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Tuesday, July 6, 2010

## Local charged after using vehicle in assault

A Lenoir City man is accused of using his vehicle to move another vehicle causing severe damage to it during a domestic dispute at a Loudon location in late June. He was taken into custody after warrants were issued for his arrest.

Philip Nelson Artis, 50, Highway 70, Lenoir City was charged with (see Artis pg. 3)



Philip Nelson Artis

## Traffic stop uncovers drugs

LCSO Sgt. Billy Hall charged a Kentucky man with several counts of drug possession after he noticed him trying to hide things during a traffic stop where the driver nearly wrecked while speeding.

Jamie Sizemore, 21,

Manchester, Kentucky, was charged with possession of schedule II (oxycodone), possession of schedule IV (xanax), and simple possession of marijuana.

The report states, Monday, around 10:20 AM, Sgt. Billy Hall, LCSO stopped a black

(see Sizemore pg. 8)

## Hunters Reminded About 2010 Special Season Deer Changes

NASHVILLE --- Hunters are reminded by the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency the special season

fall turkey hunts and county deer quota hunts have been changed to non-quota hunts in many counties across the

(see Changes pg. 4)

## Alleged shoplifter nabbed

A Philadelphia man was jailed after he reportedly tried to steal a hat and batteries from Walmart while under observation of security.

Brian Heath Kelso, 24, Rausin Hollow Road, Philadelphia, was charged Wednesday afternoon with theft under \$500.

According to the report, a Walmart Security Officer observed Kelso select a hat in

(see Kelso pg. 4)



Brian Heath Kelso

## No seat belt nets 2 for various charges

Two persons were taken into custody Monday after officials stopped their vehicle for a seat belt violation and learned the driver was suspended and the pas-

senger was in possession of marijuana.

Jason Allen White, 33, LeMoore, California, was charged with driving on suspended license.

(see Charged pg. 7)

## The Disaster Squad: Serving in the Worst of Times

FBI - When planes crash or natural disasters strike or terrorists attack, it's often incredibly difficult to identify the remains of the victims. It requires special forensic expertise—as well as the ability to endure tough con-

ditions and gut-wrenching scenes.

But it's work that needs to be done—not only to help solve cases and address issues like insurance payments and settlement of estates, but just as impor-

(see Squad pg. 6)

### Verse of the day

Both riches and honor come of thee, and thou reignest over all; and in thine hand is power and might; and in thine hand it is to make great, and

to give strength unto all.

1 Chronicles 29:12

### Obituaries

Pope Finn

### Wazzup

Registration day for Lenoir City schools is Wednesday,

August 4, 2010 from 8 AM till 11:30 AM. Registration for Loudon County schools is Thursday, August 5, 2010 all day.

### Weather:

Today: A mainly sunny sky. Near record high tempera-

tures. High around 95. Winds light and variable. Tonight: A mostly clear

(see More pg. 2)





### Artis

aggravated domestic violence.

According to an affidavit; on June 26th, 2010, around 7:02 PM, Deputy Charles Butler, LCSO was dispatched to a residence on Highway 72 East in reference to a domestic. The victim advised she and Artis got into an argument and when she asked him to leave he became up-

set, went outside, got into his vehicle and demanded she get her car out of his way.

According to the woman, she asked Artis to wait so she could retrieve some items from her car that was parked behind him, but he started his car, put it in reverse and backed into her car, pushing it about 35

feet into the yard and causing severe damage to the victim's vehicle.

The woman further advised she was almost run over by Artis and his actions placed her in fear of serious injury or death. Upon the arrival of Deputy Butler, Artis had already fled the scene.

Deputy McKinzie Williams, LCSO made the arrest.

### Police Beat

Joan Florence Moran, 58, Circle Drive, Athens was charged with driving under the influence.

According to records, at approximately 4:44 PM, Monday, Officer Park, LCPD stopped Ms. Moran driving a beige Acura after he witnessed her cross the center line three different times and noticed when she turned into the turn lane at Interstate 75 she ran up onto the curb, then stopped about 25 feet behind the vehicle in front of her.

When the officer walked up to her

window, Moran was unaware of his presence. Officer Park and LCPD Officer Jason Felts, moved her to the Shell Gas Station on Highway 321 for her safety and to perform field sobriety tasks. Ms. Moran had a strong odor of alcohol about her person and had a open cup half full of an alcoholic beverage. She also had difficulty finding her drivers license.

Ms. Moran had bloodshot eyes, slow speech, and performed poorly on field sobriety. She was arrested for DUI and transported to Fort Loudoun ER for a BAC.

### F.Y.I

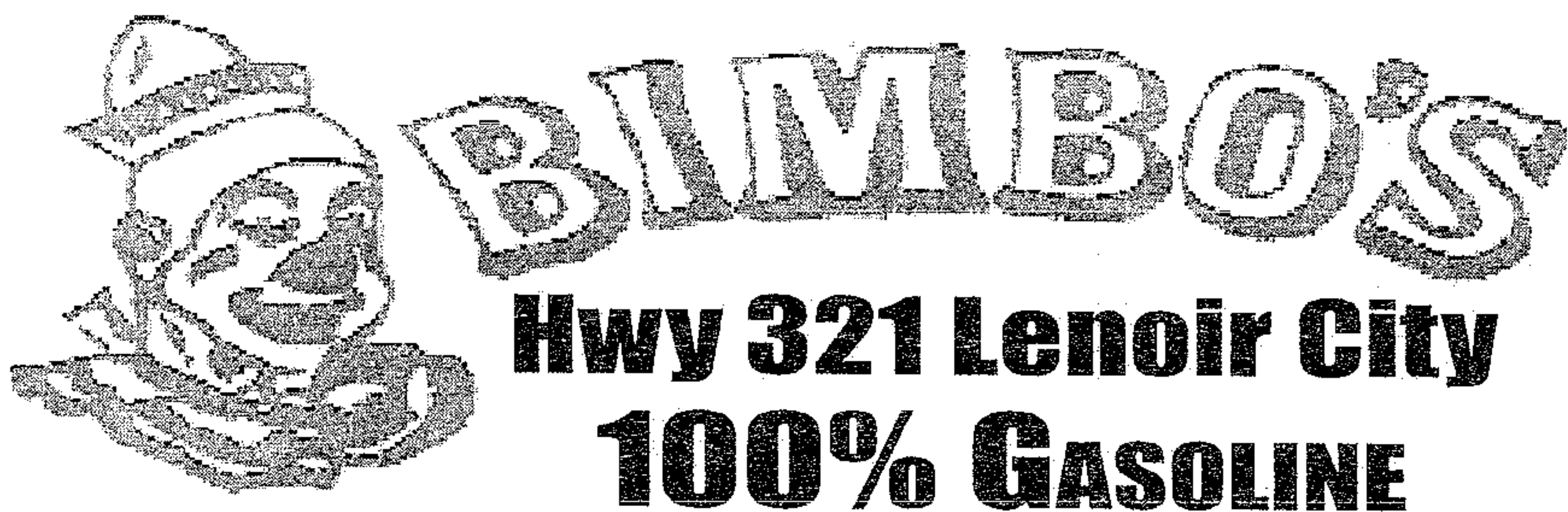
**Loudon Quarterback Club Sign-ups** at Fort Hill will be held Sat. June 26 from 10 till 1 and every Tuesday and Friday from 6:30 till 8 and every Saturday in July from 10 till 1. First day of practice will be July 26th at 6. 1st year sign-ups bring copy of birth certificate. Please call Gary Whitfield with any Questions 865-740-3731.

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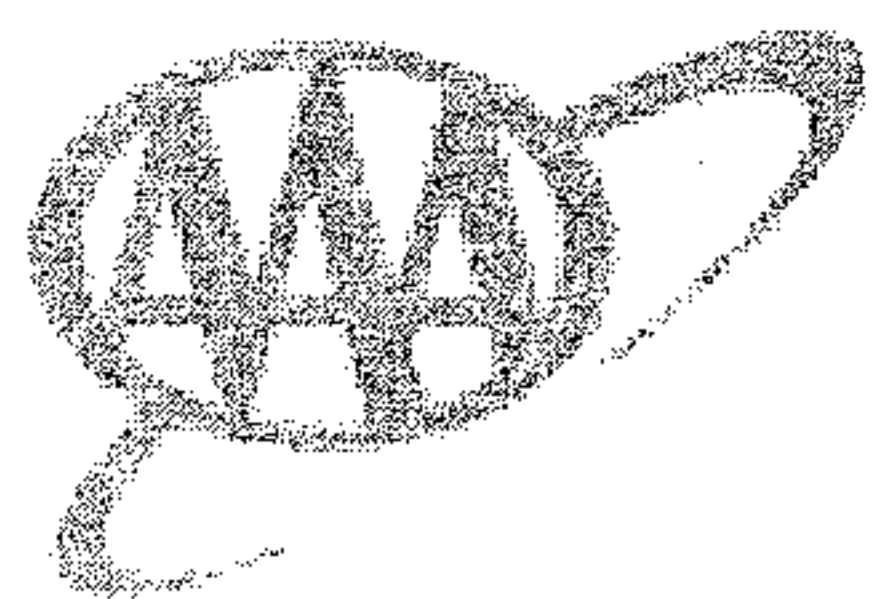
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### Changes

state.

The change will eliminate the need for hunters to obtain a quota permit prior to the hunt. Hunters will be able to participate in any non-quota hunt in a county where the hunt is established. A Type 094

non-quota permit will be required except for sportsmen license holders (including lifetime licenses) and individuals eligible for the landowner exemption.

Visit <http://news.tennesseeanytime.org/node/5508> to download the deer and turkey tables in

## Obituaries

**Pope Finn** - age 94, of Loudon, passed away Friday, July 2, 2010, at Loudon Health Care Center. Pope was born October 17, 1915 in Houston, MS, one of eleven children. He was a member of Blairland Baptist Church and a 50 year member, of Tennessee Lodge # 204 F&AM in Loudon. He worked at the Oak Ridge K-25 Plant before beginning a long career operating Finn Radio, TV & Appliance in downtown Loudon. Most of all, Pope was a loving husband, father, and grandfather. Preceded in death by his son, Matthew D. Finn and his parents, Walter A. and Mertie Lee Pope Finn; along with, ten brothers and sisters. He is survived by his wife,

of 36 years, Linda Cook Finn; daughters, Jennifer R. Finn, of Madison, WI, Pamela Rainwater and Susan D. Finn, both of Knoxville; several grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, and nephews. The family would like to express their deepest gratitude for years, of care to Dr. Ken Kozawa and for the occasional tender care, of Sweetwater Hospital Home Health and Caris Healthcare and Hospice. A special thank you also to the unending patience of the Loudon Fire Department and nurses and staff, of Loudon Healthcare. Memorial services are being planned and will be announced by Click Funeral Home in Lenoir City.

pdf format for more information on the dates and counties for the non-quota hunts.

### Kelso

menswear, then walk to the toy department where he concealed the hat in his pants. Kelso was stopped by the Security Officer in the lobby after passing all points of sale and the final point of sale.

Once in the Security Office, Kelso was also found to have two packages of button batteries. The items, valued at \$20, were recovered and no restitution was sought.

Officer Jeremy Dishner, LCPD made the arrest.

### Police Beat

Gregory Thomas

Caylor, 33, County Road 677, Riceville was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Vance Wright, LCSO made the arrest Saturday at the McMinn County Jail.

### Loudon County Humane Society will be providing FREE Spay/Neuter Vouchers for your pets

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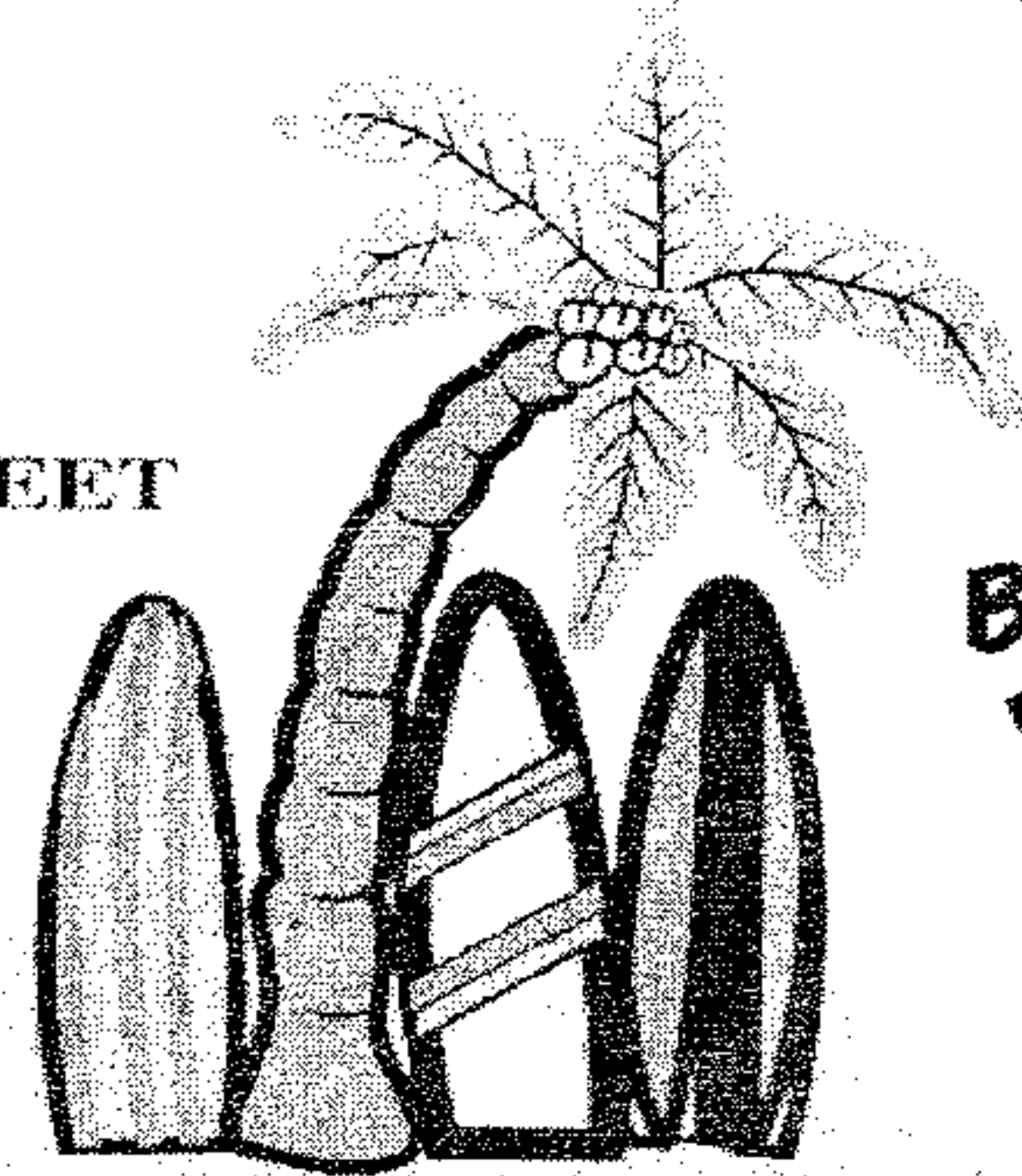
Loudon- City Hall/Loudon Utilities Bldg., 201 Alma Place, August 7, 2010.

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## Squad

tantly, to satisfy the very human need that families have to know the fate of their loved ones, to lay them to rest, and to gain some sense of closure.

It's for all these reasons that we have a "Disaster Squad"—a team of highly-trained forensic examiners who are deployed worldwide at a moment's notice to identify victims of mass fatality incidents. In some cases, their efforts support FBI investigations, but many times these professionals are simply providing a humanitarian service when asked

for identification help by colleagues around the world.

The squad came into being seven decades ago—in the summer of 1940—when FBI agents and fingerprint experts were called to the site of a plane crash in a Virginia cornfield that killed all 25 on board, including two Bureau employees. When they arrived, our personnel found total chaos—no one seemed to know what to do or how to identify the victims. So we offered our fingerprint expertise and positively identified eight bodies—one of which had initially been mis-identified through vi-

sual inspection. The episode made the Bureau realize the need for the scientific determination of identity at scenes of disaster, so we established a team of experts known as the Disaster Squad.

Today's team is more capable than ever, using advanced scientific techniques and new technologies. The squad consists of latent print examiners from the FBI Laboratory who are experts in the field of friction ridge analysis.

Members of the Disaster Squad—who are sent out on a rotating basis, with team size determined by the severity of the incident—help identify victims through fingerprints, palm prints, and sometimes even footprints.

Once prints have been recovered from the deceased, examiners—working on

site—can use mobile technology developed by the Bureau to search postmortem prints against the approximately 80 million antemortem prints housed in the Integrated Automated Fingerprint Identification System, maintained by our Criminal Justice Information Services Division in West Virginia.

If no identification is made, recovered prints can also be submitted to other federal, state, and local agencies for automated searches in additional fingerprint databases.

Requests for Disaster Squad assistance come from all over: FBI field offices, police departments, local medical examiners or coroners, the National Transportation Safety Board, and the

Department of Health and Human Services, for example. In the event of a disaster overseas, a foreign government can request our help through the U.S. State Department.

How can law enforcement or government officials request such assistance? Contact our Latent Print Support Unit at the FBI Laboratory, 2501 Investigation Parkway, Quantico, VA, 22135; or phone (703) 632-8443; or fax (703) 632-7397.

In the end, it's the human touch that's so important to the squad members' mission. Victims' fingerprint and footprint impressions are still recovered by human hands. And the men and women of the FBI Disaster Squad are proud to be those hands.

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## Charged

According to reports, Monday, around 1:20 PM, Agent Jonathan Yates, 9th DTF-LPD stopped a gold Ford Expedition on Interstate 75 south at the 72 mile marker for violation of the seat belt law. The driver, Jason A. White was not buckled up.

A check of White's drivers license status showed suspended for numerous traffic

violations and DUI with one outstanding warrant in Florida. He was also issued a citation for seat belt violation.

A passenger in the vehicle, Daniel W. Payton, 32, of Dayton, Ohio was charged with simple possession schedule VI (marijuana) and possession of drug paraphernalia after Officer Yates asked for and received con-

sent from the driver to search the vehicle.

A clear plastic bag of a green plant material believed to be marijuana was discovered in the passenger compartment. There also were three smaller bags containing marijuana, weighing about 2 grams each, inside the larger bag and all totaled approximately 8 grams.

Agent Richard Wood, 9th DTF, was also in attendance.

### Police Beat

Chad Wayne Underwood, 33, Hines Valley Road, Lenoir City was charged with assault by domestic violence.

According to records, Deputy Rondel M. Branam, LCSO responded to Hines Valley Road Sunday on a third party call concerning a physical domestic. Upon arrival, the

victim was standing in the driveway. She stated she and Underwood were arguing in the car and when they arrived at the residence they had words over the keys to his truck.

Both the complainant and Mr. Underwood told Deputy Branam he came and attempted to get his keys from her pocket and they began to scuffle in the living room. The woman also stated the scuffle continued into the hallway and on to the bedroom where Mr. Underwood grabbed her in a head lock.

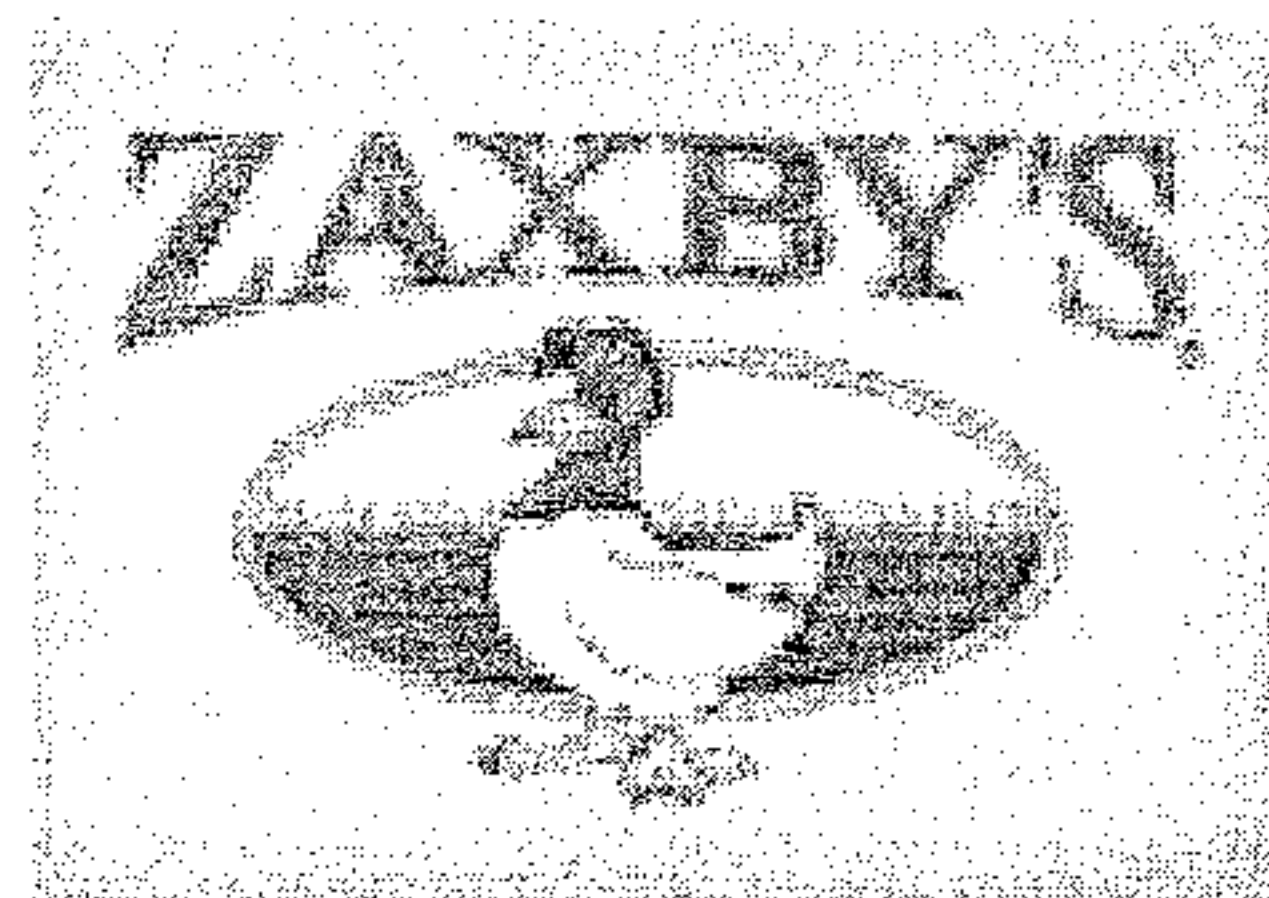
According to the deputy's report, the female had a small laceration to her finger and redness to

the left side of her neck. Mr. Underwood was considered to be the primary aggressor and taken into custody. LCSO's Sgt. A.J. Yokley and Deputy Brad Rayfield were also on scene.

James Thomas Grant, 20, Dry Hill Road, Rockwood was charged Saturday with driving while suspended.

The report states, Officer Brandon Gentry, LCPD noticed Mr. Grant not wearing his seat belt while driving a maroon Jeep Cherokee.

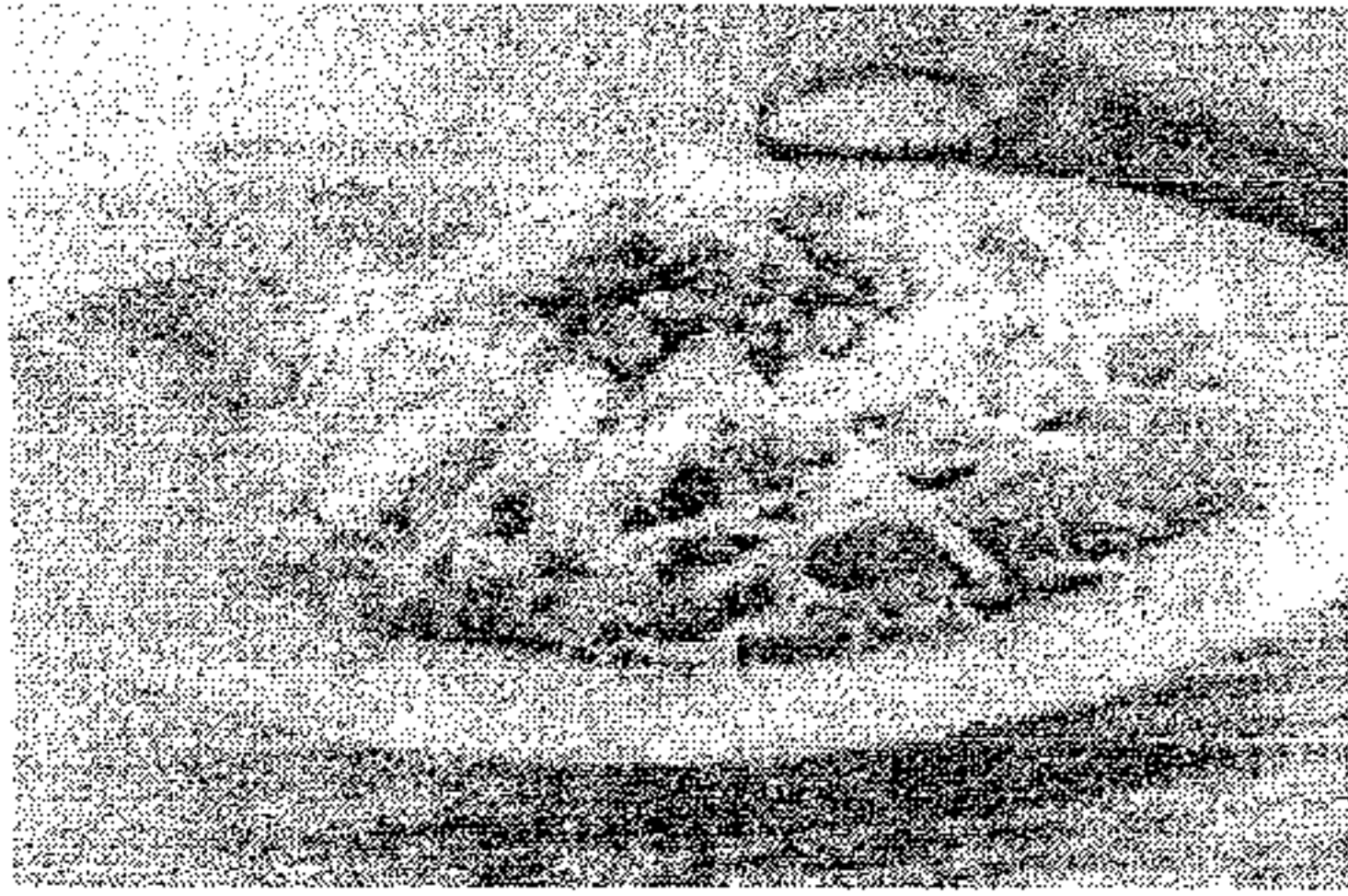
After stopping Grant on Highway 321 at Friendship Road, the officer ran his license through NCIC and it came back suspended.



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**Sizemore**

Chevy after he saw the vehicle almost hit another vehicle while traveling 72 mph in a 65 mph zone on Interstate 75 around the 76 mile marker. While the Sgt. was talking with the driver, he noticed, Sizemore, the rear seat passenger trying to hide something.

Sgt. Hall asked Sizemore to exit the vehicle. While he was getting out, the lawman observed a silver object that Sizemore was trying to hide.

Sgt. Hall detained Sizemore and recovered the item. It turned out to be a silver pill container with five pills identified as 15 mg oxycodone and

one pill identified as xanax.

Sgt. Hall further reported while searching Sizemore, he discovered a clear plastic bag containing approximately 3 grams of marijuana on his person.

**Police Beat**

Stevie Ray McKee, 43, Browder Hollow Road, Lenoir City was charged with driving on revoked.

According to records, Monday, around 11:36 AM, Officer Dennis Guider, LCPD responded to Highway 321 to look for a hit and run driver. The suspect vehicle was described as a gold Ford Taurus.

Officer Guider

stopped the Taurus in the Walmart parking lot. Stevie Ray McKee was the driver.

A check of McKee's license came back revoked for failure to file insurance after an accident.

Alder Edward Saucedo Merida, 20, Broadway, Lenoir City was charged with underage consumption.

According to records, Sunday, around 2:00 AM, Officer Jamie Pistole, LPD was on patrol and noticed a black Honda Civic sitting partially in the roadway on East Lee Highway, just north of the bridge. A Hispanic male with the vehicle advised their wheel fell off the car

and he was standing by for help. He also stated one other Hispanic male fled on foot when Officer Pistole pulled up.

Contact was made with that subject, Mr. Merida. Merida stated he'd been drinking and he is 20 years old. He did have an odor of alcohol on his person. Officer Ben-

nie Houser, LPD was also on scene.

Misty Dawn Drawdy, 37, Pardue Lane, Lenoir City, was charged with unauthorized use of a credit card (Knox County).

Corporal Jimmey J. Wiggins, LCSO made the arrest Monday at the Fort Loudoun ER.

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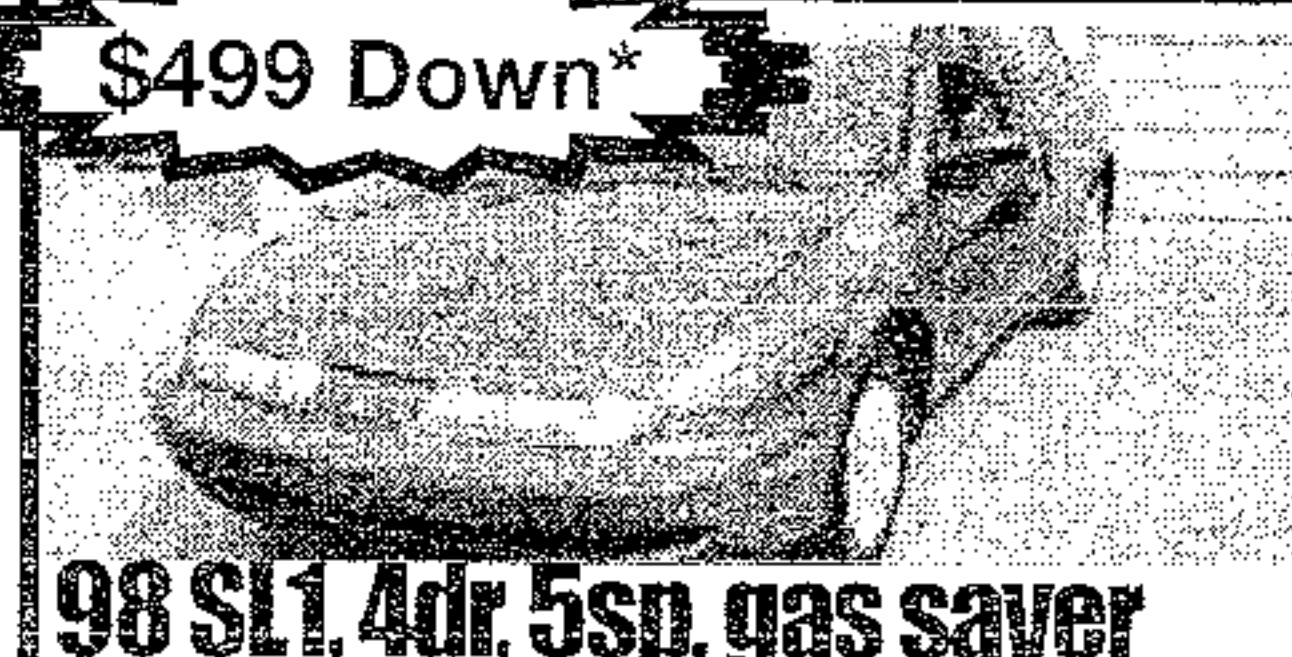



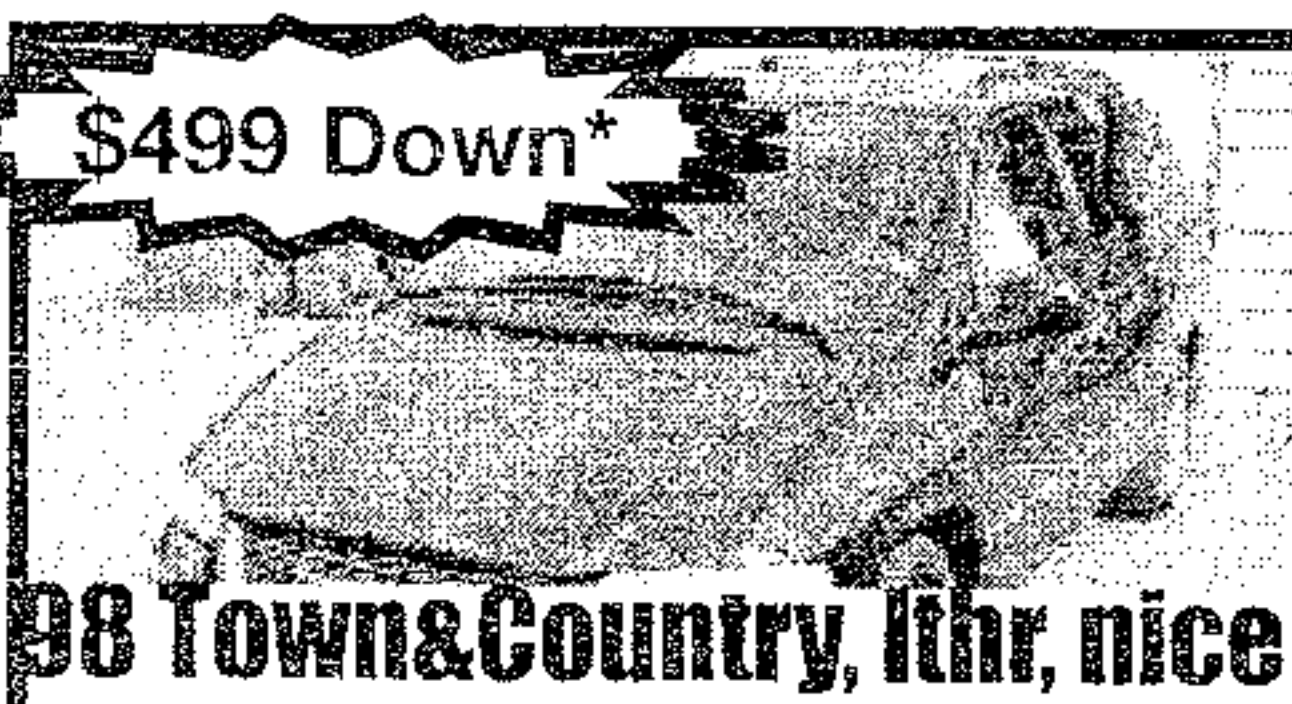


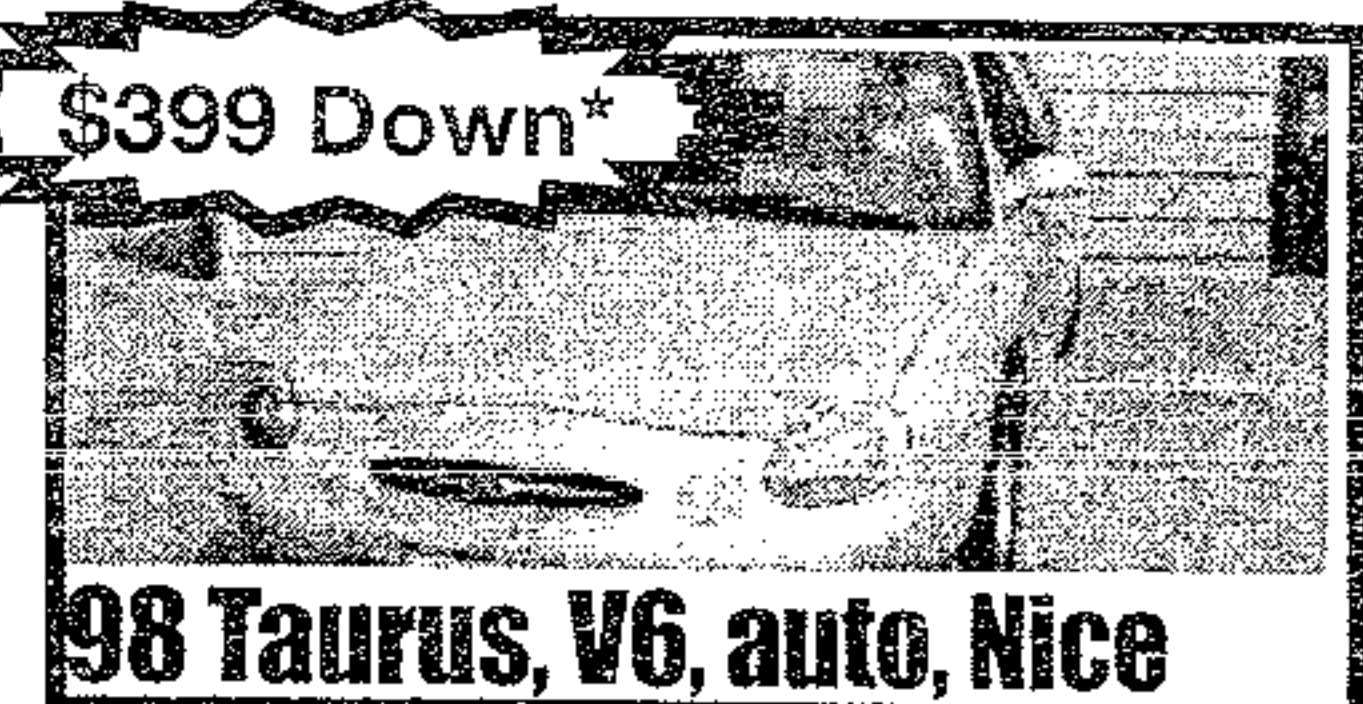
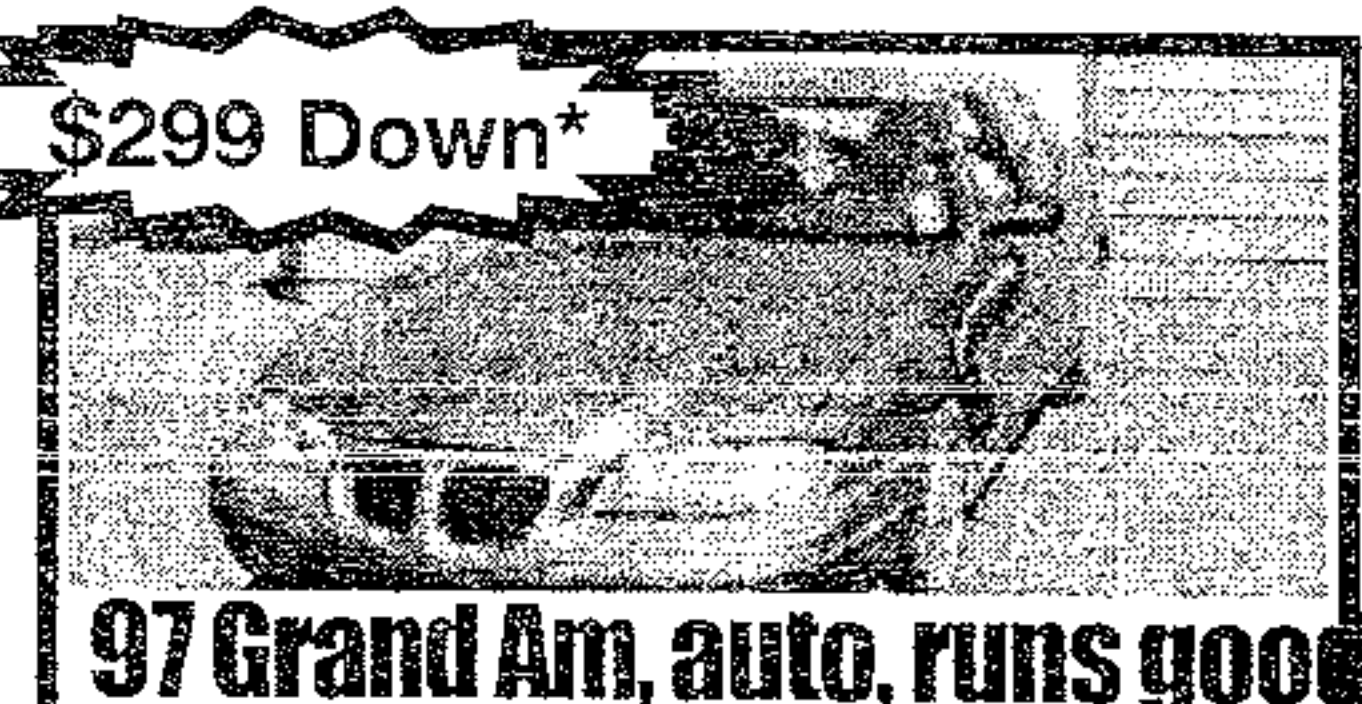
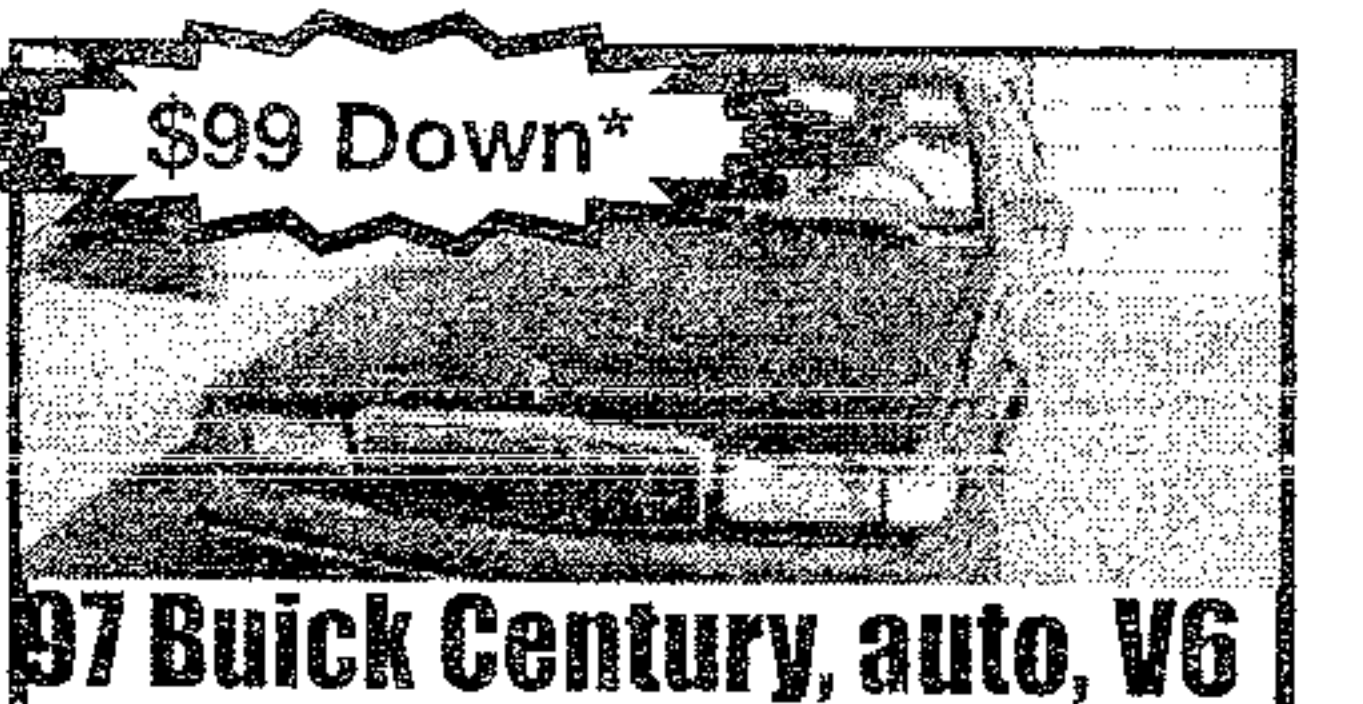
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