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Monday, February 6, 2017

## Teen charged with resale after neighbors report suspicious activity

Mickey Youngblood, 18, Cedar Lane Madisonville, was charged with Man/Sell/Del Re-sale Sch. VI.

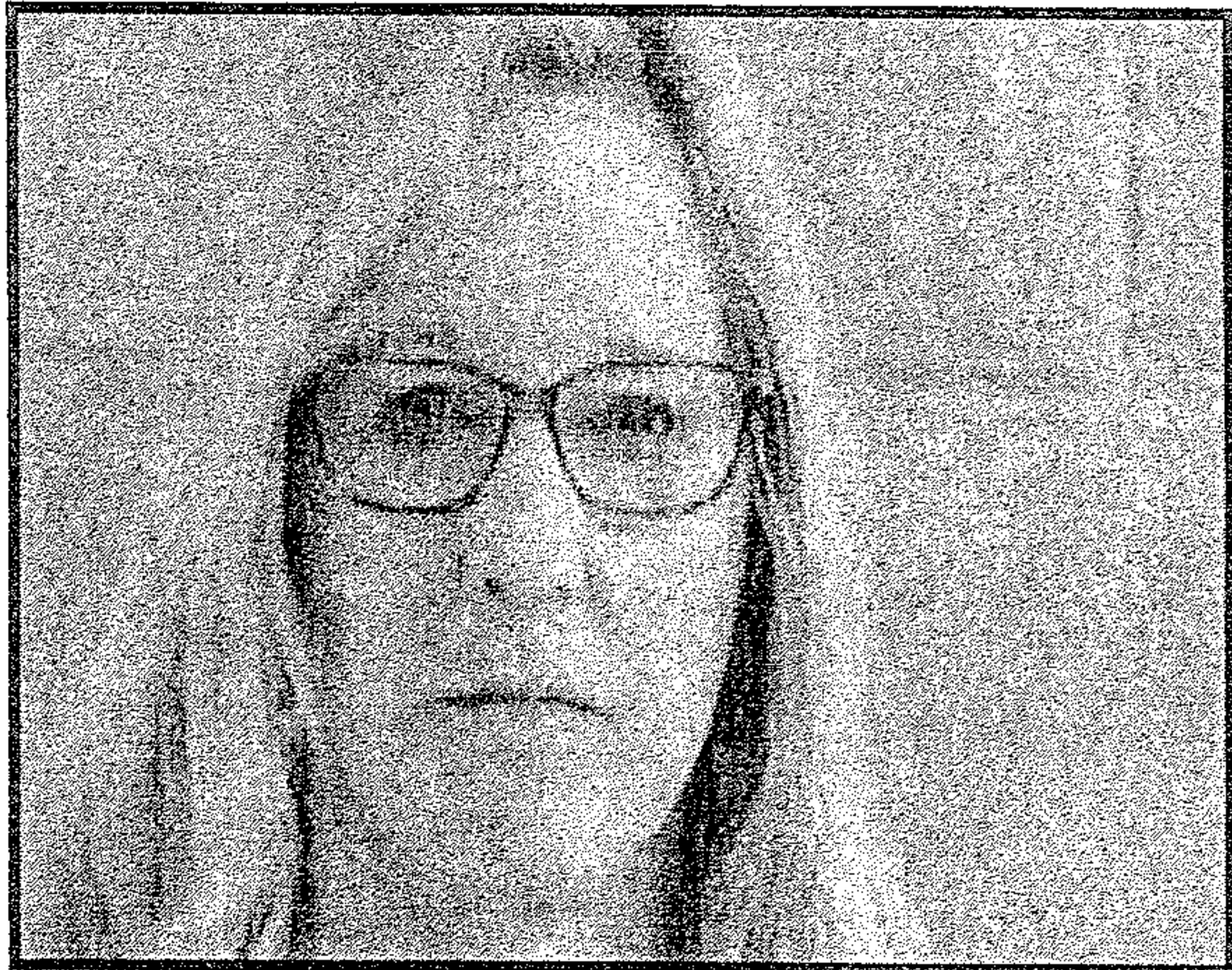
Cpl. Chris Hutchens LCSO, was dispatched to the area of Grimes road for a suspicious vehicle that was supposed to be parked in a driveway where it did not belong. Deputy arrived in the area and none of the mailboxes

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Mickey Youngblood

## When they just won't go away...



Rhonda Mann

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Morristown resident sentenced to 262 months in federal prison for role in methamphetamine conspiracy

On Jan. 31, 2017, Jason Wayne Helton, a.k.a. Crack Baby, 33, of Morristown, Tenn., was sentenced by the Honorable R. Leon Jordan, U.S. District Court Judge, to serve 262 months in federal prison following a conviction for his role in a conspiracy to distribute methamphetamine

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## You showed up for court with what? Needles and pills



Wanda Chrisman

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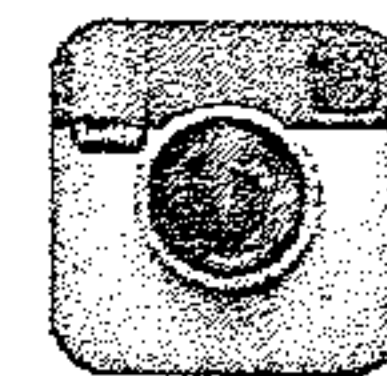
## Tommy Allen "Bert" sentenced to serve 240 months in prison for distributing crack cocaine

On Jan. 31, 2017, Tommy Allen, a.k.a. Bert, 30, of Kingsport, Tenn., formerly of Forrest City, Ark., was sentenced by the Honorable R. Leon Jordan, U.S. District Court Judge, to serve 240 months in federal prison for distributing

crack cocaine. Upon his release from prison, he will be on supervised release for five years. There is no parole in the federal system.

Tommy Allen pleaded guilty in June 2016 to a conspiracy to distribute 280 grams or more of crack cocaine.

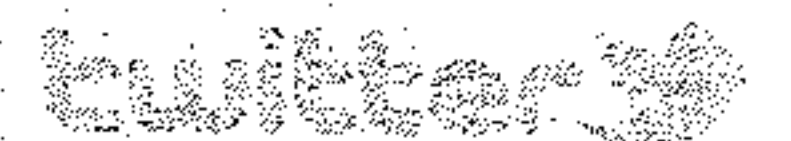
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### Verse of the Day

Many are the plans in a man's heart, but it is the LORD's purpose that prevails. — Proverbs 19:21

### Obituaries

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### Wazzup

Hope everyone had a safe weekend as law enforcement was on high alert. If you made a trip to a cell then you'll probably wind up in here as well.

### Weather

Today: Partly cloudy in the morning. Increasing clouds with periods of showers later in the day. High near 60F. Tonight: Showers early becoming a steady light rain late. Low 49F.

Tuesday Rain likely High 62F.

Tuesday Night Rain likely. Low 51F.

### Horoscopes

Aquarius 1/20-2/19

After juggling a hectic schedule, it's time to down-

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resale

were marked. The complainant called back and pointed out the correct house.

Deputy Palmer and Hutchens found a silver Chevy Monte Carlo in the driveway of Grimes road, and as they pulled in a male opened the door to the vehicle. The male

was identified as Mickey Youngblood, who stated he and his passenger had ran out of gas looking for a friends house and was waiting for someone to bring them more fuel. They stated they did not know anyone who lived at this address and had just ended up in that driveway. The registration came back not on

file, and the VIN came back to someone different. Youngblood stated his grandmother

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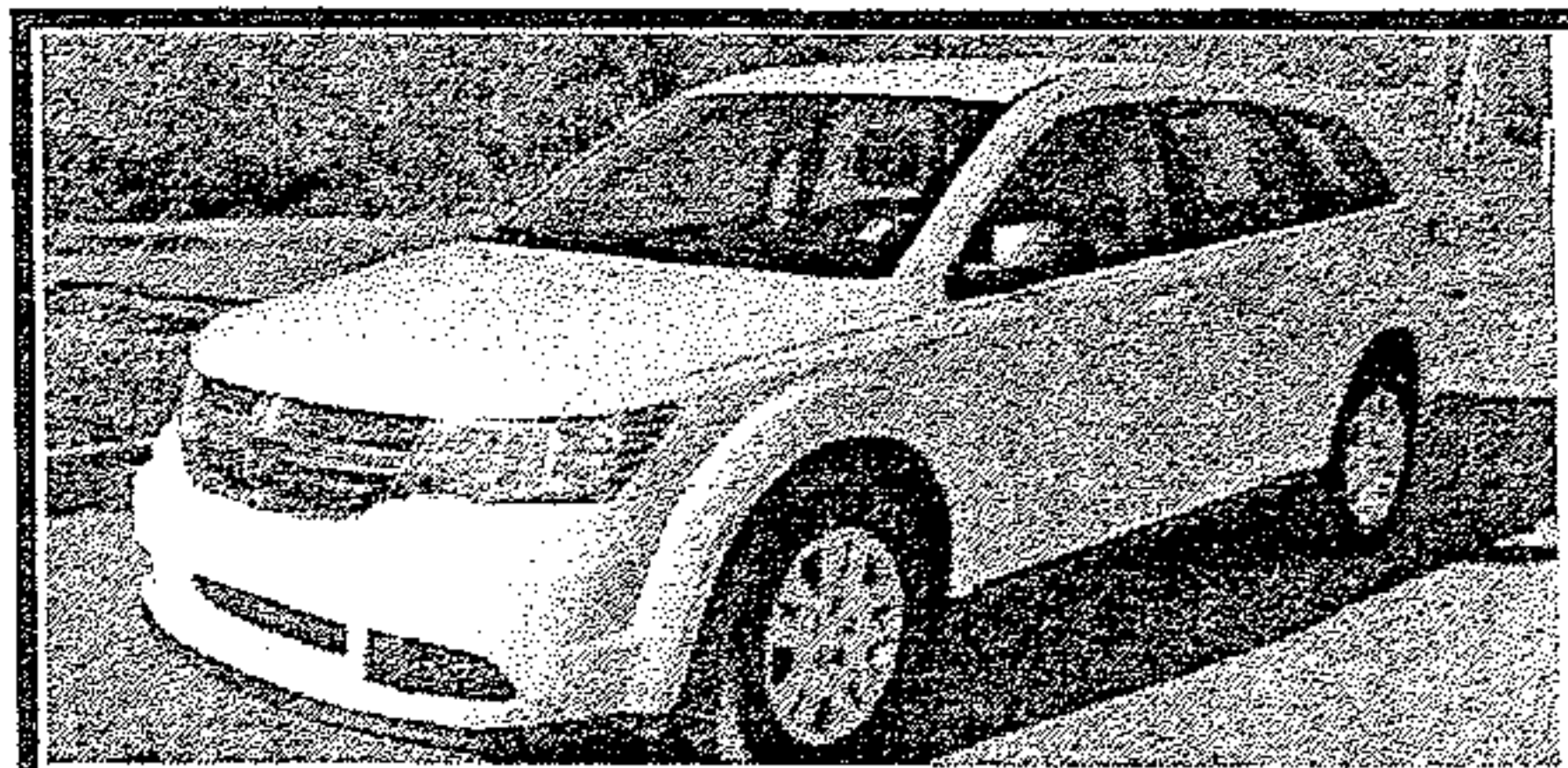
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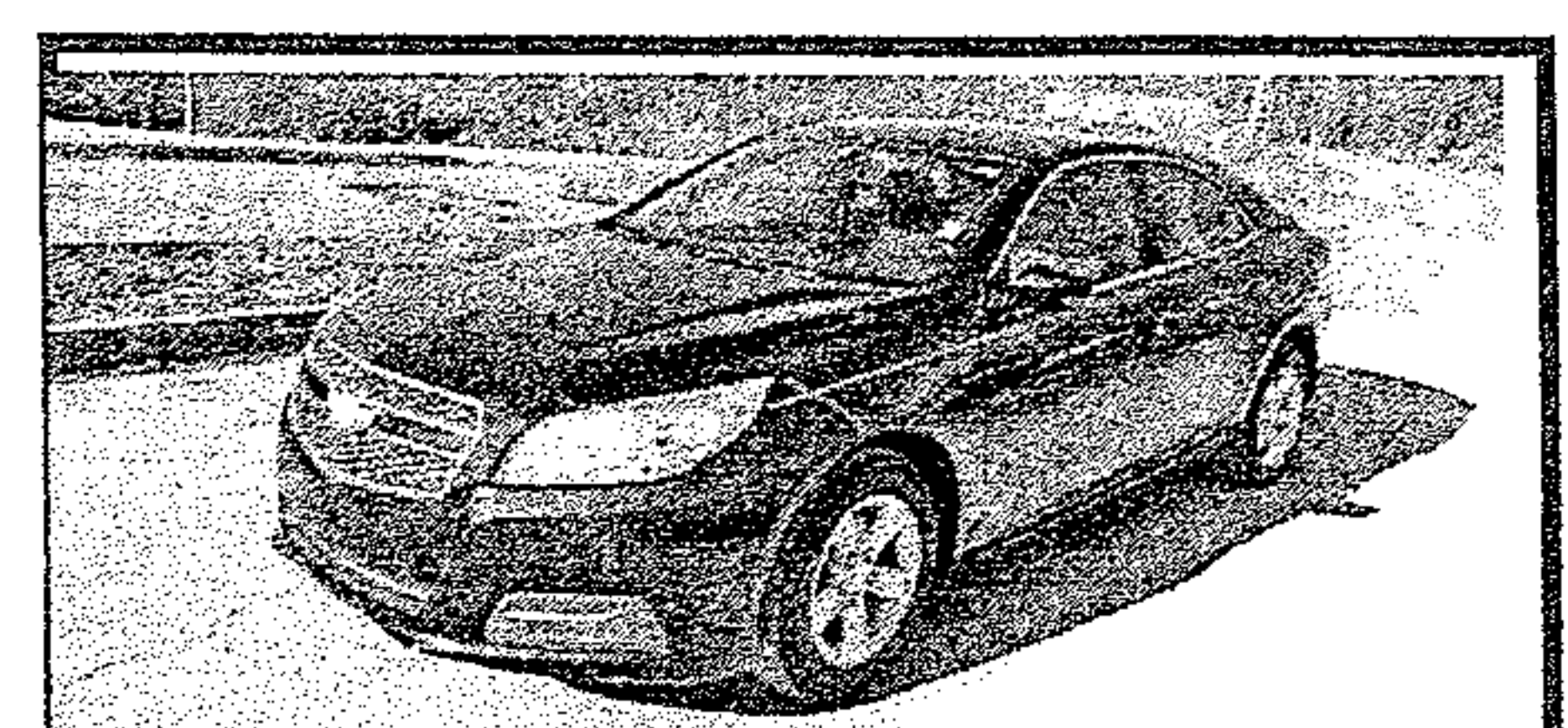
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## Crack

He was a member of a drug trafficking organization, involving 10 co-defendants, which obtained powder cocaine in Forrest City, Ark., and then transported it to Kingsport, Tenn., where it was "cooked" into crack cocaine and distributed in the Tri-Cities. Tommy Allen, the brother of the conspiracy's leader, Billy Allen, a.k.a. "Grill," distributed crack cocaine and fielded phone calls from customers ordering crack cocaine from the organization. Tommy Allen admitted to being conservatively responsible for

distributing between 840 grams and 2.8 kilograms (approximately two to six pounds) of crack cocaine. He faced a minimum mandatory sentence of 10 years in prison as a result of trafficking in at least 280 or more grams of crack cocaine.


Agencies involved in this investigation included the Second Judicial District Drug Task Force, Kingsport Police Department, Sullivan County Sheriff's Office, Bristol Police Department, Tennessee Bureau of Investigation, Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco Firearms and Explosives, Internal Revenue Service,

and Drug Enforcement Administration. J. Gregory Bowman, Assistant U.S. Attorney represented the United States.

This case was a result of the Department of Justice's Organized Crime and Drug Enforcement Task Force (OCDETF) program, the centerpiece of the Department of Justice's drug supply reduction strategy. OCDETF was established in 1982 to conduct comprehensive, multi-level attacks on major drug trafficking and money laundering organizations. Today, OCDETF combines the resources and expertise of its member federal agencies in cooperation with state and local law enforcement. The principal mission of the OCDETF program is to identify, disrupt, and dismantle the most serious drug trafficking and money laundering organizations and those primarily responsible for the nation's drug supply.

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Meth

in east Tennessee.

According to his plea agreement on file with U.S. District Court, Helton sold quantities of methamphetamine to an individual work-

ing on behalf of law enforcement on three occasions between December 2015 and March 2016. In February 2016, a federal search warrant was executed at a residence

in Stone Mountain, Ga., where Helton was present and scheduled to obtain and transport an ounce and a half of methamphetamine back to Tennessee. Another federal search

warrant was executed at Helton's residence in Morristown in March 2016 which resulted in the seizure of an additional quantity of methamphetamine. Law enforcement

agencies participating in the investigation included the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Grainger County Sheriff's Office, Hamblen County Sheriff's Office, Morristown, Tennessee Police Department and the Third and Fourth District Judicial Drug Task Forces. Assistant U.S. Attorney Wayne Taylor represented the United States.

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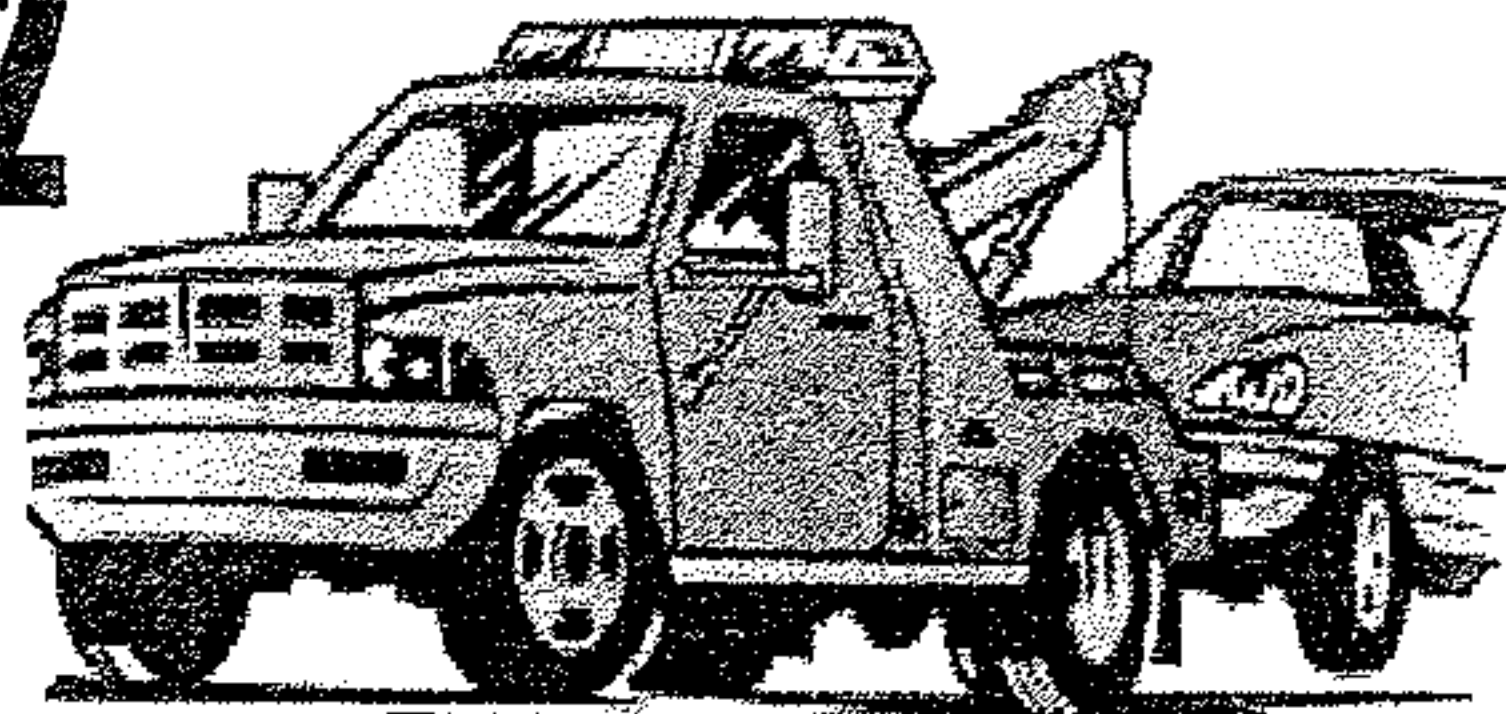
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**Court**

Wanda Chrisman, 58, Tinnell Lane Lenoir City, was charged with Poss. of Drug Para., and Legend Drug x3

Inv. Jamie Ketner LCSO, was advised that Deputy Ferguson had found some pills and a needle in the purse of Wanda Chrisman. Deputy made contact with Ms. Chrisman in the Court Lobby and she had in her possession the following: one needle, (2) Quetiapine Fumarate 400mg, (2) Quetiapine Fumarate 25mg and (4) Tizanidine 4mg. Ms. Chrisman did state that she shot up Methamphetamine's approximately one week ago and that she forgot the pills was in her purse. Ms. Chrisman did not have a prescription for these medications. Inv. Stanley was also on scene to assist. These above actions did occur in Loudon county, Tn.

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bought the car, and that he did not keep the title in the vehicle because he was afraid someone would steal it. Both had lots of furtive movement while still in the vehicle and seemed very nervous. Youngblood gave consent to search the vehicle, and marijuana could be smelled emitting from the vehicle. Inside was found a pill bottle smelling of marijuana, and a cigarette pack with what was left of a marijuana cigarette. While searching the vehicle Youngblood's phone was in view in the seat and continually

got messages asking if he had any "green" left to sell. A search of Youngblood's person revealed a bag of marijuana concealed in his underwear that weighed approx. 17.4 grams. Youngblood was placed under arrest, and transported to the Loudon County Jail. Passenger was transported to the McDonald's on Hwy 72 to call a ride. The vehicle was towed by James, and is being held for proof of ownership. This did occur in Loudon County.

**Harassment**

Rhonda Mann, 56, E 1st Avenue Lenoir City, was charged with Harassment.

The victim came to the Justice Center to report harassment. He states that in early 2016 he had a warrant taken out for harassment on Rhonda Mann. Ms. Mann and victim had dated in the past. Ms. Mann was arrested on the charge and the case was heard in the General Sessions Court for Loudon County. He states that she was to have no contact with him after the case was settled. Victim received a text from Ms. Mann on January 30th, 2016. He received the text from Ms. Mann from phone number. He recognized the phone number as hers. Ms. Mann sent more texts after victim asked not to be contacted again. The texts were long rambling comments in reference to their relationship and apologies. Mr. Mann states he also received a phone call Ms. Mann on Oc-

tober 31st, 2016. Victim advised Ms. Mann verbally not to contact him anymore on that date. These texts were sent to victim work phone and he had to have Ms. Mann's number blocked. Victim received texts on December 30th, December 31st and January 2nd from Ms. Mann.

**The Good News**

*The Rev. Dr. Julius McCarter*

Scripture: Matthew 5:1-12



In Corrie Ten Boom's famous book, *The Hiding Place*, Rahms, a lieutenant in the Nazi SS, says to Corrie, "If you want converts, surely one normal person is worth all the half-wits in the world!" A watchmaker by trade and caretaker of the disabled, Ten Boom responds, "May I tell you the truth Lieutenant Rahms? The truth, sir, is that God's viewpoint is sometimes different from ours. So different that we could not even guess at it unless He had given us a Book which tells us such things. In the scripture I learn that God values us not for our strength

or our brains, but simply because He has made us. Who knows, in His eyes, a half-wit may be worth more than a watchmaker. Or a lieutenant." During the Nazi era, rigid "ideals" were proposed about who was an asset to the Reich, and anyone who did not fit the criteria was in danger. And isn't that how it is under any dangerous regime? Whispers about who is welcome, shouts about who must go and statements about who will benefit.

However, God turns this way of understanding the world on its head. Jesus announces that those who live on the fringes, those who

suffer, those who are meek are promised welcome and respite. Like Ten Boom, who takes on Rahm's crude term "half-wit" and turns it into something good and gracious, Jesus takes on difficulties such as hunger, thirst, peacemaking and persecution and allows us to see beyond them to a good and gracious future.

Prayer: Gracious God, we see much suffering among those around us. Give us the tools and courage to offer those who suffer a foretaste of their inheritance, bringing comfort, fulfillment, mercy and a glimpse of heaven. In Christ's name I pray. Amen.

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