

Man charged with theft by possession



Burnum

A Kingston man reportedly told officials he had borrowed the pickup he was driving when officers located him to serve him warrants, however when the information was run on the truck, authorities learned the

(see Theft by Possession pg. 5)

Woman resists police after domestic



Godbey

A Greenback woman received an additional charge of resisting arrest when an officer had to get a fellow lawman to help place her in his patrol unit after she was determined the primary aggressor in an a dis-

(see Spooned pg. 7)

Knox man nabbed as deadbeat dad



McKinley

A Knoxville man wanted for failing to provide for his offspring by not paying child support reportedly tried to lie about his identity when confronted by police after a concerned store clerk reported

(see Deadbeat pg. 6)

Woman goes to jail for less than \$20 in stolen items



Coker

A Sweetwater woman was jailed after she reportedly stole under \$20 worth of personal hygiene items from Walmart Thursday.

Julia Denise Coker, 36, Sunflower Circle, Sweetwater was

(see Jailed pg. 7)

2012-13 Hunting Seasons Preview Presented at April TWRC Meeting

NASHVILLE - The Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency made its 2012-13 hunting seasons recommendations at the April meeting of the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Commission with a few changes to the current regulations.

TWRA Wildlife and Forestry Division Chief Daryl Ratajczak and members of his staff made presentations to TWRC members.

In regard to white-tailed deer hunting, the TWRA is proposing to increase the antlerless archery

season bag limit in Unit B to four deer per season. Also, allow Unit B counties the entire 14-day muzzleloader season to harvest a bag limit of one antlerless deer. Non-quota antlerless gun hunts were added in Campbell, Jackson, Morgan, and Scott counties.

A limited season for red deer was initiated in Claiborne County last year and the TWRA is recommending the season run concurrent with the white-tailed deer season in 2012-13. The area is south of the Powell River in Claiborne County.

(see Meeting pg. 3)

Verse of the Day

We believe that Jesus died and rose again and so we believe that God will bring with Jesus those who have fallen asleep in him.

1 Thessalonians 4:14

Obituaries

Albert F. Roberts

Wazzup

What's up with a certain lady school bus driver zipping through neighborhoods and leaving children behind in Lenoir City? How many complaints need to be lodged before she slows it down a smidge, and just how safe are

her passengers when she's zipping around like that?

Weather

Today: Overcast with rain showers at times. High 71. Winds NNE at 5 to 10 mph. Chance of rain 50%.

Tonight: Rain showers early with mostly cloudy conditions late.

Low around 50. Winds light and variable. Chance of rain 50%.

Wednesday: Partly cloudy. Highs in the low 70s and lows in the upper 40s.

Horoscopes

Aries 3/21-4/19

It's time to think ahead -

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Meeting

The state is coming off a record harvest for black bears. Surveys indicate the population is thriving, allowing the agency to increase the number of bear hunting opportunities. Bear hunting days, with dogs permitted, will increase on three separate

hunts with the increase varying 10 to 12 days, depending on the particular county. Also, there will be an increase of the bear dog training season by 4 to 14 days, also depending on the county.

During fall turkey season, archers will be given an opportunity to harvest the full county bag limit in the counties that are open. The fall turkey counties will be expanded to include Cumberland, Grundy, Hamilton, Madi-

son, Putnam, Sequatchie, and Van Buren counties as well as increase bag limits in many East Tennessee counties. Fall turkey bag limits would be reduced in three southern Middle Tennessee counties which are Giles, Lawrence and Wayne.

The TWRA is proposing season date adjustments on numerous Wild Management Areas (WMAs). The complete list of changes is also available on the attach-

ments below.

A wild hog control season (with dogs) would be added on Catoosa and Skinner Mountain. Upon request by the United States Forest Service (USFS), Tellico and Ocoee bear reserves would be closed to raccoon hunting season.

The agency is clarifying regulations regarding weapon restrictions specifically as it pertains to small game and coyote hunting (Complete details available on attachment below).

For falconry, an additional month would be allowed for falconers to acquire birds.

In addition, the TWRC requested that the agency consider extending the end of deer gun season to the first full weekend of January. Commission members also requested the agency consider extending the quail season until the last day of February.

In other business at the

meeting, the Boating Officer, and the Part-time Boating Officer of the Year awards were presented. Pam McDonald of TWRA District 22 in southern Middle Tennessee is the Boating Officer of the Year and Allen Herald of District 21 wins the Part-Time Officer of the Year for the second consecutive year.

Don Crawford, Information and Education Division Assistant Chief, gave a presentation on the recently-held National Archery in the Schools Program (NASP) State Tournament. The event drew a record number of participants and eight teams and more than 50 individuals earned the right to advance to next month's national tournament in Louisville, Ky.

The TWRC will hold its next meeting May 17-18 in Nashville at the TWRA Region II Ray Bell Building in Nashville.

The TWRA is soliciting (see Meeting ctd. pg. 6)

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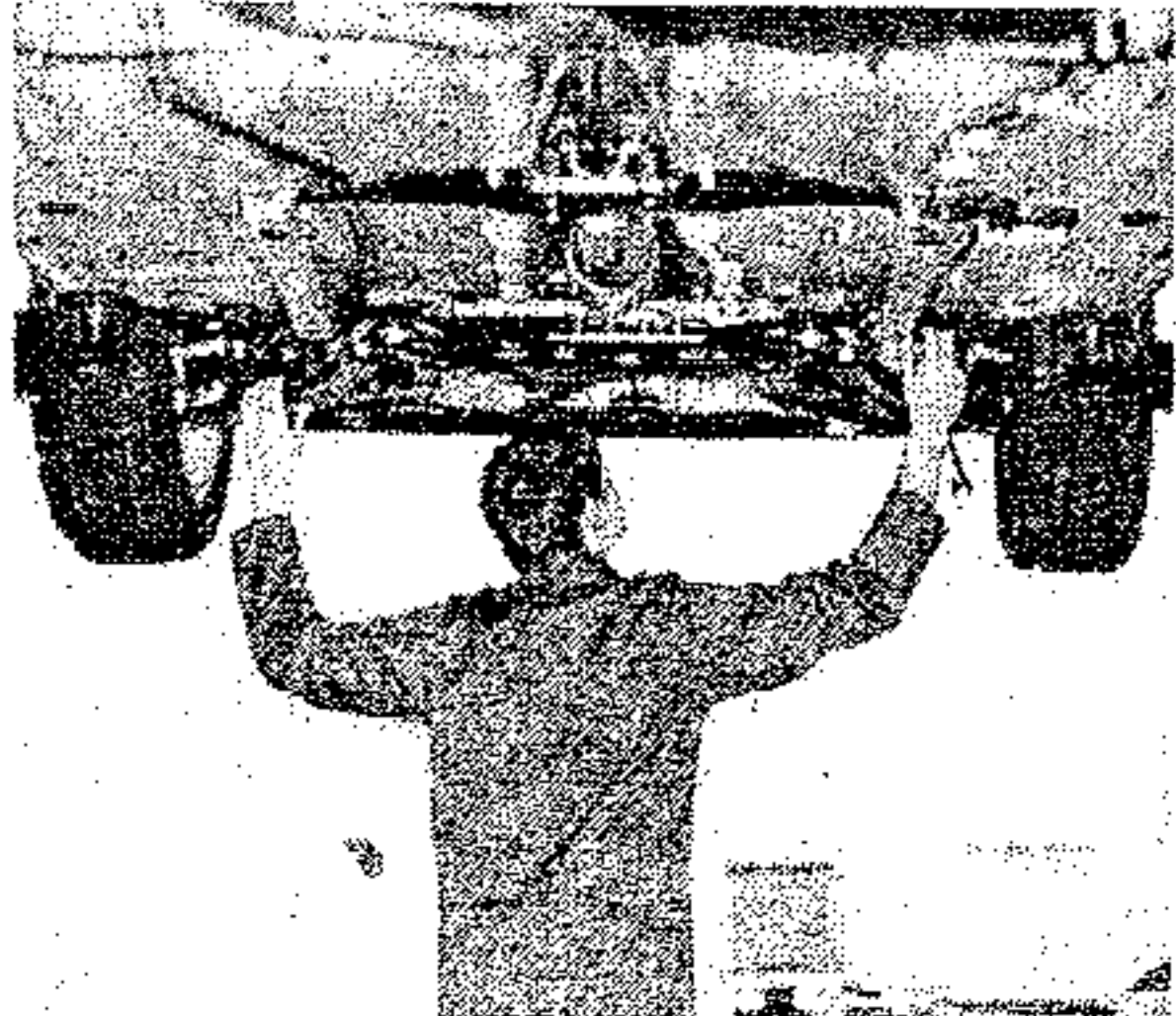
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Albert F. Roberts, age 77, of the Tellico Village Community, passed away peacefully on Saturday, April 14, after a courageous battle with cancer. He was born in Schenectady, NY, to the late Albert and Mary Roberts. Al graduated from Draper High School in Schenectady and served his country in the Air Force Reserves. He later moved to Flint, MI, where he graduated from General Motors Institute with an Engineering degree. His career with General Motors spanned 37 years and several states. He retired in 1996 and moved from Michigan to Tellico Village in 1998. Throughout

his life, Al enjoyed home remodeling, boating, genealogy and traveling the world. He was the ultimate "Mr. Fix-It". Al was preceded in death by his parents, Albert and Mary Roberts and his sister Eleanor Polito. He is survived by his wife of 18 years, Linda, his children Rick (Sondra) and Cindy (Andy Clark), Step-children Bob Foxwell (Michele), Jim Foxwell, and Cathy Sokoll (Darryl), grandchildren and step-grandchildren Brooke, Alison, Devin, Brendan, Marina and Mikhail, and his brother Tom (Dedra). Per his wishes, he will be cremated, and there will be no visitation or Memorial service. In lieu of

flowers, contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society or the charity of your choice. Click Funeral Home & Cremations - Tellico Village Chapel is serving the family of Al Roberts.

Police Beat

Joseph Winton 'Junior' Vincil Jr., 27, Norwood, Lenoir City was charged with failure to appear. Officers B. Burley and Jason Felts, LCPD served the warrant and made the arrest at Vincil's home.

Mr. Vincil also was served an outstanding city warrant for failure to appear on a suspended drivers license charge. Officer J. Anderson,

LCPD served that warrant while Vincil was in custody at the Loudon County Jail.

Mariah Danielle Mantooth, 21, Reynolds Road, Madisonville was charged with violation of probation. Deputy C. Matthews, LCSO made the arrest

at the Monroe County Jail.

David Dwayne Galyon, 42, Ashley Lane, Philadelphia was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Nathan Wilson, LCSO made the arrest at the Monroe County Jail.

PUBLIC NOTICE
Budget Committee Meeting

Lenoir City Budget Committee will meet at City Hall, in the small conference room, on Tuesday, April 24, 2012 at 9:00 A.M. The purpose of the meeting will be to begin preparation of the 2012-2013 Fiscal Year Budget.

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Theft by Possession

vehicle had been reported stolen and man was charged with theft by possession.

Levi Zachara Burnum,

31, High Ridge Road, Kingston was charged with theft over \$500 by possession.

According to records, Deputy Brian Smith,

LCSO responded to the Sunrise Motel on West Lee Highway Monday, in reference to a call of a stolen vehicle and a person by the name of

Levi Zachara Burnum with warrants from Roane County. On arrival the deputy made contact with a blue Chevy 1500 pickup matching the description and started asking several people if they knew who the vehicle belonged to.

A woman reported she thought it belonged to a man in room #3. At that time, a woman came out of room #3 and the deputy asked her if she knew Levi Burnum, and she said yes, but he wasn't

there.

Deputy Smith asked the woman if he could look in her room to see if Burnum was there and she said, "Yes you can, he's in there."

The deputy entered the room and made contact with Burnum in the bathroom. He advised he had warrants out of Roane County and asked Burnum if the blue truck in front of the motel was his. Burnum said no, he'd borrowed it from a friend in Roane County.

After placing Mr. Burnum into the patrol car, Deputy Smith was advised the vehicle in question was stolen from Roane County.

Mr. Burnum was placed into custody for theft over \$500 by being in possession of a stolen truck.

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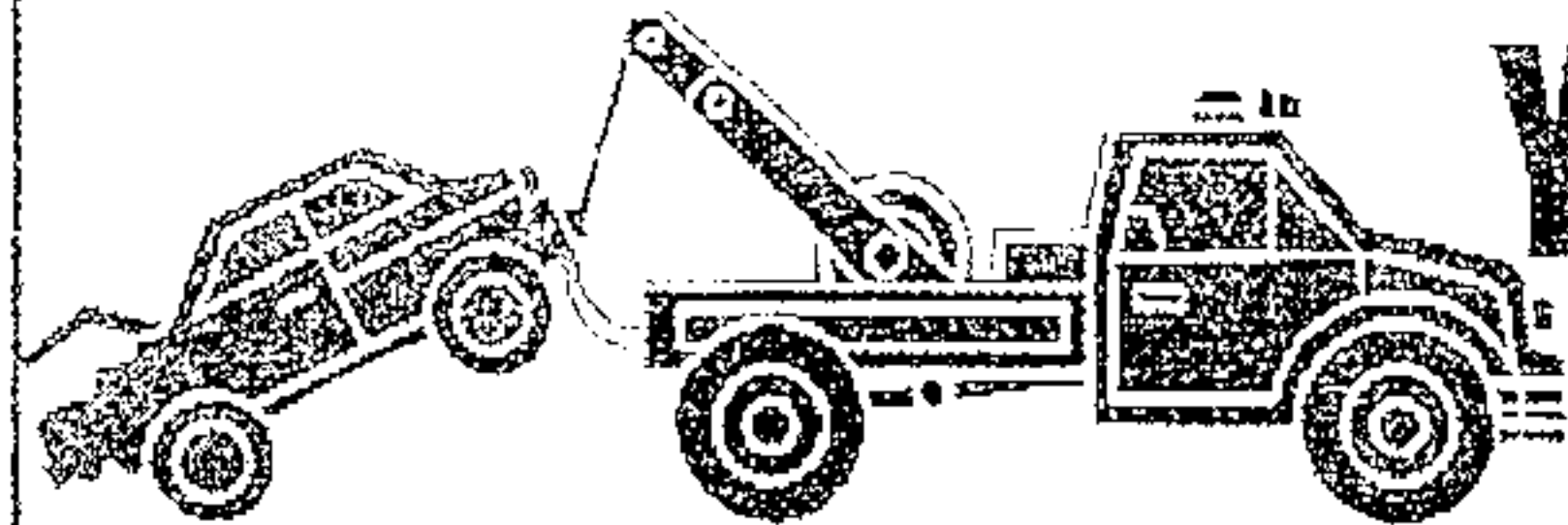
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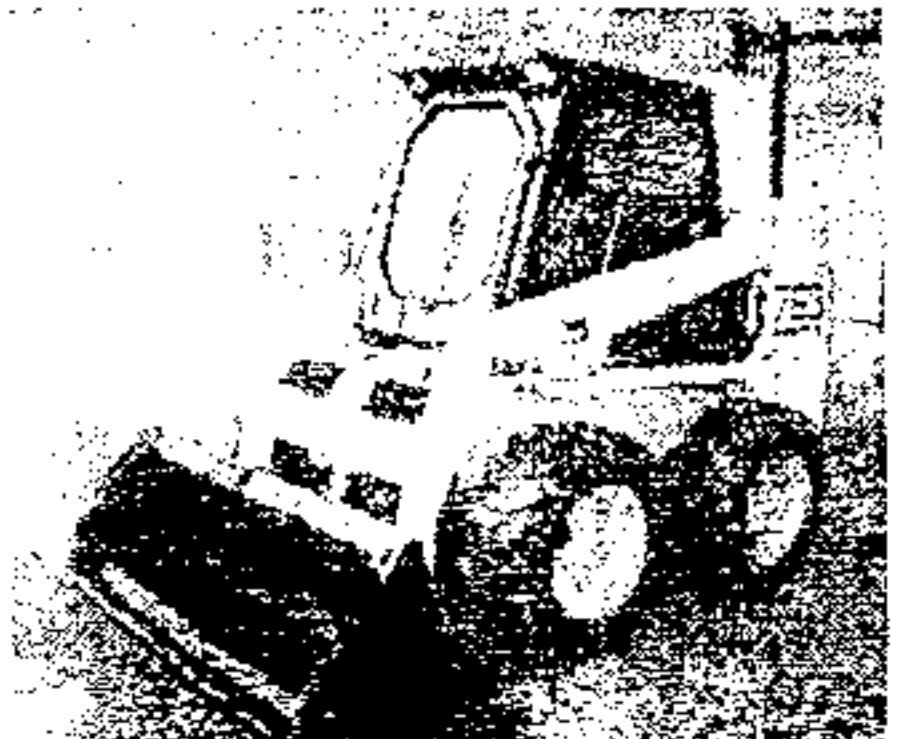
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Deadbeat

he'd been parked behind a business for a long period of time and store personnel were worried about his intentions.

Brandon J. McKinley, 28, West Ford Valley Road, Knoxville was charged with driving on suspended 2nd offense and criminal impersonation.

According to affidavits; Trooper Eric Miller, THP was fueling up at the Exxon station on Highway 321 at Interstate 75 when he was approached by a store employee who advised a vehicle had been behind the building for a long time and they were concerned about what was going on.

Upon initial interview, Mr. McKinley was extremely nervous and was attempting to be deceiving. He could not pro-

duce a drivers license and when asked for his name and date of birth he gave the name Jessie Lee but couldn't give his date of birth. He then stated his real name was Brandon J. McKinley and his date of birth was in 1983.

A check of his drivers license revealed McKinley was suspended for failure to pay child support out of Knox County.

Mr. McKinley passed field sobriety tasks, although he stated he'd taken prescription hydrocodone and non prescrip-

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A warrant check was conducted and revealed Mr. McKinley had a warrant for his arrest out of Knox County for failure

to pay child support.

Trooper Miller placed him under arrest and transported him to the Loudon County Jail.

Meeting ctd.

comments for its 2012-13 hunting seasons regulations proposals. This is an opportunity for the public

to share ideas and concerns about hunting regulations with TWRA staff.

Public comments will be considered by (see Meeting ctd. pg. 7)

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Spooned

pute where she used reportedly a wooden spoon to hit her boyfriend.

Reba Renee Godbey, 44, Highway 411 South, Greenback was charged with domestic assault and resisting arrest.

According to reports, Saturday, around 10:19 PM, Deputy Brian Smith, LCSO responded to a residence on Highway 411 South, for a call of domestic violence. The victim stated his girlfriend, Reba R. Godbey, was in the bedroom talking on the phone and

when she came out she started screaming at him for unknown reasons. Godbey was screaming so bad his daughter and her husband had to leave.

While they were leaving, Ms. Godbey struck the victim in the head with a wooden spoon.

Ms. Godbey told the deputy she and her boyfriend had only been in an argument. Ms. Godbey seemed to be very upset and intoxicated. She was also being very loud and aggressive with Deputy Smith and Deputy Branaum by getting very close to them. She refused several times to calm down.

Deputy Smith determined Ms. Godbey to be the primary aggressor and attempted to arrest her. She pulled away from him and resisted walking to his patrol car to the extent he had to ask Deputy Branaum for help to get her to the car. Then Godbey started cursing her boyfriend again.

Ms. Godbey was transported to the Loudon County Jail without further incident.

Jailed

charged with theft of property under \$500.

According to records, Thursday, at approximately 5:15 PM, Ms. Coker was observed by Walmart Asset Protection concealing razors and makeup inside her purse. Coker then made a small purchase and went out the general merchan-

dise doors, passing all points of sale without attempting to pay for the concealed merchandise.

The total amount recovered was \$18.91.

Officer Kevin Condee, LCPD responded and placed Ms. Coker under arrest.

Meeting etc.

TWRA's Wildlife Division staff and may be presented as proposals for regulation changes. Comments may be submitted by mail to: 2012-13 Hunting Season Comments, TWRA, Wildlife Management Division, P.O. 40747, Nashville, TN 37204 or emailed to twra.comment@tn.gov. Please include "Hunting Season Comments" on the subject line of emailed submissions.

The comment period concerning the 2012-13 proposed hunting seasons regulations will be open until May 14, 2012.

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