

# The Daily Edition

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Friday, December 26, 2014

## Trio busted after search warrant served in the square

(see Trio pg. 4)



Jeffery McMillian



Karrey Ocasio



Christi Jacobs

"I forgot I'm on mushrooms right now"



Deion Odell

(see Mushrooms pg. 3)

## Fraud charges follow traffic stop in LC



Herrera Villatoro

(see Fraud pg. 3)

## Near head on collision ends in DUI



Jessica Brannon

(see LPD pg. 5)

## DUI at the elementary school



Brittany McCulloch

(see DUI pg. 2)

### Verse of the Day

For to us a child is born,  
to us a son is given, and  
the government will be  
on his shoulders. And he  
will be called Wonderful,  
Counselor, Mighty God,  
Everlasting Father, Prince  
of Peace. — Isaiah 9:6

### Obituaries

see inside

### Wazzup

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### Weather

Today: Plenty of sunshine.  
High 54F.

Tonight: Partly cloudy skies.  
Low near 35F.

Saturday: A mix of clouds  
and sun early, then becoming  
cloudy later in the day. High  
around 60F.

Saturday Night: Showers early,

becoming a steady rain late.  
Low 47F.

Sunday: Cloudy with periods  
of rain. High 56F. Low 46F.

### Horoscopes

*Capricorn 12/22-1/19*

Your practical nature typi-  
cally prompts you to base

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plied consent advisement and Mr. Odell did agree to the test. Deputy transported Mr. Odell to the FT. Loudon ER. for a BA test, and then to the London County Jail. This did happen in Loudon County. Deputy Charlie Huskin LCSO, made the arrest

### Digital Billboard Initiative Catching Fugitives in the Information Age

In April 2013, a Buffalo grand jury indicted 33-year-old Oscar Romero and other suspected members of the Loiza Boys gang, charging them with heroin and cocaine distribution. After nearly a year on the run, investigators received information that Romero had returned to the Buffalo area from Puerto Rico, and the FBI deployed a powerful weapon to help capture the fugitive—digital billboards.

The electronic billboards featuring Romero's face—

along with the words "Wanted" and "Drug Charges" and a number to call—were posted in the Buffalo area on March 31, 2014. Four days later, Romero turned himself in.

"When our billboards went live, Oscar Romero had been a federal fugitive for just shy of a year," said Brian Boetig, special agent in charge of the FBI's Buffalo Division. "Our partnership with the local billboard company generated media attention and conversations throughout Romero's West Side neighborhood, which pressured him into safely surrendering."

Similar events have occurred around the country, thanks to the FBI's National Digital Billboard Initiative, which began in 2007 in Philadelphia when a graduate of the FBI's Citizens Academy—who happened to be an executive with Clear Channel Outdoor—offered to provide free space on the company's digital billboards to help catch criminals and rescue missing children. (See sidebar.)

Since then, the program

has recorded impressive growth—and results. To date, the FBI has captured 53 individuals as a direct result of billboard publicity, and the Bureau now has access to more than 5,200 billboards nationwide made available by a number of companies. The billboard initiative is an excellent example of how law enforcement, the private sector, and the public can all work together to bring criminals to justice in today's information age.

"We view the partnership with the FBI as a model of public service," said Nancy Fletcher, president and CEO of the Outdoor Advertising Association of America (OAAA). "The billboard program makes a difference, using the latest technology on behalf of public safety."

The FBI has formal partnerships with OAAA, Clear Channel Outdoor, Lamar Advertising Company, Out-front Media (formerly CBS Outdoor), Adams Outdoor Advertising, the Fairway Media Group, CEMUSA, and the Outdoor Advertising Association of Georgia. All these organizations—includ-

ing other digital advertisers who informally support the program—have been critical to the success of numerous investigative efforts, because digital billboards are extremely effective in reaching the public with information about fugitives, missing persons, and public safety issues.

"The companies' willingness to assist us in bringing criminals to justice, as well as the speed in which they are able to publicize the information, is a tribute to their organizations," said

Mike Kortan, assistant director for the FBI's Office of Public Affairs. "Their efforts have given us an added edge to identify, locate, and apprehend fugitives—and that, in turn, has helped to stop

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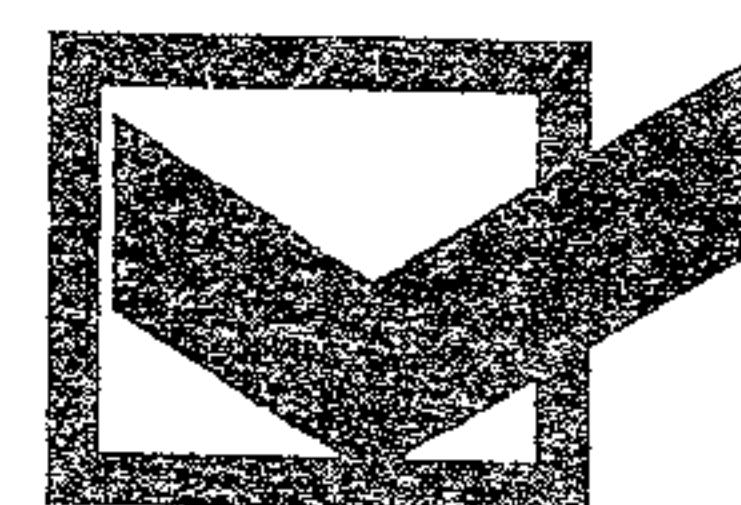
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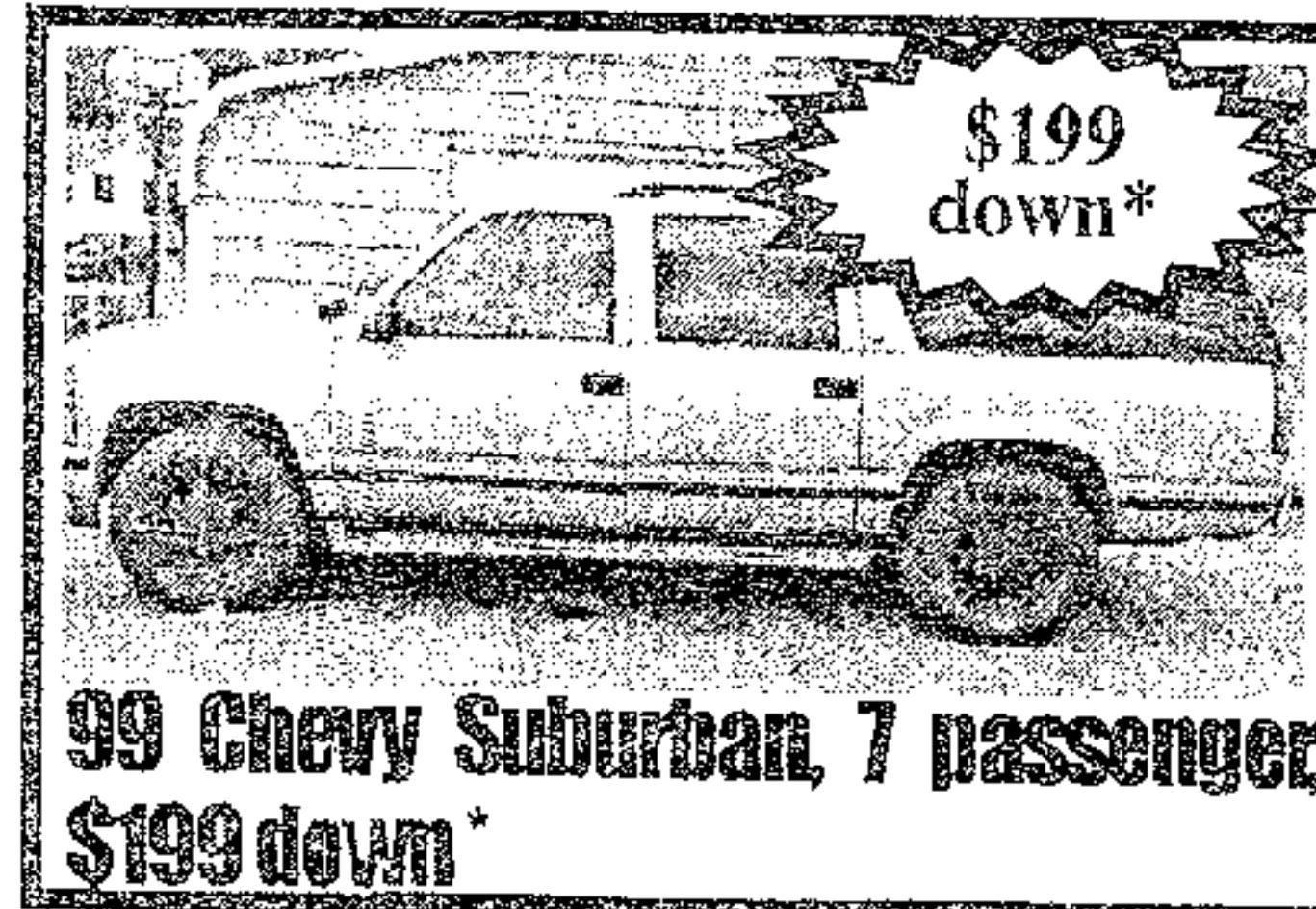
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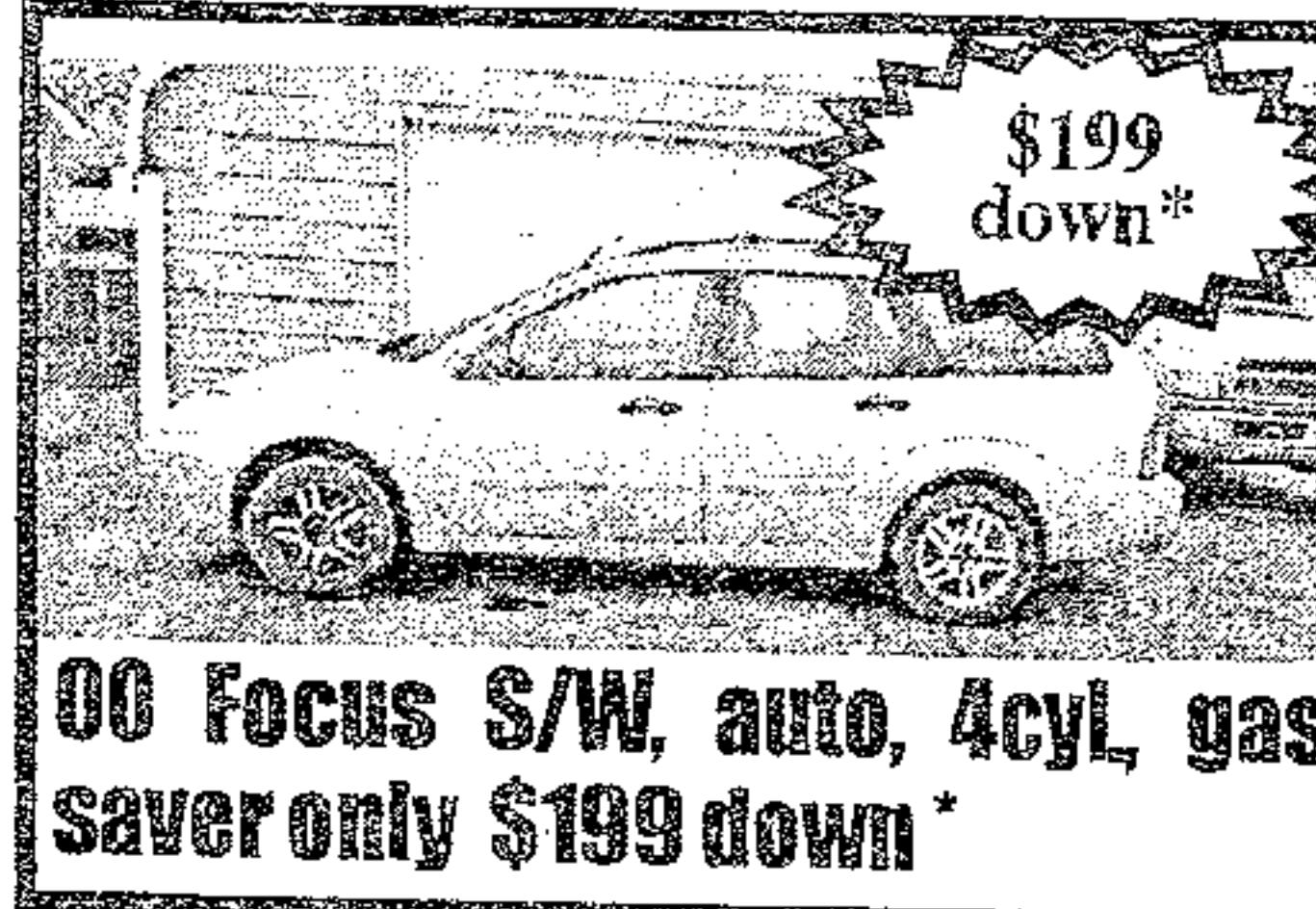
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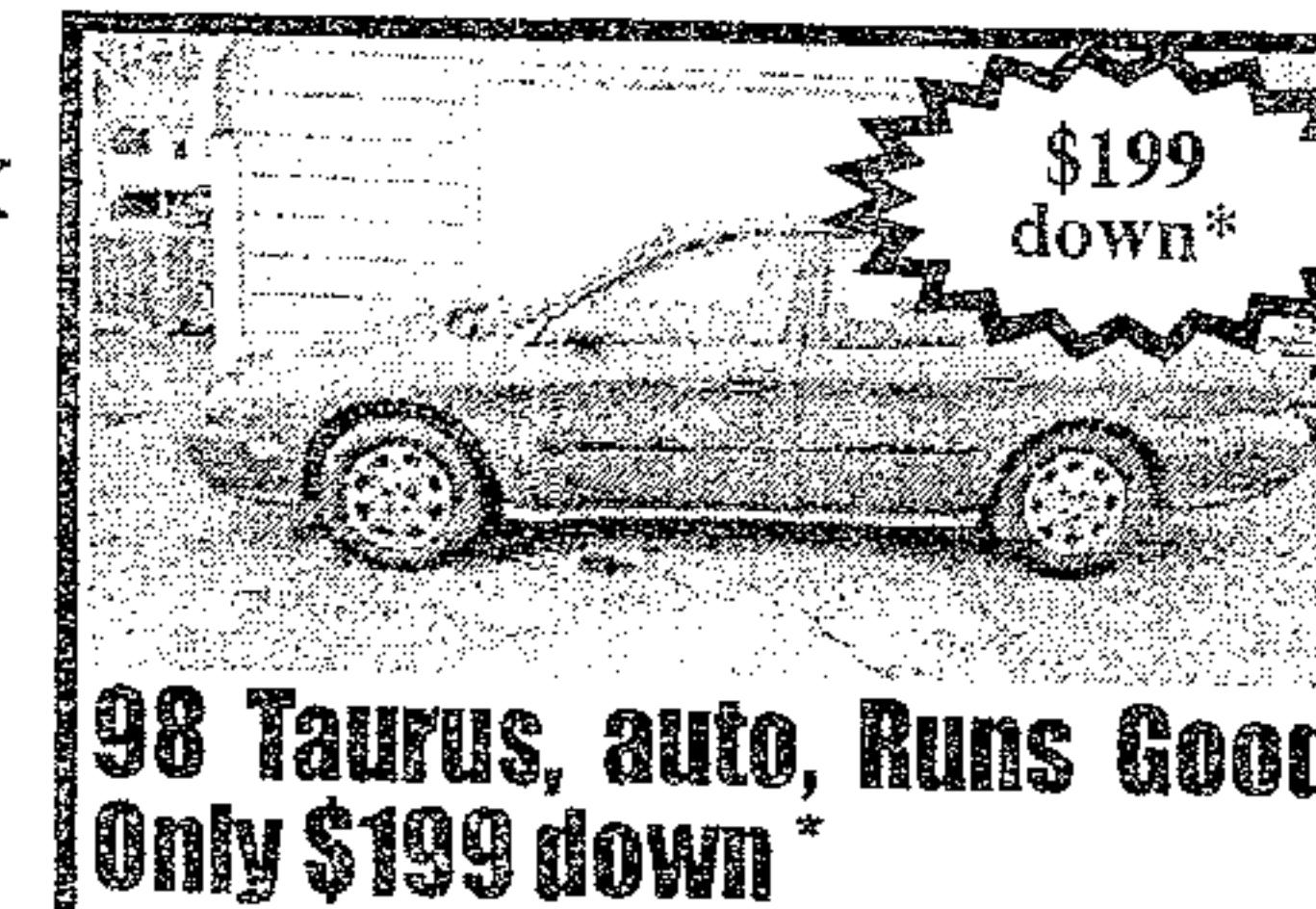
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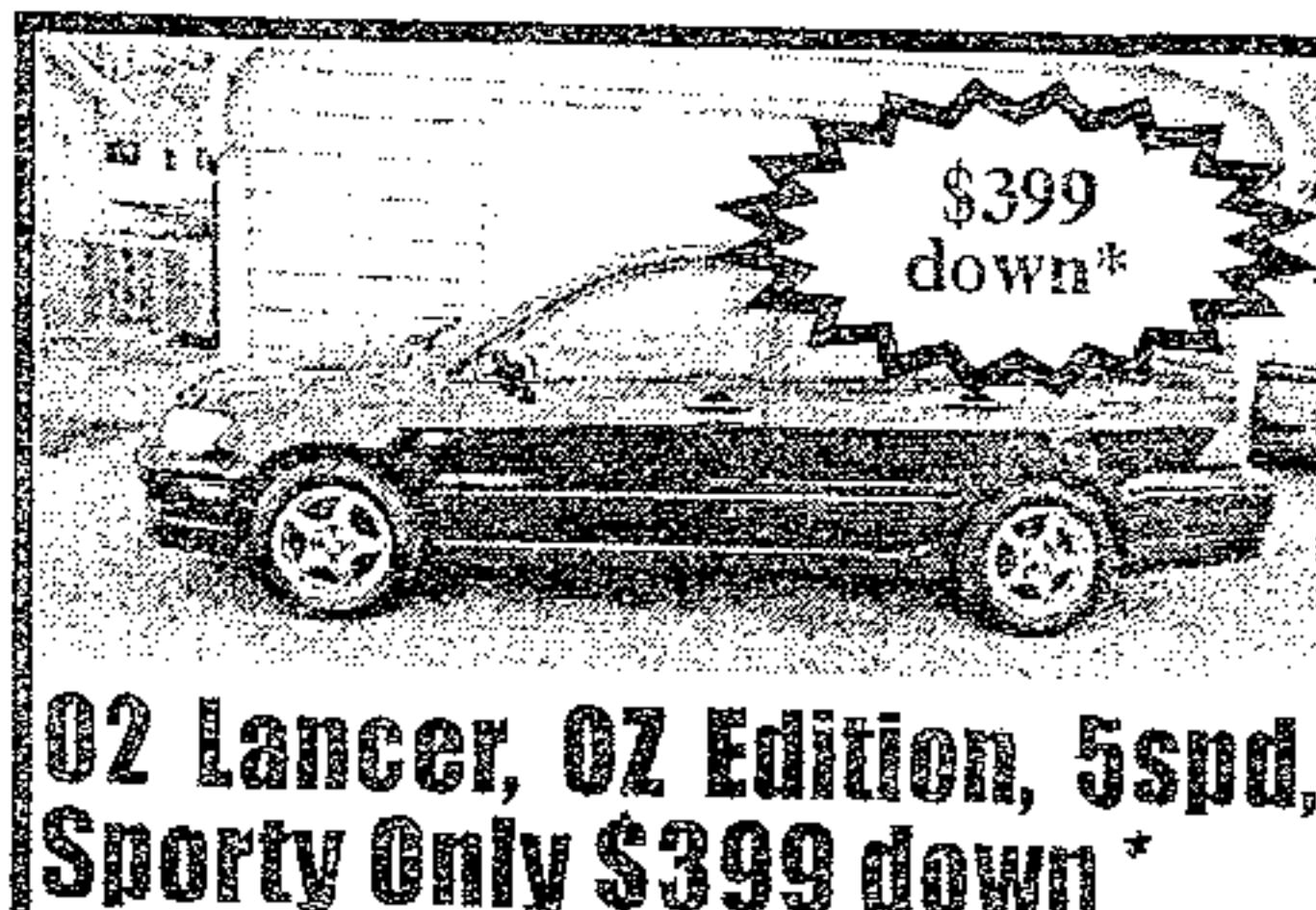
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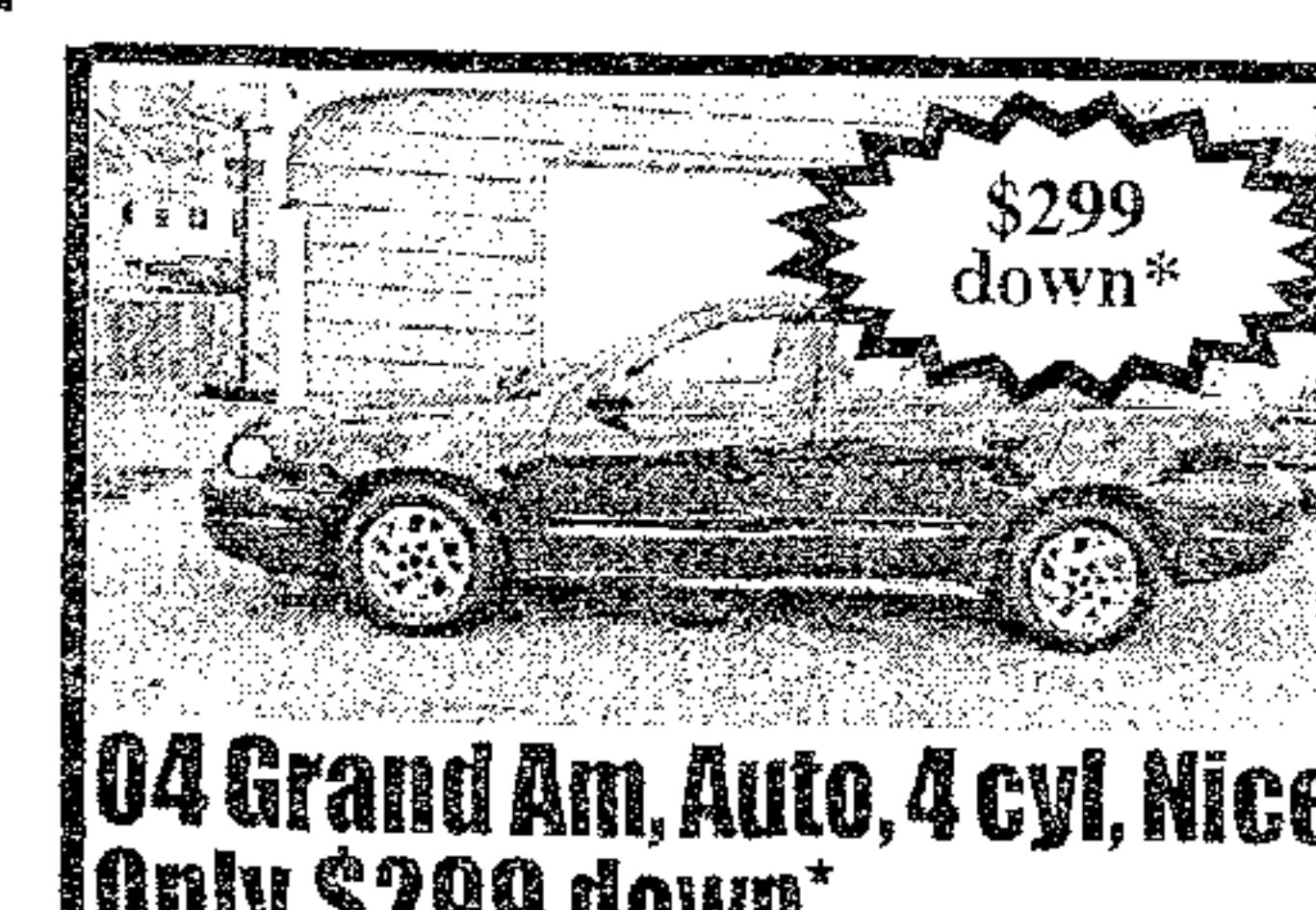
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**Fraud**

Herrera Villatoro, 32, N C Street Lenoir City, was charged with Criminal Simulation x2, TN Personal & Commerical Computer Act, and Identity Theft. Officer Brandon Gentry LCPD, was dispatched to United Community Bank in reference to fraud. Upon arrival Officer made contact with Herrera, who attempted to open an account, and gave the bank employee a forged Tennessee ID and forged Social Security Card. Herrera gave the bank this information which would have deprived the bank of services. Herrera gave false info to bank to run an Equifax credit check which is computer data base used to get information on an applicant. The information Herrera gave to bank belongs to a person who lives in Connecticut. Herrera was placed under arrest. Officer Brandon Gentry LCPD, made the arrest.

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**Mushrooms**

Deion Daniel Odell, of Tellico Plains was charged with DUI, possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of schedule I and simple possession.

On 12-19-2014, Deputy Charles Huskin LCSO, observed a red PT Cruiser traveling west on Hwy 11 crossing the center line several times, vehicle registration came back to Deion Odell subject. Deputy made contact with driver Mr. Deion Odell, and ask Mr. Odell if he had been drinking and he stated no, but did not know if he had or not. Deputy did smell the oder of alcohol coming from the vehicle. Deputy did ask Mr. Odell to exit the vehicle and he was very unsteady on his feet, and very confused. During investigation Deputy did have Deion perform standardized field sobriety, in which he performed

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poorly. Mr. Odell was advised that he was under arrest for DUI and placed in custody, and during search of his person Deputy did find a on his person a small baggie containing 4.5 grams of mushroom's a small baggie containing a green leafy substance believed to be marijuana. Mr. Odell did state (OH that's what I am on

mushroom's sorry officer), I forgot I am hallucinating right now). during search of the vehicle Deputy did find 3 pipe's used to smoke marijuana with some leftover residue in all the pipes some open containers of alcohol, a set of scales, and other drug paraphernalia Mr. Odell was read the im-

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Christi Jacobs, 40, Kelly Lane Lenoir City, was charged with Simple Poss. Casual Exchange, and Poss. of Drug Para.

Karrey Ocasio, 39, West Hill Drive Lenoir City, was charged with Simple Possession Casual Exchange, and Poss. of Drug Para.

Jeffrey McMillan, 50, Old Loudon Pike Lenoir City, was charged with Poss. of Drug Para.

Loudon Co. Sheriff Office Narcotics Unit conducted a search warrant at the residence of Christi Jacobs. Upon entry Christi, Karrey Ocasio, and Jeffrey McMillan were located in the kitchen. A red cut straw and the corner of a clear plastic baggie were found on the table where Kerrey and Jeffrey were seated. A cigarette pack was found behind the refrigerator containing half of a ped egg and three cut straws. A ped egg is commonly used to crush pills for snorting. During the interview it was learned that they had crushed and snorted a opana prior to Deputies arrival. A cig-

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arcite pack with marijuana was located on the couch, and a pipe was found on a entertainment center. Karrey was allowed to use the restroom. Officer Kay Arnwine LCPD, found a clear baggie containing two white pills identified as percocet in the toilet. Karrey admitted to flushing the pills. All three subjects was placed under arrest. Investigator Shane Ezell LCSO, made the arrest.

#### Obituaries

**Greta Rose Carruth Lord** - age 48 of Lenoir City passed away suddenly Monday, December 22, 2014. She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church. Greta loved the mountains and riding motorcycles with her husband. She was preceded in death by her father, Voyd Carruth and grandparents, Fletus and Marie Carruth, Ernest and Jean Bearfield. Survived by her husband of 30 years, Tim Lord; sons, Jeremy Lord and Dustin Lord; mother, Doris Carruth; sisters and brothers-in-law, Gina and Gary McCloud, Ginger and Bryan Ailey; brother and sister-in-law, Edward and Donna Carruth; father-in-law and mother-in-law, Carl and Shelby Lord; brothers-in-law, Randall Lord and Ste-

ven Lord; nieces, Michelle Walker and husband, Todd; nephews: Edward Carruth, Jr., Allen and Alex Shackelford, Andrew Lord and Andrea Lord and their daughter, Heather Rose. The family will receive friends from 1 to 3 p.m. Saturday, December 27th at Calvary Baptist Church in Lenoir City. Funeral services will follow at 3 p.m. with Rev. Milton Hicks officiating. Burial will follow in the Lakeview Cemetery.

**Ruby (Polly) Smailen Looney** - age 82, a member of Sixth Avenue Church of God in Lenoir City, received an early Christmas present, a trip to God's Kingdom, leaving behind pain and suffering, beloved friends, church members and family. The family would like to express a special thanks to the staff at Ben Atchley Tennessee State Veterans Home in Knoxville for their loving care. The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday, December 26th at Click Funeral Home in Lenoir City. Funeral services will follow at 7 p.m. with Rev. Fred Cook officiating. Family and friends will gather at 10:30 a.m. Saturday morning at the funeral home and proceed to Loudon Co. Memorial Gardens for graveside services at 11 a.m. Click Funeral Home, Lenoir City is in charge of arrangements.

Janet B. Curtis of Tellico Village, TN formerly of

Rock Lake Village, South Charleston, WV went to meet the Lord on Thursday, December 25, 2014. She was born in Bartow, WV on March 11, 1933. Janet and her husband bought a lot in Tellico Village in 1986 and moved to their new home

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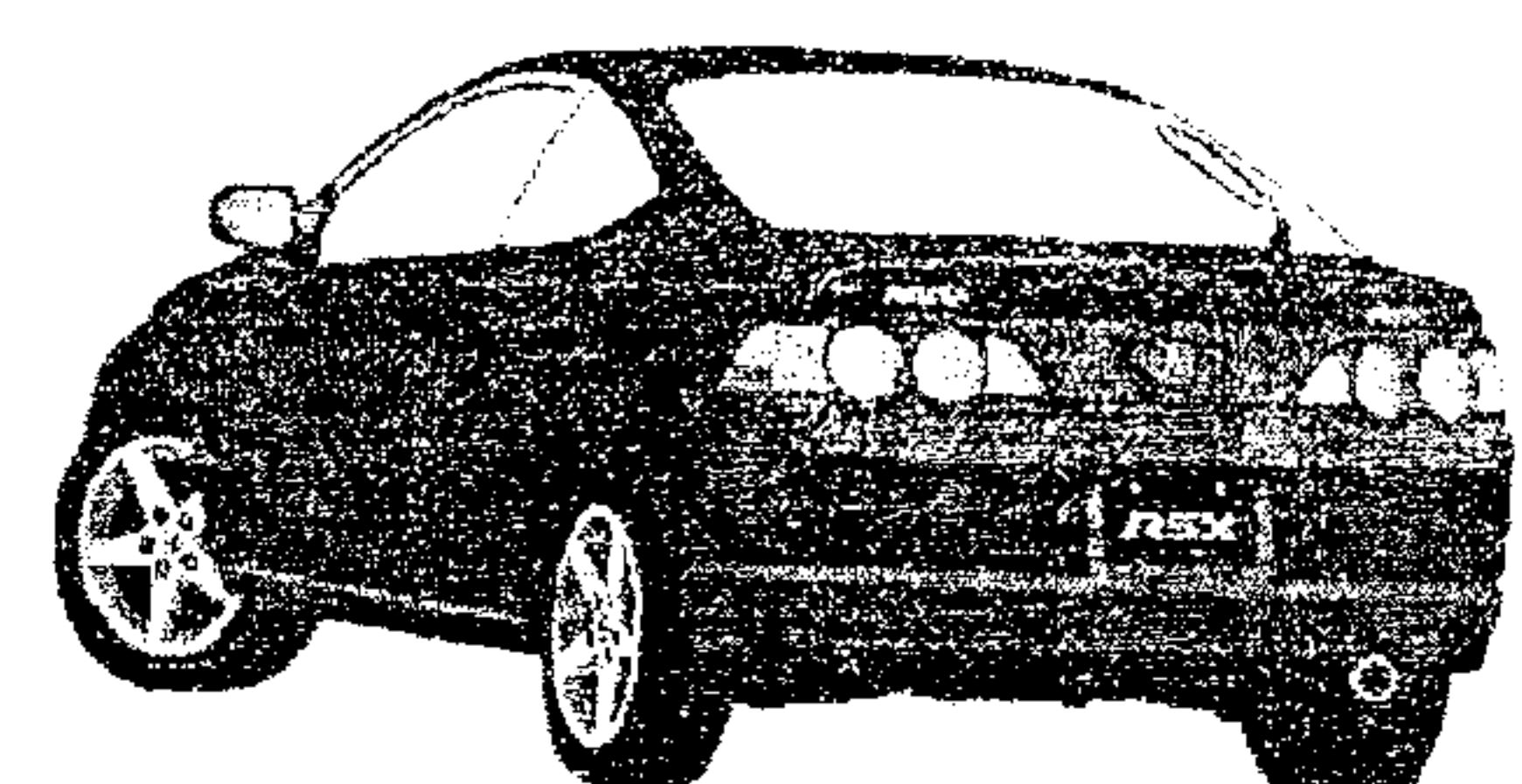
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LPD

Jessica Brannon, 37 Buck Bald Road Rd Tellico Plains, was charged with DUI, Violation of Implied Consent, and Driving on Revoked License. Officer Brandon Nix LPD, was dispatched to a reckless driver call on the area of Hwy 11. Dispatch stated it was an older toyota truck swerving all over the

roadway. Officer observed the vehicle in front of the Co-Op. Officer observed the vehicle cross the double yellow lines several times and almost strike another vehicle head on. Officer conducted a traffic stop in front of Loudon Auto. Officer made contact with the driver Jessica Brannon who had slurred speech and stated she had tak-

en medication hydrocodone and xanax earlier that day. Jessica did poorly on sobriety test and was placed under arrest. A check of her license revealed it to be revoked. Officer Brandon Nix LPD, made the arrest.

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in 1991. She was a charter member of the Christian Church of Loudon County and Sunday was her favorite day of the week. Her

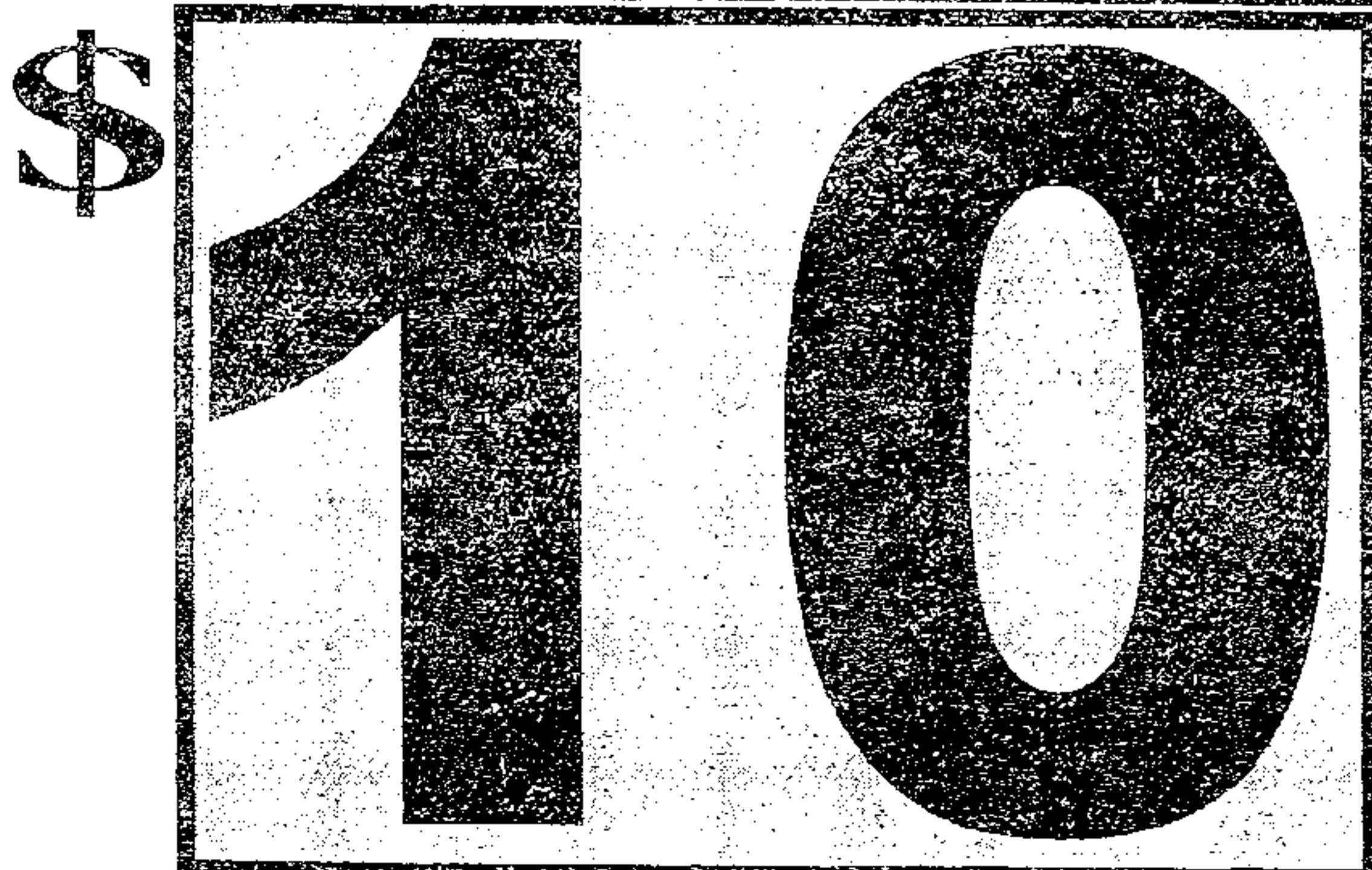
social life was centered around church functions. She gave up bridge clubs when moving to Tennessee and enjoyed a leisure life. Janet was preceded in death by her mother, Mary Varner Bennett. She is survived by her husband of 60 years, Ray Curtis; three children: her daughter, Teri Lynn Hostetler (Jim) of Anderson, IN; sons, David Curtis of Como, CO and Kevin Curtis of Bently, Alberta Canada; grandson, Mark Hostetler; granddaughter, Erin Kojecki (Matt) and

two great-grandsons. The family will receive friends on Sunday, December 28th from 5 to 7 p.m. at Click Funeral Home in Lenoir City. Funeral services will follow at 7 p.m. with Rev. Rick Keck officiating. Family and friends will gather at 10 a.m. Monday morning in the Lakeview Cemetery for graveside services. Click Funeral Home, Lenoir City is in charge of arrangements.

**Werner K. Holl** - age 92 of the Tellico Village Community, Loudon, TN formerly of Chicago, IL passed away Tuesday, December 23, 2014. Werner was a veteran of W. W. II serving in the U. S. Navy. He was retired from TRW after many years of service. After retiring, he began a new career at ADESA in Lenoir City. Preceded in death by his wife, Lucy C. Holl; parents, Karl and Johanna Holl. Survived by his son and daughter-in-law, James and Margaret Holl of Augusta, GA; sister, Ursula Conrad of Chagrin Falls, OH; 3 nephews and 1 niece. The family will receive friends from 10 to 11 a.m. on Saturday, January 10, 2015 at Click Funeral Home in Lenoir City. Memorial services will follow at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the charity of your choice. Click Funeral Home, Lenoir City, TN is in charge of arrangements.

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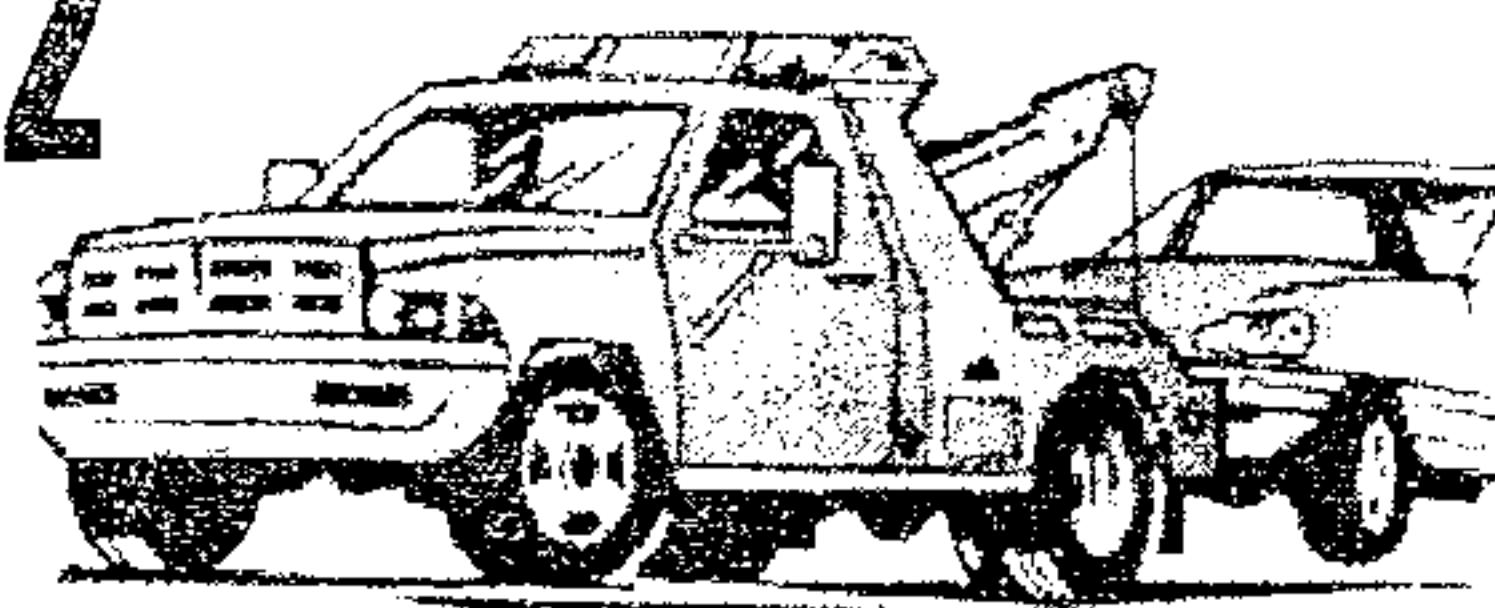
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## DUI

Brittany McCulloch, 27, Meyers Road Lenoir City, was charged with DUI, and Violation of Implied Consent.

Cpl. Chad Estes LCSO, was dispatched to Highland Park School on a possible drunk driver. The vehicle was described as red jeep with a female driver. Contact was made with said vehicle and Deputy

observed the vehicle sitting in front of the School with a female driver and the vehicle running. Deputy approached the vehicle and made contact with Brittany, who was very lethargic and slurred speech. Brittany was asked to exit the vehicle and perform sobriety test which she did poorly on. Brittany was placed under arrest. Cpl. Chad Estes LCSO, made the arrest.

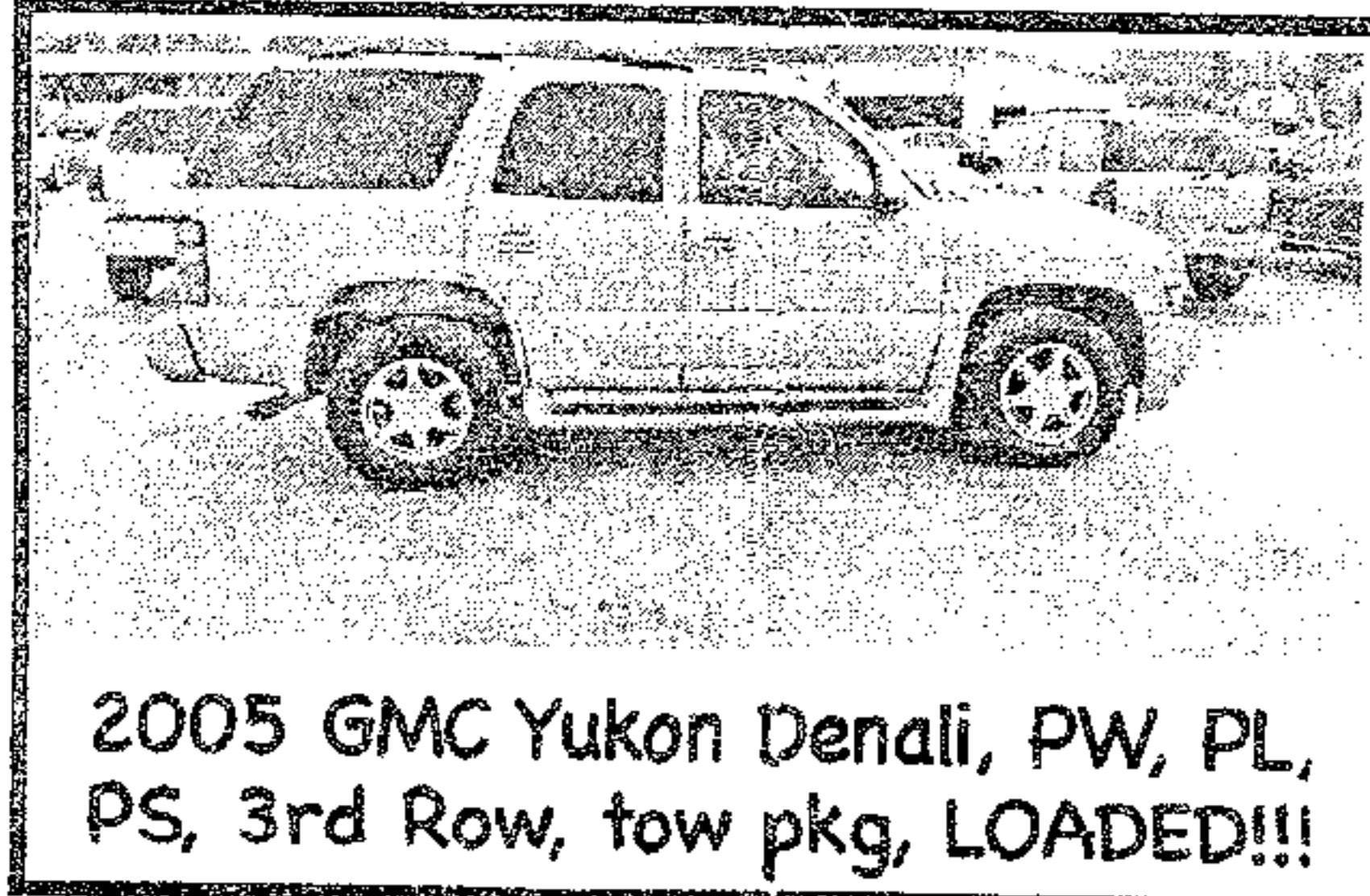
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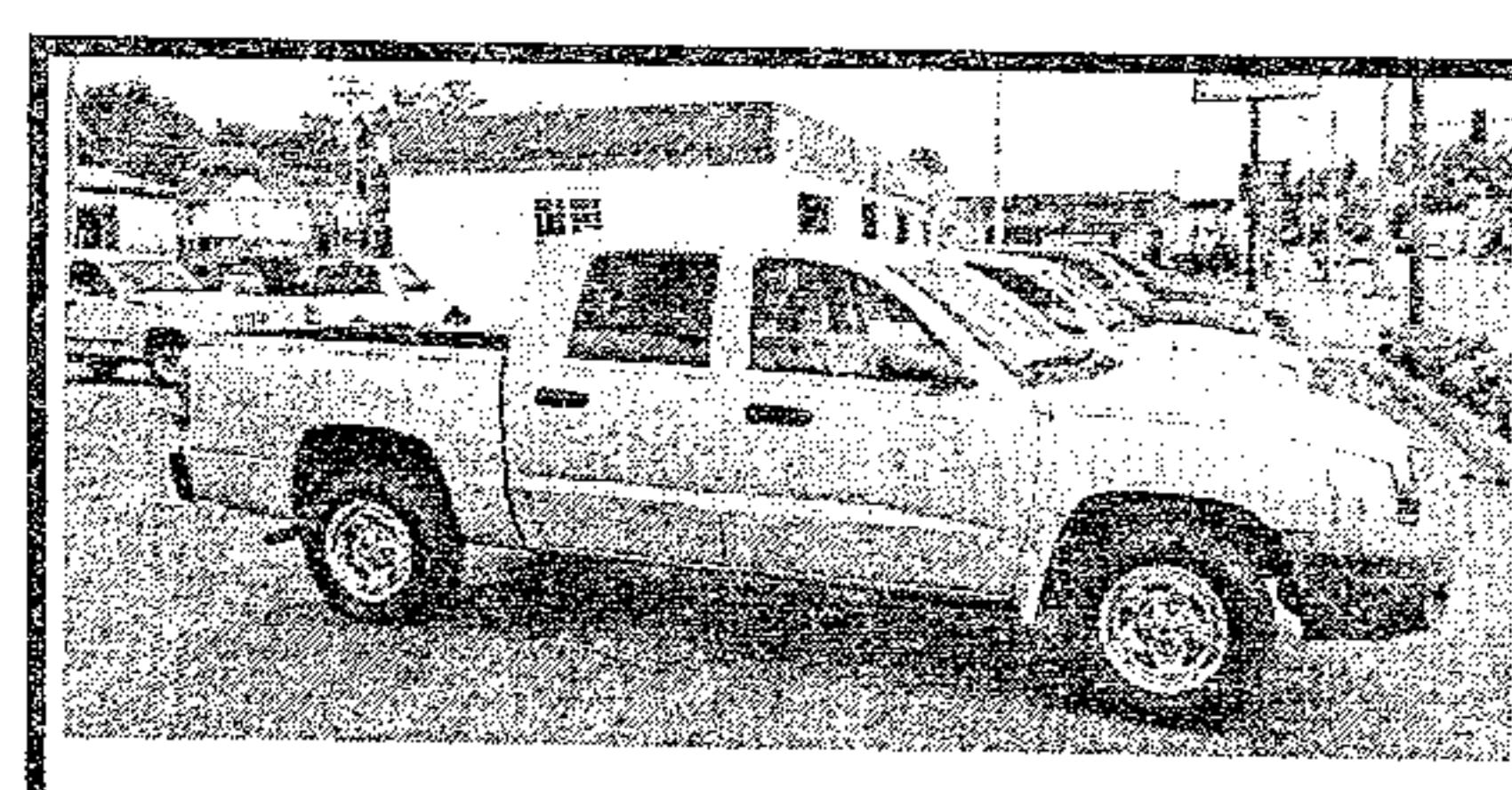
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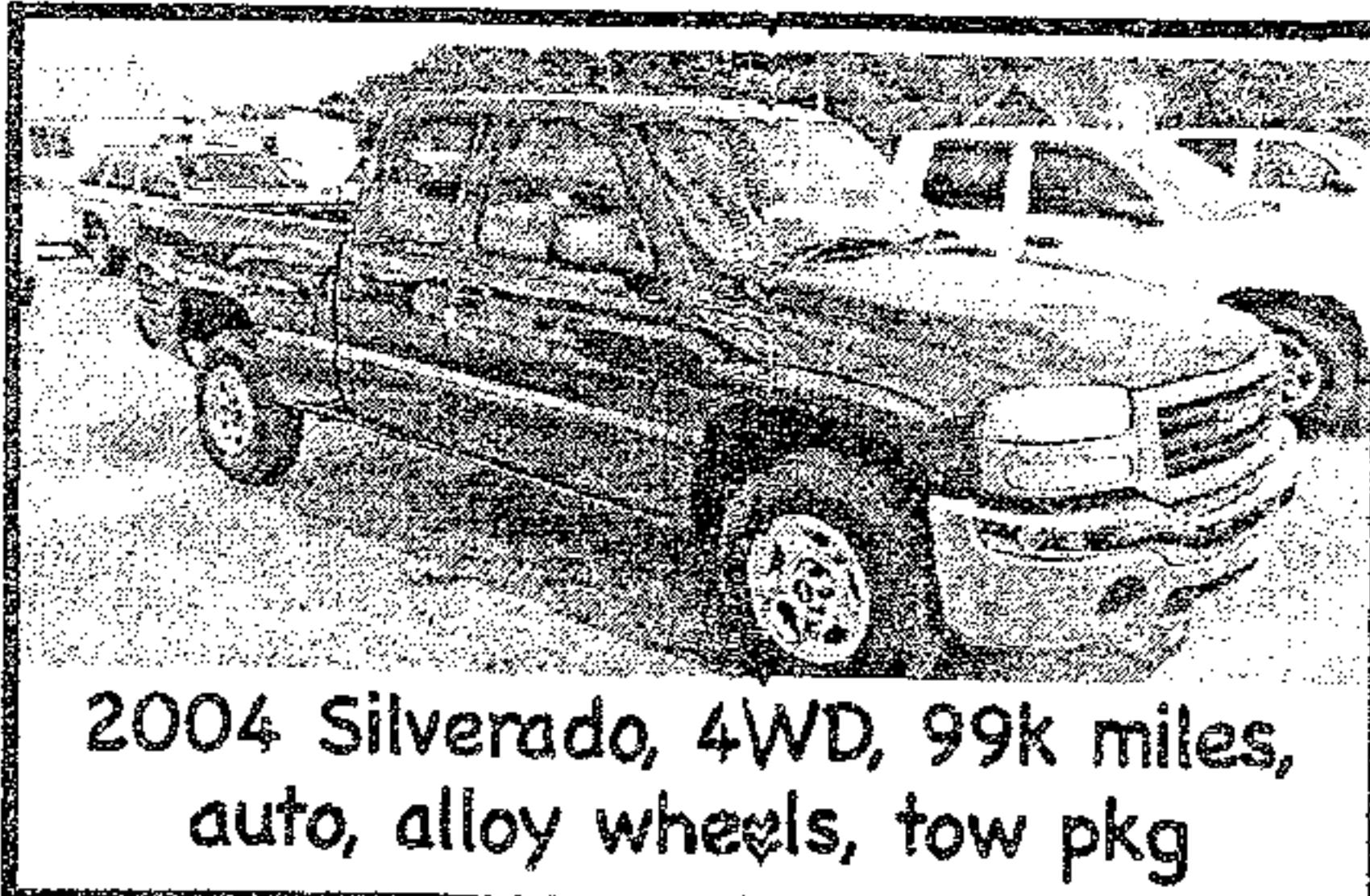
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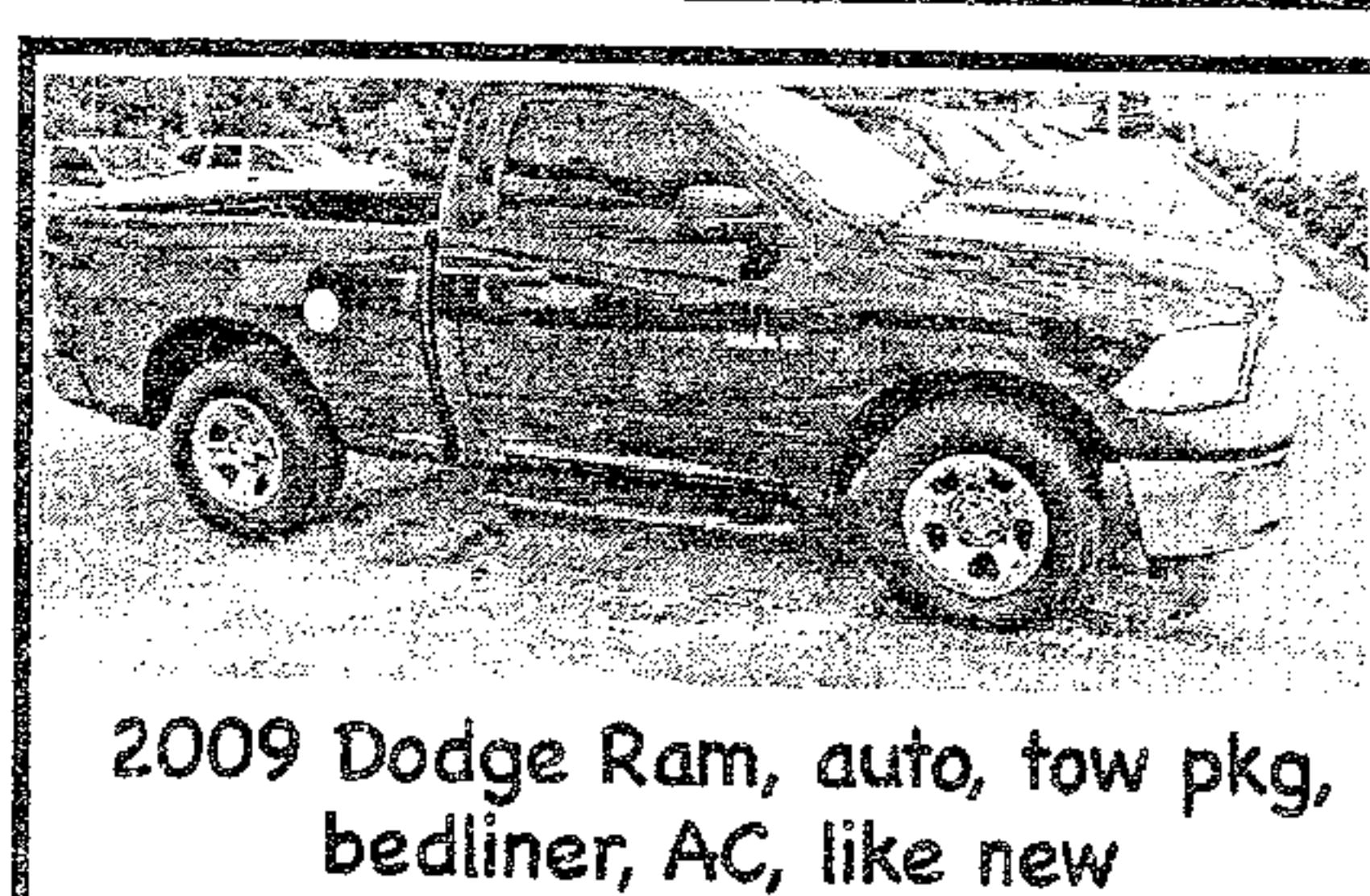
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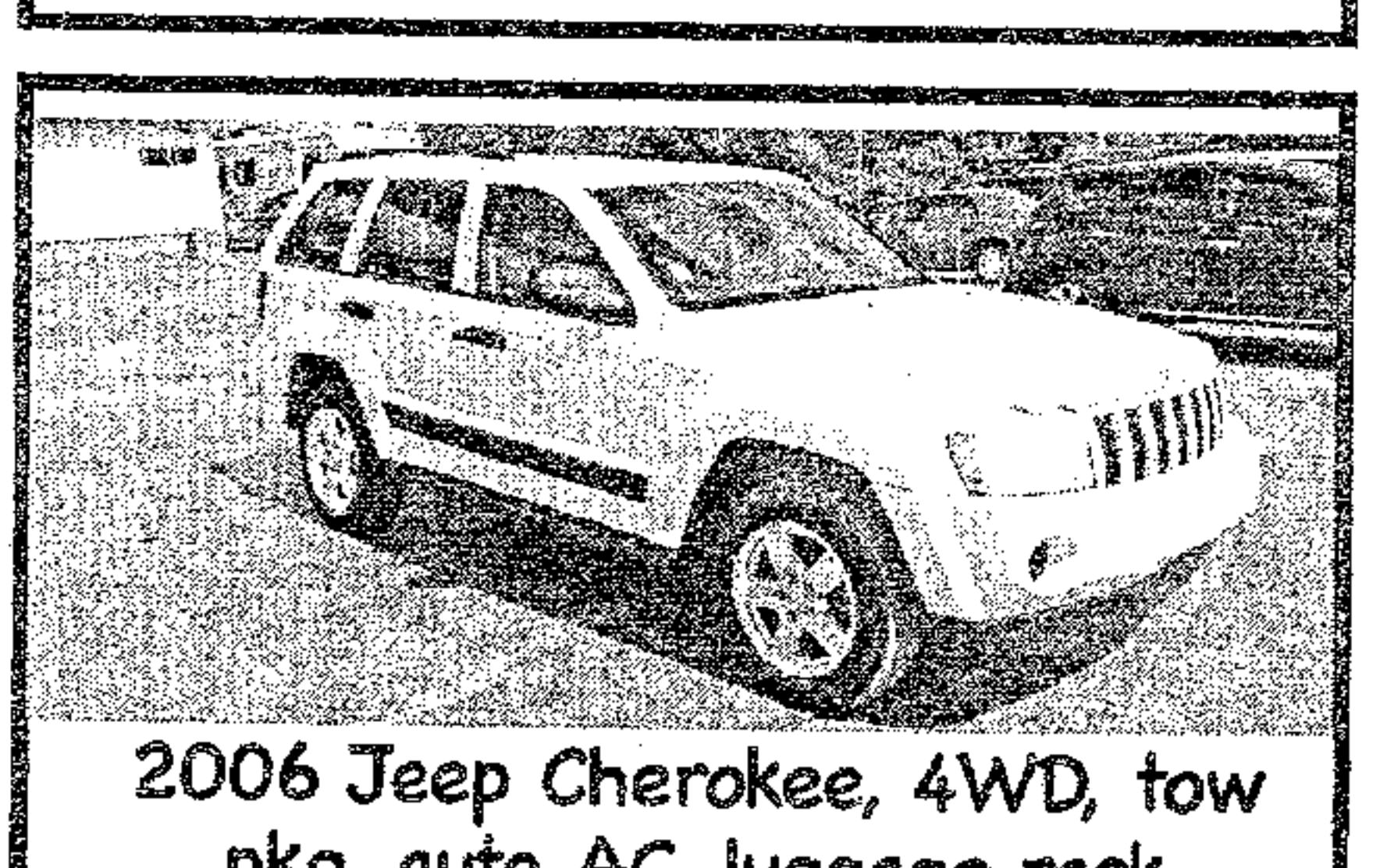
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pands, we are adding new formats. Fugitive information, for example, is now being displayed on digital bus shelters in Washington, D.C., and digital newsstands in New York City. "Thanks to our partnerships, the bill-

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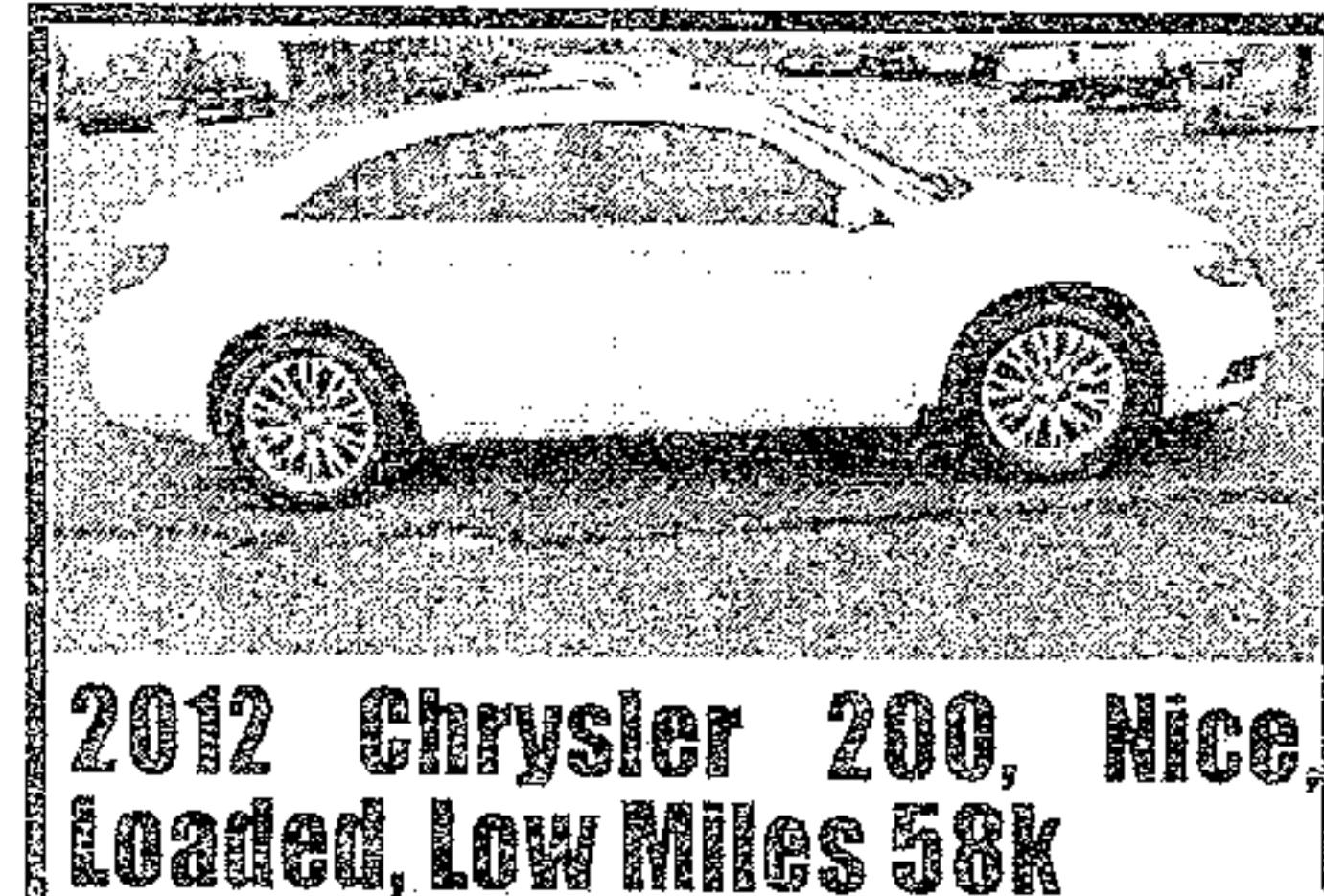
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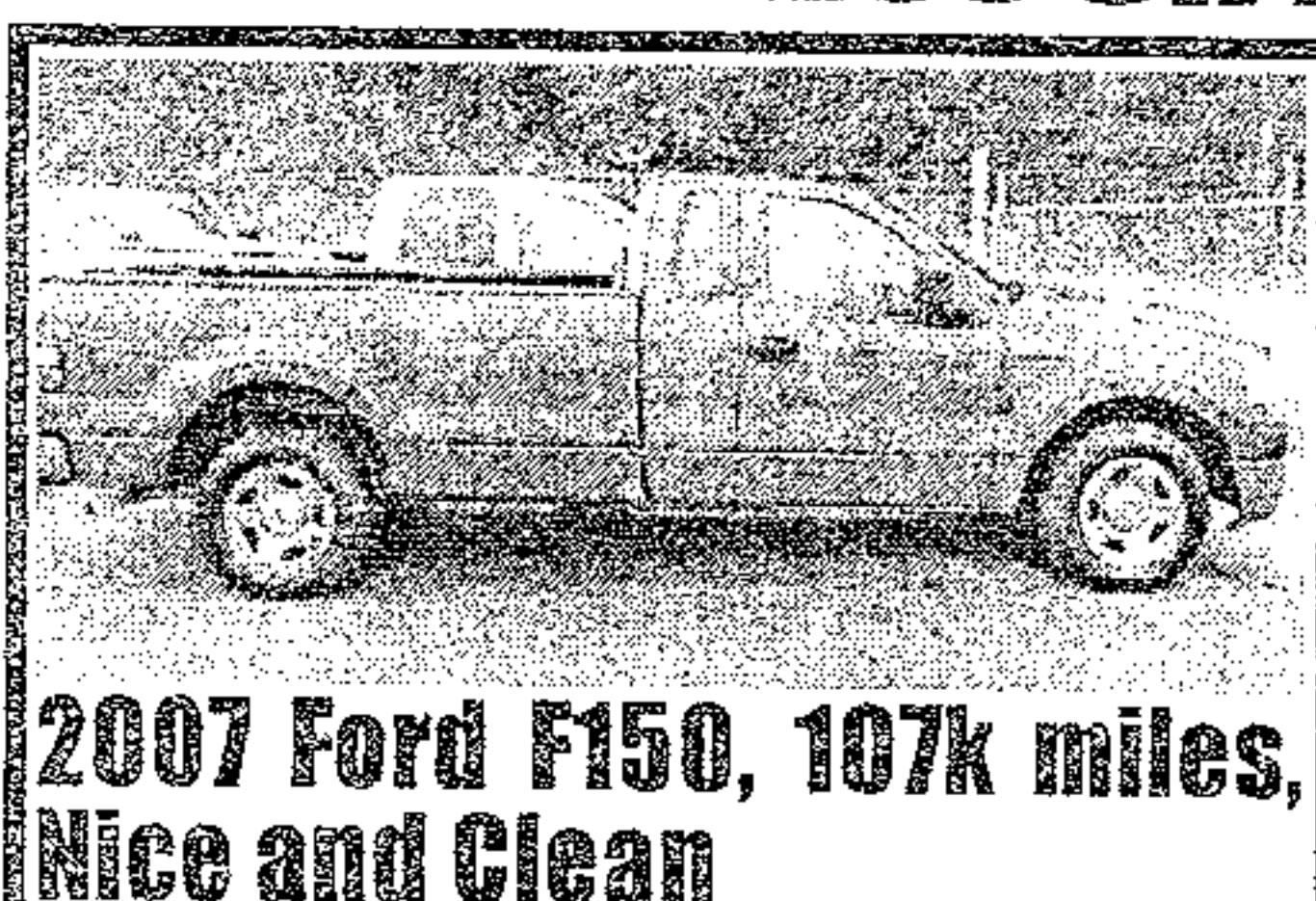
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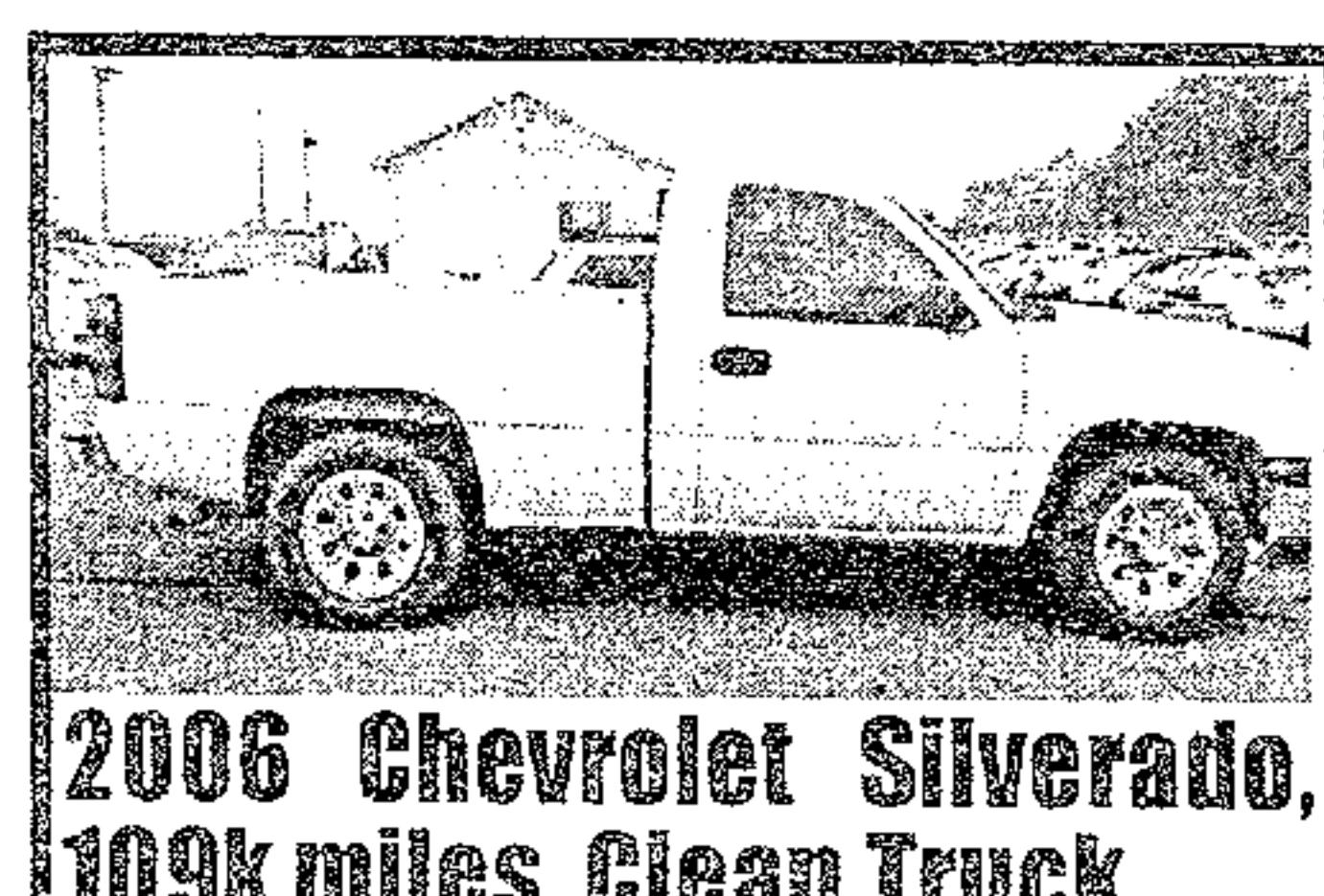
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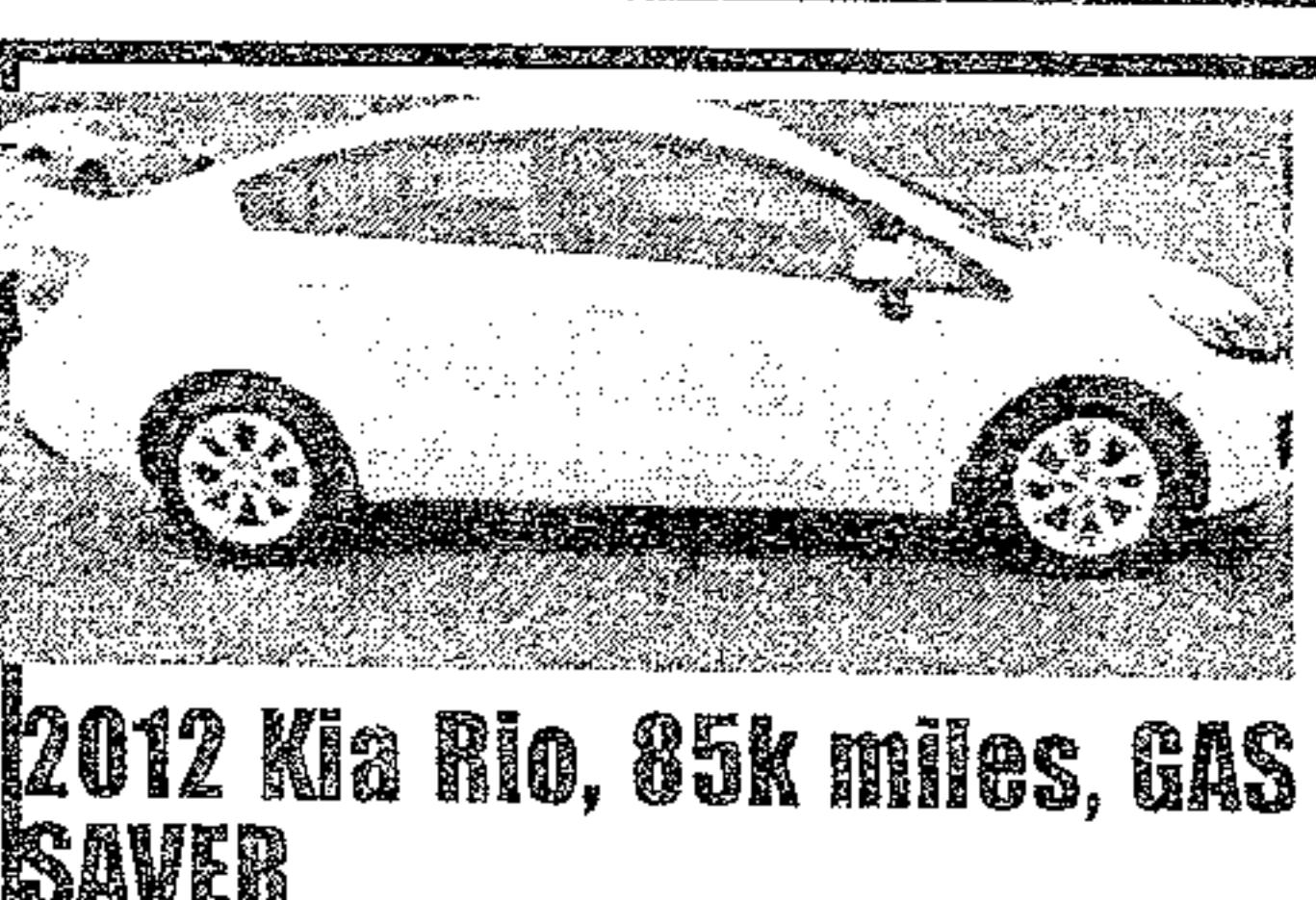
2007 Ford F150, 107k miles,  
Nice and Clean



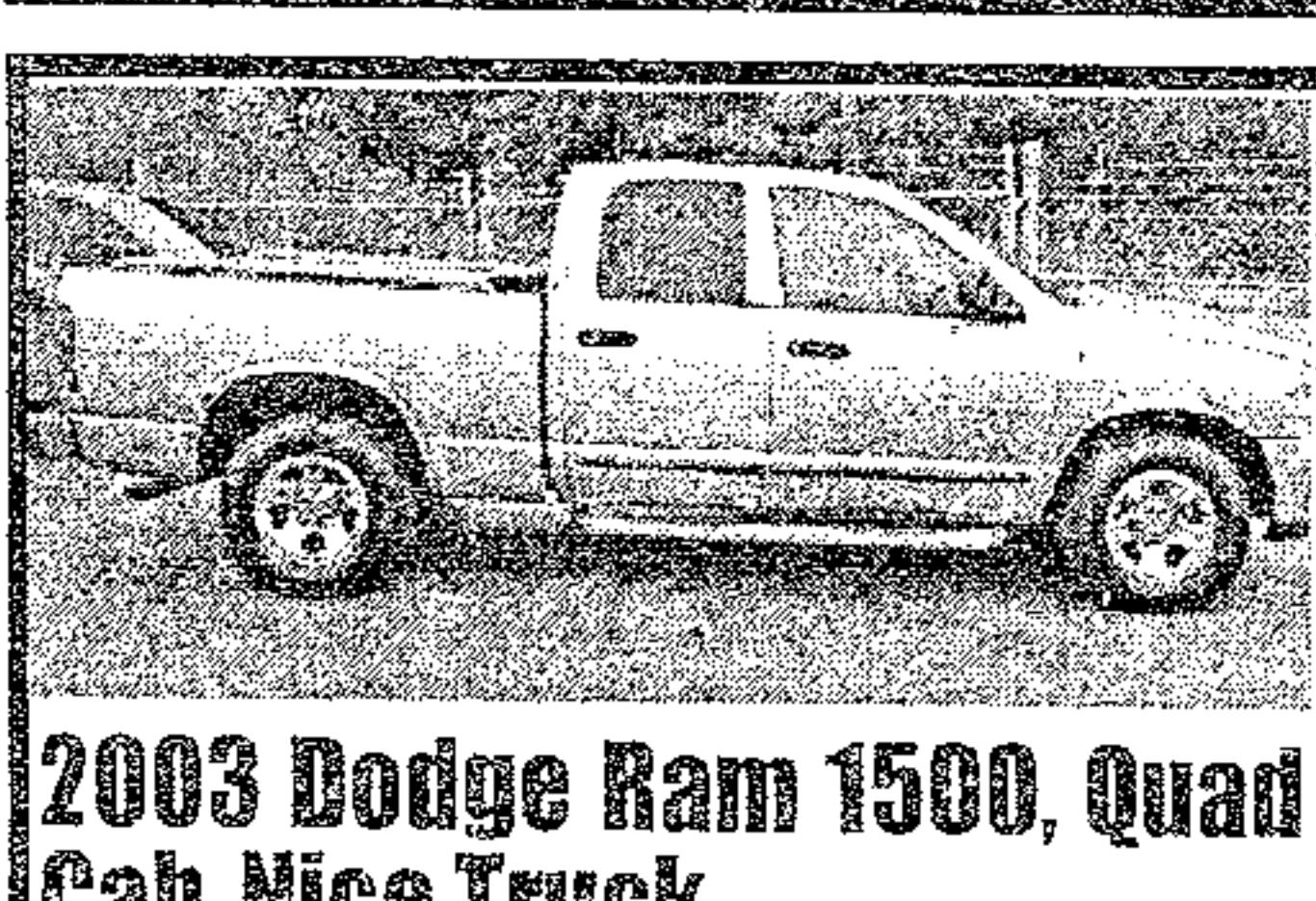
2003 Ford Explorer, 3rd row  
seat, Great Family Vehicle



2006 Chevrolet Silverado,  
109k miles, Clean Truck



2012 Kia Rio, 85k miles, GAS  
SAVER



2003 Dodge Ram 1500, Quad  
Cab, Nice Truck



2012 Nissan Versa, 72k miles,  
auto, CD player

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