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Thursday, July 30, 2009

Police arrested an Athens woman after stopping her vehicle for speeding and finding Meth, Meth making components and other drugs and paraphernalia in her possession.

Lisa Kay Arrowood, 45, County Road 750, Athens was charged with felony possession of schedule II Methamphetamine, possession of drug paraphernalia, promotion of Methamphetamine manufacture and pos-



Burglary reported

A Loudon woman called someone had stolen several a residence she was moving out of and discovered

(see Arrowood pg. 8)

police when she returned to items from her soon to be former home.

Records indicate Deputy (see Burglary pg. 6)

Highway 66 Widening Project in Sevier County Begins

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. - The is now underway. Construcvestment Act in Tennessee night, July 27.

most expensive highway tion crews began widening a project funded by the Amer- four mile section of Highway ican Recovery and Rein- 66 in Sevier County Monday

(see Project pg. 4)

Police nab woman with meth Woman steals debit card, and more in stop for speeding then vehicle to go use card

Police arrested a Philadelphia woman on charges she took another woman's debit card and then took the woman's vehicle to go make unlawful purchases on the card.

Samantha Jean Wright, 32, Oakland Road, Philadelphia was charged with theft under \$500 and joy riding.

According to affidavits of complaint, on July 15, 2009, Ms. Samantha Jean

(see Wright pg. 3)



Knox man gets 3rd DUI, passenger gets DUI by consent

Two Knoxville persons were jailed after police stopped the vehicle they were in for not using headlights after dark and discovered they were under the influence of alcohol.

Charles Leonard Shepherd, 47, East Emerald Avenue, Knoxville, was charged with DUI 3rd offense, simple possession of Marijuana and driving

(see Shepherd pg. 7)



Charles Leonard Shepherd

Verse of the day Weather:

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Obituaries

Ye shall not Today: #Variable clouds neither with scattered thundeal falsely, nei- derstorms. High 81. Tonight: Variable clouds with scattered thunderstorms. Low 72. Chance of rain 60%.

Friday: Scattered thunderstorms possible. Highs in the upper 70s and lows in the low 70s.

Wazzup

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Horoscopes Leo

(Jul 23-Aug 23)

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(see Horoscopes pg. 2)

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Wright

Wright did take without the owners effective consent, a debit card. Ms. Wright also took without permission the woman's 2009 Tovota Ray 4. in which she drove to Sweetwater where she used the debit card.

Ms. Wright then returned the vehicle and debit card to the woman in an attempt to prevent her from discovering that she took the items.

Detective Charles Cosner, LCSO, made the arrest on Thursday at the Loudon County Sheriff's Office.

Police Beat

Nicholas R.H. Laviolette, 30, Wilson River Highway, Tillamooh, Oregon, was charged Friday, with public intoxication.

According to records, Officer Dishner, LCPD was dispatched to a disturbance at the Comfort Inn and upon arrival made contact with Mr. Laviolette in

the parking lot.

Laviolette reportedly was very unsteady on his feet, had slurred speech and smelled strongly of an alcoholic beverage.

Officer Dishner determined Laviolette to be a danger to himself and others if left alone.

Mr. Laviolette was transported to the Loudon County Jail for his safety.

Jason Allen Giles, 30. Seedtick Road. Philadelphia, was charged with driving on a revoked license.

The report states on Friday Patrolman Brandon Gentry, LCPD responded to a motor vehicle accident on the Interstate 75 southbound off ramp. Upon arrival, the officer came in contact with Jason Giles.

Giles was driving one of the vehicles involved in the accident and a check of his drivers license showed it to be revoked for an insurance violation.

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"Highway 66 is a very busy route especially during peak travel seasons as vacationers make their way into Sevier County," said TDOT Chief Engineer Paul Degges. "The improvements we are making with these Recovery Act funds will help reduce congestion and improve safety on Highway 66."

TDOT added a new Web site address to keep motorists informed about the Highway 66 project. Residents, businesses and motorists are encouraged to visit www.improving66. com to stay up to date on project developments. The Web page contains up to

date traffic information, project maps and frequently ask questions. Motorists can also know before they go by signing up to follow the Highway 66 project on twitter at www.twitter. com/improving66 or @improving66 if you already have a twitter account.

Police Beat

Robby Allen Williams, 24, Hines Valley Road, Lenoir City, was charged with failure to appear (suspended license) Thursday.

Lt. David Flynn, LCPD, made the arrest at the Loudon County Jail.



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Burglary

Mickey Patterson, LCSO took a report of a theft of items Sunday. The complainant, Ms. Virginia Mae West, Vonore Road, Loudon, stated she moved from a residence on Steekee Road and went back to the home on Sunday.

West said when she arrived at the location she discovered someone took her aluminum cans, two boxes of antique glass, and pots and pans.

Public Notice

Lenoir City Municipal Site Development Committee will meet at City Hall in the small conference room on Monday, August 3, 2009, at 9:00 a.m. The purpose of the session will be continued review in regards to selecting a construction management firm (and recommending to City Council) for new municipal project.

The value of the stolen items was estimated at \$735.

Police Beat

Rosalio Granados Gonzales, 21, of Hall St., Lenoir City, was

charged with violation of probation.

Sgt. Jimmey Wiggins, LCSO made the arrest.

Albert Fredrick

Moss, 19, of Main Street, Loudon was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Rob Lane, LCSO made the ar-

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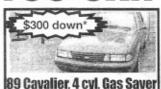


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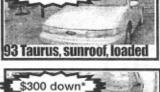
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Shepherd

on revoked license.

Debra Anne Harmon, 51, West Gallahar Ferry Road, Knoxville, was charged with DUI by consent and public intoxication.

According to reports, Monday, at approximately 9:09 p.m., Officer Samuel Harrison, LPD observed a

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Toyota Camry traveling west on Highway 72 at Interstate 75 with no headlights on. The officer stopped the vehicle on Highway 72 just past the entrance to the Citgo Gas Station and according to Officer Harrison's report, he immediately detected a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage coming from within the passenger compartment of the car.

The driver, identified as Charles L. Shepherd, had a very strong odor of an alcoholic beverage about his person and breath, very slurred speech, bloodshot eves and was unsteady on his feet.

Shepherd reportedly admitted to drinking alcohol that evening and there were open containers of alcohol inside the vehicle.

Shepherd, who also seemed disoriDAILY EDITION · July 30, 2009 · Page 7

ented at times, performed very poorly on consented sobriety checks administered by the lawman. It was also discovered through the 911 Center Shepherd's license is currently revoked in the state of Tennessee for prior DUI offenses.

Approximately 3 grams of a green leafy substance believed to be Marijuana was discovered, laving in plain view, in the front passenger side door pocket.

Shepherd allegedly claimed ownership of the Marijuana. He was read the implied consent law and consented to a blood test.

According to reports, Harmon was charged after it was discovered she is the girlfriend of Charles Shepherd and was a passenger in the vehicle with him that evening. She is also

the registered owner of the Toyota Camry.

Harmon reportedly admitted to drinking 3 to 4 beers. She had a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage about her person and breath, slurred speech, bloodshot eves and was unsteady on her feet.

Ms. Harmon allegedly admitted to the officer, she knew Shepherd had been drinking and was possibly impaired when she allowed him to drive.

Officer Samuel Harrison, LPD, made the arrests, along with Officer Marty Ward,

Police Beat

Claudia Yvette Brabson, 28, of Reeves Street, Lenoir City, was charged with failure to appear on suspended license.

Corporal Ernie Brown, LCSO made the arrest.

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Arrowood

session of schedule III Hydrocodone.

According to the report, on Tuesday, July 28, 2009, at approximately 4:37 p.m., Sqt. Billy Hall, LCSO observed a red Ford F-250 traveling south on Interstate 75 in Loudon County at a speed well above the posted speed limit. He followed the vehicle approximately one mile at speeds between 68 and 72 mph in a 50 mph construction zone.

The officer stopped the vehicle on Interstate 75 south at the 73 mm. The driver was identified as Lisa K. Arrowood.

While Sgt. Hall was checking Arrowood's license and vehicle registration, Deputy Marty Stanley, LCSO arrived on the scene. According to the report, while Deputy Stanley was issuing Arrowood a warning citation for speeding, Sgt. Hall deployed K9 Draga around Arrowood's truck.

K9 Draga alerted in the area of the driver's lower door seam. Hall deployed K9 Draga inside of the vehicle and she alerted in the area under the driver's seat.

A search of that area produced an eye glass case with a glass pipe used to smoke Meth and approximately 1 gram of a substance that later field tested positive as Meth.

Also found in the truck was a one pound bag of organic iodine commonly used to manufacture Meth.

Ms. Arrowood reportedly admitted to purchasing the substance for someone to manufacture Meth with.

Acheck of Arrowood's name in the Meth Data Base showed that Arrowood had been purchasing large amounts of Pseudo Ephedrine. On July 3rd, 2009, she purchased Pseudo Ephedrine at Wal Mart in Lenoir City.

Arrowood allegedly admitted that the Pseudo Ephedrine was purchased to manufacture Meth with.

Also found in the truck during the search was several pieces of a yellow pill believed to be Hydrocodone 10 mg, a schedule III drug.

Sgt. Hall and Deputy Stanley, LCSO made

the arrest.

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