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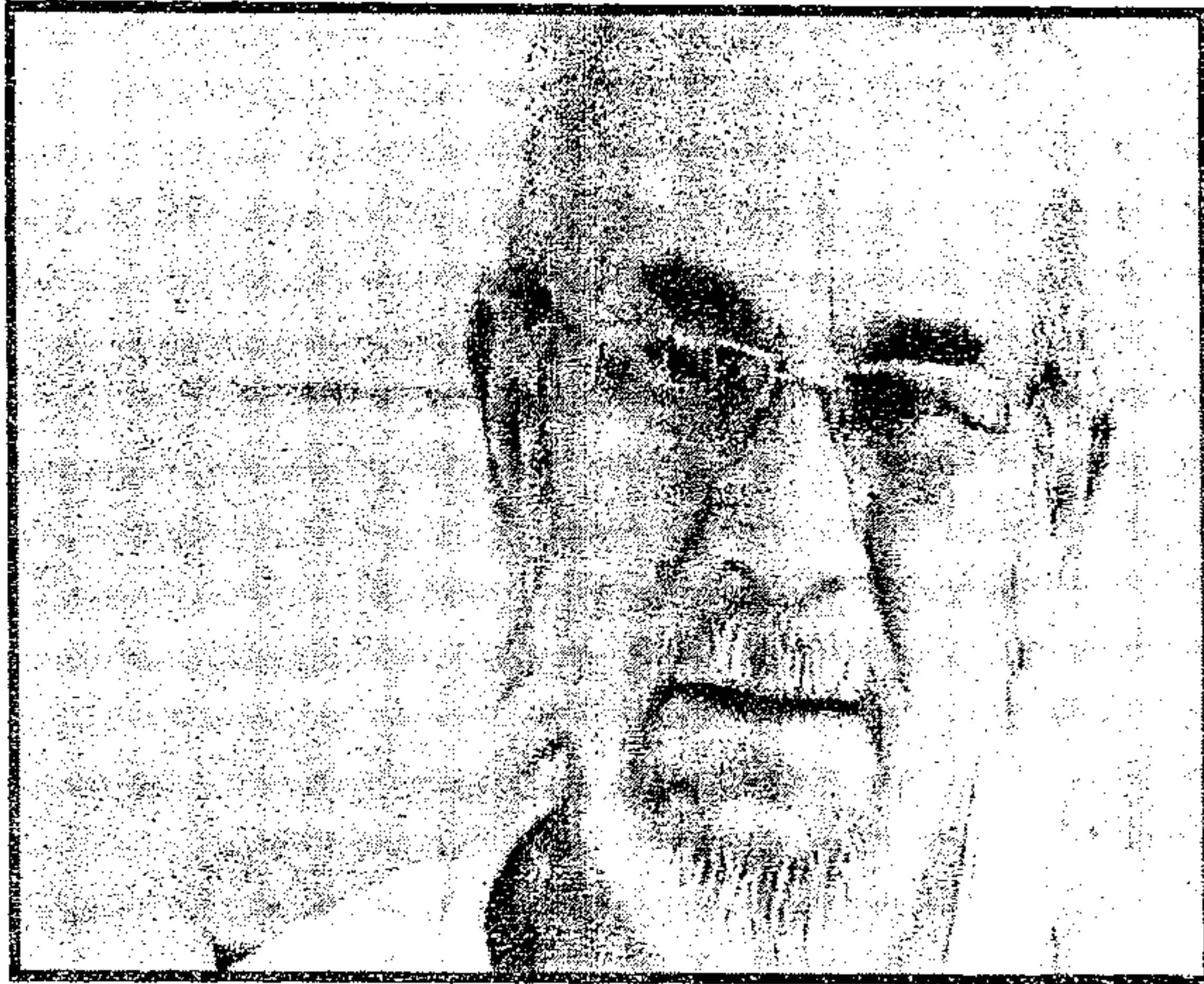
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Wednesday, September 2, 2015

Woman found abused at hospital; Man charged refused to take victim to dialysis

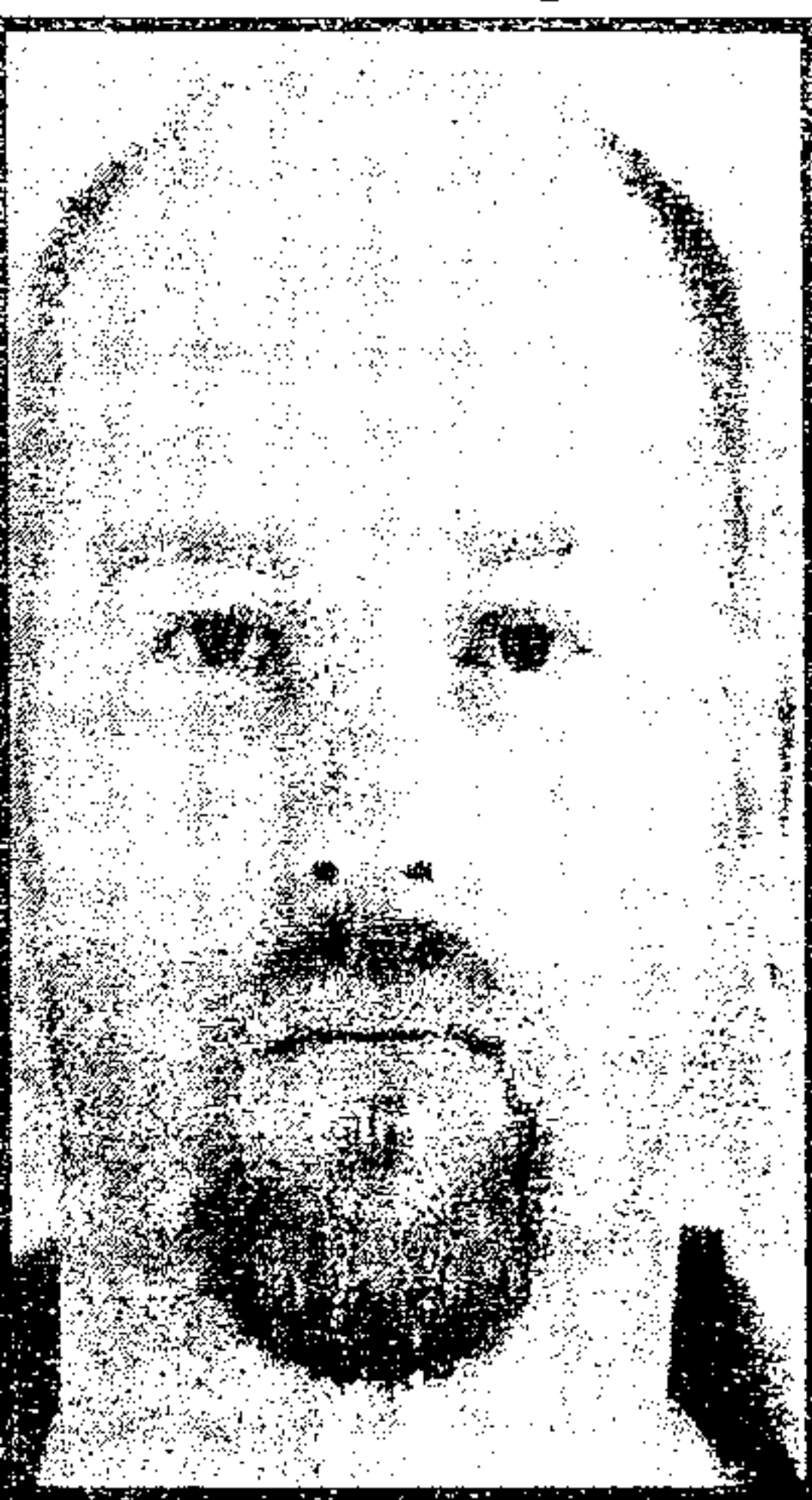
A dialysis patient was discovered to have injuries from abuse after she wound up at the Blount County Hospital and they contacted Loudon County. As a result of the investigation it was discovered the victim had been punished by James Dockery of Greenback.

James Dockery, 60, (see Assault pg. 7)



James Dockery

Theft charges follow LCSO investigation



Mitchell Brown (see LCSO pg. 5)

Two charged with taking \$1200+ from Dominos



Jesse Mathis



Aaron Thomas

(see Theft pg. 2)

All Tennessee Counties Meet August 31 Budget Deadline

For the first time in decades all 95 Tennessee counties have adopted their annual budget resolutions by August 31. This extraordinary achievement means that Tennessee counties are now operating under a locally adopted budget for the current fiscal year.

Tennessee counties

are also in full compliance with Public Chapter 170, Acts of 2015. This new law allows counties that do not adopt a budget resolution prior to June 30 to operate under a continuation budget through August 31. Counties with extraordinary circumstances preventing the adoption of a budget

(see Budget pg. 4)

Jewelry Store Robberies

Dallas Task Force Helps Put Violent Criminals Behind Bars

Two Texas men who committed violent jewelry store robberies in the Dallas/Fort Worth area were recently sentenced to lengthy prison terms thanks to an FBI-led task force that helped bring them to justice. The case is a classic example of local and federal law enforcement officers working together to make their communities safer.

For a seven-month

period between 2013 and 2014, Michael Demon Jackson and Mark D. Whitfield robbed numerous jewelry stores at gunpoint, in part to feed their heroin habits. Last May, after pleading guilty to the crimes, Jackson was sentenced to 594 months in federal prison, just shy of 50 years. In June, Whitfield received a 309-month prison term.

"Jackson had a previ-

(see FBI pg. 3)

Verse of the Day

Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our

enjoyment. — 1 Timothy 6:17

Obituaries

see inside

Wazzup

A Big Shout Out to Larry and the crew at Advanced Transmission, keep up

the good work sure do appreciate the great service as well!

Weather

Today: Sunshine and clouds mixed. High 91F.

Tonight: A few clouds from time to time. Low 69F.

Thursday Partly cloudy skies. A stray shower or thunderstorm is possible. High 92F.

Thursday Night Some clouds early will give way to generally clear conditions overnight. A stray

(Continued on page 6)



Theft

Aaron Thomas, 23, Kelley Lane Lenoir City, was charged with Theft of Property.

Officer Brandon Gentry LCPD, after an investigation it was learned that Aaron a worker at Domino's did take 1242.54 from Domino's without the permission of the owner. Offi-

cer Brandon Gentry LCPD, made the arrest.

Jesse Mathis, 21, Price Road Lenoir City, was charged with Theft of property.

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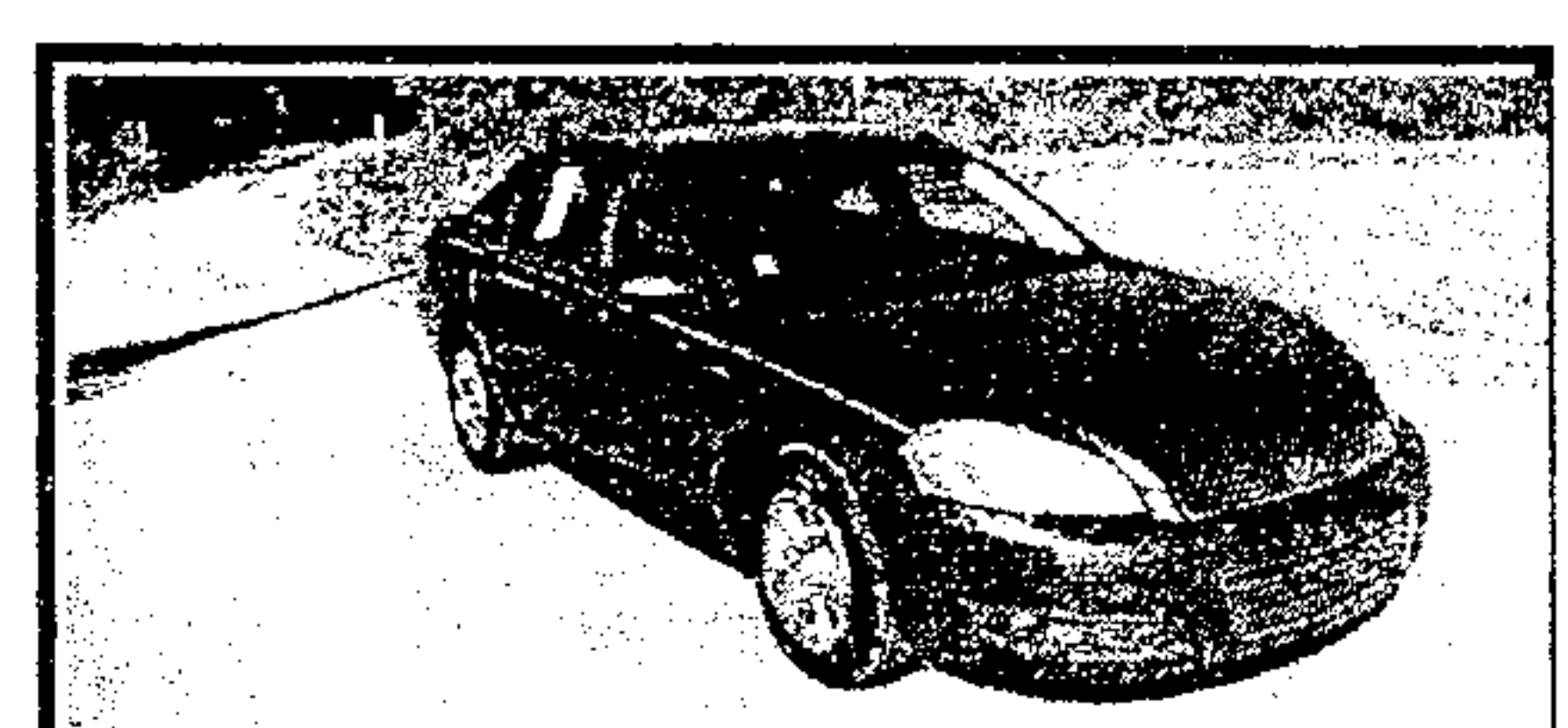
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FBI

ous murder conviction, and the judge took that into consideration," said FBI Special Agent Gil Balli, who supervises the Dallas Violent Crimes Task Force that investigated the case. The fact that both men were charged federally resulted in stiffer sentences and no chance of parole.

"Being able to bring federal charges in violent criminal cases is one of the strengths of the task force," Balli said. Established two years ago, the task force consists of FBI agents and officers from the Dallas Police Department and other local police departments from Garland and Carrollton, Texas. When necessary, the task force partners with other state and federal agencies.

"Our mission," Balli said, "is to target criminal groups and individuals, including fugitives, who commit the worst violent crimes in our area."

Balli receives daily updates

about robberies that have occurred in the Dallas/Fort Worth area in the previous 24 hours. He consults with Dallas Police Department officials and other task force members about which crimes might rise to the level of task force involvement. "We all exchange intelligence on a daily basis," he said, adding, "We are looking at the most violent offenders in our communities, who often commit serial robberies."

Jackson and Whitfield fit that description. The pair tar-

geted jewelry stores in shopping malls without good security and where female sales clerks worked alone. Whitfield would enter the store pretending to be a customer interested in making a purchase. When the clerk opened the display case, Jackson came in brandishing a gun.

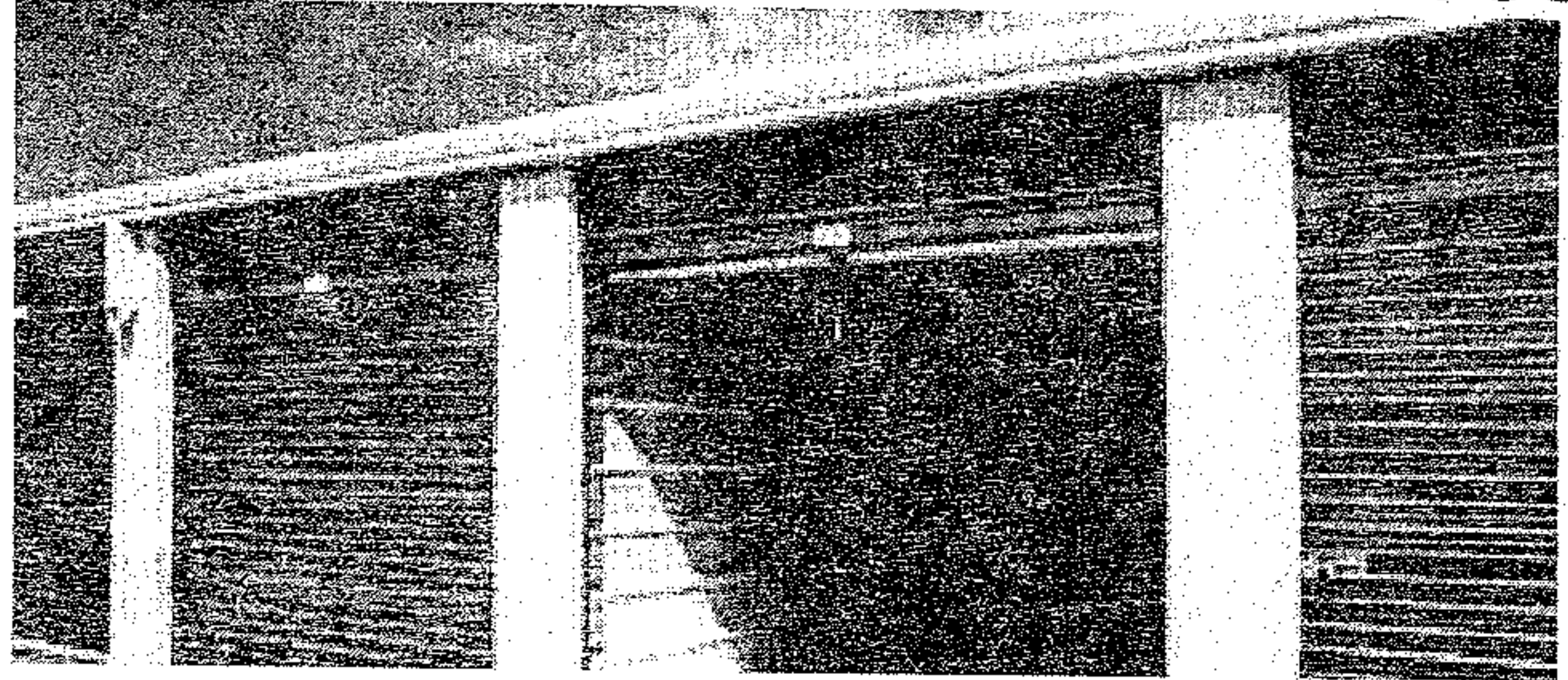
"He would push the clerks to the ground, put the gun to the back of their heads, and

threaten to kill them," said Noe Camacho, a Dallas Police Department detective on the task force. "It was very traumatic for the victims."


After several robberies, investigators had surveillance video from inside the stores, and not much else. But during an April 2014 robbery in Lewisville, Texas, a person saw two men running out

(see FBI ctd. pg. 5)

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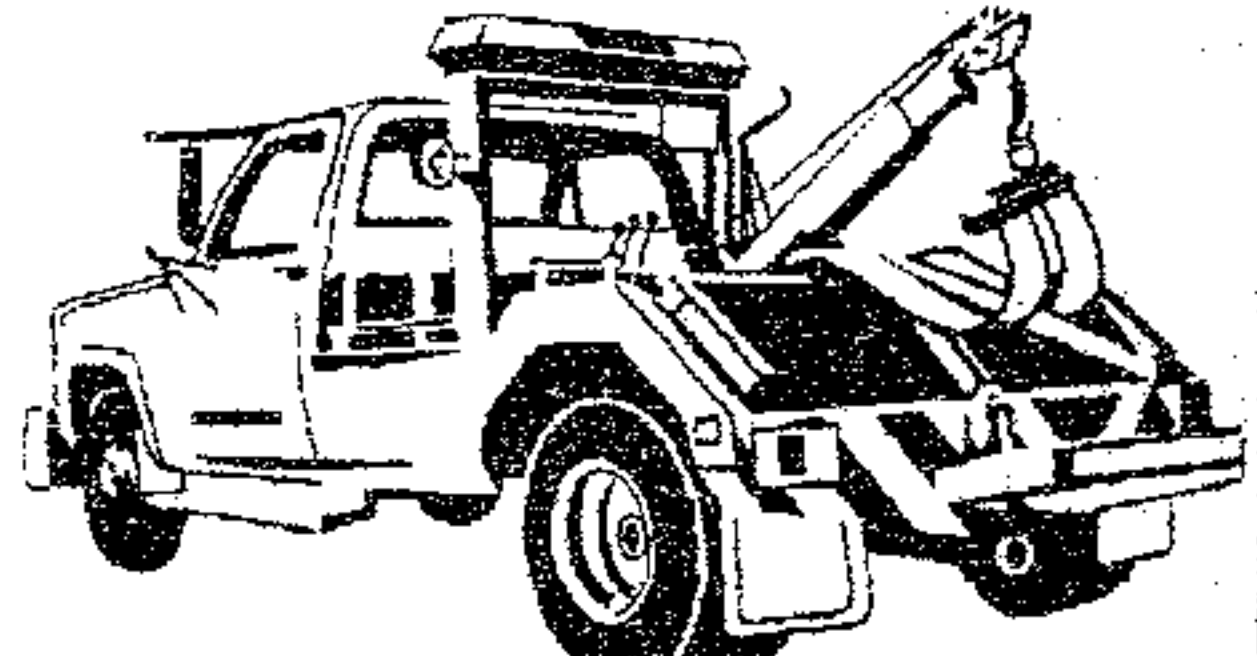
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resolution by August 31 may request approval from the Comptroller of the Treasury to operate until September 30.

The Tennessee County Services Association requested Public Chapter 170 from the State Legislature, and its members should be commended for adhering to its requirements.

In the past, it was not uncommon for some Tennessee counties to operate without a current budget into October.

"This achievement is a result of the tremendous effort by county executives, mayors, commissioners, and school board members to better manage their counties by adopting a budget in a timely manner," said Comptroller Justin P. Wilson. "This is a significant step to-

ward making government work better for all Tennesseans."

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Obituaries

Vontella Kerr Bandy - age 65 of Lenoir City went home to be with the Lord on Monday, August 31, 2015. Vontella was a member of Antioch Baptist Church. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother and dear friend. Vontella was an avid motorcycle and atv rider. Preceded in death by her parents, J. C. and Maxine Craig; brothers, J. C. Craig, Jr. and William

Wayne Craig. Survived by her husband, Rick Bandy; daughters and sons-in-law Cindy and Jeff Rogers of Lenoir City, Melissa and Jeremy Henderson of Vonnore; grandchildren: Shawntella Barnett, Caleb Bandy, Jaden Henderson and Haley Henderson; brothers and sisters-in-law, Eddie and Dola Craig, J. C. and Darlene Craig, Jerry and Lena Craig; special friend, Linda Bandy; many nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday, September 3rd at Click Funeral Home in Lenoir City. Funeral services will follow at 7 p.m. with Rev. Dean

Bandy and Rev. Tony Bandy officiating. Family and friends will gather at the funeral home by 10:30 Friday morning and proceed to the Lakeview Cemetery for graveside services at 11 a.m. Click Funeral Home, 109 Walnut Street, Lenoir City is in charge of arrangements.

Elsie Girolami age 90 of Tellico Village, Loudon, TN passed away on August 27, 2015 at her home at NHC Cavett Hill in Knoxville, TN. Elsie was a member of St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church in Lenoir City, TN. Elsie was a talented seamstress, avid gardener winning competitions when living in Lib-

ertyville, Illinois, and she enjoyed bridge and golf. She was preceded in death by her husband of 54 years Dr. Roland L. Girolami. Elsie is survived by her brother-in-law, Quin Barrett and his wife Doris, her sister Donna Francheschi of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Elsie also had a brother, Merco Sivillotti who lived in Milwaukee. Elsie is also survived by 15 other nieces and nephews. A Memorial Mass will be held at 11:00 a.m. on September 8, 2015 at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church in Lenoir City, TN. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Doctors Without Borders or

(see Obits ctd. pg. 5)

Public Notice

The Loudon County Governmental Affairs Committee will meet at the Annex September 8 at 5:30 to discuss updates to the Loudon County Policy and Procedures Handbook

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 County, was charged with
 burglary, and Theft of
 property. On 5/31/15
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 SO, was dispatched
 to Hwy 321 to a bur-
 row of a business.
 Deputy spoke with vic-
 tim who stated that the
 back door had been
 forced open. A 380 Ru-
 sian pistol was taken as

well as several tools.
 Est. total Value taken
 6100.00 dollars. In-
 vestigator Jason Smith
 LCSO, responded to
 the scene and took pho-
 tographs and dusted
 for prints. On 8/27/15
 Mitchell Brown was
 arrested for the theft. Inv.
 Jason Smith LCSO,
 made the arrest.

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of the mall and took a
 picture of the car they

drove away in—a red
 Mitsubishi Galant. The
 license plate was not
 visible, but investiga-
 tors noticed that the
 passenger-side mirror
 was missing.

Camacho spent the
 next five days going
 through every traffic
 ticket issued in the area
 involving Mitsubishi
 Galants. Cross-refer-
 encing any tickets to
 drivers with criminal

records, he found that
 Whitfield had recently
 been stopped by an of-
 ficer who noted in his
 report that there was
 another man in the car
 and that they had a
 number of new watches
 in the vehicle.

“Whitfield’s criminal
 record had a long his-
 tory of jewelry theft,”
 Camacho said. “We
 knew we were on the
 right track.” Task force

members conducted
 surveillance and saw
 that Whitfield’s car was
 missing a passenger-
 side mirror.

A search warrant was
 obtained, and when
 Whitfield’s house was
 searched and the pair
 was arrested, stolen
 jewelry from the rob-
 beries—much of it with
 price tags still on—was
 found in the residence.

“It was very satisfy-
 ing to get these guys off
 the street.” Camacho
 said. “They were dan-
 gerous individuals, and
 now they are no longer
 a threat to the commu-
 nity.”

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 Funeral Home Lenoir
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 rangements.

Ezekiel James
 “Zeke” Lineham, age
 23, of Loudon, passed
 away Friday, August
 28, 2015. Survived by
 father, Mark Lineham;
 brothers, Josh and Zac
 Lineham; sister, Misty
 Ryan; step sisters,
 Heather Robinson and
 Ashley Kerr; mother,
 Beth Lineham; grand-
 parents, Robert and
 Harriet Lineham; Carl
 (Bud) and Shirley
 Hicks; Rusty & Sandra
 Hawkins, Tim & Rob-
 in Jenkins, Jeff & Su-
 san Anderson, Jamie
 & Rachel Hawkins,
 Josh & Jessica Green,
 several Aunts, Uncles
 and many cousins.
 Funeral service will
 be 7:00 pm Monday,
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 Chapel with Rev. Lynn
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 Graveside service,
 (see Obits conc. pg. 8)

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Assault

Hwy 411 South Greenback, was charged with Domestic Assault.

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The victim was admitted for shortness of breath and a injury to her head which she described as a fall. Victim stated to the nurse that the man she lives with James Dockery had punished her by not taking her to dialysis. The RN noticed new and old injuries to victim including bruising to her face abdomen and neck.

These injuries were

consistent with being abused not falling. After an investigation it was learned that James did cause the injuries. James was placed under arrest. Deputy Kevin Dailey LCSO, made the arrest.

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Kids, families, daycares, scout groups, church groups, and businesses of all sizes are encouraged to enter the "Banks for Books" campaign, which transforms an ordinary 5 gallon water jug into a themed "piggy bank" and collects change. Prizes will be awarded for the most creative coin banks in four categories as well as for the banks that raise the most spare change.

Participants can register now through September 15 by visiting www.knoxlib.org/banksforbooks. Entry is only \$15, which sponsors one child for one year of books. Each participant will receive a 5 gallon jug provided by Culligan along with rules and instructions for the campaign.

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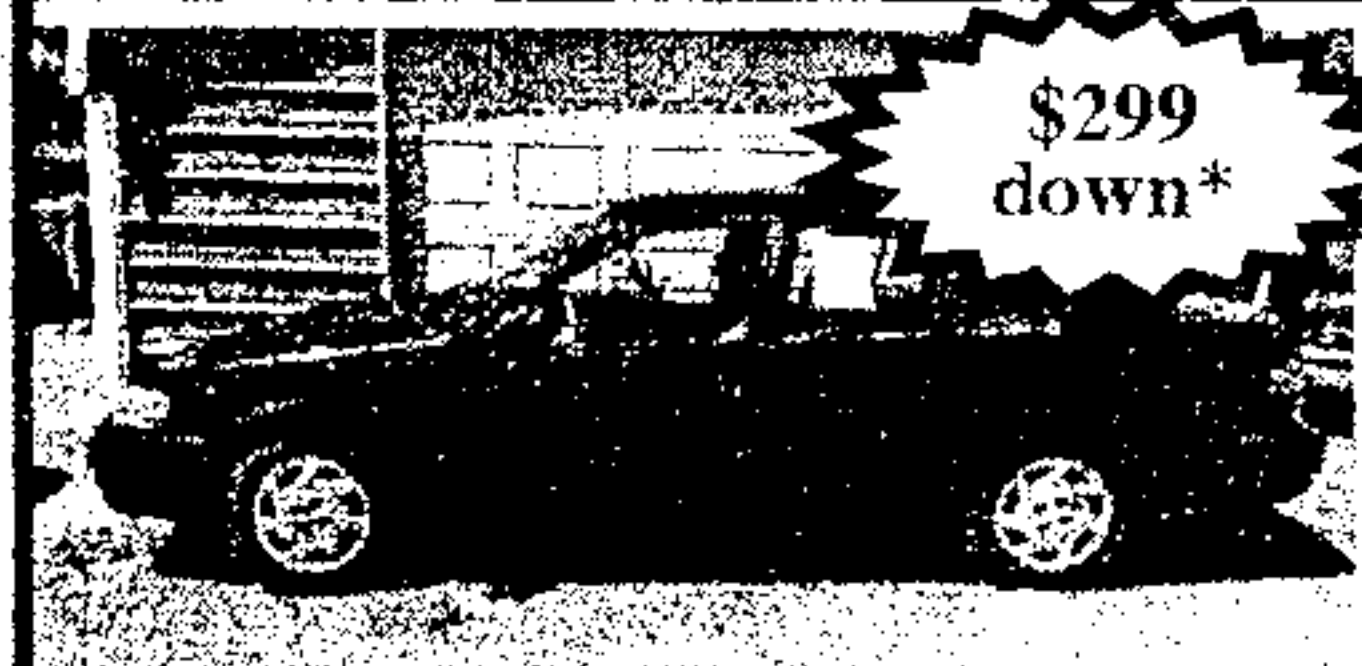
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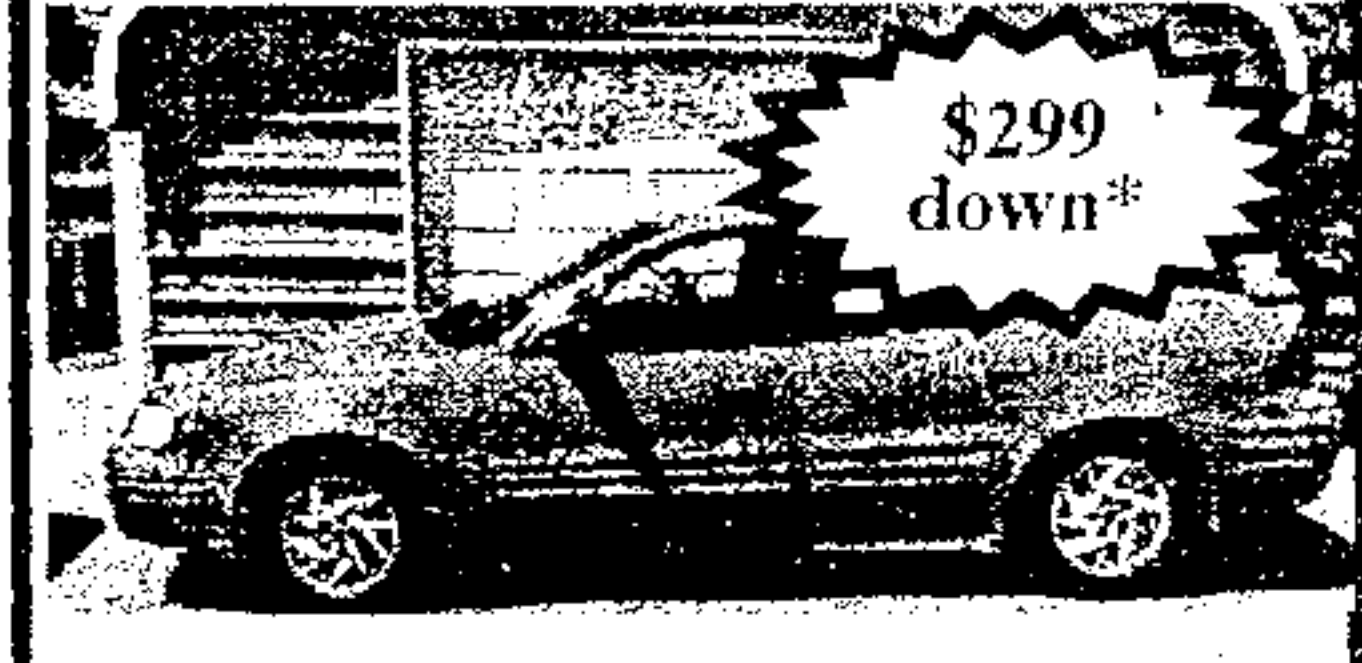
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11:00 am Tuesday, Loudon County Memorial Gardens with Rev. Tim Watson officiating. Family will receive friends 5:00 - 7:00 Monday. Loudon Funeral Home www.loudonfuneralhome.net.

Fred Wilburn Lane, 51 of Sweetwater, lost his battle with a long standing illness, August 29, 2015. Preceded in death by his father, Melvin Lane and brother, Ferdinand Lane. He is survived by his wife,

Deneise of Sweetwater; mother, Dorothy Lane of Philadelphia; children, Rocky and Kristin Palmer Lane and their sons, Houston and Landen, Brandi Lane and her son, Justice, all of Kingston; Matt and Megan Kamps and their children Kylee, Harley, Tucker and Ryley; Brandon and Sarah Kamps; and Mandy and Tommy Moore and their son, Patrick, all of

Sweetwater. Also survived by brothers and sisters, Freeman Lane of Philadelphia, Loretta and Keith Wilson and Michelle Spurgeon, all of Sweetwater and Regina Hunt of Madisonville. Fred will be missed by his many nieces, nephews, friends and extended family. A memorial service will be held Sunday, September 6, Whitestone Country Inn, Kingston,

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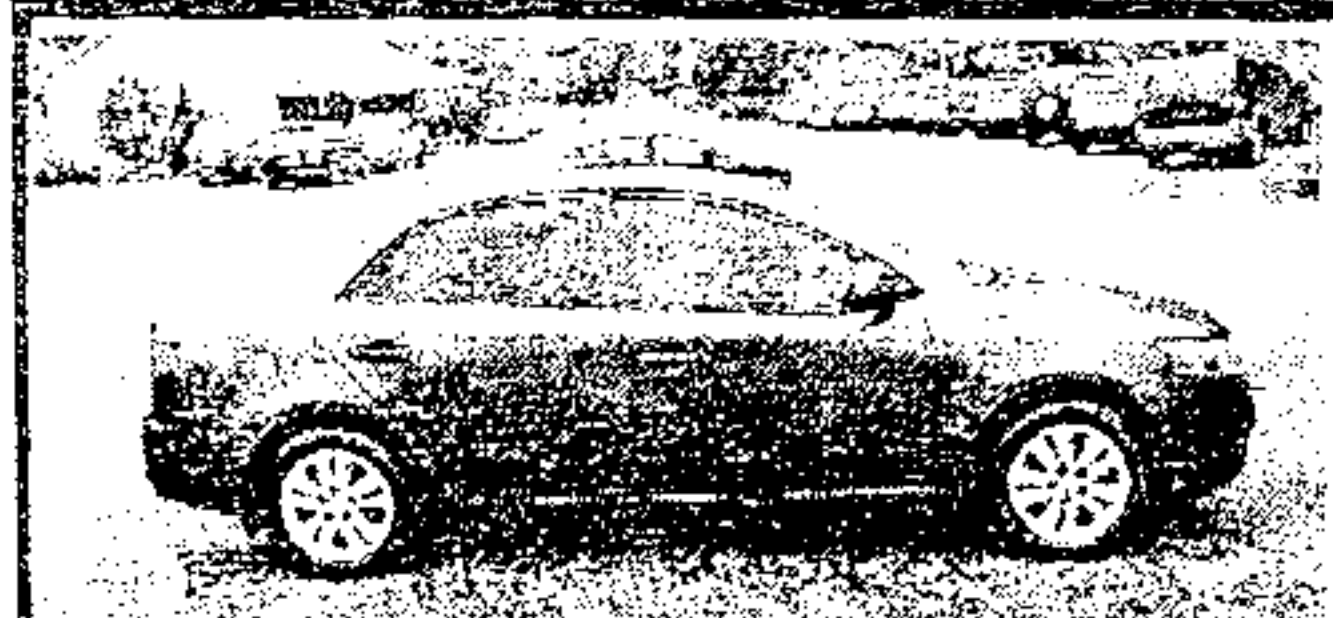
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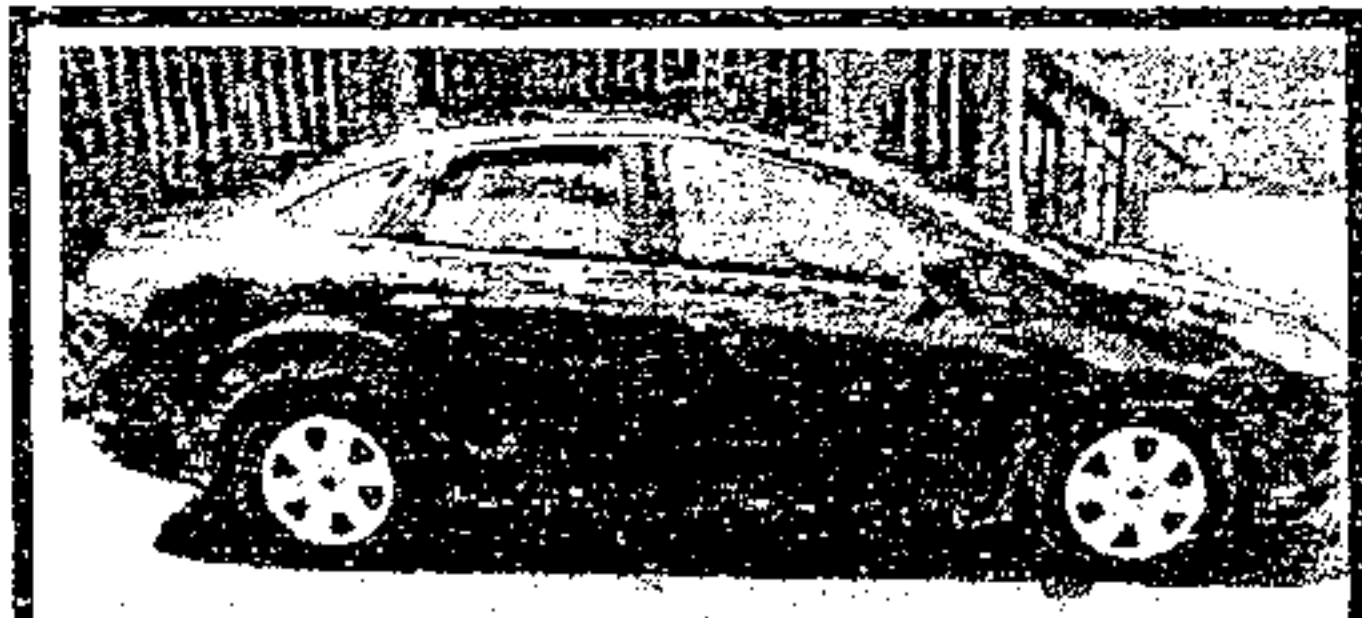
2006 Ford Expedition, Loaded, DVD Player, 105k miles



2013 Kia Forte, Nice, Clean, Only 57k Miles



2008 Rondo, 4dr, only 70k miles, Gas Saving Family Car



2012 Ford Focus, 5sp. GAS SAVER, only 88k miles



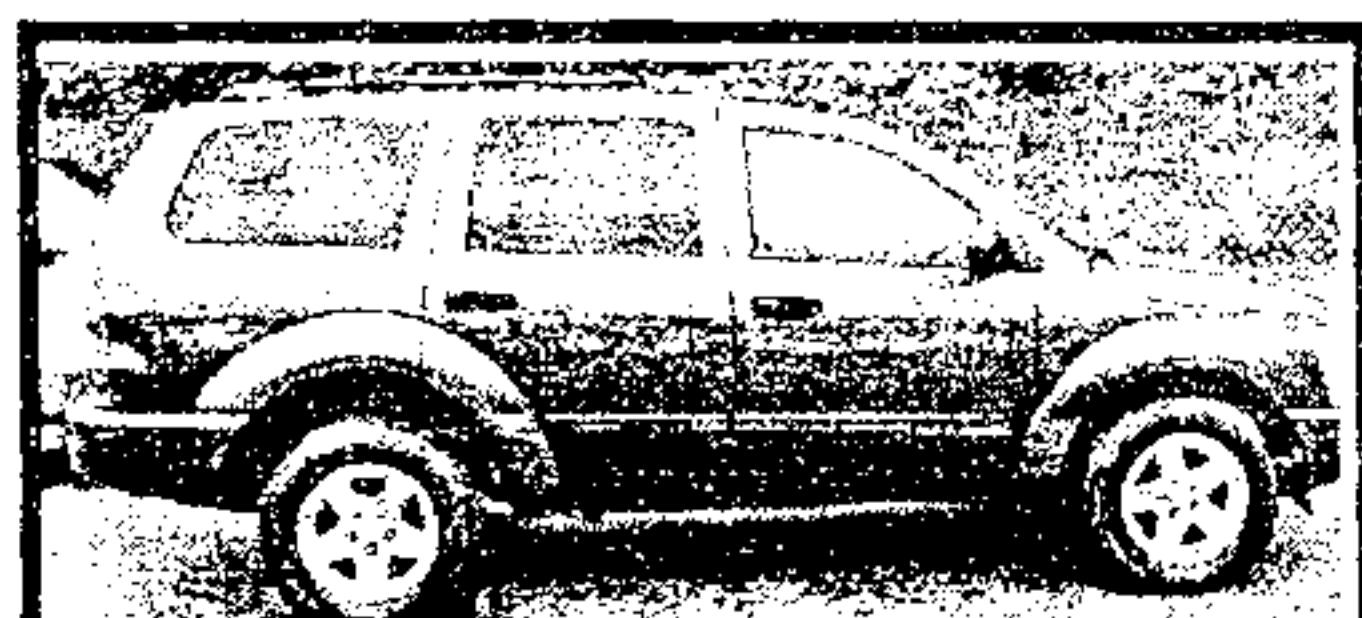
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