

# Daily Edition

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Monday, January 10, 2011

## Robbery at LC money business



The site of Thursday's armed robbery (see Robbery pg. 7)

## LCSO makes meth arrest

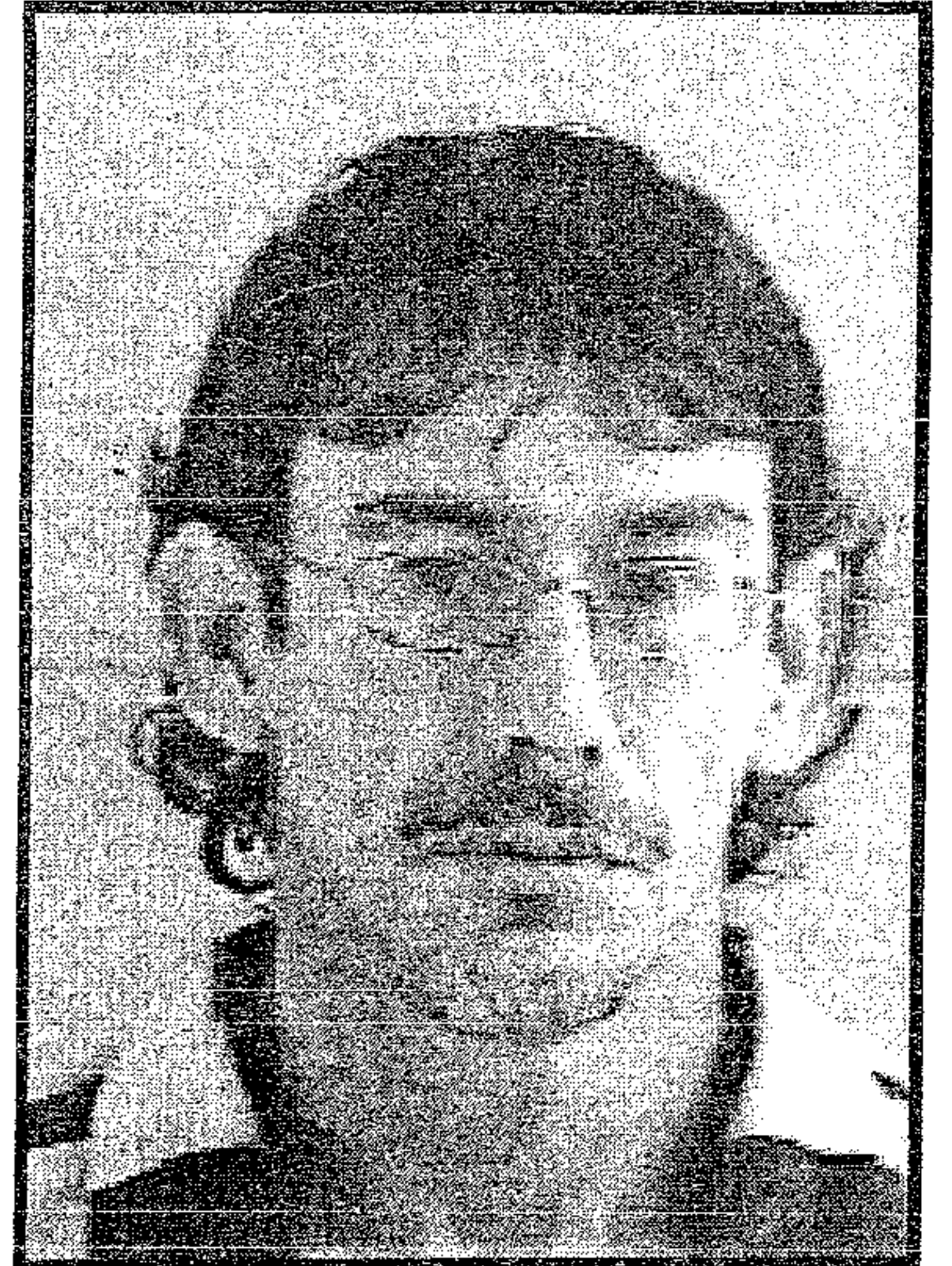
When officers went looking for a wanted man, they found a bag of meth and charged a Philadelphia man in connection with possessing it.

Michael Wayne Coker, 39, of Sunnyside Road, Philadelphia was charged with possession of schedule II (meth).

According to the warrant; Investigator Marty Stanley, LCSO was called to 110 Sunnyside Road, Philadelphia by Deputy Chris Jenkins on a report of narcotics found in the residence.

While attempting to locate

(see Coker pg. 6) Coker



## TBI makes arrest in Monroe County homicide case

Chattanooga, Tenn. - The Tennessee Bureau of Investigation has arrested a Monroe County woman after she was indicted by the Monroe County Grand Jury Wednesday morning on murder charges related to the homicide of Monroe County Election Commission Chairman Jim Miller this past summer. The TBI along with the Monroe County Sheriff's Office, the Madisonville Police Department, the Sweetwater Police

(see Powers pg. 5) Powers

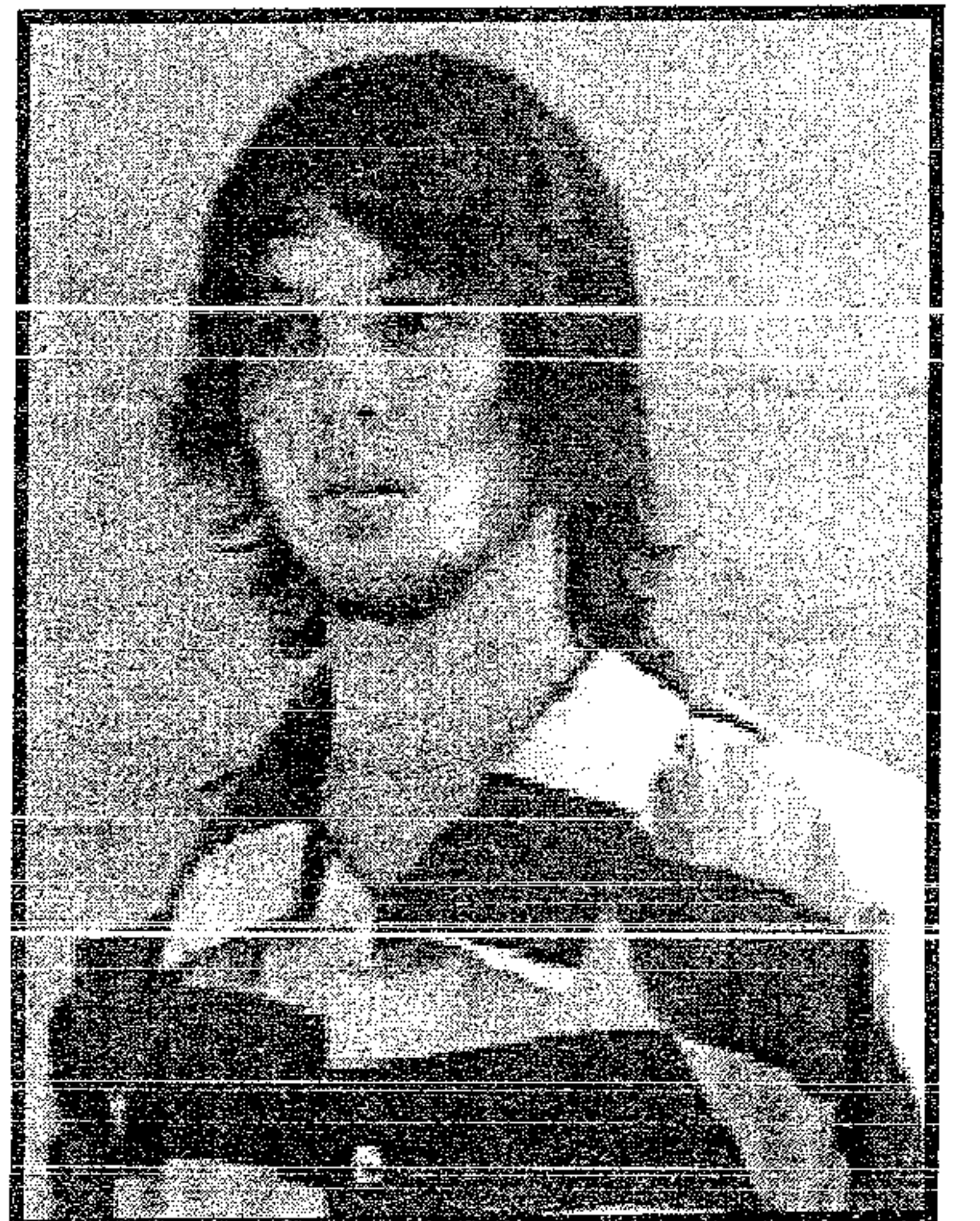


## Sartin snags stereo stealer

Detective Jonathan Sartin, LCPD has charged a Lenoir City man with burglary of an auto after the man allegedly stole stereo equipment from a vehicle at Wal-Mart.

According to the warrant, on or about December 31, 2010 Bradley Ryan Robinson, 28, of North C Street, Lenoir City went to Wal-Mart on Hwy 321 Lenoir City. While there Robinson took speakers and an amp out of a 1997 Subaru belonging to

(see Robinson pg. 3) Robinson



### Verse of the Day

*"Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is*

*in heaven." Matthew 5:16*

### Obituaries

Teddy L. "Ted" Porter  
Diana Sue Hamlet  
Bessie Satterfield "Ma Key" Key

John Darren James  
Patricia Lynn Bettis  
**Wazzup**

Happy Birthday, and congratulations David Morgan - how bout that 7 lb. 3 oz. new baby, Mathias David Morgan!

### Weather

Today: Snow likely. Highs in the mid 30s.  
Tonight: Lows in the upper 20s.  
Tuesday: Snow showers possible. Highs in

the upper 30s and lows in the low 20s.

### Horoscopes

Capricorn 12/22-1/19  
Inspiration strikes again -- though you (see More pg. 2)

**Robinson**

the victim. Robinson entered the vehicle and took the items without the owner's permission.

Bradley Ryan Robinson was charged with burglary of an auto.

Detective Jonathan Sartin LCPD made the arrest and filed the charges.

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**Police Beat**

Timothy Ray Crawford, 42, of Reed Springs Road, Sweetwater was charged with public intoxication.

According to the report, Crawford went to his parent's residence and started a verbal altercation with them about his children. The parents called 911 for assistance in removing Crawford from their residence.

Upon officer's arrival, Crawford was

out walking in the front yard. When Deputy Mike Williams approached Crawford he could smell a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage on Crawford's person and breath.

Crawford was very unsteady on his feet and had slurred speech. Crawford admitted to having drunk several beers the night before.

Because he was a threat to himself and others Crawford was taken into custody and

charged.

Deputy Mike Williams, LCSO made the arrest.

Cynthia Aguilar, 36, of Overlook Lane, Jacksboro was charged with driving on suspended license.

According to the report, Officer Mike Hodges, LCPD observed a vehicle on Hwy 321 without any headlights on. Upon conducting a traffic stop it was revealed the driver, Cynthia Agui-

lar, has a suspended license.

Aguilar license were suspended for failure to file financial responsibility and she was taken into custody.

Officer Mike Hodges LCPD made the arrest.

Terry Lee Jaynes, 27, of Corinth Road, Loudon was charged with violation of probation and an attachment.

Deputy Olwin Norman, LCSO served the

warrants on Jaynes in the Loudon County Jail.

Alexander D. Veysey, 19, of Shaw Ferry Road, Lenoir City was charged with shoplifting out of Knox County.

Deputy N. Wilson LCSO made the arrest at the Loudon County Jail.

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**Powers**

Department and state Bomb and Arson investigators all contributed to the nearly six month long investigation.

Jessica Kennedy Powers, 27, of Sweetwater, Tenn. was indicted on one count

of felony murder, aggravated robbery, arson of personal property and abuse of a corpse. Sixty-year-old Miller's body was found on Sands Road in Monroe County, Tenn. on July 17, 2010. He had been shot to death before his

body was set on fire in his vehicle

Kennedy Powers was served with the indictment in the Meigs County Jail where she was being held on unrelated charges. She has been transferred to the Monroe County Jail

where her bond was set at \$500,000.

Michael Watkins, LCSO stopped a vehicle for speeding on Hwy 72 and upon identifying the subjects in the vehicle one of the passengers was Mr. Heeke.

Heeke had an outstanding warrant for violation of probation and was taken into custody.

The driver of the vehicle received a warning for speeding. Deputy Michael Watkins, LCSO made the arrest.

Stacy Renee Dugan, 34, of Parkway Drive, Lenoir City, was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Daniel Ferguson, LCSO made the arrest at the Loudon County Jail.



Monroe County Election Commission Chairman Jim Miller

**Police Beat**

Michael John Heeke, 31, of Corinth Road, Loudon was charged with violation of probation.

According to the report, Deputy Mi-



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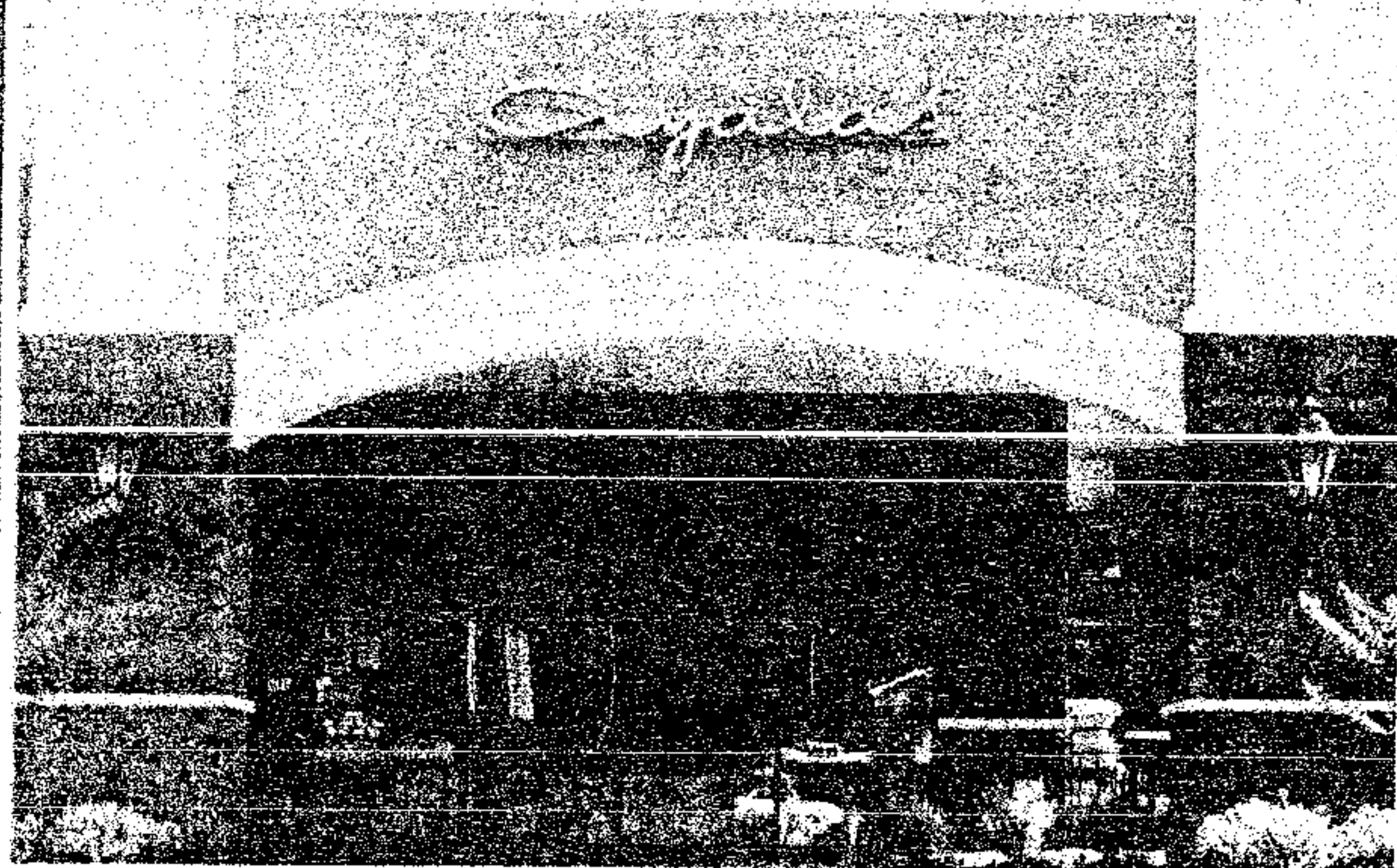
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**Coker**

a subject on outstanding warrants at the residence, Deputy Jenkins asked for and received written and verbal consent to search the residence of Michael Wayne Coker for the wanted person and illegal narcotics.

During the search of the residence, a clear plastic bag containing a white powder substance was found in the living

room of the residence in an ashtray.

All the occupants of the residence were in the living room within close proximity to the white powder substance, which field-tested positive as methamphetamine.

The bag weighed approximately .5 grams. Mr. Coker was sitting in the area next to the ashtray where the meth was found.

Investigator Marty

Stanley LCSO made the arrest.

**A Perfect Couple: Wine and Cheese**

NASHVILLE - Some couples are meant to be together. They bring out the best in each other, even though each one has so much to offer independently, and they're the life of every party.

"Wine and cheese are just such a couple," says Tammy Algood, who creates recipes for the Tennessee Depart-

ment of Agriculture's "Pick Tennessee Products" campaign. Pick Tennessee Products is Tennessee's statewide campaign to identify and promote locally grown or processed foods.

"After the holidays, which usually include a parade of heavy meals with many obligatory, time-consuming dishes, most of us are relieved to be through with celebrating for a while," says Algood. "That's really too bad, because it's actually after the holidays, when cold weather forces us indoors and the days are at their shortest, that most of could use some cheery company."

"A wine and cheese tasting is a great fit for this time of year," says Algood. "It's the least complicated, easiest spread you'll ever place before guests. Once you've set out all your wines and cheeses in a place within easy reach of your tasters, all the work is done. Everyone is free to enjoy each other's company, with no agenda to

follow. Just be sure to have enough plain French bread on hand to give everyone's taste buds a bit of a buffer between tastes."

Preparing for a wine tasting party is also more fun than typical party preparations, notes Algood, in that it involves tasting a number of wines well in advance. "Even though discovery and experimentation are part of the fun at a wine and cheese party," says Algood, "you want to be sure you are offering some pairings you already know are matches made in heaven."

Choosing Tennessee wines for a tasting provides a local theme and makes wine selection less daunting than trying to choose only a few bottles from the thousands of wines currently on the market. Try to select no more than four or five wines, and stay in the same color family, meaning white wines or reds, advises Algood. "Otherwise, if you get too many wines and too

(see Couple pg. 7)

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## Robbery

According to Lenoir City Police Chief Don White just after 3 PM Thursday a single male subject entered the Cash Express as the business was beginning to close. He brandished a gun and demanded money from the victim.

The suspect was wearing a hooded sweatshirt, ski mask and sunglasses and was described as a white male in his mid to late 30's, approximately 6' to 6' 2" in height, with a medium build.

The suspect took an

undisclosed amount of cash and fled the building.

Officers were on the scene within a minute and a half from both directions and the suspect was able to elude capture.

Chief White reported police diligently looking for the suspects, as this is very unusual for Lenoir City to have these types of crimes.

At least one other check cashing service was robbed in the same manner within the last couple of weeks and

Chief White said he believes it is the same suspect police are searching for in both crimes.

## Couple

many different flavors, it becomes difficult for your palate to process it all."

When selecting cheeses for the event, Algood says, "Go out on a limb! Head to the supermarket deli and look for cheeses you don't normally use at mealtimes. The typical supermarket has literally dozens to choose from. I like to have a mixture of hard and soft cheeses."

Many Tennessee winer-

ies carry local Tennessee cheeses, like Sweetwater Valley cheddars, which can also be found with other local cheeses through the online store at [www.picktn-products.org](http://www.picktn-products.org).


Once the deck is stacked with some pre-determined wines and cheese partnerships, Algood emphasizes that the point is to have fun trying lots of combinations at the party. "There is no right or wrong way to taste," says Algood. "Some people prefer to stick to one wine and taste all the cheeses with that one wine. Others will take one cheese and taste it with all the different wines. The object of this party game is to notice if your experience of a wine changes as you try it with the various cheeses... good or bad."

For beginners, Algood offers some recommendations sure to please tasters while also providing a virtual tour of Tennessee's varied winer-

ies. "Try a Tennessee Chardonnay or Chardonnell with an English cheese called Wensleydale; try either the cranberry infused style or the version with caramelized onions. Champagne lovers can place a Gouda or Brie beside Beachaven, Stonehaus or Beans Creek Champagne style wines."

For those who prefer reds, Algood suggests dry reds with cheeses like Havarti and Camembert. "Ports will match well with any type of blue cheese, like Roquefort," says Algood, "and if you want to include a Tennessee blush, be sure you also include a cheese like fresh mozzarella."

"Invite wine and cheese to your next party," says Algood, "and you'll keep them at the top of your guest list all winter." For more wine and cheese pairing recommendations using Tennessee wines, or for a directory of Tennessee wineries, visit [www.picktnproducts.org](http://www.picktnproducts.org).



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**Police Beat**

Freddy Oliver Johnson, 41, Browder Hollow Road, Lenoir City was charged with domestic violence.

According to an affidavit; on December 17th, 2010, Deputy Daryl H. Smith, LCSO responded to a request of "assistance needed" at a residence on Browder Hollow Road. Upon arrival, he and Corporal Pete Mc-

Ginley, LCSO met with a female, who was upset and packing.

The woman stated, Johnson twisted her wrist during an argument and kicked her over furnishings in their living room. She showed her right wrist to the officers. Her wrist was red in a complete circle.

Records indicate the living room coffee table was upright with beer cans and miscellaneous items strewn on the floor around it. The victim stated the items on the floor were part of Mr. Johnson's actions and the table had been over-turned.


The woman was offered transport to a place of safety, but said a friend was en route to pick her up and refused transportation.

Deputy Smith remained on the scene until her ride arrived at 2:22 PM. Mr. Johnson had already left the residence prior to the officer's arrival.

On Tuesday, January 4th, 2011, around 12:05 AM, Deputy Robbie Lane, LCSO went to another residence on Browder Hollow Road to attempt to locate Freddy Johnson on an outstanding warrant for domestic violence assault. The deputy was able to locate Mr. Johnson hiding inside a closet in the bedroom and took him into custody.

Jarrod Luke Ryan, 28, Bon Street, Lenoir City was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy James R. Bowman, LCSO made the arrest Wednesday on Highway 321 at Walmart during a traffic stop.



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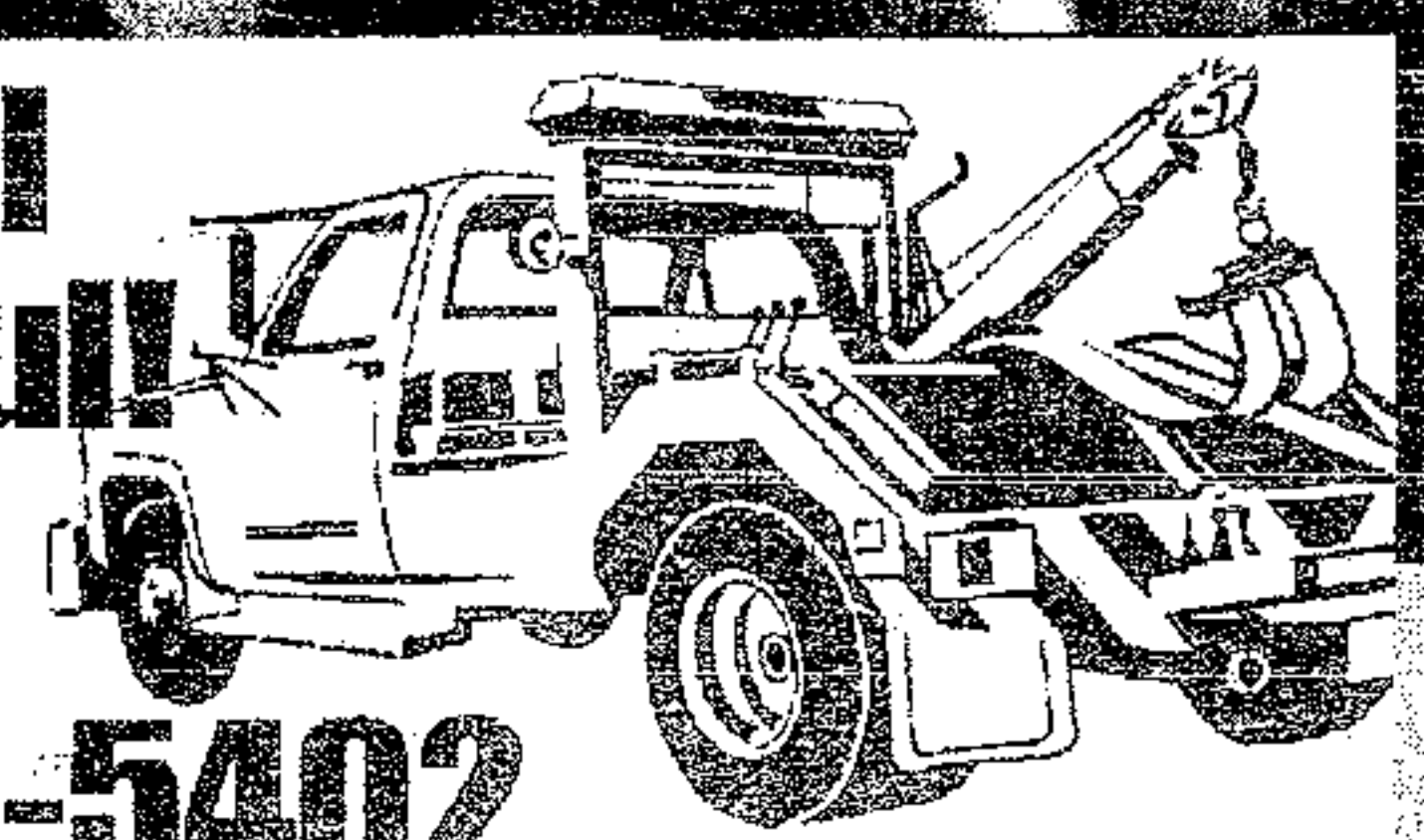
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