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Friday, November 13, 2020

Victim Run Over by Vehicle Refuses Treatment; One charged with Aggravated Assault

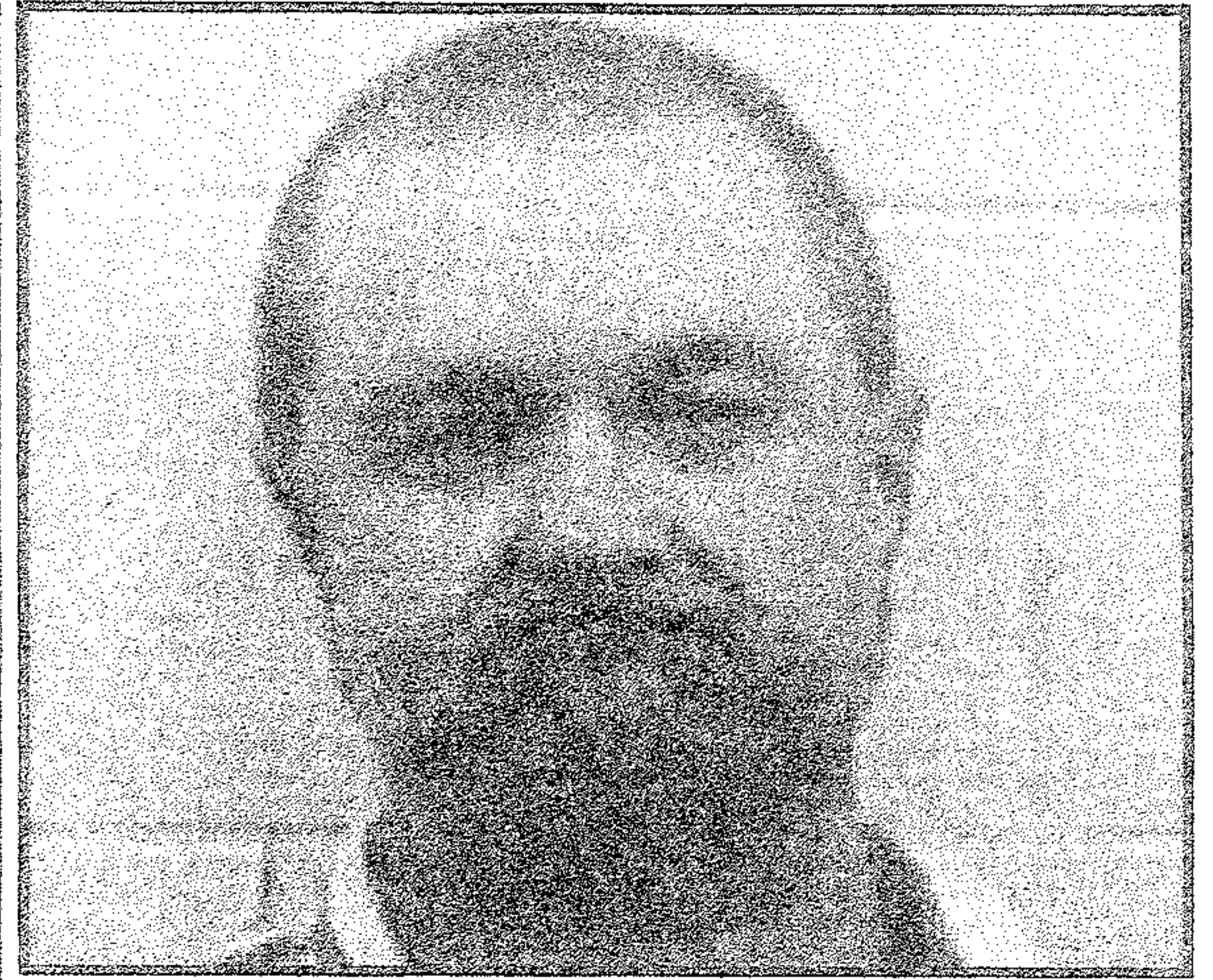
Bryson Young, 33, Holland Trail Lenoir City, was charged with Aggravated Assault. Deputy JC Schultz LCSO, answered a Aggravated Domestic call at Holland Trail in Lenoir City, Tn. Upon arrival the victim gave a verbal statement on bodycam saying that his son who lives with him (Bryson Young) had ran him over with his vehicle and injured

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Bryson Young

DUI and Possession Charge After Hanging Out At The Boat Ramp Too Long



Steven McCarter

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Sextortion

Case Highlights Growing Online Crime with Devastating Real-Life Consequences

The doors were locked, the alarm system was on, and the 13-year-old girl never left her room. But a child predator was able to reach her simply because she was tricked into connecting with him online.

The link between Presley (her name has been changed to protect her identity) and someone she believed was another teenage

girl named K.C. started out as a friendly exchange over a popular messaging app. They sent each other occasional messages and pictures of their outfits over a few weeks.

One mildly revealing photo from Presley, however, gave K.C.—who was actually a grown man in Florida named Justin Richard Testani—an opening

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Tennessee State Veterans' Homes Paid for Medical Services That Were Not Provided Medical Providers Indicted for Theft

An investigation by the Tennessee Comptroller's Office has resulted in the indictments of Dr. Christopher F. Standley, Dr. Robert M. North, and his wife Lisa L. North. Investigators determined these individuals owned medical companies that wrongfully obtained payments from Tennessee State Veterans' Homes for medical

services that were not provided.

The Tennessee State Veterans' Homes (TSVH) Board operates four skilled nursing facilities across the state. The homes provide healthcare and quality of life support to veterans. The TSVH Board contracts with medical and mental health service providers to provide care at its fa-

cilities. This investigation was initiated after the TSVH Board reported suspected billing issues related to its contract service providers.

The investigation found that Dr. Christopher Standley, owner of Dynamic Healing, LLC, wrongfully

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Verse of the Day

A man who lacks judgment derides his neighbor, but a man of understanding holds his tongue.

—Proverbs 11:12

Wazzup

It's Time For Some Vacation Time For Everyone Away From Covid and Politics! Get Out and See What Our Great State Has to Offer and Be Safe!

Weather

Today: Clear. High of

67F. Tonight: Clear. Low of 46F.

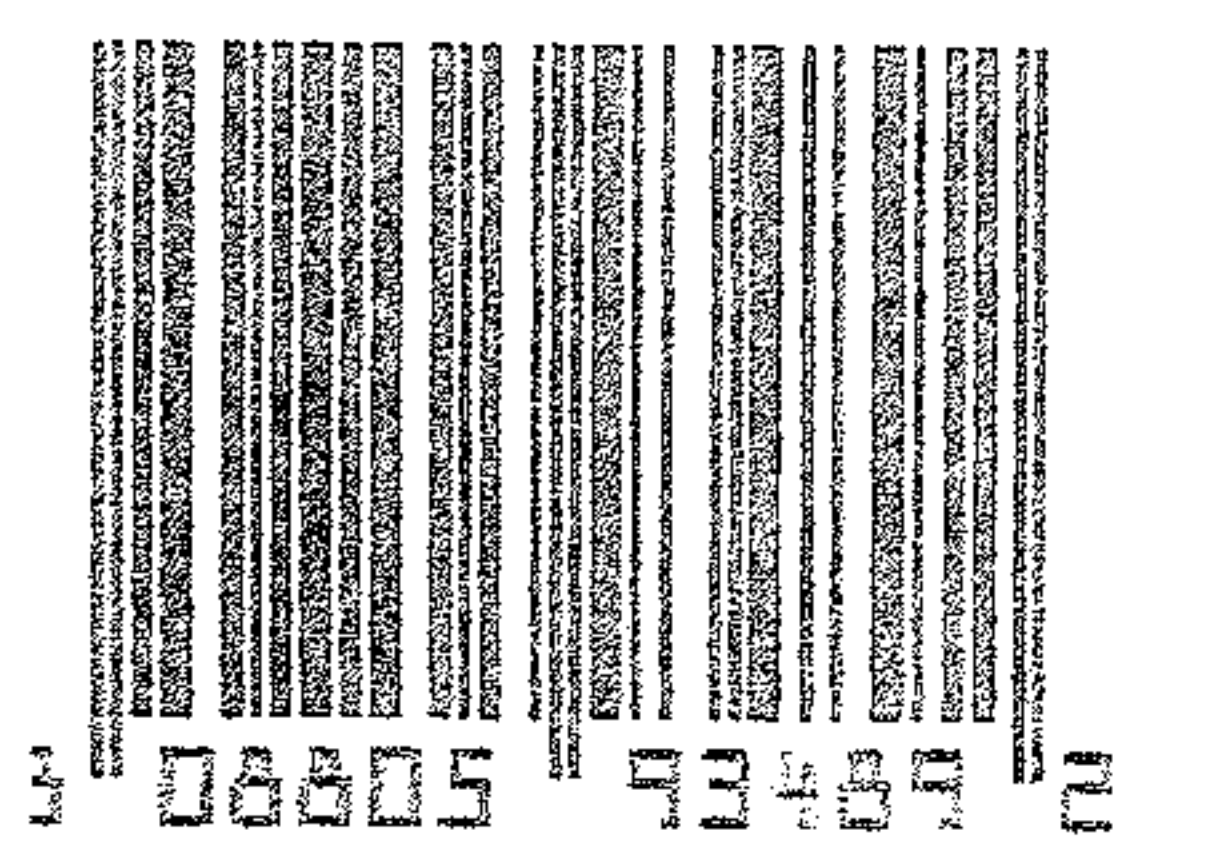
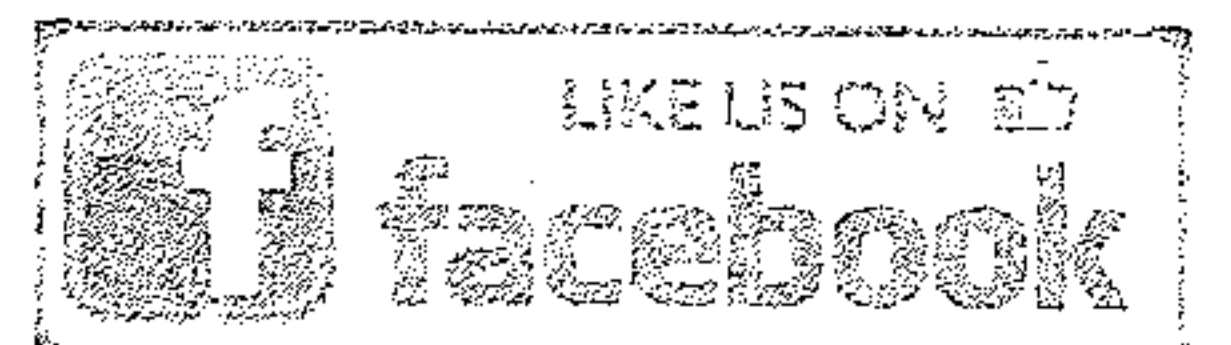
Saturday: Slight Chance of Rain. High of 67F. Saturday night: Clear. Low of 40F.

Sunday: Rain Possible. High of 65F.

Sunday night: Clear. Low of 46F.

Horoscope

Scorpio 10/23-11/21 It's possible that you're trying to do too much, Scorpio. If look at the days you spend



Agg. Assault

his ankles. Victim could barely walk but refused transport by EMS. The two had argued last night after Bryson had ransacked victim room. They continued arguing after awakening today until victim asked his son to leave the residence. Bryson then attempted to take victim red Ford Focus Sedan so victim stood behind it in an attempt to stop his son from stealing his vehicle. Bryson then backed into his victim knocking him down and running over his lower legs. This deputy observed a indentation in the ground where victim legs were ran over and spin

marks in the gravel from the vehicles wheels. Victim had bruising and bleeding from both ankles , gravel marks on his back , and tire prints on his black jeans. Priority EMS stated after examining victim that his left leg was probably broken. Bryson was arrested on scene by this Deputy and transported to the Loudon Jail by Deputy Cody Bengel. This did occur in Loudon County, Tn.

FBI

to begin his threats. He said he would share the photo and spread rumors about her to friends and family if she didn't do as he asked.

"She let her guard down,"

her mother said. "She let her guard down because she thought it was another teenage girl."

The demands and threats escalated quickly from there. According to FBI investigators, Testani told Presley he would rape and kill her and her loved ones if she didn't perform the increasingly graphic and extreme acts he demanded over a video call.

Presley had become a victim of sextortion. With the internet allowing predators to hide their identities and easily reach thousands of young people over games

and apps, it's a crime the FBI is seeing in alarming and rising numbers.

To keep Presley from hanging up, the predator used details he'd gathered from their conversations and information she'd posted online to make his threats specific and terrifying. According to Presley's mother, he told her, "I know where your mom works. If you don't do what I'm telling you to do, I'll go kill her."

He told Presley he knew where she lived. He knew where she went to school.

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He knew how to get to her friends. "She was convinced it was someone who was standing right outside the door," Presley's mother said. "Someone who could get to her immediately."

Presley was desperate and terrified when she finally reached her mom to ask for help.

We have several resources to help caregivers and young people understand what sextortion is, how to protect against it, and how to talk about it.

If a young person is being exploited, they are the victim of a crime and should report it. Contact your local FBI field office, call 1-800-CALL-FBI, or report it online at tips.fbi.gov.

Learn more at fbi.gov/sex-tortion.

Presley's mother said her daughter called at her first

opportunity to break the phone connection with the predator. Testani wanted to take over one of her social media accounts so he could use it to contact her friends, giving him the ability to deceive and exploit another group of young girls. But as he took over her existing account, he needed her to create a new one for herself so they would still be connected online.

As she was carrying out that demand, Presley had a chance to call for help. "He told her she had two minutes to get it done," her mother said. "When they broke that connection, she felt she could call me."

Presley's mother and stepfather raced home. And although they were confused about what was happening, they couldn't mistake the terror in Presley's voice. Her stepfather reached her first and immediately called the

police when he saw what was happening on her phone.

Presley's bravery in reporting helped investigators find the man who terrorized her. Testani pleaded guilty to child sexual exploitation in February and was sentenced to 60 years in federal prison on August 6, 2020.

Special Agent Kevin Kaufman, who investigated the case for the FBI in Tampa with local law enforcement, said that they identified sev-

eral other victims across the country—some as young as 10 years old.

The investigation showed that Testani obtained the login information for other victims' social media accounts, which allowed him to message hundreds of other young people.

The length of Testani's sentence reflects the number of children he hurt, the extreme nature of his crimes,

Public Notice

The City of Philadelphia Mayor and Board of Aldermen will meet in a Regular Monthly Meeting on Thursday, November 19, 2020 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Philadelphia. Oaths of Office will be given by Mayor Buddy Bradshaw prior to the meeting at 7:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Philadelphia.

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Veterans

obtained payments totaling \$20,376.34 by billing for service visits that were not provided to TSVH residents. Standley was contracted to serve as the Medical Director and to provide attending physician services at the Clarksville facility.

Investigators noted there was no evidence that Dynamic Healing (DH) was in the facility on dates when it indicated it provided services to more than 200 individuals. On some occasions DH billed for services when the resident was not in the TSVH; billed for duplicate residential services; or billed when a resident was away on an activity.

In addition to the wrongful payments, investigators are also questioning an additional \$119,924.62 in payments made to Dynamic Healing. These payments are questioned because investigators

could not determine whether DH was in the facility or actually saw the residents for the services for which they billed.

Secondly, investigators found that Medical Psychology Consultants (MPC), wrongfully obtained payments totaling \$2,392.71. Dr. Robert M. North, owner, was originally contracted to provide mental health services to residents at the Humboldt, Clarksville, and Murfreesboro facilities. On September 14, 2016, Lisa North, Office Manager and wife of Dr. North, became the registered owner of MPC.

MPC billed for services provided to residents who either did not reside at the TSVH or were away on hospital or therapeutic leave; billed for services that had already been paid in prior invoices; billed when the doctor claimed to provide services to two separate res-

idents simultaneously; or billed for services rendered while a resident was away on an activity.

In addition to the wrongful payments, investigators are also questioning an additional \$4,653.77 in payments to MPC. These payments are questioned because investigators could not determine whether MPC was in the facility or actually saw the residents for the services for which they billed.

In October 2020, the Rutherford County Grand Jury indicted Christopher F. Standley on one count of theft over \$10,000. Robert M. North and his wife Lisa L. North were also each indicted on one count of theft over \$1,000.

“The Tennessee State Veterans’ Homes must do a better job of verifying that they are only paying for services that are actually provided.”
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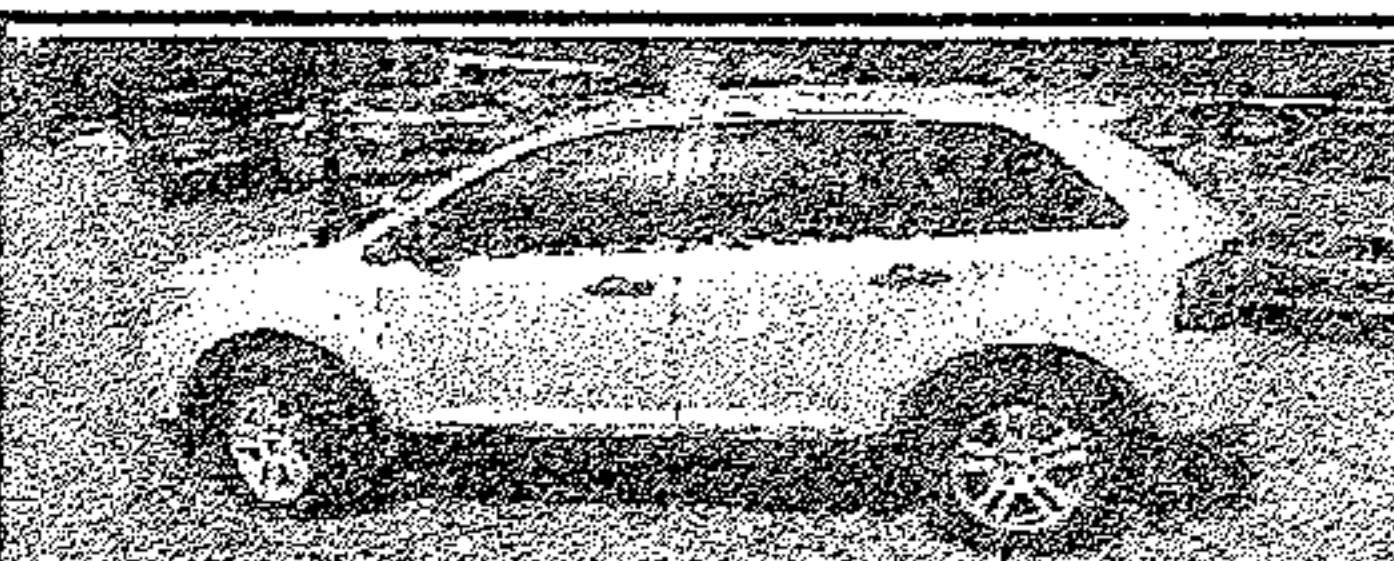


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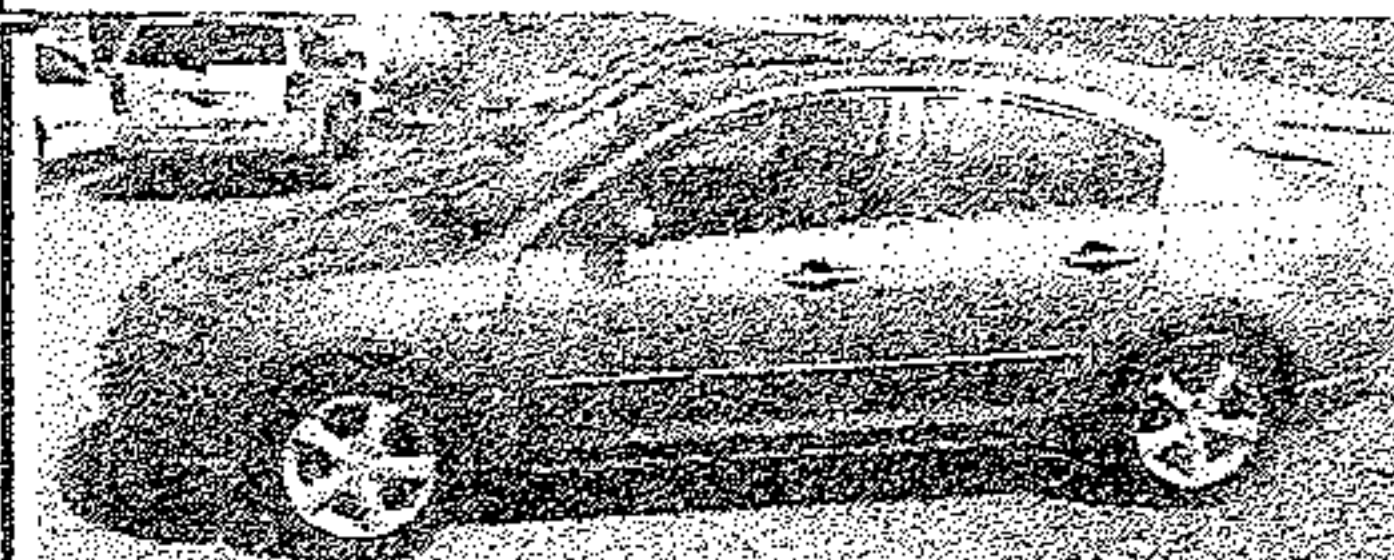
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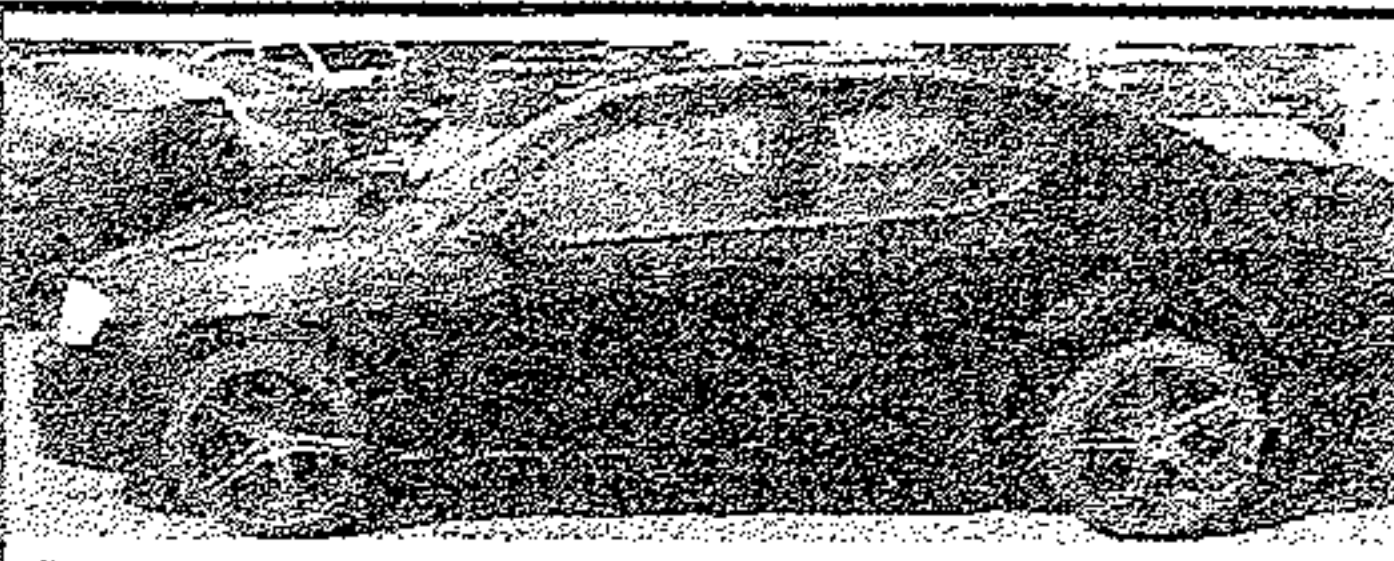
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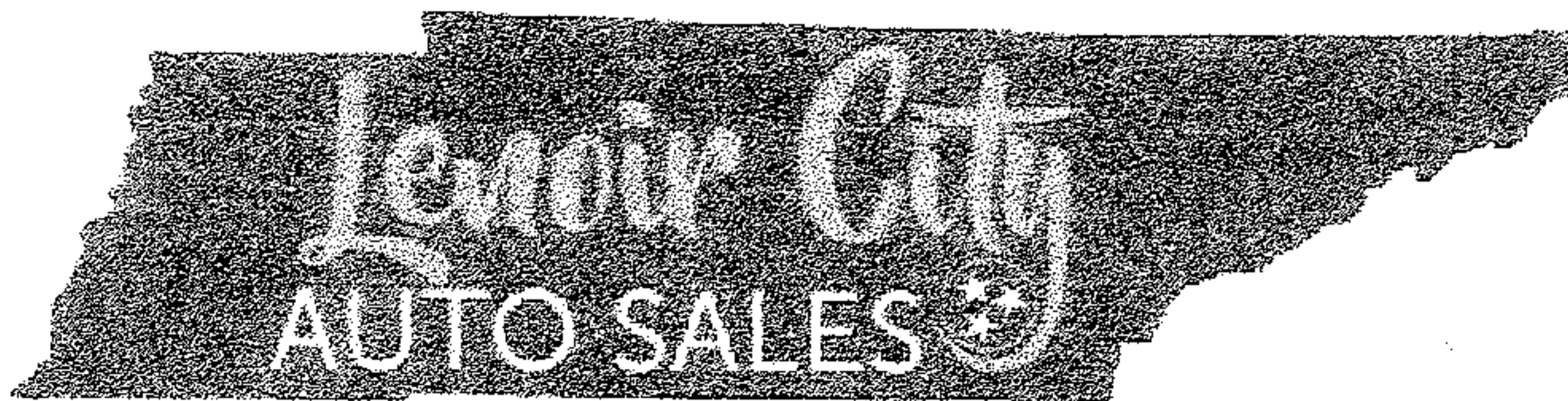


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Steven McCarter, 49, Madison Road Madisonville was charged with DUI, and Simple Possession. Deputy Rogers LCSO, observed a Red Ford Ranger running at Jackson Cemetery Boat Ramp.

Upon approaching the vehicle it began to leave. Once at the intersection of East Coast Tellico Parkway the vehicle traveled over the stop block failing to come to

a complete stop before turning. Upon traffic stop the driver/offender Mr. Steve McCarter had "exaggerated reflexes, was sweating profusely and appeared very nervous. Deputy had the offender exit the vehicle at which time Deputy observed a pipe used to smoke narcotics in the driver's seat. After searching the vehicle Deputy S Mills did recover a blue pill identified as

Lorazepam in the offender's cigarette pack. The offender did consent to S.F.S.T and A.R.I.D.E testing and did not pass. Deputy took the offender into custody for D.U.I and then read him Tn Implied Consent to which he did consent to a blood draw. Deputy transported the offender


to the E.R where the blood draw was conducted and then to the Loudon County Jail. Once at the Jail a bottle of lotion and an empty container was found on the offender's person. Deputy also cited the offender with Simple Possession and Traffic Control Device. Said did occur in Loudon County, Tn.

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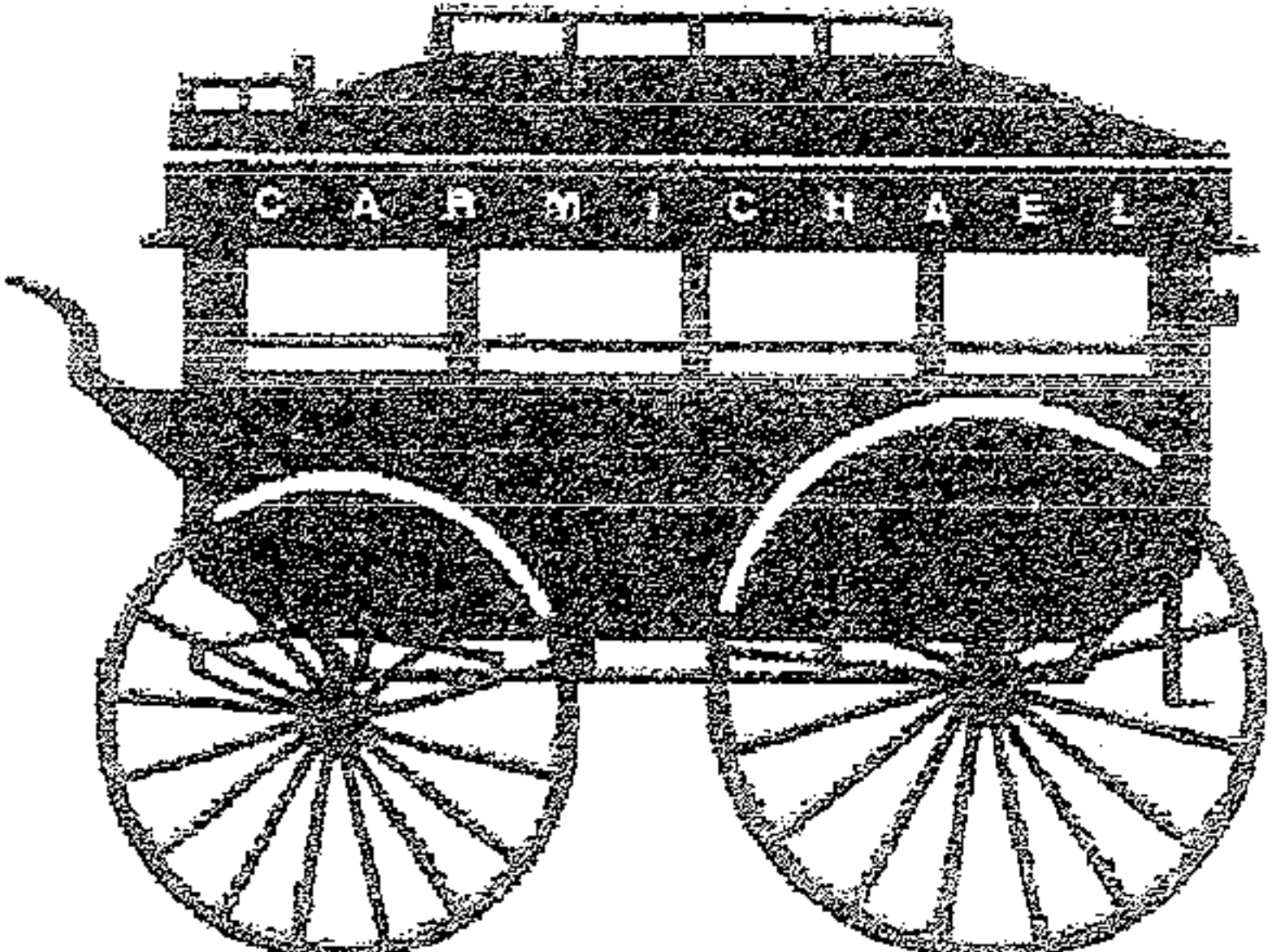
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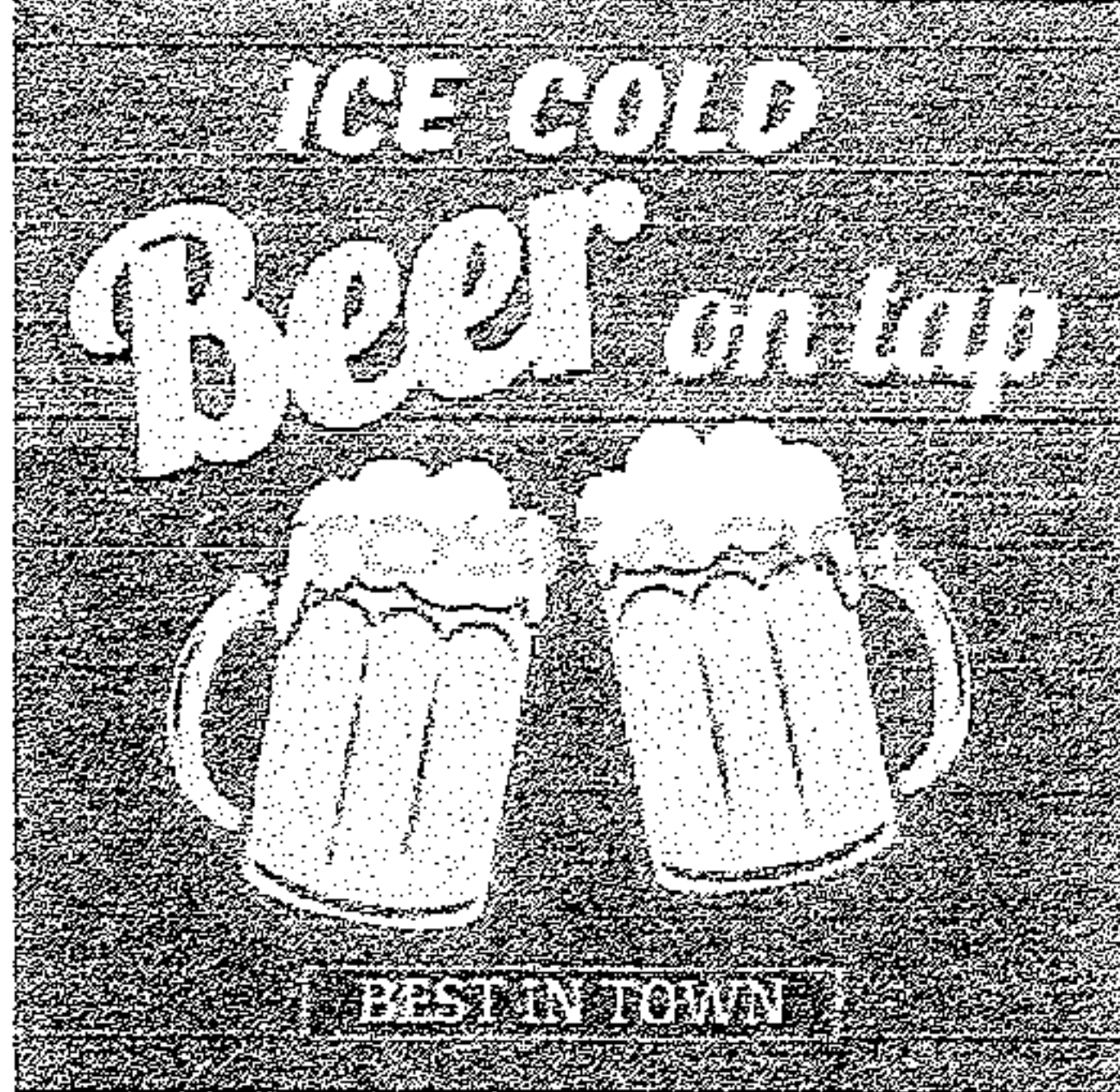
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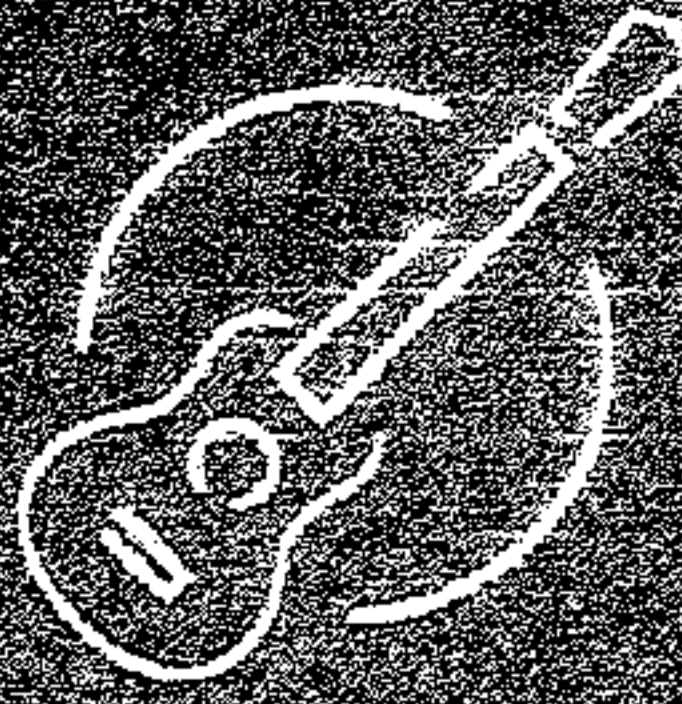
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Notice is hereby given that on the 4th DAY OF NOVEMBER 2020 Letters of Testamentary in respect of the estate of Carole Gail Harris who died on the 8th day of OCTOBER 2020 be issued to the undersigned by the Loudon County Probate Court of Loudon County, 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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(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.

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publication dates November 6, 2020 and November 13, 2020

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ed," said Comptroller Justin P. Wilson. "The facilities should keep better records such as sign-in information and notes on when services start and end. Invoices should be reviewed to ensure there are no discrepancies and that vendors are only paid once. I'm pleased to note that the TSVH board has indicated they have implemented policies and procedures to correct these problems."

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

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and the devastating effects this type of sexual violence has on its victims. Presley's mother said her daughter is still dealing with depression and anxiety, has trouble concentrating in school, and experiences panic attacks.

The fact that Presley never met Testani in person and never even saw his face only amplified her fear. This man who hurt her could be anyone, anywhere. "That's why she went from a social butterfly to absolutely terrified to leave the house," her mother said.

On this episode of Inside the FBI, we're warning kids, teens, and caregivers about an increasingly common online threat called sextortion. Listen

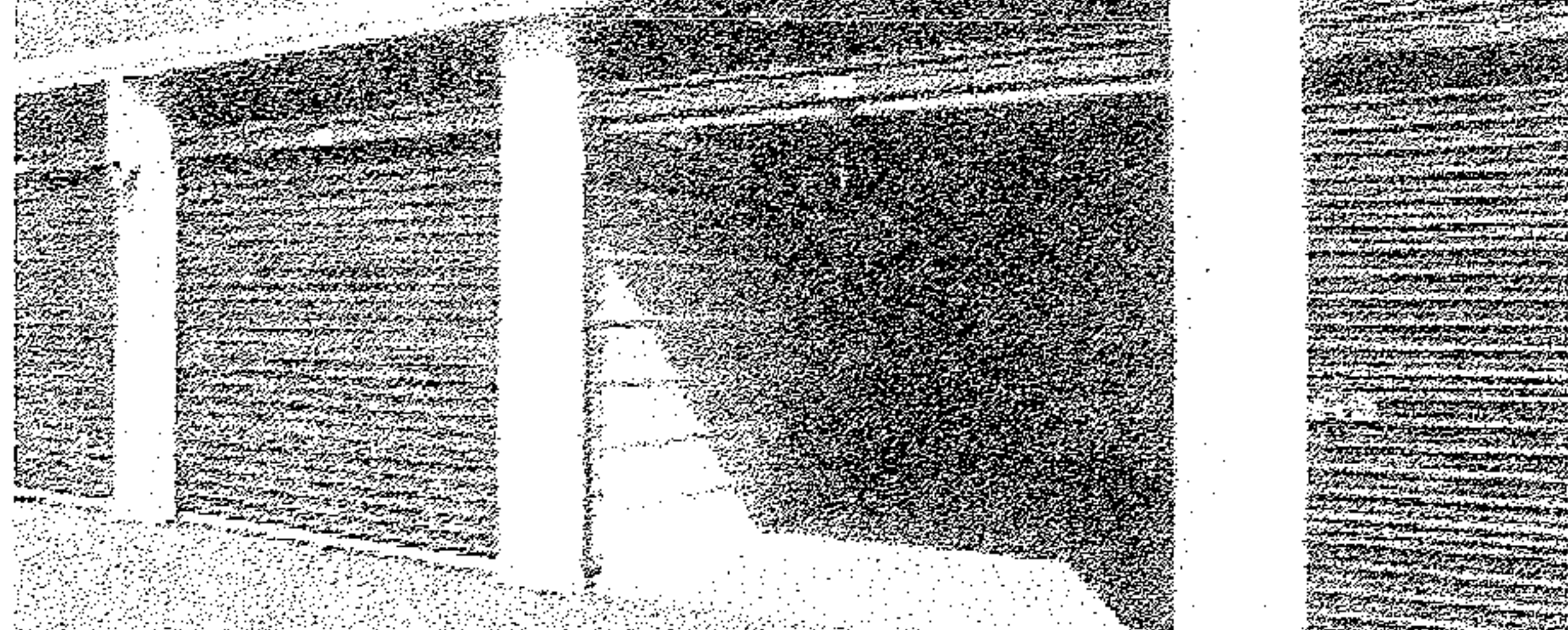
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