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## Today's News...This Morning

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Monday, April 20, 2015

Athens, Tennessee

### LOCAL & AREA NEWS

#### ◆ TEENS COMMENDED FOR SAVING WOMAN'S LIFE

Two teenagers received letters of commendation from Sheriff Joe Guy (below, far right) last week for coming to the aid of a woman who was almost beaten to death. Chase McCallister, age 13, (below, left) and Devon Green, age 15, (below, right) were outdoors last Tuesday evening and heard a woman screaming from a nearby trailer on County Road 756. They called 911 dispatchers and described that they saw, a man beating a woman confined to a wheelchair. (See more details on page 2) (Photo courtesy of wate.com)



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### NATIONAL & STATE NEWS

◆ The Florida mailman who flew a gyrocopter through restricted airspace and landed on the Capitol lawn last week said he expected to be stopped along the way. He drove back to his home in Tampa over the weekend, where he will be confined under orders of house arrest. Federal agents have confiscated his gyrocopter.

◆ The U.S. Food and Drug Administration has approved a "first-of-its-kind" corneal implant to help improve near vision in some patients. The KAMRA inlay is implanted in the cornea of one eye to help patients deal with a condition known as presbyopia.

◆ Starting Tuesday, Google will favor websites that Google defines as "mobile-friendly." Websites that don't fit the description will be demoted in Google's search results on smartphones and tablets while those meeting the criteria will be more likely to appear at the top of the rankings, a prized position that can translate into more visitors and money.

◆ Automaker BMW has issued a recall for close to 91,800 Mini Coopers in the U.S. to fix a flaw with the vehicle's floor mat that may prevent the passenger air bag from deploying.

◆ A North Carolina man may influence the 2016 presidential election from beyond the grave. Larry Darrell Upright, age 81, died last Monday in Concord, North Carolina. Upright instructed his family to include in his obituary printed in a local newspaper; "The family respectfully asks that you do not vote for Hillary Clinton in 2016."

◆ A tractor-trailer carrying 448 beehives with about 13.7 million honeybees overturned on a highway north of Seattle early Friday, scattering hives and sending white-suited beekeepers scrambling to save as many of the valuable insects as they could.

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**WEATHER**  
**Monday** - Mostly cloudy. Breezy. 50% rain. High-74.  
**Monday night** - Mostly cloudy. 30% rain. Low-upper 40s.  
**Tuesday** - Sunny and a little cooler. High-mid to upper 60s.  
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WAS**

Old-time Radio Shows  
6:05-7 pm Nightly  
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Tonight:  
**Jack Benny Program &  
Phil Harris & Alice Faye**

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## Teens Commended - Continued

When deputies arrived at the trailer, they found 38 year-old Rubie Hiehle unconscious and severely injured. EMS responders took her to the hospital. Sheriff Guy says that Timothy Hitt, age 36, (in McMinn Jail booking photo on the right) was arrested and taken to the McMinn County Justice Center where he remains in jail under a \$40,000 bond. A juvenile boy in the trailer was also threatened, possibly with a knife. Sheriff Guy stated that if it wasn't for McCallister and Green, Ms. Hiehle likely would have died.



### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ The McMinn County High School Band presents its 2015 Spring Concert at 7 p.m. tomorrow, April 21, in the MCHS gymnasium. The concert will include special guests from the 6th, 7th, and 8th grade McMinn County Students and MCHS Choir. There will be a Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser from 5:30 to 6:45 p.m. for \$5 per person.
- ✓ The Athens City Council will meet in regular session Tuesday evening at 6 p.m. in the council chambers at the Athens Municipal Building. Items on the agenda include the presentation of the monthly VIVID award to Judi Hankins Davis for her work with the McMinn County Education Foundation and for being the coordinator of the Dolly Parton Imagination Library for the past five years. Finance, Fire, and Police reports will also be presented to the council.

## Obituaries

• **Leonard Lavon Plemons**, age 85, of Athens, died Saturday at NHC Health Care. He was a lifelong resident of McMinn County and was the last survivor of 18 siblings. He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps during World War II. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Monday at Ziegler Funeral Home with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. at Ziegler.

• **Lorena Joyce Powers**, age 82, of Athens, died Friday in Athens. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Monday at Laycock-Hobbs Funeral Home with visitation from 3 to 7 p.m. at the funeral home.

### GLIDER COMPETITION ENDED SATURDAY

The first ever FAI Pan American Gliding Championships held at the McMinn County Airport for the past several weeks is officially over. Two champions were declared. Phil Gaisford of the U.S. won the Handicap Class and Jerzy Szemplinski of Canada won the 15-Meter Class competition. The photo by Jay Thomson shows one of the gliders that landed at the McMinn airport.



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