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Wednesday, October 5, 2016

## But what happened to the money? Investigation continues...

Derreck Kirkland, 28, Woodby Fridley Road Sweetwater, was charged with Simple Possession x2, and Poss. of Drug Para.

Officer Brandon Nix LPD, was dispatched to Highway 72 N (Monterey Mushroom). Dispatch advised the on duty guard stated that a female and her two children were in the parking lot waiting for

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Derreck Kirkland

## Persistent attacker nabbed upon return



Roland Russell

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## Former nurse practitioner sentenced for unlawfully distributing and dispensing oxycodone

Sherry L. Barnett, 47, of Jonesborough, Tenn., was sentenced to serve two years in federal prison for conspiring to unlawfully distribute and dispense oxycodone.

Barnett, who was a licensed nurse practitioner, pleaded guilty in February 2016 to conspiring with Rocky Wayne Hendrix, Robert Randal Stanton II, and others, to unlawfully distribute oxycodone from October 2011 through August 2014. Barnett owned and operated Resolutions HealthCare, PLLC in

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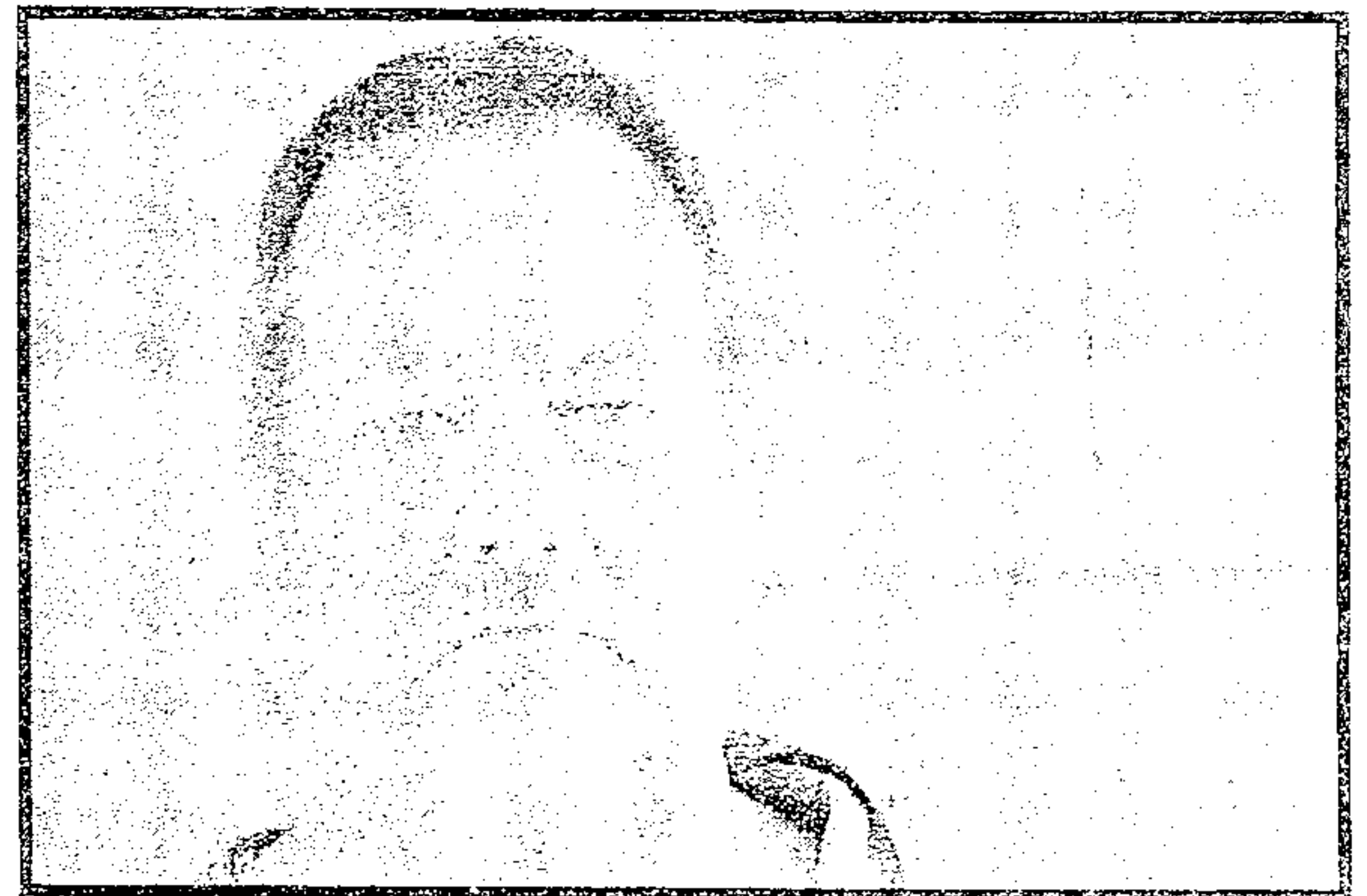
## Reckless driver call leads to load of charges



Shaina Brookshire

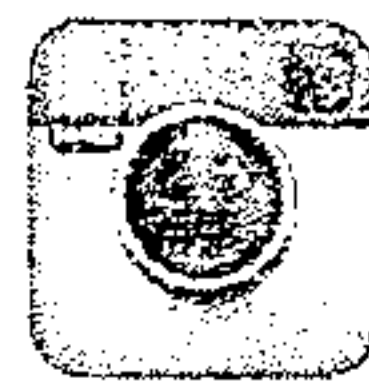
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## Running stop sign a really bad idea!



James Smith

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### Verse of the Day

So Christ was sacrificed once to take away the sins of many people; and he will appear a second time, not to bear sin, but to bring salvation to those who are waiting for him. — Hebrews 9:28

### Obituaries

see inside **Wazzup**

The election locally looks to be an interesting one as always. Will the incumbents return? Will new faces appear? Tell us what you think!

### Weather

Today: A mainly sunny sky. High 84F.  
Tonight: Clear skies. Low near 55F.  
Thursday Mainly sunny. High 84F.  
Thursday Night Clear. Low 58F.

### Horoscopes

Libra 9/23-10/22  
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**Money**

her boyfriend to get off from work. The guard advised he was afraid that there would be an altercation in the parking lot. Upon arrival Officer made contact with the female. The female advised she had inherited a large amount of cash from her grandfather, and when she woke up this morning it was missing from

her apartment. Female advised the only person whom took the money was her live in boyfriend, Derreck Kirkland. Mr. Kirkland was located and at this time denied taking the money. The female then requested law enforcement stand by while she went through the vehicle. The vehicle is a Nissan Sentra.

This vehicle is registered

in both Mr. Kirkland and female name. Before female entered the vehicle Officer asked Mr. Kirkland if there was anything illegal inside. Mr. Kirkland stated he believed there was a pipe which

was used to smoke marijuana inside. When Ms. Kirkland opened the door, Officer could smell the strong odor of marijuana coming from the vehicle. At this time Officer requested to search the

(see money etd. pg. 8)

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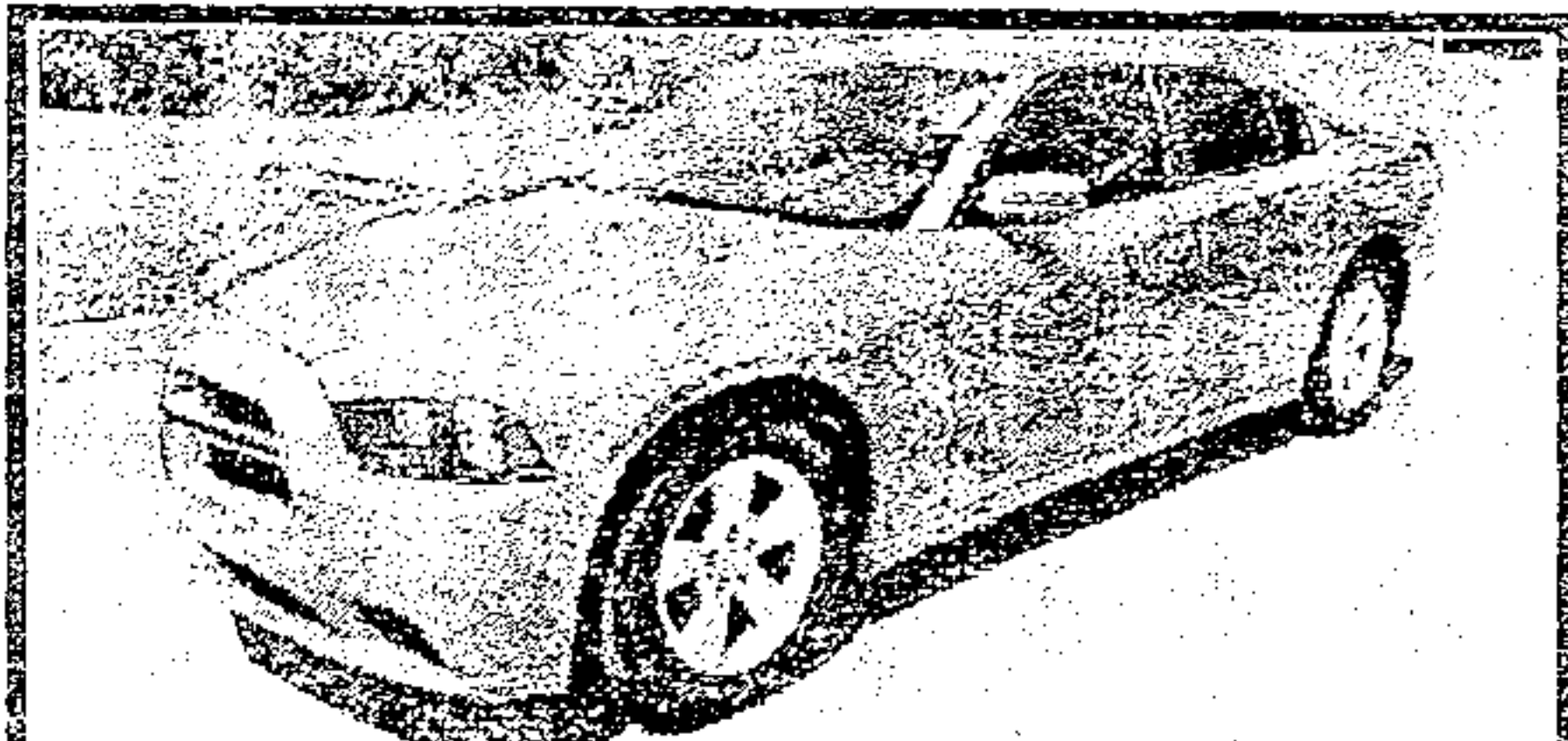
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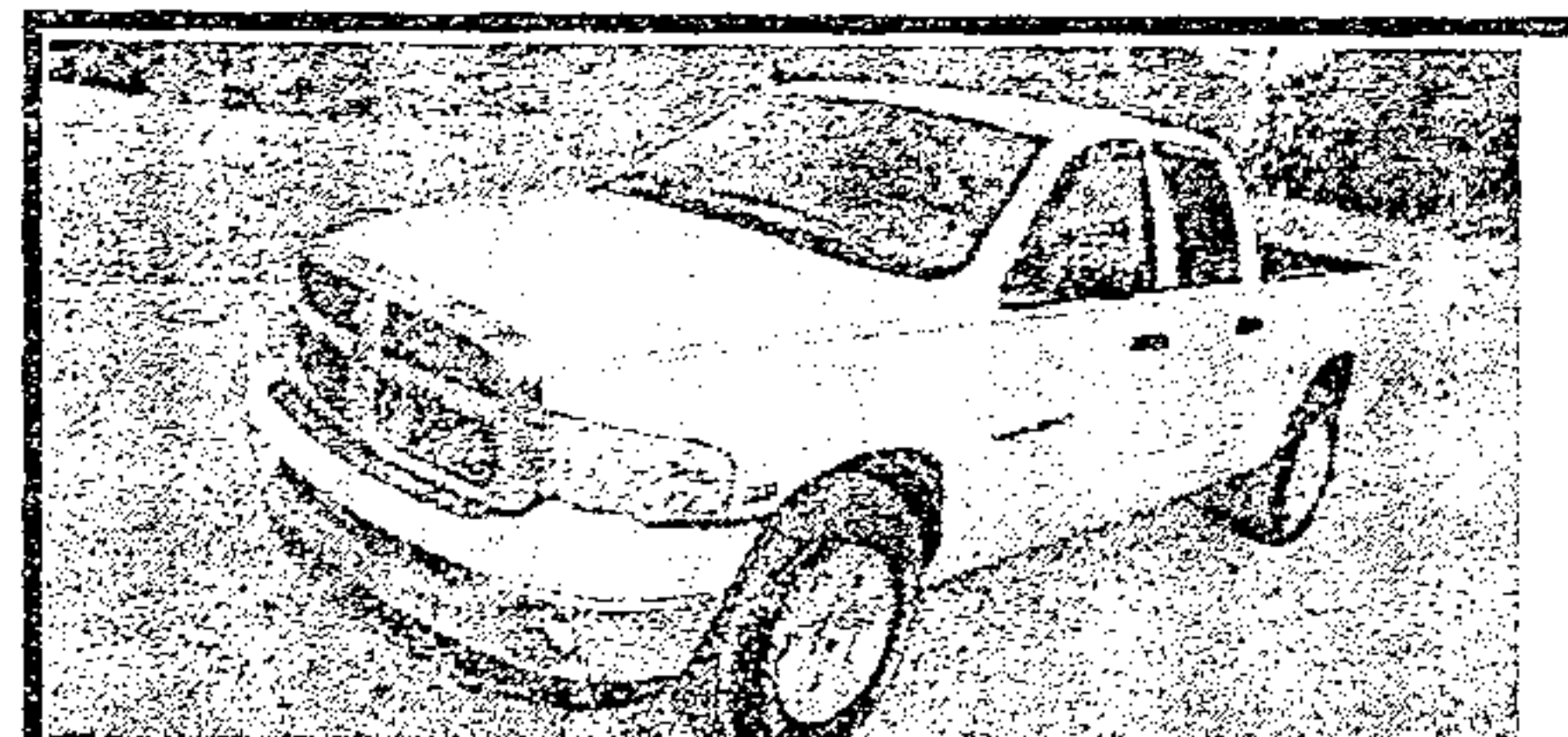
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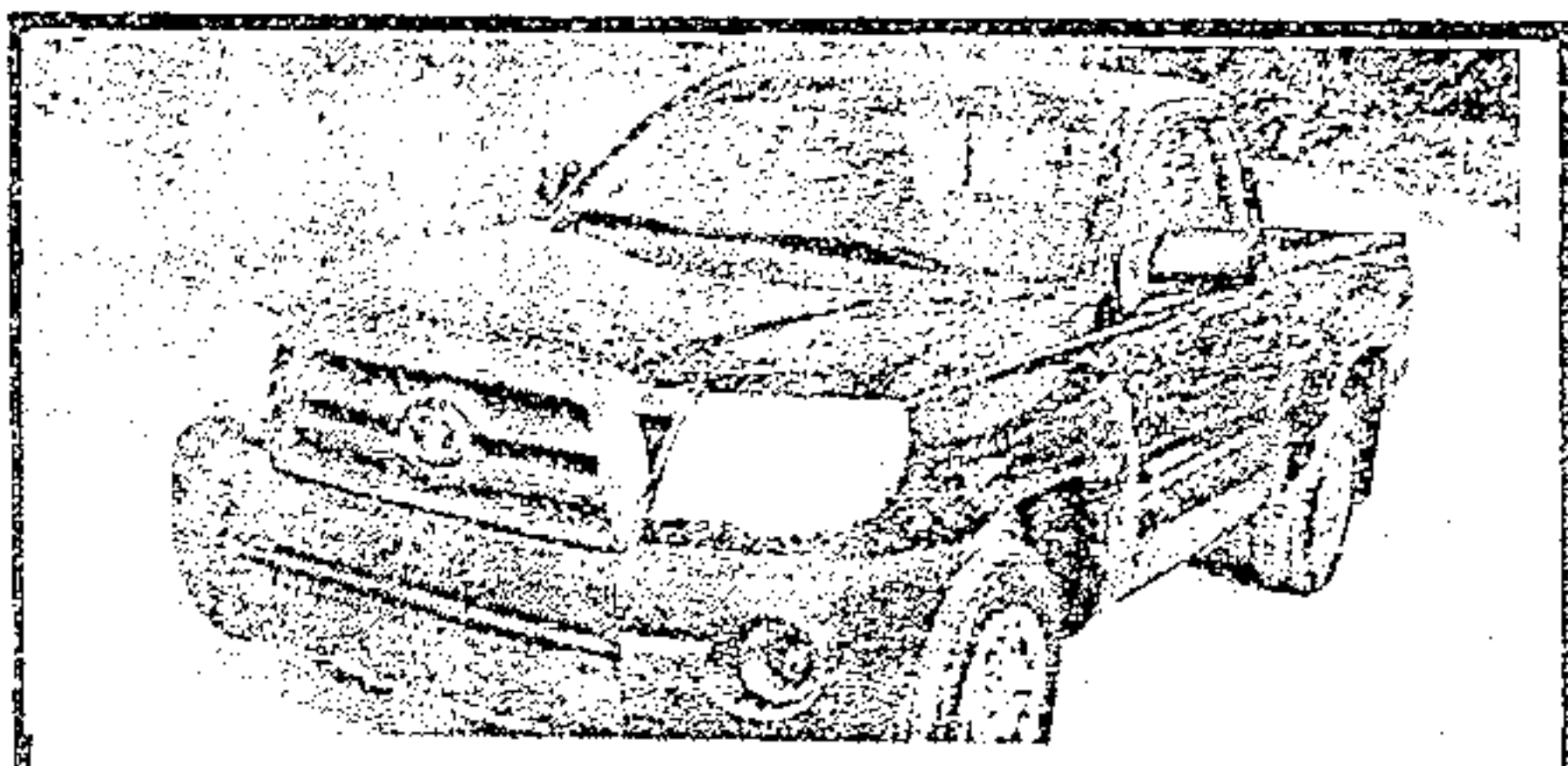
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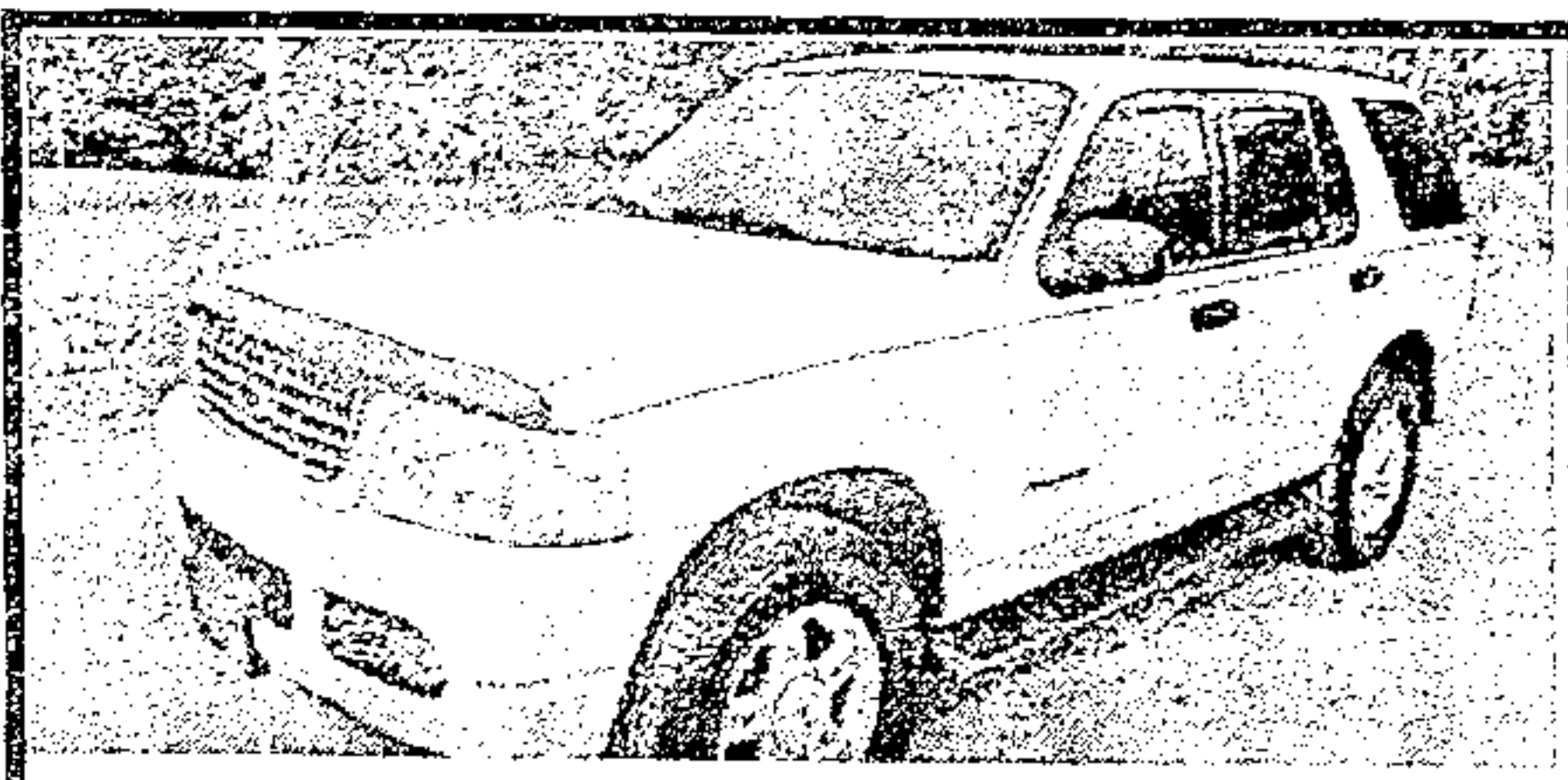
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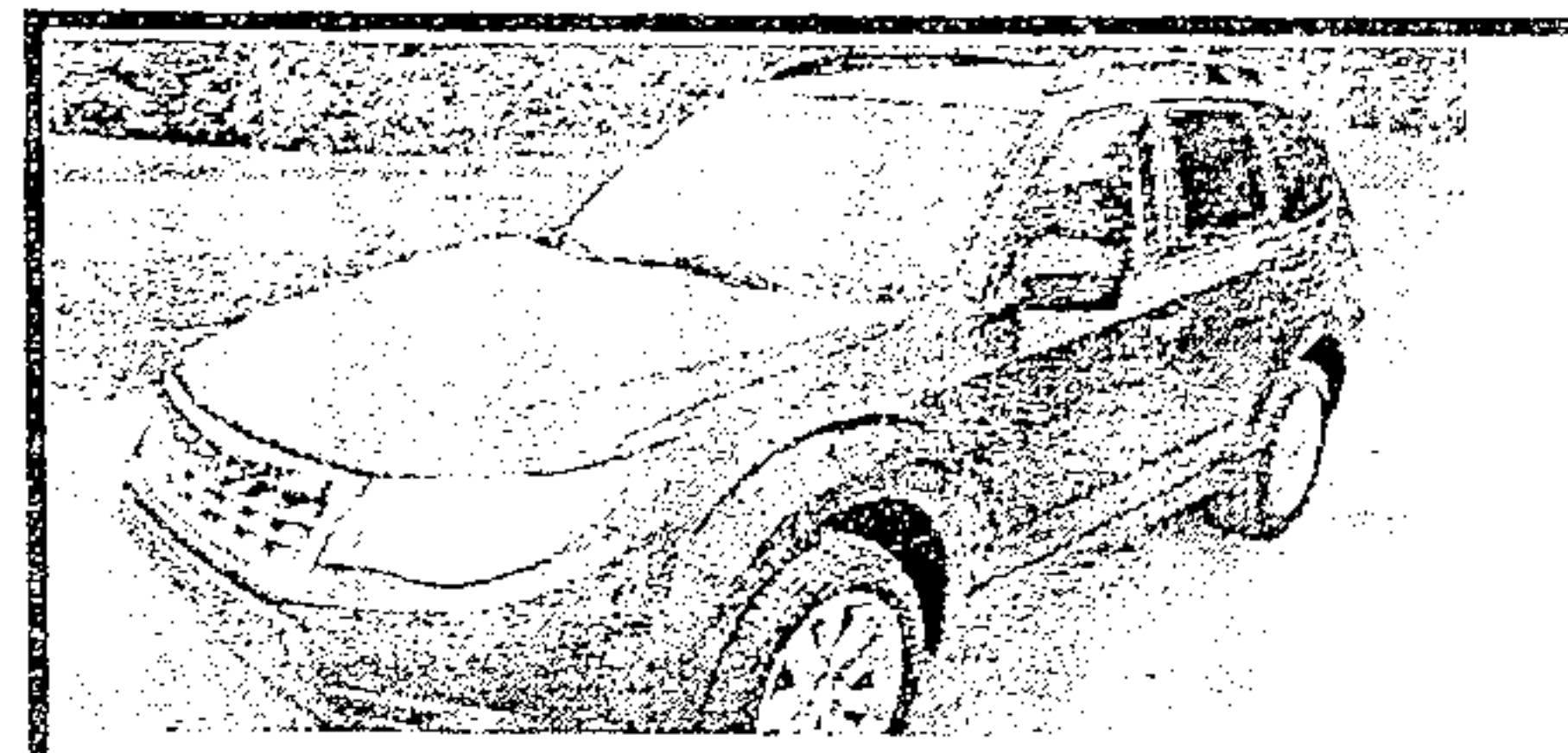
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charges

Shaina Brookshire, 24, Camellia Trace Maryville, was charged with DUI, Violation of Implied Consent, Contraband in a Penal Institution, and Poss. of Drug Para.

Deputy K. Palmer LCSO, was dispatched to a reckless driver on Interstate 75 North. Dispatch advised that it was a black Acura hatchback that was lowered with no tail lights. Dispatch also advised the called stated the vehicle was all over the road. Deputy

made contact with a vehicle matching that description as it passes the 76 on ramp to 75 North. Deputy got behind the vehicle at which time he observed the vehicle cross the divider line. Deputy also observed the vehicle swerving inside the lane. There was a vehicle that attempted to pass the vehicle at which time it had to slam on it's brakes because the vehicle crossed the center line again almost striking it. Deputy stopped the vehicle on Interstate 75


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**Oxycodone**

Johnson City, Tenn., from which she issued unlawful prescriptions to Hendrix, Stanton, and other patients without proper medical examinations and for no legitimate medical purpose. Hendrix recruited friends, family members, and employees at his business, Rocky's Pizza, to become new patients of Barnett in order to obtain additional unlawful prescriptions. According to documents on file with the U.S. District Court, during the course of the conspiracy over 60,000 pills were illegally dispensed and distributed.

All three charged in the indictment have now been sentenced. In April 2016, Stanton was sentenced to 60 months in prison. In July 2016,

Hendrix was sentenced to 78 months.

The investigation was conducted by the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation. Assistant U.S. Attorney David Gunn represented the United States.

**Good Shepherd Center of Monroe County presents EmiSunshine**

Madisonville native, EmiSunshine gained national attention at the age of nine when a video of her singing Jimmie Rogers "Blue Yodel No. 6" at the Sweetwater Flea Market went viral. That exposure led to an appearance on the Today Show, followed by touring engagements from coast to coast. Emi and her family band have performed on the Grand Ole Opera multiple times and have opened concerts

for Willie Nelson and Jason Isbell. They will also be opening two shows for Loretta Lynn later this month. A fourth generation musician, Emi first sang in public at a friends wedding at the age of four, and now at age 12, she's in the process of finishing production on her fourth album.

This concert is a benefit for our friends at Good Shepherd Center to go towards their much needed building fund. For every dollar raised, an anonymous donor will match the total, so please help

spread the word about this event.

The EmiSunshine concert will be: Thursday, October 13, 2016 Location is the Hiwassee College Buckner Memorial United Methodist Chapel, 225 Hiwassee College Drive, Madisonville, TN 37354. Doors open at 5:30 PM, Show at 6:30 PM. Tickets \$12.00, Kids ages 6 and under free. Tickets may be purchased at the door, Monroe County Chamber of Commerce, Kahite and Rarity Bay Club Houses.

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DV

Walter Russell, 43, Welch Ave. Loudon, was charged with Domestic Assault.

Officer Jonathan Yates LPD, responded to a domestic fight in progress at Welch Ave, Loudon TN. Upon arrival, Walter Earl Russell, fled on foot. Officer attempted to find him unsuccessfully. Officer spoke with the victim, who had obvi-

ous signs of an assault to include a black left eye, red scratch marks on his face and body and his shirt was ripped at the neck line. Victim dates Earl's daughter and has been living with the family for the past 5-6 months. All witnesses confirmed that the following occurred. Mr. Earl Russell had been drinking alcohol and became angry at victim for minor issues. He clinched

his fists in an aggressive manner and made threats to harm victim. The victim left. He returned after a while to let things cool down. Russell again became agitated and engaged victim in a fight. All parties state that victim attempted to distance himself and avoid contact with Mr. Russell but Russell stayed persistent in his attack. Earl Russell was found to be the agres-

sor and was arrested at around 12:30am after he attempted to sneak back into the house. He was transported to jail. Said happened in Loudon, TN.

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North around the 77 Mile Marker. Deputy made contact with the driver Ms. Shaina Rochelle Brookshire. Deputy asked Ms. Brookshire for her li-

cense, registration, and insurance. While speaking with Ms. Brookshire he could smell a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage emitting from the vehicle. Deputy asked Ms. Brookshire to exit the vehicle. Deputy asked Ms. Brookshire again if she had anything to drink because he could smell a strong odor of alcohol at which time she someone had spilt some alcohol on her earlier in the evening. Ms. Brookshire did stated that she had smoked some marijuana about three hours prior. Deputy asked Ms. Brookshire if she would be willing to do some field sobriety task at which time she stated yes. Ms. Brookshire did perform poorly on all field sobriety task. Deputy asked Ms. Brookshire if there was anything illegal inside the vehicle and if he could search it at which time she stated no and she needed to call her father first. Cpl. C. Hutchins deployed his K9 partner at which time he alerted on the vehicle. Deputy did search the vehicle at which time he located 2 pipes with marijuana residue. Ms. Brookshire was placed under arrest for DUI and poss. of drug paraphernalia. Ms. Brookshire was read the Tennessee Implied Consent Form at which time she refused. Upon arrival at the jail Deputy C. Vincil did locate a charges conc. pg. 7

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**Dui**

James Smith, 61, Golfcrest Oak Ridge, was charged with DUI, and Violation of Implied Consent.

Deputy K. Palmer LCSO, observed a 2014 red Ford Mustang traveling East on Highway 444. Deputy observed the vehicle run the stop sign at Highway 444 and Highway 321. Deputy turned around on the vehicle at which time it traffic got in between them. Deputy got behind the vehicle at Highway 321 and Highway 11. Deputy stopped the vehicle on Highway 321 at East

2nd Avenue. Deputy made contact with the driver Mr. James Alton Smith.

While speaking with the driver Mr. James Alton Smith Deputy could smell a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage emitting from the vehicle. Deputy also observed Mr. Smith had red glassy eyes. Deputy asked Mr. Smith how much he had to drink at which time he stated a couple drinks earlier in

the day. Deputy asked Mr. Smith if he would exit the vehicle. Deputy asked Mr. Smith if he would be willing to do some field sobriety at which time he stated yes.

During the one leg stand Mr. Smith stated he could not do it because his knee's Deputy stopped the task and continued other test. Mr. Smith did perform poorly on field sobriety task. Mr. Smith was placed under arrest for driving under the influence. Mr. Smith was read the Tennessee Implied Consent Form. When Deputy finished reading the form and asked Mr. Smith if he would give blood he fell to the ground and acted like he was having a had time breathing.

Deputy had dispatch to sent Priority EMS to his location. Mr. Smith was then released from my custody and turned over to EMS. While inventorying the vehicle Deputy located a cup in the vehicle with some type of alcohol in it. Deputy also located a big bottle of liquor in the trunk.

Mr. Smith was then transported to the Fort Loudoun Emergency Room.

Deputy responded to the Fort Loudoun Emergency Room at which time he read Mr. Smith the Tennessee Implied Consent Form again. Mr. Smith stated he understood what he was reading him and he refused to give blood.

The vehicle was towed from the scene by Money Makers

Wrecker Service. Mr. Smith was also cited for traffic control device. This did occur in Loudon County TN.

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baggy of a green leafy substance believed to be marijuana in her bra.

Deputy asked Ms. Brookshire if she had anything on her before we got to the jail of it would be contraband in a penal facility at which time she stated she didn't. Ms. Brookshire was also charged with contraband in a penal facility and implied consent.

The vehicle was towed from the scene by Malone's Wrecker Service. This did occur in Loudon County TN.

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vehicles, to which the female agreed. While looking inside the vehicle Officer was able to locate a pipe, and a grinder which was located in the driver's door panel. Officer then looked in the middle console, at this time he was able to find a small amount of a green leafy substance in a clear plastic bag which is believed to be marijuana. Also inside the console Officer located a small amount of a white powder substance in a clear bag, which is believed to be cocaine. Mr. Kirkland was in possession of the vehicle earlier in the day. At this time Mr. Kirkland was taken into custody and

transported to Loudon County Jail.

**Library Foundation to present the historic archive of the Knoxville News Sentinel to the Library**

Gift to the Library comes after an 18-month campaign known as "From Papers to Pixels"

Knox County Public Library Foundation will officially donate the digitized version of historic archive of the Knoxville News Sentinel from 1922-1990 to officials at the public library at a luncheon celebration at noon on Tuesday, October 4 at the East Tennessee History Center.

The donation comes after an 18-month campaign to raise funds to

digitize the daily paper, making it fully searchable for library card holders from any internet-enabled device.

Prior to this effort, history seekers had to come to one of a few locations in East Tennessee to scan reels of microfilm by hand. Without knowledge of the date of publication, research was haphazard and difficult. This new resource allows any person interested in history to search articles, headlines, advertisements, photo captions and obituaries based on keywords.

GINNA Mashburn, chair of the Knox County Public Library Foundation, led the organization's first ever capital campaign, which raised nearly

\$600,000 for the project, and Sam Venable served as the honorary chair of the Foundation's campaign known as "From Papers to Pixels." Nearly 450 contributions from individuals, organizations and foundations supported the project.

Leading up to the event, the Library hosted a Papers to Pixels Online Scav-

enger Hunt, designed to encourage those interested in the digital archive to explore the seven decades of published articles.

The winner of the scavenger hunt will be drawn from a pool of participants with correct answers. The winner will receive lunch with Sam Venable and an Ancestry.com DNA kit.

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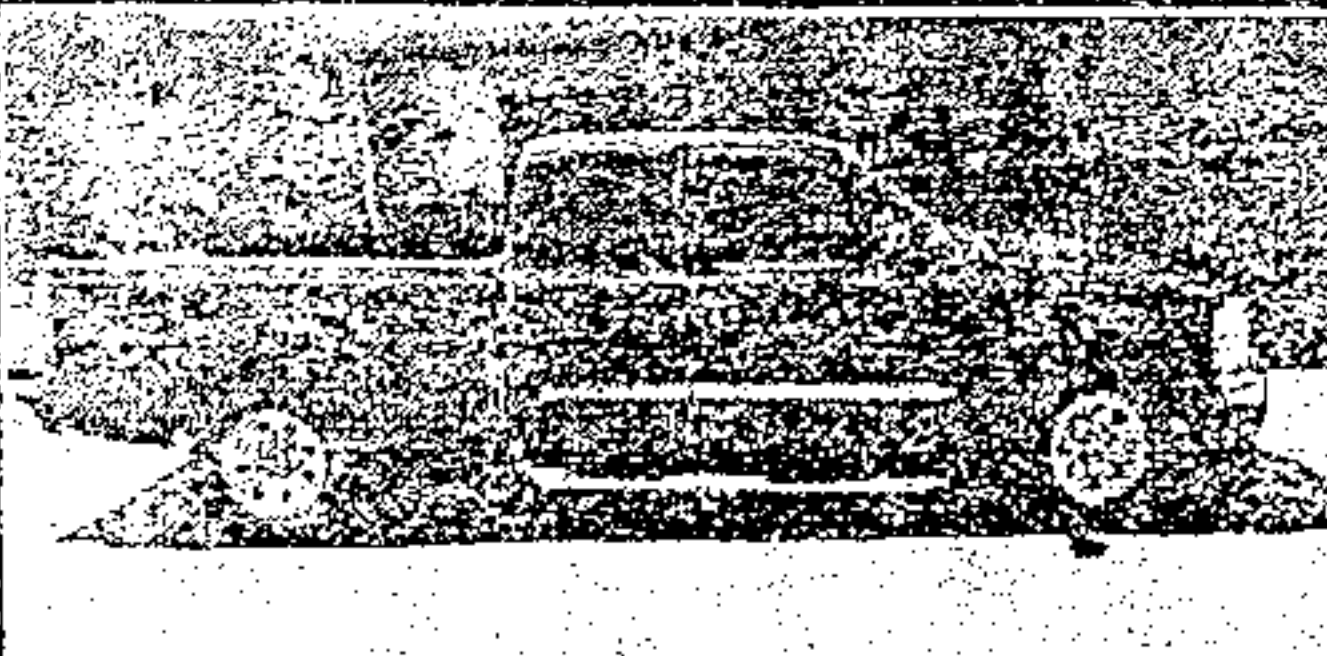


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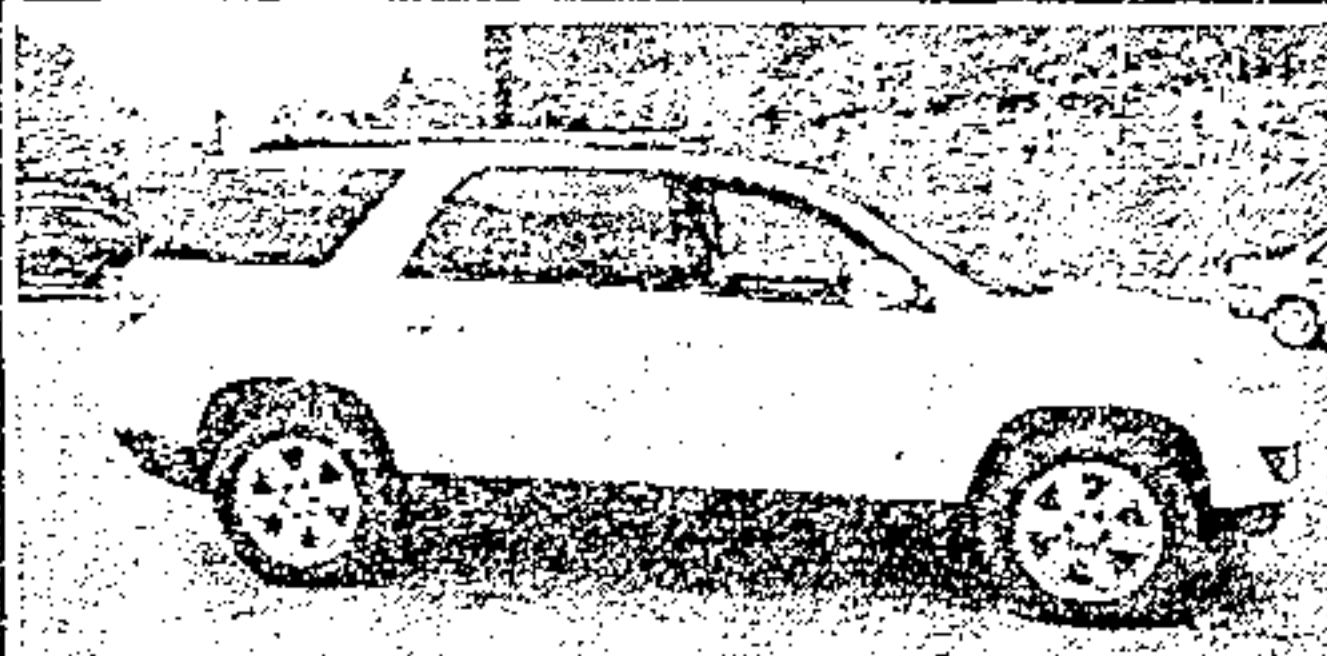
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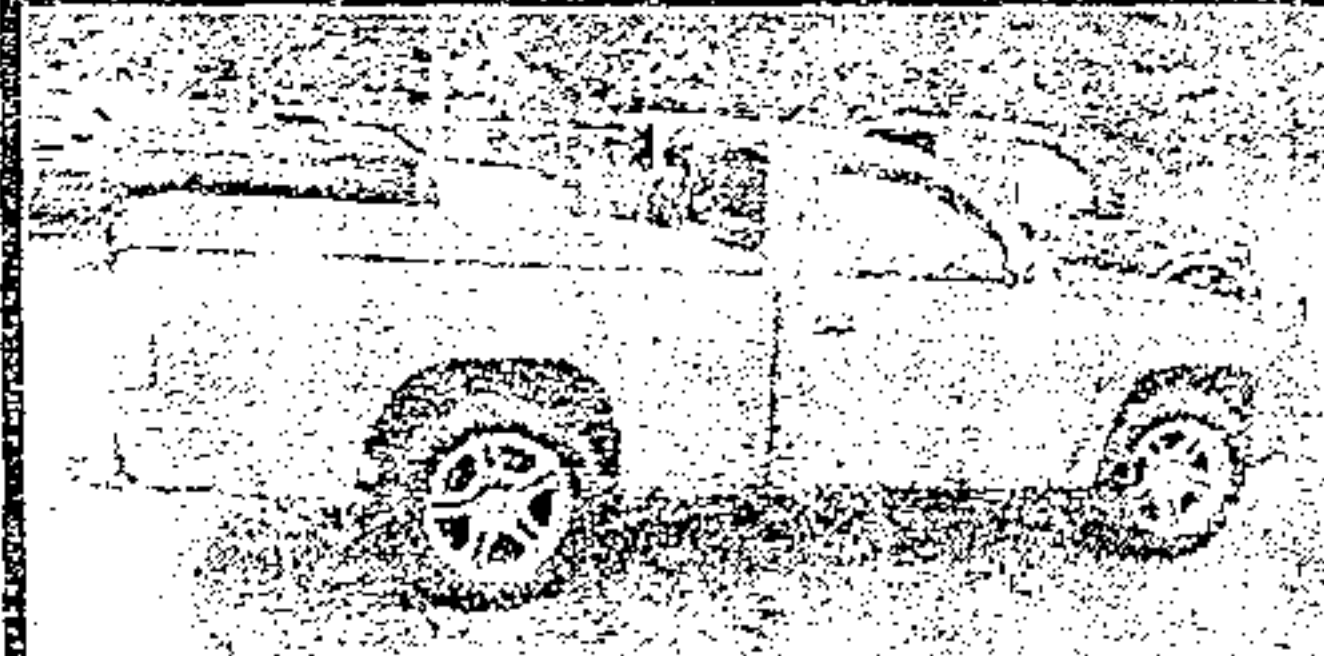
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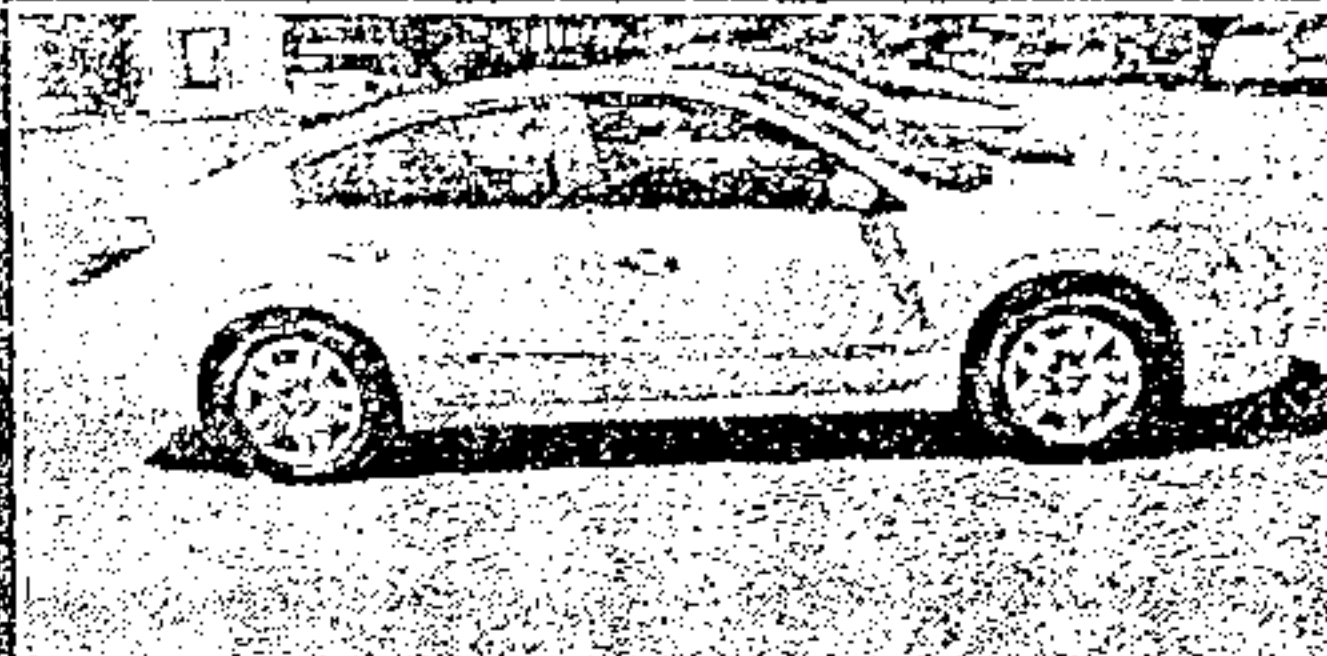
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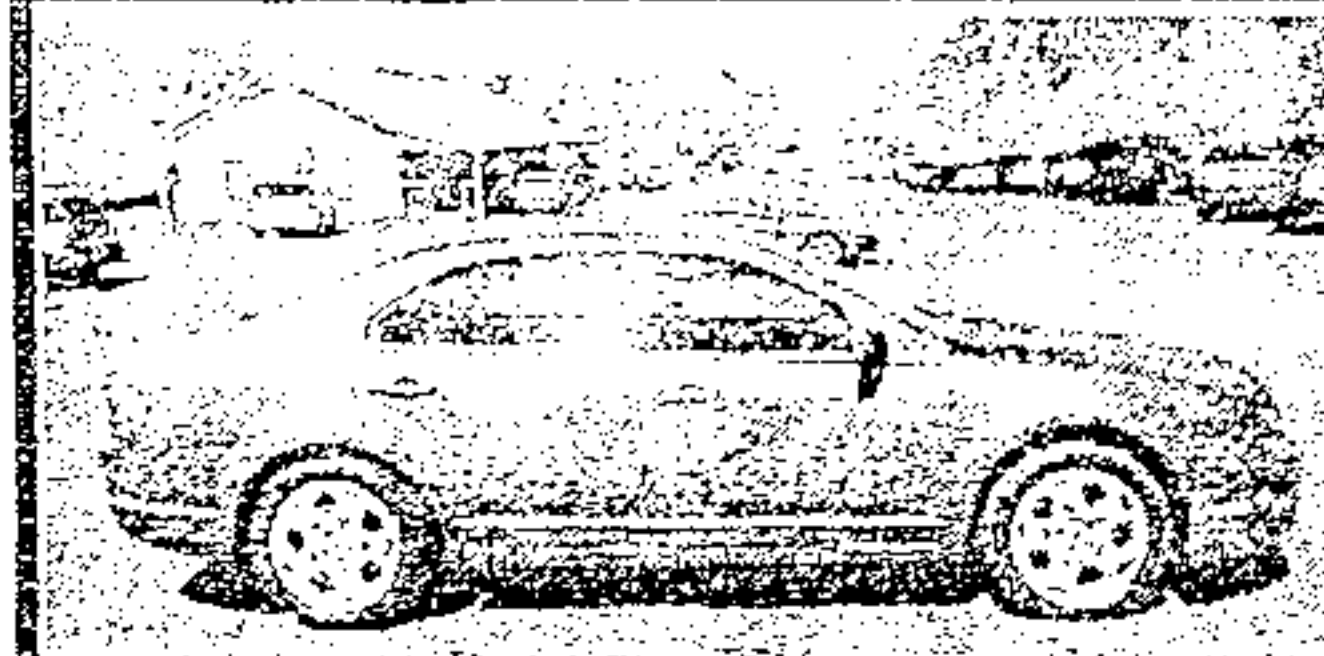
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