

# Daily Edition

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Thursday August 23, 2012

**Verse of the Day**

He replied, "My mother and brothers are those who hear God's word and put it into practice." — Luke 8:21

**Obituaries**

Samye Goodwin Sims  
Paul Griffin  
Paul Douglas William  
Archie Grieve  
Juanita "Nita" Matthews

**Wazzup**

Remember, the golf benefit to help buy a service dog for Danny Lewis is this Saturday. If you haven't signed up yet, all the details are on page 6. Be you a scratch golfer or a duffer, a caddie or a spectator, (or maybe you just have a big ol' heart and want to help) be sure to check out the info and let's see if we can't get this little boy a dog, y'all!

**Weather**

Today: Sunny. Highs in the mid to upper 80s.  
Tonight: Partly cloudy. Lows: mid to upper 50s.  
Friday: Mostly sunny. Highs: upper 80s to lower 90s; Lows: around 60.  
Saturday: Mostly sunny. Highs: upper 80s to lower 90s; Lows: lower 60s.  
Sunday: Mostly sunny. Highs: mid to upper 80s; Lows: lower 60s.

**Horoscopes**

Virgo 8/23-9/22  
It's the little things that drag you down today — try not to worry so much about them! It's a good time for you to lie low and

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## One legged man robbed after 3rd DUI+ release from hospital

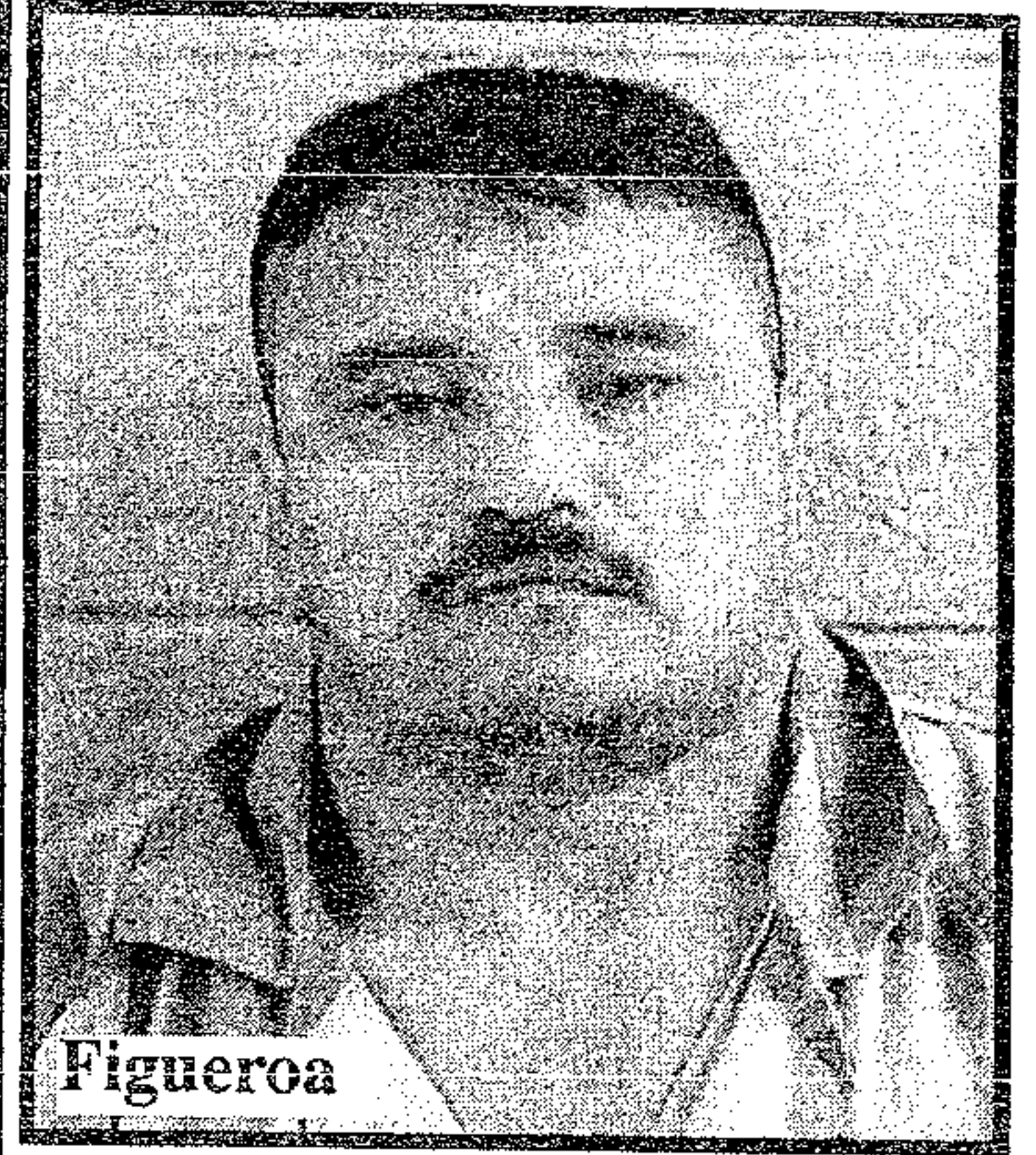
Police arrested a Lenoir City man on theft and robbery charges after he allegedly assailed and pushed a man with only one leg to the ground and robbed him.

According to the report, Officer Brandon Burley, LCPD was dispatched to Rambling Acres Trailer Park in reference to a robbery that had just occurred. Once on scene the victim advised he

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Morgan



Figueroa

A Lenoir City man received his third DUI charge when his vehicle was stopped for driving on the wrong side of the road and crossing the lines

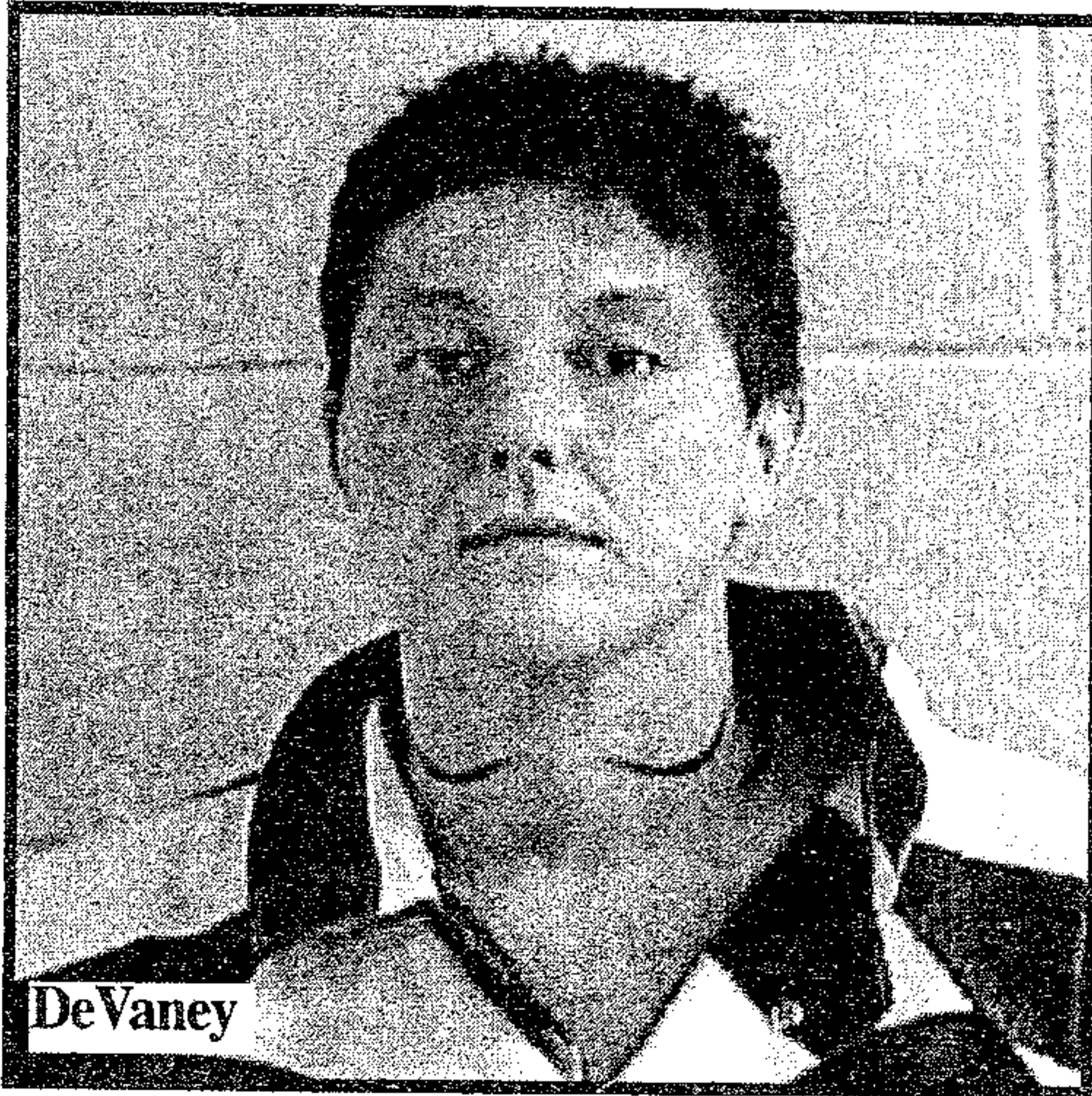
(see Figueroa pg. 6)

## Stolen property found on Rogers Circle in LC

A Lenoir City woman found herself behind after police found her residence and property brimming with stolen goods while answering a theft call at her neighbor's house.

According to the warrant, Officer Brandon Burley, LCPD was dispatched to Rogers Circle for a theft of property call. While on scene, property that was previ-

(see DeVaney pg. 7)



DeVaney

## Lie results in charge



Hughes

An Athens man was charged with impersonation while incarcerated at the Loudon County Jail when officials

(see Hughes pg. 5)

## The "Diabetes-Curious" and Self Inkers/Piercers at Risk

NASHVILLE — Viral hepatitis B and C, which can cause life-threatening damage to the liver, can

be the unintended consequence of two recent social trends: diabetes curiosity and self-ink-

(see Hepatitis pg. 6)

## Fire Marshal's Office: When you should "Stop, Drop & Roll"

NASHVILLE- "Stop, drop, and roll" has been one of the most recognizable fire safety messages for

decades. Many adults remember the concept from being introduced to it as a young child.

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**Morgan**

had been discharged from the Hospital ER earlier in the evening. The victim then made his way to the Kenjo

on Hwy 321 where he encountered Elijah Don Morgan. Mr. Morgan offered to give the victim a ride at which point they went to a residence on Norwood

Street. While at the residence Mr. Morgan consumed multiple alcoholic beverages. The victim told Mr. Morgan he was going to leave the residence and go to

Rambling Acres. Mr. Morgan offered to accompany the victim on his walk. While en route to the trailer park via Johnson Drive Mr. Morgan began to assault the victim.

The victim, who only has one leg, was unable to defend himself from the attack. Mr. Morgan hit the victim on the right side of the jaw leaving a noticeable mark then pushed the victim to the ground. The contents of the victim's pockets were emptied onto the ground around Johnson Drive. Mr. Morgan then took multiple oxycodone pills from the victim. The victim paid less than \$500 for the pills. Mr. Morgan then left the victim and went a different direction. The victim was unable to contact police until returning to Rambling Acres because he did not have a cell phone in his possession.

After being mirandized Morgan advised he was in an altercation with the victim and pushed the victim down on the ground as well as attempted to locate items that were dropped during the assault.

Elijah Don Mor-

gan, 33, of Foster Road, Lenoir City, was charged with robbery and theft under \$500.

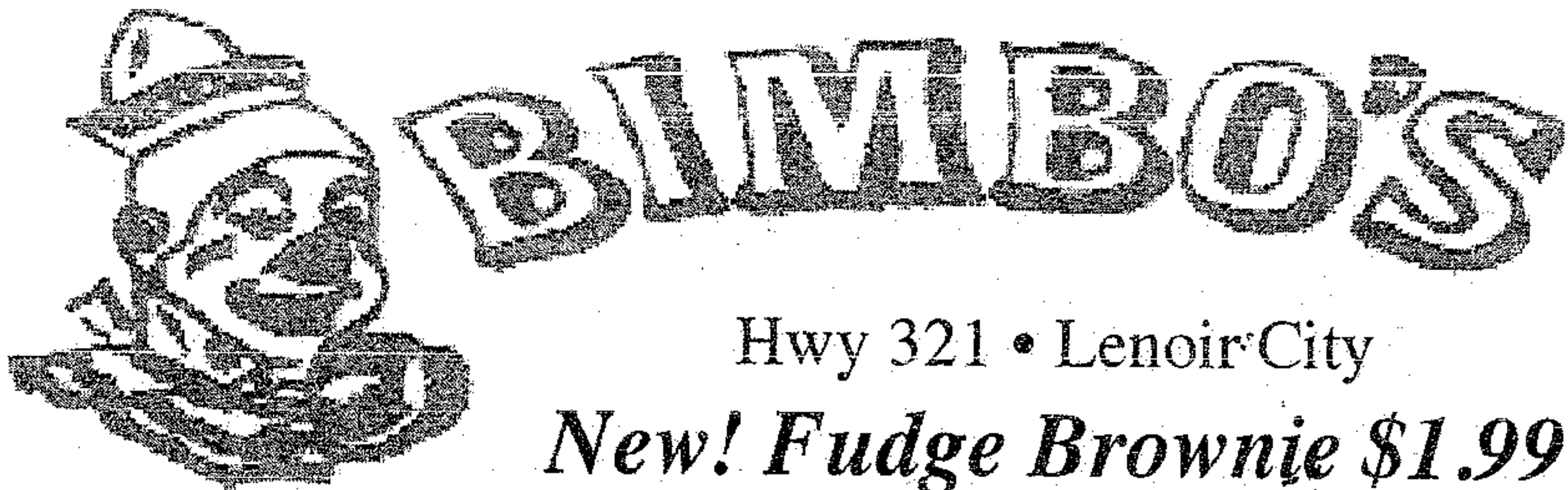
**SD&R**

Unfortunately, it is common for people, especially children, to mistakenly believe that they should utilize stop, drop, and roll as a reaction to all fire situations.

State Fire Marshal Julie Mix McPeak wants to make sure Tennesseans know how and when to stop, drop, and roll. "It is important to stress, especially to children, that stop, drop, and roll is appropriate when your clothing or body is on fire," says McPeak. "If a fire occurs in a home or a building, however, they need to know that getting out fast and staying out is the priority." Make sure you and your family are prepared for what to do in case a clothing fire occurs:

•If your clothes catch fire, stop, drop, and roll. Stop immediately, drop to the ground, and cover your face with your hands. Roll over and over or back and forth until the fire is

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**Obituaries etc.**

**Archie Grieve**, age 67 of the Tellico Village Community, Loudon, TN and formerly of Grosse Pointe, MI passed away on August 20, 2012. Archie was a member of the

Community Church at Tellico Village. He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Lou in April of this year. Survivors include son, Brian Grieve (Sara) of Knoxville, TN and daughter Allison Miller

(Greg) of Pensacola, FL; grandchildren Lori and Grant Miller; sisters Annabelle (Tom) Zucchet of Grosse Isle, MI, Frances (Bob) Alexander of St. Clair Shores, MI; brother Phillip (Darlene) Grieve

of Rochester Hills, MI; and several nieces and nephews. A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Thursday, August 23, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. at the Community Church at Tellico Village. The family will receive friends immediately following the service. Military honors will be conferred by the Loudon County Veteran Honor Guard. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Association for Frontotemporal Degeneration at <http://www.theftd.org>. Click Funeral Home & Cremations - Tellico Village Chapel is serving the family of Archie Grieve.

**Juanita Loraine "Nita" (Gammons) Matthews**, age 70 of Loudon and formerly of Indianapolis, IN, passed away Sunday, August 19, 2012 in Knoxville. Mrs. Matthews was a member of Wallace St. Presbyterian Church in Indiana. The Matthews relocated to Loudon in 1999 to join her brother working at Adroit Medical Services. During their time in Loudon, they made many friends in this area and enjoyed their years working here and being close to family. Preceded in death by parents, Lawrence and Dorothy (Taylor) Gammons. Survived by her husband of 51 years, Michael E. Matthews; daughters and sons-in-law, Jennifer and Neil Wickliff, Julie and Tony Allen, both of Indianapolis; 7 grandchildren; 3 great grandchildren; brother and sister-in-law, Gene and Grazyna Gammons, Loudon. Services honoring and remembering the life of Juanita Matthews will be held 8:00 PM Thurs-

day, Aug. 23rd, at Flanner & Buchanan at Memorial Park in Indianapolis, IN. Interment 11:00 AM Saturday in the Memorial Park Cemetery. The family will receive friends 4:00 - 8:00 PM prior to the service at Flanner & Buchanan at Memorial Park, 10722 E. Washington St., Indianapolis, IN. McGill-Karnes Funeral Home, Loudon is also serving the family.

**Hughes**

confirmed he had lied about his identity when he was arrested by THP.

Harold Eugene Hughes, 'aka' William Harrison Hughes, 37, Howard Street, Athens was charged with criminal impersonation.

According to records, Wednesday, around 12:50 PM, Deputy John Maples, LCSO arrested Mr. Hughes at the Loudon County Jail on a warrant for criminal impersonation due to him using his brother's personal information at the time of his original arrest by Trooper Huff, THP.

Hughes' identity was confirmed through a TBI AFIS report and Knox County Sheriff's Department. When Mr. Hughes was confronted by Deputy Maples, he admitted he had used his brother's information.

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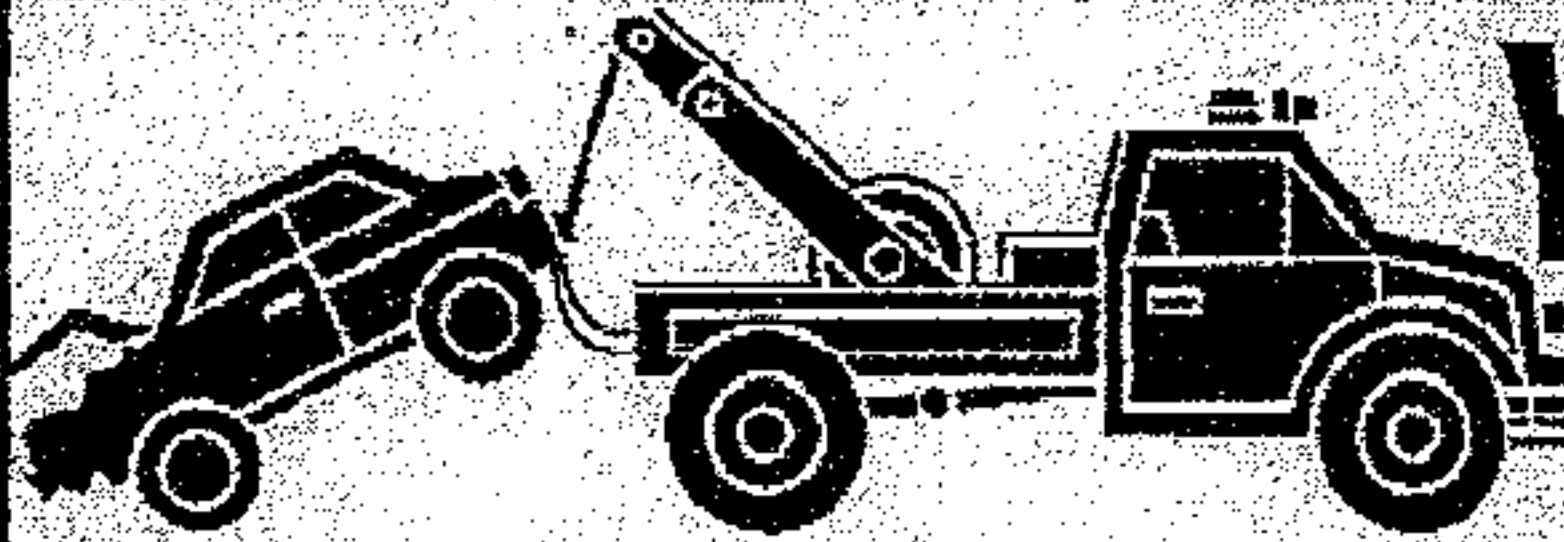
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## Figueroa

into oncoming traffic at least twice.

Evaristo Figueroa, 40, Browder Hollow Road, Lenoir City was charged with DUI 3rd offense and violation of implied consent.

According to reports, Sgt. Jerramie Bowen, LCSO was traveling on Broadway in Lenoir City Saturday, at approximately 2:30 AM, when he witnessed a white Ford TSE swerve across the center line of oncoming traffic. When the vehicle passed the lawman, he looked into the side mirror and saw the vehicle was traveling on the wrong side of the road.

The vehicle turned onto Browder Hollow Road and crossed the line into oncoming traffic again.

Sgt. Bowen turned his emergency lights on and the vehicle traveled about a block before coming to a stop in the middle of the road. The driver was identified as Evaristo Figueroa.

Mr. Figueroa couldn't find the button to roll down the window and when Sgt. Bowen knocked on the window he opened the door and there was a strong odor of alcohol coming from the vehicle. Mr. Figueroa performed poorly on field sobriety tasks and was placed under arrest.

Figueroa was read the implied consent advisement and refused.

## Hepatitis

ing/piercing. Diabetes curiosity refers to those

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who use someone else's lancet and glucose meter diabetes testing devices to prick themselves to test their own blood sugar levels. Self-inkers/piercers are people who use needles or other devices to create tattoos or pierce themselves or friends. In both cases, a life-threatening hepatitis infection can spread quickly from one person to another.

"We have concerns about people borrowing someone else's diabetes testing equipment to see what their own blood sugar levels are," said State Epidemiologist Tim Jones, MD. "With these devices now commonplace, the testing process can generate curiosity. Parents need to know and remind children who use the devices not to share them with others, and parents of non-diabetic children should teach everyone in their family to never, ever experiment with another person's insulin-related equipment."

While tattoos and piercing for body adornment have been around for generations, the increased popularity of skin as a canvas for decoration causes alarm for health professionals. The primary concern isn't tattoo/

piercing studios, which are licensed and inspected, but unlicensed individuals who ink or pierce themselves or others.

"Self-inking and piercing have been common in jails and prisons for many years, and we worry some people will go that route or seek a non-licensed person to create a tattoo or piercing for them," Jones said. "One of the main reasons we license and inspect tattoo studios is to prevent the spread of blood-borne infections such as hepatitis. Freelancers bypass the licensing process and, we're afraid, pay little or no attention to sterilization of needles and reuse of ink vats."

In addition to hepatitis, persons who share needles, diabetes testing equipment, insulin delivery devices and other similar items that penetrate the skin are at risk for HIV/AIDS, staph infections and other life-threatening diseases. Injectable medications marked "single dose" should never be shared, even if different syringes are used.

The two most common forms of hepatitis spread via blood and body fluids are hepatitis B and C. "With both types, the infection may destroy liver cells, cause cirrhosis and

put victims at increased risk for cancer or death. Hepatitis C is now the leading cause of chronic liver disease and liver transplants in the United States.

In Tennessee, acute hepatitis B cases have increased from 236 per 100,000 people in 2007 to 300 per 100,000 in 2011. Equally disturbing is the rate of increase in acute hepatitis C cases in the same time period: 0.62 per 100,000 in 2007 to 1.31 per 100,000 in 2011.

"Diagnosis involves identifying antibodies in the blood, and then pursuing a program of treatments to control the infection," Jones said. "Not all infections are curable, but many are manageable with proper care. Prevention is better than

treatment, so ask your healthcare provider about vaccines you might need and precautions you can take to reduce your risk."

Uninsured adults at risk for hepatitis B, including those who live with someone who has hepatitis B, can receive hepatitis B vaccine at any local health department. Contact your local health department for information. Currently, there is no vaccine to prevent hepatitis C.

Hepatitis B and C spread differently than hepatitis A, a viral infection most commonly spread by fecal matter in water and poor personal hygiene. Hepatitis A is spread by ingestion, not by blood. Hepatitis A is generally not serious, and there is no vaccine for it.

### Benefit at Rarity Pointe to help local child

A golf benefit to help purchase a service dog for Danny Lewis will be held on August 25, 2012, at Rarity Pointe. Danny was recently diagnosed with CDD, also known as Hellers Syndrome, which is a rare disorder that causes dementia in children. The service dog, which will be trained just for Danny, costs \$12,000. Any donations will be greatly appreciated. You may send cash donations in the form of a money order or check to Wilderwoods Service Dogs or to his mother. Any other donations to help with benefits please contact Kristen Brownlee at 865-307-4901. Please RSVP to register at 865-307-4901.

**The 10th Annual Haunted Trail of Fears presents ZOMBIE APARKALYPSE 2012, opening Oct. 5.** We are holding a fund raiser to help rebuild the Philadelphia Park and are looking for volunteers to help clean and build this year's Haunted Trail. Also ZOMBIES are needed: do you have what it takes to join our walking dead? Have an experience that you can tell your family and friends about for years! If you would like to come and help us with this event call Robby at 865-304-6460, or David at 256-571-6262. Visit HTF2012.COM or like us on facebook! Haunted Trail of Fears offers nightly events: live bands, food, games, bonfires, and more is being planned with more to come. We are the longest running haunted trail in Loudon, so come and help us rebuild the park. Vendors, if you would like to set up during this event give us a call. More details coming soon...



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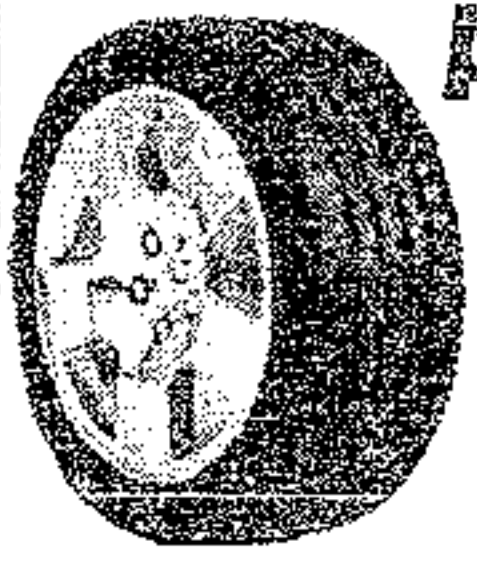
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**Meeting**

ously reported stolen by another Rogers Circle resident was located on the lawn of Jammie Lynn DeVaney.

Upon speaking with Ms. DeVaney, she reported she knew the property was stolen, however she denied stealing the items. Ms. DeVaney then entered the residence and retrieved more property from her living room she knew was stolen from the victim.

At that point, the front door to Ms. DeVaney's residence was open and the victim was able to identify more property

belonging to him that was in plain view of Ms. DeVaney's residence.

Once in custody, Ms. DeVaney requested the officer enter her residence and retrieve her wallet in her bedroom. Once in the bedroom, another container of stolen property was located.

The property was valued at approximately \$750.

Jammie Lynn DeVaney, 33, of Rogers Circle, Lenoir City was charged with possession of stolen property over \$500. Officer Brandon Burley, LCPD

made the arrest. **SD&R ctd.**  
out.

•If you cannot stop, drop, and roll, keep a blanket or towel nearby to help you or others smother flames. Cover the person with a blanket to smother the fire. If you use a wheelchair, scooter, or other device and are able to get to the floor, lock the device first to stay in place before getting on the floor to roll until the flames are out.

•Use cool water to treat any resulting burns immediately for 3 to 5 minutes. Cover with a clean, dry cloth. Get medical help right away by calling 9-1-1 or the fire department.

To prevent clothes from catching fire:

•Wear short, close-fitting, or tightly rolled sleeves when cooking or grilling.

•Teach children to never play with matches or lighters, and

•Have a "kid-free zone" of at least 3 feet around fireplaces, candles, grills, and stoves.

**Police Beat**

Jimmy Leon Rolen, 31, Foster Road, Lenoir City was charged with violation of probation.

Corporal Michael Wilson, LCSO served the warrant at the Loudon County Jail.

Ryan Curtis, 35, Cedar Circle, Lenoir City was charged with violation of probation.

Officer Gillis Morgan, LCPD made the arrest at the jail.

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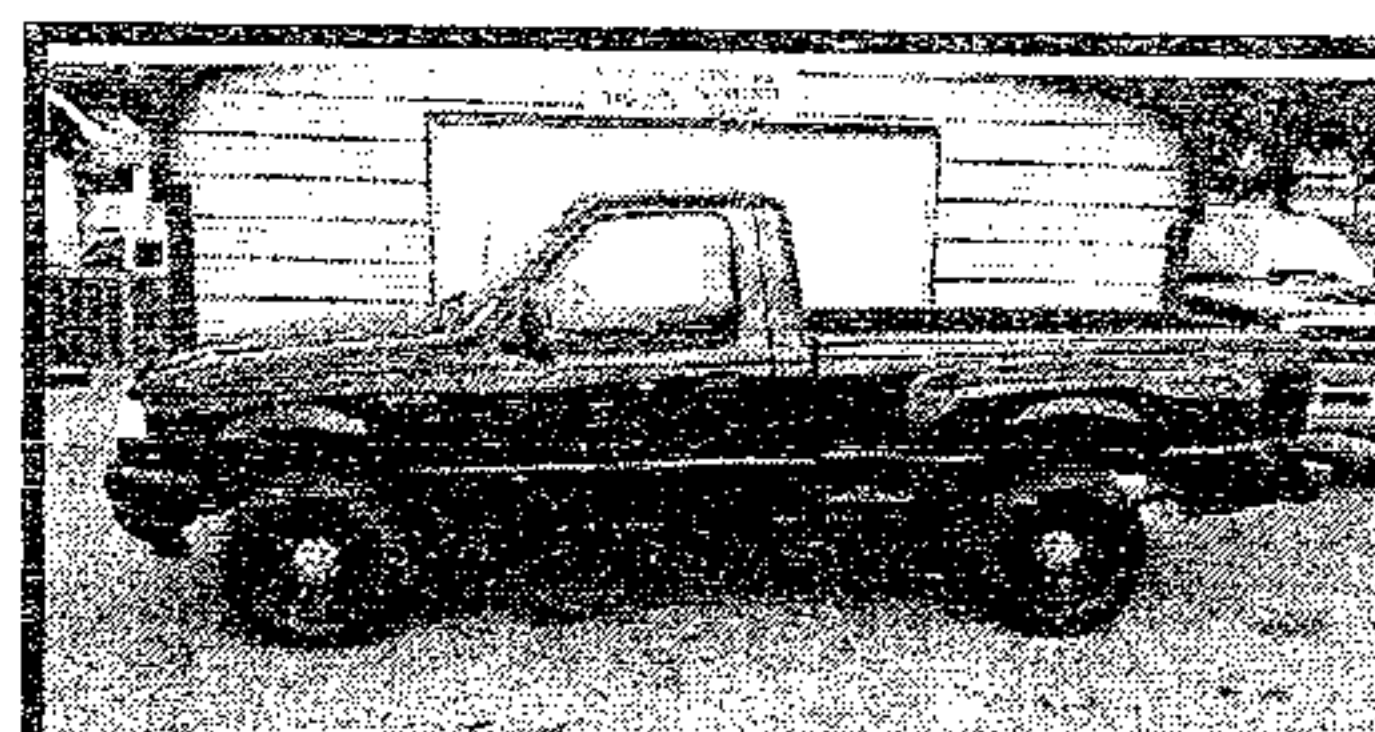
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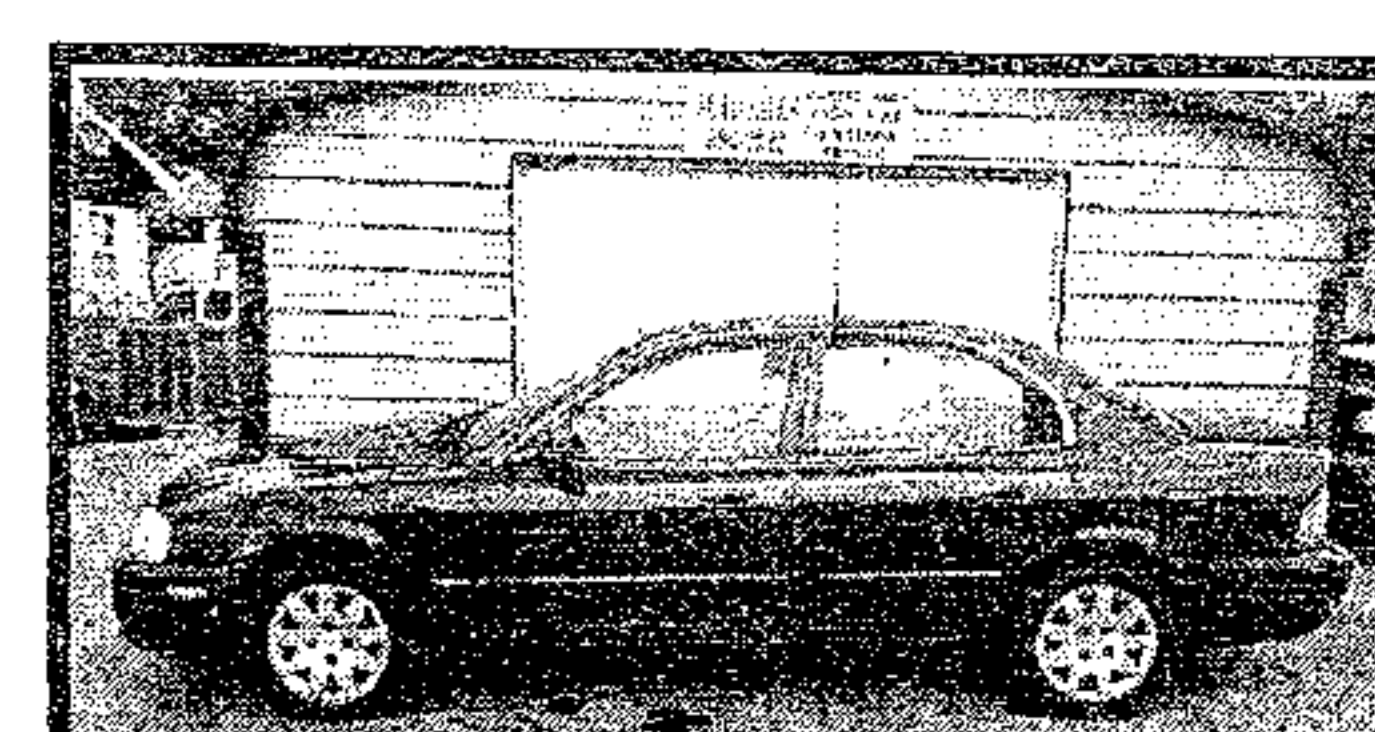
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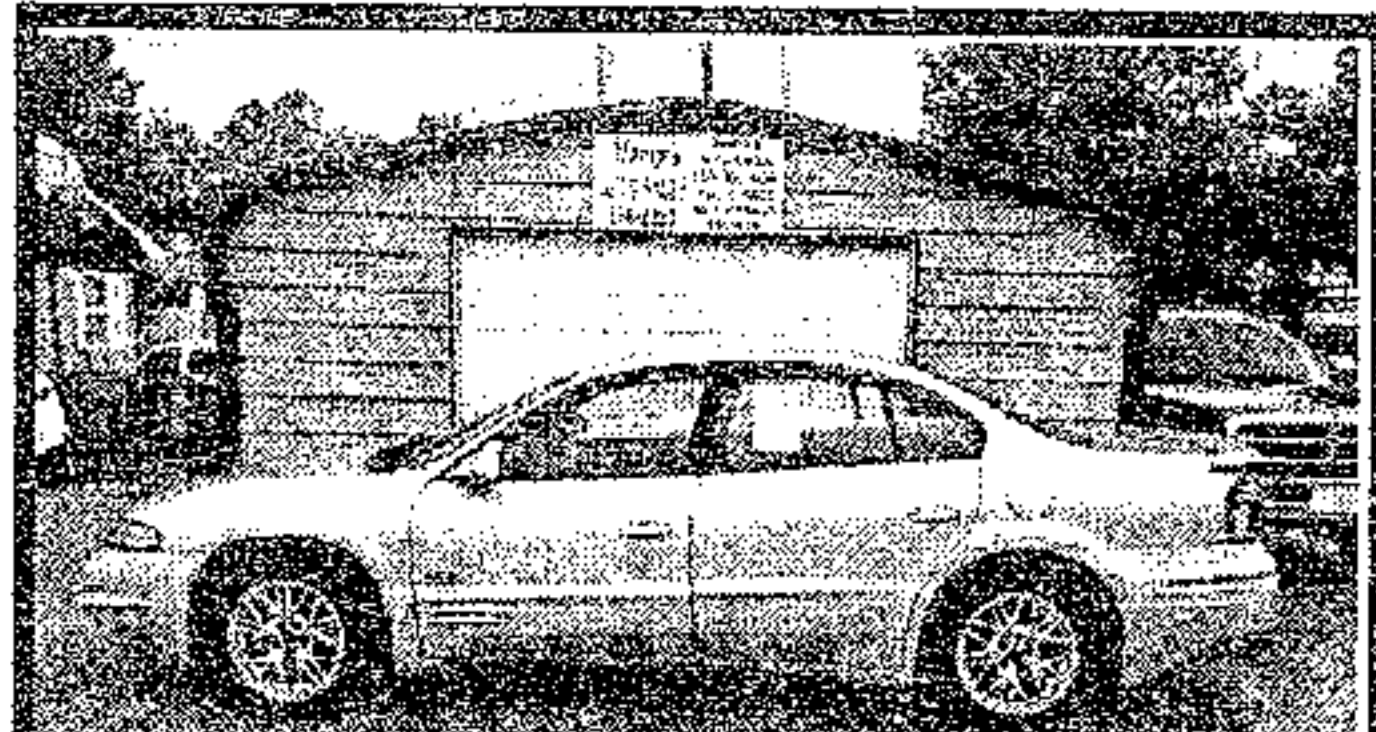


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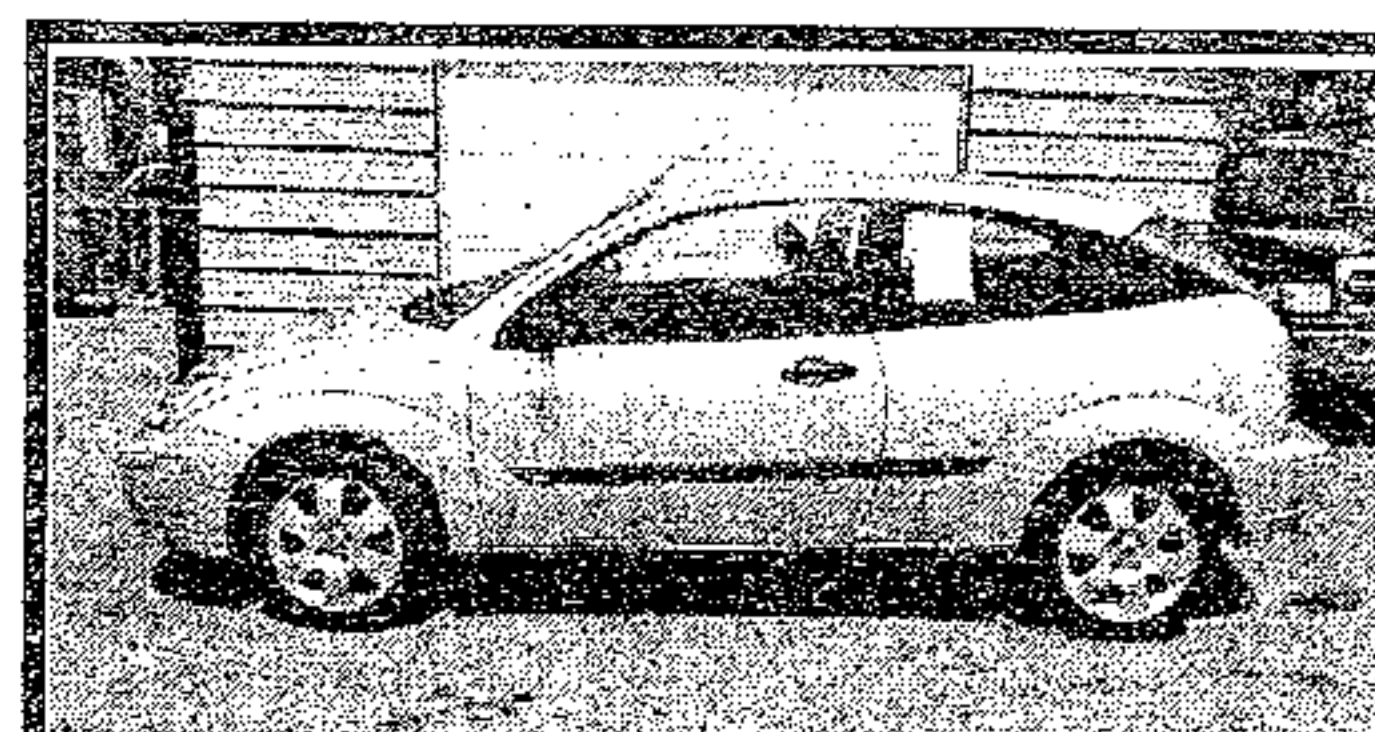
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