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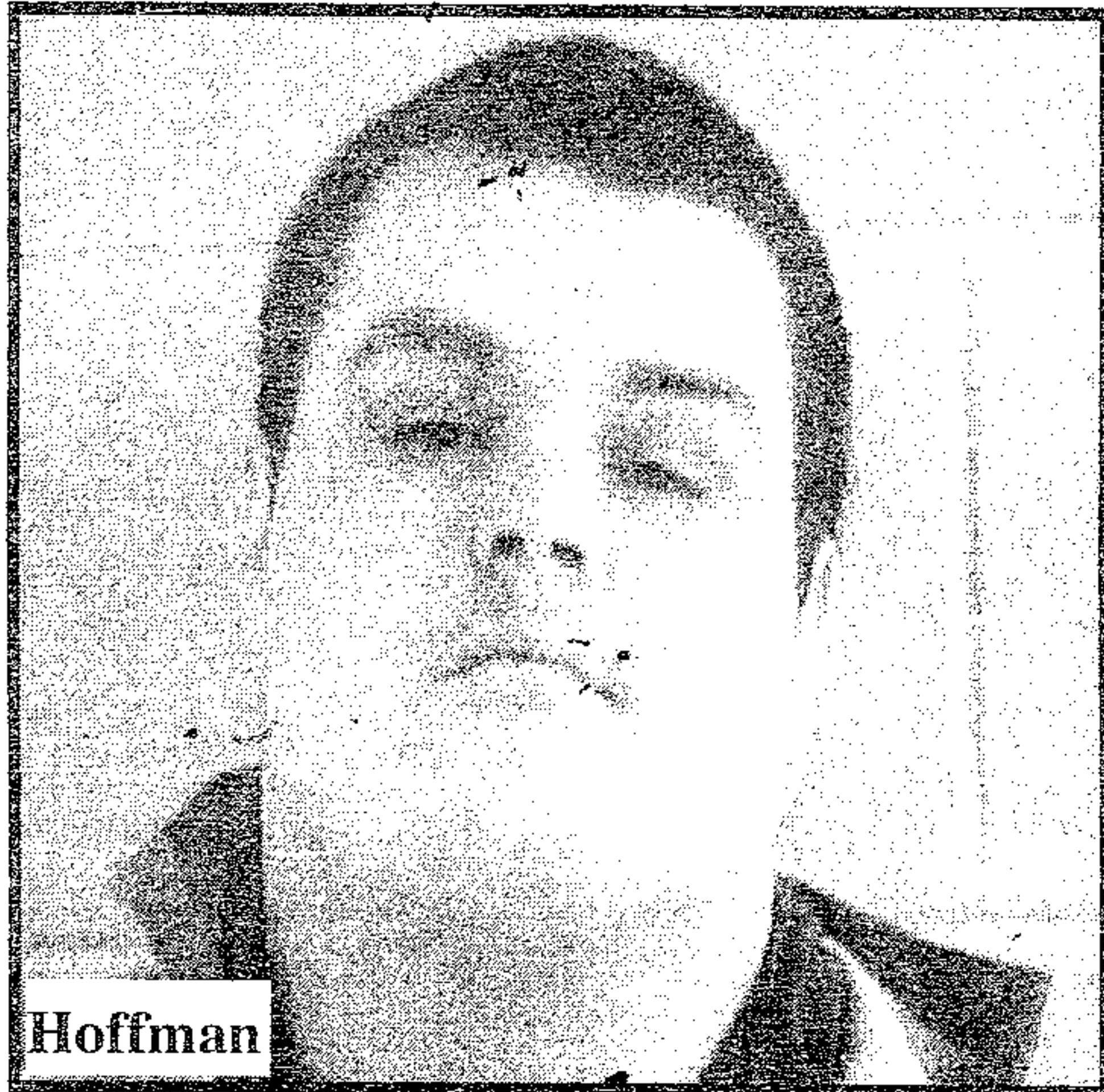
Wednesday, January 25, 2012

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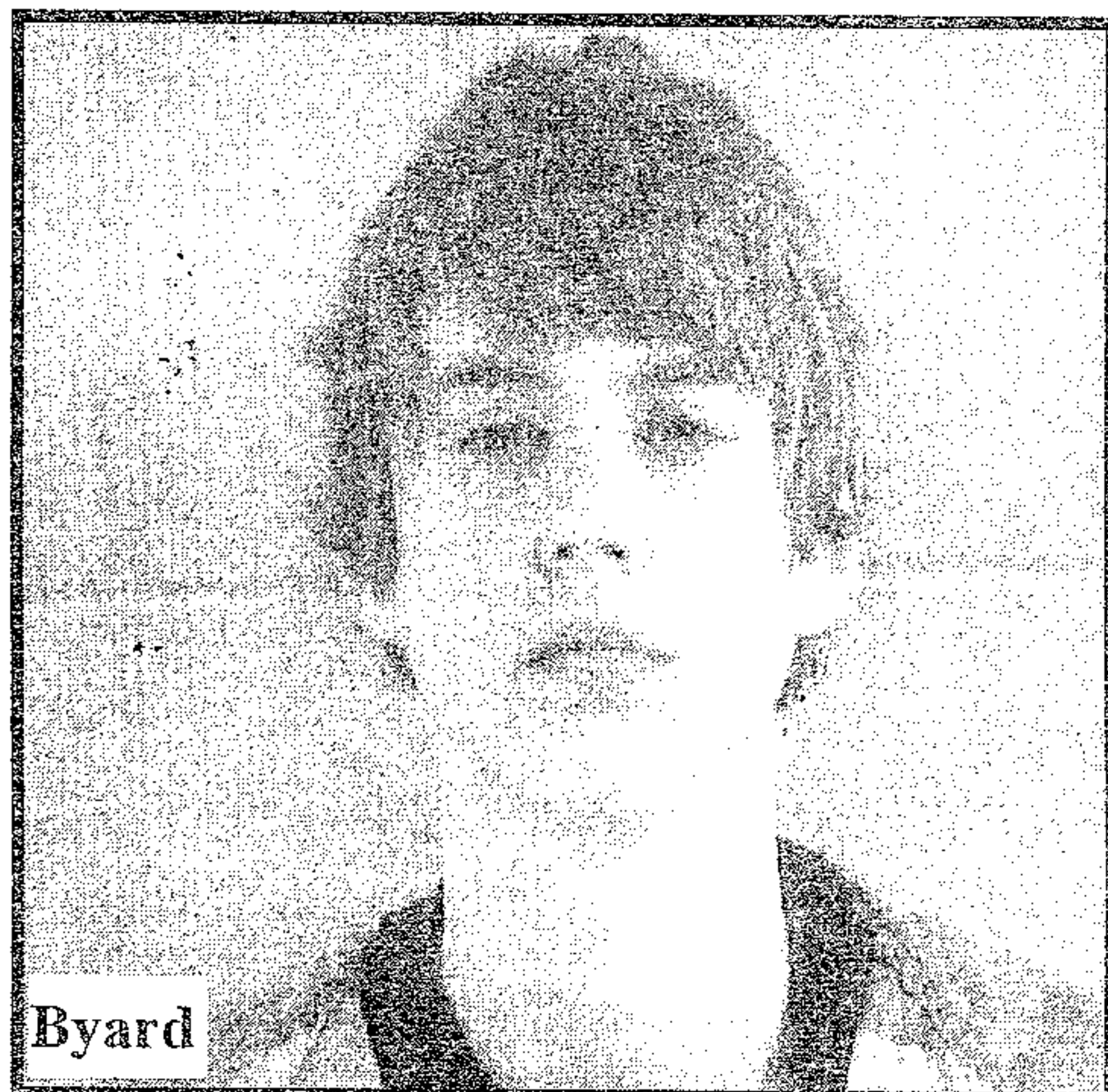
Trio charged with senseless acts of vandalism in multiple Loudon locations

Detective Brian Jenkins charged a young Loudon trio with multiple acts of vandalism and trespassing after they allegedly spray painted graffiti on and caused damage to numerous buildings owned by local businesses as well as property owned by the City of Loudon. One of the teens reportedly was involved in all of the incidents, while a second teen appeared to have been on hand for only a small portion of the chaos committed. A third person reportedly also involved in a portion of the wreckage has the right to keep his identity secret due to his age regardless of the cost to the taxpayers of Loudon or the added burden placed on the juvenile court system by his actions.

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Hoffman



Byard

Details of charges against King



King

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Detective Fine puts the kibosh on prescription forgers

Detective Jack Fine charged two local woman with fraud following two separate investigations into allegations each had attempted to get pain pills last year by using a stolen prescription or making a bogus phone call for them.



Duff-Clayton

(see Duff-Clayton pg. 4)



Bingham

(see Bingham pg. 6)

Verse of the Day

Be not a witness against thy neighbour without cause; and deceive not with thy lips. Proverbs 24:28

Obituaries

Alice Ruth Riddle Plemons

Wazzup

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Weather

Today: A mix of clouds and sun in the morning giving way to a few showers during the afternoon. Thunder possible. High 59. Winds light and vari-

able. Chance of rain 30%.
Tonight: Cloudy with a few showers. Low 46. Winds light and variable. Chance of rain 30%.

Thursday: Few showers. Highs in the low 60s and lows in the mid 40s.

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King

Another of at least five persons charged in a slew of area burglaries and thefts is accused of stealing a firearm and coins from

a local residence. The coins were recovered at a Lenoir City pawn shop, but the weapon remains missing.

Terry Dustin King, Jr., 24, Loudon Ridge

Road, Lenoir City was charged with theft over \$500.

According to an affidavit filed by Investigator Jeff Russell, LCSO-CID; on Janu-

ary 2, 2012 the victim reported someone took several items without permission. The items included a book of coins and a .38 caliber hand gun.

During the investigation, it was discovered Terry Dustin King, Jr. pawned a large black book containing coins. The book was identified by the victim's wife as belonging to her and her husband. The book was pawned at Executive Jewelry and Pawn in Lenoir City.

The investigation continues as to the whereabouts of the firearm.

Corporal Ernie Brown, LCSO served the warrant and made the arrest Wednesday.

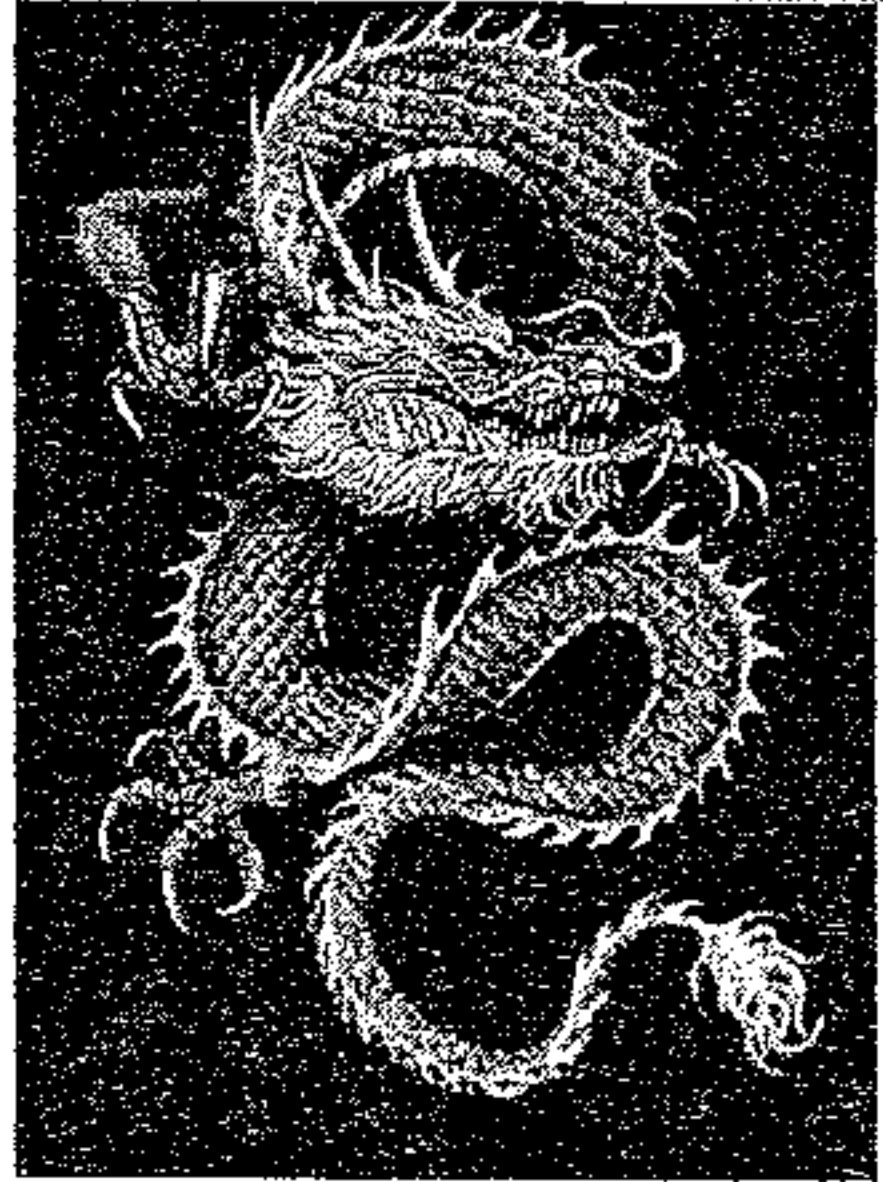
Kenneth Justice "K.J." Collins, age 27, of 702 Bon Street, Lenoir City is still being sought by authorities and anyone having any information regarding his whereabouts is asked to contact the Loudon County Sheriff's Department at 865-458-9081.

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Obituaries

Alice Ruth Riddle Plemons - 83 of Loudon, passed away Monday, January 23, 2012. Alice was a retired employee of Montrey Mushrooms. She was preceded in death by husband, Homer "Shorty" Plemons; parents, Arthur Lee Riddle and Alice Odessa Underwood Riddle; brothers, Boyd, Sam and Nathan Riddle; infant sister, Lydia Mae Riddle. Survivors: sisters, Josephine Hensley, Sweetwater, Bernice Harvey, Loudon and Mary Johnson, Lenoir City; brother, Howard Riddle, Decalb, Illinois; many loving nieces and nephews and two special little boys, Malaki and Darmarquis. Family will receive friends 1:00-2:00 p.m. Wednesday prior to funeral services 2:00 p.m. at the Loudon Funeral Home Chapel, Rev. Gary Cook officiating. Interment Steekee Cemetery. Arrangements by Loudon Funeral Home. www.loudonfuneralhome.net

Duff-Clayton

Emily Ruth Duff-Clayton, 30, Country Lane, Lenoir City was charged with two counts of drug fraud.

According to affidavits filed by Detective Jack Fine, LCPD; on April 19, and April 27, 2011, Ms. Duff-Clayton attempted to obtain schedule II drugs identified as sixty 15 mg. roxicodone and ninety 30 mg. oxycodone, by forging the name of an individual on a prescription stolen from the office of Bearden Health Care Associates, 10321 Kingston Pike in Knoxville.

Duff-Clayton then attempted to get the bogus scripts filled at CVS Pharmacy 570 Highway 321 in Lenoir City.

Deputy Billy Hall, LCSO made the arrest Wednesday.

TWRA Requests Public Input for 2012-13 Hunting Regulations

NASHVILLE - The Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency is soliciting comments for its 2012-13 hunting seasons' regulations. This is an opportunity for the public to share ideas and concerns about hunting regulations with TWRA staff.

Public comments Police beat

Dustin Shane Honeycutt, 23, Crestview Drive, Madisonville was charged with failure to appear.

Deputy Robbie Lane, LCSO made the arrest.

Curtis Graham, 55, Summer Street, Loudon was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy C. Huskin, LCSO, made the arrest Monday at the jail.

will be considered by TWRA's Wildlife Division staff and may be presented as proposals for regulation changes. Comments may be submitted by mail to: 2012-13 Hunting Season Comments, TWRA, Wildlife Management Division, P.O. 40747, Nashville, TN 37204

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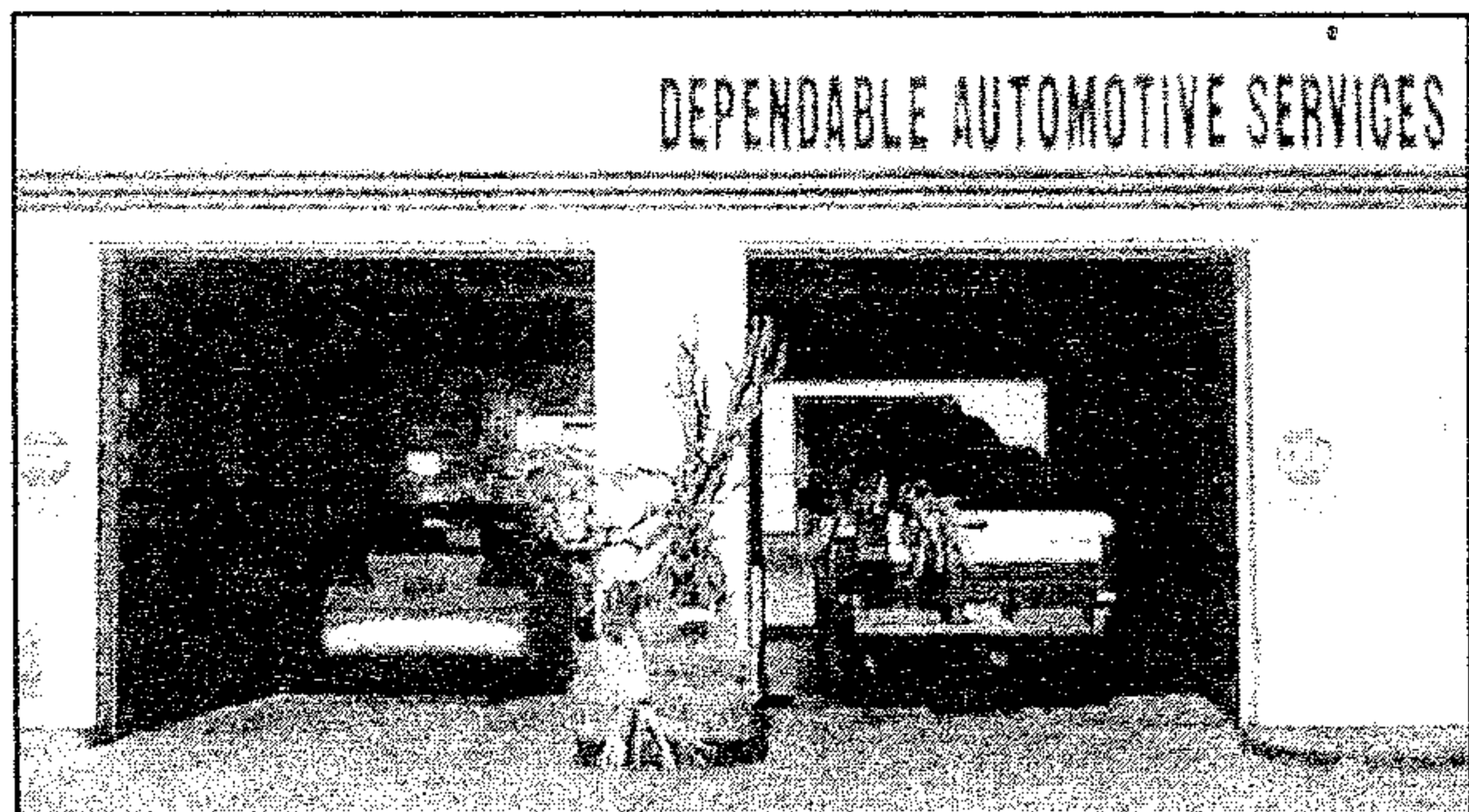
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Vandals

Justin Ross Hoffman, 18, Dailey Avenue, Loudon was charged with twelve counts of vandalism and crimi-

nal trespass.

Travis Michael Byard, 18, Cox Road, Loudon was charged with two counts of vandalism and crimi-

nal trespass.

According to affidavits filed by Detective Brian Jenkins, LPD; on several occasions starting in November

and continuing into December 2011, Justin Hoffman knowingly entered the property of Hutch Manufacturing without the owner's effective consent, and then knowingly caused damage to Hutch Manufacturing, 200 Commerce Street, Loudon.

Justin Hoffman spray painted graffiti on several places on the outside of the business, a semi-trailer, a fall-out shelter, and an out-building. The fall-out shelter was locked by a large sliding wooden door, which was also damaged. A large section of the damaged area was enclosed by a chain link fence.

The estimated damage was over \$500.

On December 7, 2011, Justin R. Hoffman caused damage to a building at 412 Wharf Street and another at 414 Wharf Street in Loudon by spray painting the letters HEX and WOW in several places on the outside of the building.

The estimated cost of the damage was less than \$500 to both buildings.

On December 22, 2011, Hoffman caused damage to a stop sign

by placing graffiti on it, which belonged to the City of Loudon and was located at the intersection of Park and College Streets.

The cost to replace the sign was \$67.28.

On December 22, December 29, 2011, and January 7, 2012, Hoffman and a juvenile co-defendant caused damage to the High Street bridge in Loudon by spray painting graffiti on it. The bridge is the property of the City of Loudon and the cost to clean the graffiti from the bridge was \$246.40. Also on December 22, 2011, Hoffman damaged West End Storage located at the corner of Mulberry Street and Ward Avenue by spray painting graffiti on the exterior of one of the buildings. The damage was estimated at less than \$500.

On December 30, 2011, Hoffman caused damage to the building belonging to Greer's Furniture Store at 604 Grove Street, by writing the initials SKO and KCN and the word VANDALS, with marker on the building and an air conditioning

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Bingham

Courtney Michelle Bingham, 28, Vonore Road Loudon, was charged with prescription fraud.

According to an affidavit filed by Detective Jack Fine, LCPD; on November 25, 2011,

Ms. Bingham attempted to obtain a scheduled drug, known as norco, from CVS Pharmacy on Highway 321 in Lenoir City. She committed the offense by calling in the prescription and representing herself as an employee of Dr. Susan Webb's office.

Ms. Bingham committed the offense with the intent to obtain the drug by fraud.

Officer Kevin Condee, LCPD served the warrant and made the arrest Friday at Walgreens.

Police Beat

Justin Gene Romano, 57, Mountain View

Drive, Vonore was charged with driving on revoked license.


According to reports, around 9:00 AM, Monday, Deputy Billy Hall, LCSO stopped a white SUV at the intersection of West Fork Road and Highway 72 for having a break light out.

The driver, Justin Ro-

mano, had a revoked license for DUI. He was placed under arrest.

John Michael Bartolin, 27, Hines Valley Road, Lenoir City was charged Tuesday with violation of probation.

Corporal Angi Martin LCSO, made the arrest at the jail.



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Vandals cont.

unit and also caused damage to two dumpsters belonging to the City of Loudon. One was behind Greer's and the other was behind Farmers Aid Insurance Company on Mulberry Street.

The cost to repair the damage was \$126.56

Hoffman also damaged the building belonging to the Loudon Pediatric Clinic by writing the initials KCN with marker on

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the building. The estimated cost of the damage was \$200.

Also on December 30, 2011, Justin Hoffman, Travis Byard and a juvenile male caused damage of \$500 or more to the old Loudon High School, 521 Fort Hill West, in Loudon. They broke two windows and the glass out of an entry door and spray painted the letters KCN and UNO on the outside of the building.

On January 4, 2012, Justin Hoffman damaged a Mercury Milan by scratching the letters KCN into the trunk lid. The estimated damage was less than \$500.

Sgt. William Evans, LPD made the arrests Thursday.

Police beat

Robert Donald Schrimsher, 68, Steekee Street, Loudon was charged with two Loudon County warrants.

Bryan Allen Williams, 42, Steekee Street, Loudon was charged with public intoxication.

According to records, Officer Bennie Houser, LPD noticed a black Chevy Cavalier driving in the turning lane on Highway 72 at Queener Road. The officer initiated a traffic stop at Robinson Springs Road and identified the driver as Robert D. Schrimsher. A check of his license revealed there were two warrants for his arrest.

The passenger, Mr. Bryan A. Williams had a strong odor of an intoxicant about his person and was very unsteady on his feet. Officer Houser felt it

was unsafe for Mr. Williams to be left in the public in his condition and took him into custody. Officer Jon Yates, LPD was also on the scene.

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