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ON THE RECORD

Police/fire

Franklin

Child abuse

600 block of Paradise Court: A woman reported that her 6-year-old son came home with a bruise in the shape of a belt buckle on his arm after spending the weekend with his father. The boy told police he might have gotten the bruise from falling off his scooter, but officers did not believe the injury was consistent with that type of accident. Police are investigating.

Thefts

• First block of Hougham Street: A man reported that someone broke into his room and stole a laptop computer between Dec. 22 and 8:30 p.m. Tuesday. A roommate reported finding a window open and the front door damaged Dec. 31.

• Wal-Mart Supercenter, 2125 N. Morton St.: A woman reported that someone stole her wallet from her purse while she was in the store between 8 and 8:45 p.m. Monday.

• Clean-N-Go, 3060 N. Morton St.: An employee reported that someone stole \$341 in quarters from a change machine at 5:22 p.m. Sunday.

• Paris Tire and Auto, 200 W. Jefferson St.: An employee reported that someone cut a lock on a gate and stole 15 to 20 used radiators between noon Dec. 25 and 9:43 a.m. Friday.

Criminal mischief

• 2700 block of Branigan Creek Road: A resident reported at 2:48 p.m. Sunday that his home was shot with a BB gun.

• 4000 block of Dogwood Court: A resident reported that someone threw eggs at her home and a vehicle parked in her driveway about 4 a.m. Sunday.

Greenwood

Burglary

Jones and Associates, 918 W. Fry Road: An employee reported that someone forced open a window between 11 a.m. Saturday and 7:30 a.m. Tuesday and stole a total of about \$940 from three desks and four Swiss Army knives from another desk.

Thefts

• 100 block of West Main Street: A man reported Tuesday that a gift card valued at \$340 was stolen from his office desk around Dec. 23. The card had been used at a store in Indianapolis.

• 600 block of North Meridian Street: The owner of a storage facility reported at 4:24 p.m. Tuesday that someone cut the locks on eight units. He planned to contact the unit renters Wednesday to determine what, if anything, was stolen.

• 1100 block of Arroyo Road: A man reported Tuesday that someone stole a handgun from his bedroom closet within the past three weeks.

• 400 block of Waterbury Street: A man reported at 10 a.m. Tuesday that someone stole a motorcycle from his front porch. The motorcycle had been secured with a padlock.

• 700 block of Morgan Way: A resident reported that someone broke into his vehicle over the weekend and stole a CD player.

Shoplifting

• Kohl's, 550 W. Fry Road: A loss-prevention officer reported at 7:52 p.m. Tuesday that a woman attempted to steal several items from the store and had stolen items from the store in the past. The woman was arrested on a charge of theft.

• Kohl's: A loss-prevention officer reported at 6:20 p.m. Tuesday that a man attempted to steal a shirt from the store. The man was issued a summons to appear in court.

• Von Maur, 1251 U.S. 31 North: A loss-prevention officer reported that a girl attempted to steal merchandise valued at \$127. The girl was released to her father.

• Kohl's: A loss-prevention officer reported at 3:35 p.m. Tuesday that a man stole a hat and a pair of shoes and ran from the store. An officer chased the man as he ran across a road and through a parking lot. Officers found the man hiding in a trash bin behind a business. The man was arrested on charges of theft and resisting law enforcement.

Criminal mischief

1400 block of Coral Bay Cove: A man reported that someone scratched and dented the hood of his vehicle between Saturday and Tuesday.

Personal-injury accidents

• 7:12 p.m. Friday — 1133 N. Emerson Ave.: Joshua R. Cearing, 25, Franklin; Russell W. Chappell, 42, Whiteland. Cearing complained of head pain.

• 11:06 p.m. Friday — Fry and Covered Bridge roads: Ryan D. Bradley, 22, Indianapolis. Bradley complained of neck pain.

• 5:01 p.m. Dec. 28 — 330 S. State Road 135 near Main Street: Logan G. Douglas,

22, New Market; Michael Combs, 36, Greenwood; Leon R. Skinner, 77, Trafalgar. Combs complained of back pain.

Property-damage accidents

• 12:39 p.m. Tuesday — U.S. 31 and Glenn Drive
• 8:08 a.m. Tuesday — Sheek Road and Grass Creek Drive
• 7:41 p.m. Friday — U.S. 31 and County Line Road

Jail bookings

The following people recently were arrested and booked into the Johnson County jail:

Nathan S. Smith, 21, 837 Sawmill Road, New Whiteland; arrested on charges of contempt and domestic battery and two charges of resisting an officer; held on \$13,720 bond.

Dustin James Buck, 23, 308 Shadybrook Heights, Greenwood; arrested on charges of sexual battery and bond forfeiture and a warrant for violation of probation; held without bond.

Jimmy L. Lloyd, 41, 4260 Foxglove Trace, Indianapolis; arrested on a warrant for failure to appear in court; held on \$1,000 bond.

Robert Eugene Smith, 36, 5051 Dustin Drive, Indianapolis; arrested on warrants for violation of probation and failure to appear in court; held without bond.

Chuckie Will Hardman, 32, 452 N. Mapleton St., Columbus; arrested on a warrant for failure to appear in court; held on \$300 bond.

Kevin D. Wright, 32, 611 Mooreland Drive, New Whiteland; arrested on a charge of intimidation; released on \$1,000 bond.

Chrystal G. Caudill, 27, 506 Palmer St., Franklin; arrested on a charge of failure to respond to a summons; released on \$1,000 bond.

Jerry Williamson, 21, 1041 W. Jefferson St., Apt. 19, Franklin; arrested on a charge of driving without a license; released on \$1,000 bond.

Daniel Schrowe, 21, 8133 Shelbyville Road, Indianapolis; arrested on charges of theft and resisting an officer; released on \$4,000 bond.

William Darren Hungerford, 36, 101 Mooreland Drive, New Whiteland; arrested on two warrants for failure to appear in court; held without bond.

David Gene Wagers, 26, 321 Pleasantview Drive, Greenwood; arrested on a warrant for violation of probation; held without bond.

Brittany Nicole Brannon, 21, 260 W. Wiley St., Greenwood; arrested on charges of probation revocation and public intoxication; held without bond.

Sharon L. Moss, 40, 419 N. DeQuincy St., Indianapolis; arrested on a charge of theft; held on \$3,000 bond.

Anthony Clark, 19, 3601 Kenwood Ave., Indianapolis; arrested on a charge of driving without a license; released on \$1,000 bond.

Zachary R. Green, 18, 6277 W. State Road 234, Jamestown; arrested on charges of possession of marijuana/hashish and possession of paraphernalia; held on \$2,000 bond.

Bryant A. Stemm, 19, 925 Albany St., Indianapolis; arrested on two charges of possession, consumption or transportation of alcohol by a minor; held on \$2,000 bond.

Todd A. Phares, 19, 397 Shadybrook Heights, Greenwood; arrested on two charges of possession of alcohol by a minor; held on \$2,000 bond.

Elizabeth A. Doan, 35, 2031 Traditions Court, Franklin; arrested on a charge of driving while suspended with a prior conviction; released on \$1,000 bond.

The following people recently were arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated and booked into jail:

Joseph W. Wiley, 39, 6289 S. County Road 200W, Trafalgar; also arrested on a charge of possession of paraphernalia; held on \$6,000 bond.

Amanda G. Neier, 22, 5832 Wooden Branch Drive, Indianapolis; released on \$1,000 bond.

Births

Johnson Memorial Hospital

Heather Compton and David Peters, Greenwood, girl born Jan. 2

Michael and Rebecca Stevenson, Franklin, girl born Nov. 28.

Ambler Shelby, Indianapolis, boy born Jan. 3.

Danielle Lanham and Caleb Harrison, Franklin, boy born Dec. 28.

Gregory Stanley and Darla Tyree, Franklin, girl born Dec. 28.

Evelyn White, boy born Dec. 28.

Community Hospital South

Matthew and Jennifer Pinnick, Franklin, girl born Dec. 29.

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A new county council member will be picked to represent Greenwood next week.

The Republican Party will conduct a caucus at 7:30 p.m. Jan. 11 to pick a new member for the county's financial governing board. The new member will fill the seat left vacant by Rick Mason.

The seat represents the Greenwood area.

Mason, 67, served on the council for nearly 24 years. He died Dec. 15 after suffering a stroke.

So far, no one has applied for the position, said Doug Lechner, county Republican Party chairman.

The new member will be chosen by Republican precinct com-

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mittee members at the meeting next week in the courthouse annex.

Anyone interested in filling the seat should send a letter to Lechner at 7178 Rocklane Road, Needham, IN 46162.

Interested candidates' letters must be received at least 72 hours before the caucus, Lechner said.

GREENWOOD

Greenwood man picked to head utilities group

A Greenwood man was appointed by the governor to a state commission that monitors utility com-

panies across the state.

Jeff Golc, a public affairs manager for Kroger, was appointed to the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission by Gov. Mitch Daniels on Wednesday.

Golc will fill the Democratic seat of David Hadley, who resigned from his position in November. He will work full-time for the commission and was appointed to a three-year term.

The Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission is the state regulatory agency for utilities. The group investigates allegations of price gouging, monitors rates and charges of utility companies and oversees natural gas pipeline safety.

Daniels picked Golc based on his previous experience in govern-

ment at both state and local levels, according to a news release from the governor's office.

Golc was the deputy commissioner for the state bureau of motor vehicles and the department of workforce development. He also was a member of the Indianapolis City-County Council until 1999.

Through his previous experience in government work, Golc said he learned about government and the legislative process but will have more to learn in his new position.

He hopes to be able to use his experience and connections to bring state agencies together on issues the commission discusses.

Golc will begin his term with the commission Jan. 15.



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