

# The Daily Edition

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Monday, March 4, 2013

## Psychedelic drugs bring major charges

Investigators with the LCSO narcotics division were called to Hines Court to assist patrol after suspected illegal narcotics were found by the apartment manager.

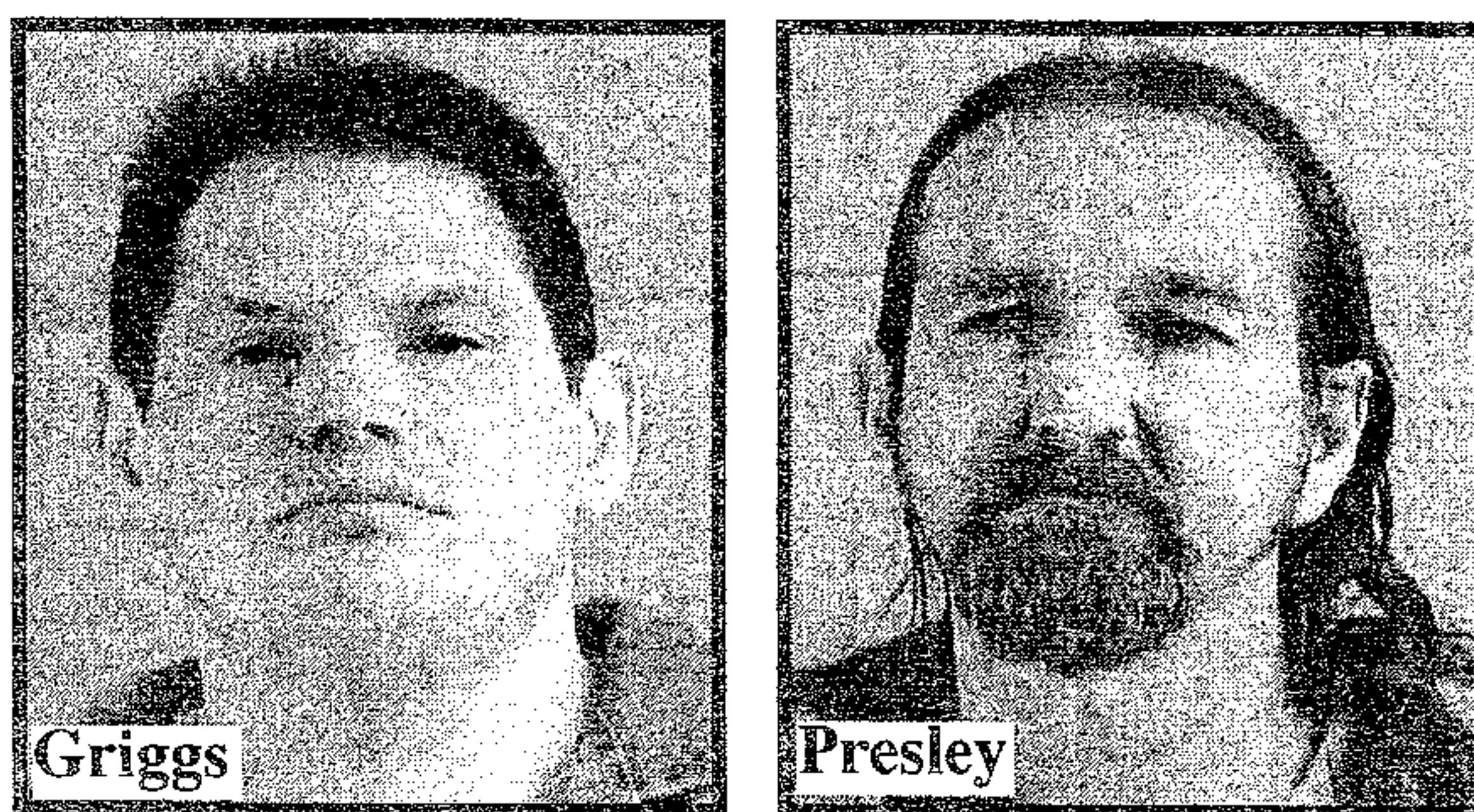
Upon entering the apartment, Investigator Marty Stanley reported he could smell a strong odor of marijuana coming from the apartment. The odor was very strong  
(see Major pg. 5)



## Hall traffic stop ends with multiple drug arrests

The Loudon County 911 Center received a call about a reckless driver on Hwy 321. The caller advised dispatch of the location of the vehicle and Deputy Billy Hall conducted a traffic stop on a white Nis-

(see Arrested pg. 4)



## Verse of the Day

*For I am the LORD, your God, who takes hold of your right hand and says to you, Do not fear; I will help you. — Isaiah 41:13*

## Obituaries

John Elbert "Knockie"

Phibbs  
Mildred Louise Jenkins  
Mariah Nicole Binkowski  
Anita Greene  
David Paul Greene  
**Wazzup**

Did you know? There are places such Detroit where you can buy wine and other spirits right

alongside the chips and candy bars in convenience stores? Once you make your selections, you place your items in a hopper and the cashier behind bullet proof glass rolls it inside, rings up your order, then once you pay, the items are bagged and rolled back out

to you. Now that's something many of us country folk just ain't used to....

## Weather

Today: Partly cloudy. Highs around 43.

Tonight: Partly cloudy. Lows around 34.

Tuesday: Mostly cloudy with chance of light win-

try mix. Highs around 46. Overnight: Mostly cloudy with chance of light wintry mix. Lows around 34.

## Horoscopes

Pisces 2/19-3/20

Your friends and colleagues are generally

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## The Good News

by Jeff Vittatoe

### A Passion for Christ



Many days I leave my home praying that God will present an opportunity for me to share the gospel of Jesus and His love for each of us to some particular person, only to realize by the afternoon that God did send that person into my path and my testimony was one of silence. I sometimes realize that instead of sharing with that person how great God is and how He has changed and blessed my life, I made

(see The Good News pg. 3)

## American Legion Recognizes the Achievements of Eagle Scout Robbie Davis

(see Davis pg. 2)



L to R) Post 256 Commander Vic Vickery, Eagle Scout Robbie Davis, and Robbie's proud parents, Bo & Stacy Davis

Photo by: Suzanne Vickery

## Davis

American Legion Post 256, Tellico Lake, Tennessee presented an American Legion Good Citizenship Citation to Eagle Scout Robbie Davis, Boy Scout Troop 770, in recognition of his at-

tainment of the rank of Eagle Scout. Presenting the Citation was Post 256 Commander Vic Vickery.

Eagle Scout Davis achieved Eagle Scout rank through hard work, dedication, and strong promotion of Scouting Goals. The

Citation recognizes his patriotic commitment and service to his community and the nation.

For more information about the American Legion, contact Post 256 Commander Vic Vickery at 423-884-6476.

## Police Beat

Randall Boone Turrent, 29, of Chestua Creek Road, Madison-

ville, was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy N. Wilson, LCSO made the arrest.

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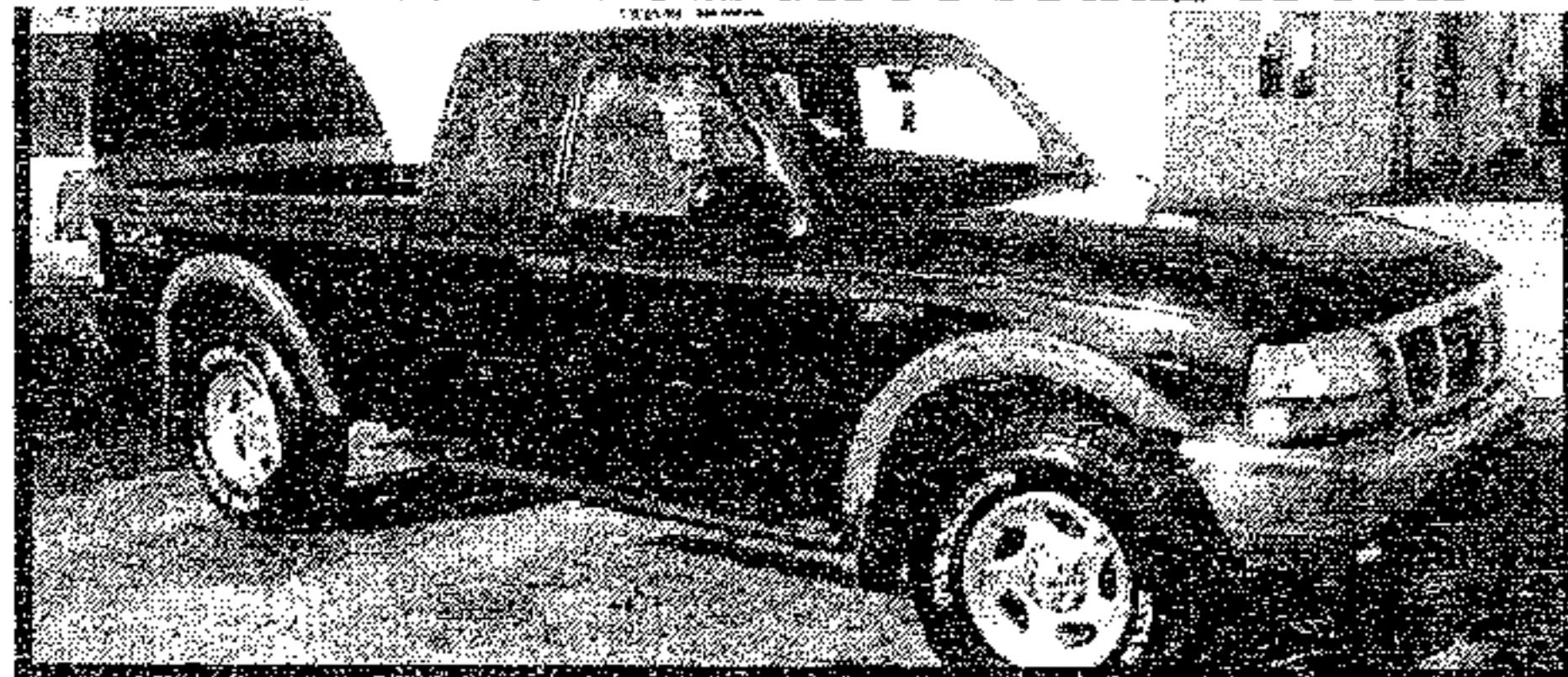
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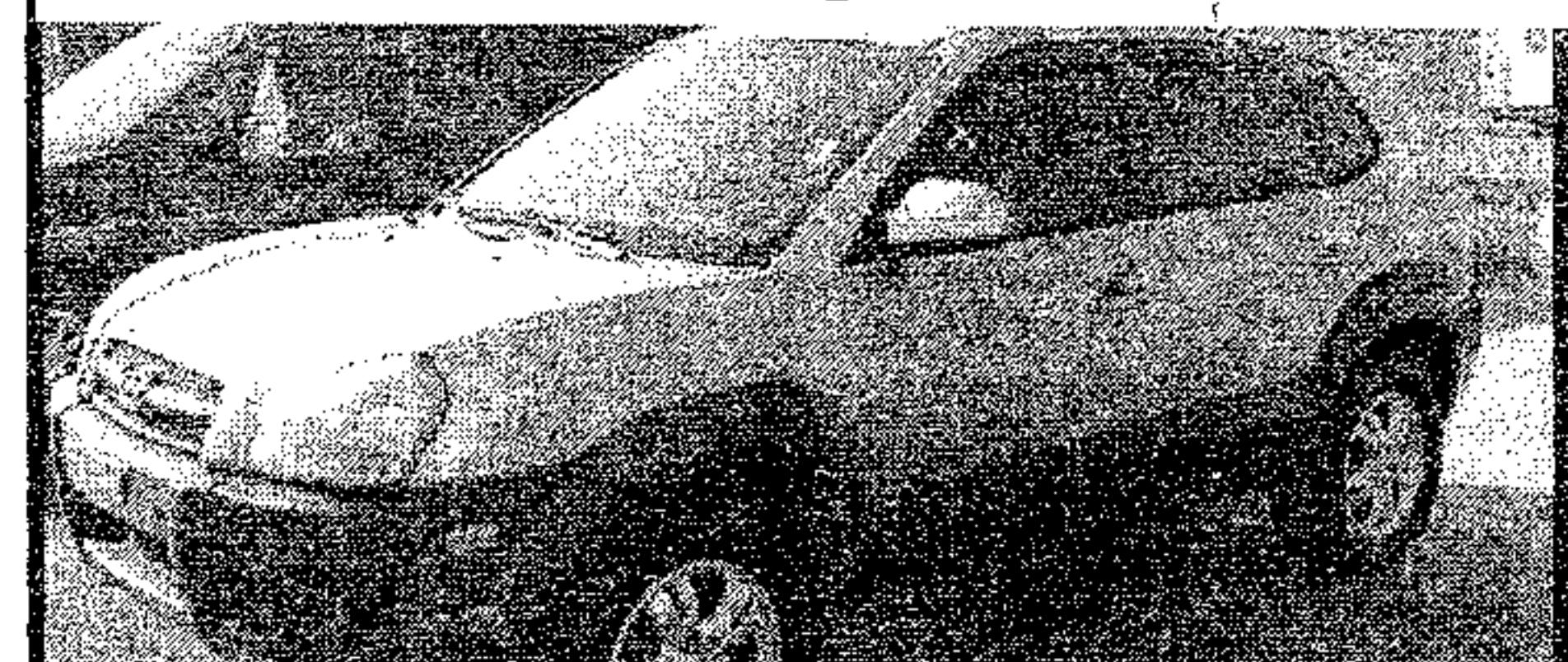


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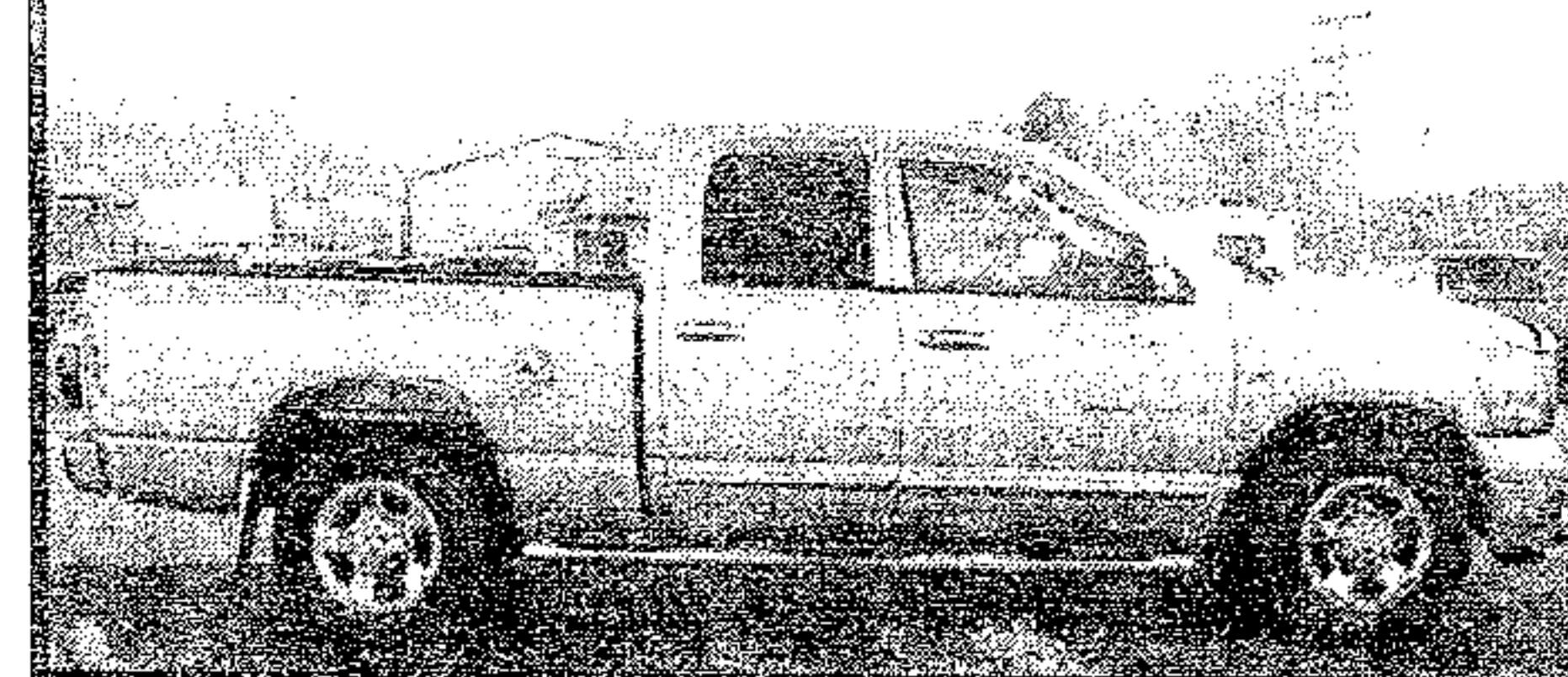


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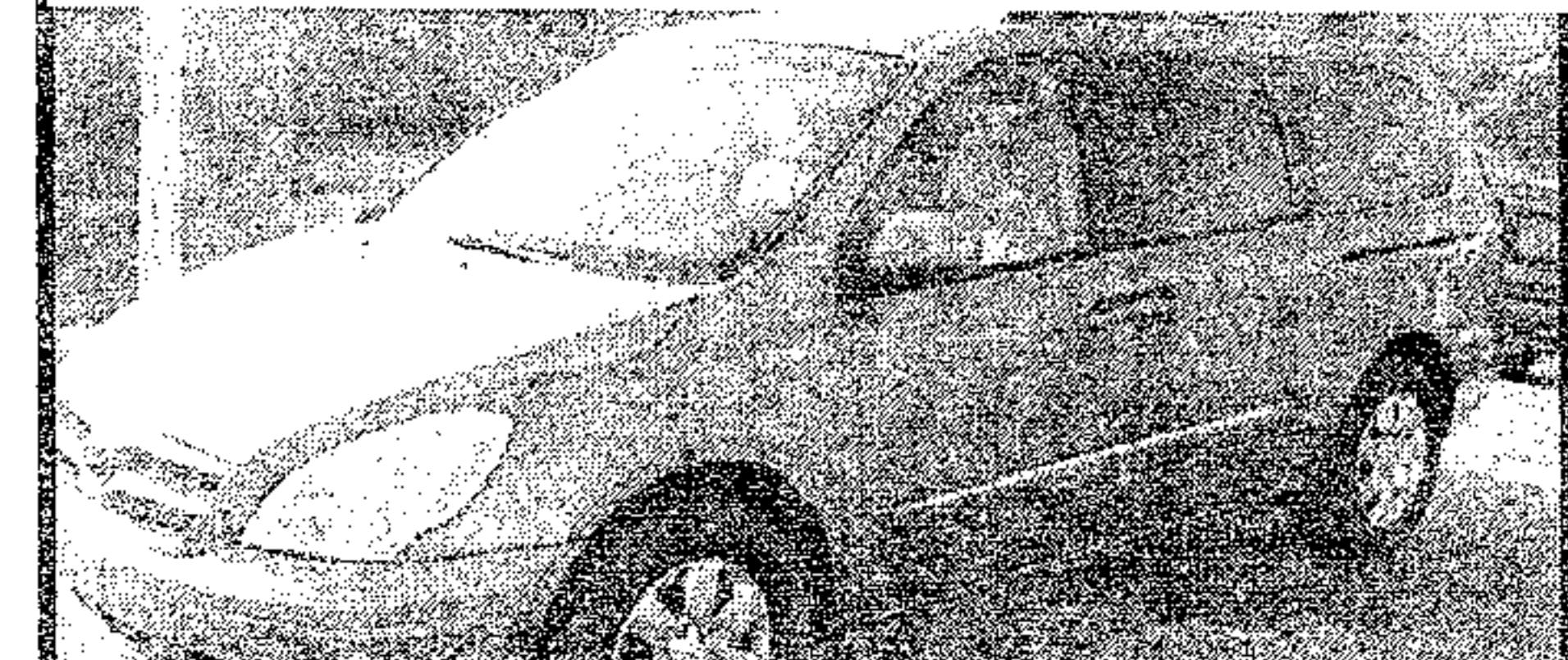
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## The Good News

excuses in my mind of how it was not the right time or not the right place to be a witness for Christ. I am most often a sorry excuse for someone claiming to be Christian, a disciple, a follower of Jesus.

I feel compelled this morning to confess to you that I am not the Christian that God is leading me to be. I fail Him, I fail those around me and I often fail myself. I pray EVERYDAY that God will send a buyer for my home and open doors for Blondie

and I to preach the gospel to an unreached group of people somewhere across the globe, yet many times I don't share the love of Jesus with my own friends. I wonder if any of you are like me. I wonder if there are others who desire to do more for Christ, but fall short when it's time to actually do it. I wonder if there are others who have a genuine relationship with

Christ, but lack a driving passion to follow His command for each of us to share with others.

My wife follows the journeys of a missionary who currently serves with a Christian group called Overland Missions. His

name is J.D. and he leads missionary expeditions all over the world. This past week J.D. posted a statement on Facebook that reminded Blondie and me what it looks like to have a passion for Jesus. I want

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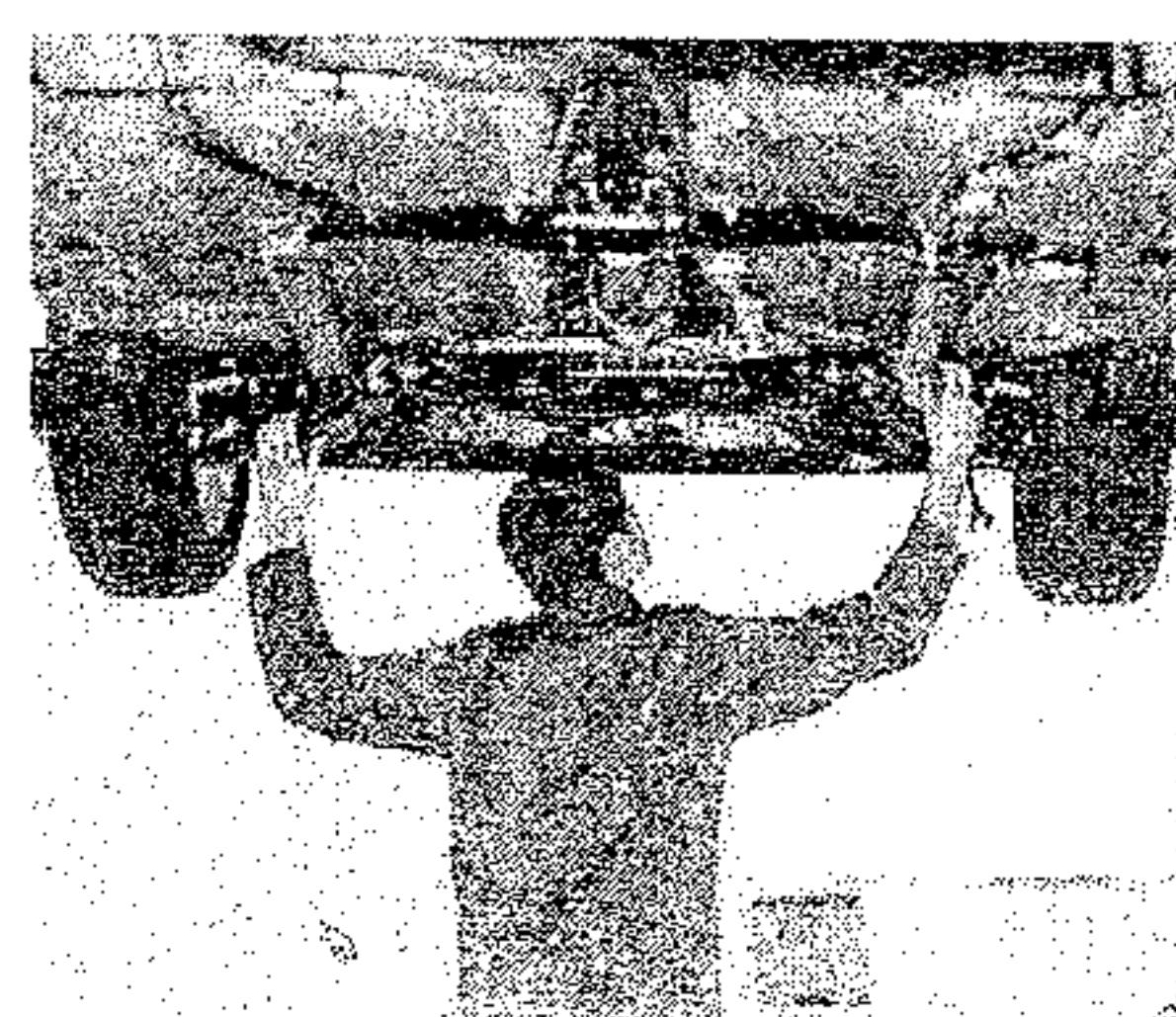
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## Arrested

san Sentra at Broadway and A Street in Lenoir City.

According to the reports, the complainants William Tyler Farmer, Christopher Shane Fisher and Mitchell Griggs, arrived on the scene and advised Deputy Hall the occupants of the Sentra; Arnold Presley, Jose Lopez and Lacy Carter had taken money from them at Melton Hill Dam.

During the traffic stop Lacy Carter was in possession of six round white pills identified as Tramadol, a legend drug, and one white round pill identified as Oxycodone, a schedule II drug.

Jose Lopez was in possession of 1 and 1/2 round white pills identified as Oxymorphone, a schedule II drug.

Neither person could provide a prescription for the pills.

Through the officers investigation it was found that Mitchell Griggs met Christopher Fisher and William Tyler Farmer at the Burger King in Lenoir City with the intent to meet Lacy Carter to purchase oxycodone pills.

Mitchell Griggs,

William Tyler Farmer and Christopher Fisher were to leave the Burger King and meet Lacy Carter at Krystal's in Lenoir City.

Lacy Carter advised Jose Lopez agreed to meet them at Melton Hill Dam. Arnold Presley drove Jose Lopez's white Sentra to Melton Hill to meet Lacy Carter, William Griggs, William Farmer and Christopher Fisher.

When all parties arrive, Mitchell Griggs took the money to Lacy Carter to purchase Oxycodone Pills.

Lacy Carter got into Jose Lopez's white Nissan Sentra with Lopez and Arnold Presley.

Arnold Presley drove away.

Mitchell Griggs got into Farmer's Ford F150 and said, "Follow them, they just stole our money!"

While traveling down the road, Lacy Carter threw the money from vehicle. The vehicle was then stopped by Deputy Hall and all were charged.

Lacy Lynette Carter, 20, of Antioch Church Road, Lenoir City was charged with conspiracy to sale and deliver schedule I, possession of schedule II, theft under \$500 and possession of a legend drug

without a prescription.

Christopher Shane Fisher, 25, of James Ferry Road, Kingston was charged with conspiracy to sale and deliver schedule II.

William Tyler Farmer, 24, of Greystone Way, Kingston was charged with conspiracy to sale and deliver schedule II.

Mitchell Shawn Griggs, 40, of Highland Avenue, Lenoir City was charged with conspiracy to sale and deliver schedule II.

Arnold Wilburn Presley Sr., 53, of Pathkiller Trail, Loudon was charged with conspiracy to sale and deliver schedule II.

Deputy Hall made the arrests.

## Police Beat

James Patrick King, 61, of Bonnywood Way, Knoxville was charged with failure to appear.

Deputy Jason Arden, LCSO made the arrest.

Christopher Dewayne Powers, 24, of Powers Loop, Oakdale was charged with failure to appear.

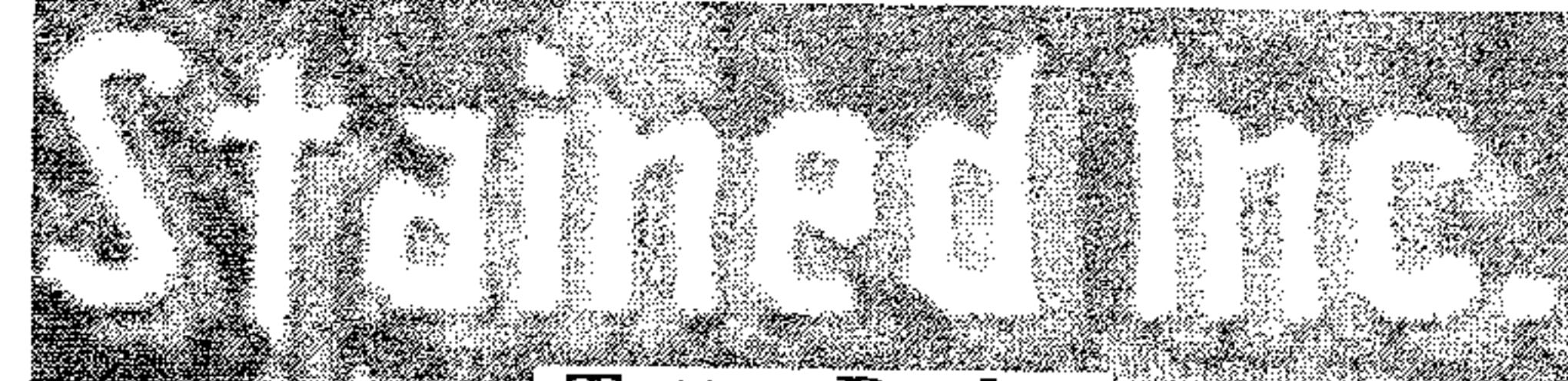
Deputy Vance Wright, LCSO made the arrest.

## INVITATION TO BID

Lenoir City Utilities Board (LCUB) will be accepting sealed bid proposals for the purchase of Cisco SmartNet agreements. To obtain an itemized list of hardware, please email Lee Hartline at [lhartline@lcub.com](mailto:lhartline@lcub.com). All bids must be sealed and clearly marked with the information below:

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All bids must be received no later than Friday, March 8, 2013, at 2:00 p.m. A bid opening will occur Friday, March 8, 2013, at 2:15 p.m. LCUB retains the right to accept or reject any or all bids.



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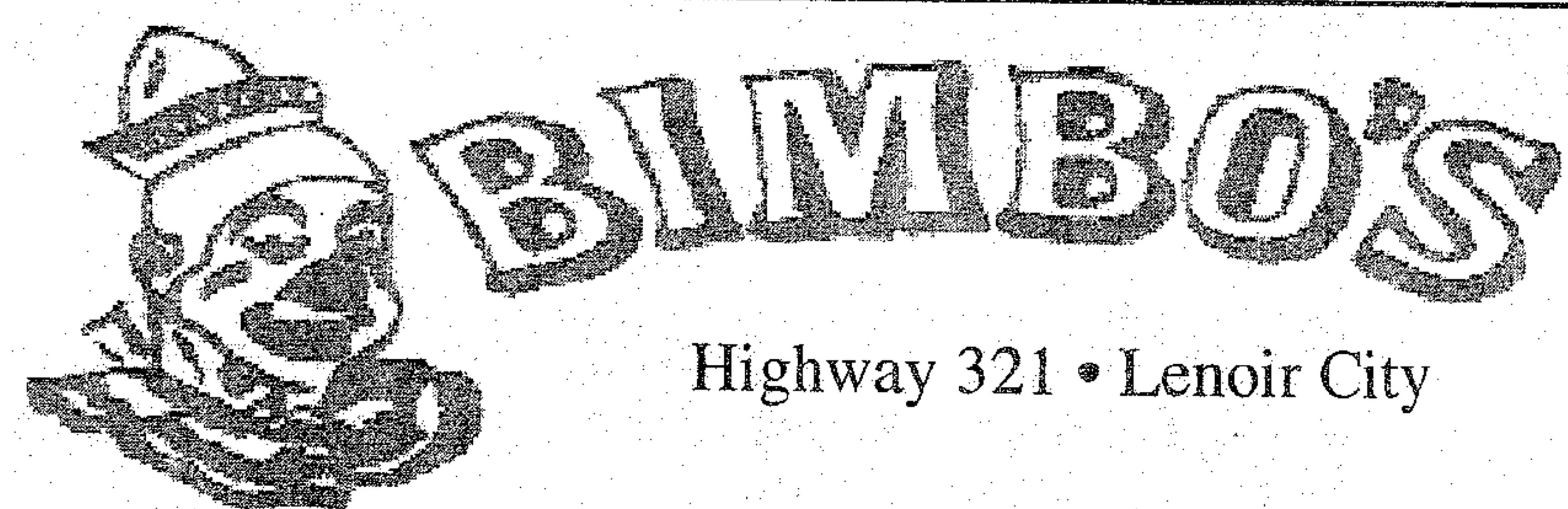
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## ProNova Solutions to Locate Headquarters, Research Facility in Blount County

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Tennessee Governor Bill Haslam and Economic and Community Development Commissioner Bill Hagerty along with ProNova Solutions officials announced the medical sciences company will locate a headquarters facility and research and commercialization laboratory in Alcoa, Tenn.

The announcement represents an investment of \$50 million and the creation of 525 new positions in Blount County.

ProNova, in coordination with Provision Health Alliance, is developing next-generation proton therapy technology to treat cancer. Proton therapy benefits include a significant decrease in tissue damage, decrease in debilitating side effects and a decrease in secondary cancers from unnecessary radiation exposure, which brings the potential for patient cost savings by decreasing these complications.

"This is an important milestone for ProNova Solutions that signifies not only the next step in the advancement of proton technology, but it's also an important investment in the Blount County community," said Dr. Terry Douglass, Chairman of ProNova Solutions. "With the Provision Center for Proton Therapy located in Knoxville and now the ProNova site in Alcoa, this is truly a regional effort and one we hope will benefit not only the citizens of East Tennessee, but that it will bring the next innovation in cancer treatment to patients and physicians across the globe."

Becoming the anchor tenant at the Pellissippi Place technology research and development park, ProNova will construct two facilities on 26 acres in phases over the next few years. The first phase consists of a 30,000 square foot two-story office and research building with a 40,000 square foot assembly and test area initially supporting 35 employees and growing to 110 by

2015.

Phase two adds a 120,000 square foot two-story building with a projected staff of 110 in 2015 and expanding to a cumulative total of 525 by 2018.

A total of nearly 200,000 square feet will be used upon completion of both phases, including approximately 130,000 in office space and 60,000 of commercialization and research space.

ProNova's proton therapy system is called the ProNovaSC360 and the first systems will ship in 2015. While it's a lower-cost, smaller, lighter and more energy efficient proton therapy solution, the SC360 will not sacrifice any clinical capabilities but will add even more benefits not available in current-generation systems. Features include 3D anatomical and functional imaging at the isocenter, 360 degree treatment of the patient and an efficient workflow that mimics traditional radiation therapy.

Provision broke ground in April 2012 on a \$119 million proton therapy cancer center at Dowell Springs Business Park off Middlebrook Pike in Knoxville. The 90,000 square-foot facility is expected to open in early 2014 and be able to treat 1,000 patients per year.

Additionally, the center will be integrated into the research program at the University of Tennessee to train future medical professionals.

*About ProNova Solutions, LLC: ProNova Solutions is aggressively developing the next generation of cancer therapy technology in a highly integrated proton therapy medical system. The fusion of state-of-the-art imaging, multi-axis precision positioning, superconducting magnet technology and unprecedented closed-loop treatment verification using PET gives ProNova customers an economic and clinical advantage. Learn more at [www.pronovasolutions.com](http://www.pronovasolutions.com).*

### Police beat

Raymond Eugene Standridge, 49, of Ferguson Road, Decatur, was charged with violation of the check law. According to the warrant, Mr. Standridge wrote a check in the amount of \$400 to the victim in greenback. The check was written on a closed account. Deputy Daniel Ferguson, LCSO made the arrest.

Daphne Lanae Webb, 33, of West 6th Avenue, Lenoir City, was charged with vio-

lation of probation. Officer April Farmer, LPD made the arrest.

Felicity Gail Presley, 34, of Polkwright Lane, Knoxville, was charged with failure to appear on violation of probation. Deputy Aaron Carroll, LCSO made the arrest.

John Major Roach, 54, of Riverview Road, Lenoir City, was charged with violation of probation. Deputy N. Wilson, LCSO made the arrest.

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in the back bedroom of the apartment.

According to reports, upon entering the bedroom, several items were

sitting in plain view. On the bed, a cardboard box which contained three glass jars which each contained green plant material believed to be marijuana were found.

The total amount of marijuana from the jars was approximately 59.7 grams.

Also in the box was another glass jar which contained psilocy-

bin mushrooms which weighed approximately 8.4 grams.

Three additional empty jars were found in the box along with another bag of plant material that weighed approximately 22 grams.

Next to the bed in plain view was a tray which  
(see Major ctd. pg. 7)

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to share his post here today and ask you to consider your own passion for our Creator, and our Savior. I was convicted by the testimony of this guy and I pray that I will learn to allow God to use me in a mighty way as He is using J.D.

*"My calling is sure. My challenge is big. My vision is clear. My desire is strong. My influence is eternal. My impact is critical. My values are solid. My faith is tough. My mission is urgent. My purpose is unmistakable. My direction is forward. My heart is genuine. My strength is supernatural. My reward is promised. And my God is real."*

*I refuse to be dismayed, disengaged, disgruntled, discouraged, or distracted. Neither will I look back, stand back, fall back, go back or sit back. I do not need applause, flattery, adulation, prestige, stature or veneration. I have no time for business as usual, mediocre standards, small thinking, normal expectations, average results, ordinary ideas, petty disputes or low vision. I will not give up, give in, bail out, lie down, turn over, quit or surrender. I am a minister.*

If you have never been introduced to Jesus, if you have never really had someone to sit down with you and talk about what it means to accept Jesus and how important this decision is to every human on the earth, then why don't you holler at me? It will cost you nothing but a little time to hear the gospel of Jesus and then you can

(see TGN ctd. pg. 7)

### Let's Play Ball!!!!

The Eaton Ruritan Community Park Will be holding Tee - Ball, Baseball, and Softball Signups March 2nd & 9th, 2013 at the park from 10:00am to 2:00pm. Fee: \$35.00 for one child. \$50.00 for two or more children. (immediate family) Ages: 5 to 17 (proof of age may be required) For more information call 986-6984 or visit our web site at: [www.eatonruritan.com](http://www.eatonruritan.com)

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contained marijuana cigarette butts and ashes, a glass pipe, rolling papers and a vaporizer.

The owner of the apartment was identified as Chad Elvin Major and he admitted all the items were his.

Chad Elvin Major, 24, of Hines Court, Lenoir

City was charged with possession of schedule I (psilocybin mushrooms), possession of schedule VI for resale and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Investigator Marty Stanley, LCSO made the arrest.

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make your own decision.

You don't have to make the decision right then, just don't spend your life unsure of what all this is about.

The decision to accept, or not accept, Jesus is absolutely the biggest decision you will ever make. Don't assume anything! Everyone has access to a simple email. Shoot me a message that says "call me" and I

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