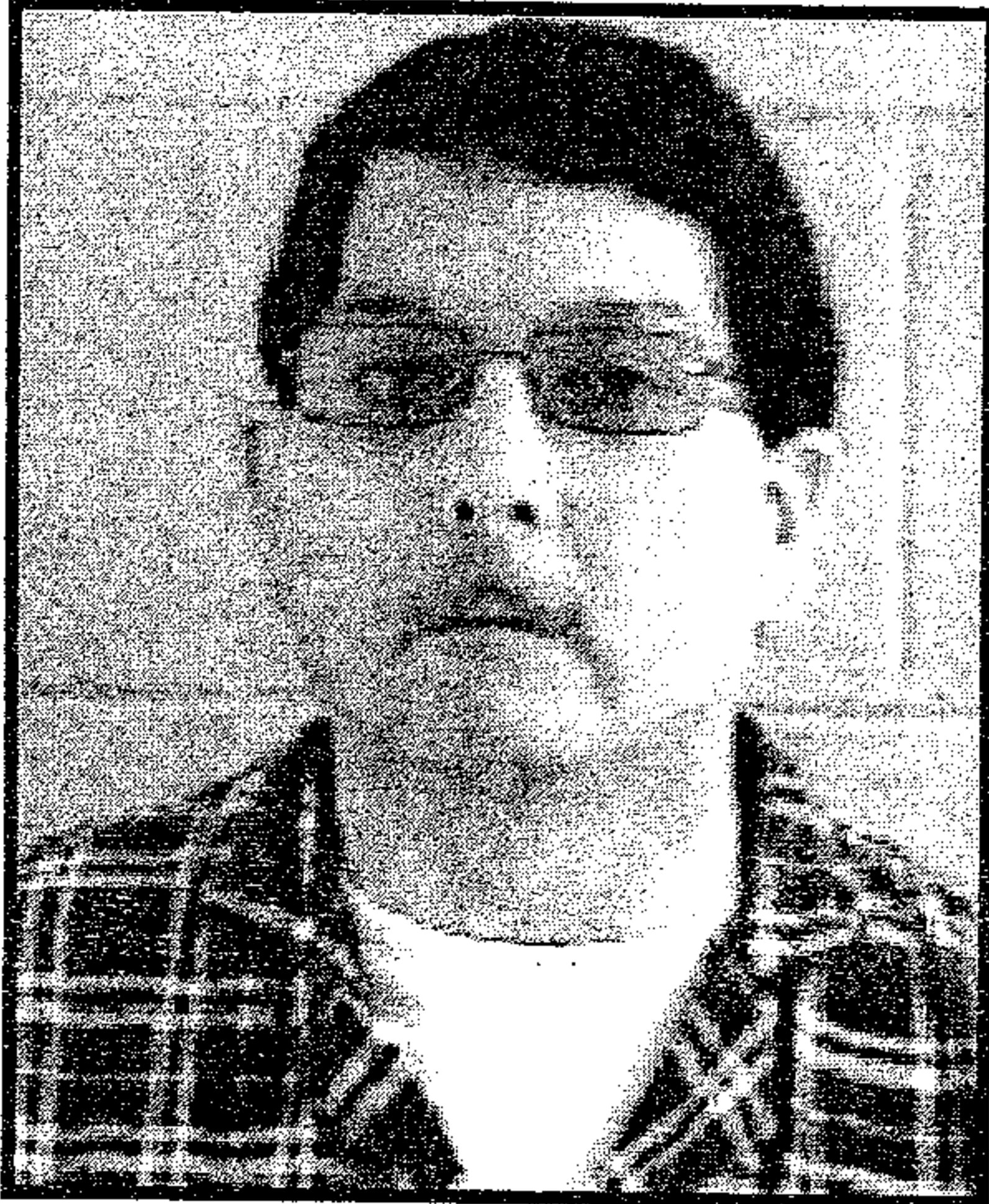


Man charged with threatening neighbor's wife with shotgun

Authorities arrested a Greenback man Wednesday after he allegedly threatened to shoot his neighbor's wife with a shotgun when she refused to come to his yard.

Robert Dale Murr, 52, North Trigon Road, Greenback was charged Wednesday with aggravated assault.

According to an affidavit; Deputy Daryl H. Smith, LCSO responded to a report of a person threatening to kill another person with a



(see Murr pg. 6) Murr

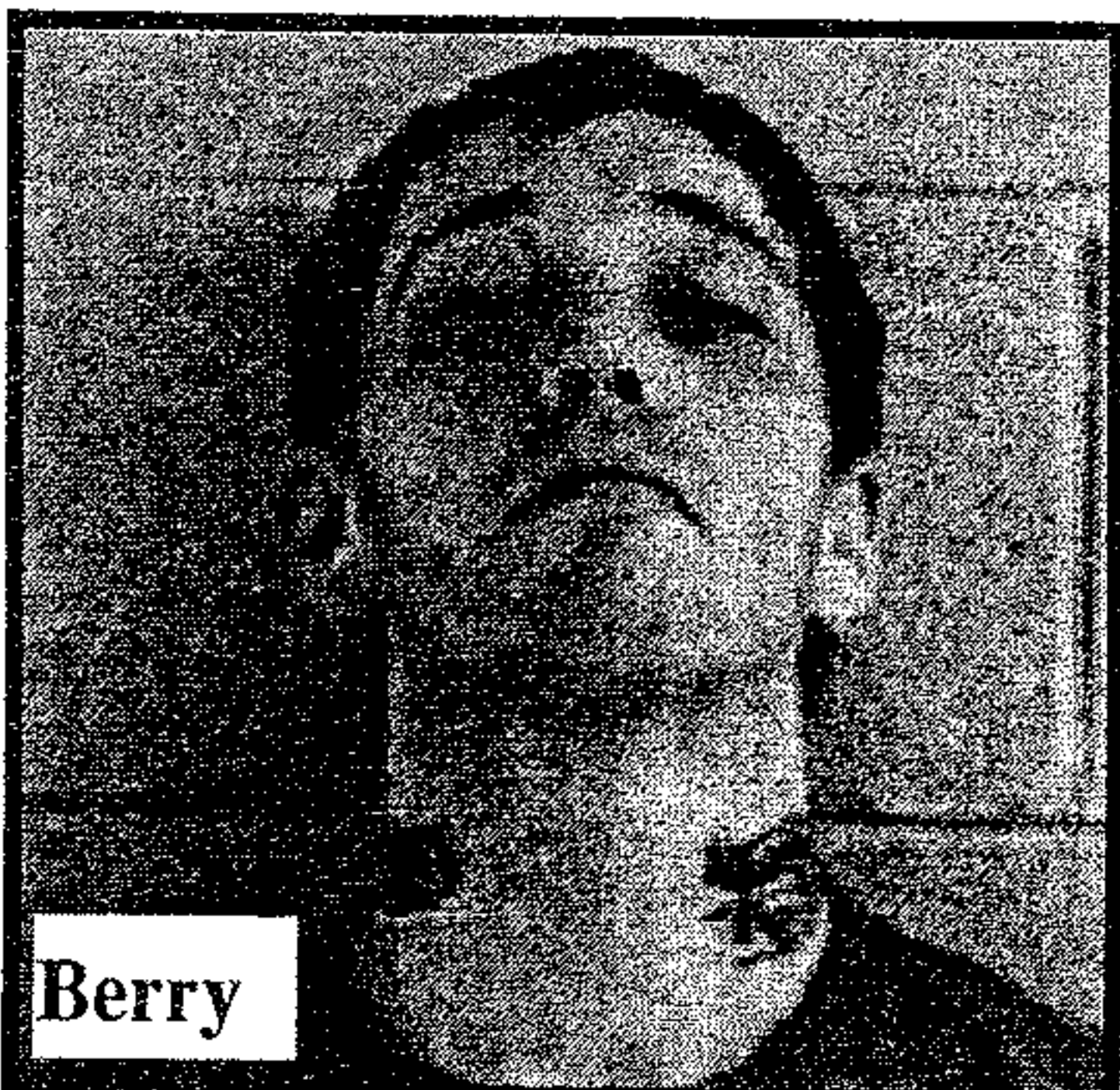
That ain't no sushi I ever heard of



Parrott

(see Parrott pg. 5)

Berry joins trio busted for meth



Berry

(see Berry pg. 3)

Bad behavior lands teen in "big people's jail"

A Lenoir City teen found herself incarcerated in the Loudon County Jail after she reportedly had a temper tantrum and damaged a door during an interview with Detective Jonathan Sartin and a DCS worker. When the lawman told the young woman she was under arrest, she disputed him and tried to walk off before being taken to the ground in a headlock.

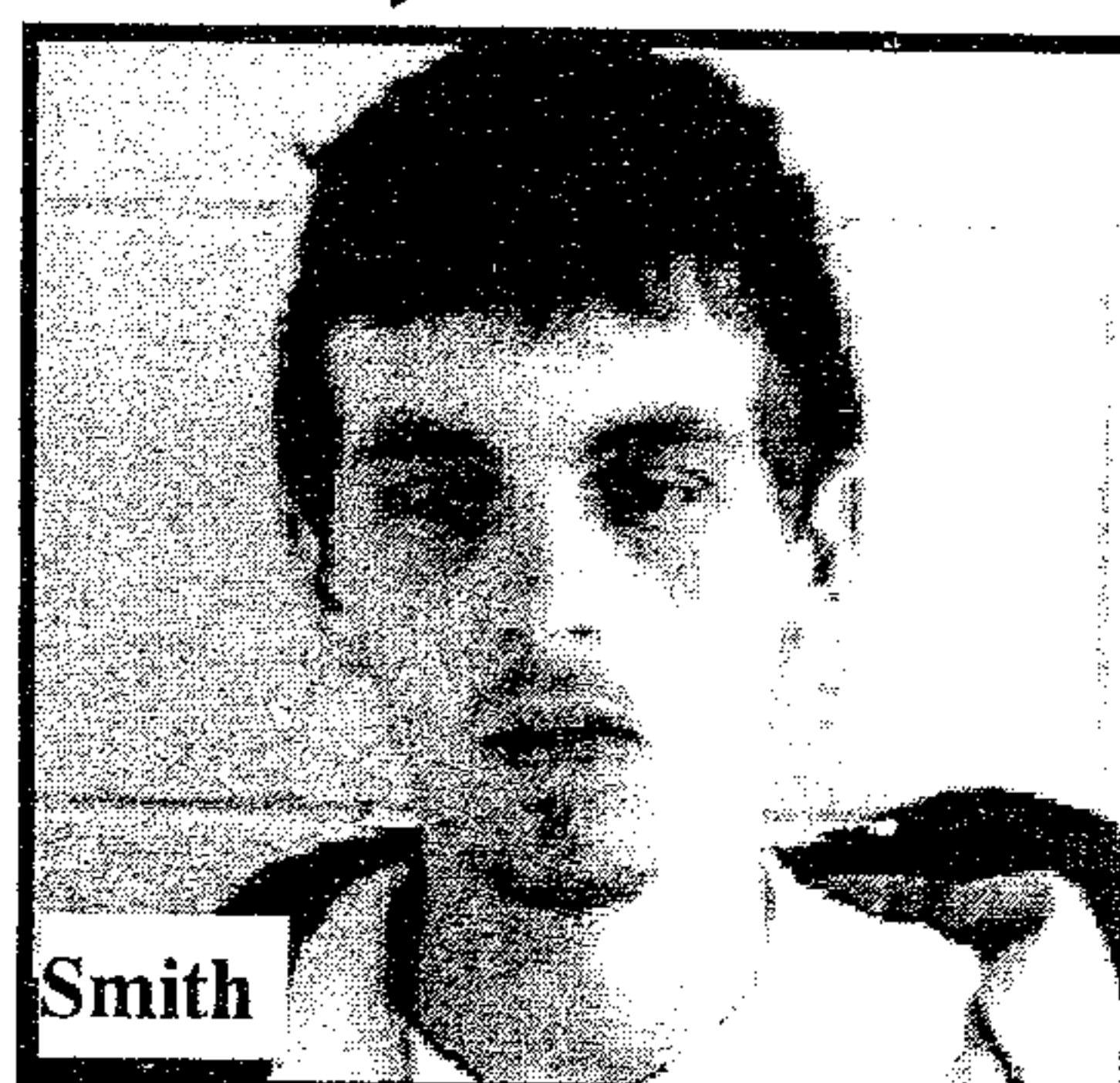
Melissa Renee Westmoreland, 18, West 9th, Av-

(see Westmoreland pg. 7)



Westmoreland

Man steals from mom, busted



Smith

(see Smith pg. 8)

Revoked driver flees, fails



Stricker

(see Stricker pg. 6)

Hunting Seasons Overview, Recommendations Among Agenda Items for April TWRC Meeting

NASHVILLE --- The Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency's recommendations for the 2011-12 hunting and trapping seasons will be among the agenda items for the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Commission when it meets April 14-15 in Nashville.

The TWRC will hold its regularly scheduled meeting at the TWRA's Region II Ray

(see Meeting pg. 4)

Verse of the Day

"Only fear the Lord, and serve him in truth with all your heart; for consider how great things he hath done for you." 1 Samuel 12:24

Obituaries

Mary Elizabeth Andrew
Arnette Jean Hintz
Kerry Dean Huebner

Wazzup

Why is it people think it's okay to throw their

trash in the open bed of someone's pickup truck? Do any of you truck owners out there have this problem? What can be done about it??

Weather

Today: Rain showers

early with some sunshine later in the day. High 68. Winds NW at 10 to 20 mph. Chance of rain 50%.

Tonight: Partly cloudy skies. Low 44. Winds NNW at 5 to 10 mph.

Wednesday: Times of sun and clouds. Highs in the low 70s and lows in the mid 40s.

Horoscopes

Aries 3/21-4/19

You need to check in (see More pg. 2)

Berry

According to the warrants, Investigator Marty Stanley, LCSO was called to Simpson

Road near Shaw Ferry to assist with a motor vehicle crash and possible meth lab. Upon arrival the officer spoke to Deputy Michael Wat-

kins and Corporal Chad Estes who advised the people in the crash had already been transported to the hospital. The people were identified as Gregory Clay Berry, Ronnie Dean Brown Jr and Christi Lee Jacobs.

When the investigator performed a vehicle inventory of the car the officer observed sev-

eral components used to manufacture meth in the vehicle including a gallon of muratic acid, lithium batteries, blood test strip container with psuedoephedrine pills inside, plastic tubing and white residue on two spoons along with a pipe used to smoke meth.

Gregory Clay Berry, 28, of W. Broadway, Lenoir City, was charged with promotion

of methamphetamine manufacture, and felony possession of drug paraphernalia. Officer Jeremy Dishner LCPD made the arrest.

Police Beat

Christopher Paul Bass II, 19, of Sumnerdale Drive, Knoxville was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy Daniel Ferguson, LCSO made the arrest.

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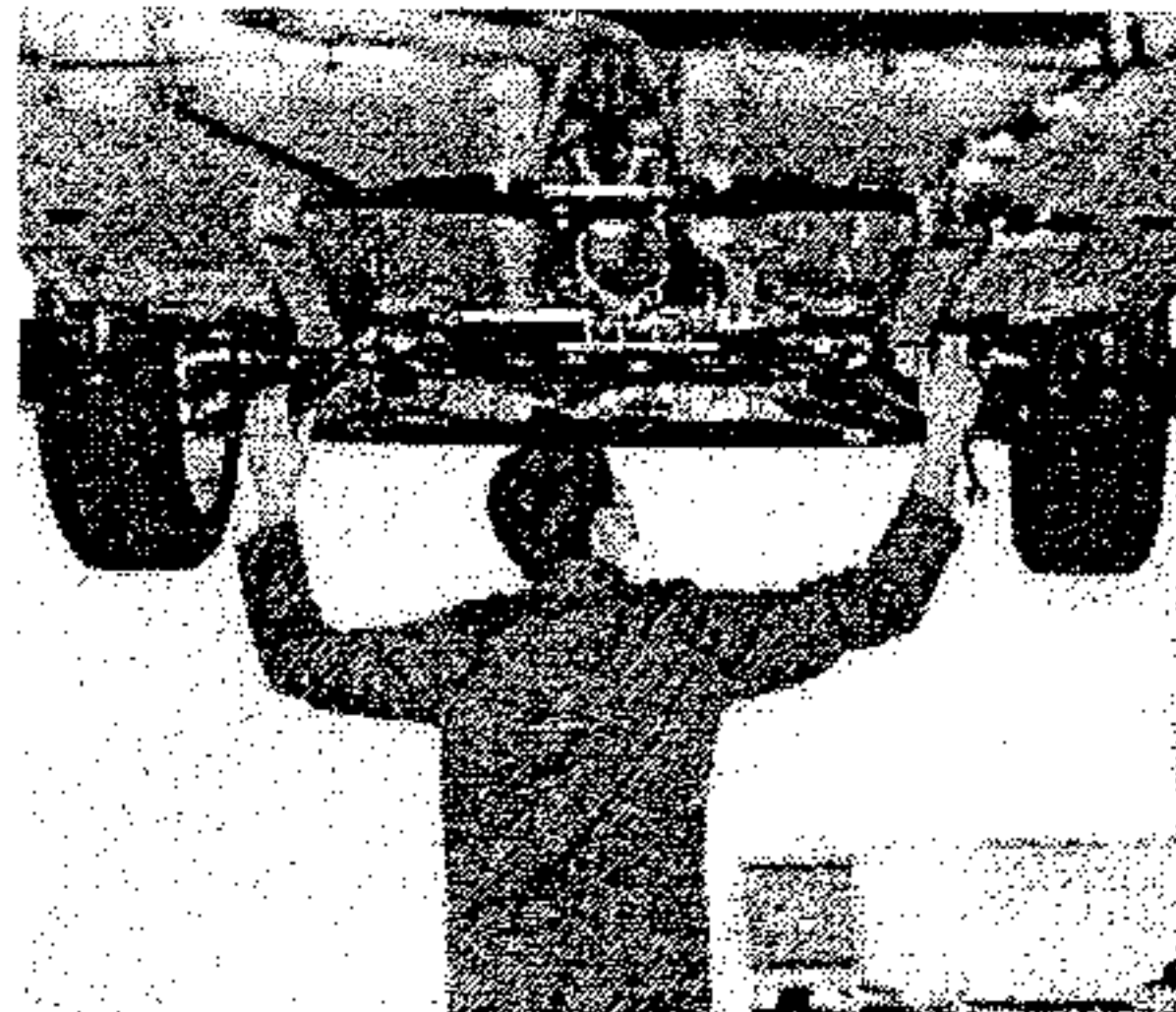
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Obituaries

Mary Elizabeth Andrew - age 93 of Kingston passed away Saturday, April 9, 2011 at the Loudon Health Care Center surrounded by her family. She was a member of Poplar Springs Primitive Baptist Church in Kingston. Preceded in death by her parents, Floyd and Maggie Andrew; brothers, Walter and Albert Andrew; sisters, Gladys Byington, Linda Eblen, Viola Frye and Thelma Walker. She is survived by her sister, Helen Smith; brother, Jack Andrew both of Rutledge; many nieces and nephews. Friends may call at their convenience at Click Funeral Home in Lenoir City. Family and friends will gather at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home and proceed to the Poplar Springs Cemetery for graveside services at 2 p.m. Click Funeral Home, Lenoir City is in charge of arrangements.

Arnette Jean Hintz, age 64 of the Tellico Village Community, Loudon, TN passed away on April 9, 2011 at her home. Arnette was a member of Christ our Savior Lutheran Church. She was also active in the Loudon County Democratic Party. Arnette received her Bachelor's Degree from Southwest Minnesota State University and her RN Degree from Montana Tech. Arnette enjoyed boating and spending time with friends, family and especially her grandchildren. Her most important attribute was that she was a Christian wife, mother, and grandmother. She kept the Love of Christ alive and active in her family. Arnette was preceded in death by her father Ernest Valis. She is survived by her husband of 44 years, John Hintz, daughter Alissa Smiley and her husband Joe of Nevada, son Patrick Hintz and his wife, Michelle

of Maryland; grandchildren Breanna and Timothy; mother, Ruth Valis, sister, Beth Gancarz both of Illinois, and brother, Ernest Valis of Pennsylvania. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, April 12 from 6 - 8 p.m. at Click Funeral Home in Lenoir City, TN. The family will also receive friends on Wednesday, April 13, from 10:00 - 10:30 a.m. at Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church. Funeral services will follow at 10:30 a.m. with Pastor James Kirk officiating assisted by Pastor Mark Rhoads. Burial will follow in the Lakeview Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, 260 Wade Road, West, Loudon, TN 37774 or to a charity of your choice. Click Funeral Home & Cremations - Tellico Village Chapel is serving the family of Arnette Hintz.

Kerry Dean Huebner - age 47 of Lenoir City passed away Friday, April 8, 2011. He was a former employee of Yale Security in Lenoir City. Kerry's passion was martial arts and animals. He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Leslie Huebner; grandmother, Iva Johnson, and niece, Crystal Huebner. Kerry is survived by his companion of 14 years, Monica Dean; parents, Elizabeth and Robert Huebner of Clinton; sister and brother-in-law, Kathy and Paul Elliott of Oliver Springs, brother and sister-in-law, Kevin and Gina Huebner of Powell; grandmother, Eleanor Huebner of Phoenix, AZ; nieces and nephews, Paul Rip Elliott of Henderson, Janiece and Austin Dixon of North Port, AL, Daniel Huebner, and Tiffany Huebner both of Powell; many aunts and uncles. The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 p.m. Monday at Click Funeral Home. Funeral services will follow at 7 p.m. with Rev. Ken Phillips

officiating. Family and friends will gather at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Oak Ridge Memorial Park for graveside services. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to your local humane society of the ASPCA. Click Funeral Home, Lenoir City is in charge of arrangements.

Meeting

Bell Building in Nashville. The committee meeting begins at 1 p.m. on April 14 and at 9 a.m. with the formal meeting on April 15. The TWRC is meeting on Thursday-Friday this month.

The TWRA Wildlife and Forestry Division will provide the Commission with a 2010-11 hunting season overview. The 2011-12 proclamations to be discussed include big game, small game, wildlife management areas (WMAs), National Wildlife Refuges, manner and means, importation of cervid carcasses, falconry, and unprotected species.

The commission annually hears the agency's hunting and trapping recommendations during the April meeting. The seasons are set during the May meeting which is scheduled for May 19-20 in Nashville.

The TWRA Boating Division will recognize its officer of the year and in addition, introduce a new award, the agency's part-time boating officer of the year.

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Parrott

Deputy Billy Hall, LCSO reported he observed a green vehicle traveling south on I75 and was all over the roadway and kept speeding up and slowing down and travel-

ing at speeds from 58mph to 77mph in a 65mph zone. The vehicle made several abrupt lane changes for no apparent reason and when the officer activated his blue lights to spot the vehicle it abruptly pulled to the shoulder and

stopped.

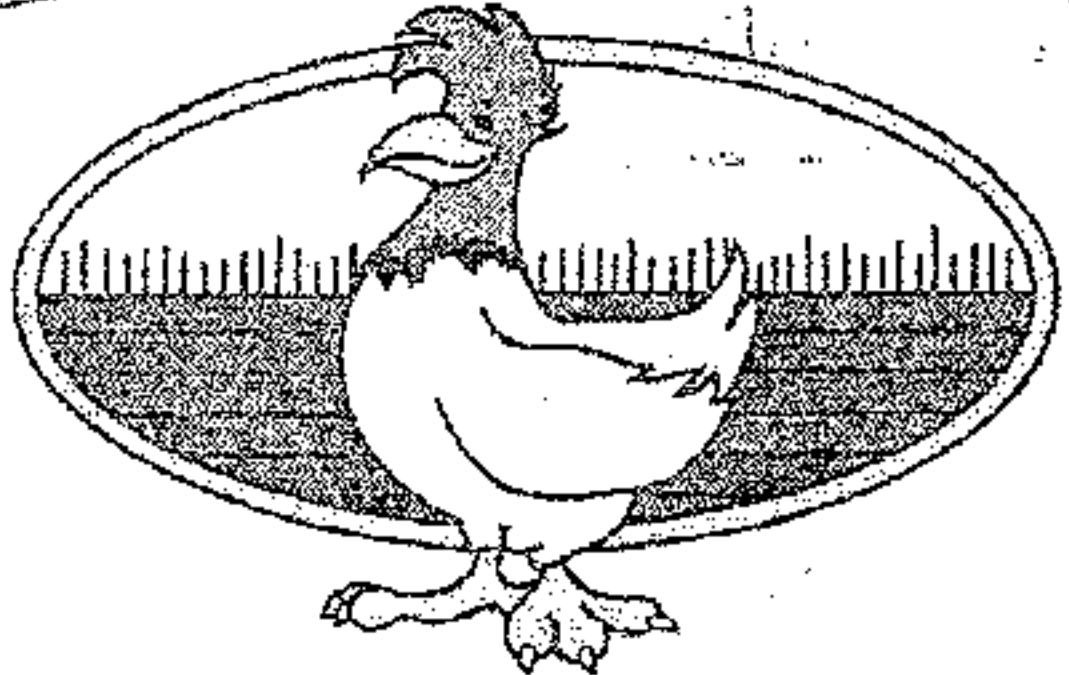
Deputy Hall made contact with the driver, Robert Mark Parrott. Mr. Parrott had extreme slow speech and very glassy eyes. A strong odor of an alcoholic beverage was emitting from his person and he was very unsteady on his feet.

Mr. Parrott reported he had been "drinking sushi and rice wine at a sushi bar." The deputy attempted to give Mr. Parrott a sobriety task but he could not follow directions.

At times while attempting the task he almost fell. Mr. Parrott was extremely intoxicated. Found in Parrott's front pocket was a glass vial that contained injectable Hydromorphone, a schedule II drug. A BAC test was taken at the hospital.

Robert Mark Parrott, 50, of Fish Hatchery road, Sweetwater, was charged with DUI 1st and possession of schedule II (hydromorphone). Deputy Billy Hall, LCSO made the arrest.

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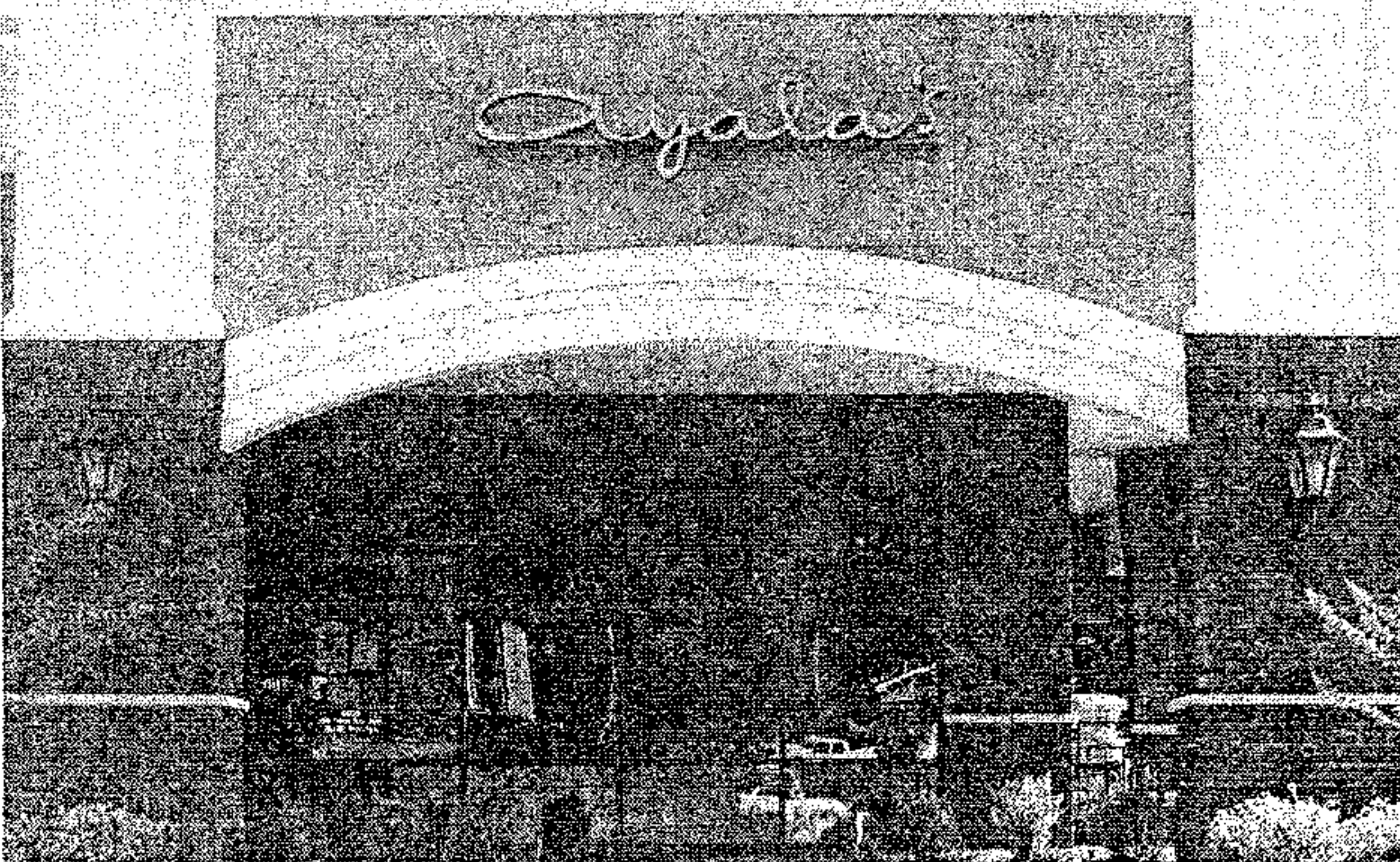
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Stricker

A local man reportedly tried turning off all the lights on his vehicle to lose law enforcement offices, but failed in his attempt to flee and as taken into custody at gunpoint when authorities tried to stop him for having a broken headlight.

Rudy Elias Stricker, 28, of Browder Hollow Road, Lenoir City was charged with driving on revoked license and evading arrest.

According to the report, Agent Jeff Vittatoe, 9th DTF observed a vehicle with a headlight out. The officer turned on his lights and the vehicle fled.

Agent Vittatoe then observed the tail lights out and began to pursue the vehicle at a slow rate of speed. At one point the driver turned all the lights on the vehicle off in an attempt to avoid the officer as well and was pursued into Rambling Acres Trailer Park and the driver exited and was taken into custody by gunpoint.

The driver was identified as Rudy Stricker and his license was found to be revoked.

Agent Jeff Vittatoe, 9th DTF made the arrest.

Tree-Planting Events Honor Courage of Crime Victims

NASHVILLE—Governor Bill Haslam, Speaker Beth Harwell and Board of Probation and Parole (BOPP) Chairman Charles Traughber are honoring crime victims during National Crime Victims' Rights Week (April 10 - 16) with 12 tree-planting ceremonies in communities across Tennessee. The kickoff event took place in Nashville on Monday morning, April 11, at Bicentennial Capitol Mall State Park.

"A tree is a symbol of strength, determination and perseverance and that is a powerful comparison to what we see from crime victims who overcome tragedy to make a difference in their communities," Haslam said. "It is important that we remember and recognize the challenges facing victims and their families, as well as the dedication of advocates who help them in the healing process."

Tennessee House Speaker Beth Harwell, a long-time advocate for victims' rights, delivered the keynote address for the Nashville event. She said, "Victims of crime deserve a voice to ensure fairness and justice. This week will raise awareness for the rights of victims, and highlight Tennessee's

commitment to fight for those who have been the victims of crime. I applaud the Board of Probation and Parole for their efforts on this issue."

This is the third year the Board of Probation and Parole has organized this series of victim awareness events. Board Chairman Charles Traughber said the concerns of victims are among the agency's top priorities. "The Board of Probation and Parole places a strong emphasis on victim input, as well as on serving victims of crime with information about the parole process. It is important that the victim's voice is heard."

During each event, BOPP will present a victim advocate with a Voice for Victims Award in recognition of commitment and dedication to helping crime victims. The award for Davidson County was presented to Rita Mitchell, chair of the YWCA Board of Directors. The YWCA maintains a shelter for domestic violence victims and provides them with counseling and other services as well. A statewide award was also presented honoring Sue Jones, Victim Witness Coordinator for the Tennessee Attorneys General Conference. Jones began her work in victim services as Victim Witness Coordinator for

the 18th Judicial District in Sumner County. In her current role, she provides training for victim coordinators and assistants and works to educate the public on the victim witness program.

BOPP's 2011 schedule of tree-planting events

also includes ceremonies in Chattanooga, Clarksville, Clinton, Columbia, Cookeville, Jackson, Johnson City, Knoxville, Memphis, Murfreesboro and Paris. A complete list of events is included with this release.



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Westmoreland

enue, Lenoir City, was charged with vandalism under \$500 and resisting arrest.

According to affidavits filed by Detective Jonathan Sartin, LCPD on Wednesday, Melissa Westmoreland and Stephanie Westmoreland were brought interviewed by Detective Sartin and Charlene Nedig from DCS about their sister.

During the conversation, Melissa Westmo-

reland got upset, started cussing, grabbed the door and jerked it open into the wall, knocking a hole in the wall because she was mad.

The total amount of damage was estimated at \$300.

Ms. Westmoreland went outside and Detective Sartin went after her. He told her she was under arrest and to have a seat on the sidewalk.

Melissa told the detective she was not going to jail, got up and

started walking off.

Detective Sartin got a hold of her and she tried to jerk away so he put her in a head lock and put her back on the sidewalk until a patrol car arrived to transport her to jail.

Police Beat

Christopher Thomas Davis, 32, Walls Circle, Oliver Springs was charged on an attachment out of General Sessions Court.

Deputy Vance Wright, LCSO made the arrest

Wednesday at the Anderson County Jail.

arrest Thursday.

Troy Edward Cheatham, 30, West 2nd Avenue, Lenoir City was charged on a capias warrant out of Knox County.

Officer Dennis S. Guider, LCPD made the

James Christian Arrowood, 37, Margrave Street, Harriman was charged Friday with violation of community correction.

Corporal Angi Martin, LCSO made the arrest.

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Smith

A local man was jailed after he allegedly stole over \$500 worth of property from his mother.

Josef Keith Smith, 25, of Jan Way Drive, Lenoir City was charged with theft over \$500.

According to the report, on the 26th day of March, the victim advised her son, Josef Smith had taken the following items from her home: a ring, valued at \$300, a gray case containing air tools, valued at \$130 and a .25 caliber pistol valued at \$150.

The items were taken without the permission of the owner.

Detective Jack Fine, LCPD filed the charges. Officer Jamie Whitt, LCPD made the arrest.

Smith

shotgun at a residence on North Trigon Road. On arrival, the deputy was met by a man in his front yard. He stated the man across the street, later identified as Robert Dale Murr, threatened his wife with a shotgun while she was in her front yard.

The man's wife came outside at that point and stated that while she was in her front yard, Mr. Murr shouted to her to come over to his yard and then began threatening and

cursing her when she refused.

The woman further stated Mr. Murr had a shotgun in his hands on his front porch. Mr. Murr denied the accusations and when Deputy Smith asked about a shotgun, Murr said he had one inside and permitted the lawman to obtain it.

A large knife and the shotgun were on a bed in the residence. Both were taken into evidence.

Mr. Murr began complaining of chest pain and an ambulance was called for him. He was transported to Park West Hospital in Knoxville by Rural Metro Ambulance in lieu of custody.

The deputy noted in his report the shotgun was loaded with one shell in the chamber and one in the magazine. LCSO Deputy Bobby Hamilton and ND Investigator Marty Stanley were also on scene.

Police Beat

John Palladin Gibson, 38, Vale Street, Loudon was charged with public intoxication.

According to records, Officer Brad Parks, LCSO was dispatched Thursday to a trouble call in the area of Highland Avenue and Summer Street. Upon arrival, the officer spoke to John P. Gibson.

Mr. Gibson had a

strong odor of an alcoholic beverage about his person, was unsteady on his feet and admitted to drinking 4 beers. Mr. Gibson was deemed a danger

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Officer Blake Norman, LPD was also in attendance.

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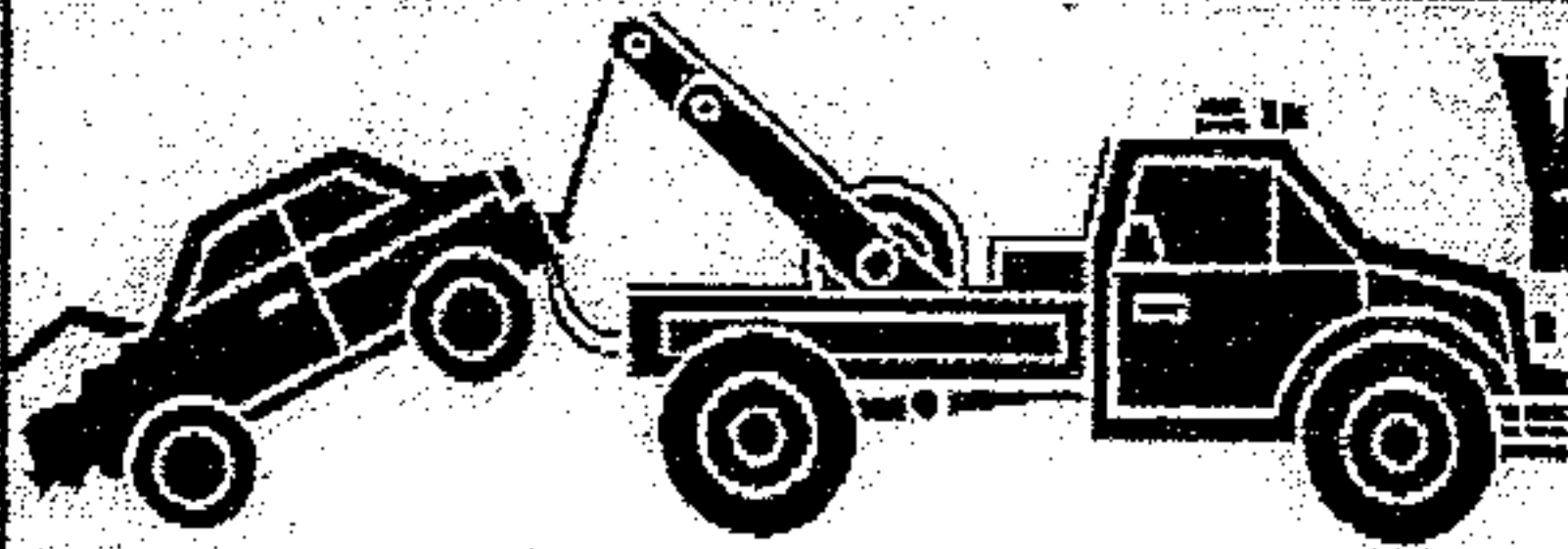


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