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Wednesday, June 23, 2010

**Witness coercion: woman creates evidence against herself on answering machine**

A Loudon woman reportedly created evidence against her in a theft case when she left threatening messages on the victim's answering machine in an effort to allegedly coerce him.

Nancy Mae Johnson, 52, Markwood Road, Loudon was charged with coercion of a witness.

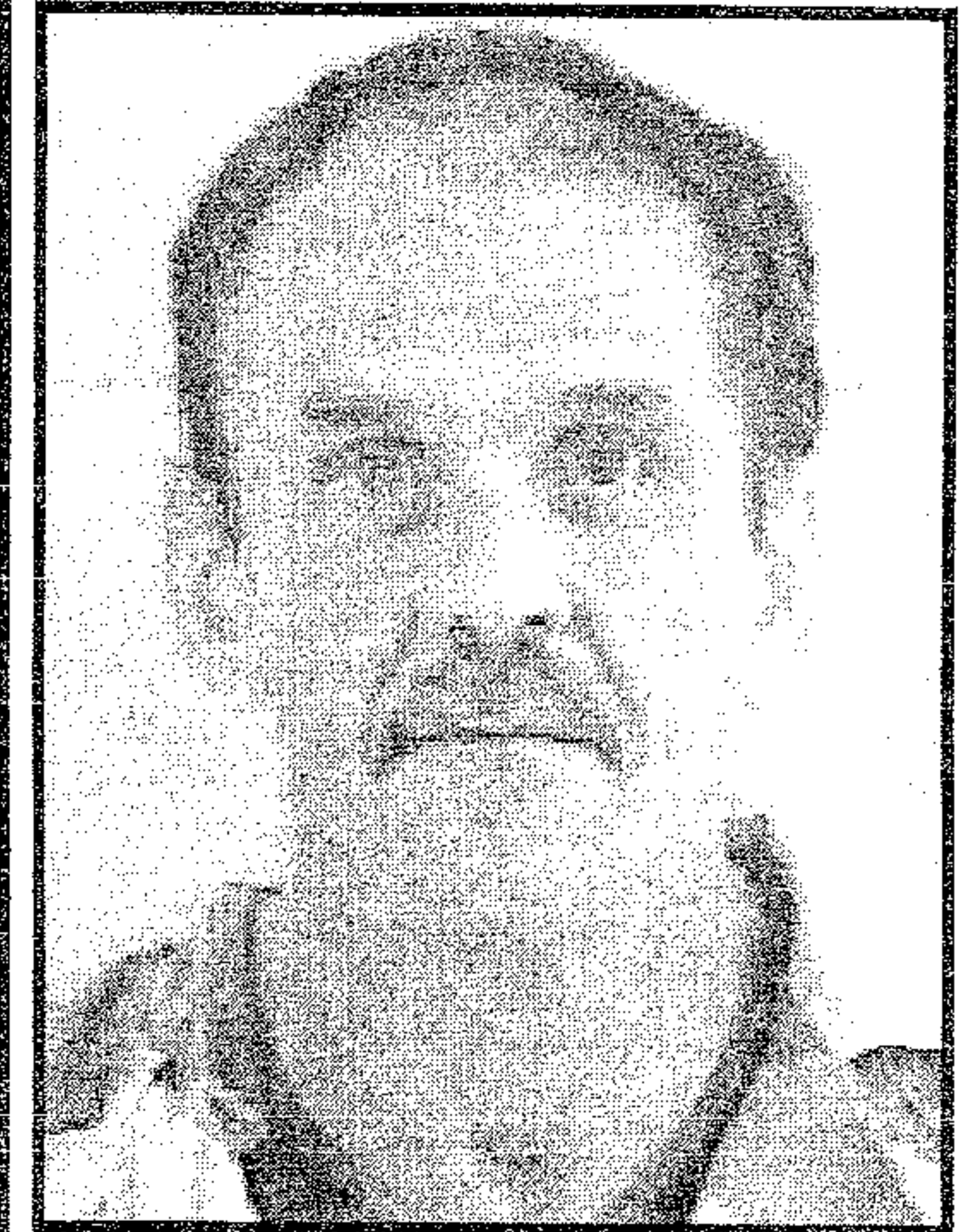
According to the affidavit filed by Investigator Jeff Russell, LCSO-CID; on June 14th, 2010, a man reported Nancy Johnson had made several calls to his business and to his residence, which are both located in

(see Johnson pg. 7)



Nancy Mae Johnson

**NCIC puts kibosh on false info**



Craig Lee Baron

(see Baron pg. 4)

**Man charged with beating, holding woman against her will**

LCPD officials charged a Knoxville man in connection with the alleged late December, 2009 beating of a Lenoir City woman who has an order of protection against him. The victim also accused the man of holding her against her will for several

(see Raby pg. 6)



Daniel Leon Raby

**Disorderly patient goes to jail**

When authorities were dispatched to the emergency room in regards to a disorderly patient, officers found an intoxicated Kingston man who had a warrant against him and once at the jail, a search revealed the presence of numerous illicit pills in his possession.

(see Turnbull pg. 8)



Bradley Wade Brad Turnbull

**Lack of keys changes charge**

The lack of ignition keys an intoxicated man found being within the vicinity of

(see Smith pg. 6)

**Fishing with Gus: Flip-Flip**

Well, I have been on several outings since summer started and I keep see-

(see Gus pg. 3)

**Verse of the day**

*But if the wicked will turn from all his sins that he hath committed, and keep all my statutes, and do that which is lawful and right, he shall surely*

*live, he shall not die.*

Ezekiel 18:21

**Obituaries**

Sam E. Ellis  
Stephen Edwin Boardman  
Susan Meade

**Wazzup**

We're sure gonna miss ya,

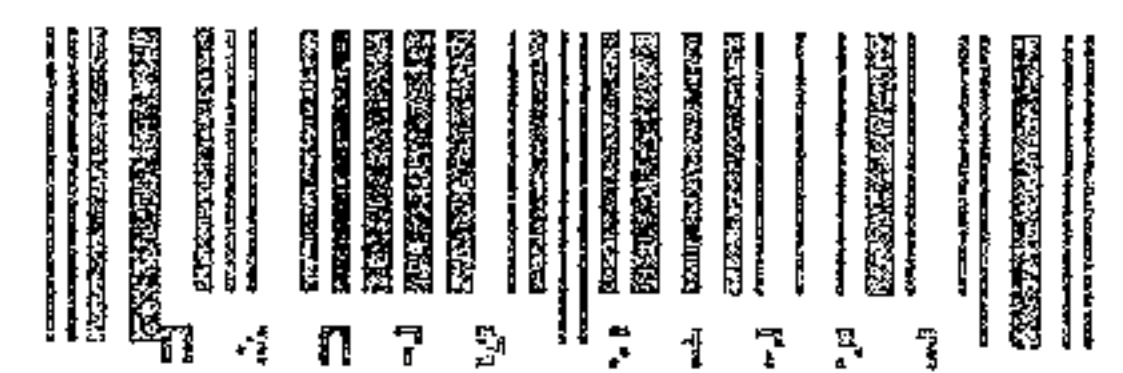
Cookie Bolt! Don't forget yer long underwear - we hear tell Minnesota is a tad bit chilly!

**Weather:**

Today: Generally sunny despite a few afternoon clouds. Hot. High 96. Winds light and variable.

Tonight: Mostly clear skies. Low 73. Winds light and variable.

(see More pg. 2)



**Gus** scratch my head.  
 On one such out-  
 ing the same thing ing, we was to fish  
 and I can't help but around a pond

which had not had  
 the weeds cleared  
 in years. There was  
 brush piled in sever-  
 al spots and it's just  
 a real snaky place.

As the event start-  
 ed, I noticed that  
 most of the men  
 showed up wearing  
 the proper fishing at-  
 tire; hat, blue jeans,  
 fishing shirt, sun-  
 glasses, but they all  
 had on flip-flops.

Yes, flip-flops, and  
 I have no idea why.

Men don't wear flip-  
 flops, especially to  
 an outdoor event  
 involving hooks,  
 sticks and biting  
 creatures!

That's not it  
 though. As I've been  
 actively looking now  
 for men in flip-flops,  
 I see them every-  
 where!

I'm perplexed at  
 this situation, men  
 don't wear flip-flops.  
 Take a look for your-  
 self, everywhere you  
 go men will be wear-  
 ing them and most  
 have some of the ug-  
 liest feet you would  
 only expect to see  
 in horror flicks. Men  
 need to wear boots,  
 no exceptions. We  
 have a certain stan-  
 dard that we need  
 to keep and flippity-  
 flopping isn't it.

-Gus

**Police Beat**

Donna G. Joiner,  
 42, Middlebrook  
 Pike, Knoxville was  
 charged Friday with  
 driving on suspend-  
 ed license.

According to re-  
 ports, Deputy Chris  
 Jenkins, LCSO wit-  
 nessed a burgundy  
 Cadillac on Muddy  
 Creek Road travel-

ing east and clocked  
 it on radar at 53 mph  
 in a 35 mph zone.

A check of Ms.  
 Joiner's license  
 through NCIC  
 showed her license  
 were suspended for  
 failure to satisfy ci-  
 tations.

Thomas Otha Kim-  
 mer, 52, Paint Rock  
 Road, Kingston was  
 charged Friday with  
 driving on revoked li-  
 cense 2nd offense.

The report states  
 Deputy Chris Jen-  
 kins, LCSO respond-  
 ed to the area of  
 Steekee Road and  
 McIntire Curve in  
 reference to a mo-  
 tor vehicle accident.  
 Upon arrival, the  
 deputy spoke with  
 witnesses, the vic-  
 tim, and Mr. Kimmer  
 who was driving a  
 red Chevy pickup  
 involved in the mis-  
 hap.

A check of Mr.  
 Kimmer's license  
 through NCIC re-  
 vealed his license  
 were revoked for  
 DUI on June 7th,  
 2004.

Franklin Lee Cook,  
 24, Kelsay Road,  
 Kingston, was  
 charged with viola-  
 tion of probation.

Deputy Michael  
 Wilson, LCSO made  
 he arrest Friday at  
 the Roane County  
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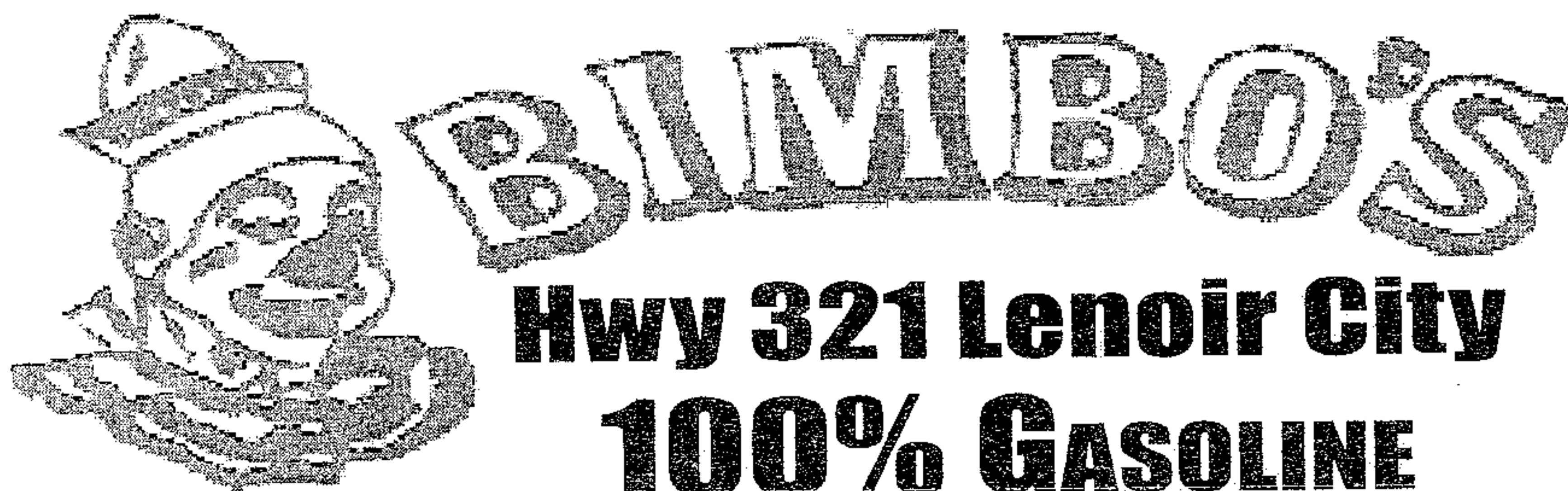
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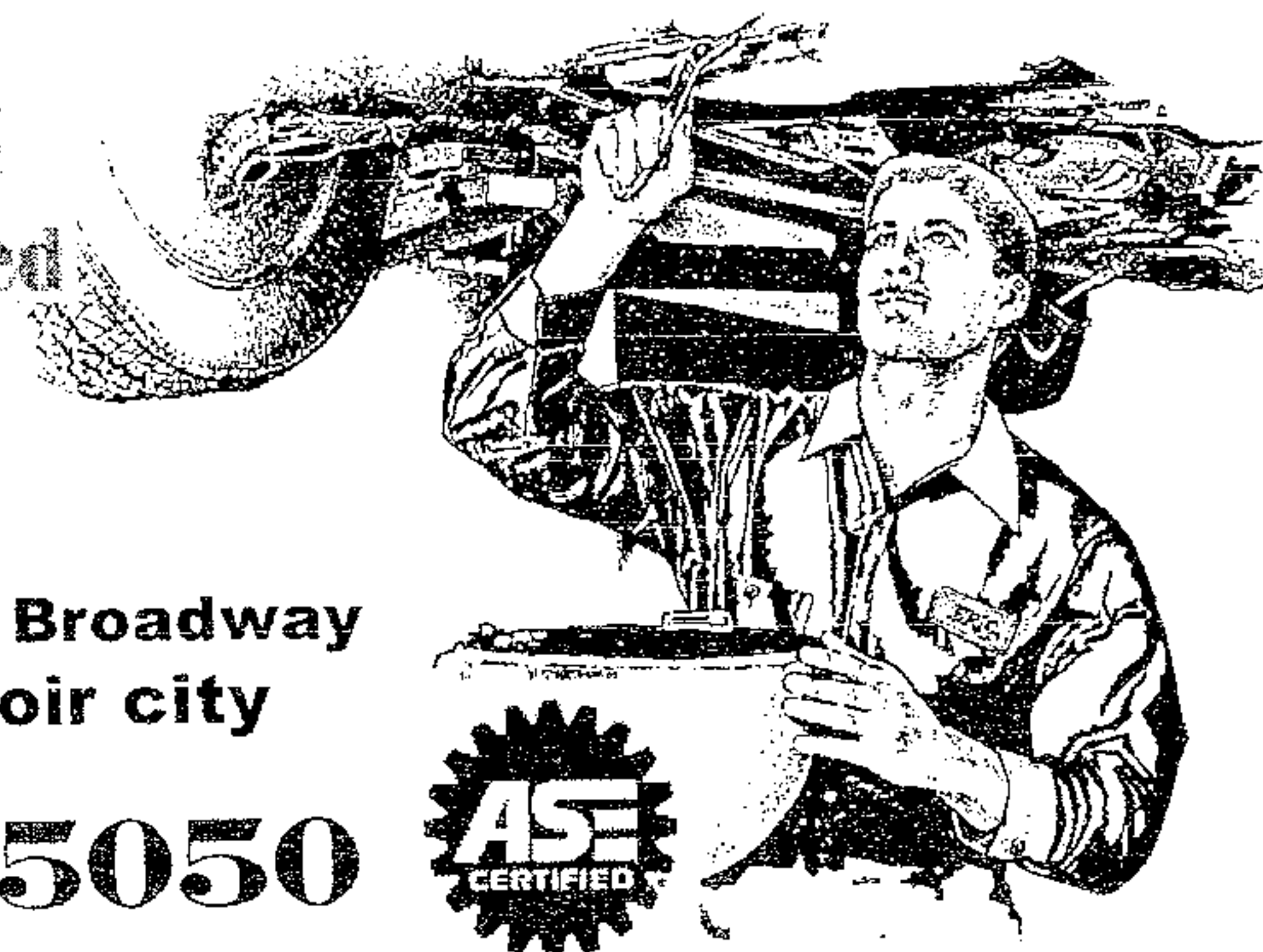
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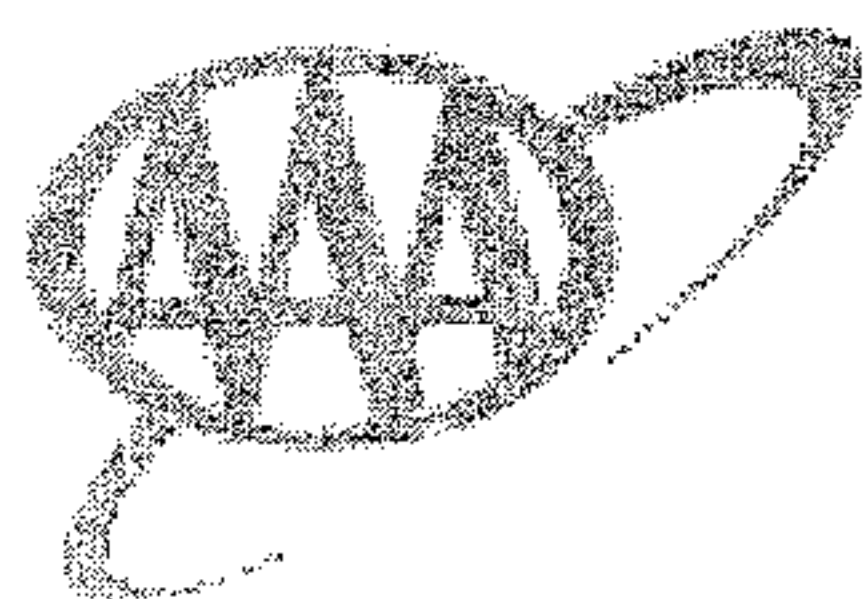
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# Obituaries

**Sam E. Ellis** - age 84 of Lenoir City passed away Monday, June 21, 2010. He enjoyed farming and raising cattle. Sam was active in the preservation of Appalachian Literature and the Jesse Stuart Foundation. Preceded in death by his wife, Lois K. Ellis; son, Gary Ellis; parents, Sam and Jane Ellis; brothers and sisters, Ralph Ellis, Lena Ellis, Porter Ellis, Katie Bounds and Estel Ellis. Survived by his son and daughter-in-law, Larry and Leigh Anne Ellis of Maryville; daughter and son-in-law, Patricia and David Kidd of Columbia, SC; grandchildren, Michael Kidd, Breanne Kidd, Joshua Ellis and Anna Ellis; great grandchildren, Anna, Kimber Ann, Caitlin, and Janna Michael Kidd; brothers, Fred Ellis and Archie Ellis; sisters, Cleo Jackson and Mickey Terry all of Michigan; several nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be made to the Jesse Stuart Foundation, P. O. Box 391, Ashland, KY 41114. Click Funeral Home, Lenoir City is in charge of arrangements.

**Stephen Edwin Boardman**, - 21 of Philadelphia,

passed away suddenly Friday, June 18, 2010. Stephen was a graduate of Loudon High School class of 2007 and manager trainee of Pizza Hut, Loudon. He was a devoted father to his son Kamren. Survivors: son, Kamren; parents, Stephen Wayne Boardman & Lisa Delani Boardman; brother, Nicholas Boardman; grandparents, Granny Delani; Granpa Tony Delani; Grandpa and Grandmaw Boardman; extended family & friends. Funeral services 2 p.m. Wednesday Loudon Funeral Home Chapel. Eulogies by family & friends. Interment Lakeview Cemetery, Lenoir City. Visitation 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Wednesday Loudon Funeral Home. [www.loudonfuneralhome.net](http://www.loudonfuneralhome.net)

**Susan Meade**, age 17 of Lenoir City, passed away Friday morning, June 18, 2010. Susan was a 2010 graduate of Lenoir City High School with aspirations of becoming a physical therapist. She loved animals and the outdoors, had a talent for drawing, enjoyed reading, photography and spending time with friends as well as volunteering. In school, she participated in HOSA and Powder Puff football. She

attended Grace Baptist Church in Lenoir City. She was full of life and wore a broad smile. She will be greatly missed by all who loved and knew her. She was preceded in death by her grandfathers, Leonard Justice and Bill Meade. She is survived by her mother and stepfather, Diane and Roger Atchley, Lenoir City; father and stepmother, Glenn and Jennifer Meade, Morehead, KY; brother, Joe Justice, Lenoir City; grandmothers, Nancy Justice, Deltona, FL and Mildred Meade, Feds Creek, KY; stepsister, Sarah Atchley, Lenoir City and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. Funeral services 7:30 PM Tuesday Grace Baptist Church, Rev. Jeff Waldrop officiating. The family will gather 10:15 Wednesday at the funeral home to process to Lakeview Cemetery for an 11:30 interment. Contributions in memory of Susan may be made to the Loudon County Humane Society, 250 Jamie Drive, Loudon, TN 37774 or to the Animal Shelter

in your community. The family will receive friends 1:00-3:00 PM and 5:00-7:30 PM Tuesday prior to the service at Grace Baptist Church

## Baron

A man wanted for failing to appear in Knox County was charged with impersonation in Loudon County after NCIC revealed the information he gave was false.

Craig Lee Baron, 46, East 5th Avenue, Knoxville was charged with criminal impersonation and failure to appear.

According to reports, Deputy T.J. Scarbrough, LCSO made a traffic stop on a white box truck with the back door open on Midway Road Tuesday.

There was a man sitting in the back of

the truck.

A routine check of the driver and passenger in the front of the truck came back clean.

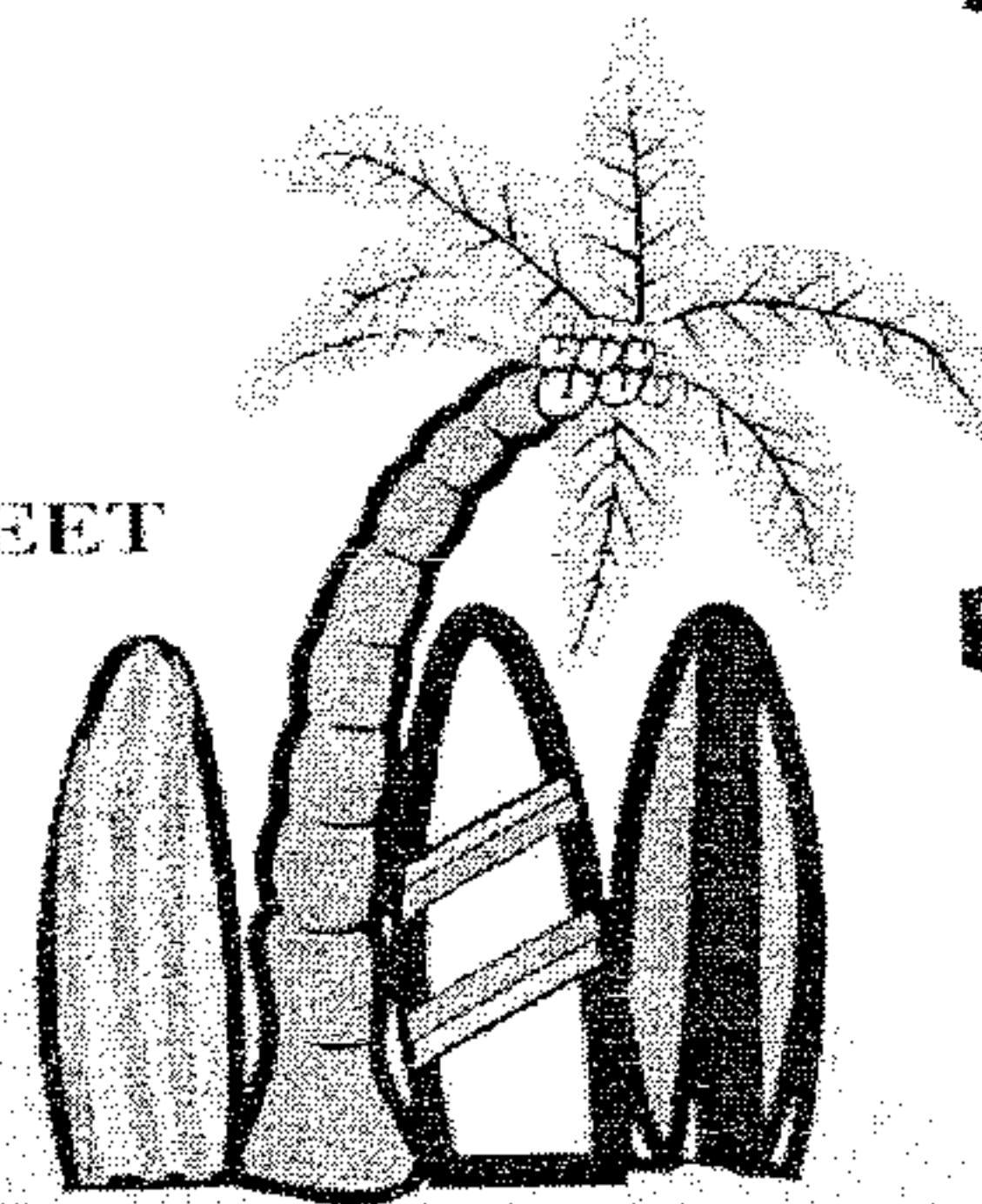
The man in the back of the box truck, identified as Craig Lee Baron, first gave the name, Craig Brown and a social security number that was no good, according to NCIC.

When Deputy Scarbrough confronted Mr. Baron about the wrong information he stated he had a warrant for failure to appear in Knox County, and then gave his real name of Craig Lee Baron and the correct social security number.

He was taken into custody and received the additional charge of criminal impersonation.

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### Raby

hours.

Daniel Leon Raby, 35, Agnes Road, Knoxville was charged with domestic assault and violation of order of protection.

According to affidavits filed by Detective Jack Fine, LCPD; according to the victim's statement, on December 22nd, 2009, at approximately 3:00 PM, Daniel L. Raby went to the victim's Lenoir City residence, knocked on her back door and when she opened it, barged into her apartment.

Raby then followed the woman upstairs and into her bedroom where he locked the door and kept her in the bedroom for approximately 4 hours against her will. The victim stated while in the bedroom Raby choked her and twisted her arm several times. When a witness went upstairs to inquire as to the victim's well being, she observed the

victim lying on the bed nude and crying with red marks on her neck. Raby fled the apartment and grabbed the victim's cell phone on the way out.

The victim has an order of protection against Raby, which was filed and entered on April 13th, 2009.

The cell phone was valued at \$50.

Deputy Robert Gray, LCSO made the arrest at the Knox County Jail Saturday.

### Smith

asleep behind the wheel of his vehicle changed his charge from DUI to PI due to criteria in the T.C.A.

Jeremy Michael Smith, 36, Davis Ferry Road, Loudon was charged with public intoxication.

According to reports, at approximately 2:41 AM Saturday, Deputy Lawson, LCSO was in the process of checking businesses in his patrol zone when he

noticed a dark colored truck in the parking lot of Simmons BP Gas Station on Pond Creek Road. The business was closed at the time. There was one person in the driver's seat who appeared to be asleep. Deputy Lawson knocked on the window of the truck until he woke up Mr. Smith, who appeared sleepy.

When asked why he was there, Smith replied he was too intoxicated to drive so he'd pulled over. He later recanted his story, however, saying someone had dropped him off at his truck.

Mr. Smith had an odor of an alcoholic beverage on his breath and person, was unsteady on his feet and had blood-shot eyes.

Mr. Smith was not charged with DUI due to the fact the keys were not in the immediate vicinity of his reach.

According to the deputy's report, the

entire situation did not fit the criteria, per T.C.A., for DUI.

### Police Beat

Richard Thomas Godsey, 36, Alma Place, Loudon was charged with driving on revoked.

According to re-

cords, Officer Jason Felts, LCPD noticed a green Chevy Blazer Sunday with the radio on very loud. He stopped the vehicle at South B Street and West Broadway.

A check of Mr. Godsey's license came back revoked.

### F.Y.I

**Calvary Baptist Church**, Grove Street, Loudon will be having homecoming on Sunday, June 27, 2010 beginning at 10:30am. Special singing by The Melody s from Georgia. Everyone is invited.

**The American Dexter Cattle Association National Show, Sale and AGM** will be held at the McMinn County Livestock Exposition Center, Athens Regional Park, 2405 Decatur Pike, Athens, TN 37303. Barns Open to visitors both days 8am. Friday June 25th – National Dexter Cattle Show 9am, Saturday June 26th – National Dexter Cattle Sale/Auction 10am For more information on Dexter Cattle and for a full list of events at the "2010 AGM" visit [www.dextercattle.org](http://www.dextercattle.org) or call the event coordinator Sally Coad at 865-213-0590.

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**Johnson**

Monroe County.

The lawman reported threatening statements were made by Nancy Johnson via answering machine stating she was going to report the man for inappropriate contact with her grandson, along with slanderous remarks about his character.

Mrs. Johnson is a defendant in a case

where the man is a victim and witness in Loudon County for charges of theft over \$1000.

Deputy Craig Brewer, LCSO made the arrest Wednesday.

**Police Beat**

Cheryl Sue Yates, 46, Benfield Avenue, Columbus Ohio, was charged with driving on suspended license.

According to records, Friday, at ap-

proximately 4:30 AM, Deputy Charles Butler, LCSO observed a silver Lincoln with an expired tag out of Ohio cross the broken line, then cross back over to the center of the lane on Interstate 75 north. The deputy stopped the vehicle at the 78 mile marker and identified the driver as Cheryl Yates.

Ms. Yates advised she had been driving for several hours and she was sleepy. A check of her Ohio license through TDOS came back suspended for fail-

ure to satisfy citations.

Deputy Nick Lawson and Corporal Ernie Brown, LCSO were also on scene.

Rick Rand Ard, 34, Pine View Road, Maryville, was charged with three counts of violation of the check law.

Deputy Daniel Ferguson, LCSO made the arrest Thursday at the Blount County Jail.

Charles Edward McDaniel, 33, Jacksboro Pike, Knoxville, was charged with an attachment

(child support). Deputy John Maples, LCSO, made the arrest Thursday, at the Morgan County Jail.

John Martin Macuga, 22, Nelson Street, Philadelphia was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Nathan Wilson, LCSO made the arrest Saturday at the McMinn County Jail.

Brandon James Lueneburg, 28, Buttermilk Road West, Lenoir City was charged with a capias bench warrant out of Jefferson County.

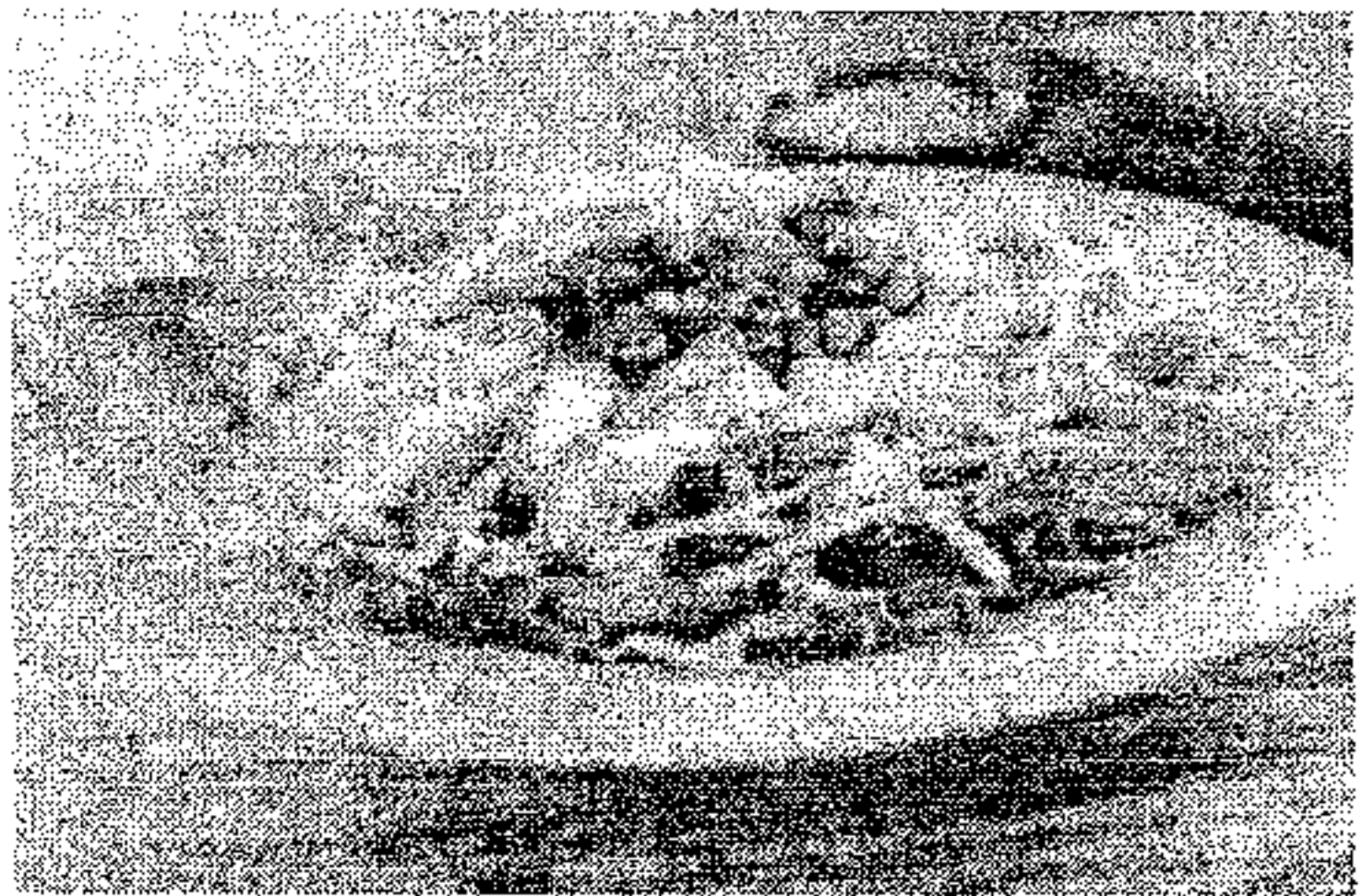
Officer Jamie Whitt, LCPD made the arrest Monday at the Weigels on Highway 321.



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**Turnbill**

Bradley Wade 'Brad' Turnbill, 34, Kings Highway, Kingston was charged with public intoxication, possession of schedule IV, possession of schedule II, possession of schedule III and possession of drug paraphernalia.

According to records, around 6:45 AM Saturday, Deputy Brandon Dixon, LCSO responded to the Fort Loudoun ER in reference to a disorderly patient EMS had transported from a previous call. Upon arrival, the deputy came in contact with Mr. Bradley W. Turnbill. Mr. Turnbill had refused medical

treatment. A check through NCIC revealed Turnbill had a warrant out of Loudon County for child support.

Mr. Turnbill was very intoxicated, unsteady on his feet, and had slurred speech. Deputy Dixon transported the intoxicated man to the Loudon County Jail.

Once at the jail, Mr. Turnbill was searched. A straw, believed to be used to snort pills, was discovered in his left front pocket with white residue on the end of it.

Deputy Dixon reported he also found a white pill bottle without anyone's name on it. The bottle contained 6 oval orange pills be-

lieved to be schedule IV xanax, 3 1/2 oblong yellow pills believed to be schedule II percofet, 1 oblong white pill believed to be schedule III hydrocodone and 1/2 of a white pill believed to be schedule II methylin.

**No License**

Miguel Ramirez, 21, Browder Hollow Road, Lenoir City, was charged with no drivers license, speeding and financial responsibility.

According to records, Mr. Ramirez was driving a gray Toyota Corolla on Broadway Friday around 6:42 AM, when Sgt. Eddie Range, LCPD stopped him for speeding and discovered he was unlicensed and didn't have any insurance.

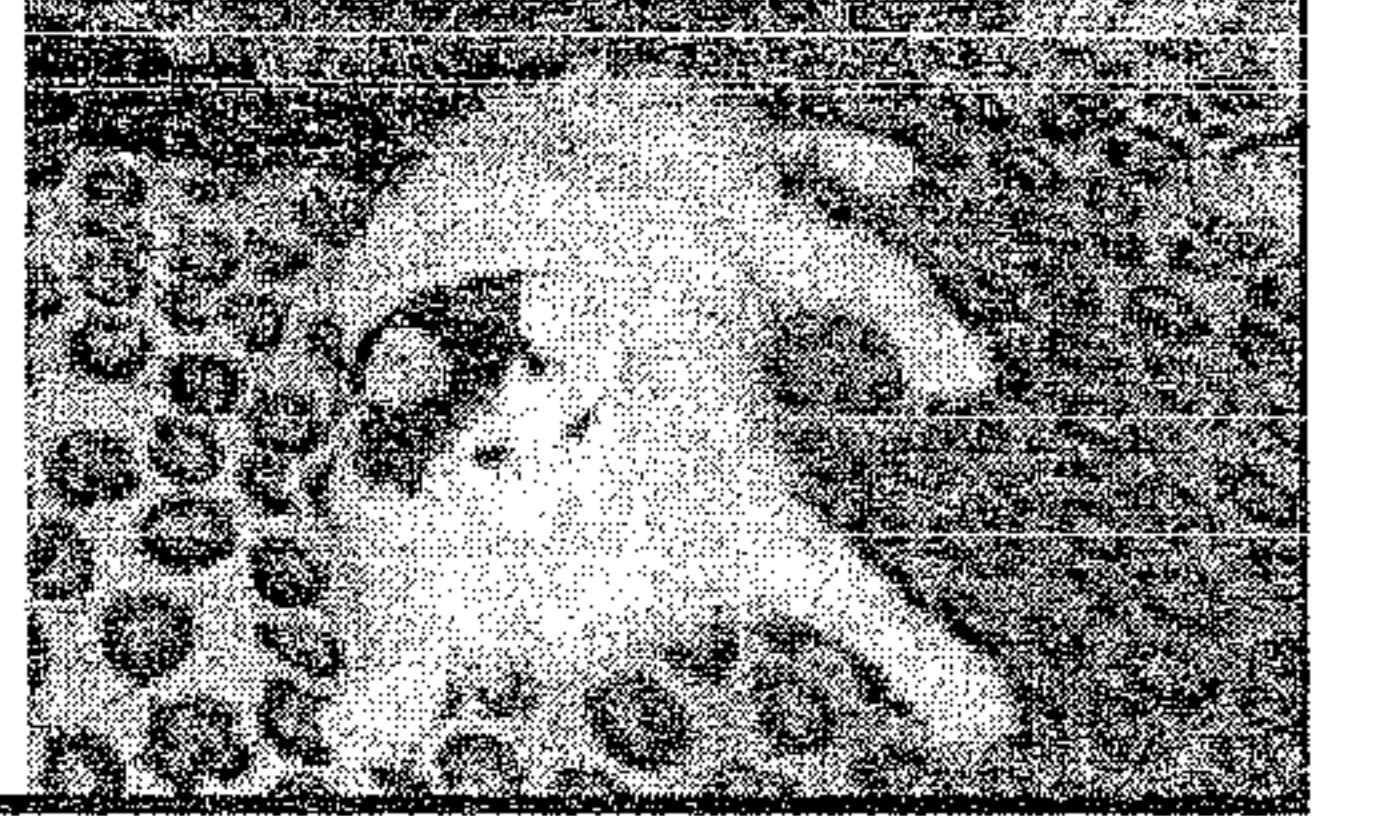
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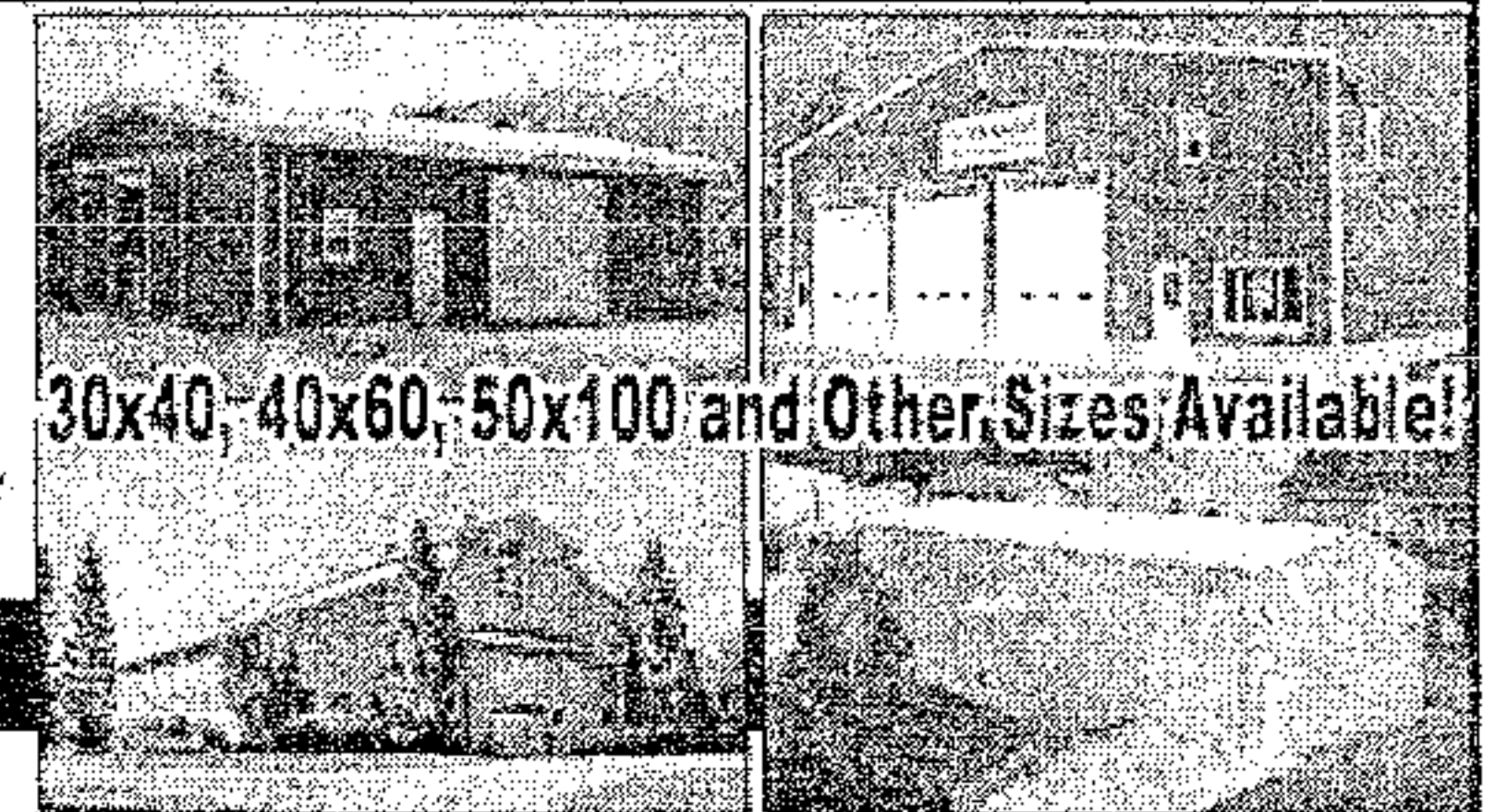
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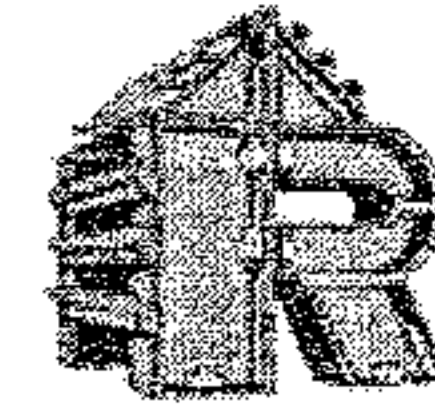


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