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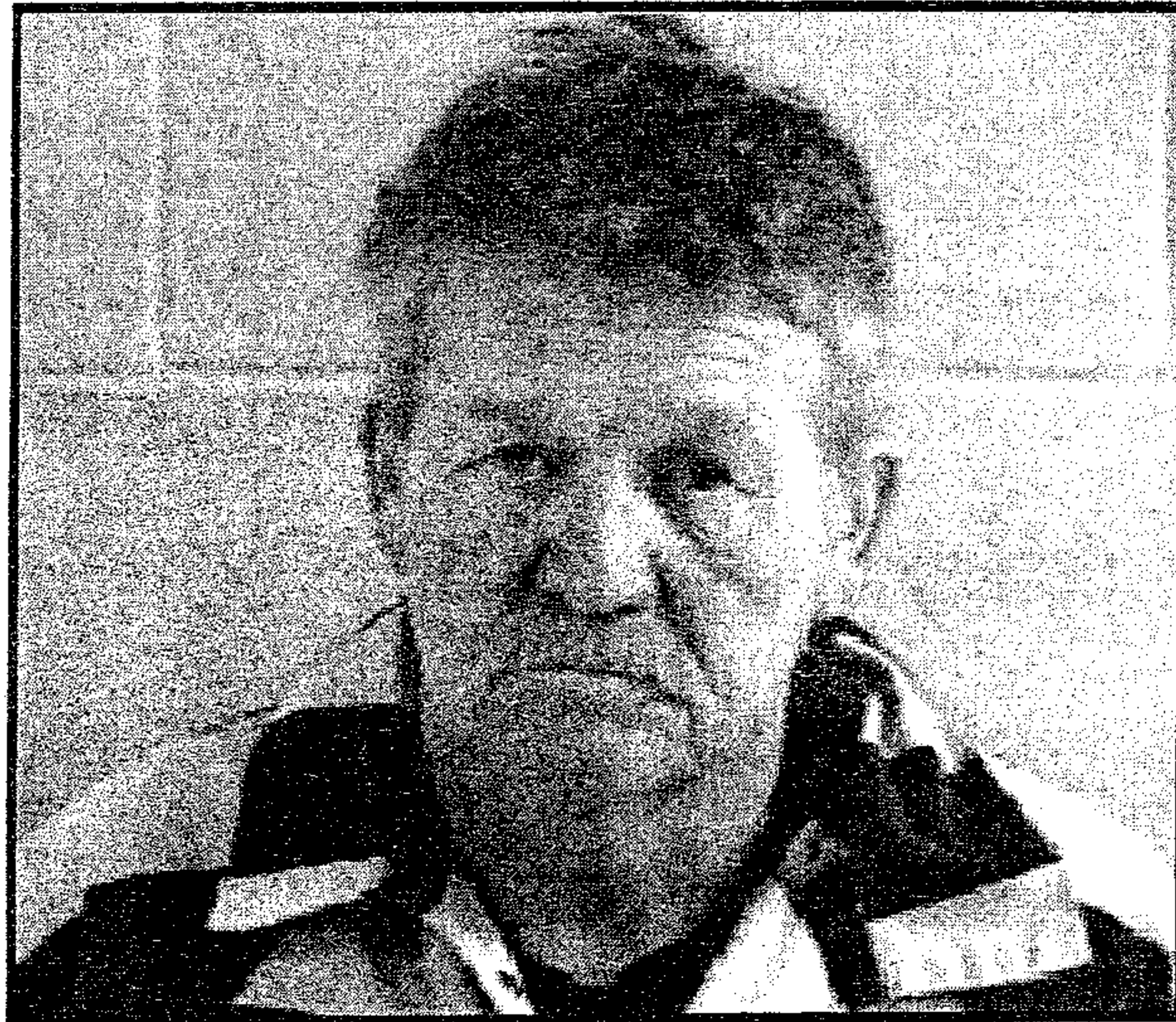
Thursday, January 27, 2011

Big rig driver under the influence of pain pills, muscle relaxers, sedatives; busted

The driver of a multi-ton tractor trailer was arrested and taken to the hospital for blood tests after he reportedly admitted to taking prescription pain pills, muscle relaxers and sedatives when he was stopped after motorists on the interstate called him in for suspicion of DUI.

Patrick Oneal Jacobs, 53, Montclair Drive, Gadsden, Alabama was charged with DUI 1st offense, driver duty status not current, and failure to maintain lane.

According to records, early Sunday morning, around 1:22 AM, drivers along I-75 reported Mr. Jacobs to the 911 Call Center for unsafe operation of his white Freightliner tractor trailer on Interstate 75 southbound after he crossed the right side



(see Jacobs pg. 5) Jacobs

Closed account used for pizza



Griffis

A woman who reportedly wrote a check on a closed account for a Dominos pizza nearly two years ago was charged with the crime after she ignored requests to pay it and a second check that also was returned to the well-known pizzeria.

(see Griffis pg. 3)

Gal pals jailed after one takes grandma's check and the other tries to cash it

A young Lenoir City woman is accused of taking one of her grandmother's checks and her friend is accused of forging and trying to cash it at a local bank. The alleged forger was identified after she left her drivers license behind at the bank when the deed went sour.

Rebecca Ann Key, 22, Old Midway Road, Lenoir City was charged with theft under \$500.

Chelsea Nicole Thomas, (see Jailed pg. 6)



Key



Thomas

No License

William Antonio Galicia Lopez, 27, West 2nd Avenue, Lenoir City was charged with driving without a license.

(see No License pg. 7)

Bridge worker dies on Henley project

Shortly after 8:00 a.m. ET, January 25, 2011, the Knoxville Fire Department and Knoxville Police Department responded to an accident on the south end of the Henley (see Worker pg. 5)

Verse of the Day

Against whom do ye sport yourselves? against whom make ye a wide mouth, and draw out the tongue? are ye not children of trans-

gression, a seed of falsehood.

Isaiah 57:4

Obituaries

Bernice "Bonnie" Abel
Christopher Edward Farris

Wazzup

A big shout out to Mary Grace at Simmons BP - hope you get to feeling better!

Weather

Today: Partly cloudy. High 41. Winds WSW

at 5 to 10 mph.

Tonight: Partly to mostly cloudy. Low 31. Winds SW at 5 to 10 mph.

Friday: Mostly cloudy. Highs in the upper 40s and lows in the low 30s.

Thursday: Partly cloudy. Highs in the low 40s and lows in the low 30s.

Horoscopes

Aquarius 1/20-2/18

You are feeling some- (see More pg. 2)

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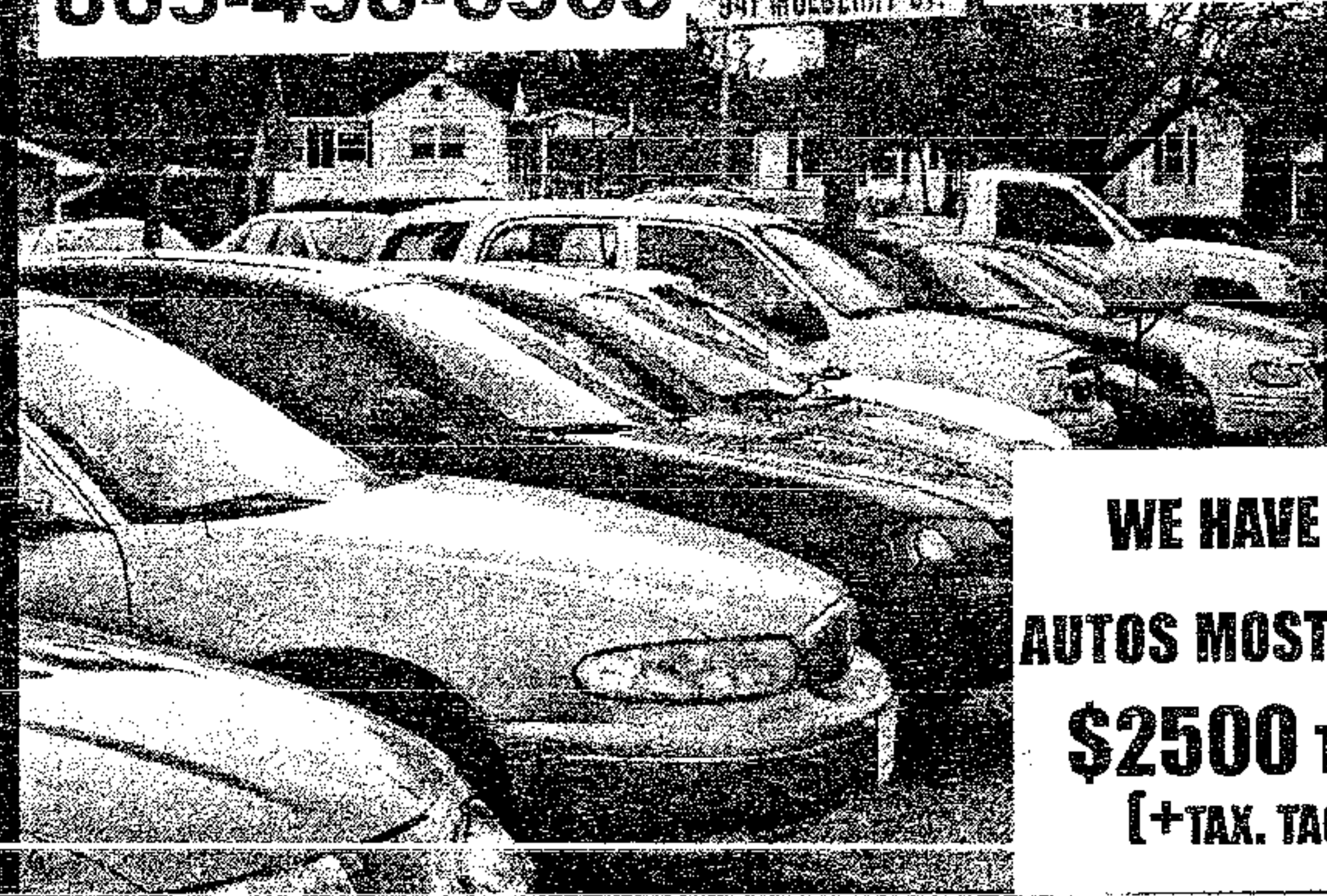
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Griffis

Ashley Jean Griffis, 'aka' Smallen, 30, West 5th Avenue, Lenoir City was charged with passing a worthless check and bad check.

According to affidavits filed by Investigator Jason R. Smith, LCSO-CID; on April 15th, 2009, Ms. Ashley Smallen Griffis wrote a check for \$35.86 to Domino's Pizza. The check was written on a Green Bank account and was taken for deposit to United Community Bank.

The check was returned by Green Bank on April 21st, 2009, for being written on a closed account.

A certified letter was sent to Ms. Smallen Griffis on a second check that had been returned and there was no reply. Investigator Smith contacted Green Bank Fraud Department and was advised there had been no reports of theft or affidavits of forgery for the check, which had been presented at a residence in Loudon County in exchange for a pizza.

Deputy Bruce Padgett, LCSO took Inmate Griffis into custody on a warrant for passing a worthless check Monday at UT Hospital.

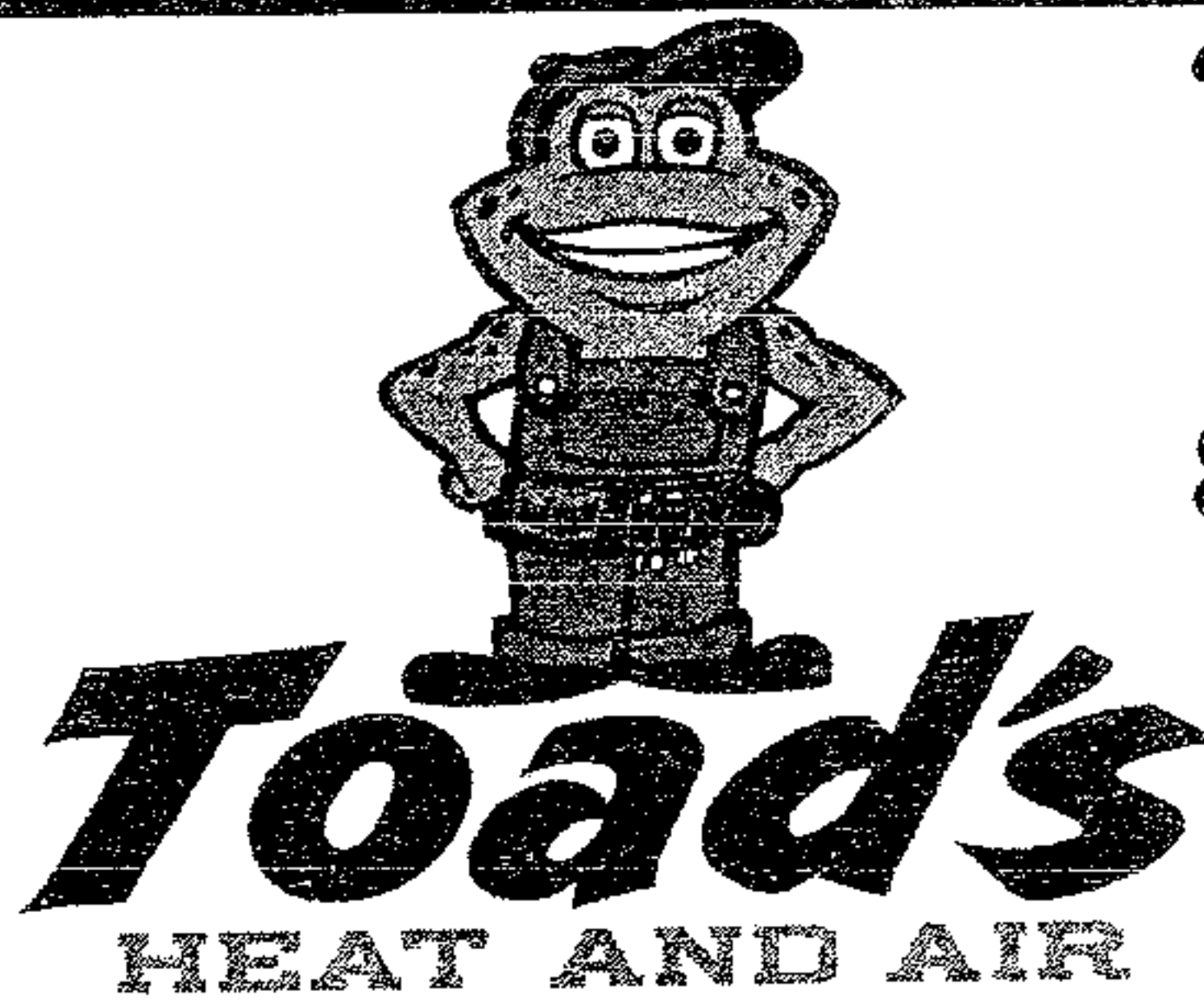
Police Beat

Olivia Janell Houston, 22, Hickory Creek Road, Lenoir City was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Daniel Ferguson, LCSO made the arrest Monday.

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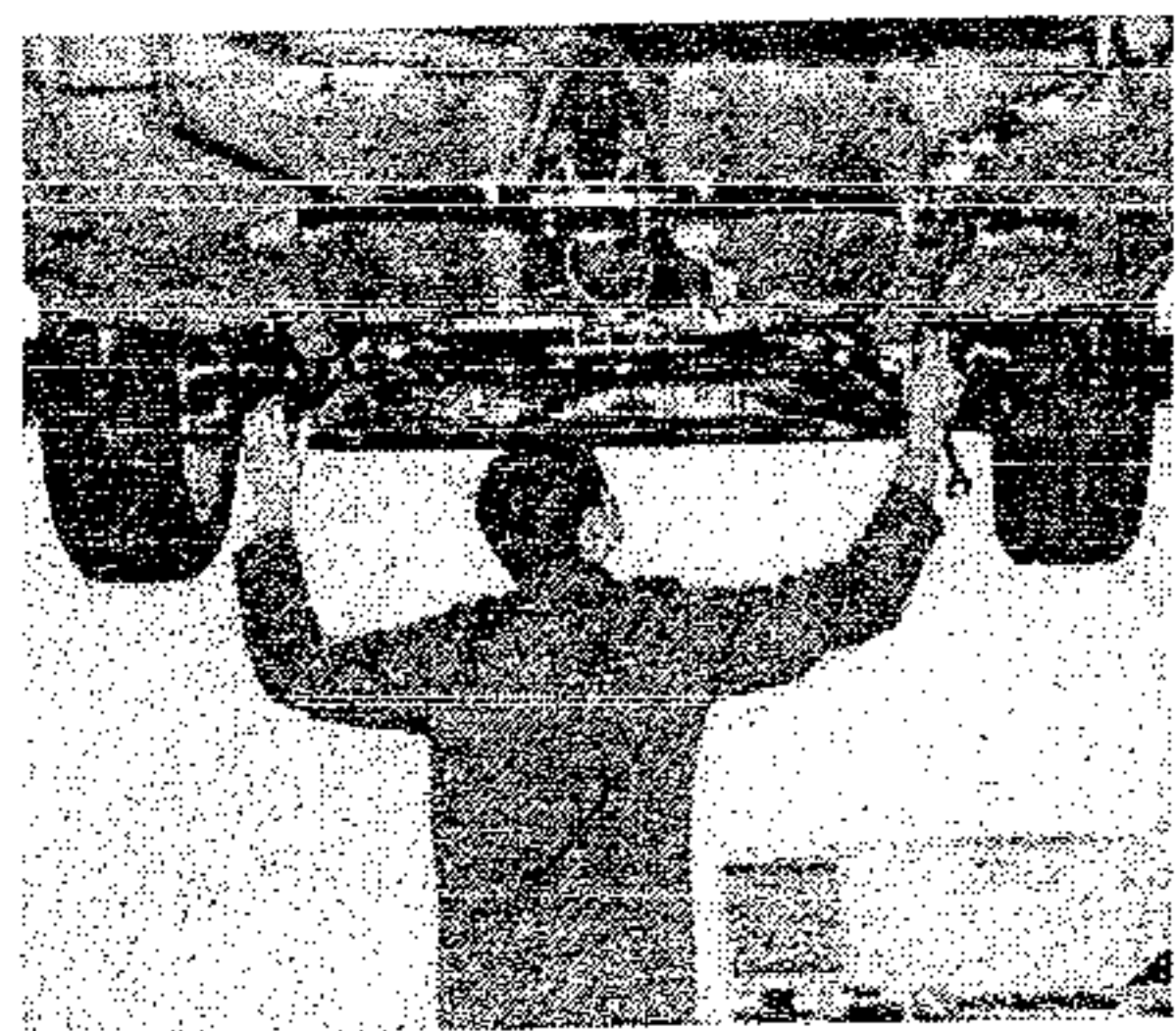
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Jacobs

fog line, then continued to travel while strad-

dling the right fog line and shoulder of the interstate.

Upon arrival of law enforcement, Jacobs came to a stop partially in the left lane and partially on the right shoulder at the 68 mile marker.

Mr. Jacobs had

slurred speech was extremely unsteady on his feet. He was very lethargic and his pupils were constricted. Jacobs admitted to taking 30 mg. oxycodone, 350 mg. soma, and 10 mg. ambien while operating the commercial motor vehicle.

Mr. Jacobs could not perform field sobriety tasks as instructed and was placed under arrest. He was transported to Fort Loudoun Medical Center and then to the jail.

Trooper Eric Miller, THP, made the arrest.

Worker

Bridge. Emergency responders transported 33-year old John Womac to the UT Medical Center where he later died.


Womac was a foreman with Britton Bridge, LLC. The Tennessee Department of Occupational Safety and Health (TOSHA) is investigating the accident.

Police Beat

Grady Stanley Ingram, 45, Loudon County Jail, was charged with a child support attachment.

Deputy Charles Butler, LCSO made the arrest Sunday at the jail.


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Jailed

20, Kelly Lane, Lenoir City was charged with forgery.

According to affidavits filed by Investigator Jason R. Smith, LCSO-CID; on December 20th, 2010, Deputy Craig Brewer, LCSO responded to Forest Heights Circle in reference to a theft. Ms. Lottis Key re-

ported she found her checkbook near her vehicle and a check appeared to be missing from the book.

Records indicate Lottis Key's granddaughter, Rebecca, was on the scene and was advised her Miranda Rights.

Rebecca Key stated she found the checkbook and took a check

from it. The check was later presented by Chelsea Nicole Thomas at First National Bank on Highway 321 after it had been written for \$440.

The check was not cashed and was left at the bank. Both Chelsea and Rebecca were at the residence on December 20th.

Ms. Lottis Key stat-

ed she kept the checkbook in her purse and did not authorize anyone to take the check.

According to the affidavit filed against Thomas; on Monday, December 20th, 2010, Ms. Chelsea Nicole Thomas attempted to cash a check at First National Bank on Highway 321 in Lenoir City. The signature on the check did not match the signature on file.

Ms. Thomas was asked to wait while the check was verified, but she left prior to the tellers return, leaving behind her Tennessee drivers license.

The check was reported stolen from Lottis Key of Forest Heights Circle on the

same day and had been made out to Chelsea Thomas in the amount of \$440. Ms. Lottis Key stated she did not give anyone permission to take the check or sign her name.

Deputies Bryan Blakney and Charles Butler, LCSO made the arrests Sunday.

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No License

According to records, Deputy Rondel M. Branam, LCSO noticed a gray Chevy Tahoe traveling south on Highway 95 at a very slow speed Saturday. The vehicle made a U Turn in the middle of Highway 95 near Glendale Community Road, then traveled north on Highway 95 at a very slow rate of speed again before

turning onto Glendale Community Road.

Deputy Branam followed the Tahoe down Glendale Community Road and witnessed it attempt to turn into several different driveways. The driver also slammed on the brakes numerous times.

The deputy stopped the vehicle in someone's driveway and identified the driver as Mr. Lopez. A check of his name and date of birth through NCIC revealed Lopez to be unlicensed. He was

taken into custody and duly charged.

Hector Luis Abrego, 22, Halls Ferry Road, Lenoir City was charged Saturday with driving without a license.

According to reports, Officer Brandon Gentry, LCPD witnessed a purple Plymouth Voyager run the stop sign at 7th Avenue and E Street.

The driver was Mr. Abrego. NCIC revealed Abrego didn't have a valid drivers license and he was placed under arrest.



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