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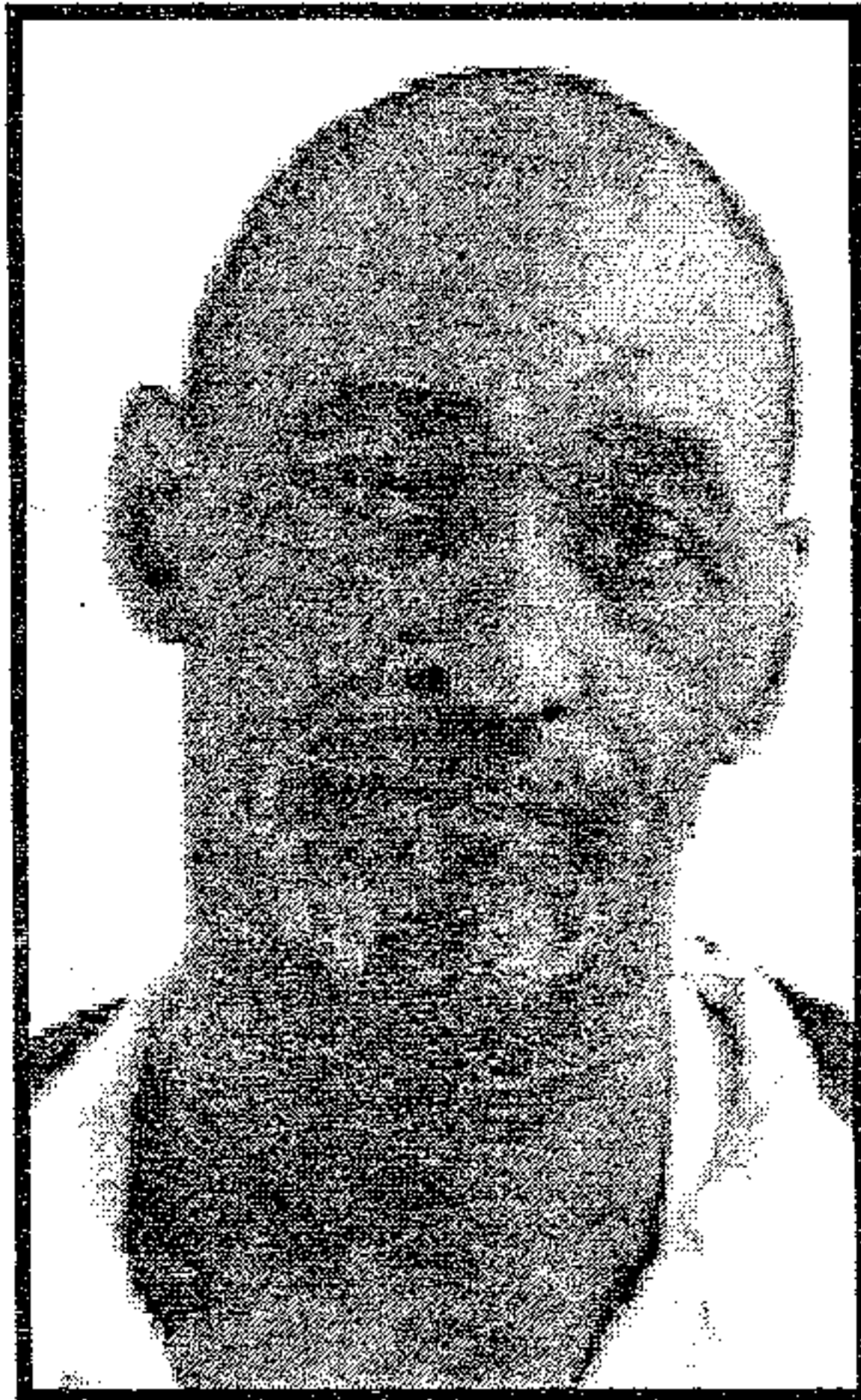
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Thursday, March 24, 2011

2 charged in aggravated robbery of woman

Officer Bennie Houser arrested two Loudon persons Monday after they reportedly worked together to beat and rob a woman who told police the one beat her was her roommate.

Curtis Graham, 54, Summer Street, Loudon was charged on outstanding warrants for aggravated domestic assault and aggravated robbery.



Curtis Graham



Linda J. Graham

(see Robbery pg. 6)

Aggravated assault, unlawful possession of a weapon

A young Loudon man is accused of threatening another man with what the victim thought was a flare gun. A weapon was seized during the preliminary investigation.

Derrick Allen Bradshaw, 19, Calloway Road, Loudon was charged with aggravated assault and unlawful possession of a weapon.

The report states, Sunday, at approximately 8:23 PM, Deputy Rondel M. Branam, LCSO re-



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Derrick Allen Bradshaw

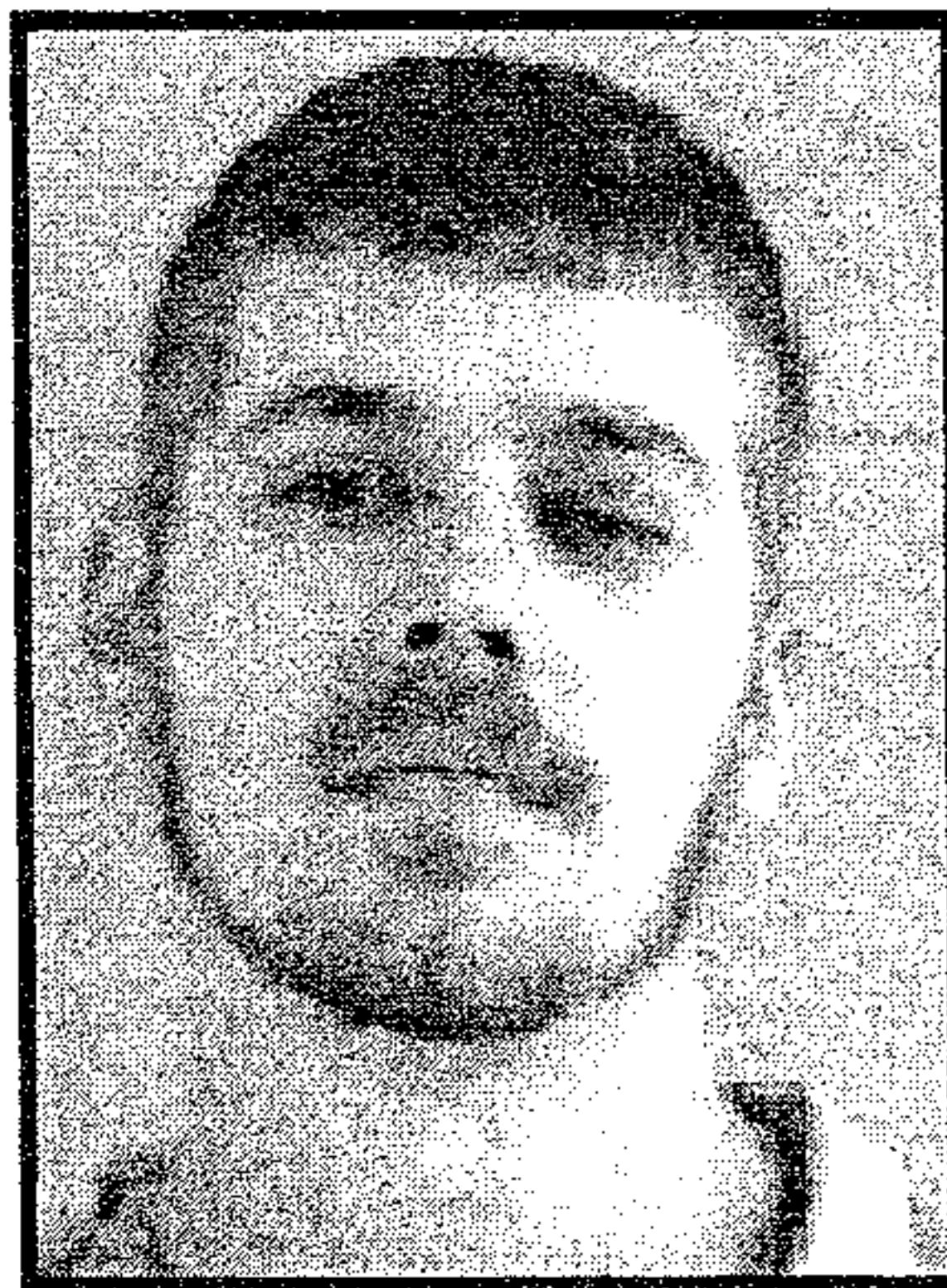
Dragnet: 9th DTF Agents conduct meth roundup at Rite Aide

(see Busted pg. 3)

Another busted just down the highway in traffic stop



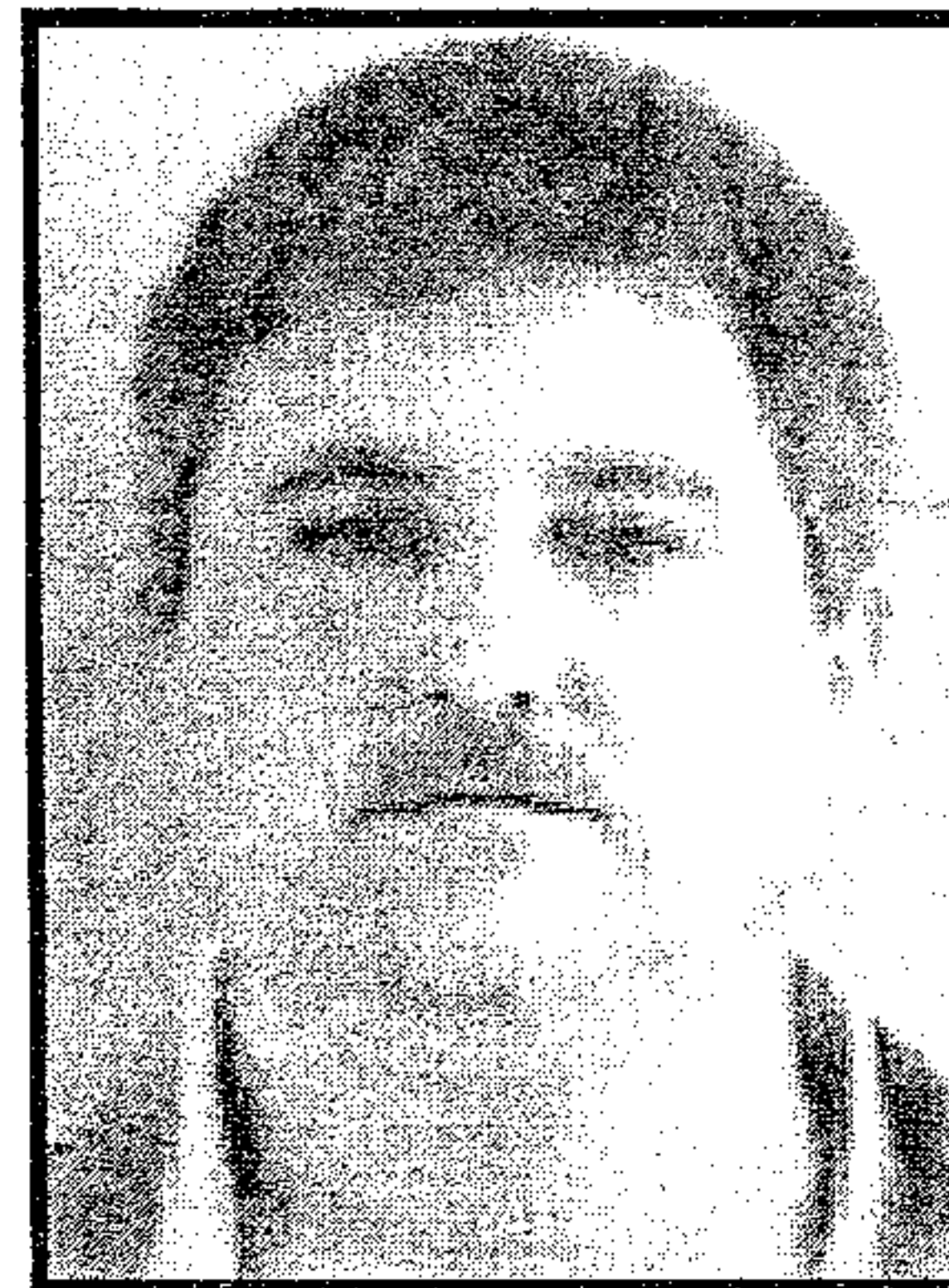
Chasity Janell Bowers



Jeffrey Larry Millsaps



Michael Scott Stewart



David Reed Colvin



Edgar Allen Arbogast

Verse of the Day

"Are (angels) not all ministering spirits, sent forth to minister for them who shall be heirs of salvation"
Hebrews 1:14

Obituaries

Carl Andrew (C.A.) Davis
Amanda Lou Shubert Shaw

Sam G. Littleton

Wazzup

Glad to hear you're feeling better, Butch

Russell. It was good hearing from you and we hope you're up and running again soon!

Weather

Today: Partly to mostly cloudy. High 53. Winds NW at 10 to 15

mph.

Tonight: Partly cloudy. Low around 35. Winds N at 5 to 10 mph.

Friday: More sun than clouds. Highs in the mid 60s and lows in the upper 40s.

Horoscopes

Aries 3/21-4/19

You may have a harder time relating to people today, but don't stress over it. If anything, you may find yourself

(see More pg. 2)

Busted

9th DTF Agents arrested multiple persons Wednesday after conducting surveillance at a Loudon pharmacy and finding several persons in possession of meth making ingredients, drugs and other paraphernalia. One man reportedly was caught shooting up when agents approached the suspect's vehicles, and another man in possession of meth making products, drugs and other paraphernalia was arrested just down the highway when the vehicle he was a passenger in was stopped for a seat belt violation.

Chastity Janell Bowers, 20, Campground Road, Madisonville was charged Wednesday with promotion of methamphetamine manufacture, possession of schedule IV controlled substance alprazolam, possession of schedule II am-

phetamine, and simple possession of marijuana.

Jeffrey Larry Millsaps, 24, George Thomas Road, Vonore was charged with possession of schedule II controlled substance, promotion of methamphetamine manufacture, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Michael Scott Stewart, 32, Easter Drive, Madisonville was charged with possession of schedule II controlled substance, promotion of methamphetamine manufacture, and criminal simulation.

Lovonda Nicolette Cooper, 21, Brakebill Road, Vonore was charged with possession of legend drugs, promoting the manufacturing of methamphetamine, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

David Reed Colvin, 40, also of Brakebill Road, Vonore was charged with promotion

of methamphetamine manufacture.

According to records, agents of the 9th Drug Task Force were conducting surveillance at the Rite Aide in Loudon Wednesday when two vehicles began to look suspicious. After observing numerous individuals enter and exit the pharmacy and pass small bags back and forth, the agents approached the vehicles, a 1993 Nissan Quest and a 2004 Buick LaSabre.

Agents Richard Wood and Jeff Vittatoe witnessed a back seat passenger of the van, Jeffrey Millsaps, attempting to inject a substance into his arm with a syringe, while a front seat passenger began furtive gestures in the floor area.

All occupants were removed from the vehicles and numerous items were seen in plain view in the van, including two syringes, a pipe, propane torch and several boxes of psuedophedrine.

Chastity Bowers was in the front passenger seat. Ms. Bowers had multiple small plastic bags containing a white powder like substance that tested positive for the presence of methamphetamine. Also in her possession was one hypodermic needle, two alprazolam, one amphetamine pill and a metal container containing a green leafy substance believed

to be marijuana.

Ms. Bowers had purchased psuedophedrine based products in the past, with the intention of using them or had used them to make methamphetamine.

Jeffrey Millsaps was in possession of one blue pill tentatively identified as oxycodone. Millsaps was seen by Agent Brendan DeBoer buying psuedoephedrine from the Rite Aide. It was determined he purchased the box with the understanding it was being used to make methamphetamine.

Michael Scott Stewart was the driver of the van and was found to be in possession of two pinkish colored capsules he advised were morphine pills. He also said he didn't have a prescription for the pills.

Stewart admitted he bought a 20 oz. bottle of orange drink and a can of Drano. Those items are often used in conjunction with the psuedoephedrine to manufacture meth. In addition, it was discovered he purchased more psuedoephedrine than Tennessee law allows, during the last 90 days. Mr. Stewart had a false identification with his picture and the name Michael Scott Ford.

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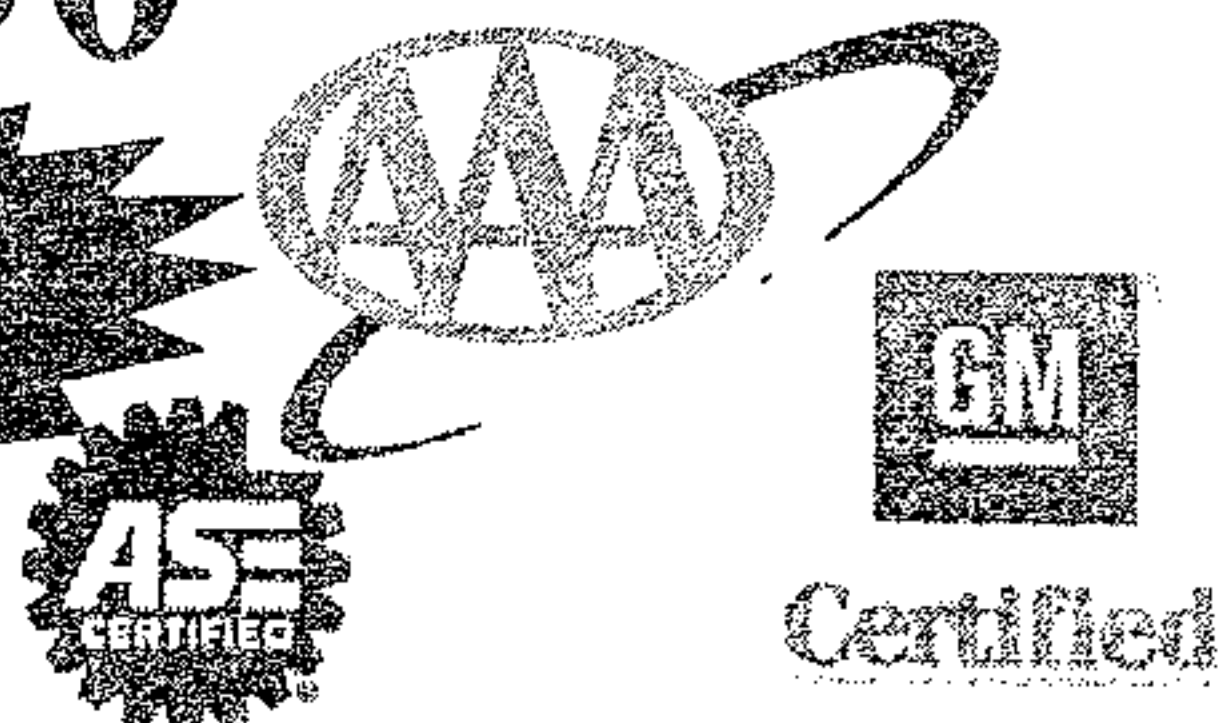
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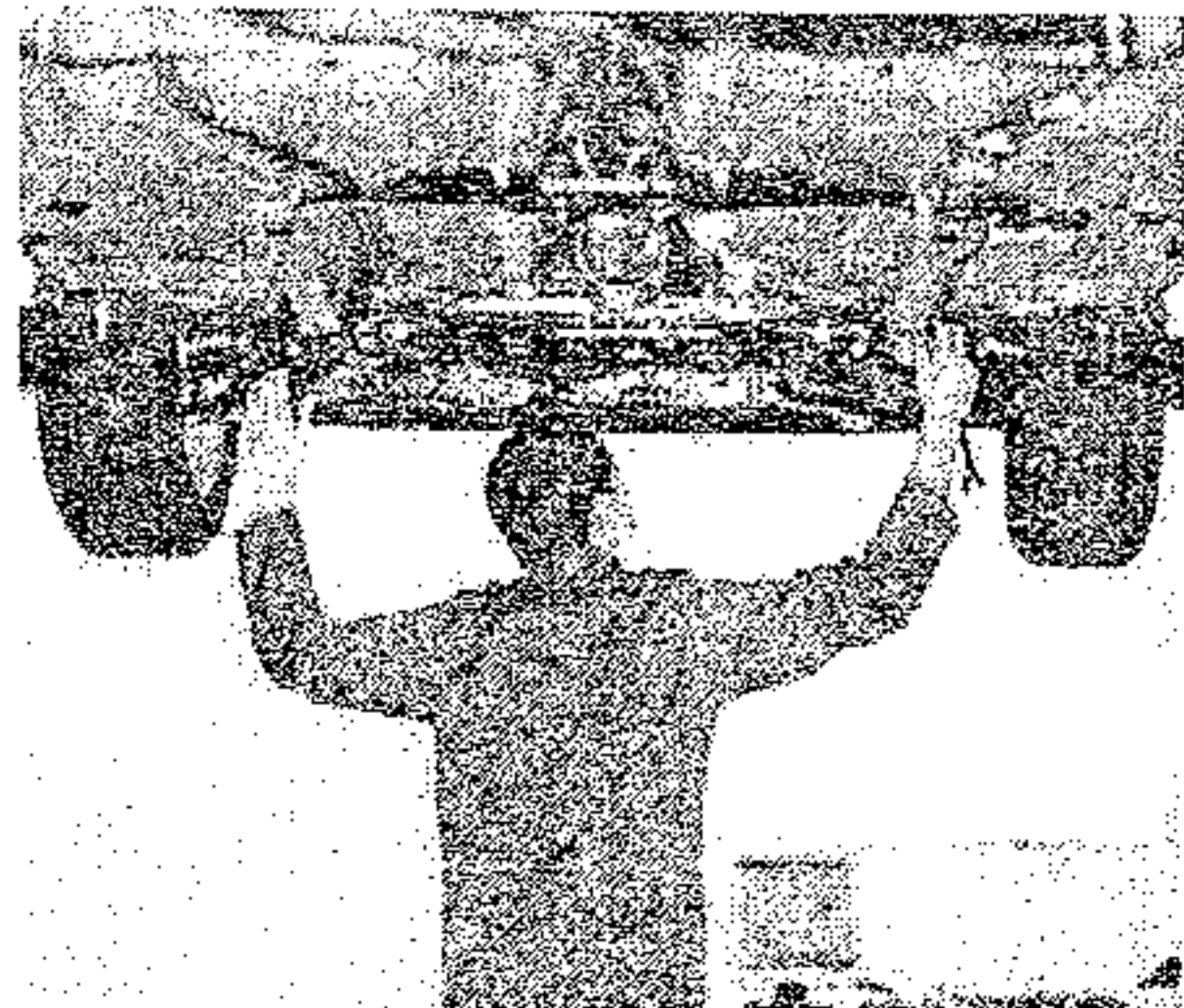
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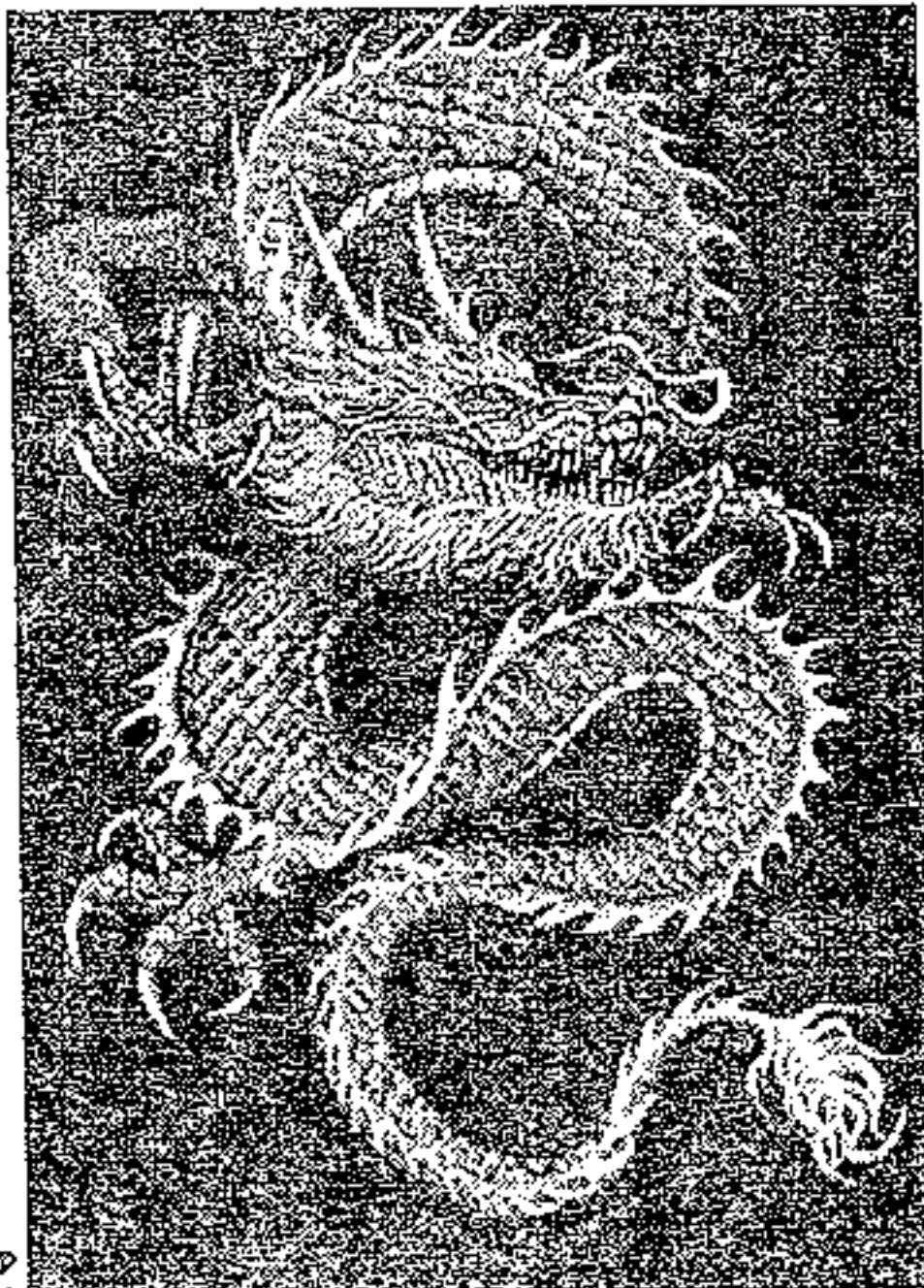
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Busted cont.

Lovonda Cooper was in the back seat of the van. She had numerous prescription pills, all tentatively identified as non schedule legend drugs, and a cut piece of straw with a white residue on the inside. Ms. Cooper was observed by Agent DeBoer purchasing a psuedoephedrine based product at the Rite Aide with the understanding it was being used to make meth.

David Colvin was likewise

seen by agents buying a psuedoephedrine based product. He left the store and met with the occupants in the van and turned it over to them. Colvin arrived in a separate vehicle and it was determined he was purchasing the box of medicine with the knowledge it would be used to make methamphetamine.

Just down the highway, another man was taken into custody on meth charges.

Edgar Allen Arbogast, 25, Lees Chapel Road, Sweetwater was charged with promotion of methamphetamine manufacture, unlawful possession of schedule III controlled substance and possession of drug paraphernalia.

According to reports, Mr. Arbogast was a passenger in a vehicle stopped in Loudon on Highway 72 and Steekee Road Wednesday for violation of the seat belt law.

During a consensual search of the vehicle, Mr. Arbogast was found to be in possession of a small blue lunch cooler containing a box of 240 mg. Lorata-D Sinus tablets, two bent spoons, rolling papers, six syringes, a pill crusher, a plastic bottle containing part of a suspected methadone wafer and a small plastic bottle with cotton soaked with an orange colored substance believed to be methadone.

Mr. Arbogast was advised of his rights before telling the agents all the items were his, and the box of sinus tablets were going to be used to manufacture methamphetamine.

Agent Jeff Vittatoc, 9th DTF made the arrest.

Police Beat

Derek Allen 'Derek' McCreary, Dogwood Lane, Loudon was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Charles Butler, LCSO made the arrest Friday.

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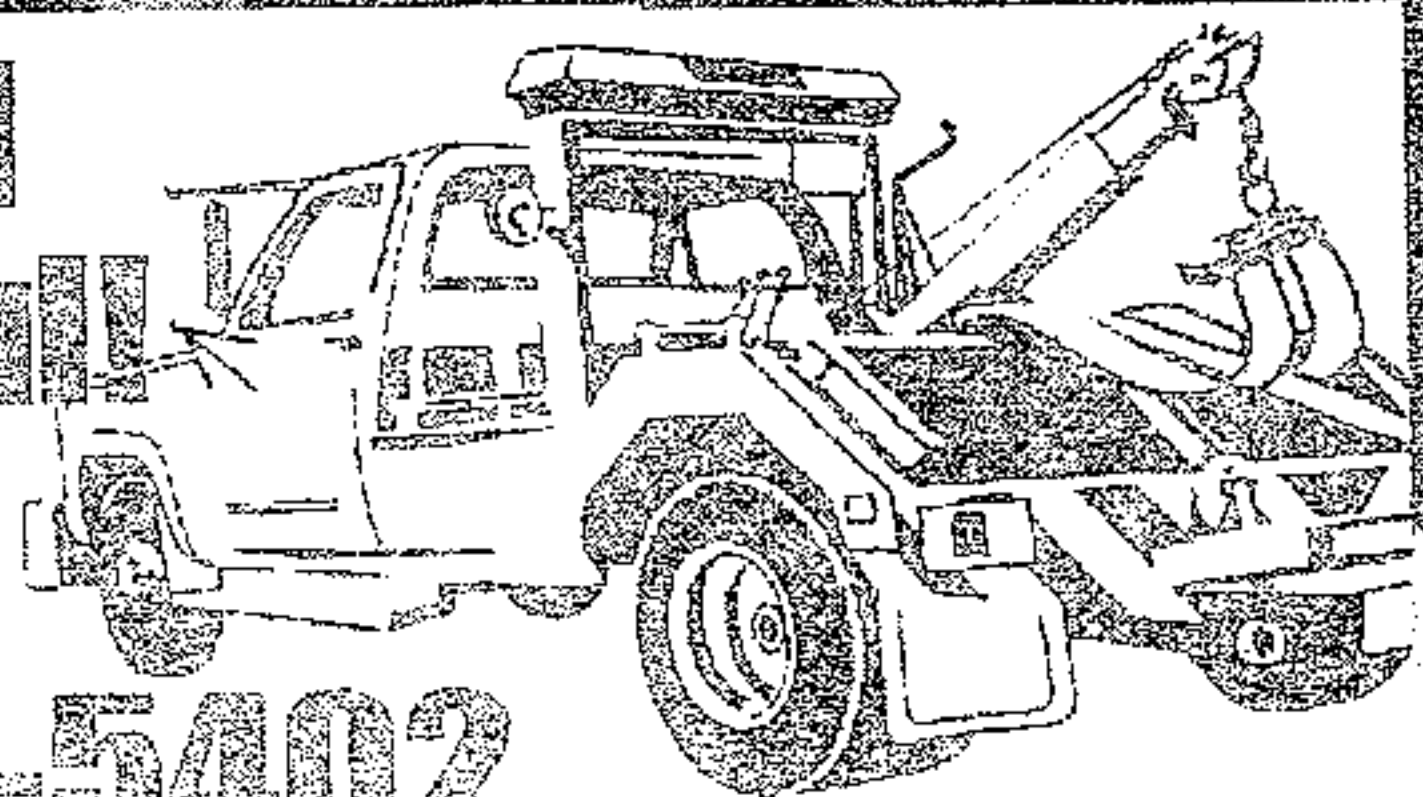
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Robbery

Linda Graham, 57, Pathkiller Trail, Loudon was charged on an outstanding warrant for aggravated robbery.

According to affidavits; on Monday, March 21st, 2011, at approximately 12:38 AM, Officer Bennie Houser, LPD was dispatched to a Summer Street residence for a possible assault. The victim stated Curtis Graham assaulted her. She advised she was in bed asleep when

Curtis Graham kicked her door in and grabbed her by the hair dragging her into the living room. He then slammed her to the ground three times, injuring her wrist.

Mr. Graham then went into the kitchen and retrieved a 10 inch knife and came at her, threatening to kill her. The victim gave him money and he left.

Mr. Graham and Linda Graham had been at the residence earlier and got \$100. Mr. Graham and the victim are roommates.

Mr. Graham left the residence and Linda

Graham drove him away. Mrs, Graham knew why he was at the residence.

The victim was transported to Fort Loudoun Medical Center for her injuries.

Officer Bobby Lankford, LPD served the warrants and made the arrests later Monday morning.

Police Beat

Timothy Charles Counts, 49, Maple Lane, Loudon was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Charles Butler, LCSO made the arrest Saturday.



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Bradshaw

sponded to a disturbance call on Calloway Road where the complainant stated he and Derrik Bradshaw got into a verbal altercation in front of his residence.

The man further stated Bradshaw went to his

truck, which was parked across the road at another residence, reached inside, and asked him, "How would you like to be shot with a flare gun?"

Mr. Bradshaw denied saying anything about shooting the complainant.

Deputy Branam asked

for and received consent to search Bradshaw's vehicle. The deputy didn't find the weapon or anything similar to a hand gun or flare gun, and after taking a report at the scene, left.

Shortly after leaving the residence, dispatch advised Deputy Branam,

Mr. Bradshaw returned to the residence across the road, retrieved a hand gun from beside the porch, and left the residence in a black Mitsubishi Eclipse traveling toward his own residence.

When Deputy Branam arrived at Bradshaw's house, Mr. Bradshaw was in the driveway putting a battery in his truck. When asked about the gun Bradshaw stated he

went to the residence to pick up a pistol that belonged to his dad because he had left it there.

The pistol was retrieved from the residence and the shape of the weapon could have been confused for a flare gun.

Statements were taken by all parties involved and Mr. Bradshaw was taken into custody and duly charged.



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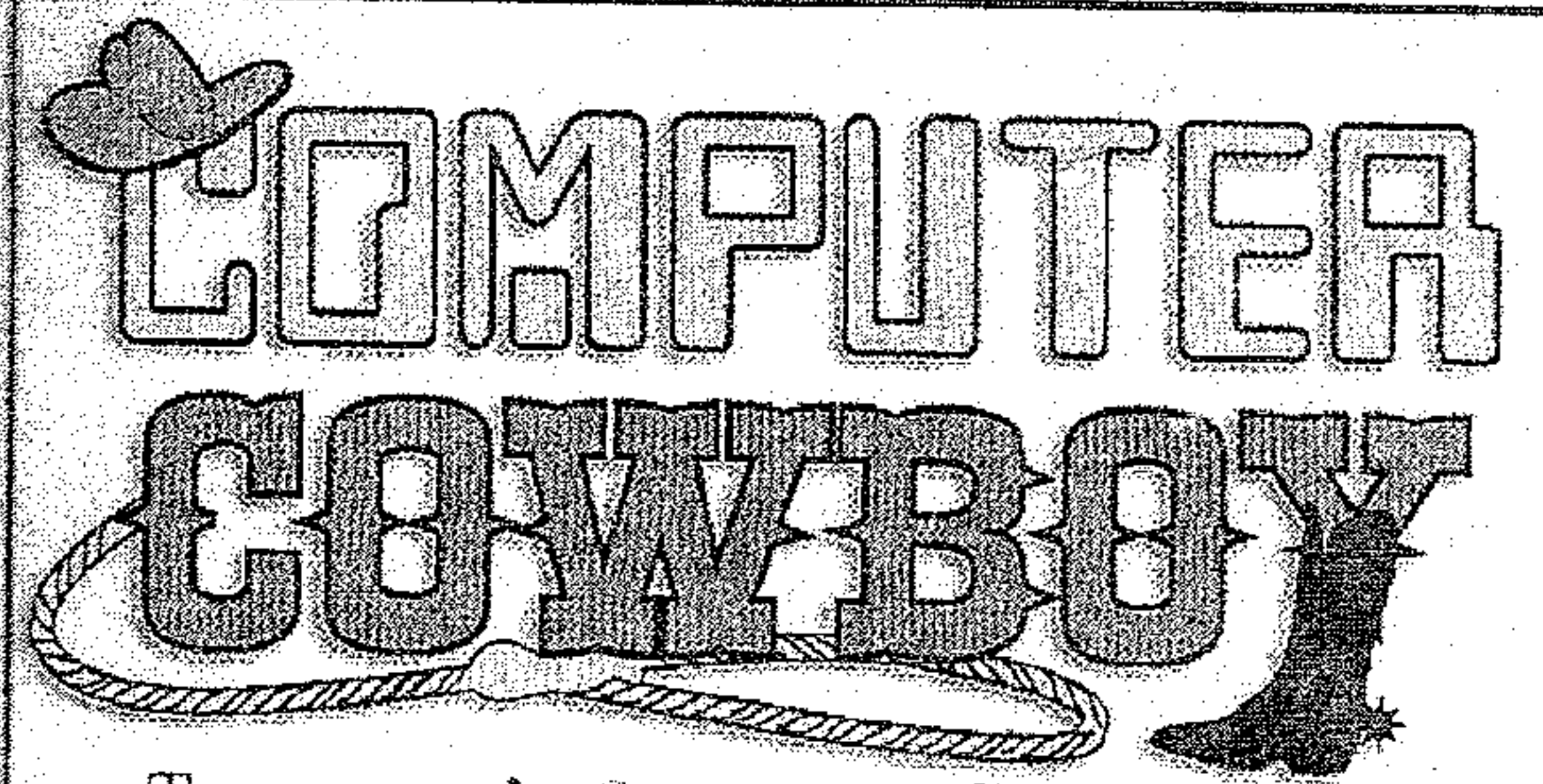
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