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Over \$10,000 in firearms stolen in burglary

According to the report, the victim reported his residence and taken in the burglary was several weapons but not limited to assault rifles (AR style), shotguns, .357 magnum Blackhawk. Other items taken were a back pack, gas mask and a striating iron. Upon further investigation it was found that Tee Ray Pellom did go into the residence and taken these items along
(see Pellom pg. 3)



Pellom

Purloined debit card lands man in jail



Bovard

(see Bovard pg. 7)

No seatbelt use results in man's 4th DORL



Kallio

(see Kallio pg. 5)

If you pay for a room, it's best to just stay in it

Police arrested a Missouri man after he reportedly threatened customers and staff at a local Mexican restaurant which is next door to a hotel the man had a room at. After his alleged drunken trip t the restaurant, the man is accused of bullying his way into a hotel room that, as it turned out, wasn't his room.

According to the report, Officer E. Law-
(see Harmon pg. 4)

The Good News

by Jeff Vittatoe

An Awesome Testimony of Faith!!



years to share their testimony of faith and this new believer is the first to accept.

I am very proud to share today's article as it is the personal testimony of my friend Joe Tolle and how Jesus changed his life. I have invited Christians, old and now, for over two

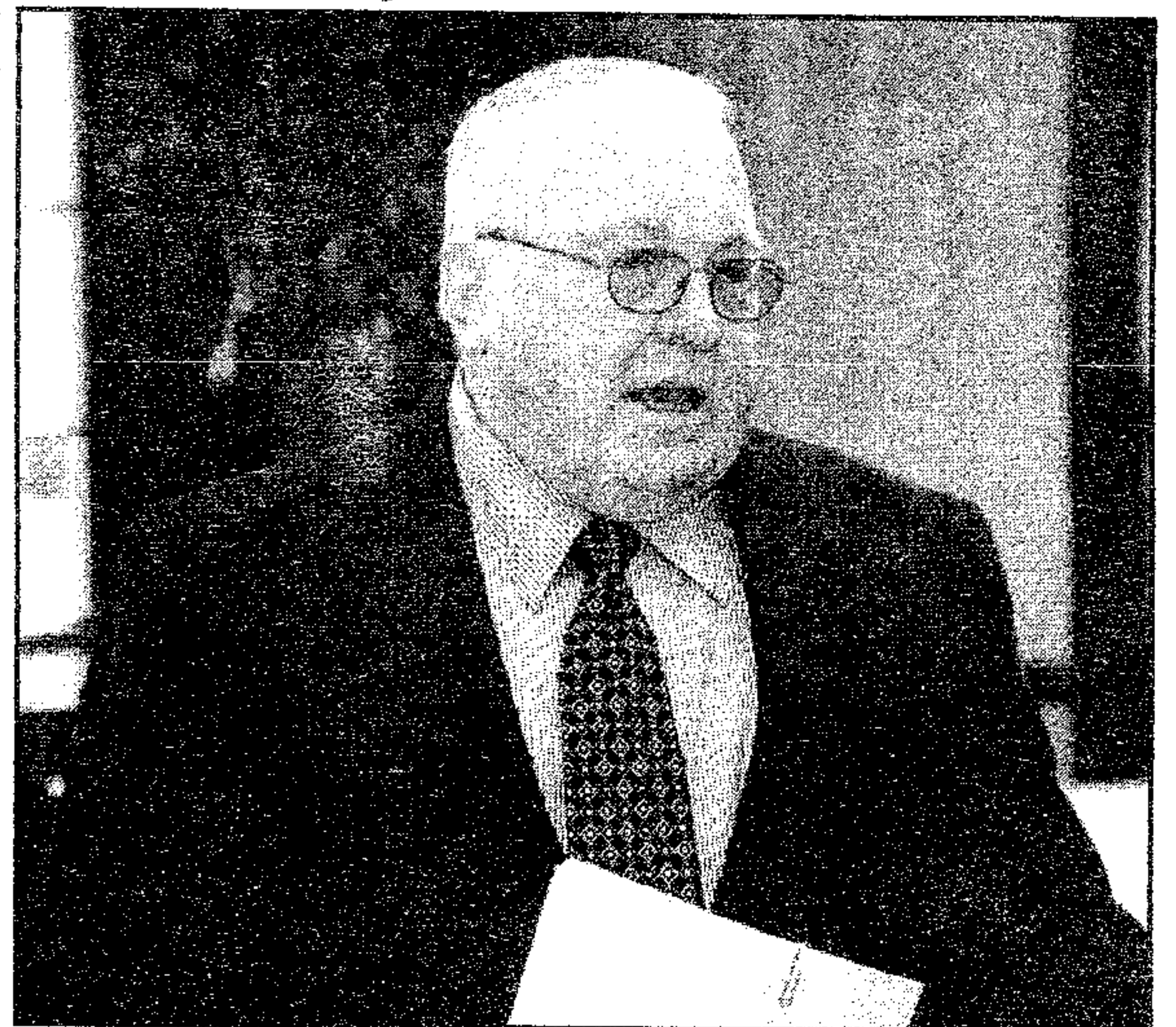
Joe Tolle is not ashamed of Jesus and hopes his story may lead others to Christ. Way to go Joe!!!

My name is Joseph Tolle, and this is my testimony before and after

(see The Good News pg. 4)

Shan Harris, Director of Monroe County Industrial Development Discusses State of the County for Jobs

(see Harris pg. 2)



Shan Harris, Director of Monroe County Industrial Development, provides an overview of job growth for the area with members of the Rotary Club of Tellico Lake.

Verse of the Day

If anyone says, "I love God," yet hates his brother, he is a liar. For anyone who does not love his brother, whom he has seen, cannot love God, whom he has not seen.
— 1 John 4:20

Obituaries

None

Wazzup

Thank you Ashley Shudan for all your assistance. Sure do appreciate you.

Weather

Today: Sunny. Highs in the mid 50s.

Tonight: Cloudy with rain showers likely and isolated thunderstorms. Lows in the upper 30s. Chance of rain 60%.

Tuesday: Cloudy with rain showers likely. Highs in the lower 50s. Chance of rain 60%. Overnight: Partly cloudy.

Lows in the mid 20s.

Horoscopes

Aquarius 1/20-2/18

Help the needy today -- more so than usual, even -- and you should find that your karmic balance is skyrocketing! It's a good time to show your people what

it means to be human.

Pisces 2/19-3/20

You are having a hard time getting a straight answer out of a friend or coworker -- it's just not coming! Make sure that you're asking for clarity, even if it never
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Harris

At a recent meeting of the Rotary Club of Tellico Lake, Shan Harris, Director of Monroe County Industrial Development, gave an update on the status of encouraging business development in Monroe County. He indicated that the current unemployment rate here is 9%

so it's vital that new business comes to the county and with it, the opportunity for more jobs. He pointed out that industry, in particular, is seeking more highly skilled vocational workers and suggested that the local community colleges are able to fill that need if residents just took

advantage of their programs. He used the new Food City grocery store in Vonore and the new Wal-Mart in Sweetwater as examples of positive business growth for the County. And he indicated that strong demand for new boats is helping to drive increased employment by area boat manufacturers.

Rotary Club of Tellico Lake members reside in both Monroe and Loudon County. The

Club meets every Friday at noon in the Clubhouse in Rarity Bay. The public is welcome to attend.

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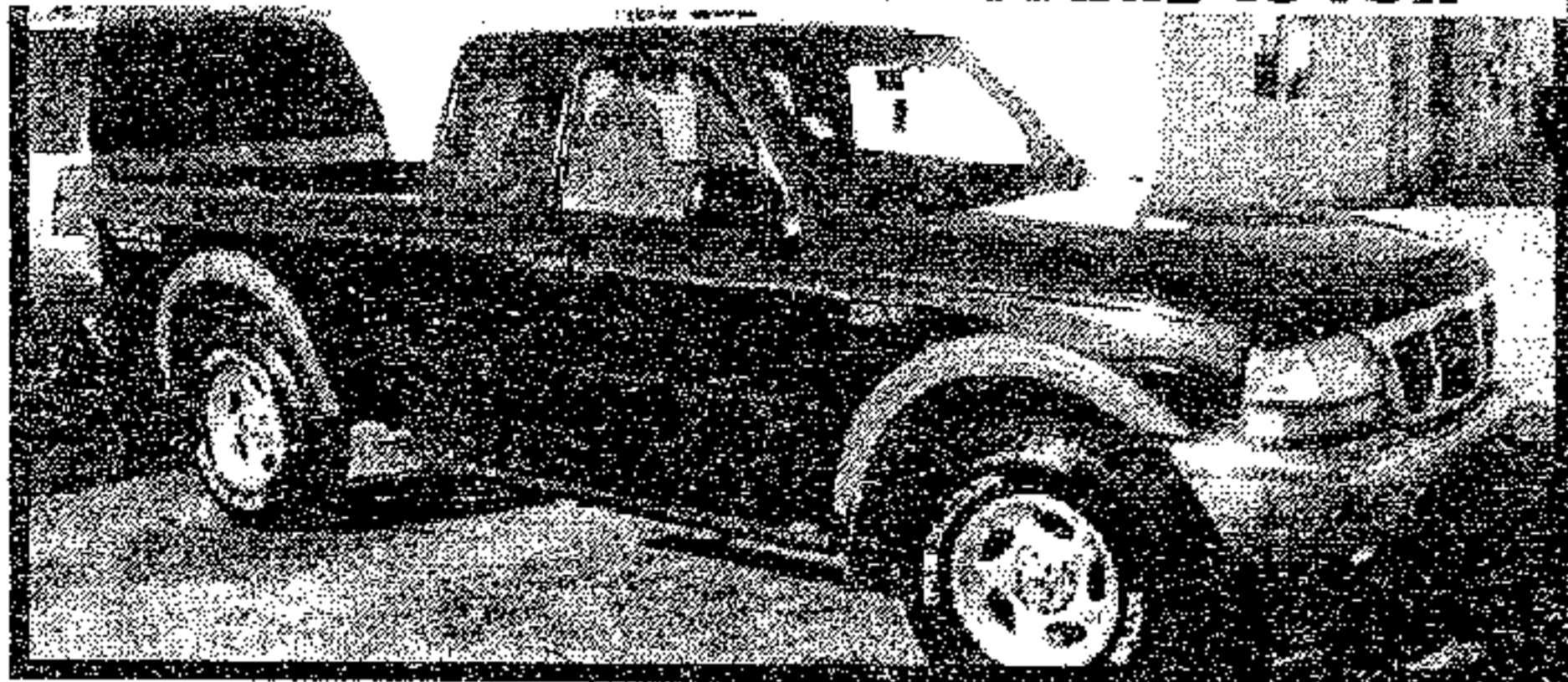
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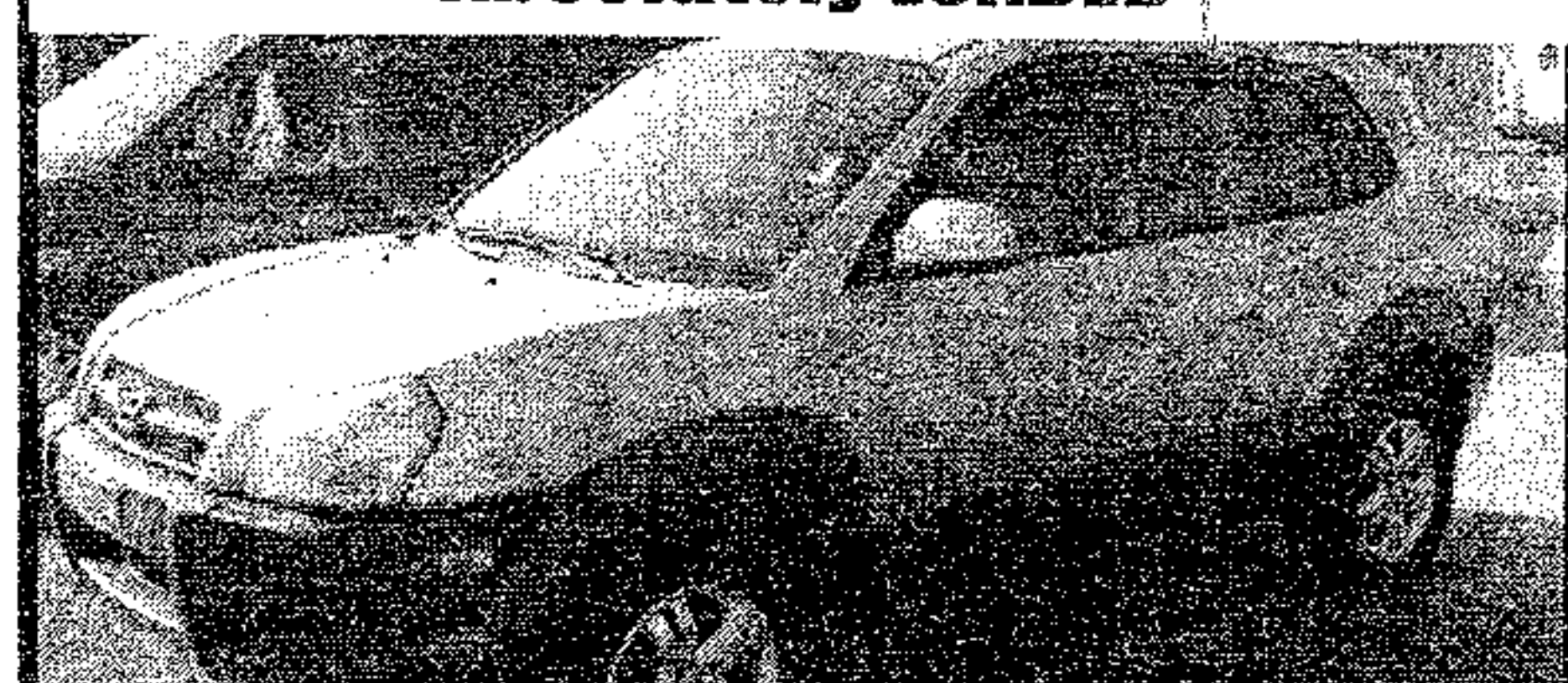
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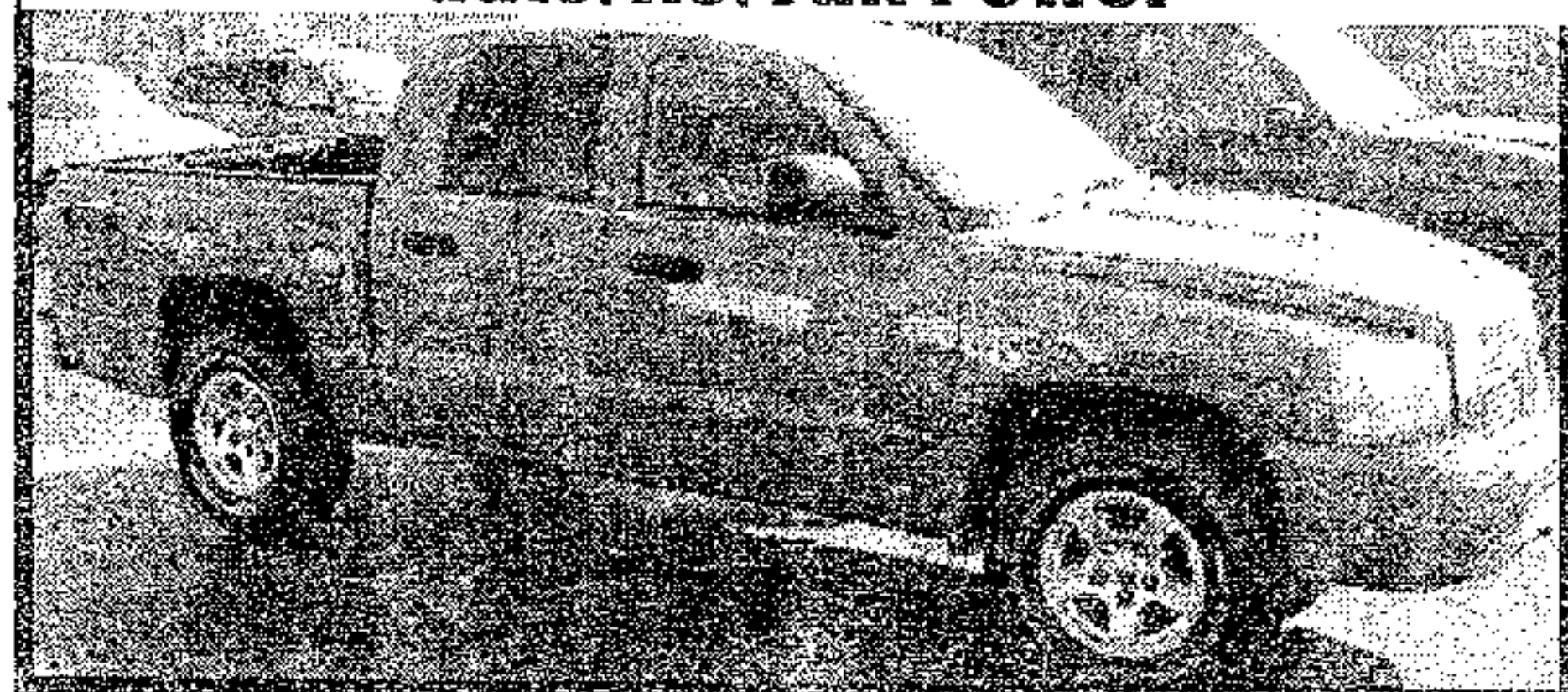


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Pellom

with Nichols Keck and Samantha Delk.

This information was obtained by interviewing co defendants and victims of the burglary. A search warrant was served on a micro

SD card belonging to Tee Ray Pellom, which contained a picture of Tee Pellom holding and possessing firearms that were identified by the victim as being his. The victim did not give anyone permission to

enter the residence.

Tee Ray Pellom, 19, of Simpson Road, Lenoir City, was charged with aggravated burglary and theft over \$10,000. Investigator Jeff Russell, LCSO made the arrest.

mer Street, Loudon was charged with driving on revoked and violation of probation out of Lenoir City.

Officer Brad Brown, LCPD stopped White for a brake light out and found him to have a revoked license for DUI and an active warrant for VOP in Lenoir City. Officer B. Brown, LCPD made the arrest.

Miranda Rachael Lankford, 21, of Manis Road, Lenoir City, was charged with failure to appear.

Deputy N. Wilson LCSO made the arrest.

Ashley Kay Greenwood, 24, of Rogers Lane, Birchwood, was charged with failure to

appear.

Deputy N. Wilson, LCSO made the arrest.

Casey Bridges, 29, of Stepping Rock Road, was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy C. Matthews, LCSO made the arrest.

Mark Anthony Rogers, 29, of Rogers Lane, Birchwood, was charged with violation of probation.

Deputy N. Wilson LCSO made the arrest.

Cory Shane Bright, 22, of Dry Valley Road, Loudon, was charged with violation of community corrections.

Lt. Teresa Smith, LCSO made the arrest.

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Harmon

son LCPD responded to Cinco Amigos Restaurant in reference to a belligerent customer who was causing a disturbance. While enroute, the complainant advised the subject had left the restaurant and was observed going into a room at the Days Inn.

Upon arrival, Officer T. Parks and Officer Lawson were flagged down by a witness who was doing painting for the motel and he advised he was in room 208 and a loud banging came to the door, and when he opened it, an intoxicated male began cursing, threatening him and trying to fight him. The witness left the room and left the man in it.

Officers entered the room and found a very intoxicated male lying

on a bare mattress eating Mexican food. The man identified himself as Gregory Vincent Harmon and he was very belligerent and adamant he was in his hotel room and had paid for an extra night.

Officers spoke with the clerk who stated the man had indeed paid for an extra night, but he was in room 410, which was on the key he had.

Mr. Harmon had gone to the restaurant and began threatening customers as well as staff, trying to fight them, cursing and causing a disturbance. The officers felt Harmon was a danger if left alone and his threatening behavior would continue.

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mon, 41, of Marbach Way, St. Charles, MO, was charged with public intoxication. Officer E. Lawson LCPD made the arrest.

The Good News

article with one purpose, hoping to reach at least one person's heart in the community. My father was a single parent struggling to raise four children. My parents divorced when I was just seven or eight years old. We lived anywhere from the projects in Knoxville, to living with other people in their homes. A lot of times in my childhood, I was exposed to drugs, violence, and alcohol, but my big issues didn't start until I was thirteen or fourteen years old. I started smoking pot, cigarettes, drinking alcohol, stealing, and fighting. I ran away at the age of fifteen to Ohio, thinking I could escape the lifestyle I started living. Little did I know it was only going to get worse; I ran away to Dayton, Ohio where my mother was living. At the very young age of sixteen, I found myself addicted to crack cocaine. Not long after being addicted to crack, I dropped out of high

school. Living in a big city made it very easy, being an addict, to get drugs no matter what age you were. One burglary led to about thirty or more, just so I could get high. Drugs, fighting, and stealing finally made my mother decide to move to the country side of Southern Ohio. My mother hoped the move would straighten me up, but shortly after living there I started selling drugs. At the age of eighteen, I decided once again to try and escape from this lifestyle, and moved back to Tennessee. I moved in with one of my cousins, where there were parties all the time. We would go to work and then drink, smoke pot, and sell drugs at least five days a week. Almost every Friday when we got paid, we would all put our money together and purchase a large quantity of cocaine. I remember on so many different occasions, almost overdosing because we had combined and taken many different drugs at the same time. That is just a short version of the story of my life, leading up to when I finally found an escape to the bad lifestyle that I knew all

too well...I found Jesus Christ! I found him, or should I say he found me, after a night that would forever change my life. On March 14, 2012, I was arrested and charged with possession of schedule II for resale, by the Drug Task Force in Lenoir City. After my first court appearance, where I was offered no plea, I went back to my cell wanting to just beat myself up. For the first time in my life I was in big trouble, and facing three to six years in prison. I knew then that I had to change my life for the better. On April 1, 2012, two weeks after I got out of jail, I attended a church service at New Providence Baptist Church, and got saved! That night I was reborn as a Christian, and I gave my life to the Lord. My life hasn't been the same since that night. Joshua 24:15 "As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord." My first step to a new life was to simply accept Jesus Christ into my heart to wash me clean of all my sins. When you receive Jesus into your heart, you instantly become a child of God, and have the privilege of talking (see TGN ctd. pg. 5)



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Kallio

David A. Kallio, 52, East Oldham Avenue, Knoxville was charged with fourth offense driving on revoked license.

Trooper Eric Miller, THP conducted a traffic stop on Kallio's vehicle when he noticed the front seat passenger was not wearing her seatbelt.

Upon being interviewed, Kallio had constricted pupils and said he was coming from the methadone clinic in Chattanooga.

The trooper report-

ed he asked Kallio to perform field sobriety and Kallio was able to perform the tasks as instructed. A drivers license check, however, revealed Kallio's driving privileges were revoked for third offense DUI. He was placed under arrest and transported to the Loudon County Jail.

Kallio's passenger, identified as Krystal Kimbell, was given partial field sobriety and was released with a citation for no seatbelt use and was given custody of the vehicle.

The lawman completed his report by noting the vehicle was not seized due to it belonging to another party.

family gathering, sitting with all your brothers and sisters. In reality that's what it is, all my brothers and sisters in Christ, getting together and celebrating the love of God. "You will keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on you, because he trusts in you. Trust in the Lord forever, for in Yahweh, the Lord, is everlasting strength." Isaiah 26:3-4. Believe in Him, have faith in Him, worship Him and your life will be awesome, and more importantly, you will have eternal life. I don't preach to anyone, and I don't judge anyone, but I will be quick to tell you that God is good! He can move mountains. Romans 3:23 tells us, "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God." Everyone has sinned. Even being a Christian, I have sinned, but I pray and ask for forgiveness, and God forgives me. He loves us all; no matter what we have done in our lives. One of my favorite sayings is: "He doesn't answer to those that only cry out to him when in need. He answers to those that call upon him daily, and worship him daily." Before I was a Christian I only prayed to Him when I needed something or was in trouble. Now I pray to Him many times a day, not just when I need something, but just to talk to Him, to thank Him. He gave me a second chance at life, and something that no other man could give me and that no amount of money could buy, he gave me ETERNAL LIFE. I can never repay for the price of Him dying on the cross, but I can thank Him each and every day for dying for me.

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to Him in prayer about anything, at any time of day. The Christian life is a personal relationship with God through his son, Jesus Christ. Best of all, it is a relationship that will last for all eternity. "But as many as received him, to them he gave the power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name." Joshua 1:12. He has the power to make you a son or daughter, just by believing on his name and accepting him as your Lord and Savior. My life has been AWESOME since I began my journey with the Lord. I go to church as often as I can, read my Bible daily, and pray numerous times a day. God has helped me get through so many obstacles in the last few months. Obstacles that I thought would take a miracle to get through. When I step into New Providence Baptist Church, I can instantly feel the Lord's presence, and I never want to leave. It feels like you are at a

Bovard

Paul James Bovard, 25, Collins Street, Loudon was charged with two counts of illegal possession or fraudulent use of a debit card.

According to affidavits filed by Detective Brian Jenkins, LPD; on or about December 24, 2012, Bovard had in his

possession and control a debit card belonging to a Loudon woman. Bovard used the card at least twice at the Jiffy 7 & 11 in Loudon for a total amount of \$42.57.

The detective noted the victim said she did not give Bovard permission or consent to

have or use the card and she she didn't know Bovard had the card. Officer Brandon Nix, LPD made the arrest. Police beat

Ethan Cord Webb, 22, of Fezzell Road, Decatur, was charged with a capias. Deputy J. Samuels, LCSO made the arrest.

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