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## Today's News...This Morning

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Thursday, November 12, 2015

Athens, Tennessee

### State & Local News

#### ◆ MAN STEALS MAYFIELD TRUCK

A McMinn County man, 34-year-old Justin Coleman, is under arrest after stealing a Mayfield truck and taking it for a wild ride with a Mayfield employee still inside the trailer. Athens police say Coleman stole the tractor-trailer rig out of the Mayfield parking lot while Andy Hughes was loading it with milk. Hughes was in the back of the trailer when the truck took off toward downtown Athens. Hughes described it as a wild ride, as the truck weaved in and out of both lanes of traffic. Hughes managed to jump out of the back of the truck when it stopped for a red light. The truck hit a police car that was trying to stop it, and finally jack-knifed. Coleman (in photo on the right) faces charges of DUI, driving on a suspended license, reckless endangerment, theft over \$60,000, leaving the scene of an accident, and assault on an officer. Police say Coleman admitted to drinking 18 beers.



### NATIONAL & WORLD NEWS

◆ An admitted Mexican cartel hit-man, Jose Manuel Martinez, who's already convicted of murders in California and Alabama, is also facing a possible death sentence in Florida for two additional killings. Martinez is being charged with first-degree murder in the slayings of Javier Huerta, 20, and Gustavo Olivares-Rivas, 28, who were found in a pickup truck bound and shot multiple times on a road in Ocala National Forest.

◆ Daily fantasy sports sites FanDuel and DraftKings are preparing to fight back against a declaration by New York state's top prosecutor that they are running illegal gambling operations. They were ordered to stop taking bets in New York state.

#### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

✓ The *Dining with the Dead* event in Englewood which was cancelled last Friday night due to rain, will take place tomorrow night. For more information, call the Englewood Textile and History Museum at 887-5455.

✓ Tennessee Wesleyan College's Justice Club will hold its 11th annual Chili Supper at 6:30 p.m. tonight at Woodward Church of God. This year's event will feature Judge Sandra Donaghy as speaker. Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased at the door.



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706 N. Congress Parkway 423-745-8387



**7th Annual  
Christmas  
Bazaar**  
**Sat., Nov. 14th**  
**9am-6pm**  
Drop-In Event located at  
**Timber Tech Log Homes**  
**330 Co. Rd. 181, Decatur**  
(just 5 minutes outside Athens,  
off Highway 30 towards Decatur)  
**38 Local Vendors** - each vendor  
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### RESTAURANT SPOTLIGHT

**Western Sizzlin' Steak House-1804 Decatur Pike**  
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**WEATHER**  
**Thursday** - Mostly cloudy. 40%  
rain. Highs in the mid 60's.  
**Thursday night** - Mostly clear.  
Colder. Lows in the upper 30's.  
**Friday** - Sunny & cooler. Highs  
in the mid to upper 50's.  
More Weather & Zoom Radar  
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**SUGAR RIDGE**  
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Friday-Nov 20, 9-5 &  
Saturday-Nov 21, 9-3  
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## REMEMBERING OUR VETS

The annual Veterans Day ceremony was held at the VFW Post on Congress Parkway Wednesday morning. The weather was bright and sunny as the crowd gathered in the shadow of the big jet fighter mounted in front of the VFW Post. The Central High School Chorus "Central Harmony" sang the National Anthem, and Susan Peglow, the McMinn County Veterans Service Officer, was the guest speaker. (Morning Fax Staff Photos)



## Obituaries

- **William "Bill" Lee Franklin**, age 62, of Decatur, died Tuesday. He served as a police officer in Charleston for several years. Later he retired from Olin Corp and drove a truck for Solomon after retirement. Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Thursday at Bowers Funeral Home in Decatur with visitation from 5-7 p.m. at Bowers.

### ◆ COMMUNITY NEWS YOU CAN USE:

- ✓ The Memorial Hospital Mobile Health Coach will be parked at the Better Living Center on Thursday, November 19th, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. To schedule a mammogram, you should go to the center on November 17th between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. The Better Living Center is located on Highway 39 East near the Athens City Limits.
- ✓ The 1st Annual Meigs County Crappie For Kids Fishing Tournament will be held this Saturday at the Cottonport Marina and RV Resort. The tournament is hosted by the Meigs County Sheriff's Office. Check-in is from 5:30 a.m. to 6:30 a.m. The entry fee is \$25.00 per boat with up to 4 people per boat. For more information, call Rob Maines at 423-305-4941.
- ✓ The annual Thanksgiving Dinner at the Clearwater Volunteer Fire Department will be this Sunday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at E.K. Baker School. The cost is \$8.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children 12 and under. Proceeds benefit the Fire Department.



## Annual Christmas Open House

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