internet; enter http://www.tennessee.gov/labor-wfd/labor_figures/june2009county.pdf



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Gilliam

Members of the Loudon County Sheriff's Office Narcotics Unit including Sgt. Billy Hall, Deputy Shane Ezell and Investigator AJ Yokley served a narcotic search warrant at 201 Webb Drive in Loudon.

While searching the location Homero Gallardo was found in a bedroom. Found in Gallardo's wallet was two small bags of a white powder substance believed to be cocaine.

While searching the location Jesus R. Lopez was found in a bedroom. While detaining Lopez he

shoved his hand under the pillows on the bed. A search of the area under the pillows produced approximately 4.5 grams of a white powder substance packaged in several small bags. Found between the mattress was a small bag of green plant material believed to be marijuana weighing approximately one gram. Another bag of the green plant substance weighing approximately 4 grams was found in a pair of pants in the floor of the room Lopez was found in. Also found in the same pants was Lopez's identification.

Homero Guzman

Gallardo, 29, of Webb Drive, Loudon, was charged with possession of schedule II cocaine.

Jesus R. Lopez, 28, of Webb Drive,

Loudon, was charged with possession of schedule II for resale and simple possession of marijuana. Sgt. Billy Hall, LCSO NU made the arrests.

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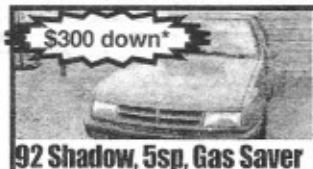
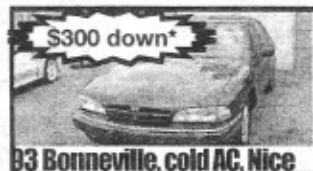
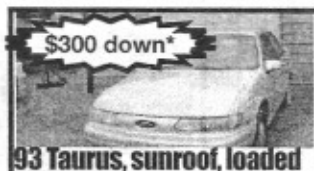
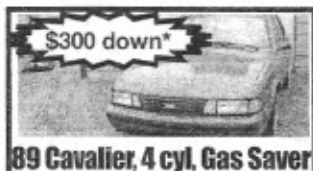
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the area according to sources and the repair kept Lenoir City from being without power for several weeks. After the pieces of line are fused together an explosion occurs which melts the lines together.

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Man charged in domestic

Dean Robert Holt, 22 of Browder Hollow Road, Lenoir city was charged with assault by domestic violence.

According to the report, Officer Mark Maxwell, LCPD was dispatched to a physical domestic in progress on Browder Hollow Road. Upon arrival Dean had left the area but was found just a few yards from the trailer. The vic-

tims were still at the trailer. Both victims stated Dean became irate and threw a coke can at one victim and physically pushed the other victim causing injuries to her left foot and back. There was physical evidence of the assaults that had taken place. Both victims were in fear of their safety and well being. Officer Mark Maxwell, LCPD made the arrest.

MEETING NOTICE

Loudon County RPC will have a workshop regarding the Hwy 321 Corridor Study on Thursday, August 13, 2009 at the Loudon County Visitor's Bureau on Hwy 321 in Lenoir City, 5:30 - 7:30 PM

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