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Thursday, September 24, 2009

Bayonet makes charge aggravated

A Greenback man increased the seriousness of a domestic violence charge when he allegedly used a bayonet to threaten a woman and her family during a domestic dispute.

Ralph Gary Yount, 63, Trigon Road, Greenback was charged with aggravated domestic violence and possession of schedule IV.

According to records, on (see Yount pg. 3)



Ralph Gary Yount

29 pills gone 7 1/2 hours after script filled, 1 charged with DUI

An Athens woman taken into custody for DUI reportedly told police she had taken eight pain pills in a seven and a half hour pe-

riod after having them filled and upon a med count prior to arrest authorities found twenty nine were missing from the bottle.

(see Cox pg. 7)

Suspended drivers

Amanda Lynn Lizotte, 23, Frontier Road, Sweetwater was charged with driving on suspended license.

According to the report,

Deputy Chad Petty, LCSO was on patrol and noticed a gray Hyundai Sonata without any visible registration. Upon stopping

(see Suspended pg. 6)

Antique Appraiser Joe Rosson coming to Tellico Village

Professional antique appraiser, Joe Rosson, is scheduled to come to the Tellico Village Community Church on Saturday, October 24, 2009, from 10:00

a.m. until 3:00 p.m. Local residents are encouraged to bring found "treasures" to be appraised at \$5.00 per item. Items must be able to be carried; for larger items,

(see Rosson pg. 4)

Kids First Child Advocacy Center of the Ninth Judicial District of Tennessee

Our Mission: to heal the pain of child abuse

Kids First Child Advocacy Center of the Ninth Judicial

District (CAC) is a private, non-profit 501c3 agency formed in April 2002 by a few concerned retirees in

(see CAC pg. 3)

Revoked driver charged after running stop sign

A Philadelphia man received his third driving on revoked license offense after he reportedly ran a stop sign in front of police.

Ryan Edsel McClain, 37, Gateway Circle, Philadelphia was charged Tuesday with driving on revoked license 3rd offense.

According to records, Deputy Brandon Dixon, LCSO was on Spring

(see McClain pg. 6)



Ryan Edsel McClain

Verse of the day him of the evil.

And rend your heart, Joel 2:13

and not your garments, and turn unto the Lord your God: for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness, and repenteth

Obituaries

Mitchell Lynn Johnson

Weather:

Today: Showers early then scattered thunderstorms developing later in the day. Humid.

High 83. Chance of rain 60%.

Tonight: Scattered thunderstorms during the evening followed by a few showers overnight. Humid. Low 72. Chance of rain 40%.

Friday: Scattered thun-

derstorms possible. Highs in the low 80s and lows in the low 70s.

Wazzup

Happy 60th Birthday, Ray Weatherly - remember, you're not old till you're cold!!

Horoscopes Libra

(Sept 24-Oct 23)

You're in the midst of some sweet intellectual activity, whether you realize it

(see Horoscopes pg. 2)

Yount

Monday at approximately 8:20am, Deputy Chad Petty, LCSO was dispatched to a residence on Trigon Road to a domestic disturbance call. The victim stated from Sunday to Monday she and Yount were arguing.

The woman advised she came into the bedroom to talk to Yount and he picked up a bayonet and pointed it at her, stating he would kill her and her family.

Mr. Yount report-

edly told the officer he did point the bayonet at the female.

The victim further stated she was in fear of her life and the life of her family.

Once at the jail, Yount was searched and a round green pill believed to be klonopin was found in his front shorts pocket. Deputy Chad Petty, LCSO, made the arrest.

CAC

Loudon County who recognized a need for an agency to serve child abuse victims.

Their drive and commitment became the Child Advocacy Center.

We are a neutral and child focused organization providing a non-threatening environment, for children ages 3-17, where the investigation, intervention and treatment of physical and sexual child abuse takes place. The beauty of a Child Advocacy Center is that the experts are under one roof so that the child will not have to re-live the traumatic experience agency by agency. We bring the investigating officers, Department of Children's Services caseworkers and the district Attorney's Office to our Center so that they are a part of the service delivery in real time. If a forensic medical examination is necessary (performed by a volunteer on-call doctor and nurse trained in working with abused children) we

try to schedule it for the same day.

The non-offending caregivers receive services as the child is being interviewed and the Center's therapist makes introductions as well. The children and their non-offending caregivers are the staff's priority and deserve the best treatment possible.

Our services include: support groups and education classes to non-offending caregivers, pregnant teens and adult survivors of child abuse. We deliver a school based curriculum, Stop Child Abuse and Neglect (SCAN) to the schools within the four counties we serve (Loudon, Morgan, Meigs and Roane) and also supply resource materials to each school. We provide an annual district-wide training to our Child Protective Investigative Team (CPIT) as they work together to investigate, serve, and prosecute offenders. Each year we sponsor a small group of CPIT members to attend the National Symposium on Child Abuse in Huntsville, Alabama.

All of our services are free of charge and

have been made possible in part by grants but mostly due to donations from individuals, civic groups and businesses. We are grateful for the opportunity we have been given by the counties we serve to take care of the children whose voices have been hushed by pain and secrets. We are grateful for a beautiful new facility (built with money raised from fundraising events) in which we can best serve our children and one that offers each child comfort, peace and safety.

Child Advocacy Centers make a difference. Studies show that communities with CAC's have many advantages. A CAC can save an average of \$1,000 per child in investigative costs. Children interviewed at CAC's are less likely to be afraid and parents/caregivers of children treated at a CAC are more satisfied with the investigative process. Interagency coordination is more effective between law enforcement and District Attorney's offices, and results in more positive criminal justice outcomes.

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Rosson

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Mr. Rosson has over twenty-five years of experience appraising antiques, from those owned by ordinary people to those from the estates of famous people such as author, Alex Haley. He writes a column in the Knoxville News Sentinel, has authored two books, and regularly appears on the television show entitled "Treasures in Your Attic" on East Tennessee

Public Television.

In his book "Don't Trash Your Treasures", co-authored by Helaine Fendelman, Rosson says, "We find many homes are treasure troves filled with items that are easily overlooked and undervalued." He describes items such as children's toys, costume jewelry, old kitchen items, even concrete lawn ornaments.

Mr. Rosson will be accompanied by Dr. Robert Paddleford, an avid antique collector,

retired from the University of Tennessee College of Veterinary Medicine. Dr. Paddleford and his wife own the Gray Goose Emporium in Clinton. Several other appraisers will be available to

view jewelry, art, and glass/pottery.

The proceeds from this event, sponsored by two Tellico Village antique groups, will go entirely to Kids First Child Advocacy Center located on Highway 70

W. in Lenoir City. The CAC is a private, non-profit agency serving severely abused children between the ages of 3-17 in the counties of Loudon, Meigs, Morgan and Roane.

Obituaries

Mitchell Lynn Johnson, age 52, of Lenoir City, passed away Friday, September 18, 2009. He was of the Baptist faith. He was preceded in death by his father, J.C. Johnson; brother, Kenny Wayne Johnson; stepfather, Johnny Hugh L. Brummitt; grandparents, Loomis C. and Flora Smallen McConkey, Clarence and Roxie Johnson and uncle, Eddie McConkey. He is survived by his son, Chris Johnson; stepdaughter, Stevie Johnson; mother, Charlene Brummitt; sisters: Debbie Buchanan, Robin Brummitt, and Penny Brummitt Gardner; brother, Jeff Brummitt all of Lenoir City; aunts: Christine Johnson of Lenoir City, Judy Smallen of Loudon and Floretta Clark of Lenoir City; uncle, Jerry McConkey of Illinois; nieces: Whitney Brummitt, Kesha Phillips, Desirra Brummitt,

Ashley Johnson and Kayce Gardner; nephew, David Buchanan; special friends: Pam Wiggins, Vicki Lee, Susan Bright, Bobby Key, Mickey Hartline and Anthony Johnson. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday with Funeral services to follow at 8 p.m. in the Click Funeral Home Chapel with Elder Ricky Wiggins and Rev. David Thompson officiating. Family and friends will gather at the funeral home by 10:30 a.m. Thursday and proceed to the Lakeview Cemetery for graveside services at 11 a.m. Serving as pallbearers: Jeff Brummitt, David Buchanan, Marty McConkey, Danny (Bo) McConkey, Bobby Clark, Tim Littleton, Gary Bivens and Bobby Key. Click Funeral Home, 109 Walnut Street, Lenoir City is serving the Johnson family.

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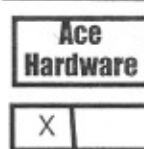
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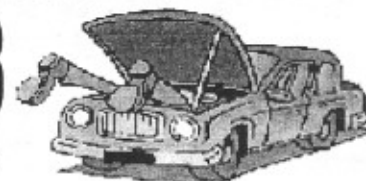
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McClain

Street patrolling when he saw a blue Chevy S10 run a stop sign at Spring Street and Mcrary Street.

The officer stopped the vehicle at the entrance to Philadelphia Park and asked the driver for his license.

Mr. McClain reportedly advised he did not have one and

it was confirmed through NCIC his driving privileges are revoked.

Suspended

the vehicle the driver, identified as Amanda Lynn Lizotte stated the vehicle wasn't registered and had no financial responsibility.

A check of Lizotte's drivers license

through NCIC came back suspended for failure to satisfy out of Monroe County.

Courtney Danielle Smith, 21, Monroe Street, Sweetwater was charged with driving on suspended

license.

According to records, Deputy Chad Petty, LCSO was on patrol when he noticed a silver Jeep traveling at a speed of 68 mph in a 55 mph zone. He stopped the

vehicle and identified the driver as Courtney D. Smith.

A check of Smith's license through NCIC came back suspended out of McMinn County for failure to satisfy citations.



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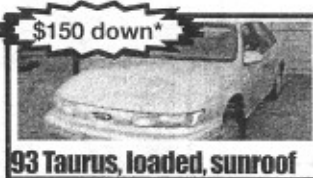
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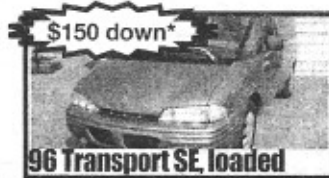
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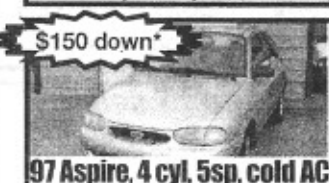
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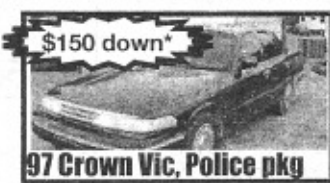
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Cox

Kendra Lynn Cox, 30, County Road 82, Athens, was charged Friday, with DUI by prescription and driving on revoked license.

According to reports, Officer Jim Thearp, LPD saw a vehicle leaving McDonalds on Highway 72 and noticed the headlight was out on the drivers side. He stopped the vehicle

on Highway 72 at Interstate 75 south bound ramp as it attempted to turn.

Officer Thearp asked the driver for her drivers license and she advised they were revoked. A check through NCIC found them to indeed be revoked.

Ms. Cox was reportedly very unsteady on her feet during questioning and when asked if she had been drinking she

said no, but she had taken her prescription medicine, which was Opana ER 40 mg.

Cox agreed to show the officer her prescription.

Ms. Cox said she got the prescription filled around 1:00 pm and stated she had taken approximately eight since she had them filled. It was approximately 8:30pm at the time of the traffic stop.

Upon checking

the prescription, the officer found there were fifty-six pills prescribed and there was only twenty-seven left in the bottle. The prescription said to take only two pills a day.

Cox performed poorly on field sobriety tasks and was placed under arrest.

Police Beat

Jennifer L. Ullrich, 39, Seedtick Road, Philadelphia was charged with DUI.

According to re-

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ports, Officer Brendan DeBoer, LPD saw a black Chevy Blazer on Highway 11 fail to maintain its lane while crossing the Loudon Bridge. It crossed over the center line numerous times, crossing into the path of oncoming traffic.

The officer stopped the vehicle and found the driver, Ms. Ullrich, had extremely slurred speech and was slow and confused answering simple questions.

Ullrich performed poorly on field sobriety tasks. Ms. Ullrich was read the implied consent form and agreed to be tested at Fort Loudoun ER.

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