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Local & State News

◆ FATAL WRECK ON INTERSTATE 75

A woman from Nicholasville, Kentucky, 28-year-old Logan Wright, was killed Friday afternoon between mile marker 36 and 35 on the southbound side of I-75. Wright was a passenger in a Chevy S-10 pickup truck being driven by her cousin, Quinten Wright, also of Nicholasville. According to the THP, the driver lost control of the pickup truck during a heavy downpour, and struck a concrete barrier. He was injured and taken to Skyridge Medical Center for treatment. Ironically, the couple were on their way to Georgia to attend the funeral service of Ms. Wright's grandfather. Troopers Jacob Potter and Travis Ryans investigated the crash.

◆ UNEMPLOYMENT TAKES ANOTHER DIP

The jobless rate in McMinn County was 10.2% in February, down from 10.4% in January. In Meigs County, unemployment in February was 10.5%, down from 11.3% in January. Monroe County's jobless rate in February was 11.4%, down from 12% in January. Polk County had the highest unemployment rate in southeast Tennessee in February at 12%, down from 13.1% in January.

NATIONAL-WORLD NEWS

◆ FEMA says that their Disaster Recovery Center here in McMinn County will be closing at 6 p.m. on Thursday, April 5th. DRC's in Bradley, Monroe, Cumberland, & Hamilton Counties will also close at that time. After Thursday, survivors of the March 2nd tornado will have to apply directly to FEMA by calling 1-800-621-FEMA or go online at: www.DisasterAssistance.gov

◆ Thousands of people attended the public funeral service of the late Earl Scruggs at the Ryman Auditorium in Nashville on Sunday. A who's who of Bluegrass Music greats gave tributes including, Del McCoury, Ricky Skaggs, Bela Fleck, Emmylou Harris, Vince Gill, Jon Randall Stewart, John McEuen, Jim Mills, Marty Stuart and Patty Loveless. The Academy of Country Music also gave Scruggs a tribute at their annual awards show Sunday night.

◆ The Trayvon Martin shooting case is exposing some of the worst excesses of the national news media. ABC aired video of Martin's shooter, showing "no apparent injuries" while an enhanced version of the video by the Daily Caller shows a laceration in the back of George Zimmerman's head. NBC's Today show aired a spliced version of Zimmerman's 911 call, while FOX News aired the entire 911 call which gave it a totally different meaning. Geraldo Rivera offered an apology for saying that blacks and hispanics should quit wearing hoodies and other gangsta style clothing.



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Monday, April 2, 2012

Athens, Tennessee

Robbery Suspects Nabbed in Minutes

Two suspects were taken into custody within minutes of an armed robbery at the Clearwater Market Sunday afternoon around 12:30. Sheriff Joe Guy says that Charles Heddon of Athens and Jon Lemons of Englewood, entered the market with their faces covered in cloth and were armed with a knife and a small baseball bat. After threatening the clerk, they took cash from the register and fled in a white Ford Mustang, going towards Meigs County. K-9 Deputy Randy Gabrel had just patrolled the area and saw the suspect's car. Meigs County Deputies Brad Collins and Billy Long intercepted the vehicle on Highway 68 and apprehended the suspects. Over \$900 cash and the weapons were recovered from the car. Heddon and Lemons were booked into the McMinn County Justice Center on charges of Aggravated Robbery and placed under \$10,000 bonds.



Charles Heddon



Jon Lemons

Obituaries

Virginia Downes Camisa, age 90, of Athens died Friday at Life Care Center of Athens. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home.

Maxie H. Seals, age 77, of Riceville died Friday at NHC Health Care of Athens. He was an avid fisherman, a former employee of Southeastern Silo Company, and later worked as a carpenter. Funeral services were held Sunday at the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church with Ziegler Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Lorene "Granny" Harris Webb, age 82, of Athens died last Thursday at her home. Funeral services were held Sunday night at Ziegler Funeral Home. Entombment will be at 11 a.m. Monday in the McMinn Memory Gardens Mausoleum.

Jennie Sue Green, age 55, of Niota, died Friday at her residence. She was a former employee of Ft. Myers News Press for 36 years. Funeral services will held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Rockview Baptist Church with visitation from 1 to 2 p.m. Tuesday at the church. Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Betty Lou Boyatt Best, age 86, of Athens, died Sunday at Wellington Place of Athens. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home.

Leona Shelton Barham, age 81, of the Spring Creek Community near Calhoun, died Sunday at her home. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Spring Creek United Methodist Church. Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Monday at Smith Funeral and Cremation Service.

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