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Monday, April 26, 2021

## harged In Severe Child Abuse Case in LC see Abuse pg. 2



Steven Fickey

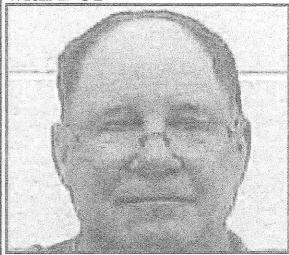


Sierra Fickey



Lisa Fickey

## Weaving with DUI Driver Charged



Kevin Gumm

see DUI pg. 5

## Two Charged at Laundromat After Being Known by LPD



Christina Collins

see LPD pg. 3

### Verse of the Day

But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

-1 Corinthians 15:57 Wazzup

This Week We Are Printing One Paper for the Week Monday-Friday. We are doing some maintenance on our equipment and we apologize for any inconvenience.

Weather

Today: Scattered thun-

# Federal Jury Convicts Former Roane County Defense Attorney

64, of Harriman, Tensex offender, of multiple sex crimes involving minors. Booher, a disbarred criminal found guilty of enticing and attempting the enticement of a minor for sex, committing a sex crime with a minor

derstorm. High of 79F. Tonight: Storms. Low of

Tuesday: Scattered thuderstorms. High of 79F. Tuesday night: Showers. Low of 60F.

Horoscope Taurus 4/20-5/20

On April 19, 2021, a while being a regisfederal jury convicted tered sex offender, sex Kent Lowery Booher, trafficking of a child, and attempted producnessee, a registered tion of child pornography. As a result of the convictions, the defendant faces a prison sentence of 25 years defense attorney, was to life. Sentencing is scheduled for August 18, 2021, before the Honorable Thomas A. Varlan, United States

> Don't try to fit into a mold you simply don't belong in, Taurus. You may have gone through a major transformation lately in which you went from being a square peg to a round peg. Other people might still be trying to push you into the square hole. Don't let them. Let people

District Judge.

The investigation began when an undercover investigation revealed that Booher, a convicted sex offender, began communicating on Facebook with an individual he believed to be a 14 year-old girl. Over a period of five days, Booher used

see Booher pg. 4 LIKE US ON E

### Ahuse

A Case that has been described from sources as beyond heinous and severe in every aspect has seen the Loudon County Grand Jury hand down sealed indictments on three individuals in the case. We have no narrative on the case other than the charges but we will let you know any other information we

Sierra Fickey, 22, Johnson Drive Lenoir City, was charged with Criminal Court Capias(agg. Child abuse&neglect).

Lisa Fickey, 55, River Road Loudon, was charged with Criminal Court Capias(child abuse).

Steven Fickey, 26, Paw Paw Plains Road Lenoir City, was charged with Criminal Court Capias-Child abuse&ne-(agg. glect).

Office Manager Stole from TennCare Supported Company in Jefferson City Tonya Lindsey worked for Priority Senior Care, LLC

An investigation by the Tennessee Comptroller's Office, working in conjunction with the Jefferson City Police Department, has resulted in the indictment of Tonya Lindsey, the former office manager for Priority Senior Care, LLC (Priority) in Jefferson City, Tennessee.

provides in-Priority home care to qualified seniors and receives the majority of its funding through TennCare, state's Medicaid program.

Investigators determined that Lindsey paid herself

payroll data and records employee. the payroll software to Lindsey's bank account. make it appear that she

an extra \$44,104 between had issued direct depos-January 2019 and Octo- it payments to a fictious ber 2020 by issuing her- employee named Jennifer self 66 payroll payments Greene. For example, in without the authority or October 2019 when there knowledge of Priority's were two payroll periods, Lindsey issued ten payroll Lindsey manipulated payments to the fictious Investigators to conceal her theft. In determined the money was some cases, she altered actually deposited into

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LPD

Christina Collins. 36. Grove Road Loudon, was charged with Mfg/Del/Sale or Poss. Of Meth, Simple Possession x3, and Poss. Of Drug Para. X2.

Hannah Veit, 29, Grove Street Loudon, was charged with Assisting other Agency.

Officer Clemmer LPD, was on routine patrol in the area of Hackberry and Church Street when Officer observed a Christina Collins outside the Laundromat inside her Grey Buick Suv Officer was familiar with the female and was aware she did not have a valid drivers license. During my investigation myself and Officer Law requested consent to search in which Ms. Collins denied, as Officer was going to leave the premise Ms. Collins asked Offi-

stated she had illegal narcotics next to her persons but they were not hers. At that time a probable cause search was done as well as Ms. Collins given verbal consent to search without being asked, Officer Law located .70g of a clear shred substance be-Methamphetamine lieved inside a silver pill container. Ms. Collins was read her Miranda Rights in which she agreed to speak to me, she stated the Methamphetamine was not hers. After a towing slip was conducted for inventory purposes a scale with white residue was located in the back seat, Ms. Collins stated she knew the scale was in the vehicle, but also was not hers. After placing Ms. Collins in custody and transporting her to the Loudon County Jail she advised she had more illecer and Officer Law to come gal narcotics on her persons. speak to her with her away Once at the Jail she providfrom Ms. Veit, Ms. Collins ed Deputy Henry with 6.73g



Hannah Veit

of a white crystal substance believed to be Methamphetamine for a total amount of 7.43 grams, (4) Clonazepam "Schedule IV", (2.75) "Schedule IV" Xanax (2) Sublingual "Schedule III". Ms. Collins is being charged with Mfg, Del, Sel of Meth, Drug paraphernalia x2, Simple Possession of Schedule IV x2, and Simple Possession of Schedule III. All the above occurred in Loudon City, TN.

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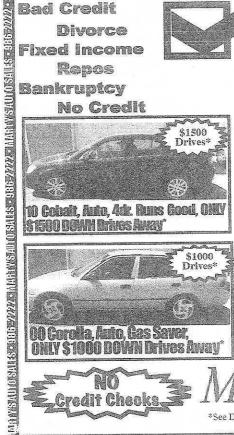
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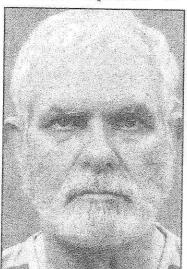
### Rooher

Facebook, text messaging, and telephone calls to attempt to entice the individual to engage in sexual activity. On March 8, 2019, Booher was arrested by the 9th Judicial District Attorney's Office and the Harriman Police Department while on the way to meet with a minor child.

Based upon the undercover investigation, a federal grand jury initially indicted Booher on federal charges of attempted enticement of a minor for sex and committing the enticement offense while required to register as a sex offender. Two months later, following additional investigation, the grand jury added three charges pertaining to Booher's sexual exploitation of a 15-year-old child in 2012 and 2013.

The lead agency in this investigation was the 9th Judi-

cial District Attorney's Office. The Knoxville Police Department, Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force, Homeland Security Investigations, Lenoir City Police Department, Loudon County Sheriff's Office, Harriman Police Department, Blount County Sheriff's Department, Tennessee Department of



Corrections, and U.S. Secret Department of Justice. Led Service, assisted with the investigation.

Department of Justice. Led by U.S. Attorneys' Offices and the Criminal Division's

Assistant U.S. Attorneys Jennifer Kolman and Frank M. Dale, Jr. represented the United States at trial.

This case was brought as part of Project Safe Child-hood (PSC), a nationwide initiative to combat the growing epidemic of child sexual exploitation and abuse launched in May 2006 by the

Department of Justice. Led by U.S. Attorneys' Offices and the Criminal Division's Child Exploitation and Obscenity Section, PSC marshals federal, state, and local resources to better locate, apprehend and prosecute individuals who exploit children via the Internet, as well as to identify and rescue victims. For more information about PSC, please visit www.projectsafechildhood.gov.

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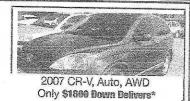


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DUI

Kevin Gumm, 55, Oxford Hills Drive Maryville, was charged with DUI, and Driving on Roadways Laned for Traffic.

Deputy C. Lane LCSO, observed a grey Kia traveling at a unusual low rate of speed and weaving in and out of its lane. Upon traffic stop Deputy made contact with Kevin Gumm, the driver. As Deputy made contact with Mr. Gumm Deputy could smell a strong odor of acholic beverages omitting from Mr. Gumm's person. Mr. Gumms extremely was speech slurred and mumbled. Deputy asked Mr. Gumm where he was going he stated he was going to Knoxville he later stated he was just riding around and probably have had too many drinks. Deputy asked Mr. Gumm how much he had to drink he initially stated he had two drinks then later stated he had a few Vodka drinks. Deputy asked Mr. Gumm to step out of the car when he did he almost fell over multiple times and was very unsteady on his feet.

Deputy asked Mr. Gumm if he would consent to SFSTs where he did consent and performed extremely poorly. Deputy then read Implied Consent Advisement for a blood draw where Mr. Gumm did consent. Mr. Gumm was transported to Fort Loudon Medical Center for a blood draw, then to the Loudon County Jail. Mr. Gumm was charged with TCA; 5-8-123 Driving on Roadways Laned for Traffic and TCA; 55-10-401 Driving Under the Influence. All said did occur in Loudon County Jail.

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The investigation also revealed that Lindsev made questionable purchases totaling at least \$8,428. Money was either issued directly to Lindsey or to vendors that Priority did not use. For example, money was spent at a clothing and accessories boutique and a vape store. There were no invoices or documentation to support that these purchases bene-

fitted Priority.

Lindsey's employment was terminated on October 21, 2020.

In April 2021, the Jefferson County Grand Jury indicted Tonya Lindsey on one count of theft over \$10,000 and 25 counts of forgery.

To view the investigative report, go to: https:// comptroller.tn.gov/office-functions/investigations/find.html

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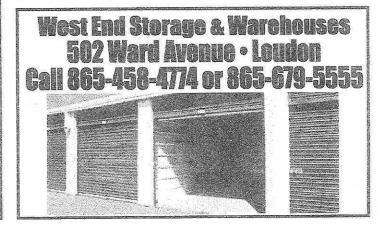
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## **Public Notice**

The City of Philadelphia Mayor and Board of Aldermen will meet in a Workshop Meeting on Monday, May 24, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. at the Philadelphia Public Library.

Items for Discussion:

FY 2021-2022 Budget



## Horoscopes

know that it upsets you not to be treated the way you want to be treated. Gemini 5/21-6/20

There may be subtle messages in people's words today that you need to attend to, Gemini. Other people could be trying to send you hints in order to push your buttons. Confront them on this behavior. Don't ignore the subtleties in their voices. Tender, loving messages may be laced with thorns intended to provoke you. Don't let this action go unnoticed.

Cancer 6/21-7/22

Don't keep playing along with the games if you no longer want to repeat the same drama, Cancer. By placing yourself in a victim role, you're opening yourself up to manipulation and control by others. To stop the repetitive pattern, it's crucial for you to stand up and recognize that you have an important part in the healing process. Recognize that you have the power and courage to change.

Leo 7/23-8/22

Today is excellent for you, Leo. You should be encouraged to take action in any artistic realm. Cook a scrumptious dinner and share it with a loved one. Give your heart a chance to speak and act on what it says. Your feminine and masculine sides are on the same page now. Take the opportunity to balance these two aspects. You're a magnet for love and romance.

Virgo 8/23-9/22

Go weed the garden, Virgo. If you don't have a garden, start one. It's important for you to get into the Earth today, so roll up your sleeves and get your hands dirty. Feeling a connection with the ground is an important step in manifesting your dreams. Buy some seeds, fertilizer, and a watering can. This is a great day to create a nurturing environment in which a seed can grow.

Libra 9/23-10/22

There's great opportunity for romance today, Libra. Love the people you're with, but don't smother them. The more you loosen your grip on a situation, the more you will gain control of it. Cutting chains to the past is the first step in moving forward toward a goal. You might not realize how much a past situation holds you back until you make the effort to release it.

Scorpio 10/23-11/21

The active and receptive natures of your being are coming together, Scorpio. There's a balance between these two aspects. You're able to attract the prosperity and love you desire by the way in which you handle yourself around others. Today is about the equilibrium between give and take. Make sure there's a healthy balance between you and your loved ones. Sagittarius 11/22-12/21

Today is a fantastic day for you. Your sensual, caring nature will be appreciated, Sagittarius. Whether you actively pursue it or sit back and relax, you will receive the love and good fortune you desire. Your creativity is also at a peak during this time. You should take advantage of this energy and actively use your talent to create something beautiful and meaningful.

Capricom 12/22-01/19

Being married to someone for many years takes work, Capricom. No one said it was going to be easy. Holly-wood promotes a fantasyland that can make your life look drab and boring by comparison. Realize that your life can be good and interesting, too - reality is even better than the movie version. Today is a good day to prepare for future growth. Aquarius 1/20-2/18

Today is a great day to make your big move, Aquarius. If there's something in the love and romance department that you feel you need to act on, this is the day to do it. It's now or never. Approach all situations in a practical, caring manner. Plow forward with confidence and don't look back. In-dulge in those things that give you pleasure. Get a massage or take a bubble bath tonight.

Pisces 2/19-3/20

Take your focus off you and concentrate on someone else for a day, Pisces. This doesn't mean focusing so the person will stop and pay attention to you. It doesn't mean getting their attention so that you have someone who will listen to you talk. Get someone's attention because you really want to hear what he or she has to say. Aries 3/21-4/19

It might take an extra few minutes to get out of bed today, Aries, but it will be worth it when you do. You will find that the more honest you've been with people, the more payoffs you will receive. Being dependable and trust-worthy are key issues to focus on. Act strong and proud with regard to who you are and the rewards will come. Bring a certain amount of tenderness

to all your actions.

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Regarding the Estate of: Donald G. Kress, deceased DKT# 6333

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

(As required by Chapter No 185, Public Acts of Tennessee 1859 As Amended by Public Chapter 856 on 05/09/2012)

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th DAY OF APRIL 2021 Letters of Testamentary in respect of the estate of Donald G. Kress who died on the 15th day of MARCH 2021 be issued to the undersigned by the Loudon County Probate Court of Loudon County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and nonresident, having claims, matured or unmatured against the estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the abovenamed court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claim will be forever barred:

(1) (A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting, as the case may be) of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting);

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication (or posting) as described in (1) (A); or

(2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent's date of death.

THIS THE 20th DAY OF APRIL 2021

Steve Harrelson, Clerk

BY: Robyn Shannon, Deputy Clerk Penny Glasgow, Chief Deputy Clerk

By Personal Representative(s) Michael A. Hanson Notice to Creditors:

All Claims must be submitted on a claim form, notarized with invoices/statements; in triplicate, with a fee of \$11.00 to Loudon County Probate Court, 12688 Highway 11 West Ste. 3, Lenoir City, TN 37771 (As required by Chapter No 175, Public Acts of Tennessee 1939 published April 26, 2021 and May 5, 2021

## IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR LOUDON COUNTY, TENNESSEE NOTICE TO CREDITORS

(As required by Chapter No 175, Public Acts of Tennessee 1939 As Amended by Public Chapter 880 on 05/09/2012)

IN REGARDS TO THE ES TATE OF: DOCKET NO: 6334 JAMES GARY LOPOS-

SER, deceased, a resident of Loudon County, TN

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th DAY OF APRIL 2021 Letters of Administration in respect of the Estate of JAMES GARY LOPOSSER, who died on the 24th DAY OF MARCH 2021. were issued to the undersigned by the Loudon County Probate Court of Loudon County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and nonresident, having claims, matured or umnatured against the estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the above named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claim will be forever barred:

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# **Criminal Court Capias**

Cassandra Baker, 25, Wind Chime Circle Knoxville, was charged with Criminal Court Capias(Agg. Robbery&Burglary).



Cassandra Baker

Natasha Bright, 30, Martel Road Lenoir City, was charged with Criminal Court Capias x2(2nd Degree Murderx2&Man/Sell/Dell/Resale Sch.IIx2).



Natasha Bright

George Casseb, 29, Maple Street Lenoir City, was charged with Criminal Court Capias(Sch.VI Drugs).

Pamela Chastain, 41, Industrial Park Drive Lenoir City, was charged with Criminal Court Capias(Sch. VI &Contributing to minor).



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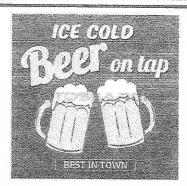
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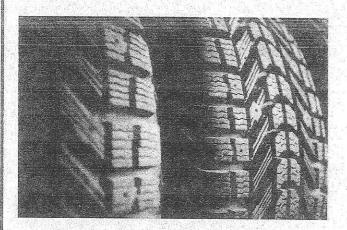
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