

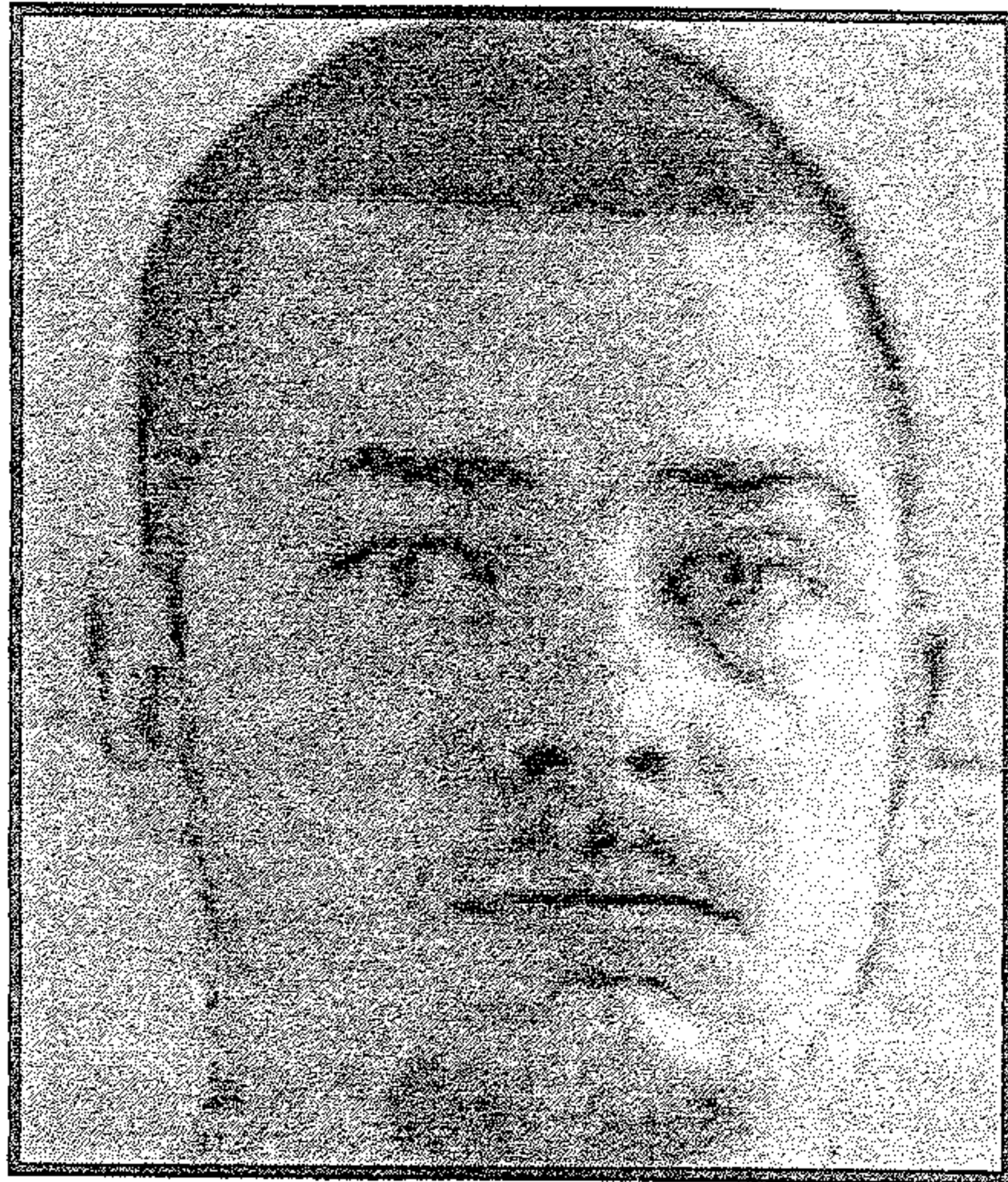
# The Daily Edition

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Monday, October 28, 2019

## Couple charged after attack with bat at Wendy's in LC



Matthew Bandy



Molly Lester

see Attack pg. 2

## Driver has to be boxed in on DUI stop



Melissa Bass

see DUI pg. 3

## Sex Offender Violates Registry



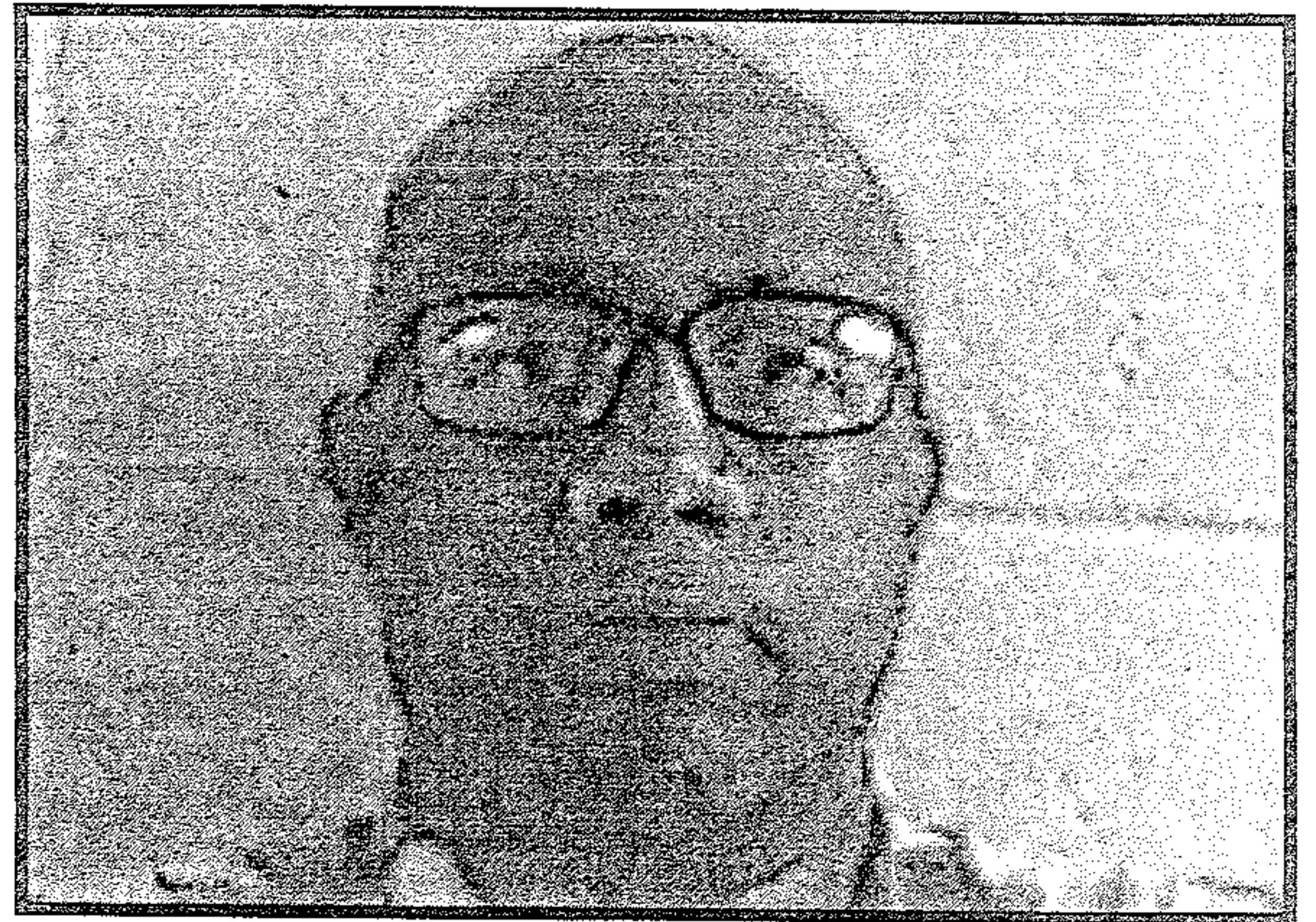
Katlynn Christian

see Violation pg. 3

## BonDeCroit Utility District Officials Received Extra Pay

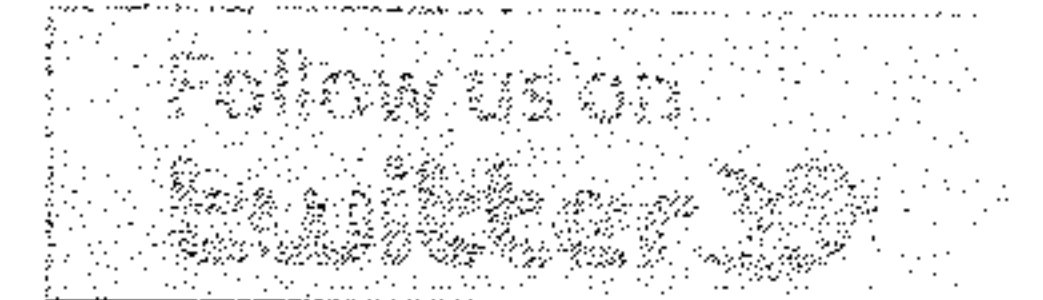
The Tennessee Comptroller's Office has released an investigation of BonDeCroit Utility District in White County, which provides water service to approximately 1,400 customers. The utility district has a policy permitting employees to cash in (request and see Pay pg. 4

## Child found in home of sex offender



William Goley

See Sex Offender P.3



### Verse of the Day

He who does what is sinful is of the devil, because the devil has been sinning from the beginning. The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the devil's

work.

—1 John 3:8

### Wazzup

It's Halloween Week so be sure to watch for early and late trick or treaters all this week. Some will be out on

Thursday and some will be out on the weekend so be safe!

### Weather

Today: Sunny and cool. High of 74F. Tonight: Clear. Low of 45F.

Tuesday: Partly cloudy. High of 75F Tuesday night: overcast. Low of 48F

### Horoscopes

Scorpio 10/23-11/21 Motivating a community-driven effort for

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**Attack**

Matthew Bandy, 31, Branch Road Loudon, was charged with Vandalism, and Aggravated Assault x2.

Molly Lester, 28, Greenway Drive Lenoir City, was charged with Aggravated Assault.

Officer A. Lee LCPD, was dispatched to Wendy's in reference to vandalism and aggravated assault. Upon arrival Of-

ficer made contact with the victims. Both victims advised they observed a car pull up next to them in an abrupt manner and looked over to see what was happening. When doing so the offenders Matthew Bandy and Molly Lester began to ask what they were looking at in an aggressive manner. The subjects began arguing and Molly grabbed a baseball bat from her vehicle and began to threaten victims. Victim stated Mat-

thew grabbed the bat and came towards them. Matthew then struck the vehicle multiple times causing damage to the vehicle. The owner of the vehicle was not present but contact was made with the owner

and option explained. The manager stated Molly and Matthew was upset due to a delay in receiving their order. The manager ask then to drive around and

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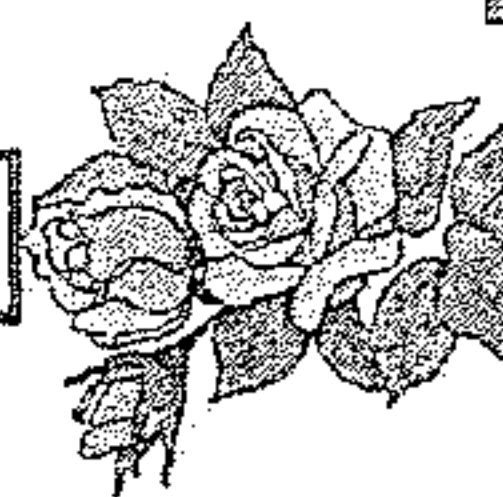
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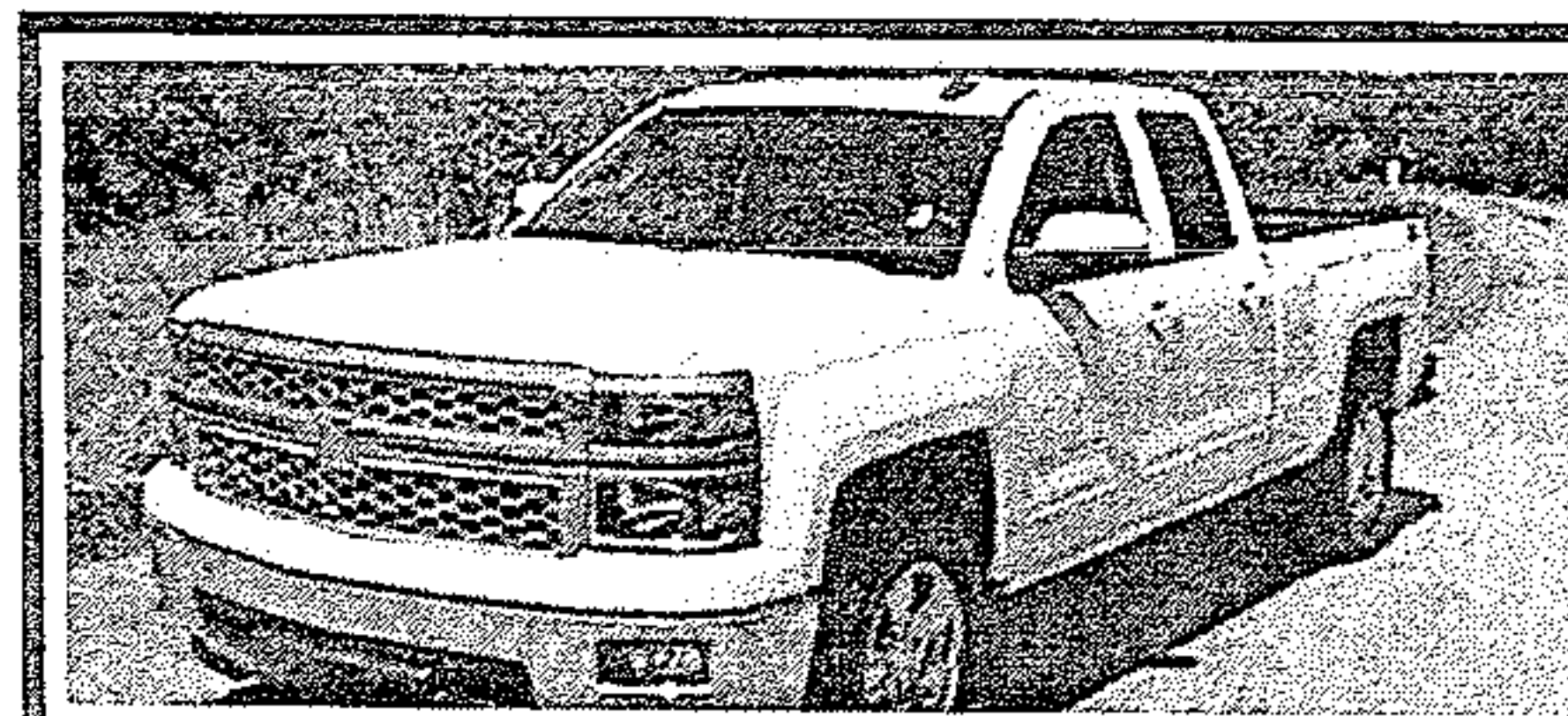
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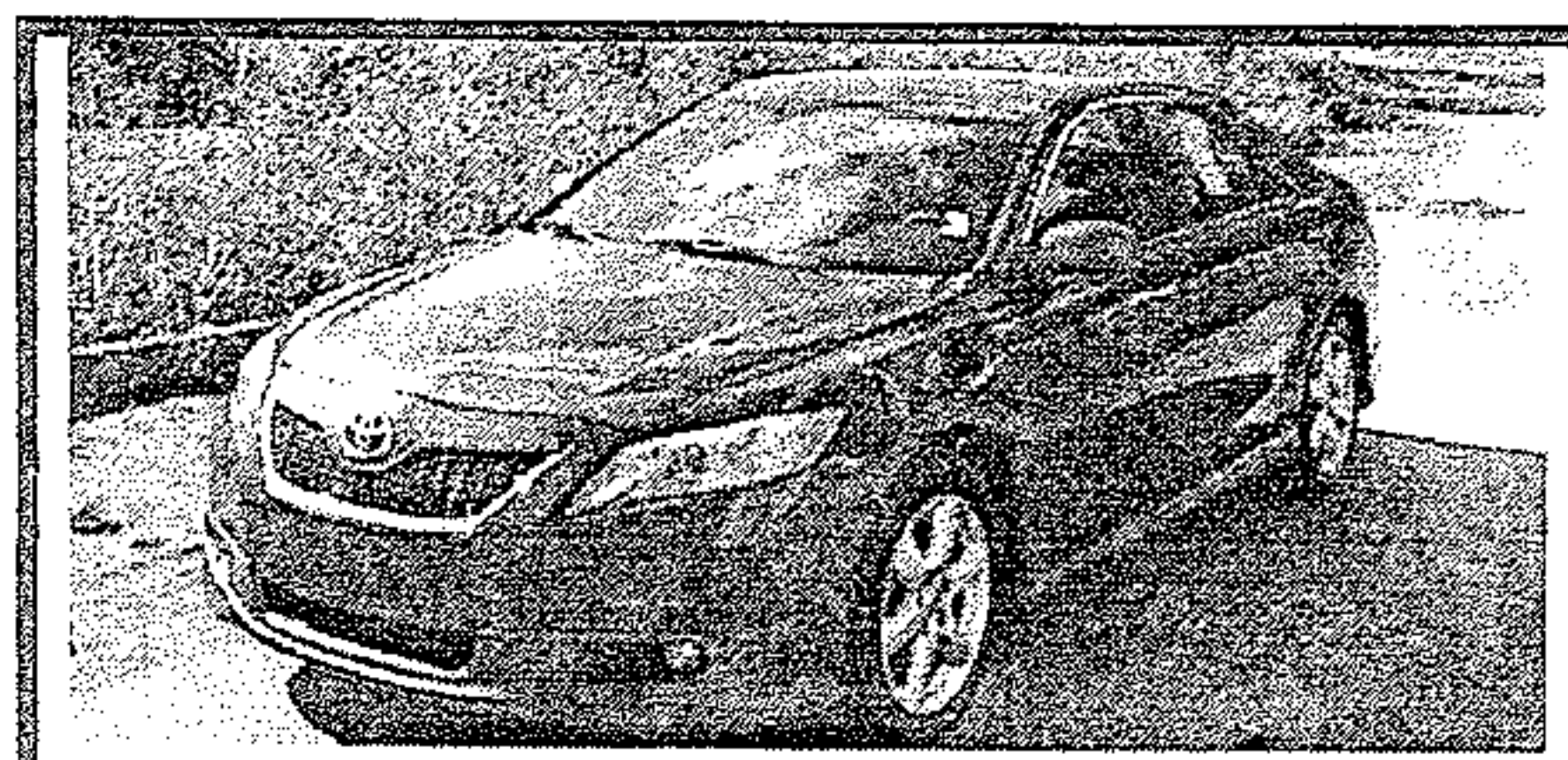
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## DUI

Melissa Bass, 38, Destiny Way Knoxville, was charged with DUI, and Driving on Revoked/Suspended License. Deputy J. Ketner LCSO, observed a blue vehicle with a drive out tag traveling south on I-75 near the 75 mm. Deputy Ketner advised dispatch and Cpl. C. Jenkins that he observed the vehicle driving erratic, all over the road and the driver was possibly intoxicated. Ketner activated his siren and the vehicle still did not stop. The vehicle continued to the 72 mm where LPD got in behind the vehicle with lights and sirens with Deputy Ketner in front of the vehicle with lights and sirens the vehicle still refused to stop. Cpl. Jenkins made contact with the vehicle at the off ramp of the 68 mm and the vehicle was boxed in to make the vehicle stop in the fast lane of I-75. The driver was removed from the vehicle and the vehicle was moved to the shoulder to open the interstate. Deputy made

contact with the driver identified as Melissa Bass who was very unsteady on her feet, slurred speech, and dilated pupils. Bass did not know the current location of where she was at, the month it was, and could not recite the alphabet. Bass almost fell trying to perform sobriety test the test was stopped for the safety of Bass. Melissa Bass was placed under arrest.

## Attack ctd from P. 2

he would bring their food out. The manager went back in and observed Matthew striking the vehicle. Molly Lester, and Matthew Bandy were placed under arrest.

## Violation

Brian Williams, 18, Homeless, was charged with Violation of Sex Offender Registry. Deputy B. Gentry LCSO, transported Brian Williams from Blount County Jail to the Loudon County Jail. Deputy Dallas Hilton LCSO, served Brian Williams with an active Violation of Sex Offender Registry Warrant.

## Sex Offender

William Goley, 46, Shaw Ferry Road Lenoir City, was charged with Violation of Sex Offender Registry. Investigator Marty Stanley LCSO, The 9th JDTF was assisting Officer from the TN. Dept. of Correction Probation and Parole Division with sex offender registry compliance checks. Officer went to Shaw Ferry Road to check the com-

pliance of William Goley. When Officer arrived Goley allowed Officer into the residence where Probation and Parole noticed a 1 year old in the residence. In accordance with the rules of Goley's sex offender registry status Goley is not allowed to be present where a minor child is at unless the child is Goley biological child. The child was not Goley's child. William Goley was placed under arrest.

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**Pay**

receive payment for) unused vacation and sick leave.

Investigators determined the District General Manager and District Field Supervisor did not report and record when they used vacation leave. This created inflated leave balances, which caused the manager and supervisor to receive compensation they were not due when cashing in their vacation days.

Additionally, the district supervisor cashed in sick leave in excess of the 12 days allowed annually by policy. The supervisor exceeded 12 days in three of the four years reviewed, including one year in which he cashed in 30 days.

The BonDeCroft Utility District board of commissioners relieved the manager of his position at the close of business on October 11, 2019. The supervisor was placed on a 90-day disciplinary probation effective October 9, 2019.

“Utility district commissioners must take their oversight role

very seriously,” said Comptroller Justin P. Wilson. “Commissioners should periodically review payroll records and bank statements to ensure accountability. A few checks and balances can help identify problems and lead to quicker resolutions.”

The results of this investigation have been shared with the office of the District Attorney General of the 13th Judicial District.

To view the investigative report, go to: <https://comptroller.tn.gov/office-functions/investigations/find.html>

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**IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR LOUDON COUNTY, TENNESSEE**

Regarding the Estate of: WILLIAM L. MORGAN, deceased DKT# 5975

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

(As required by Chapter No 171, Public Acts of Tennessee 1939 As Amended by Public Chapter 886 on 05/09/2012)

Notice is hereby given that on the 24TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2019 Letters of Testamentary in respect of the estate of WILLIAM L. MORGAN who died on the 20TH day of AUGUST 2019 be issued to the undersigned by the Loudon County Probate Court of Loudon County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and nonresident, having claims, matured or unmatured against the estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the above named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claim will be forever barred:

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- (2) Twelve (12) months from the decedent’s date of death.

THIS THE 24TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2019

Steve Harrelson, Clerk  
BY: Robyn Shannon, Deputy Clerk

By Personal Representative(s)  
MOZELLE T. MORGAN

**Notice to Creditors:**

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run date: 10/28/19 and 11/4/19

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

(As required by Chapter No 175, Public Acts of Tennessee 1939 As Amended by Public Chapter 862 on 05/09/2012)

**IN REGARDS TO THE ESTATE OF: DOCKET NO: 5972**

EDDIE L. LETTERMAN, deceased, a resident of Loudon County, TN

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This the 21ST DAY OF OCTOBER 2019

STEVE HARRELSON, CLERK  
BY: Robyn Shannon, Deputy Clerk

By Personal Representative(s)  
DOROTHY LAWHON

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**Tennessee's Education Transformation**

A May 2018 report from Education Next gave Tennessee an "A" for the state's academic standards, noting that the TNReady assessment is rigorous and provides feedback similar to the National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP). The report also noted that Tennessee, which received an "F" for its standards in 2009, was the state with the greatest improvement in closing the "honesty gap" between state assessments and national benchmarks. Another 2018 report from Achieve notes that Tennessee was among the top seven states in eliminating the honesty gap and the gap was narrowed in every content area and grade in Tennessee. Tennessee first committed to raising its education standards in 2007 after receiving an "F" from the U.S. Chamber of Commerce for low academic expectations and for truth in advertising on K-12 education. Under current Tennessee Governor Bill Haslam, Tennessee implemented new academic standards and launched a new assessment known as TNReady. The studies released in 2018, which both praise Tennessee's new standards and assessment, are the first in which the state was evaluated on the new TNReady assessment for all citizens and The state's relentless

**IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR LOUDON COUNTY, TENNESSEE**

Regarding the Estate of:  
DONALD J. SPAETH, deceased  
DKT# 5974

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

(As required by Chapter No 171, Public Acts of Tennessee 1939 As Amended by Public Chapter 886 on 05/09/2012)

Notice is hereby given that on the 24TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2019 Letters of Testamentary in respect of the estate of DONALD J. SPAETH who died on the 9TH day of MAY 2019 be issued to the undersigned by the Loudon County Probate Court of Loudon County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and nonresident, having claims, matured or unmatured against the estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the above named court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claim will be forever barred:

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By Personal Representative(s)  
JEANNE G. SPAETH

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focus on education means increasing student achievement at the K-12 level and ensuring that every student is prepared and able to attend college. Through the Tennessee Promise scholarship program, all high school graduates in Tennessee can attend a community or technical college tuition-free. Tennessee Promise is part of Governor Haslam's Drive to 55, a challenge to get 55 percent of Tennesseans to hold a degree or credential by the year 2025 to meet future workforce demands.

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