Daily Edition

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Monday, April 1, 2024

Swerving on Hwy 321 Gets Woman Them Modelo's Will Get Ya Stopped; DUI Charge Follows



Ammelia Jones

see DUI+ pg. 2

investigation

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payroll

by the Tennessee

Comptroller's Office has resulted in the

indictment of Glenda

Brown, the former as-

sistant director of the

Tipton County Emer-

gency Communica-

termined that Brown

improperly received

at least \$6,150 in un-

payments from Octo-

tions District.

authorized

Investigators

Fired Up!



Osvaldo Perez

Director Indicted on Multiple Counts

November 4, 2022. The

investigation began af-

ter Tipton County of-

ficials identified these

questionable payment

transactions and report-

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priation consisted of

unearned compensa-

tory leave payments,

leave payments, excess

salary compensation,

and unearned payroll

misappro-

troller's Office.

Brown's

unauthorized

see Modelo pg. 4

Reckless Driver Call Leads Former Tipton County 911 Assistant to Traffic Stop and Charges



Reanah Thompson

Verse of the Day

Do not envy a violent man or choose any of his ways, for the Lord detests a perverse man but takes the upright into his confidence. -Proverbs 3:31-32

Happy April Fools Day! Free Gas From the Mayor Today Only at the Pilot Gas Station from 8am to 10am.

Weather Today: Cloudy. High of

Tonight: Overcast. Low of 50F.

Tuesday: Thunderstorms. High of 74F. Tuesday night: Storms. Low of 50F.

Horoscope

Aries 3/21-4/19 People are apt to be

as stubborn as you in their thinking today, Aries. This could be a recipe for disaster if you aren't careful. Open the floodgates a bit wider and take in more of the opinions of others.

ber 21, 2022 through benefits.

For example, as a salaried employee, Brown was not eligible to receive compensation for more than 80 hours per pay period. Brown, who was also responsible for entering time worked by employees, including herself, received 80 hours of salary and 40 hours of sick leave (total 120 hours) on

see Indicted pg 5



Wazzup

DIII+

Ammelia Jones, 31, Valley Road Knoxville, was charged with DUI, and Simple Possession.

Deputy Parks LCSO, observed a red Dodge Stratus, Mississippi registration MIB2529, swerve on the opposing side of 321. The deputy turned around to get behind the vehicle and began observing. While traveling behind the vehicle the deputy observed the vehicle failing to maintain lane multiple times, and also noticed the vehicle could not maintain a constant speed. The deputy initiated a traffic stop on the vehicle and we came to a stop in the parking lot of Highway 321 North (Rocky Top Shell).

The deputy approached the vehicle and made contact with the driver, Ms. Ammelia Jones, who advised him she was lost. While speaking with Ms. Jones, the deputy smelled the odor of burnt marijuana emitting from the vehicle. The deputy then asked to gathered Ms. Jones documents and called for a second unit for a vehicle search. When deputy asked Ms. Jones to step out and informed her that he smelled marijuana, she advised she had marijuana and a pipe in the car and her cannabis card. The deputy asked Ms. Jones for consent to search the vehicle and she gave consent. While speaking with Ms. Jones, I smelled the odor of an alcoholic beverage

coming from her breath. Ms. Jones also advised she takes prescription medication daily such as Clonazepam and Gabapentin, which she had taken approximately 6 hours earlier. During the search of the vehicle, a small container containing approximately 2.07 grams of marijuana as well as a open container of liquor underneath the drivers seat. The deputy then asked if she would be willing to perform standardized field sobriety tests and she agreed to do so. Ms. Jones did perform field sobriety tests, as well as ARIDE tests admin-

istered by Corporal Wallen. Ms. Jones performed poorly, and due to the facts and circumstances was believed to be operating a vehicle under the influence of an intoxicant. The marijuana was seized and placed into evidence and Ms. Jones was placed under arrest and read implied consent. Ms. Jones agreed to give a blood sample and was transported to Fort Loudoun Medical Center where the sample was obtained. Ms. Jones was then transported to the jail without incident. Both the blood sample and the marijuana were placed into evidence.

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Stop

Reanah Thompson, 54, Smallen Road Loudon was charged with DUI, Violation of Implied Consent, Simple Possession, and Driving on Revoked/Suspended License.

Officers with LCPD, were dispatched to the area of Hwy 321 at the Dam for a reckless driver. The caller stated that a Gray Prius (5614BCPB) was all over the roadway, crossing over the fog line several times while officers were behind the vehicle. Officers passed the vehicle in front of the ALDI and observed the vehicle to almost be straddling the fog line. Officers turned around and got behind the vehicle and observed it cross the fog line again and conducted a traffic stop in the parking lot of Lakeway Urgent Care. Contact was made with the driver (Reanah Thompson) who appeared to have pinpoint pupils and seemed very lethargic. Reanah was asked to step out of the vehicle and informed on the reason for stop, but denied taking anything that would impair her driving. Reanah gave officers consent to look through her purse which resulted in several cut straws being found with residue and 3 Gabapentin pills that were not in their prescription bottles. Several ink pens were found taken apart that also contained a powdery residue inside. Reanah consented to field sobriety but was only able to perform the HGN due to issues with her legs. Her right eye showed signs of a nystagmus in all 3 portions and her left eye had a nystagmus at maximum deviation. ARIDE was performed by Officer Carrol in which Reanah performed poorly on all tests, showing signs of being impaired. Dispatch advised Reanah to have a suspended drivers license and due to the totality of the circumstances was placed in custody for DUI. Implied consent was read and refused and she was transported to the Loudon Co Jail. The paraphernalia was photographed and the vehicle was impounded by Malones. This did occur in Lenoir city, Loudon co, TN.

Public Notice

The Lenoir City Housing Authority is no longer accepting applications for our 1 bedroom units due to no availability and extreme long wait list.

Public Notice

Loudon County Republican Women meets the 4th Monday of Apr, July, Aug, Sep, and Oct; and the 3rd Monday of May, at the Avalon Community Clubhouse (140 Deerfield Court; Lenoir City, TN 37772). Social time at 5:30 pm; meeting at 6:00 pm.

Further information, contact President Sandy Kennel 1-615-429-0010. Follow the Loudon County Republican Women (LCRW) on Facebook to keep up-to-date. IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR LOUDON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Regarding the Estate of: PAT-SY GUY HAMMONTREE, deceased DKT# 7056

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

(As required by Chapter No 199, Public Acts of Tennessee 1999 As Amended by Public Chapter 996 on 05/09/2012)

Notice is hereby given that on THE 25TH (st/nd/rd/th) DAY OF MARCH 2024, Letters of Testamentary in respect of the estate of PATSY GUY HAM-MONTREE who died on the 18TH day of JANUARY 2024 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 post-

(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 25TH (st/nd/rd/th) DAY OF MARCH 2024 STEVE HARRELSON,

STEVE HARRELSON, CLERK BY: ROBYN SHANNON,

Deputy Clerk
By Personal Representative(s)

JACK HAMMONTREE

Notice to Creditors:

All Claims must be submitted on a claim form, notarized with invoices/statements; in triplicate, with a fee of \$20.00 to Loudon County Probate Court, 12699 Highway 11 West Ste. 3, Lenoir City, TN 37771 puttished March 25, 2024 and April 3, 2024

IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR LOUDON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Regarding the Estate of: RUTH ANN MCCARTER, deceased DKT#7064

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

(As required by Chapter No 199, Public Acts of Tennessee 1999 As Amended by Public Chapter 996 on 05/09/2012)

Notice is hereby given that on the 27TH DAY OF MARCH 2024 Letters of Testamentary in respect of the estate of RUTH ANN MCCARTER who died on the 12TH DAY OF DECEM-BER 2023 be issued to the undersigned by the Loudon County Probate Court of Loudon Couny, 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

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THIS THE 27TH DAY OF MARCH 2024

Steve Harrelson, Clerk

BY: Penny Glasgow, Sr. Deputy Clerk

By Personal Representative(s) KELLY MCCARTER

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Modelo

Osvaldo Perez, 25, Broadway Street Lenoir City, was charged with Domestic Assault, and Resisting Arrest.

Officer Wilkes LCPD, was dispatched to E Broadway Street for a domestic. Upon arrival, the officer observed a female walking to his car. At that time she turned around and walked into the house, leaving the door open. Upon approaching the door, the officer observed a large group of people standing in the main room. The officer observed a male, identified as the victim,

exit a closed bedroom to my right. At that time, all parties in the main room began pointing towards the cracked open door. While approaching the door the officer observed another male, later identified as OSVALDO PEREZ, standing in the doorway. OSVALDO was observed to be heavily intoxicated, and had blood on his nose and on his hands. While approaching OSVALDO, he began to close the door more and began reaching behind the door. At that time the officer approached OSVALDO to detain him and he began resist-

ing, causing a brief struggle to ensue. OSVALDO was placed into handcuffs and escorted to his car. Due to a language barrier, Officer Gallo responded to the scene to translate. While interviewing parties, Officer Gallo made contact with the victim. He stated that his brother OSVALDO, was intoxicated and attempting to leave the residence to get more alcohol. The victim stated that OSVALDO drank approximately 11 tall Modelo's. The victim and a witness, attempted to restrain OSVALDO from leaving the residence in

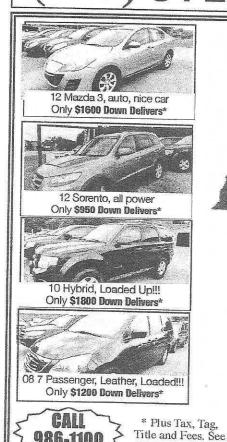
a concern for his welfare. The victim stated that OSVAL-DO went crazy and got angry when prevented from leaving the residence. The victim advised officers that OSVAL-DO attempted to strike him multiple times, placing him in fear. Both brothers stated that OSVALDO injured himself and got a bloody nose when they struggled on the bedroom floor. OSVALDO stated that nothing happened and that he fell and got a bloody nose. OS-VALDO PEREZ was placed into my custody and transported to the jail



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Indicted

her November 4, 2022 paycheck.

Brown attempted to conceal her misappropriation by improperly entering her excessive payroll payments in the district's accounting software under line items not assigned to her.

Brown's employment was terminated by the district's board of directors on December 12, 2022. She subsequently repaid the district \$7,381.19. This amount was calculated by the district to include Brown's improper report, go to tncot.cc/doirepayroll payments and the value of district equipment assigned to her that she did not return upon termination of employment.

Based upon this investigation, in March 2024, the Tipton County Grand Jury indicted Glenda Brown for one count of theft of property over \$2,500, one count of destruction of and tampering

with governmental records, and one count of official misconduct.

"Government entities should ensure payroll duties are divided between multiple individuals," said Comptroller Mumpower. "One person should not be creating employee timesheets, entering the time worked into the accounting system, and processing payroll. Timesheets should also be approved by a supervisor before being processed.'

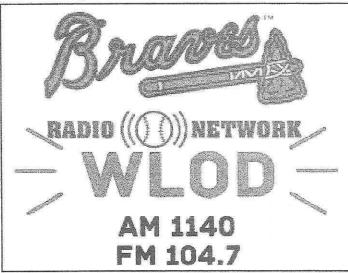
To view the investigative ports.

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Horoscopes

Taurus 4/20-5/20

You could find yourself staring at a stranger for just one extra second as you pass on the street today, Taurus. Your tendency toward the new and bizarre is stronger than usual, and you're being pulled into different mental directions.

Gemini 5/21-6/20

As you work slowly and steadily toward your goals, realize that there are apt to be unexpected obstacles along the way, Gemini. You can't possibly plan for everything, so don't get discouraged today when some crazy variable pops out of nowhere.

Cancer 6/21-7/22 It's generally quite clear that you aren't afraid to tell people what you think, Cancer. Maybe it's time to be more expressive about how you feel. It could be Your thinking is solid and that your mental process is a bit off today, jolted by an unex-

pected situation or person. Leo 7/23-8/22

Today could be filled with unexpected twists, turns, and bends in the road that you may not be prepared for, Leo. Apparently someone forgot to install the sign that warns of sharp curves ahead. Be on the lookout for unexpected forks in the road. When you get to them, take them, to coin a phrase. Your brain could receive a jolt from an outside source that reminds you to keep things real.

Virgo 8/23-9/22

You could be thinking some bizarre thoughts today, Virgo. They might lead you in a direction that doesn't quite pertain to your current situation. Don't be afraid to explore these strange realms, because they could give you some important insight that you wouldn't have realized otherwise.

Libra 9/23-10/22

clear today, Libra, but other people could challenge your mental power. Don't let others put seeds of doubt in your head about the way you approach a problem. Scorpio 10/23-11/21

You could get the feeling that something is wrong today when it isn't, Scorpio. It's probably just your perspective that needs some adjusting. Pull out your binoculars and focus a bit more so you can stand back yet have the power to examine the details closely.

Sagittarius 11/22-12/21

Your sensitive nature is likely to pick up a disturbance in your thinking today, Sagittarius. Suddenly, a blast of unexpected information could come your way and throw a monkey wrench in your mental process.

Capricorn 12/22-01/19

You might experience some mental distractions that pull you in different directions today, Capricorn. There could be a stubborn internal/external battle brewing. Realize that being in the middle is to your advantage.

Aquarius 1/20-2/18

It could be difficult for you to think straight today, Aquarius. Your brain is probably working in short, erratic bursts that keep you guessing about which way to proceed. Avoid confusion during the day by periodically centering and separating yourself and your feelings from the drama around you. Don't pretend you understand something if you don't. If a situation doesn't make sense, go ahead and question it.

Pisces 2/19-3/20

Freedom is a key aspect of life today, Pisces. You might find that your brain wants to break free and pursue more independent ways of thinking. Don't worry if such ways of thinking lead you into unknown territory. This is a sign that this is probably where you need to be. Your witty banter could take a sudden twist that surprises both you and the people you're talking

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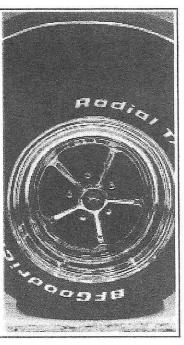
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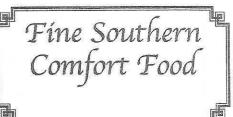
Donald Ray Brizius, 82, of the Tellico Village community, passed away peacefully at home March 21, 2024, with his loving and devoted wife by his side. He was born in Evansville, Indiana and served in the Air Force from 1959-1963. He was employed by Zimmerman Mfg (Ingersoll Rand) for 40 years. Don loved riding motorcycles, playing golf and relaxing. He was always quick to give you his warm smile. He will be greatly missed. Don was predeceased in death by his parents, Wilbur and Margaret Brizius. Don is survived by his wife of 31 years, Miriam Brizius, sons Stacy Brizius (Jody) and Davin Brizius (Olivia), brother Gerald Brizius (Sharon), stepchildren James (Maggie) and Jill Sutherby Sutherby (Joe), granddaughter Victoria Brizius, and step-granddaughter Amanda Sutherby. A memorial service will be held Friday, April 12, 2024, at 11:00 am at the First Baptist Church of Tellico Village. The family will receive friends after the service in the Church narthex. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to UT Hospice Services, Hospice Promise Foundation, 4435 Valley View Drive, Suite 104, Knoxville, TN 37917.

Thomas M. Williams, 79, of the Tellico Village Community, Loudon, TN, went to be with our Lord Jesus Christ on Friday,

February 9, 2024. Tom is dearly loved and deeply missed by his devoted wife, Carolyn; daughter Cynthia Lowe (Robert); daughter Wendy Corcoran (Michael); son Jeffrey Williams; brother Richard Williams (Tonya); sister Kathy Sears, and many loving grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, and countless friends. Tom was a proud patriot who faithfully served our country with honor. During his tenure in the Navy, he achieved the rank of Chief Petty Officer/E7 with his last duty station in Coronado, CA, serving as an Operational Flight/ Weapons System Trainer Technician. During Tom's military career, he was awarded the Navy's Good Conduct Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Meritorious Unit Commendation, Presidential Unit Citation, Vietnam Service Medal, and Republic of Vietnam Campaign Ribbon. After retirement, his passion was database development and IT related occupations. He and Carolyn most recently enjoyed traveling throughout the United States in their motorhome before settling in TN in 2020. A military and Honor Guard graveside memorial service will be held on April 25, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. at East Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Tellico Village Volunteer Fire Department or FoldsofHonor.org.









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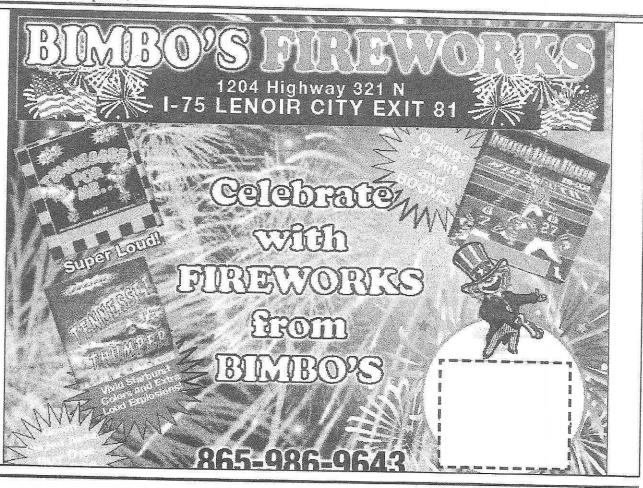


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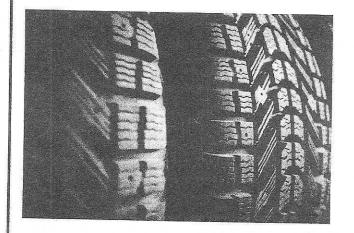


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