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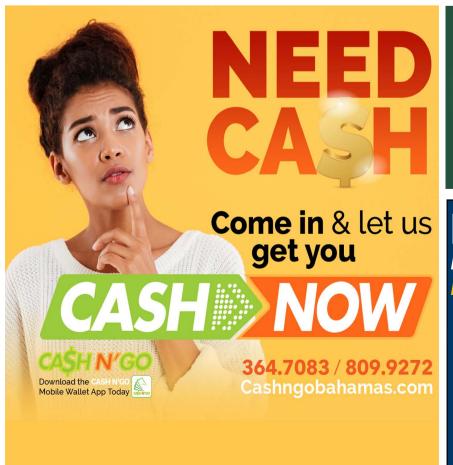


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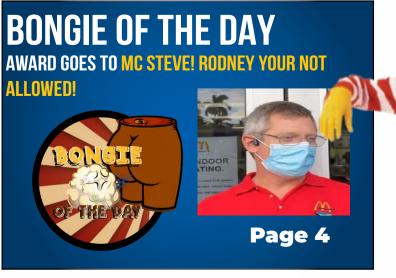
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RAY SANDS KNOWN FOR ABUSE

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ast year, the same guy assaulted a lady who was critically injured after being stabbed and driven over by a car.

Ray Sands, a messenger at the Supreme Court, pleaded guilty inflicting Peatra Curry injury on June 30. The accusation resulted from an altercation at their house on June 28. Sands smacked Curry when she was carrying her threeweek-old baby. As the argument heated up, he stabbed her in the neck and back with a pair of scissors. Sands was ordered by Magistrate Samuel

McKinney to pay his victim \$800 in restitution in order to avoid three months in jail. He was also prohibited from interfering with for a year. Sands was instructed by the magistrate that if he went to Curry's house or workplace, imprisoned months. reportedly assaulted Curry when she was holding her little kid on November 15. Surveillance video shows Sands pulling the lady along Key Street assaulting her while she is holding a toddler. As witnesses interfered, Sands stabbed the lady

in the upper torso. Sands' car fell over after colliding with a truck, and locals restrained him until police came.





PINTARD MOST FAVORED TO BECOME LEADER OF FNM PARTY

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Today MARCO City MP Michael Pintard was officially nominated for leader of the Free National Movement ahead of the party's one-day convention slated for November 27.

Pintardhasbeenfavored by his community and Bahamians in

general because of the kind hearted man that he is who spends time and gives back to the community. After nomination pintard had this to say "The Free National Movement without question has been an organization that is a coming together of many groups. We are confident that we are going into this election animated and spirited in our communication that we will emerge united and resolved to function as a whole organization committed to the development the Bahamian people"-Michael Pintard, Nomination 18/11/2021 Day



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KING PIN OR PAWN?

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28-year-old man has been million

Kenly Guerrier, Russel Town, Eight Mile Rock, is facing four counts in connection the seizure November

Guerrier pled guilty to narcotics possession with intent to provide and drug importation counts. He denied involvement the commission such crimes.

Guerrier was remanded to prison until a bail hearing on November by Magistrate Samuel McKinney.

Around 12

They apparently discovered a key that opened the unit next door while examining his unit. Inside the second unit, the officers discovered nine suitcases containing cocaine.

The narcotics weighed in over 250 kg and valued \$5 million.

According to a press statement, officers from Drug Enforcement Unit, Drug Enforcement Administration, OPBAT conducted a bust. joint operation at an unpainted apartment complex situated Town. Russell "Upon arrival, officers knocked on the front door of the unit on the western end of the complex, where an adult male opened the door, he was shown a search warrant, and a search was conducted with negative results," the statement read. "Further, the male the officers to apartment unit door, where a search was also conducted, where officers discovered nine suitcases which contained in total 250 kilos of suspected a.m. cocaine. As a result, Monday, officers from the adult male was the DEU, DEA, and arrested and is assisting OPBAT converged on with the investigation. Guerrier's residence. "The total weight is 638 pounds. Estimated at 5 million dollars. Investigations being continued,"









BONGIE OF THE DAY IS AWARDED TO MC STEVE, NO RODNEY YOUR NOT ALLOWED!

BN Agent, V

odney and his daily meet up crew is in a lot of Mc Trouble.

New management at Mcdonalds tells Rodney Moncor his business is not needed here, meaning they wont accept his money no longer. This took place at McDonalds Oaksfield, where theirs a new caucasian manager by the name of Steve.

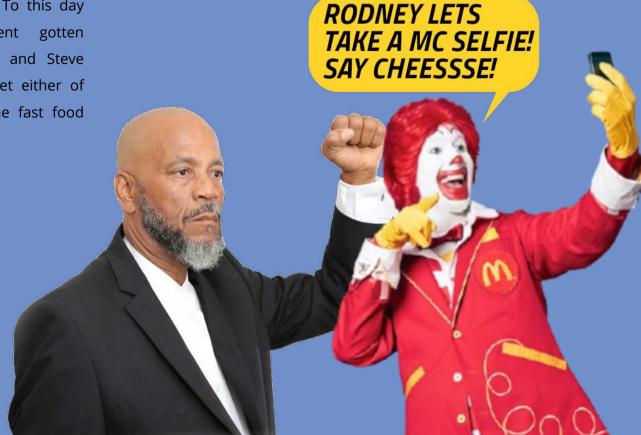
Now Rodney says he is taking it public and would like for the entire bahamas to boycott that Mcdonalds and also join him in protest by marching to show

numbers in support.

It started off when the manager noticed that a group of Bahamian men would come into the fast food chain every morning buy food and then have meetings regardings news and politics in a open discussion in the restaurant, which has been going on for years. Needless to say they were approached by the manager and asked to leave due to covid rules, unknowing to the men on why they were being put out, they asked was it because of their discussions or topics? They choose to talk about, like what is



the cause. To this day they havent gotten an answer and Steve still wont let either of them in the fast food restaurant.



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RENT TO OWN

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ousing and Transport Minister JoBeth Coleby-Davis said the administration is Exploring a "rent-to-own" initiative that will allow Bahamians who are unable to get a transitional mortgage to access homeownership opportunities.

"We all know that many Bahamians are turned down from banks for various reasons. Many Bahamians simply cannot secure a mortgage. Those people would be happy to learn that the government is currently exploring a rent-to-own initiative which will al-

low Bahamians to make a small deposit which ousing and will be a part of the purchase price, along with Minister monthly payments, to JoBeth Colebyaid the administer Exploring a mortgage to have accown" initiative allow Bahami-

Minister Coleby-Davis noted that such individuals will still have to demonstrate that they have the financial capacity to honor the agreements.

"This may likely include salary deductions, but we believe that the rent-to-own initiative can go a long way towards helping Bahamian families who may not be able, under regular cir-

cumstances, to become homeowners".

Hon JoBeth Coleby-Davis MP, Elizabeth





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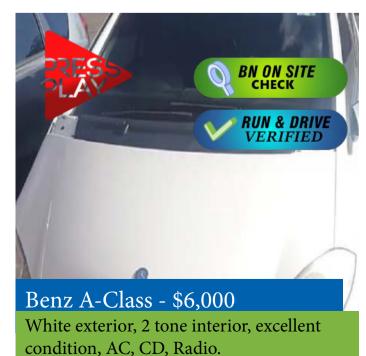
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Nassau TRAPSY Motel

currently are investigating shooting on island.

Shooting Over Money Broad day light today a male was caught on camera in Bimini, while in a fight over money that is owed to him, he gripped a gun from his friend and started firing shots at the man that owed him money. BN agents have also been told the shooter was high on drugs, said he was up all night

INTERNATIONA

Officers on **Bimini** | after snorting a 8 ball of cocaine, telling friends that when he see this man he will shot him.



The murder of a 21-year-old man is being investigated by the Sidney Police Department.

According to a press release, Clement J. Smith Jr., 21, of the Common Wealth of the Bahamas, was found shot to death at a residence at 2461 Apache Drive, Sidney. On Saturday, Nov. 13 2021 at approximately p.m. Sidney 930 responded Police to the residence in regards to shots fired. Upon arrival responders first discovered Smith lying on a bed in a bedroom of the residence. He was deceased due to a gunshot wound. Investigators evidence technicians responded to the scene. It was learned that Smith's death was due to a shot that was fired from the outside of the residence through the bedroom window where Smith was found.

Fearing public backlash, the Minnis Administration denied application by former BEC board member Fred Ramsey to erase a conviction bribery from his criminal **record.** In 2016, a jury found Ramsey guilty of 12 counts of bribery and two counts of conspiracy to commit bribery. Ramsey was accused of accepting hundreds thousands dollars in bribes from Alstom Power SA by officials providing with information from board meetings or influence the decision. Ramsey, staunch FNM supporter, saw the party's 2017 election victory as a chance expunge criminal record but then-Prime Minister

Dr. Hubert Minnis decided that helping was Ramsey worth the controversy as his government had pursued criminal charges against three former PLPpoliticians in 2017. submitted Ramsey application the Rehabilitation of Offenders Committee in 2019 but it was denied in 2020. Ramsey was 79 when he stood trial. He did not receive a custodial sentence.

The bribery allegations surfaced when Alstom was fined \$775 million after admitting to participating in global scheme to pay officials to ensure they were awarded contracts. Alstom admitted to securing its contracts with BEC in this manner.

In one of his final acts as Minister of National Insurance. Brensil Rolle awarded a \$175.000 contract to Director National of the Board Insurance (NIB) and FNM crony using his connections | James Moss in March *2021.*

> The three-year contract is so airtight that if the Davis Administration wants to get rid of Moss, it has to pay him the balance of

contract. means he will receive a total of \$525,000 whether he stays on as NIB Director or not. The Minnis Administration's aim was to ensure that its staunch supporters were straight whether the FNM was reelected or thrown out of office. The former government found the money to pay its political cronies but refused to promote or pay increments to long-serving NIB employees, citing financial constraints.

This move highlights hypocrisy of the Minnis-led the which government, criticized the Christie Administration awarding a three-year contract to former Bridge Authority General Manager Melissa Hall.

The FNM sent Hall packing in February 2018 with three months pay refused to honor the terms of her contract.

She sued the Bridge Authority for breach of contract but legal action was dismissed by a Supreme Court judge who said Hall's claim that she was entitled to three years notice was "delusional" and "a clear and rank abuse of power."

YOUNG DOLPH **GUNNED DOWN** <u>in memphis</u>



Young Rapper Dolph, best known for his 2020 album Slave" "Rich and collaborations with his fellow Memphis rapper and cousin Key Glock, has died in a shooting in Memphis, Tenn. He was 36.

shooting took Makeda's place at Homemade Cookies in South Memphis on Wednesday afternoon. The owner of the store told the outlet that Young Dolph walked in to buy cookies when someone drove up, shot and killed him around 1 p.m.

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According to Minister of State for the Public Service Pia Glover-Rolle, of the hundreds of new employees in the public sector ahead of the general election, roughly 40 stay at home receiving full pay due to an inability to position them.

made Rolle remark during a news conference at the Prime Minister's Office.

In response to the government's decision to establish a hiring the public freeze in sector, as well as its continuing examination and audit of new personnel, the minister stated that some may be let go.

"Hiring is on hold for the time being until we undertake an analysis based on the audit of where we need to grow capacity," she

explained.

"We can't just employ and then not know where to place them."

"We have to make certain that we are placing individuals in positions that are available and essential to bring the public sector forward."

The audit is likely to be finished in June or July of next year, after which new employment might continue, according to Glover-Rolle.

"It is common for a new government to assess what has transpired, especially in the final few months or weeks before to them coming into office," the minister referring stated, electoral hires during the previous administration.

examples involvement in public service on election day and even days after [the] election when the government would have plainly been altered."

Those in particular will be scrutinized to verify that the right manner of interaction was used for those individuals."

She clarified that this does not imply that hiring within a specific time period are problematic, "but we need to make sure they aren't."

"I will tell you that there are people who have been employed in the last eight weeks who are staying at home; they are getting paid, but there is nowhere for them to go."

"That is why we need the audit to ensure that we are addressing gaps and growing capacity where necessary, rather

individuals to have a

When asked for a reasonable estimate of the number of hires who remain at home, Glover-Rolle responded 40, but she couldn't specify a cost.

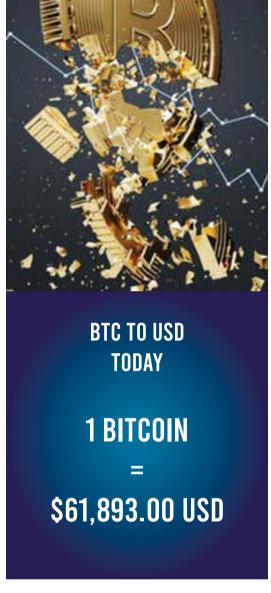
Glover-Rolle also stated that as part of the government's aim to make a round of long-term temporary and contract positions and permanent pensionable, such recruits be may compelled to contribute to the pension plan.

"We recognize that with the number of people that need to be captured in that exercise, we will have to have a blanket exercise for that," she added.

"As a result, we are "We have discovered than just bringing on considering going back to 2016, retroactively, to catch those people in the service who need to be permanent and

"Of course, those with negative reviews will have a particular study of their files to ensure we're advancing - we call them the best and the brightest — those advance who can through the system successfully."

pensionable."





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NAMING OF NEW COMPLEX

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Prime oday Minister Philip Davis along with several government senior officials are in Alice Bimini where Town, attended the they naming and dedication of the new government administrative complex.



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inister of National Security the Hon. Wayne Munroe joined wife of the Prime Minister and Office of the Spouse representative Mrs. Ann Marie Davis, and Aliv CEO John Gomez at the the testing of the MARCO's Alert cellphone component, at Aliv's Corporate Office, on November 17, 2021. Manager responsible for wireless engineering for Aliv and Cable Bahamas Julian Dean conducted the test alert, and several Government and Aliv

stakeholders were also present.









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