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Tuesday, July 28, 2009

Head teller charged with theft of nearly \$30,000 from bank

The head teller for a Lenoir City bank was jailed following an investigation into allegations she stole near \$30,000 from her employer over the past few months.

Dusty Marie Littleton, aka Dusty Marie Martin, 28, no permanent address, was charged with theft over \$10,000.

According to the affidavit of complaint, Dusty Littleton, committed the offense of theft over \$10,000 during the month of May, 2009, while employed at the United Community Bank in Lenoir City.

(see Littleton pg. 4)



Dusty Marie Littleton

Phone harassment

Police arrested a young Lenoir City man after he reported made harassing phone calls to a female's cell phone and left vulgar and threatening messages.

(see Tackett pg. 6)

No license

David Hernandez Barrera, 35, Quapaw, Oklahoma was charged with DUI 1st offense and driving without a license.

According to records, while on patrol Saturday night, Officer Bennie Houser, LPD made contact with a maroon Chevy in the park-

(see No license pg. 8)

Sweetwater man charged with pills

A Sweetwater man was jailed on numerous charges after police went to check two men selling electronics out of a pickup truck in the parking lot of a Loudon business.

Steven Calvin Black, 45, Greens Trailer Park, Sweetwater was charged with public intoxication, possession of schedule II, possession of schedule

(see Black pg. 8)



Steven Calvin Black

Man with underage girlfriend goes to jail after traffic stop

A Lenoir City man and his underage girlfriend drew the attention of police when the young female reportedly made a traffic error while

driving unlicensed. He went to jail and she went home with her parents and a citation.

Zachary Lee Zapata, 23, of

(see Zapata pg. 3)

Holston AAP Announces 2009 Deer Hunts

MORRISTOWN, Tenn. --- Holston Army Ammunition Plant (HSAAP) is now accepting applications for

five white-tailed deer hunts to be held on the installation during the upcoming 2009 hunting season. Hunt-

(see Hunts pg. 7)

Verse of the day Obituaries

The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.
2 Peter 3:9

Rachael Ballew Murr

Weather:

Today: Mostly sunny in the morning with isolated thunderstorms developing later in the day. High 86. CoR: 30%.
Tonight: Scattered

thunderstorms, especially overnight. Low 71. CoR: 40%.

Wednesday: Scattered thunderstorms possible. Highs: upper 70s; Lows: low 70s.

Wazzup

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(see Horoscopes pg. 2)

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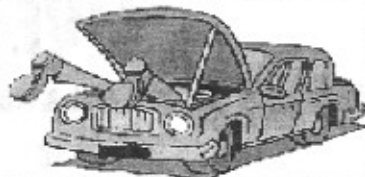
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Zapata

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

According to the report, Sgt. RS Newman, LPD stopped a black pickup for making a wide right turn into the opposite lane. The driver was a 16-year-old female and she did not have a license.

Zapata was a passenger and had the odor of an alcoholic beverage emitting from the vehicle.

The teen was discovered to be Zapata's girlfriend and she was driving because she did not want him to drive because he had been drinking.

The juvenile was

issued a citation and turned over to her mother and Zapata was charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor. Sgt. RS Newman LPD made the arrest.

Police Beat

James Douglas Jensen, 30, of West 2nd Avenue, Lenoir City, was charged with driving on suspended 1st.

According to the report, while on patrol Deputy Tony Kagley, LCSO observed Jensen driving a white vehicle without wearing a seatbelt and stopped him.

A check showed Jensen to have a suspended license. Deputy Tony Kagley LCSO made the arrest.

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Obituaries

Rachael Maria Ballew Murr, age 28, of Knoxville passed away peacefully early Monday morning, July 27, 2009. She has gone to be with Jesus. Rachael was a graduate of Lenoir City High School. She was a lifelong member of Union Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Rachael was preceded in death by her paternal grandparents, Mack and Helen Ballew; maternal grandparents, Audie and Pauline Williams. She is survived by her husband, Gene Murr; parents, Steve and Linda Ballew; brother, Andrew Ballew and a large extended family. The Ballew and Murr families express their gratitude for the tremendous support from our church family and many

friends, and Rachael's special friend Fred Sherrod. Endearing appreciation to the extra ordinary care provided by Dr. J.S. Guy and his amazing team, and the staff of Vanderbilt University Hospital in Nashville. The family will receive friends from 5 to 6:45 Tuesday, July 29, 2009 with a Memorial Service to follow at 7 p.m. at Union Cumberland Presbyterian Church with Rev. Leonard Turner officiating. Interment will be in the Union Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Union Cumberland Presbyterian Church, 400 Everett Road, Farragut, TN 37934. Click Funeral Home Farragut Chapel, 11915 Kingston Pike is serving the family of Rachael Ballew Murr.

Littleton

Littleton was working in the capacity of head teller when she removed money from her drawer and took the money without the express permission of the United Community Bank, with the intent to deprive the United Community Bank.

Littleton is further accused of taking money from her drawer until July 3rd, 2009.

The total amount of money reported

taken is \$23,50. This offense occurred in Lenoir City in Loudon County Tn.

Investigator Jack Fine, LCPD conducted the investigation.

Corporal Pete McGinley, LCSO made the arrest at a residence on Allison Lane in Lenoir City on Friday.

Police Beat

James Vincil Gustavo, 33, of Salem Valley, Kingston, was charged with driving on revoked 1st.

According to the re-

port, Officer James Bowman, LCPD was dispatched to an unwanted person and upon making contact with James Vincil found him control of a vehicle during the time of the incident.

A check through NCIC showed Vincil to have a revoked license for DUI.

Vincil stated he drove to the address he was unwanted at. Officer James Bowman LCPD made the arrest.

Heather Jean Ely, 35, of Vaughns Chapel Road, Lenoir City was charged with failure to appear.

Deputy Rondel Brannam, LCSO made the arrest.



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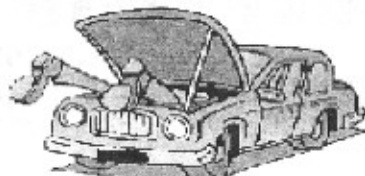
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Tackett

Jesse Logan Tackett, 20, of Crestwood Drive, Lenoir City was charged with phone harassment.

According to the report, the victim said Jesse Tackett called her cell phone and

left a very vulgar message and then called back and told her she better sleep with her eyes open.

These phone calls were made with no legitimate reason or purpose except to annoy and alarm the

victim.

Detective Jonathan Sartin, LCPD made the arrest.

Police Beat

Vicente Mora Galvan, 25, of Maremont

Parkway, Loudon was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy J. Goddard, LCSO made the arrest.

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Public Notice

Lenoir City Municipal Site Development Committee will meet at City Hall in the small conference room on Friday, July 31, 2009, at 9:00 a.m. The purpose of the session will be continued review/evaluation of the recently submitted RFPs in regards to selecting a construction management firm.

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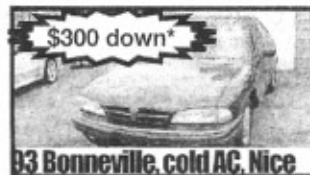
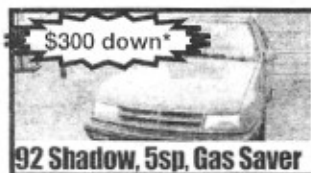
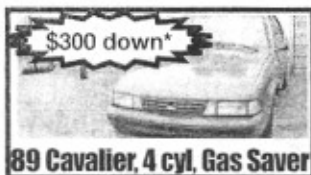
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Hunts

ers who apply for the 2009 HSAAP hunts should be aware that there have been several changes made to the installation's

hunting program in the past two years.

One significant change is that all hunters who hunt on the plant, regardless of their age, are required to show proof

of completion of a hunter safety course before being allowed to hunt. In addition, all hunters who are selected for one of the installation's hunts will be required to obtain a background check from their local police department and provide a copy of their background check with their application.

If selected in 2009, hunters will be drawn for a two day hunt, rather than a one day hunt which has been traditional for the installation. HSAAP will also continue the "earn a buck" program but has modified the program since last year. Hunters who are drawn for any of the two-day either-sex hunts will be required to harvest a mature doe before being allowed to harvest a buck. Once a hunter has harvested a mature doe, they will be

issued a buck permit and will be allowed to hunt a buck during the remaining time of the two days for which they are drawn. As usual for HSAAP, only bucks having at least 8 points may legally be harvested by the hunters who are issued a buck permit.

Hunts for 2009 are:

Archery – Sept. 26-27 (hunter quota 70), Oct. 3-4 (hunter quota 70);

Muzzleloader – Nov. 7-8 (hunter quota 45), **Archery** – Nov. 7-8 (hunter quota 10);

Shotgun/Muzzleloader – Dec. 21-22 (hunter quota 45), **Archery** – Dec. 21-22 (hunter quota 10).

Young Sportsman (ages 13-16) **Shotgun/Muzzleloader** – Oct. 31-Nov. 1 (hunter quota 45), **Archery** – Oct. 31-Nov. 1 (hunter quota 15);

A portion of the area is archery-only so a limited number of hunters will be drawn during each hunt for archery-only.

Applicants should remember that deer taken at HSAAP count toward the Unit B bag

limit. Hunters, who are drawn and have filled their Unit B bag limit prior to the hunt, will not be allowed to participate in the hunt.

Individuals interested in obtaining an application for this year's hunts may call the HSAAP hunting and fishing information line at (423) 578-6291 for recorded information on where applications may be picked up in the tricity area or online at www.tnwildlife.org. Individuals may also request an application by mail by sending a self-addressed stamped envelope to the following address: Holston Army Ammunition Plant, Attn: Deer Hunt Information, 4509 West Stone Drive, Kingsport, TN37660. All applications must be received by Aug. 19, 2009 to be considered for this year's hunts.

Police Beat

Jonathan Wade Smullen, 22, of Ashe Avenue, Lenoir City, was charged with violation of probation.

Officer James Bowman LCPD made the arrest.

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Black

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The report states, Saturday, around 10:40 p.m., Patrolwoman April Farmer, LPD received a call of two people inside a blue Chevy pickup in the Food City parking lot trying to sell radios and scanners. One of the occupants was identified as Mr. Steven Black.

The officer stated in her report she saw a pill bottle on the seat of the vehicle beside Mr. Black. The bottle had Black's name on it, and contained two different kinds of pills, both of which did not belong in the bottle.

A search of Mr. Black's person produced another pill from the pocket of his pants.

The pills located in the

bottle were identified as four 50mg Tramadol and three Valium. The pill located in Black's pocket was identified as one 10mg Methadone.

Mr. Black reportedly stated he did not have a prescription for any of the pills. There was an odor of an alcoholic beverage on his person and he was very unsteady on his feet.

Black allegedly stated he took eight Roxycodone and drank two beers earlier in the day. Patrolwoman April Farmer, LPD, made the arrest, along with Patrolman Jon Yates, LPD.

No license

ing lot of the West Side Terrace Apartments. The driver, David H. Barrera was in the driver's seat with the keys in the ignition.

Mr. Barrera stated they drove from Oklahoma and he was tired. He had a strong odor of an intoxicant about his person and performed poorly on the field sobriety tasks he was given. Barrera produced a drivers license from Mexico.

After running Barrera's name and date of birth through the E 911 Center, there was no record of a license found.

Allegedly, there was a cooler with Bud Light and Coors Light covered with a blanket in the vehicle.

Upon arrival at the jail, Mr. Barrera was read the implied consent and agreed. His BAC was .12%.

Antonio Espinoza Medina, 31, homeless, was a passenger in the Chevy with Barrera. He reportedly had a strong odor of an intoxicant

about his person and was very unsteady on his feet.

The officer felt it was unsafe for Mr. Medina to be left in public. Officer Houser made the arrest assisted by Officer April Farmer, LPD.

Jose Juan Lopez, 37, of West 5th Avenue, Lenoir City was charged with no drivers license.

According to the report, Chief Tony Aikens, LCSO advised Officer Darrell Butler, LCPD a small brown vehicle with a Mexican driver had almost run him off the road at Town Creek.

The officer located the vehicle on Old Hwy 95 and made a traffic stop.

Chief Aikens identified the driver and a check showed Lopez to have no license. Officer Darrell Butler, LCPD made the arrest.

Javier Cortes-San-

chez, 25, Little Mexico Drive, Sweetwater, was charged with driving without a license.

The report states, on Tuesday, Officer Blake Norman, LPD was on routine patrol at approximately 5:31pm, when he noticed three vehicles heading south on Highway 11 on the river bridge. The vehicles were stopped in the south bound lane of travel because they were involved in an accident.

A blue Honda Civic, driven by Cortes-Sanchez was traveling south bound and did not see the stopped traffic. He allegedly struck another vehicle in the rear end causing that vehicle to strike another in the rear.

Officer Norman ran Cortes-Sanchez through NCIC and he came back unlicensed.

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