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Driver on Cell Phone is Reason for Stop; | Unlicensed LC Driver Charged Passenger Charged with Meth and More



Charles Shubert

After Traffic Stop



Mateo Diego

Investigation Questions Food and

Alcohol Purchases by Tennessee

When a Date Goes from Bad to Worse!



Ronald Boldin

(see Date Night pg. 4)

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Association of Chiefs of Police

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Association of Chiefs 2022 of Police (TACP), more than half of its funding from governmental sources.

The investigation rocused on TACP's activities from January 2017 through De- were made in violation cember 2021. During

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Sunday night: Evening

High of 88F.

Low of 63F.

Investigators with this time, TACP's daythe Tennessee Comp- to-day operations were troller's Office have managed by a former examined the opera- executive director who tions of the Tennessee resigned on March 18,

Comptroller investigaa nonprofit organi- tors noted questionable zation that receives credit card transactions totaling \$63,923.74. Many of these transactions lacked documentation or proper approvals and appeared to have no TACP related purpose or

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thunderstorms. Low of 64F.

<u>Homscope</u> Gemini 5 21–6 20 Don't be surprised if many visitors come to your door today. A relative or co-worker could be in a black mood, which see DUI pg.3

Former South Central HRA Employee and Three Others Indicted \$117,024 in Grant Funds Misappropriated

The Comptroller's Office has released an investigative report detailing a scheme led by former South Central Human Resource Agency (SCHRA) employee and program manager Jennifer Henry. The SCHRA's main office is in Fayetteville.

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Meth

Charles Shubert, St. Charles Place Pigeon Forge, was charged with Mfg/Del/Sale or Poss. of Capias, and Poss. of Drug

Officer R. Miller, with the Lenoir City Police Department, was conducting a patrol in the area of Highway 321 in Lenoir City, TN. During my patrol duties Officer observed a white in color BMW SUV traveling east on Simpson Road West. While observing the vehicle

Officer noticed that the driver had his cellular device in his hand and looked down at it while he was operating his motor vehicle on a public road-

wav. Officer then initiated a traffic stop on the vehicle in the area of Highway 321 near Simpson Road East in Lenoir City, TN.

Upon traffic stop Officer Meth, General Session made contact with the driver, who admitted to having his cellular device in his hand while operating his motor vehicle on a public roadway.

During the roadside traf-Simpson Road West near fic stop the front seat passenger in the vehicle stated that his Tennessee Identification Card was located in his bag which was in the trunk of the vehicle. The passenger who was identified as Charles Shubert gave consent to Sgt. C. Butler to go into his bag in the trunk of the vehicle and retrieve his wallet and get his Tennessee ID.

Upon initial contact with

ning of the traffic stop Officer noticed that he was slouched in his seat and ficer located a glass pipe hat his hat pulled down over his eyes covering his face as if he was attempting to hide his identity. Officer also visually observed a handheld butane torch lighter in SHU-BERT'S lap.

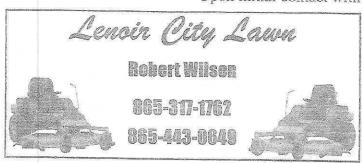
As the officer was conducting his business in regards to writing a traffic citation the owner of the vehicle, the driver, gave verbal consent to conduct

SHUBERT at the begin- a search of the entire vehicle. During a subsequent search of the vehicle, Of-Which had been shoved in between the passenger's seat in which SHUBERT was sitting and center console of the vehicle. Officer then located a bag containing a crystal-like substance believed to be methamphetamine (6.68 grams) in a black box inside of the bag that contained SHU-BERT'S Tennessee Identification Card, wallet and other items.

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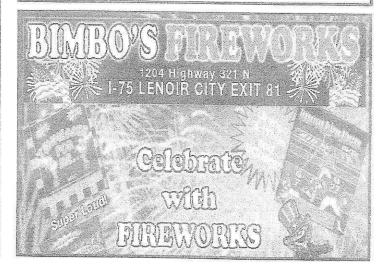
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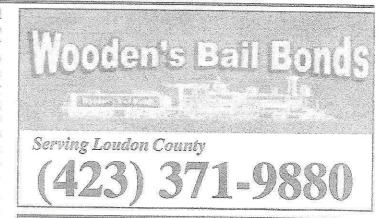
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Mateo Diego, 29, Stone Court Way Lenoir City, was charged with DUI, Violation of Implied Consent, Open Container, and License Reauired.

Officer Law LCPD, was on routine patrol when Officer observed a Silver Toyota Highlander (TN Tag BJB-1664) failing to maintain its lane of travel. Upon conducting a traffic stop Officer observed a Hispanic male who he later identified as Mateo Diego, while speaking to Mr. Diego Officer observed him to have blood shot watery eyes, and the odor of an alcoholic beverage emitting from his persons. Officer also observed a half drank corona bottle in the cup holder, as well as five corona lids near the gear shifter. During his investigation Officer also observed damage to the vehicle that appeared Mr. Diego had been in a wreck prior to our

encounter. Officer then had Mr. Diego step out of the vehicle; Mr. Diego was very unsteady on his feet. Due to the totality of circumstances Mr. Diego was placed under arrest, Mr. Diego was then read the Spanish Tennessee Implied consent in which he refused a blood draw. It was also determined Mr. Diego did not have a valid drivers license. Mr. Diego was then transported to the Loudon County Jail without incident. All the above occurred in Lenoir City, TN.

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Date Night

Ronald Boldin,34, Walnut Street Lenoir city, was charged with Vandalism. and Public Intoxication.

Deputy Goad LCSO, was dispatched in reference to a B & E in progress at Lynnwood Dr. The female caller told dispatchers that someone was beating on the doors and she heard glass breaking. Upon arrivoutside near a vehicle. He was identified as Ronald Boldin, which had been at the address on a date with a female later identified as

the caller. This residence is currently being used as an Air B & B, which is owned by victim. As Deputy spoke to the Mr. Boldin Deputy noticed he was unsteady on his feet and his speech was slurred. Mr. Boldin stated he had been there on a date and it didn't go well so he decided to leave. That he then was just trying to get his keys al contact was made with to his car that he thought a male subject standing he left inside the residence. Upon speaking with victim stated they were on a date earlier, they both had been drinking and started arguing. That Mr. Boldin

she went to bed and woke up to what she thought someone trying to break in. Later she told dispatchers that it could possibly be Mr. Boldin although she had locked herself in the bedroom. A ladder was observed through a window in the living area and this

had decided to leave and is the glass breaking that the victim heard. Mr. Boldin was arrested for public intoxication and vandalism. He was transported to L.C.S.O. for booking. The owner of the Air B & B was contacted and came to the residence.

All took place in Loudon County TN.

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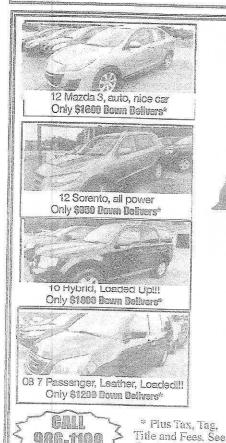
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Questions

of TACP's purchasing policy. The questionable credit card purchases include:

Food and alcohol totaling \$23,763.74 for TACP's bi-monthly meetings and annual conferences. Investigators question whether government funds were used to purchase these items. Vendor sponsorship payments for food and alcohol purchases were less than the totals spent on these items.

Meals totaling \$15,217.66. Investigators noted 243 occasions where a TACP credit card was used to purchase eito upscale restaurants.

Purchases of gifts and gift Judicial District. cards totaling \$14,411.24.

cles totaling \$796.57.

chases totaling \$9,734.53 that ized receipts or invoices.

simultaneously working as a of hospitality suites."

registered lobbyist for another nonprofit that provides insurance coverage to Tennessee municipalities.

The former executive director continued to work as a lobbyist for the outside organization after she was instructed by TACP's Executive Board to stop, and in violation of her employment agreement. Investigators determined she also used TACP computer devices and its email account while performing outside lobbying activities during normal TACP business hours.

The results of the investigather individual or group meals tion have been communicated ranging from fast-food chains to the Office of the District Attorney General of the 20th

"TACP's Executive Board Gasoline for personal vehi- has a responsibility to provide adequate oversight of the or-Other miscellaneous purganization and its staff," said comptroller Mumpower. "The were not supported with item- board should ensure the organization is following its policies Investigators also found the concerning check signing and former executive director had a credit cards as well as revisit its potential conflict of interest by official policy on the funding

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could spill over to you, as you're feeling more intuitive than usual. Realize that this isn't coming from you, Gemini, and let it go! Cancer 6 21-7/22

Low biorhythms could have you feeling a little depressed. You may tend to doubt your goals and abilities. Don't let this send you into a fit of gloom, Cancer. All is better than it seems. Realize that today you're likely to blow every little setback out of proportion.

Leo 7/23-8/22

Communication with friends or family may not come easily today, Leo. An unusual level of inhibition could keep you from reaching out to others. You might try to shake this off by working too hard, even if you aren't sure exactly what you want to do. This is a good day to read, study, or work on projects in solitude.

Virgo 8/23-9/22

Your intuition is likely to be operating at a very high level today, Virgo. This isn't a good day to be around sick or depressed people. You will probably pick up their gloom and it could possibly spoil your day. This is a good day to

finish old projects that you may have postponed.

Libra 9 23-10 22

Fear about your financial security could plague you today, Libra. Dissatisfaction with some of work you've been doing and delays in reaching some of your goals might have you wondering what you could do better.

Scorpio 10 23-11 21

Have you been wondering if you're in the night profession? Disillusionment with your field could have you feeling mildly ill from stress and considering a total career change. Perhaps this is the right course of action to take, but perhaps not.

Sagittarius 11 22-12 21

Unsettling news from far away could have you somewhat upset and a little depressed. The temptation to withdraw and brood might seem too strong to resist, but this may not be the best course of action. Getting things done is likely to be the best therapy in emotional situations like this, Sagittarius. Capricorn 12/22-01/19

A friend might be ill, causing you considerable worry. One of the goals you've been trying to

reach could be delayed in some way, causing frustration. Your financial situation could also be on your mind. You could be worrying needlessly, Capricorn.

Aquarius 1/20-2/18

Relations with colleagues could be a bit strained due to increased job stress. If you've been thinking of entering a business or romantic partnership, this isn't the day to decide. Your mind may be a bit muddled. Misunderstandings or misinformation could cause you to doubt the wisdom of the partnership.

Pisces 2/19-3/20

Today you might feel a little under the weather due to physical and emotional stress over the past few days. Take it easy today if you can. This isn't the day to be too busy or start new projects. Miscommunication could cause an upset or two, Pisces, so try to maintain your cool.

Aries 3/21-4-19

Disturbing dreams or unsettling moods could arise today, causing you to wonder if something is wrong or something bad is going to happen. Let it go, Aries. If anything goes wrong, it isn't likely to be anything major. A recent event may have triggered old impressions that are causing these feel-

Taurus 420-520

Disconcerting developments in the lives of family members could cause some stress at home. There could be some problems with the structure of the house itself. Perhaps the plumbing or electricity needs attention. If a family member is upset.



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Indicted

son, Kani Johnson, Makayla Leake, and Dustin Simmons to misappropriate \$117,024 in Labor and Workforce Development grant funds while participating in the Work Experience program, which provides pay to eligible participants with employability struggles.

Investigators found that Henry aided the three individuals in representing that they were gainfully employed when they were not. It also appeared that Henry fabricated timesheets for the three individuals and directed a Career Service Provider (CSP) in Bedford County to sign and approve their timesheets. All three were paid through the SCHRA's payroll system.

Jennifer Henry's employment with the SCHRA was terminated on November 23, 2021.

Based upon this investigation, in May 2023, the Lincoln County Grand Jury indicted Jennifer Henry on eight separate counts; Kani Johnson on six separate counts; Makayla Leake on six separate counts; and Dustin Simmons on six separate counts. For a full list of the 26 total counts, please view the investigative report.

"When Henry directed the Career Service Provider to approve timesheets without verification, it caused a significant breakdown in internal controls," said Comptroller Jason Mumpower. "The CSP's role is to contact worksites, correspond with worksite supervisors, and visit worksites as needed. This did not occur in this case, which allowed the scheme to go undetected."

To view the investigative report, go to tncot.cc/doireports.

IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR LOUDON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Regarding the Estate of: BET-TY LOU GALLI, deceased DKT# 6863

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

(As required by Chapter No. 169, Public Acts of Tennessee 1699 As Amended by Public Chapter 696 on 05 09 2012)

Notice is hereby given that on the 30TH day of MAY 2023 Letters of Testamentary in respect of the estate of BETTY LOU GALLI who died on the 26TH DAY of JULY 2022 be issued to the undersigned by the Loudon County Probate Court of oudon 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 orever barred:

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ing); or

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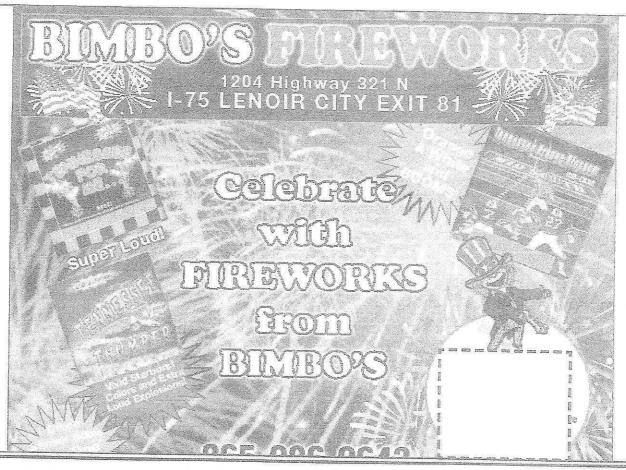
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Robyn Shannon, Deputy Clerk By Personal Representative(s) BRIAN JOHN GALLI

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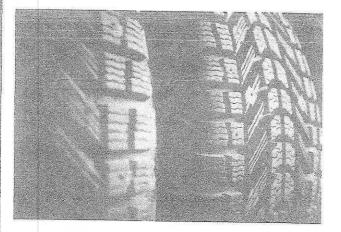




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