

Woman pleas not-guilty to trafficking in drugs

A Pea Ridge Road woman was charged with trafficking in drugs after a traffic stop on July 2.

The citation states that KSP Trooper Z. Pennington stopped Whitney Gail Norton, 22, on Pea Ridge Road after she failed to use a turn signal and wear a seat belt.

The trooper said he found a clear crystal substance in several baggies in Norton's

purse. He also found marijuana, white pills and several small baggies.

Norton was charged with trafficking in a controlled substance, first degree and first offense (less than 2 grams of methamphetamine), possession of marijuana, possession of a controlled substance, third degree, prescription controlled substance not

in proper container, drug paraphernalia - buy/possess, failure to or improper signal, and failure to wear seat belts.

Norton was arraigned July 5 in Estill District Court where she pleaded not-guilty to all charges. She is scheduled to return to district court for a preliminary hearing on July 12.

Police Activity Report

A Winchester Road man was charged July 6 with trafficking in a controlled substance, first degree and first offense.

The man was identified as Lindsey Allen Roberts, 38.

The citation states that five days before his arrest, Roberts sold 30 mg. oxycodone pills to a confidential informant.

Roberts' arrest was made by Irvine Police Sgt. John Sturmiolo.

Roberts was lodged in Three Forks Jail in Beatyville.

Jonathan D. Curry, 46, of Winchester Road was arrested July 4 on River Drive by Irvine Officer Brian Cloyd.

Curry was charged with operating a motor vehicle under the influence, drug paraphernalia - buy, possession of marijuana, and rear license not illuminated.

During a consented search of the vehicle, the officer reports he found a scale, marijuana pipe, a syringe, and silver spoon in the vehicle. Field sobriety tests were administered.

The citation states that Curry had marijuana in his possession.

Pamela Noe of Walling Road, Irvine was charged July 5 on River Drive with possession of a controlled substance, third degree, rear license not illuminated, and license not in possession.

Officer Brian Cloyd said he observed Noe traveling west on River Drive with her license not illuminated. During a consented search of the vehicle, Cloyd said he found a green pill suspected to be klonopin.

Brian Hall, 45, of Cantrill Street, Irvine was arrested July 8 just across the Irvine-Ravenna line.

Officer Brian Cloyd said he saw Hall walking on Broadway toward 8th Street in Ravenna and knew there was an active warrant on Hall.

During a search, the officer reported that he found 22 pills in a cigarette pack in Hall's front left pocket. The citation states the pills were identified as amphetamine salt, a generic for Aderall, a schedule II controlled substance.

Hall was charged with possession of a controlled substance, first degree and first offense, and public intoxication.

A bench warrant issued by Estill District Judge William Leach was also served on Hall.

On Nov. 21, Hall was found guilty of hindering prosecution or apprehension second degree.

The warrant says that Hall failed to pay \$238 on that charge. Judge Leach set his bail at \$238 cash.

Bail amount on the new charges was not available.

Nicholas J. Howard, 27, of Harrodsburg, Ky. was arrested July 4 at Marcum and Wallace Hospital for alcohol intoxication and disorderly conduct, second degree.

Officer Brian Cloyd said he made contact with Howard in the parking lot, who admitted that he screamed profanity at hospital employees.

He said Howard then began to scream and curse, causing public alarm in the parking lot.

The officer also added that he smelled the presence of alcohol.

A Floyd County District Court warrant was served on Howard.

It says that Howard was found guilty October 18 of alcohol intoxication in a public place.

A district judge issued the warrant because Howard allegedly had failed to pay a fine and court costs.

Howard's bail was set at \$243.00 cash on the Floyd County charge.

LaDonna C. Cox, 34, of Richmond was charged July 7 with public intoxication by Officer Cloyd Lewis.

The citation states that Cox was passed out at the wheel of a vehicle at the intersection of Kirkland Ave. and Crestview Court.

An Estill District Court warrant was served on Cox for failing to appear for a pretrial conference on a charge of criminal trespassing, second degree.

Judge William Leach set no bail for Cox on that charge.

A Stacy Lane man

faces several charges made by KSP Trooper Z. Pennington on July 2.

The citation states that Pennington went to the residence of Russell "Rusty" Riddell, 39, to serve a warrant on him.

The citation says the trooper located three blue pills inside a flashlight, and Riddell became aggravated. He allegedly tried to grab the pills and destroy them.

Riddell was charged with possession of a controlled substance, third degree, resisting arrest, disorderly conduct, second degree, tampering with physical evidence, public intoxication, and prescription controlled substance not in proper container.

Riddell's bail was set at \$10,000 cash.

Riddell pleaded not-guilty during his arraignment on July 5. His preliminary hearing is scheduled for July 12.

An Irvine resident was arrested on Main Street on July 10 by Officer Cloyd Lewis.

The officer said he saw Ricky Allan Lewis, 29, standing outside a residence at 824 Broadway around 1:48 a.m. He added that he knew Lewis had an active Estill County warrant.

During a search, the citation states that Officer Lewis located .5 grams of a crystal-like substance in Lewis' front pocket. The substance reportedly field tested positive for methamphetamine.

The citation adds that a half orange-colored strip was also found in a cigarette package. The officer said the man told him it was a suboxone strip and he did not have a prescription for it.

Ricky Lewis was charged with possession of a controlled substance, first degree and first offense and possession of a controlled substance, second degree.

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Trinity Osborne, son of Tim and Michelle Osborne, checked to see how many ribbons he had won at the 4-H Chamption Booth in the Fair Barn at the Estill County Fair on Friday evening. 4-Hers placing as champions will have their exhibits entered in the state fair in August.

The Magical LUKE Arm

VETERANS POST by Freddy Groves

Two veterans have received what is being called the world's most advanced commercial prosthetic -- the LUKE arm. Short for Life Under Kinetic Evolution, the LUKE allows them to do everything from handling tools and cooking to gift wrapping a present and eating a single grape.

Sometimes the Department of Veterans Affairs really steps up to fix a problem, and this is one of those times. Eight years ago, the VA hooked up with the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA) to create a prosthetic that could do multiple functions at once. Existing prosthetic arms could do only one thing at a time, one joint at a time. The LUKE allows multiple movements of the joints from the shoulder down to the hand. The hand has four grips, rotating wrist, shoulder flexor, elbow movements and more. The arm works in conjunction with foot and leg movements, which use wireless transmitters and sensors. It takes training, of course, to master the movements, but as one of the veterans said, "It's like magic."

Consider what having a second functioning arm can do: You're at the grill in the back yard and the steaks are about done; you can actually hold a platter in one hand while the other uses the tongs to lift the steaks onto the platter. Or maybe you have an armload of groceries and need to unlock your door with the other hand. Or maybe you just want to peel a banana. With the LUKE, it's all possible. Think about that for a minute.

At this point the VA has ordered 10 LUKES. The going price for each one is an estimated \$100,000.

My hope is that some wealthy individuals in this country will get together and buy a few for the VA. They could change the life of a veteran -- or 50 or 100 veterans.

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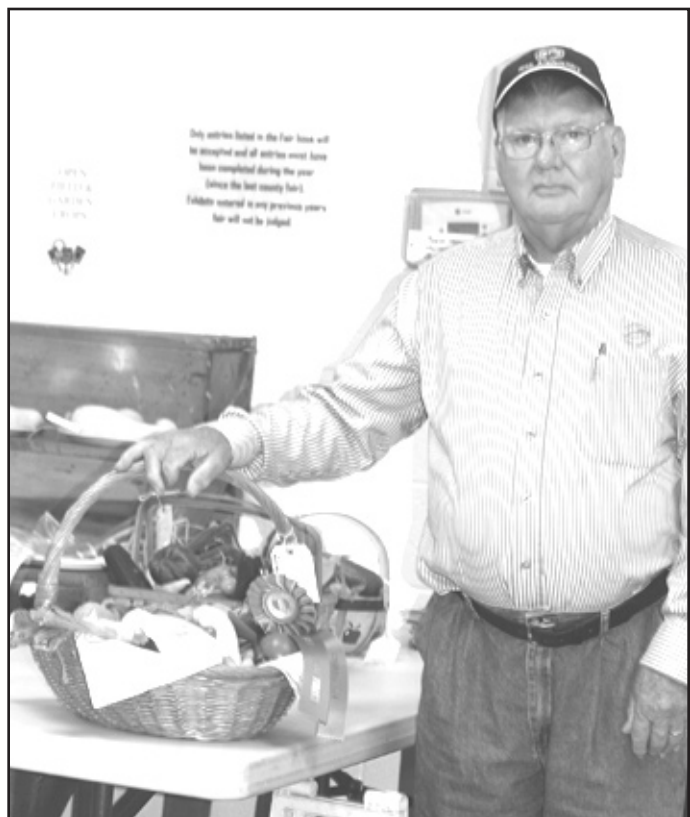
Man arrested on warrants

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Besides the three charges Eason was indicted for, he had also been charged with operating on a suspended or revoked license and reckless driving.

Eason was lodged in Three Forks Jail in Beatyville.

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Jerry Rose stands beside a vegetable basket display which he received a Reserve Champion award on at the Estill County Fair. He started entering exhibits in the fair four years ago. This year, he received numerous blue ribbons for his cabbages, beans, cucumbers, lettuce, yellow squash, banana peppers. He received a blue ribbon for the largest potato.

Hospital gets grant for 3D equipment

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Over \$138,000 was raised by the Marcum & Wallace Foundation to match the ARC grant.

"This campaign was the largest in history that we've ever attempted," said Penny West, Foundation Chairman.

The Foundation raised over \$80,000 the last two years in the Chip in for the Cure Golf Scramble and Pink Paradise Luau.

They also received \$25,000 from the Ray and Kay Eckstein Charitable

Trust, \$10,000 from Columbia Gas, community support, and gifts in honor or memory of individuals.

The local hospital performs 1,500 mammograms annually.

The 3D screening is expected to have a significant impact in early screening and improve overall survival rates.

Members of the Hospital Board, the Foundation, and Hospital Auxiliary were present for the grant announcement, along with local elected officials.

Richardson resigns from Irvine Council

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City Attorney Rodney Davis said that one letter had already been sent to the delinquent tax payers and he could send another letter to them or the council could "cherry pick" which tax bills they wanted to go after.

Williams said that one of the larger bills that was owed to the city was by someone that she knew had money and was a business-

man.

Properties located on High Street were also discussed by the council. Chief Smith said that he had sent warning letters to two property owners and they had adequate time to respond but so far they had not. Both of the owners live out of town. Davis suggested sending another letter to them to see if the issue could be resolved.

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1 year \$16.04	1 year \$26.42	1 year \$30.19	1 year \$32.00
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