

Daily Edition

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Friday, October 30, 2020

Heroin Found On Speeding Driver; LCSO Makes Stop

Zachary Batsford, 27, Flanders Road Knoxville, was charged with Man/Sell/Del/Resale Sch. I, Poss. Of Drug Para., and Speeding 21 MPH over the Limit. Deputy Lane LCSO, observed a green GMC traveling at a high speed and broke the center line while passing by. Deputy paced the vehicle traveling 65 MPH in a 45 MPH zone. Upon

see Heroin pg. 2



Zachary Batsford

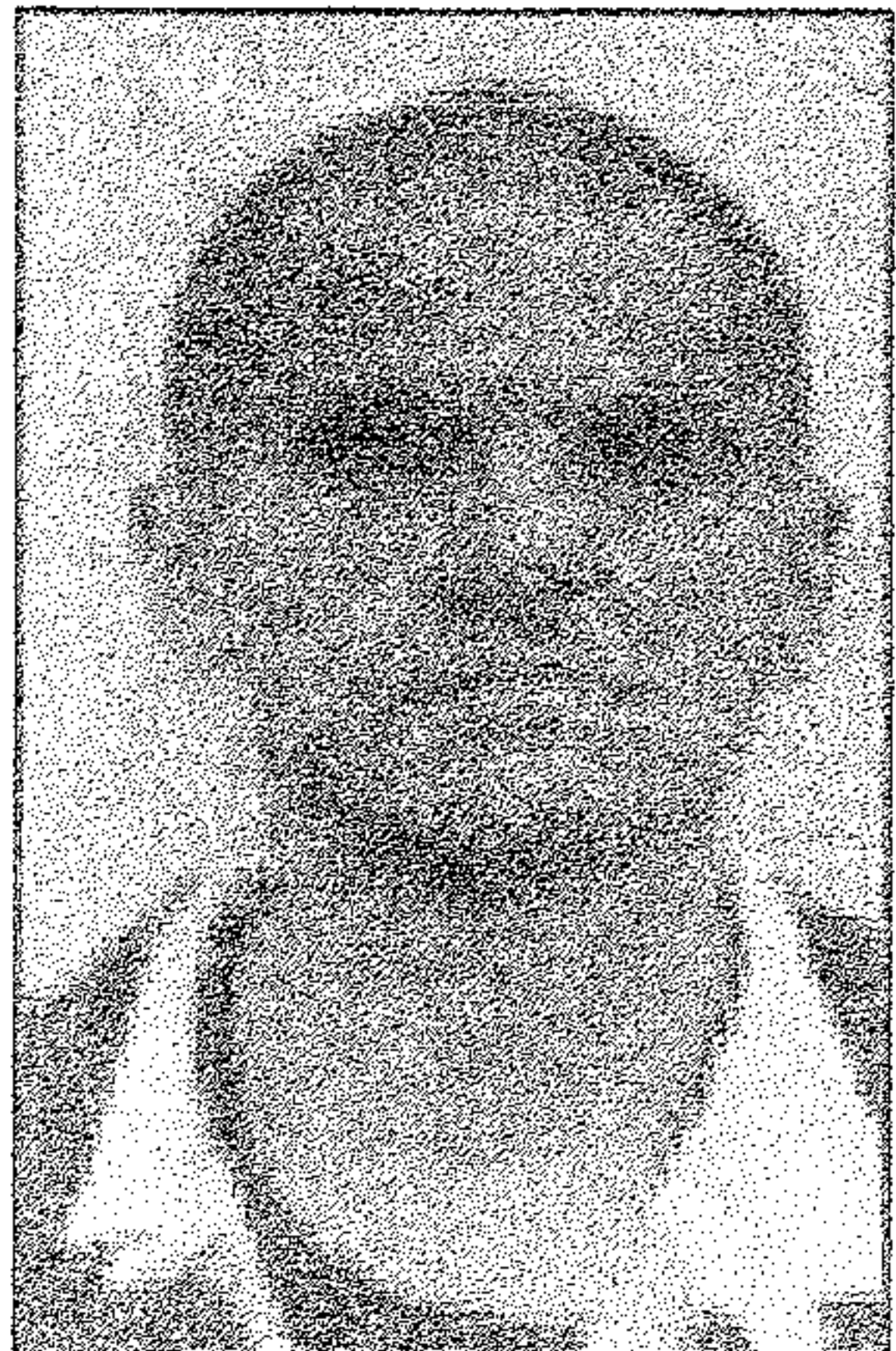
Gun, Meth, Heroin, Pills and More Found Following 9th DTF Drug Bust



Mary Arden

see 9th DTF pg. 5

Two Charged Following LPD Traffic Stop



Thomas Ingram



Whitney Lynn
see LPD pg. 7

Federal Unemployment Benefits May End Soon for Many Claimants

Claimants Nearing Maximum Weeks for Benefits and Ending Date for CARES Act Programs

Many Tennesseans currently receiving unemployment benefits through programs funded by the CARES Act could be nearing the end of their weekly payments. The last day to claim benefits through these federal programs is December 26, 2020. According to federal program

rules, many claimants could see their benefits stop before that date if they reach the maximum number of allowable weeks.

The state of Tennessee currently provides unemployment benefits through four separate programs, two of which are new federal programs re-

ceive created under the CARES Act.

Tennessee Unemployment Compensation (TUC) – This state program provides benefits to eligible claimants having the required amount of wages earned from

see Unemployment pg. 4

Verse of the Day

How much more severely do you think a man deserves to be punished who has trampled the Son of God under foot, who has treated as an unholy thing the blood of the covenant that sanctified him, and who has insulted the Spirit of grace? —Hebrews 10:29

Wazzup

If you need Grooming for your pet at the Eaton Crossroads area try Ruff's Pets on Hwy 321 and Downtown Lenoir City try Doggie Day Care and Grooming both great places and Babygirl Approved!!!

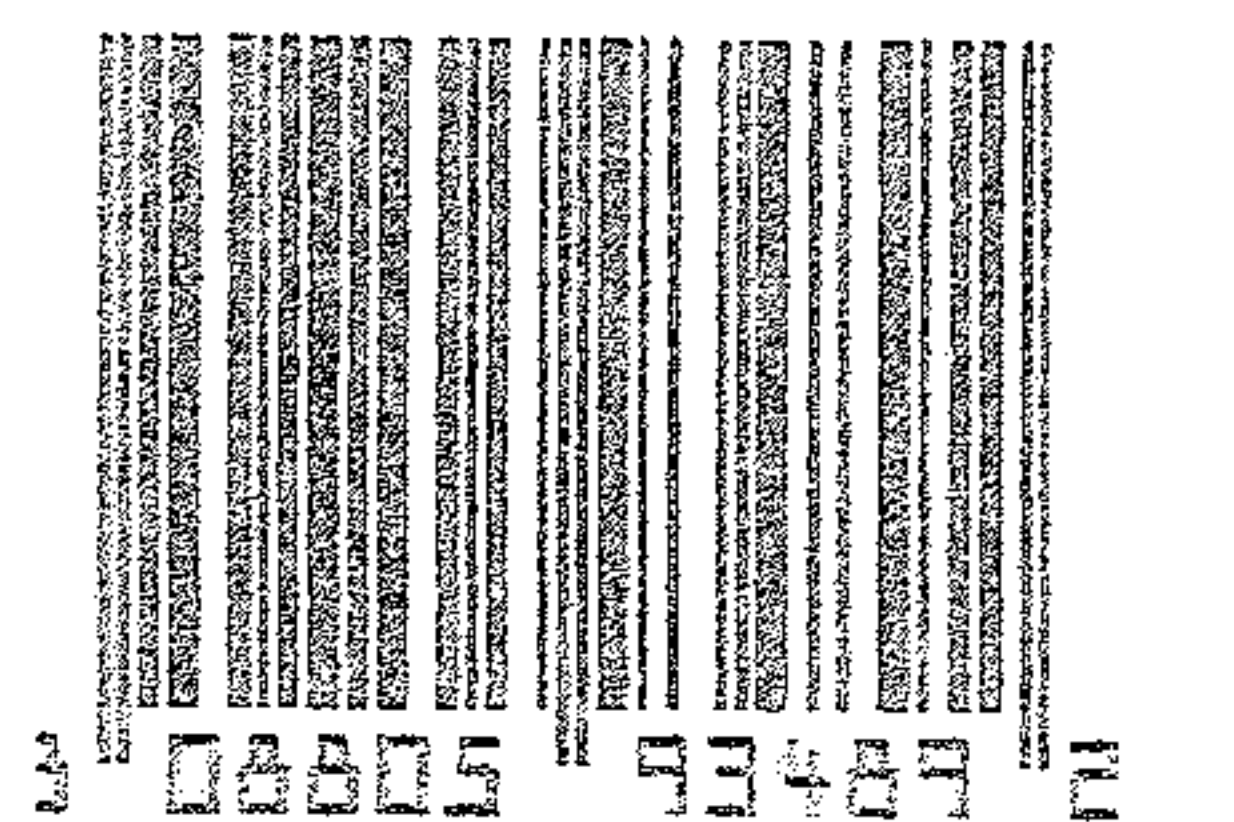
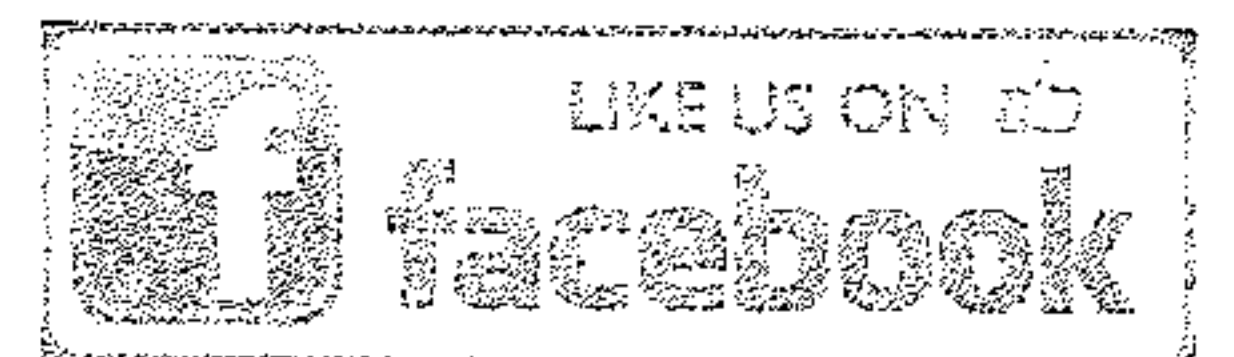
Weather

Today: clear. High of 56F.
Tonight: Clear. Low of 46F.
Friday: clear. High of 63F.
Friday night: Clear. Low of 40F.
Saturday: Clear. High of 62F.
Saturday night: Clear. Low of 43F.

Sunday: clear. High of 51F.
Sunday night: clear. Low of 33F.

Horoscope

Scorpio 10/23-11/21
A new opportunity could come your way today, Scorpio.



IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR LOUDON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Regarding the Estate of: Arthur Metzger, deceased DKT# 6195

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

(As required by Chapter No 180, Public Acts of Tennessee 1809 As Amended by Public Chapter 806 on 05/09/2012)

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th DAY OF OCTOBER 2020 Letters of Testamentary in respect of the estate of Arthur Metzger who died on the 22nd day of SEPTEMBER 2020 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 abovenamed court on or before the earlier of the dates prescribed in (1) or (2) otherwise their claim will be forever barred:

(1) (A) Four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting, as the case may be) of this notice if the creditor received an actual copy of this notice to creditors at least sixty (60) days before the date that is four (4) months from the date of the first publication (or posting); or

(B) Sixty (60) days from the date the creditor received an actual copy of the notice to creditors if the creditor received the copy of the notice less than sixty (60) days prior to the date that is four (4) months from the date of first publication (or posting) as described in (1) (A); or

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

THIS THE 20th DAY OF OCTOBER 2020

Steve Harrelson, Clerk BY: Robyn Shannon, Deputy Clerk Penny Glasgow, Chief Deputy Clerk

By Personal Representative(s) Annemarie Jane Spain

Notice to Creditors:

All Claims must be submitted on a claim form, notarized with invoices/statements; in triplicate, with a fee of \$11.00 to Loudon County Probate Court, 12680 Highway 11 West Ste. 3, Lenoir City, TN 37971

publication dates October 23, 2020 and October 30, 2020

IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR LOUDON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Regarding the Estate of: John David Harrell, deceased DKT# 6186

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

(As required by Chapter No 172, Public Acts of Tennessee 1729 As Amended by Public Chapter 726 on 05/09/2012)

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th DAY OF OCTOBER 2020 Letters of Testamentary in respect of the estate of John David Harrell who died on the 10th day of SEPTEMBER 2020 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 abovenamed 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) Richard D. Harrell

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Heroin

the traffic stop, Deputy made contact with Zachary Batsford, the offender. Mr. Batsford was extremely nervous and sweating heavily. When asked to step out of the vehicle the offender placed a handbag on top of the vehicle, when Deputy asked what was in the bag he stated he just bought Heroin and it was in the bag. After further investigation, Deputy located

approximately 1 gram total of Heroin in 8 different baggies also 4 grams of Marijuana in the offender's bag. Also in the vehicle, Deputy located numerous syringes and two scales. Mr. Batsford was placed into custody and charged with Possession of a schedule I substance, and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, he was also cited for Speeding. The said did occur in Loudon County TN.

Public Notice

The Loudon County Capital Projects Committee will meet November 2, 2020 at 4:00 PM at the Loudon County Office Building.

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Tennessee Department of Health Announces Funding Opportunities for Nursing Home Visitation, Communication Aids

The Tennessee Department of Health encourages Tennessee nursing homes to apply for funding for aids to facilitate in-person visitation in compliance with COVID-19 safety guidelines. TDH recognizes the difficult challenges long-term care facilities have faced in protecting vulnerable residents during the COVID-19 response and developed Tennessee

Long Term Care Facility Guidance to reunite these residents and their families in

a safe and disciplined manner.

"We remain committed to our comprehensive and diligent efforts to protect the health and safety of our nursing home residents, and we're pleased to offer this opportunity to support facilities in preventing COVID-19 transmission during in-person visitation," said Tennessee Health Commissioner Dr. Lisa Piercey, MD, MBA, FAAP.

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services allows use of Civil Money Penalty Reinvestment funds to provide nursing homes with in-person visitation aids. Funding is strictly for in-person visitation, which includes purchase and/or

rental of tents or other shelter for outdoor visitation, and/or clear dividers to create a physical barrier to reduce the risk of COVID-19 transmission during in-person visits. The maximum funding request is \$3,000 per nursing home, which can include installation, materials and shipping costs.

The TDH CMP Program is also accepting applications for COVID-19 communication technology funding to provide nursing home residents with adaptive technologies and accessories. Devices purchased through this funding support telehealth and virtual visitation. The maximum request of this funding is \$3,000 per

nursing home; however, requests for funding exceptions can be considered in certain circumstances, such as a facility with a large resident population. Nursing homes are eligible to apply for both COVID-19 funding opportunities through the CMP Program.

The CMP program offers opportunities for organizations to submit proposals for projects that will improve health outcomes and quality of care for Tennessee's nursing home residents. Applications are due November 6, 2020. Applications and other information including sample contracts are available online at www.tn.gov/health/funding-opportunities.html. For more infor-

mation contact Tennessee Nursing Home CMP Reinvestment Program Director Shaquallah Shanks at Shaquallah.Shanks@tn.gov or Assistant Director Kristyn Long at Kristyn.Long@tn.gov.

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Unemployment

a covered Tennessee employer in the applicable base period. Employers pay the premiums that fund the program and individuals earn eligibility through a wage-earning work history. This program provides a maximum of 26 weeks of benefits during the claimant's benefit year.

Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) – This CARES Act program provides benefits to eligible claimants not having wages earned from a covered Tennessee employer and who are not working due to the COVID-19 pandemic. PUA is available to workers not traditionally covered by unemployment insurance, including self-employed individuals, contract workers, and gig workers. An individual out of work due to a cov-

ered COVID-19 qualifying event could also be eligible for PUA. This program lasts for up to a maximum of 39 weeks and PUA claimants are not eligible for any extended benefits programs. Per current federal law, this program ends on December 26, 2020.

Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation (PEUC) – This CARES Act program provides eligible claimants up to an additional 13 weeks of unemployment after exhausting benefits in the TUC program. Per current federal law, this program ends on December 26, 2020.

Extended Benefits (EB) – This federal program provides eligible claimants up to 13 weeks of additional unemployment after exhausting benefits in both the TUC and PEUC programs. The U.S. Dept. of Labor (USDOL)

can end Tennessee's EB program with little notice to the state or claimants.

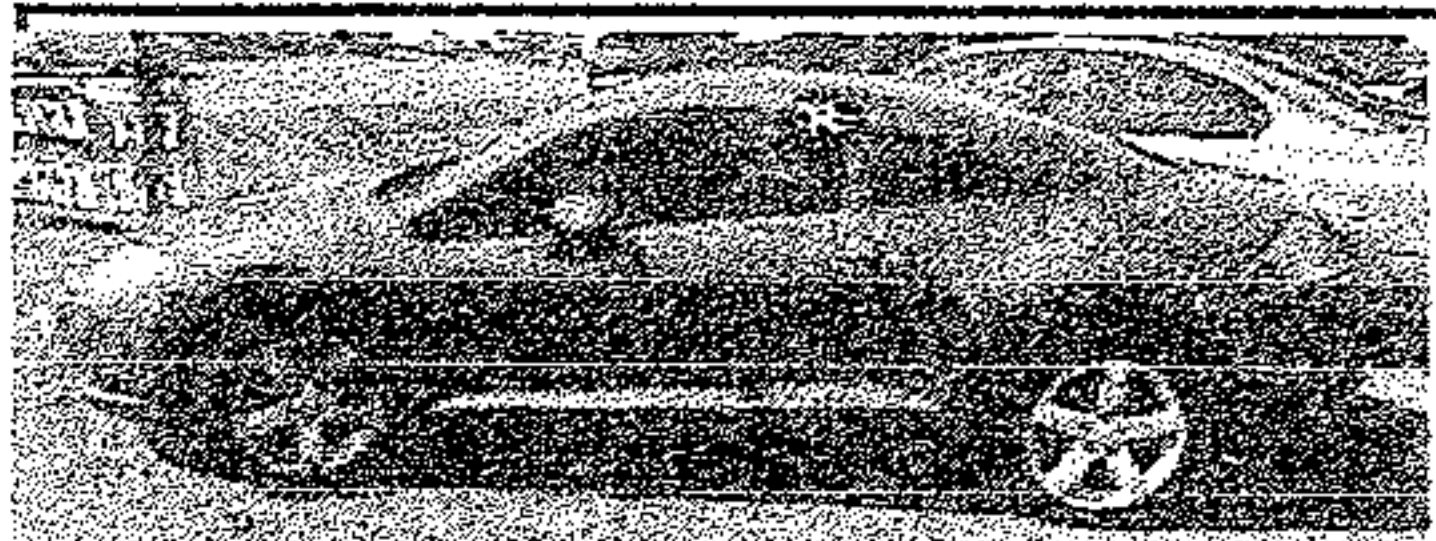
Under the CARES Act, claimants who began receiving benefits through the PUA program early in its inception will begin reaching the maximum 39 weeks of payments in the coming weeks. All PUA claimants

will receive benefits only through December 26, 2020. The state encourages claimants to continue searching for work so they can secure employment before their benefits end. Once a claimant exhausts benefits on the PUA program, they are not eligible for any other unemployment program.

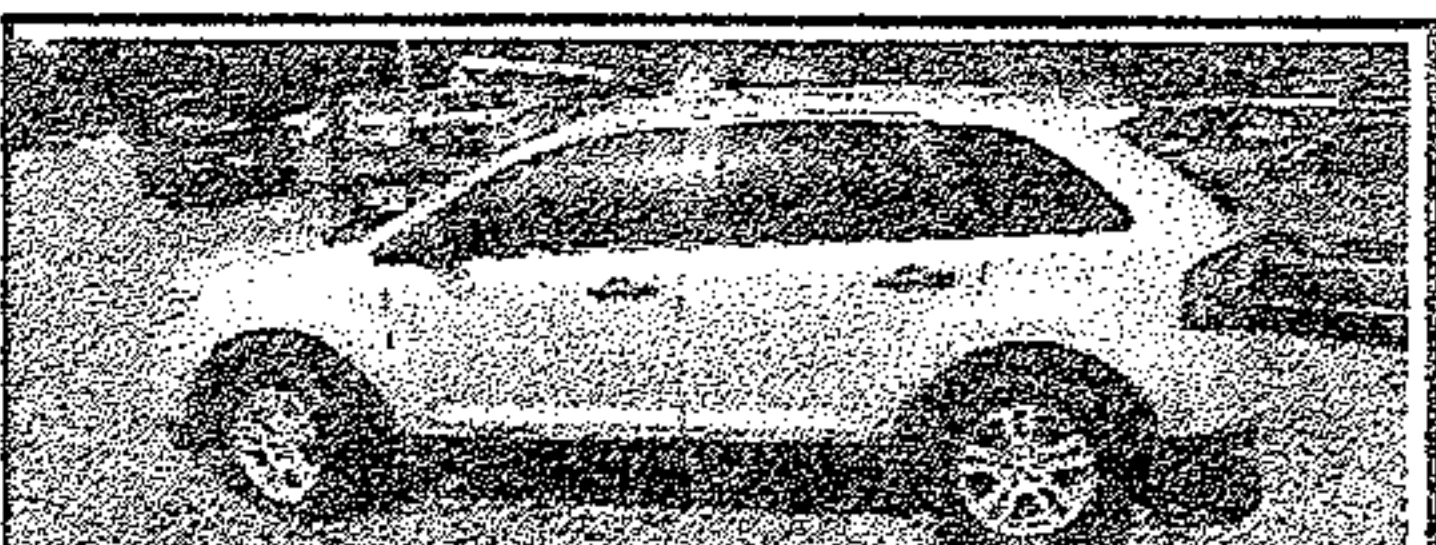
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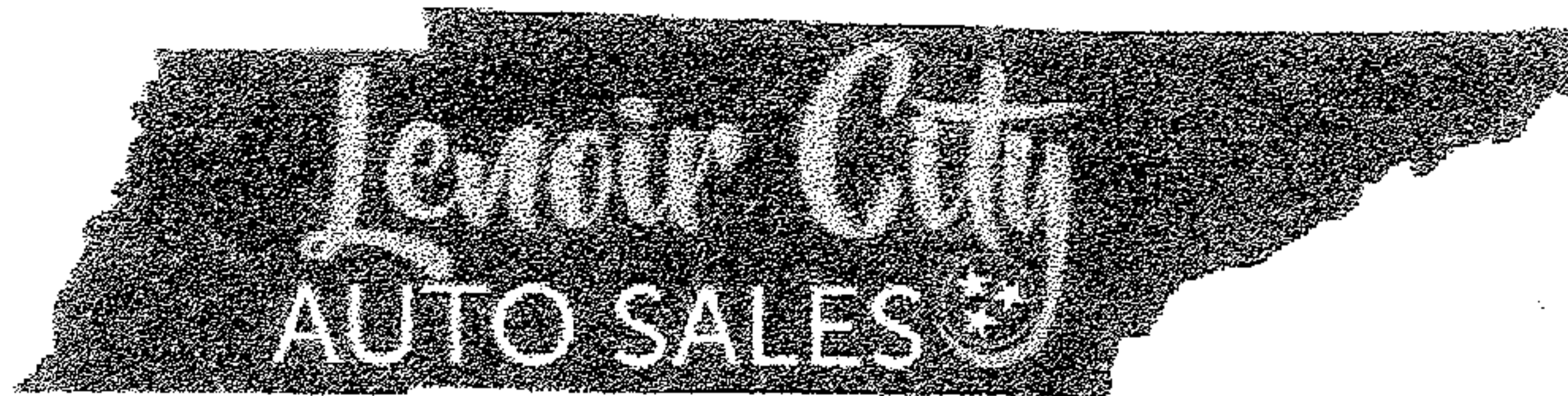


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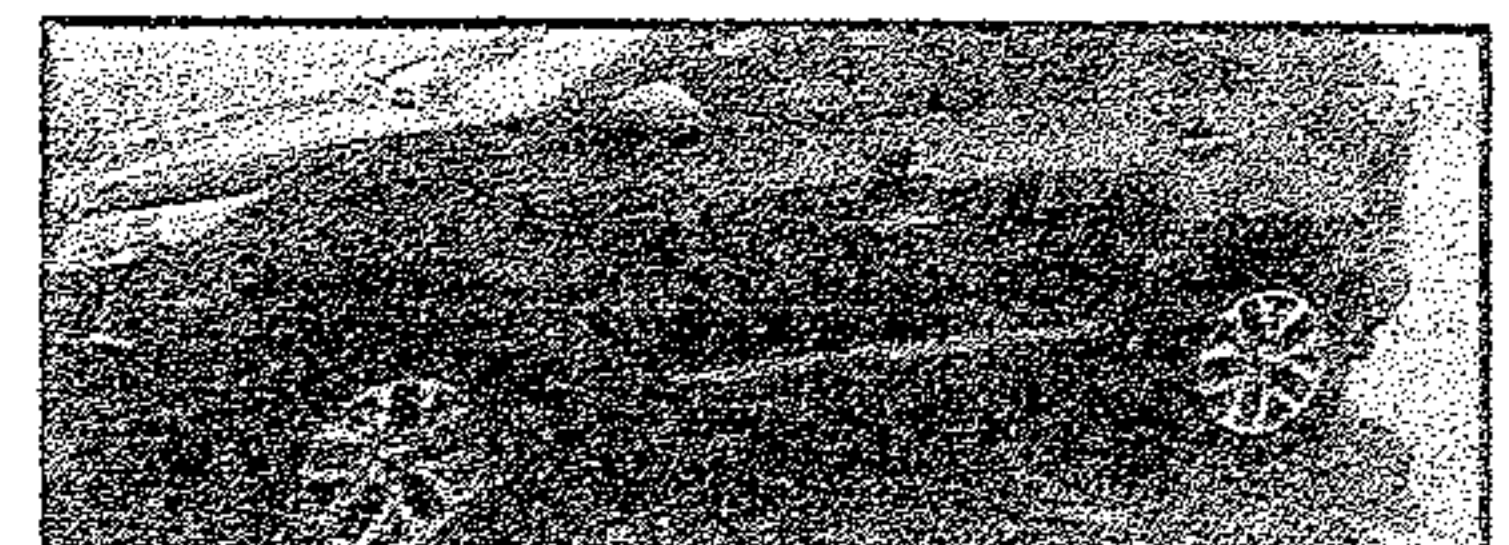


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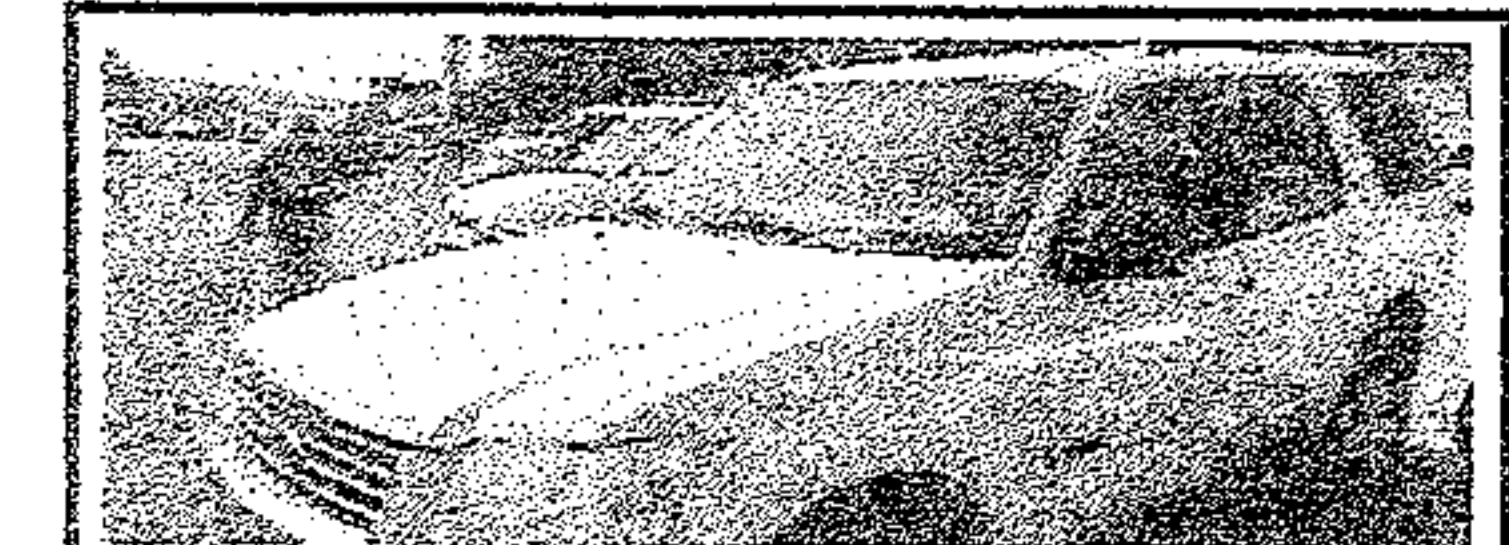


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9th DTF

Mary Arden, 50, N E Street Lenoir City, was charged with Simple Possession x9.

According to the report, Agent Fritts and other Agents with the 9th Judicial Drug Task Force executed a narcotics search warrant at N E Street, Lenoir City. Upon entering the residence Mary Arden was located in the living room sitting in a recliner. Arden was read her rights and agreed to speak with Agent. Arden stated that she uses Methamphetamine

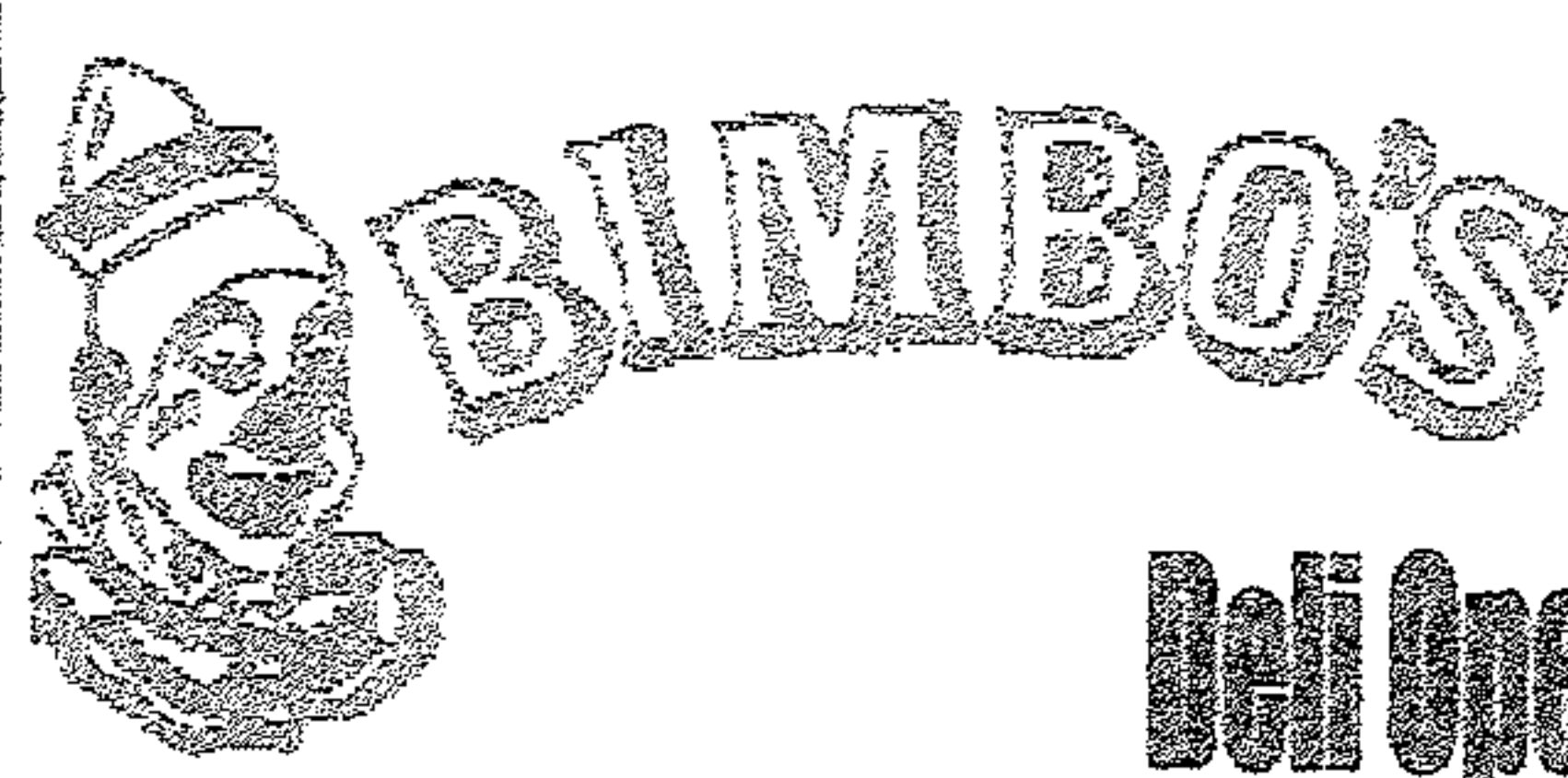
and pills. Arden stated that there would be drugs in a multi colored bag beside the recliner that she was sitting in. Found beside the recliner that Arden was sitting in was a multi-colored bag with Methamphetamine (6.6 g), Heroin (5.2 g), Marijuana (1 g), (2) N8- 8 mg Suboxone, (1) CL022- Carisoprodol, (6) G3722- 2 mg Alprazolam, (5) 8^ 8 mg Buprenorphine, (1) teva 3927- 10 mg Diazepam, (3) blue C1- 1 mg Clonazepam, (7) 153

moon- 8 mg Buprenorphine, (2) teva 832- .5 Clonazepam, (3) M15- 15 mg Oxycodone, (2) Pink K-15- 10 mg Oxycodone, and (5) Mylan A4- 2 mg Alprazolam. Also located beside the recliner was a loaded High point 9 mm with an extra bag, scales, pipes, baggies,

syringes, and 1028.00. Found in Arden's bedroom was a container of Marijuana (2.0 g (safe), 281.00 (safe), (10) THC Marijuana cartridges (clock), Shotgun, scales, and syringes. Mary Arden was taken into custody and transported to the Loudon County Jail.

Request for Bids

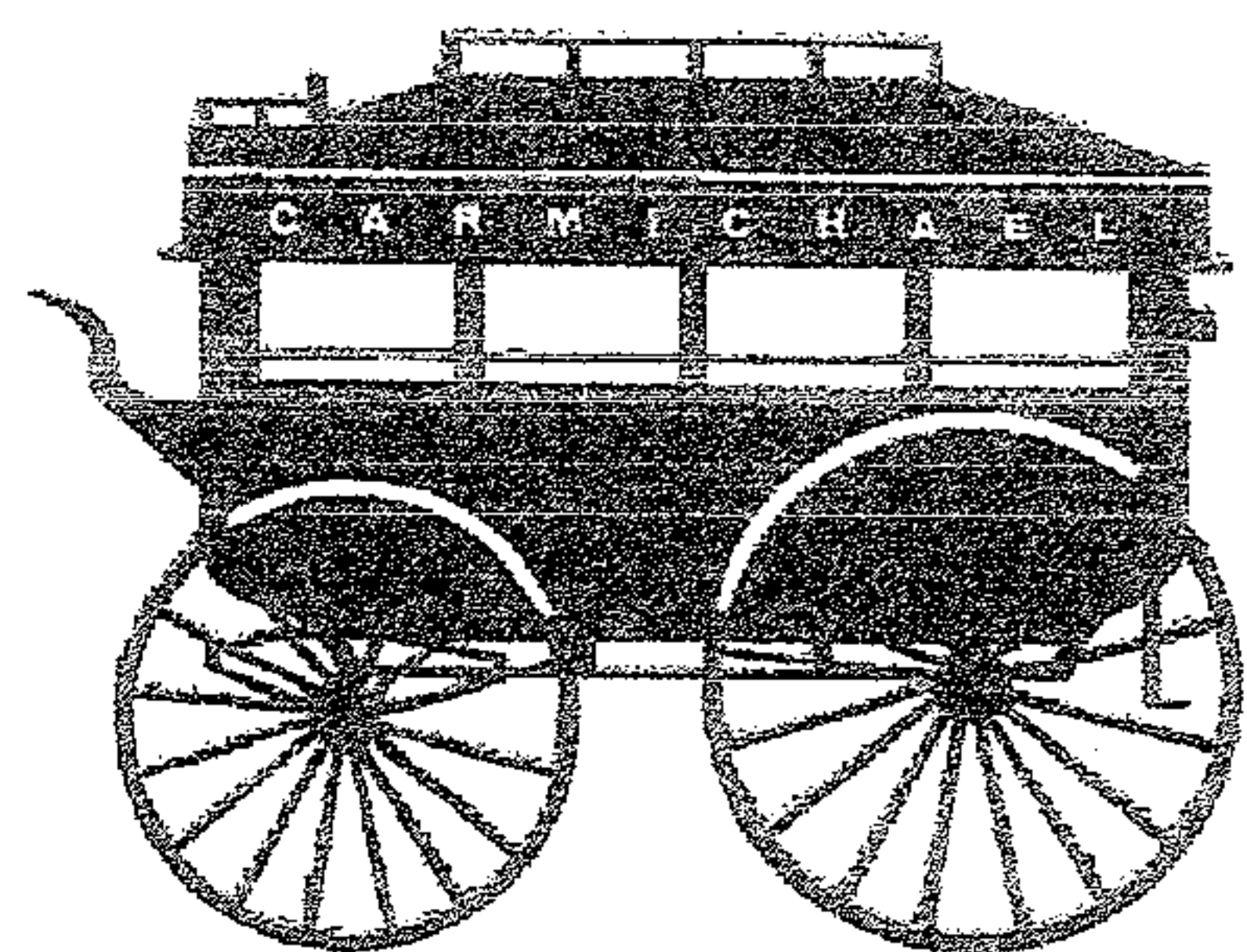
Loudon County Government is soliciting sealed bids for a Steel Building and Building Election. There is an on-site pre-bid meeting on November 5, 2020 at 10 AM. Bid Opening is November 19, 2020 at 3:00 PM. Interested bidders should contact Susan Huskey or Matt Kleinschmidt at 865-458-4663. Loudon County Government will not discriminate on the basis of gender, race, national origin, creed, age, marital status, or disability.



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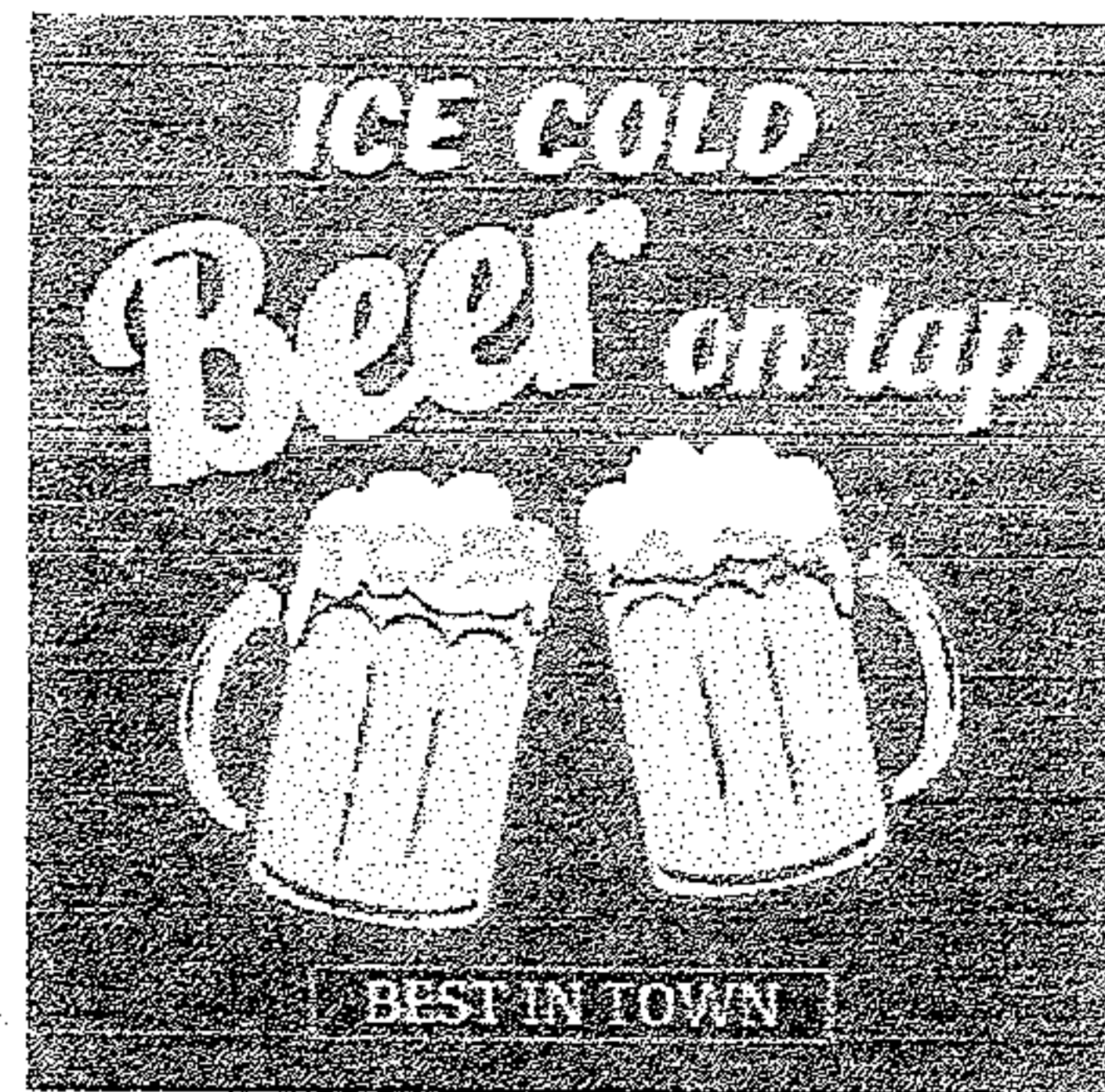


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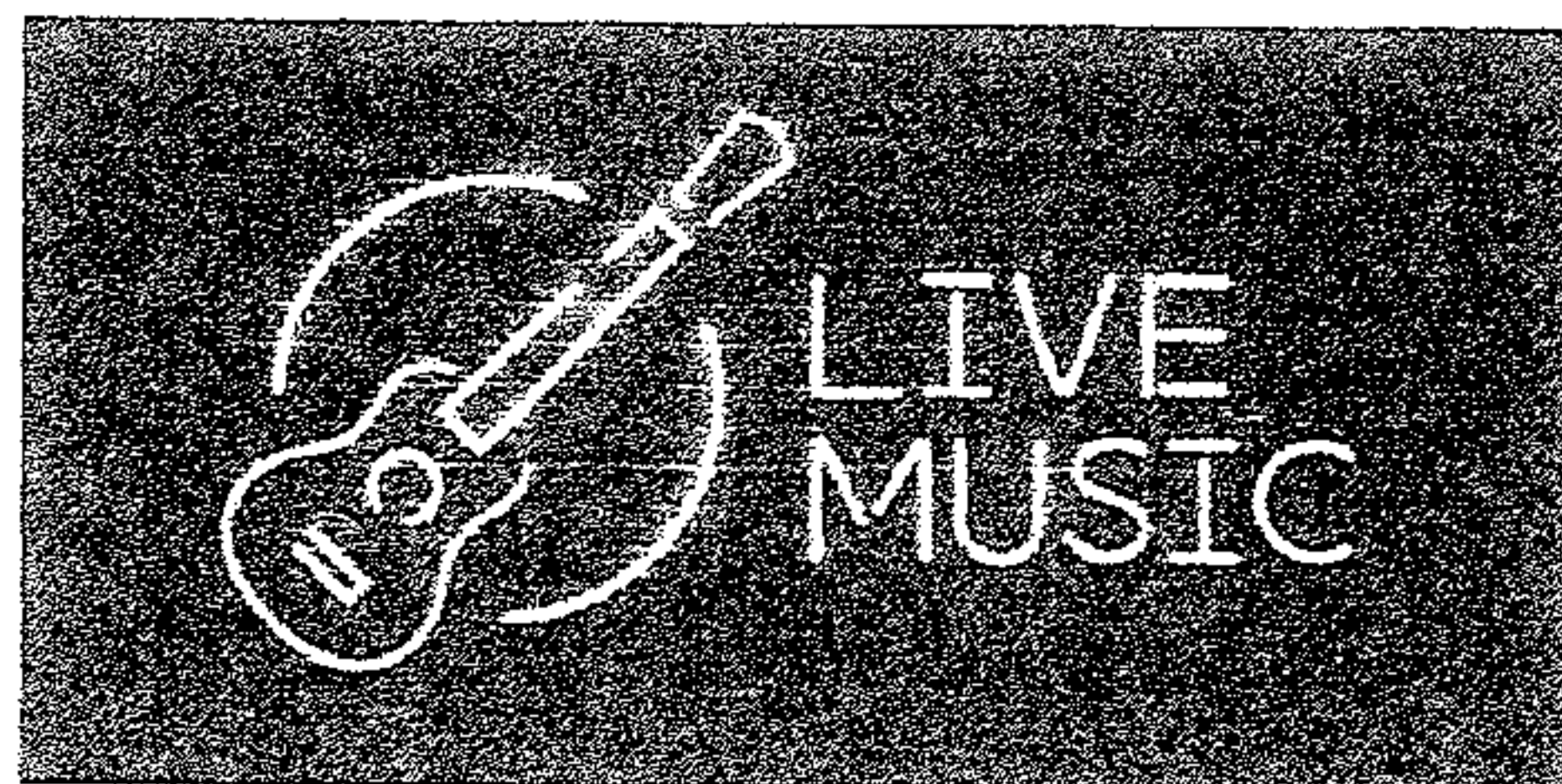
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Whitney Lynn, 36, Reed Springs Road Philadelphia, was charged with Altering/Falsifying Auto Tags, Theft of Property, Criminal Impersonation, Driving on Revoked/Suspended License, and Poss. Of Drug Para.

Thomas Ingram, 42, Crisp Road Lenoir City, was charged with Poss. Of Drug Para., and Driving on Revoked/Suspended License.

Officer Law LPD, was on routine patrol when he observed a Black Chevy Impala make a right hand turn onto Grove Street without using their turn signal "Warning". Upon conducting a traffic stop at the Jiffy "Grove Street" Officer identified the driver as Thomas Ingram, upon speaking to Mr. Ingram he was very nervous and would not make eye contact with him. Officer asked Mr. Ingram if there is anything he should know about that may be illegal in the vehicle, he stated his Meth pipe was underneath the seat. Officer then identified the passenger to be Whitney Lynn, after receiving consent to search Officer located several small clear plastic baggies in Ms. Lynn's purse and a small black digital scale in the glovebox. After reading Ms.

Lynn her Miranda Rights she waived counsel and agreed to speak to me , after placing Ms. Lynn under arrest a Blue and Silver container fell out of her pants leg. After opening the container Officer located a Brown and White substance that Ms. Lynn stated was Methamphetamine, Officer weighed the substance and the amount came to 4.52 grams. Officer also located 3 yellow bills identified as Neurontin in the container as well. Ms. Lynn was transported to the Loudon County Jail without incident. All the above occurred in Loudon City, TN.

LOUDON COUNTY CAN AGAIN DIAL FOR WEATHER AND INFORMATION

Chip Lynn operator of WLNT Radio in Loudon County recently announced that he has acquired the former dial-for-weather number 986-9001.

For over 40 years local banks have operated a time and temperature service on the number. Most of that time it was ran by the former Bank of Loudon County. While the familiar voice we're used to is no longer there new features have been added. You now have options for temperature & weather, news and today in history. More features will be added as they

become available.

Chip said "We are glad to restore this valuable service to the community that has served a wide variety of people for so many years. When I learned that the number was available I acted immediately. It was too good of an opportunity to pass up."

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The service is also mirrored on 458-1000 in Loudon and 770-4000 in Roane County & it's already getting about 5,000 calls a week.

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