

Letters

# Police were helpful in dog case

Dear Editor,  
I wanted to write a letter to publicly thank our local police force, in particular Chief Brian Cousineau and PC Chris Leather, for all of their support during our recent search for our lost Angel. Had I realized earlier how seriously they would take a possible case of dognapping, I would have been sure to file a report right away.

I'll explain briefly that we had a six month old yellow labrador puppy and a lot of people may remember that she went missing on Dec. 27 from our backyard. We searched for two days calling "Angel" everywhere. You probably thought you were hearing things. On the afternoon of the second day, I traced back to a local donut shop where she had been picked up. Unable to contact the nice gentleman, as we called him, I left a phone number for him to contact me, at which point I intended to pay him for his food and troubles and for keeping Angel from being hit by a car. We were grateful to him as we at least knew she was safe. Content to wait for him to go back to the

donut shop for his message, we went home to await his call. About 1:30 p.m. the next day he phoned. Relieved, I thanked him for picking Angel up, figuring I would simply go get her. He interrupted to say that he didn't have her anymore, she had run away. I was shocked, my heart sank. I attempted to find out more about where Angel had been when she ran away from him. He was evasive now that I look back, but I managed to pull out of him the intersection of two roads near his farm. I put our two young children in my car, my husband had his car and we proceeded

to comb that area for several hours. If you recall, the weather was getting pretty cold on the evening of Dec. 29. We were concerned but feeling defeated by the darkness we headed back home.

Later that night we talked and started to consider being suspicious of this "kind gentleman". I talked briefly with the police in a "what if" scenario. (Please see page 17)

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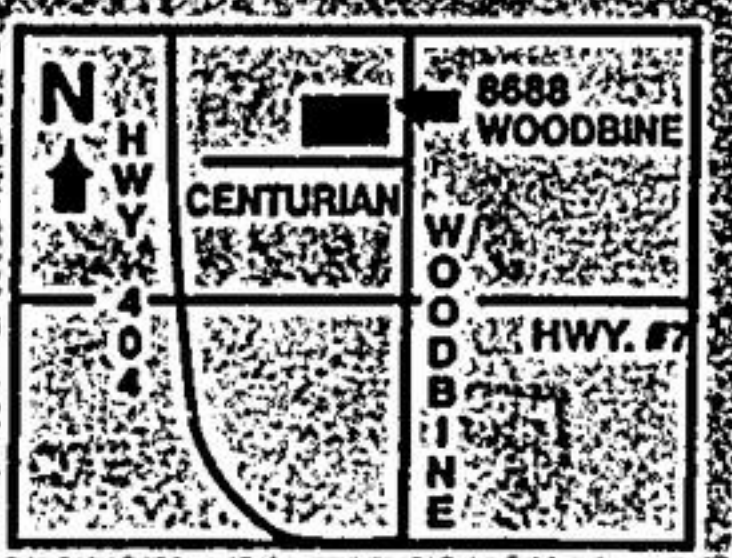
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