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Thursday August 11, 2011

Verse of the Day

He that hideth hatred with lying lips, and he that uttereth a slander, is a fool.

Proverbs 10:18

Obituaries

Dr. Carl F. Burke
Dr. James D. Cochran
Raymond Lee Evans
Rev. James Avery (Jimmy) Munsey
Ruby Scott Daniel

Wazzup

It was nice getting to know you "Hot Pants," we sure had a lot of laughs together. "Cool Britches" will really miss you. Good Luck!

Weather

Today: Partly to mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms. High 88. Winds light and variable. Chance of rain 40%.

Tonight: Partly to mostly cloudy skies with scattered thunderstorms before midnight. Low 66. Winds light and variable. Chance of rain 40%.

Friday: Partly cloudy. Highs in the low 90s and lows in the upper 60s.

Horoscopes

Leo 7/23-8/22

You know exactly what you want out of the day, so go for it! That may involve making a big life change or just enjoying what you've

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Theft & forgery

Detective Jack Fine charged a Lenoir City man with theft and forgery after he allegedly used two stolen checks to gain money and merchandise from two local businesses.

Brandon D. Williams, 24, Highway 11 East, Lenoir City was charged with forgery, theft over \$1000 and violation of probation.

(see Williams pg. 7) Williams



Local man gets meth charge

A local man was charged with promoting the manufacture of meth after he allegedly took a woman to a pharmacy and paid her to buy some pseudoephedrine for him.

Gary Allen Strange II, 26, Huntsville Hollow Road, Lenoir City was charged with pro-

(see Strange pg. 8)

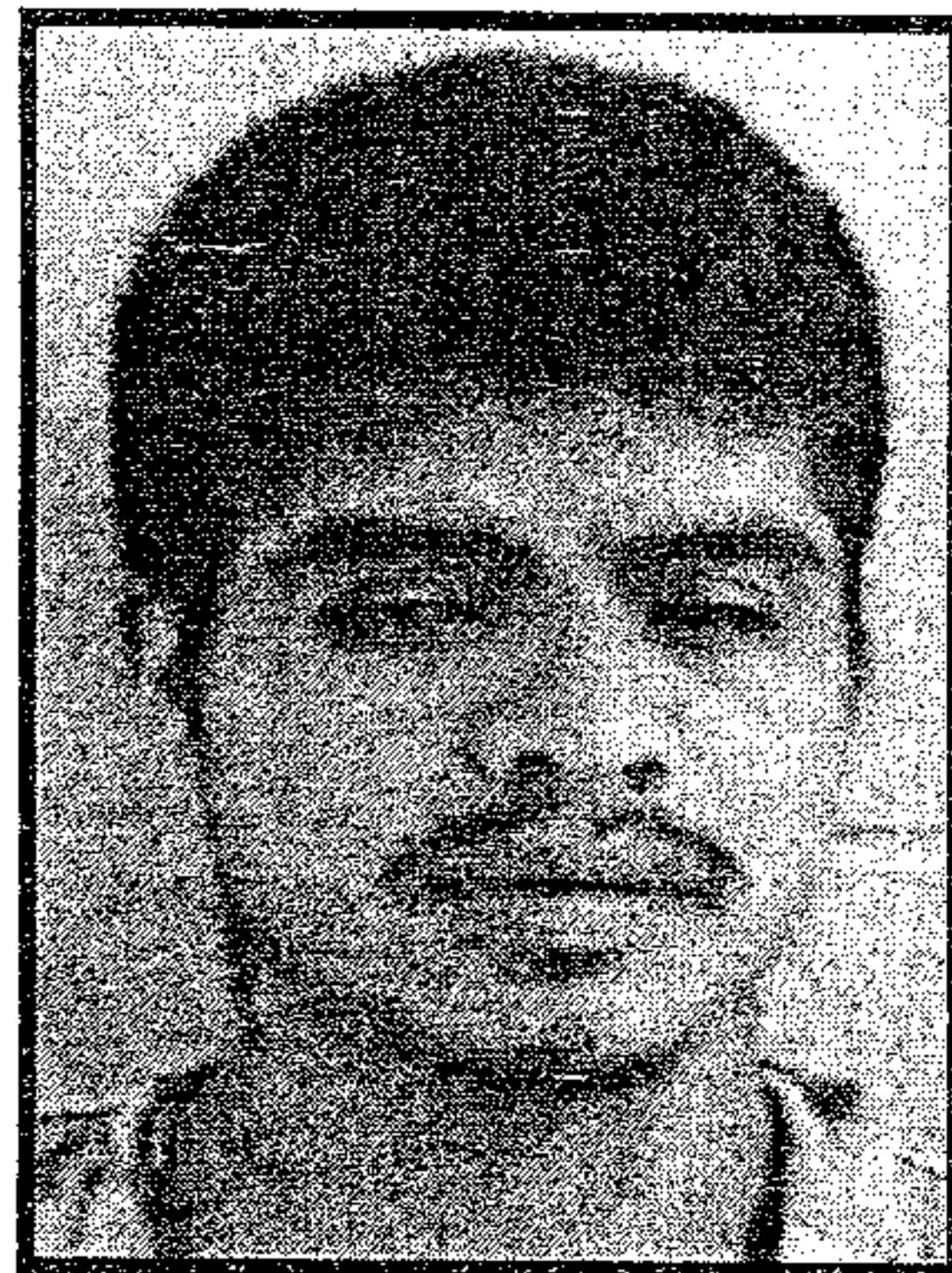
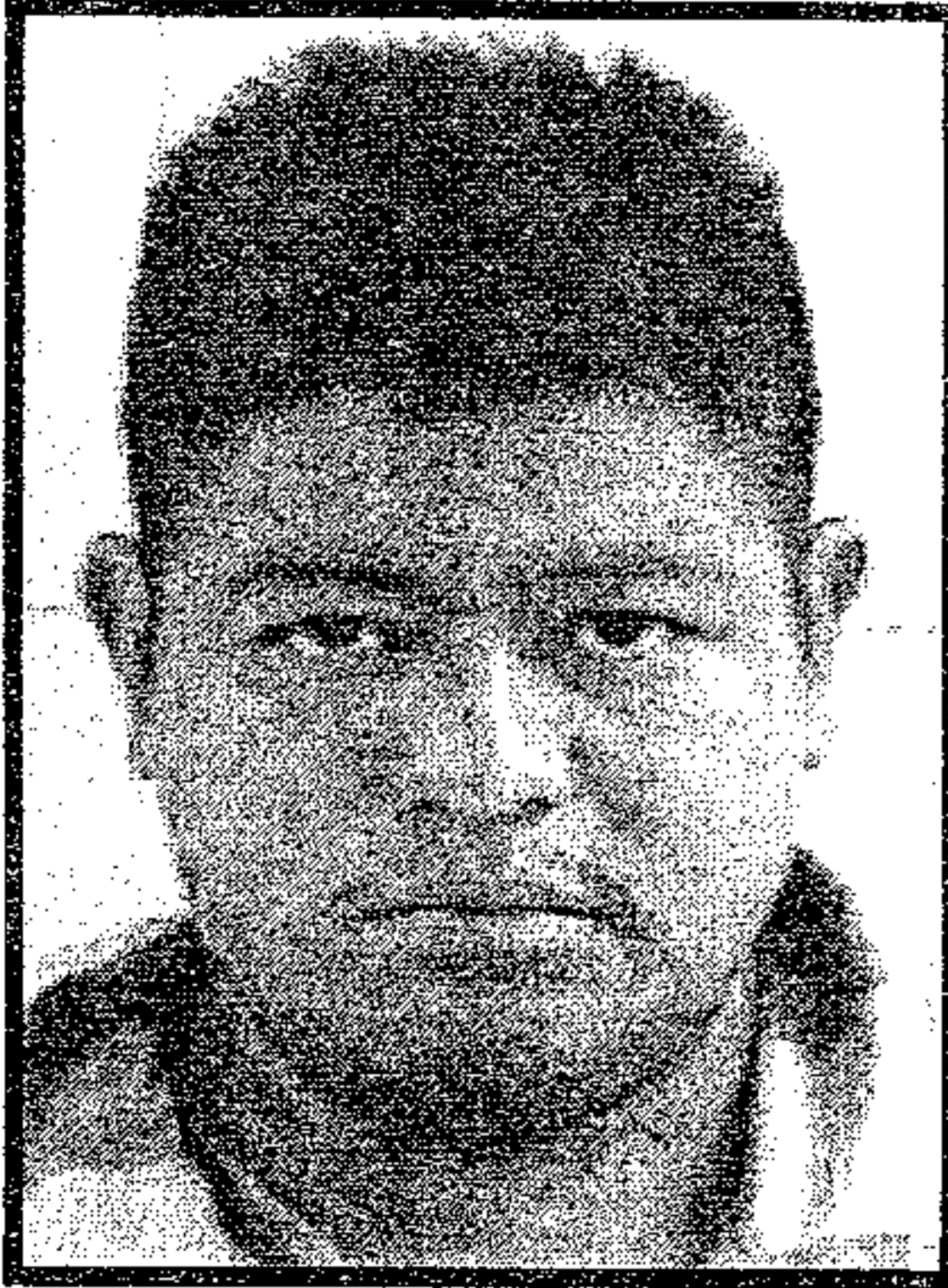


Strange

Assault at hotel leaves 1 injured, 2 charged

Two Georgia men were charged with aggravated assault Friday after they reportedly beat a third man who had been staying in the same motel room with them. The victim was transported to the hospital for treatment following the altercation.

(see Assault pg. 3) Angel Mendez



Carlos Mendez

Roofing materials stolen

A building contractor told Deputy Brad Rayfield one of his sub-contractors had stolen several roofing material items from a job, but said he would return them. The contractor called police, however when the rogue worker failed to show.

According to reports, Friday, at approximately 6:35 PM,

(see Materials pg. 3)

July Revenues

NASHVILLE - Tennessee revenue collections continued a very modest growth trend in July. Finance and Administration Commissioner Mark Emkes today announced a net positive growth of 1.17% over July collections of one year ago. Overall July revenues

were \$843.3 million or \$19.9 million more than the state budgeted.

July marks the 12th consecutive month this year in which total collections have exceeded the budgeted estimates. July sales tax collections represent consumer spend-

(see Revenues pg. 5)

Haslam Named Vice Chair of National Governors Association Education, Early Childhood and Workforce Committee

NASHVILLE - Tennessee Gov. Bill Haslam was announced as Vice Chair of the National Governors Association (NGA) Education, Early Childhood and Workforce Committee by NGA Chair Nebraska Gov. Dave Heineman

and NGA Vice Chair Delaware Gov. Jack Markell.

The Education, Early Childhood and Workforce Committee has jurisdiction over issues in the area of education (including early child-

(see Haslam pg. 5)

Assault

Angel Mendez, 30, Dangloody Glen Road, Atlanta, Georgia and Carlos Mendez, 20, Chumbley Heights, Atlanta, Georgia were charged with aggravated assault.

According to records, Friday, around 2:19 AM, Sgt. Joe Foster, LCPD received a call from dispatch in

regards to a fight at the Kings Inn on Highway 321. When the sgt. arrived, a Hispanic male was in the front of office bleeding from the head.

The man took Sgt. Foster to room 267 and advised two men, Angel and Carlos Mendez, had beat him. The lawman reported Carlos Mendez's hand had cuts and blood on it,

and Angel Mendez had blood on him. The also room had blood all in it. The victim was staying in the same room with the two men.

The victim was transported to Fort Loudoun ER by EMS and Sgt. Foster placed the assailants under arrest.

Materials

Deputy Brad Rayfield, LCSO was dispatched

to West Shore Drive in Loudon to take a theft report. The complainant, Mr. Mark C. Schlicker, advised he's a building contractor and one of his former sub-contractors stole several items of roofing material from a job site on Unitia Road.

The missing items include six rolls of black roofing felt, one roll of ice and water shield, and two 20x30

blue tarps.

The sub-contractor reportedly admitted to taking the items, and told Mr. Schlicker he was going to bring the items back to him, but, he didn't show up.

The total value of the stolen items was estimated to be \$400. The suspect was named and the theft was turned over to investigators.



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Evans, Tellico Plains & Howard Evans, Vonore; brothers in law, Joe Russell & B.R. Russell, Loudon. Funeral services 7 p.m. Wednesday Loudon Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Doyle Pruett officiating. Interment Simpson Cemetery 10:30 a.m. Thursday. Visitation 5-7 p.m. Wednesday Loudon Funeral Home. www.loudonfuneralhome.net

Rev. James Avery (Jimmy) Munsey - age 70 of Marietta, GA formerly of Lenoir City passed away Saturday, August 6, 2011 from complications of brain cancer. Jimmy loved life and fought hard to live. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather, and brother. Jimmy was born and raised in Lenoir City and graduated from Lenoir City High School in 1959. He was a proud veteran of the U. S. Marine Corp. for 4 years. Jimmy devoted his life to Christian service and was pastor of the New Life Family Church in Marietta for over 30 years, where he was dearly loved by his parishioners. He was preceded in death by his grandson, Dillon of Marietta, GA; parents, Charlie and Jessie Munsey of Lenoir City; brothers, Charles Houston Munsey of Cartersville, GA and Roy Leonard Munsey of Lenoir City who was killed in action in Korea on October 4, 1951; and sister, Virginia Marlene Murray of Hershey, PA. Jimmy is survived by his wife, Carolyn Wakefield Munsey; daughter, Debby (John) Whitworth; son, James (Kim) Munsey; 8 grandchildren; 1 great grandchild all of Marietta, GA; brother, Steve (Betsy) Munsey of Lenoir City; sisters, Kay Bowden of Lenoir City, Alice Gosa of Douglasville, GA, Margie (Jerry) Shouse of Nashville, TN, Judy

Madewell of Smithville, TN, and Mary (Verlin) Bright of Douglasville, GA; several nieces, nephews and cousins. Memorial services will be held 6 p.m. Wednesday, August 10th at the Roswell Funeral Home in Roswell, GA. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society. Compliments of Click Funeral Home, Lenoir City.

Ruby Scott Daniel passed away peacefully at Baptist Healthcare Center on Friday evening August 5, 2011. She was 95 years old. She is survived by her daughter, Donna Brown of Sacramento, California and her son and daughter-in-law, Dale and Regina Daniel of Lenoir City. Ruby was born in Crowder, Oklahoma in 1915. She married Green Berry Daniel also of Crowder. In 1935, she and Green fled the Great Southwest Dust Bowl along with hundreds of other "Okies" to California where they found work in the citrus industry. When World War II broke out, Ruby joined Douglas Aircraft in Long Beach, California. As "Rosie the Riveter", she made wings for war planes. In 1944, she left Lockheed to join the US Navy as a "WAVE" for the balance of the war. Ruby was very proud of her Navy service. While raising her children, she owned and operated Ruby's Children's Shop in Tustin California. She was Girl Scout leader and President of the PTA. After a move to Whittier, California she worked for local school district and became Food Service Manager. She attended UCLA to obtain credential to teach Food Handling and Catering and she completed a cake decorating course at Cerritos Community College. Her pies and peanut brittle were legendary in her church and community of friends. Ruby was

very active in the life of Mount Olive Presbyterian Church, becoming an ordained deacon. She was also active with the local food bank. She will be greatly missed by those who knew and loved her. Graveside services and interment will be held on Friday, August 12, 2011 at 11:30 a.m. at the Tennessee State Veterans' Cemetery with military honors by the Loudon County Veteran Honor Guard. Click Funeral Home in Lenoir City is serving the family of Ruby Daniel.

Haslam

hood, elementary and secondary education, and higher education) as well as in the areas of workforce development and labor.

Members of the committee ensure that the governors' views are represented in the shaping of federal policy.

"I am pleased to serve on the NGA Education, Early Childhood and Workforce Committee," Haslam said. "As governors, we have a unique perspective on federal legislation and regulations. Through this committee, governors can work together to advocate for greater flexibility on federal education policies affecting the states."

Arkansas Gov. Mike Beebe will serve as chair of the committee.

In March, Haslam joined Colorado Gov. John Hickenlooper and U.S. Secretary of Education Arne Duncan to serve on a bi-partisan, federal study group co-chaired by U.S. Sens. Lamar Alexander (R-TN) and Michael Bennett (D-CO).

That group's mission is to

review the effectiveness of education regulations and assessment evaluations in Tennessee and Colorado.

Haslam has two events with Duncan tomorrow, August 10 in Nashville: an education forum and a listening session with rural Tennessee school superintendents.

Revenues

ing that took place in the month of June.

"The year-to-date growth in both sales and corporate tax collections indicates a very slow economic recovery in Tennessee, and it means we must continue to cautiously move forward in managing the state's budget," Emkes said. "Additional concern for us at the state level is that economic indicators are showing a very slow national recovery."

On an accrual basis, July is the twelfth month in the 2010-2011 fiscal year.

The general fund was over collected by \$2.3 million, and the four other funds were over collected by \$17.6 million.

Sales tax collections were \$30.5 million more than the estimate for July. The July growth rate was 4.87%. For twelve months revenues are over collected by \$226.1 million. The year-to-date growth rate for twelve months was positive 4.62%.

Franchise and excise taxes combined were \$5.0 million under the budgeted estimate of \$55.4 million. The growth rate for July was negative 2.10%.

(see Revenues cont. pg. 6)

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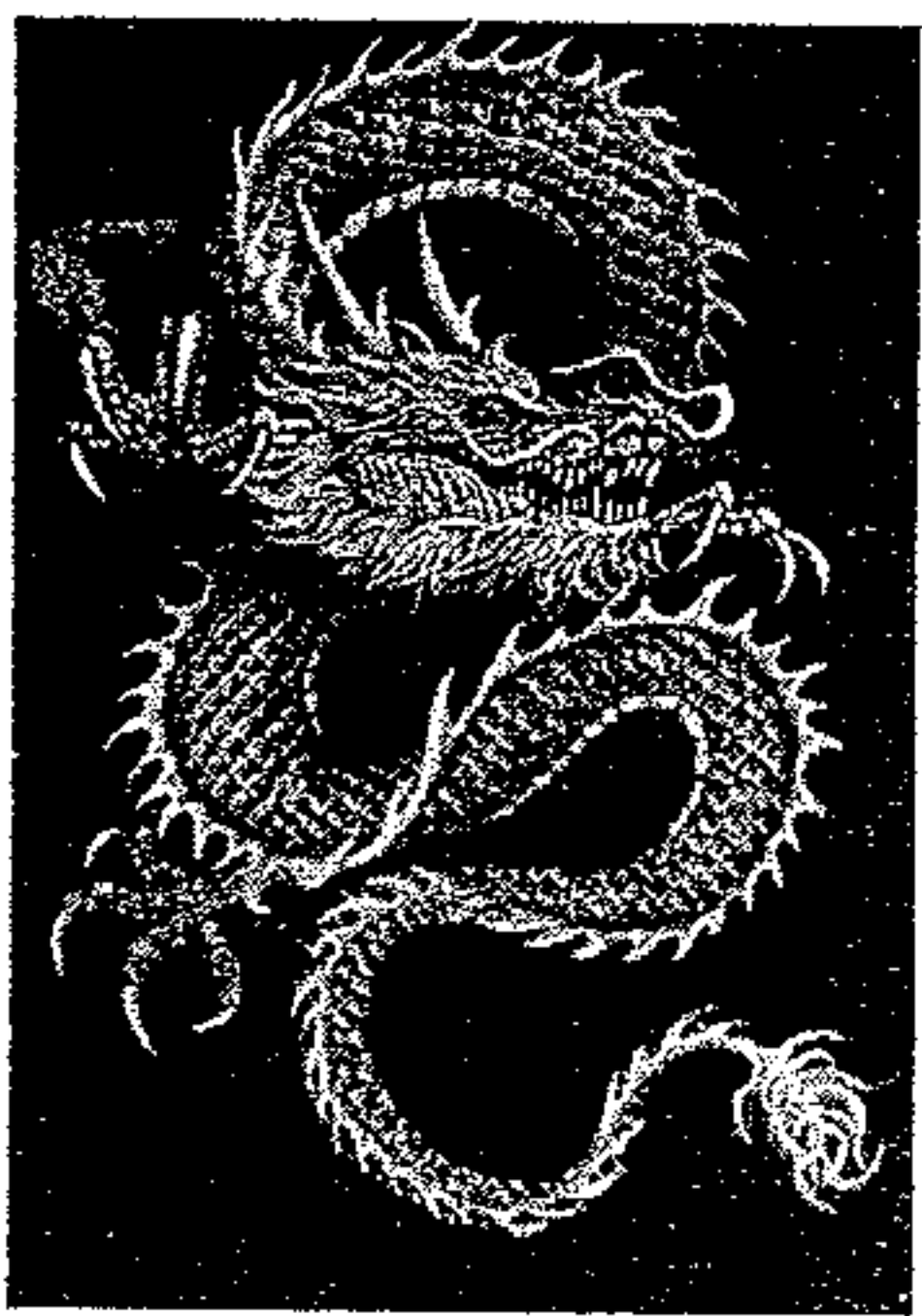
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Revenues cont.

For twelve months revenues are over collected by \$42.8 million and the year-to-date growth rate was positive 6.66%.

Inheritance and estate tax collections were \$5.6 million below the July estimate. For twelve months collections are \$21.1 million above the budgeted estimate.

Privilege tax collections were \$2.4 million below the July budgeted estimate. For twelve months collections are \$12.0 million less than the budgeted estimate, and the year-to date growth rate was positive 1.57%.

Tobacco tax collections were \$557,000 below the budgeted estimate of \$26.1 million. For twelve months revenues are under collected by \$7.7 million.

Gasoline and motor fuel tax collections for

July were under collected by \$350,000. For twelve months revenues are over collected by \$10.3 million.

All other taxes for July were over collected by a net of \$3.3 million.

Year-to-date collections for twelve months were \$269.4 million more than the budgeted estimate. The general fund was over collected by \$221.3 million and the four other funds were over collected by \$48.1 million.

The budgeted revenue estimates for 2010-2011 are based on the State Funding Board's consensus recommendation of April 7, 2010 and adopted by the second session of the 106th General Assembly in June. They are available on the state's website at <http://www.tn.gov/finance/bud/budget.html>.

The State Funding Board met on the 8th and 14th of December 2010, and again on February 7, 2011. As a result of these meetings the board adopted mid-year revised revenue ranges for 2010-2011. The board issued a formal letter addressed to the Governor and Chairman of House and Senate Finance Ways and Means Committees dated February 25, 2011 detailing the board's actions.

The 2010-2011 revised ranges adopted by the board reflect growth rates ranging from 3.60% to 4.00% in total taxes, and 3.95% to 4.45% in general fund taxes.

Based on the board's consensus recommendation, the official budgeted estimates for 2010-2011 were revised in March 2011. The revised estimates are reflected on pages A-72 and A-74 in the 2011-2012 Budget

Document and assume an over collection in total taxes in the amount of \$198.5 million, and an over collection of \$161.3 million in general fund taxes.

Year-to-date collections through July compared to the February revision are \$70.9 million above the total estimate, and \$42.8 million above the general fund estimate. The four other funds that share in state tax collections are \$28.1 million above the revised estimate.

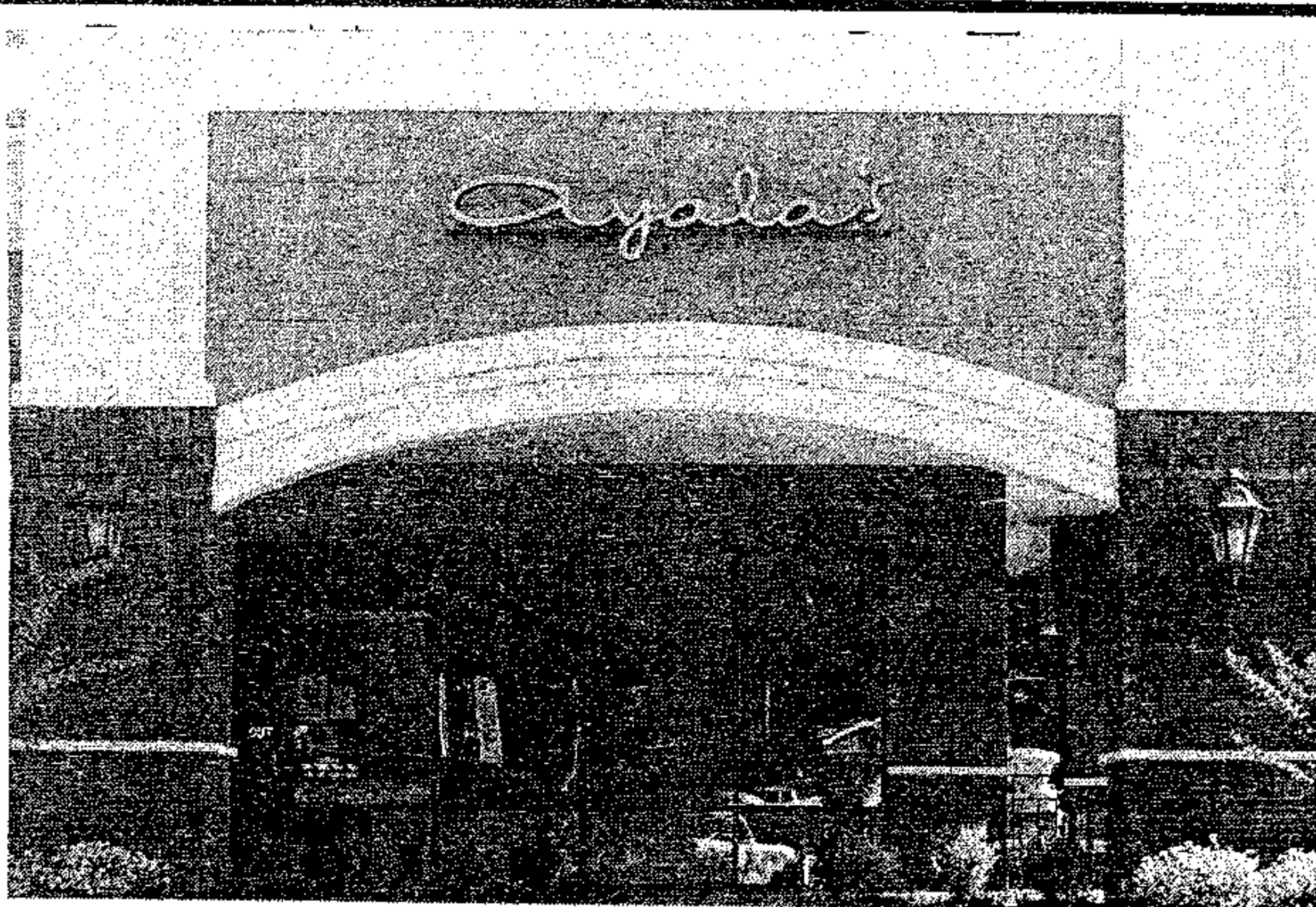
The funding board met again on April 12, 2011 to hear updated revenue estimating presentations on the state's near-term economic outlook for fiscal years 2010-2011 and 2011-2012, taking final action on April 15th to revise the February ranges.

The action taken by the

board in April recognized an increase at the top of the range for 2010-2011 from 4.00% to 4.15% in total taxes and from 4.45% to 4.50% in general fund taxes. The result of this action increased projected revenues for total taxes by \$15.1 million and general fund taxes by \$15.2 million for this fiscal year. This increase was recognized in the administration's budget amendment and adopted by the General Assembly on Saturday May 21, 2011.

Year-to-date collections through July compared to the final action taken by the board and approved by the General Assembly are \$55.8 million above the total estimate, and \$27.6 million above the general fund estimate.

Year-to-date collections for 2010-2011 are subject to final accrual adjustments.



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Williams

According to affidavits filed by Detective Jack Fine, LCPD; on Monday, June 13th, 2011, at approximately 12:03 PM, Brandon Williams cashed two

stolen checks at the Green Bank, 510 Highway 321, in Lenoir City. The checks, which were from Regions Bank, totaled \$1030.

Then on the same date, Williams purchased \$682.78 worth

of merchandise at Home Depot, 250 Abbie Drive, Lenoir City using a stolen check. Mr. Williams forged the victims name, with the intent to defraud the victim.

The total amount of

the loss was \$1712.78. Officer Allen Bean, LCPD made the arrest Saturday, at the Pilot in Lenoir City.

Police Beat

Jerry Luis Rolan, 31, West 5th Avenue, Lenoir City was charged with criminal trespass.

According to reports, Mr. Rolan was at 120 Allison Lane, Friday,

which is part of Lenoir City Housing Authority property.

Rolan had been advised by Detective Jonathan Sartin, LCPD he was not allowed on Housing Authority property.

Rolan is barred from the property due to his criminal history.

Detective Sartin made the arrest.



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Strange

motion of methamphetamine manufacture.

According to reports, Officer Kevin Condee, LCPD was conducting surveillance Thursday at Walgreens Pharmacy and observed a woman purchasing pseudoephedrine. Officer Condee followed her outside and identified himself.

The woman agreed to talk with him and also allowed him to check her identification. A computer database showed several recent pseudoephedrine purchases by the woman.

Records indicate the woman rode to Walgreens in a vehicle with Gary Allen Strange II. Officer Condee had prior contact with Strange under similar circumstances and had prior knowledge Strange is involved in the promotion of methamphetamine manufacture.

The woman advised Strange offered her \$40 to buy the pseudoephedrine and told her

which pseudoephedrine product to purchase.

Strange was placed under arrest and transported to the Loudon County Jail.

No other charges had been filed at the time of the report.

Police Beat

Corey Lane Smith, 34, County Road 298, Sweetwater was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Lonnie Gaut, LCSO made the arrest Friday, at the McMinn County Jail.

William Jackson Bolton, 30, Shaw Ferry Road, Lenoir City was charged Saturday with violation of probation.

Deputy Rondel M. Branam, LCSO, made he arrest.

Roger Ernest McClain, 21, Beaumont Avenue, Knoxville was charged with violation of probation.

Corporal Michael Wilson, LCSO made the arrest Saturday at the Knox County Jail.

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