

Man high on meth skins bobcat, eats it, authorities say

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A Santa Clara County man high on methamphetamine killed and skinned a bobcat, then ate it, authorities said.

Henry Arnibal, 38, of Morgan Hill was charged Monday with killing a bobcat without a permit, Santa Clara County Deputy Dist. Atty. Steve Lowney told the San Jose Mercury News.

Eating a bobcat is not illegal, but killing one without a permit is a fish and game violation.

Arnibal was arrested last week after deputies found 50 roosters and cockfighting spikes that attach to roosters' legs. They also discovered the bobcat's preserved carcass, which Arnibal told authorities had eaten five of his roosters.

The newspaper reported that he killed the animal with a .22-caliber rifle.

Woman pushed trash can containing body parts for hours, sought help disposing of remains

May 31, 2011 | 6:54 am [Los Angeles Times]

A 51-year-old woman accused of pushing a trash can containing a man's body parts in Ontario reportedly had spent hours asking for help disposing of the parts. Police were called when a resident in the neighborhood smelled an odor coming from the can. The woman was arrested on suspicion of murder, Ontario police said.

Carmen Montenegro was taken into custody after residents in the 700 block of Holmes Street spotted her pushing a trash can with body parts in it and alerted police about 3 p.m. Sunday, said Det. Jeff Crittenden. Montenegro was later booked on suspicion of murder, Crittenden said. The trash can contained parts of a man's body and investigators from the department and the county coroner's office are searching for the other remains.

Investigators are still trying to determine how the victim died and where and how he was killed, Crittenden said. The victim has not been identified.

The daughter of a homeowner in the neighborhood told a KTLA-TV Channel 5 reporter that Montenegro

Hallucinating man hits car head-on, stabs driver, then stabs self with drill, police say

May 16, 2011 | 10:46 am [Los Angeles Times] A Menifee man hallucinating from drug withdrawal drove head-on into another car, stabbed the driver and then ran into a nearby garage, where he repeatedly stabbed himself in the neck with a cordless drill, authorities said.

Garrie Aspengren Jr., 38, had been undergoing detoxification from pain medication and had not slept for three to four days, according to the Riverside County Sheriff's Department.

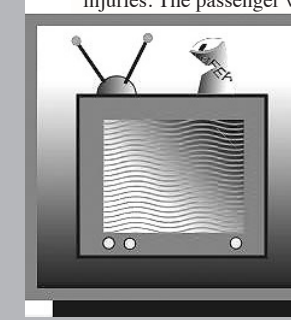
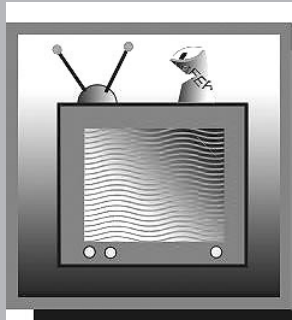
Aspengren was driving down Safflower Street in French Valley just before noon Sunday when he rammed the other car.

After the crash, he apparently walked over to the other car and stabbed the driver with an unknown object and then attempted to stab a passenger, sheriff's officials said in a statement.

Aspengren then fled into a nearby home's open garage, grabbed a drill and began stabbing himself. The homeowner and two of his friends detained him until police could arrive.

The driver of the other car was taken to Loma Linda Medical Center with non-life-threatening injuries. The passenger was taken by family mem-

ber to a hospital in Redlands. The passenger was taken to Loma Linda Medical Center with non-life-threatening injuries. Sheriff's officials said the driver was charged with assault with a



CIA OFFICER MAY FACE WAR CRIME CHARGES : The Associated Press reports that the CIA officer who supervised interrogations at Abu Ghraib could be now part of a federal war crimes investigation. Steve Stormoen ran CIA negotiations at the infamous Iraqi prison, even though agency lawyers forbid agents from running their own interrogations. In 2003, CIA officers brought Manadel al-Jamadi to Abu Ghraib and interrogated him on their own; after an hour, he died. Federal prosecutors are now investigating whether al-Jamadi's death constituted a war crime. Stormoen was not in the room when al-Jamadi died.

