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Les Johnson Arrested

Les Johnson, 20, a white volunteer, was arrested this morning
for running a red light ~~txxhyxxxdpxtyxxhxxxtf~~ at the corner of
4th St and Leflore in Clarksdale. As Les entered the intersection,
the light turned yellow and he was unable to stop safely. A
deputy sheriff pulled out of Leflore and signalled him to stop.
The deputy told Les to follow him to the city jail, but then
led him past the county jail, stopped for a while to decide what
to do with him and finally took him to the city jail. There he
was charged with running a red light and he posted $18 bond. His
trial is Thursday, July 23, at 9 am.