

Man dies after being hit by train

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A Newark man died after being struck by a train in Newark Monday night.

The train-versus-pedestrian accident occurred shortly after 6 p.m. at the railroad crossing near Farm Road 718 and Central Drive in Newark.

William Oliver Kennedy III, 52, of Newark was sitting on the tracks Monday night as the Union Pacific train approached, according to Wise County Sheriff Lane Akin.

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