

Woman arrested for bank fraud

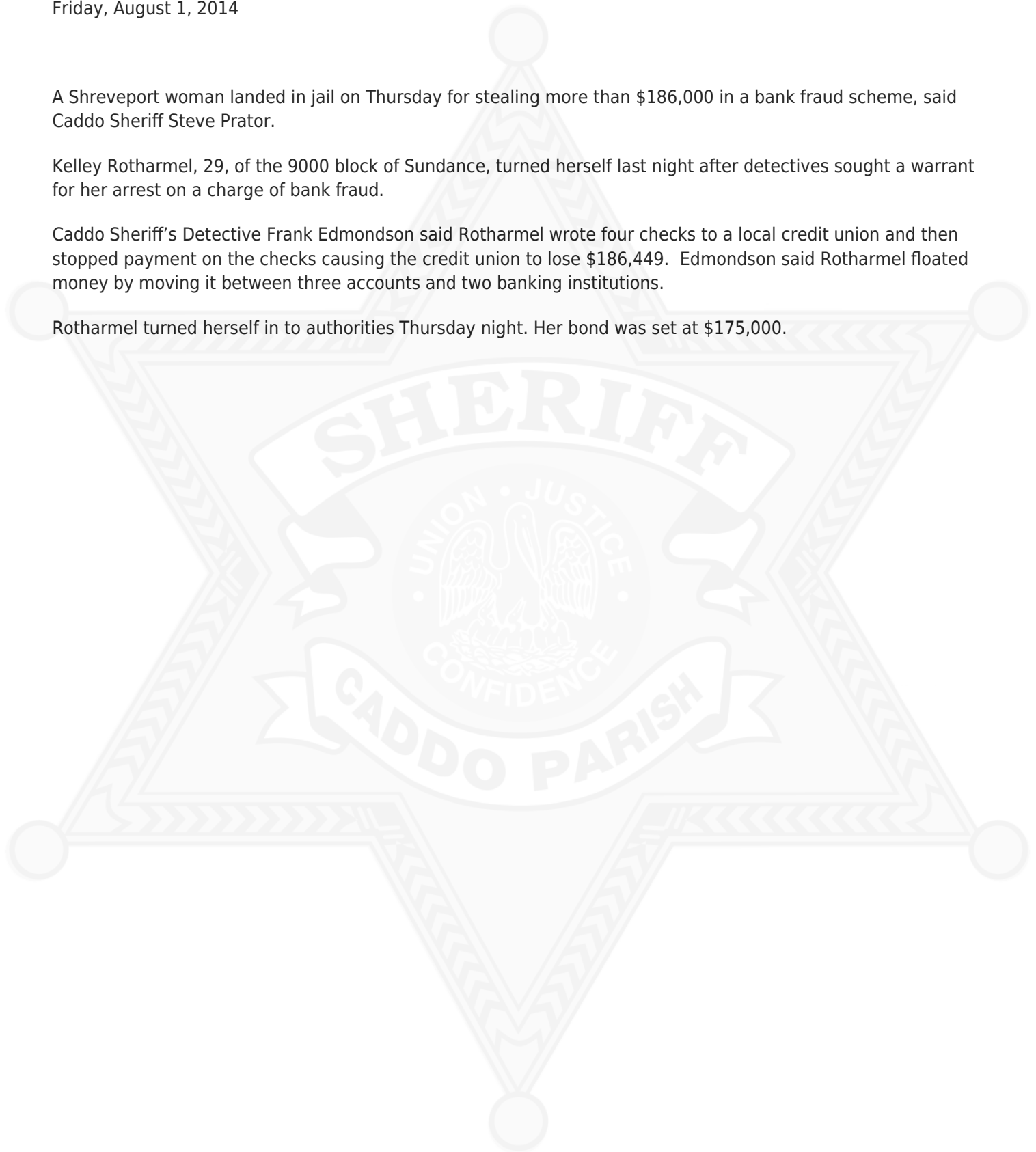
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A Shreveport woman landed in jail on Thursday for stealing more than \$186,000 in a bank fraud scheme, said Caddo Sheriff Steve Prator.

Kelley Rotharmel, 29, of the 9000 block of Sundance, turned herself last night after detectives sought a warrant for her arrest on a charge of bank fraud.

Caddo Sheriff's Detective Frank Edmondson said Rotharmel wrote four checks to a local credit union and then stopped payment on the checks causing the credit union to lose \$186,449. Edmondson said Rotharmel floated money by moving it between three accounts and two banking institutions.

Rotharmel turned herself in to authorities Thursday night. Her bond was set at \$175,000.



Attachments

