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STANDING 4-H MEMBERS
recent 1973 4-H Achievement
Banquet, four Tishomingo
4-H members were se-
lected as the counties most
valuable members. They
were: Mike Walker and Edwin
senior members, second
row. Gary Burcham and Char-
lene Patterson junior members.
They are being congratulated
by Stanley Magill, President
of 4-H Advisory Council (left) and
Billy Rainey, Extension 4-H
Youth Agent (right).
Extension Photo



LEADERS — 4-H Adult
members were honored at the
4-H achievement banquet
their years of service to
the county. They are (second row,
left to right): Mrs. Dora Patterson,
Mrs. Ruth Dawson, Mrs. Joan
Dawson, Mr. Charles Craw-
ford, Mrs. Gertrude Mann, Mrs.
Mattie Bennett. Second row,
left to right: Mrs. Charles
Crawford, Mrs. Roy Boothe,
Mrs. Ted Walker and Mrs.
Stanley Magill. These leaders
represented a total of 71 years
of 4-H service.
Extension Photo

Bride's Robbed On Christmas Morning

According to Tishomingo
County Sheriff, George W.
McBride's Grocery
Store, located on Hwy.
1, was broken into early
Christmas morning.

A plate glass window in the
side of the building was
broken and entry was made.
According to Sheriff Cut-
ler, three 12 gauge shotguns,
a standard 22 pistol and
an assortment of
jewelry were taken.

LOST

A gauge Browning automatic
gun was lost in Piney Flats
Monday, December 24. If
you please contact Norman
(up) Kennedy or report to
Tishomingo County News by
calling 423-2211.

Second District J.P. Court Announced

Mr. Hoyt Strickland, Justice
of the Peace, Second District,
Tishomingo County, announces
that J. P. Court for the Second
District will be held the first
and third Saturdays of each
month at 10:00 a.m. Court
will be held in the City Hall
at Burnsville.

Singing At Unity

The Unity Baptist Church will
have their regular Fifth Sunday
Singing on Sunday night, Dec.
30th, at 7:00 p.m.

Bro. Hansell Russell invites
all singers and piano players
to attend.

Services At Hubbard Salem

Bro. Earl Martin will be
preaching at Salem on Sunday,
December 30th, at 11:00 a.m.
Everyone is invited to attend
this service.

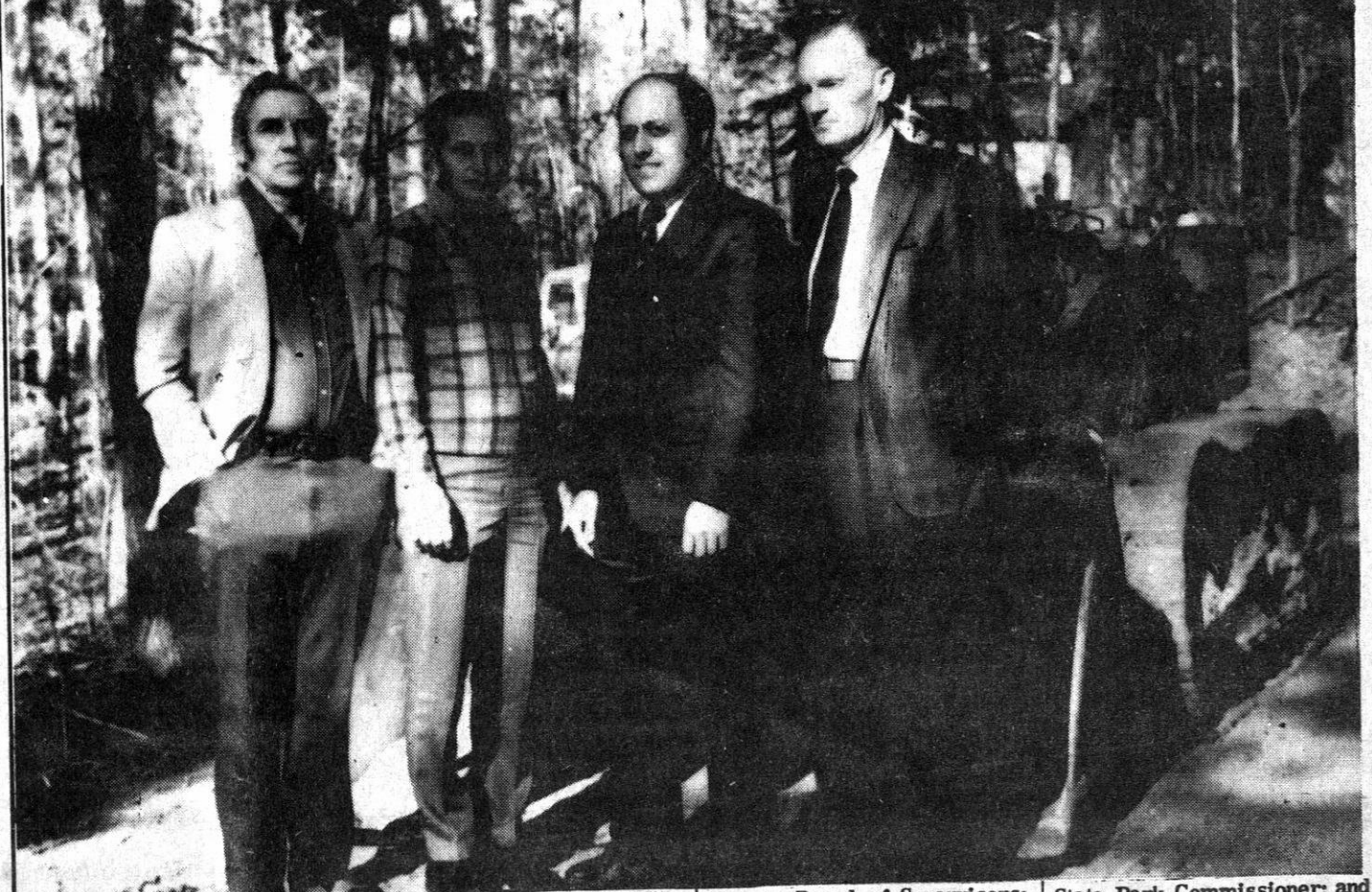
Twins Born Christmas Day

Santa really brought a
surprise package to the Douglas
L. Cutshall family on Christmas
Day. Mrs. Cutshall gave birth
to twin boys at 1:04 p.m. and
1:10 p.m. at Colbert County
Hospital in Sheffield, Ala. The
little lads weighed in at 8 lbs.
1 oz. and 5 lbs. 13 ozs., and
mother and babies are all doing
fine. They have been named
Jonathan and Jason.

Jonathan and Jason will be
welcomed home by a sister,
Diane, age 18; and a brother,
Stephen, age 9.

Proud grandparents are Mr.
and Mrs. Lee Rutledge, of
Florida; and Mr. Tidy Cutshall
and the late Mrs. Bonnie Cut-
shall, of Iuka.

What a wonderful event on a
wonderful Christmas Day! Our
heartiest congratulations to the
entire Cutshall family.



\$370,000 CONSTRUCTION
PROGRAM STARTED AT
TISHOMINGO STATE PARK —
Pictured above inspecting con-

struction progress at Tish-
omingo State Park are: A. C.
Ryan, President of Tishomingo

County Board of Supervisors;
M. R. Whitehead, District Four
Supervisor; Dr. Bobby King,

State Park Commissioner; and
Walter Scott, State Building
Commissioner.

Scottie E. Dean New Chairman Of ASC Comm.

Scottie E. Dean, well-known
Tishomingo County farmer, was
named to the Tishomingo
County Agricultural Stabiliza-
tion and Conservation (ASC)
Committee by delegates to the
ASC County Convention, held
December 13th at the ASCS
Office in Iuka. The delegates
also selected Mr. Dean as
Chairman, Leon Blunt, vice-
chairman, and Eddie A. Gresham
as regular member of the
three-member county commit-
tee. Cason C. Wheeler was
elected as 1st alternate, and
Clovis W. Crane was elected
2nd alternate.

Mr. Dean, newly elected
chairman, who began his second
year as County Committee-
man, lives in the Rocky Springs Com-
munity, Route 2, Iuka. He and
his brother, Tommy Dean, own
and operate a 370 acre farm -
growing cotton.

Mr. Leon Blunt, of Tish-
omingo, lives in the Highland
Community and operates a 78
acre farm. All of his farm-
ing is devoted to cattle. He
is beginning his second year,
serving as vice-chairman. Mr.
Blunt has made quite a con-
tribution to the farm program
serving on the Committee.

Mr. Eddie A. Gresham, Rt.
2, Dennis, Mississippi, is the
newly elected member of the
County Committee. He was
elected to a 3 year term. Mr.
Gresham will take the place of
Mr. Carl A. Sartain, Route 1,
Belmont, who is retiring from
the Committee. Mr. Sartain
served three full terms con-

sisting of 9 years before he
retired. Mr. Gresham is an
outstanding farmer in the Val-
ley Community. He owns a 132
acre farm, raising large num-
bers of hogs. He also operates
several other farms in the com-
munity - growing cotton, corn
and soybeans. Farmers of
Tishomingo County will be
proud of Mr. Gresham's ability
to make decisions. He will
contribute a great deal to the
3-man Committee representing
Tishomingo County people.

Mr. Cason C. Wheeler, well-
known hog farmer, from the
Golden Community, was elect-
ed as 1st Alternate. Mr. Whe-
eler also grows corn, cotton
and soybeans.

Mr. Clovis W. Crane, of Iuka,
was elected 2nd Alternate. Mr.
Crane is noted for his fine
herd of Black Angus cattle. He
has acres of fine Coastal Ber-
muda and Fescue pastures.

The County Committee is
responsible for local adminis-
tration of Government farm
programs such as cotton, feed
grain, and loans for eligible
crops.

County Committeemen are
elected by Community Commit-
teemen to serve staggered
terms, so that ordinarily one
vacancy occurs each year for
a one-year term.

The newly elected Committee
will take office January 1, 1974.

CITY TAX COLLECTIONS DEPICT STEADY GROWTH OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY

A grand total of \$3,818,678.-
40 was collected in city sales
tax during the month of Novem-
ber in the state. Of this figure,
Tishomingo County shows a
marked increase in comparison
with recent taxes collected for
the same month in recent years.
The City of Iuka collected a

total of \$11,642.83 for Novem-
ber of this year in comparison
to \$7,060.36 for November of
1968. In Belmont, a total of \$4,-
122.48 was collected in Novem-
ber of this year in comparison
to \$3,266.05 for November of
1968.

Burnsville reported \$1,250.-
13 for November, 1973, with
only \$380.02 reported for the
month of November in 1968.

Tishomingo shows a tremen-
dous increase in sales with
\$1,525.89 reported in Novem-
ber, 1973, compared to \$666.-
44 for November, 1968.



JUNIOR GIRL SCOUTS VISIT
TISH. COUNTY HOSPITAL —
These girls, representing
Troop #104 and #222 visited
with elderly patients at the
Tishomingo County Hospital
on Wednesday, December 19th.
The troops had made Christ-
mas favors for the patients.

Mrs. O'Hara, Director of
Nurses, is shown here with the
girls before they distributed
their favors. Shown, left to
right, back row, are: Ruth
Beard, Renee Stormont, Becky
Vandiver, DeAnna Edmondson,
Laura Stanford, Tammy Clark

and Kim Lilly. Middle row:
Angela James and Ladye Long.
Front row: Lisa Bryant, Sherri
Moore, Gail Wallace, Katy
Ramsey and Carolyn Ray.
Carolyn represents Troop #104
and the other girls are of
Troop #222.

A Happy New Year For All

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About Welfare

If you have ever visited in a nursing home, you have found every bed occupied. If you have ever assisted someone in trying to get into a nursing home, you have probably been told, "We will put them on the waiting list." This is the nursing home situation.

We wonder why, all of a sudden, there are so many nursing homes throughout the country and why they are always filled. Perhaps it is a combination of reasons.

Medicaid pays the majority of the bill for those qualifying. Most nursing homes charge over \$400 a month, so an extended stay would soon deplete what could amount to a large savings. Your Welfare Department certifies eligibility for Medicaid according to need. Therefore, people are able to go to nursing homes that otherwise would not be financially able to do so.

Another factor is that more women are working. This appears, in many situations, essential for the family to survive with the high cost of living. Therefore, there is no one left in the home to care for the aged, sick and disabled.

People are living longer. At a recent American Public Welfare Conference, future trends were discussed. The statement was made that in the future, nursing homes would be as prevalent in every community as schools because people were living longer.

Is that time already here? One of the services provided by the Welfare Department is to assist people to remain in their homes. When this is not possible, the Department assists in locating a nursing home. This is not an easy task. Many phone calls are made before we "luck up" on a vacancy,

then it may be 200 miles away.

The situation as outlined above is a problem facing not only the Welfare Department, but the entire community and nation. One answer to ease the problem could be foster homes for adults. The Welfare Department can license foster homes for adults and next week's article will deal with that aspect.

Misuse Of Natural Gas

In this time of energy shortages, considerable national attention has been focused on three issues involving the use of natural gas in and around the home: (1) the use of the gas range oven for supplementary heating; (2) pilot lights on appliances; and (3) outdoor gaslights.

In view of questions concerning these matters, the American Gas Association calls attention to certain considerations which should be weighed by all Americans.

A.G.A. hopes the following comments will clarify certain misconceptions and misinformation as to the alternatives available.

MISUSE OF GAS RANGES FOR HOME HEATING

The American Gas Association advises against the use of the gas range for heating. If a gas range is misused by turning the oven burners on with the door left open for heating purposes, vital elements could overheat and subsequently burn out, malfunction or cause a fire hazard. This could seriously damage the range or lead to poor combustion which could result in the emission of carbon monoxide. Trying to use an appliance for a purpose other than that for which it is designed can result in serious damage to the appliance and could pose safety problems.

PILOT LIGHTS ON GAS APPLIANCES

Pilot lights on gas appliances are designed to perform two primary functions. One is to provide automatic ignition when the gas burner valve is opened. The other is to operate safety devices to control the flow of gas.

There are several alternative methods of ignition of gas burners, including manual ignition, use of a glow coil, a piezo-electric method and spark ignition. At present, however, there are no inexpensive and practical automatic devices that provide the equivalent safety and convenience of the pilots on furnaces, gas ranges and water heaters. Meanwhile, the gas industry is vigorously supporting research to find other acceptable methods.

Since much public comment

has focused on gas ranges, we would note the following: Research by the natural gas industry has indicated that for the average gas range presently in use in the U.S., pilots consume approximately 33% of the total gas used by that range -- that is, approximately 1/3 of the total natural gas used per year by a gas range is used to keep the pilot light lit. Ranges account for about 6 1/2% of the total annual residential gas usage. Overall, this means ranges use 1.8% of the total natural gas used, with pilots accounting for slightly more than .5%.

A.G.A. points out that the natural gas used by the pilot cannot be considered a total loss. In addition to performing safely and efficiently the functions for which they are designed, the heat emanating from the pilot contributes directly useful heat in the home during that 3/4 of the year when heating is desirable. (It is only during that 1/4 of the year when living spaces are air conditioned that the pilot heat is not utilized.) In regard to water heaters, heat from the pilot makes a contribution year-round.

OUTDOOR GASLIGHTS

President Nixon recently stated: "as soon as the emergency energy legislation passes Congress, I shall order the curtailment of ornamental outdoor lighting for homes and the elimination of all commercial lighting except that which identifies places of business."

The Energy Policy Office indicates there is no written definition of what comprises ornamental lighting but in their view, any yard light that supplies illumination where there is another existing light source, i.e. street lighting, the yard light would be considered ornamental.

Decorative lights are not defined by form of energy used. It is the A.G.A. understanding that regardless of fuel, if supplementary lights are used where adequate basic lighting exists, they are ornamental.

Mississippi Ambulance Service

Hospital ambulance service in Mississippi has felt the first impact of the energy crisis. "We find ambulances in jeopardy of having to abort emergency runs during night hours and weekends because of gas stations being closed" was a statement released by William K. Ray, Chairman, Board of Governors, for the Mississippi Hospital Association. He is also executive director of the Northwest Mississippi Regional

Medical Center in Clarksdale which operates four ambulances.

Ray stated that ambulances are large, heavy vehicles which, when on an emergency run, have to travel long distances at times at a sustained high rate of speed. Noting that hospitals throughout the state are called upon at odd hours of the night and early morning to transport critically ill patients

to medical centers in Memphis, New Orleans, Jackson and Birmingham, Ray commented that "there is no way for these vehicles to safely carry sufficient fuel to make a complete round trip or, in many cases, even make it to their initial destination."

The MHA central office in Jackson has been besieged by calls from hospitals throughout the state concerning this new and serious problem. Charles W. Flynn, Associate President, cites the problems as

a real threat. "It is quite possible that an ambulance, carrying a critically ill person to a medical center for specialized care, might find itself stranded on a highway in the wee hours of the morning without a drop of gas to go anywhere. To put it mildly, we are deeply concerned with this new threat to patient safety."

To combat this problem, MHA is calling upon its membership of 120 hospitals to act as 24-hour a day service stations for ambulances. This service will have to be restricted to only ambulances on an emergency mission. The Association is now making a crash survey to determine what hospitals maintain a supply of gasoline that could be used for this purpose. "The big question posed is that of how long these hospitals will be able themselves to maintain sufficient gasoline for this service," said Ray.

Flynn pointed out the approach is a practical one because hospitals never close and

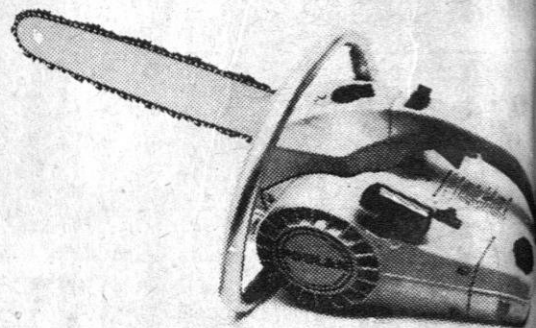
their location is known to all ambulance drivers. He indicated that if this approach does not correct the situation, another way will be found. "We have no alternative but to continue to provide emergency ambulance service. This is a service the public needs and has a right to have available."

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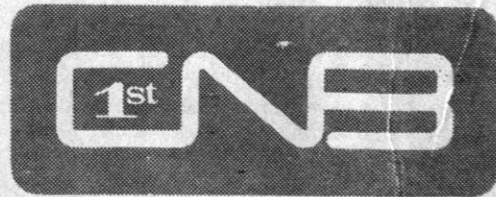
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Youths Aid Conservation Efforts in 4-H Program



SPECIAL—Numbered among the strongest proponents of environmental quality are the youth of America. And adding their action-oriented leadership through a conservation of natural resources program are nearly 400,000 directly involved 4-H members, notes the National 4-H Service Committee.

With incentives and recognition sponsored by John Deere, the 4-H conservationists participate in activities geared towards improvement of the environment at home and in the community, be it rural or urban.

Working individually and in groups, the 4-H'ers clear waterways, roadsides and parkland of litter and debris and help in wildlife conservation and protection. They participate in reforestation projects, in community and rural development planning and aid in action programs.

Youths in the Cooperative Extension Service supervised program gain increased appreciation of the nation's natural resources. And they are prodded to seek ways to use such resources wisely, the basis of good conservation practices. Some of the young people find their career choice through their work in the 4-H conservation of natural resources program.

Raising 30 different species of wild waterfowl in her community was just part of the conservation activities of one 1972 national winner in the program. Molly Moore, of Lake Charles, La., raised over 200 birds and identified 200 more species that visited her parents' land. She's also been active in tree seeding projects, and the 4-H'er helped to clear harmful plant life from a nearby artificial lake.

A recipient of a \$700 scholarship as a 4-H winner, Miss Moore has also worked to help curb air and water pollution in her community, in her role as a conservation writer for a local newspaper.

While enjoying success working alone, 4-H'ers have found their clubs and groups an even better way to multiply their conservation efforts.

A group in San Diego County, Calif., helped the U.S. Forest Service replant large areas of Cleveland National Forest that were destroyed by fire. They also built bird houses to encourage the nesting of use-

ful birds in the forest preserve.

John Deere's schedule of incentives includes up to four medals of honor in each county, and an expense-paid trip to National 4-H Congress in Chicago, Nov. 25-29, for one winner from each state.

During the national 4-H event, six national winners are to be announced, each receiving a \$700 scholarship from the donor.

Club and group recognition included county and state certificates and a \$50 cash award to one county in each state reporting the most outstanding 4-H conservation program.

For more information on individual and group activities in 4-H conservation of natural resources program, contact the county extension office.

CROP REPORT

Agricultural specialists for the Cooperative Extension Service at Mississippi State University report that only six states produce rice and ten produce peanuts. A total of 19 produce cotton, 41 produce corn and 42 produce wheat. Mississippi falls into each one of these categories.

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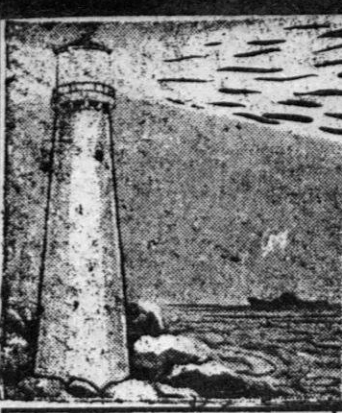


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NATIVITY SCENE-The Maud and Allsboro Community Churches again sponsored a live Nativity Scene during the

holidays. The simple scene always stirs the hearts of those who travel to see it. The scene was viewed in Allsboro

between the hours of 6:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. from December 22 through December 25th.



INDUSTRIOUS.....Coeds at the Northeast Mississippi Junior College who hold various full-time jobs along with their college courses are from left:

Lisa Musick, liberal arts major of Ripley who is employed as bookkeeper; Debbie Gann, art, Iuka, clothing store; Marilyn Fulper, speech, Booneville,

disc jockey at a radio station; and Susan Burns, Home Economics, Corinth, telephone operator.

November Rainfall Total Doubles Normal Amount

November rainfall averaged 7.3 inches across the Tennessee Valley, more than double the normal 3.5 inches, TVA reports. This was the Valley's

third highest November rainfall on record.

Highest rainfall total for the month reported to TVA was 14.26 inches at Petros, Tenn.,

about 30 miles west of Knoxville. Nearly 12 inches of that total fell in the storm that moved across the Valley Nov. 26-28.

Lowest total reported for November was 2.76 inches at

Guntersville, Ala.

Four months of the past 12 have brought heavy rainfall and Tennessee River flood control operations. These included regional rainfall averages of 7.7 inches in December, a drenching 11.4 inches in March (highest one-month amount in 25 years), 7.2 inches in May, and 7.3 inches in November.

TVA reported this week that its flood control operation following the late November rains has prevented an estimated \$22 million in damages at Chattanooga. Without regulation by upstream dams and reservoirs, the river at Chattanooga would have gone nearly 7 feet above flood stage -- about equal to the actual crest in a larger flood last March. The actual river level this time was held about 4 1/2 feet below flood stage at Chattanooga.

TVA channel projects in several Valley communities carried high flows without overflowing. At Oliver Springs, Tenn., an improved channel section on Indian Creek prevented an estimated \$375,000 in flood damages. Tims Ford Dam in middle Tennessee reduced the Elk River flood crest at Fayetteville by 4 feet, preventing significant flood damage.

U. S. Army Commissions Midwife

In a ceremony at the Armed Forces Examining and Entrance Station in Jackson, MS, Clifford Larson, a 27-year-old black American, today became the first certified midwife ever commissioned into the U. S. Army. Ms. Larson was commissioned a Captain by Major General John Q. Henion, Commanding General of the U. S. Army Recruiting Command.

Captain Larson, a native of Chhmax, Ga., received a BS Degree from Tuskegee Institute prior to beginning training at University of Mississippi Medical School in Jackson toward a masters degree in maternal and child health. At Mississippi Medical School, she has completed requirements for midwife certification and has become a registered nurse. She is the first midwife to be commissioned under a new program designed to increase the number of qualified midwives at Army installations.

Midwives serve a function similar to that of obstetricians, providing medical support for women from inception, through birth and post-pregnancy. They need assistance from medical doctors only if complications arise during the pregnancy.

Captain Larson, who was commissioned in the registered nurse student program will receive full captain's pay and allowances for the remainder of her masters study, which will run through September 1974. After graduation, she will transfer to Fort Knox, Ky., and join the Army medical team.

While in Jackson, General Henion toured the Jackson Army Recruiting Main Station, which has recruiting responsibilities for Mississippi, Western Tennessee, Eastern Arkansas, and portions of Missouri, Kentucky and Louisiana. The Jackson RMS, under command of Lieutenant Colonel C. M. Hurd, is one of General Henion's most successful units. It was the top Recruiting Main Station for Fiscal Year 1973 in the Fourth District, comprised of eleven RMS's and covering 18 Southwestern and Southern states.

Forestry Program Available

"The ultimate aim of the Forestry Commission personnel in the Northeast District is to provide a forestry program that is available to every landowner in the district and that will generate more revenue for the timber producer," said George Ayers, District Forester with the Mississippi Forestry Commission. Our personnel are continually seeking ways to improve so that services to landowners are of the highest quality and greatest impact. Constant training of our personnel keeps them up-to-date on the two primary areas of forestry concern to our landowners, wildfire control and the forest resource management. However, hard as

we try the success of the Mississippi Forestry Commission's program depends upon the support given the Commission by the citizens of Mississippi. You may continue to support the Commission as we continue our efforts in producing more wood per acre. At present, we are producing less than one half of our productive capabilities. Our timberland should be producing more than twice the income it is now producing.

More productive forests mean more industry, more jobs, and more personal income to every citizen in our State. Utilize the professional foresters and the key services provided by the Mississippi Forestry Commission which are: wild-fire protection, insect and disease control, woodland examination and advice, timber marking, tree seedling, purchasing, timber marketing assistance, tree planting, control of undesirable trees, firelane construction, prescribed burning and numerous others that your local county forester can describe.

Many of the services offered by the Commission are performed without charge to the landowner on a controlled amount basis. However, added cost involved, and a limited amount of funds available for our basic operation makes it necessary for the Commission to perform some of this work on a fee basis. If a landowner wishes to utilize the services of the Commission, a local county forester will determine job costs prior to the time work begins and provide job agreements so that landowner may know where he stands at all times.

The Mississippi Forestry Commission is a public service agency of our State government designed to provide necessary services and assistance to landowners.

FOUNDATION RECEIVES CONTRIBUTION

North Mississippi Savings and Loan Association officials were on The Northeast Mississippi Junior College campus to make a contribution of \$5,000 over a period of ten years to the Northeast Development Foundation.

Making the presentation were Terry Maxey of Pontotoc, As-

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27th,

sistant General Manager, and Eugene B. Gifford, Booneville, director of the Association.

The ten-year program to provide \$45,000 for the support and development of the universities, senior colleges, and

junior colleges located in the area served by the Association was initiated last year with a contribution of \$5,000 for a ten-year period establishing college as part of the program.



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Jan. 15 Mantachie	Home	Jan. 29 Kossuth	There
Jan. 17 - 19 County Tourney		Jan. 31 Alcorn Central	Home
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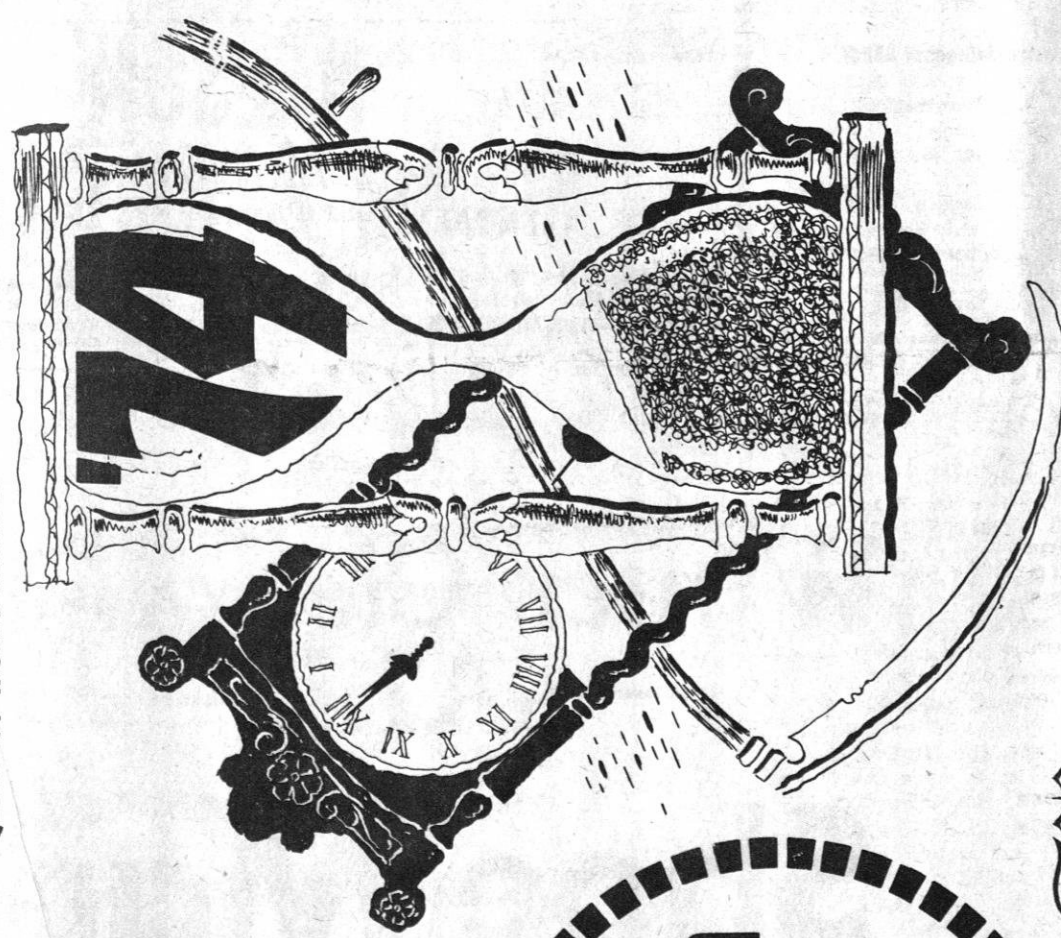
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LEGAL

NOTICE OF LETTING OF LEASE AGREEMENT FOR KEEPING THE COUNTY REST HOME OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI FOR THE YEAR 1974.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, will at the Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, on the 7th day of January, 1974, during legal hours receive sealed bids for the leasing of the County Rest Home of Tishomingo County, Mississippi to a Keeper of the County Rest Home for said County for the year 1974, said bidder to furnish good warm food, good comfortable clothing, and tobacco and all other necessities for the comfort of said inmates.

The County will furnish the home, together with the furniture, beds and bedding that they now own in the home, together with the electric bill, for lights, pump and cooking stove, and local telephone together with necessary medicine and medical attention for inmates of Tishomingo County, and the

County will pay for the casket for any inmate or inmates of Tishomingo County that may die during said term, and the County to furnish the fuel necessary, and said contractor to furnish all other necessities. The successful bidder will be required to furnish surety bond in the sum of One Thousand Dollars for the faithful performance of said contract by lease agreement.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. This the 3rd day of December, 1973. D-6-13-20-27-c.

TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on July 26, 1972, Opal D. Allman and Ricky Lee White executed a Deed of Trust to J. Barry Finch, Trustee for the benefit of First National Bank of Iuka, which Deed of Trust is recorded in Trust Deed Book 67, at page 37, in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, the holder of the note and Deed of Trust believes the property conveyed by said Deed of Trust is endangered as security by remaining in the said grantors' possession, and the holder of the note and Deed of Trust having requested the undersigned Trustee so to do, I will, on the 4th day of January, 1974, offer for sale at public outcry and sell during legal hours, being between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. at the front door of the County Courthouse of Tishomingo County, at Iuka, Mississippi, for cash, to the highest and best bidder, the following described land and property, lying and being situated in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to-wit:-

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You are summoned to appear before the Honorable J. D. Doty or Fred P. Wright, Judges of the Chancery Court of the County of Tishomingo, in said State, on the 4th day of January A.D., 1974, at 10:00 a.m., at the Courthouse in the City of Corinth, in said State, to defend

the Suit No. 6998, in said Court, of Jack W. Dodds, Administrator of the Estate of Cora Benson, deceased, wherein you are defendants.

This the 10th day of December, 1973.
/s/ ROBERT D. SIMS
CHANCERY CLERK
D-13-20-27-c.

News Of Men In Service

Airman First Class Terry H. Parsons, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wood, of Route 1, Golden, Miss., has graduated at Chanute AFB, Ill., from the U. S. Air Force fuel specialist course conducted by the Air Training Command.

The airman, now trained to receive, store and issue petroleum products, is being assigned to Altus AFB, Okla., for duty with a unit of the Military Airlift Command.

Airman Parsons attended Ita-

wamba Agricultural High School in Fulton, Miss.

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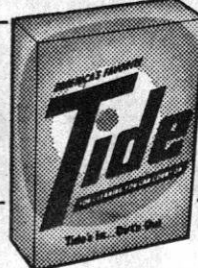
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Bible Facts

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Quest for truth!

Last week we introduced you to the two sons of the so-called Prodigal Son, which is just a title that man has given him - it is not a Bible word. Man is prone to add to the word of God, but the eternal has warned man of the danger of adding to or taking from the word. Last week we saw where the two sons had come to the point in God's plan where they were representative of two nations. And the Lord said unto her, Two nations are in thy womb, and two manner of people, Gen. 25:23. Their names were Esau and Jacob. Esau was the first-born and should have been the heir to the birthright and would have been had he not sold his birthright to Jacob, vs. 33. We would do well here if we would keep in mind that the actors as well as the law were typical, Heb. 10:1, Ch. 11:40, Ch. 8:5. One might think it an awful thing that Esau did but it did not compare with Jacob's sin. Esau sold his natural birthright but Jacob whose name was later changed to Israel sold his spiritual birthright. Remember what the Lord said to him as a nation. Therefore, say I unto you, the Kingdom of God shall be taken from you, and given to a nation bringing forth the fruits thereof, Matt. 21:43. The two sons in our parable are in reality two nations, Israel and the Gentile nation. We might add here that God today is not dealing with people on a national basis. Zedekiah was the last king to sit on the throne of David. It was overthrown in the 5th century B.C., and was not to be re-established until he come whose right it is or until Shiloh come, Ezk. 21:27, Gen. 49:10. To get back to the two sons, they were representative of the nation of Israel and the nation of the Gentiles. Let us get one thing clearly in mind. As stated before, we are not dealing with entire nations as a whole but with nations on an elect basis, i.e., ye are an Holy Nation, a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a peculiar people, I Pet. 2:9. Paul said, seeing ye put it from you, that is the gospel, and judge yourselves unworthy of everlasting life, lo, we turn to the Gentiles, Acts 13:46. This is one of the age old mysteries of His will. Paul said, having made known unto us the mystery of His will, this is something that God has purposed in himself, that in the dispensation of the fullness of time, he might gather together in one all things in Christ, Eph. 1:9, 10. And that the Gentiles should be fellow heirs and of the same body, and partakers of Christ through the Gospel, Eph. 3:4-6.

Next week, if the Lord's will, we will continue our study of the two sons. At this season of the year we are pushed for time. This will be a little late for Christmas, so we will wish you a Happy New Year, and above all that ye may prosper in God.

Your servant in Christ,
Marshel Adams

MEN IN SERVICE

Airman First Class Terry J. Crabb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Humbert V. Crabb, of Route 2, Tishomingo, has arrived for duty at Wiesbaden AB, Germany.

Airman Crabb, a weapons mechanic, is assigned to a unit of the U. S. Air Forces in Europe. He previously served at Hurlburt Field, Fla.

The airman is a 1972 graduate of Tishomingo High.

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Shower Honors Delores Smithhart

Mrs. Delores (Barnes) Smithhart, of Jackson, Miss., was complimented on December 16, 1973, between the hours of 2:00 and 4:00 p.m. with a bridal shower in the Fellowship Hall of the Snowdown Methodist Church, Iuka, Miss.

Hostesses were Mesdames Ruth Lomenick, Genny Thorne, Virgie Bonds, Pauline Daniel and Celeste Lomenick.

The register table, covered with white, was highlighted with glowing candles on a bronze Christmas tree. Miss Ruby Brown presided at the guest register.

The honoree was attired in a floor-length dress of red, white and blue, accented with a corsage of white carnations, a gift of the hostesses.

The refreshment table, covered with a white tablecloth overlaid with white lace, was centered with a centerpiece with white candles surrounded with holly and red berries depicting the Christmas Season. Red fruit punch was ladeled from a punch bowl with

mints, nuts and individual white cake squares, trimmed with red, were served to the guests. A lighted Christmas tree centered the gift table.

Mrs. Smithhart received an assortment of useful gifts.

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Obituaries

Services For Albert Biggs

Albert Eugene Biggs, 76, died Tuesday, December 18, at Lawton, Okla.

He had been a resident of Cotton County, Okla., since 1930. He was a farmer and a rancher.

Services were held Friday, December 21, from the chapel of Cutshall Funeral Home with the Rev. Donald Bishop officiating. Burial followed in the Campground Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Pearl Biggs, of Randlett, Okla.; one son, Earl Biggs, of Randlett, Okla.; two sisters, Mrs. Ruth Hobbs and Mrs. Blanche Bacon, of Iuka; nine grandchildren; and ten great grandchildren.

GOSSIP (Did You Know?)

Kathy Cappleman, of Memphis, spent the weekend with the Toy Junior Bonds, the Lowell Roberts and Mrs. Lois.

Mr. and Mrs. James Robert Stormont, Laura and Becky, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, are spending the Holidays with family and friends in Iuka.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy F. Hurst, of Rockledge, Fla., returned home Wednesday after spending several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bullard and Buddy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stormont and Shelley, of Pine Bluff, Ark., spent the Holidays in the homes

of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bullard and Buddy and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Honeycutt.

Miss Linda Carr, of Memphis, spent the Christmas Holidays at home with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Honeycutt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Biggs, of Durant, Miss., spent the Christmas Holidays in Iuka visiting with his mother, Mrs. C. C. Biggs, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Stricklen, of Del Valle, Texas, enjoyed visiting in the home of relatives and friends in Iuka over the Holidays.

Enjoying Christmas breakfast in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Biggs were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McVay, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Daugherty, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Tapp and Derrick, Mr. D. C. Daugherty, and Miss Dennie Daugherty.

FARM NEWS

In 1972 Mississippi ranked fifth nationally in commercial broiler production and 11th in egg production. Leading counties in the poultry industry in Mississippi are Scott, Smith, Leake, Jones, Rankin, Simpson and Hinds.

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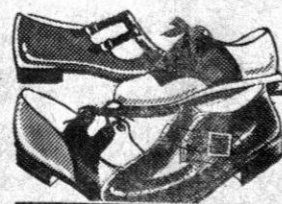
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Peace on Earth?



"Peace on earth," the angels sang as the new-born Christ was welcomed to this world nearly 20 centuries ago.

Each year at Christmas time the angels' song is echoed by multitudes throughout the world. It is a cherished hope that, some day, peace on earth — real peace, enduring peace — will be a reality. So far, it is only a hope.

Even the nation in which Christ was born does not have peace today. As this is written, there is an uneasy cease-fire, broken almost daily by fierce clashes between the Israelis and their enemies.

If God promised peace nearly 2,000 years ago, why is it so long in coming?

Perhaps the answer is contained in another part of the song of the angels. "Good will to men," it has been translated, implying that God in sending His Son to live among us expressed His good will toward us. The thought, of course, is true — but it is not necessarily the meaning of the angels' message.

Literally, the song of the angels was, "Peace on earth, good will in men." The heavenly message, then, may be understood to mean that Christ came to live and die among us to make it possible for us to have peace

on earth and to have in ourselves the good will of which the angels sang.

Let me tell you a true story about two men who once would gladly have killed each other.

Jacob DeShazer, an American airman, was shot down by the Japanese during World War II. Captured, he was imprisoned under conditions that might have been expected to produce hatred and contempt for those who held him captive.

But somebody gave the prisoners a Bible. DeShazer read it avidly. The result was that he was completely changed by a power beyond himself. At the end of the war, when he was released from prison, he went to college to prepare himself to be a missionary. Then he went back to Japan, to tell his former enemies how they could find personal peace.

One of those who heard DeShazer speak in Japan was Capt. Mitsuo Fuchida, leader of the Japanese air attack on Pearl Harbor. At first, he could not comprehend how an American who had suffered imprisonment at the hands of the Japanese could love those who had been his enemies and had mistreated him.

But when Fuchida understood what had happened in the life of DeShazer, he also became a Christian. Now the erstwhile enemies are fast friends.

When will peace on earth become a reality? When will there be good will in — and among — men?

No one knows when this promise will be fulfilled. But we know that, some day, it will be true that men will no longer be called on to kill each other in battle.

The birth of Christ, over 19 centuries ago, was just the beginning. Now it is up to us — each of us — to kneel with the wise men in homage to the Christ.

New VO — TECH Construction Scheduled

Continued growth of vocational-technical education in Mississippi was the key topic of discussion Thursday at the regular meeting of the Executive Committee of the Mississippi A & I Board.

The Executive Committee gave its approval to four projects designed to improve vo-tech education in Mississippi's public junior college system.

The projects include the construction of a new branch of Hinds Junior College in Vicksburg. The Vicksburg branch will offer a wide range of technical courses. An expansion was approved for Holmes Junior College to offer study in auto mechanics, drafting, refrigeration, and others. Two projects were approved for Pearl River Junior College. On the main campus at Poplarville an additional facility will pave the way for diesel mechanics study and at Hancock a new access road and parking facility will be constructed.

The projects, which totaled \$409,692 in State funds, need only to be formally approved by the State Junior College Board, the State Building Commission and the State Department of Education before construction will begin.

An additional \$942,329.60 in Federal funds and funds matching the State's share from the local junior colleges will also be used to fund the projects.

The Executive Committee also approved the first pollution control bond issue for Mississippi Power Company. The committee approved the issuance of \$18 million in revenue bonds for the company to construct pollution control facilities for its plant in Harrison County. These funds will be used to acquire pollution control facilities which will be leased to Mississippi Power Company and will permit them to meet clean air and water standards at their Harrison County generating system.

Registration Scheduled At NEMJC

Registration for academic evening classes for the second semester at The Northeast Mississippi Junior College will be held January 7-8 at 6:30 p.m. in the Science Building. Classes will begin Jan. 9 at 6:30 p.m. with January 16 the last day to enter classes. Examinations will be held May 6-9.

Academic courses of study will include Principles of Accounting, General Biology, Principles of Economics, English Composition I, English Composition II, English Literature I, English Literature II, General Psychology I, Child Psychology, Western Civilization I, Western Civilization II, The Real Number System, Physical Science Survey I, Criminal Law, and Oral Communication.

Registration for vocational classes will be held Monday, January 8, and will include Residential Air - conditioning and Refrigeration, cabinet making, welding, diesel mechanics, Automotive Air - conditioning, Automotive Engines or Electrical System, Machine Shop & Tool and Die, Basic Drafting, Applied Surveying, House Wiring, Transistors, Gourmet Food Preparation.

Through the cooperation of the Vocational Division of the State Department of Education, The Northeast Mississippi Junior College will offer the non-credit courses in Business Communications, Shorthand, Typewriting, Introduction to Cobol/3 System, and Introduction to RPG II/3 System.

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"SECOND CENTURY" were High School Weekend, the very recently held SYMPOSIUM campus event, and a City of New Albany program. Front row, left to right: Ray Kirk, Iuka, a Ministerial Student; Robin Smith, Picayune; and their Public Relations Consultant, Tommy Statterfiel, Mississippi State University. Back row, left to right: Lori Dean, Greenwood; Judy Lines, Blue Mountain; and Martha Thomas, Tupelo.

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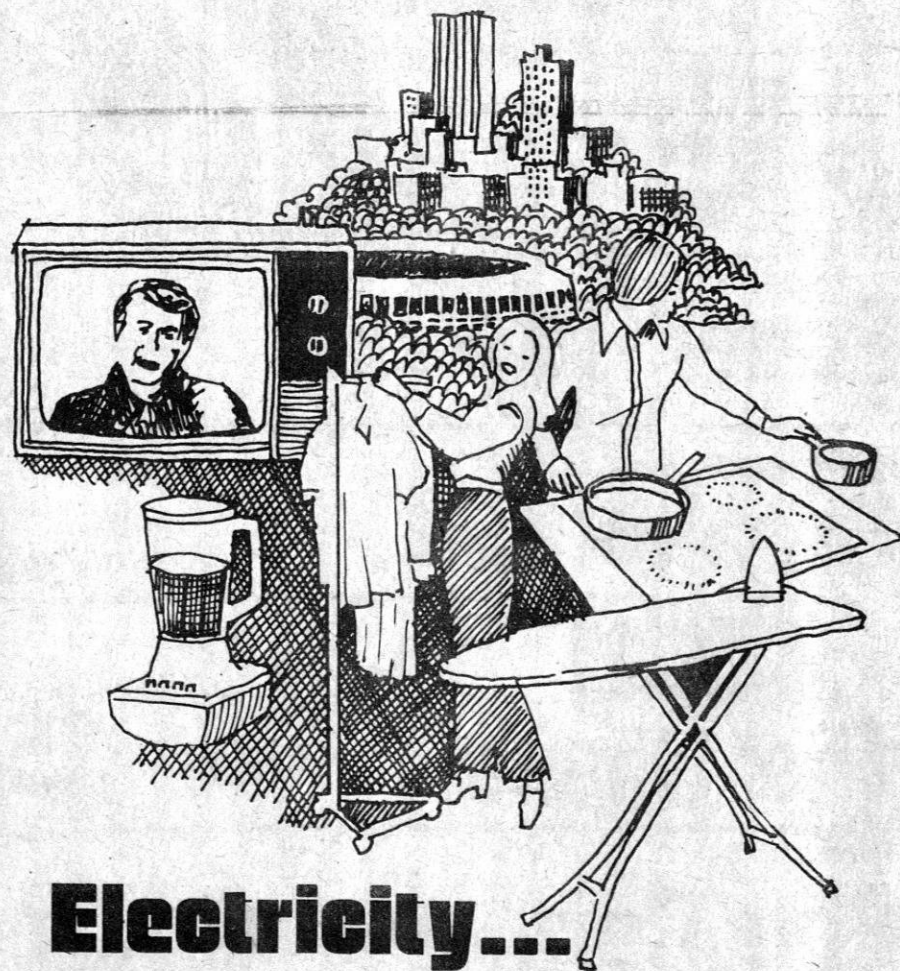
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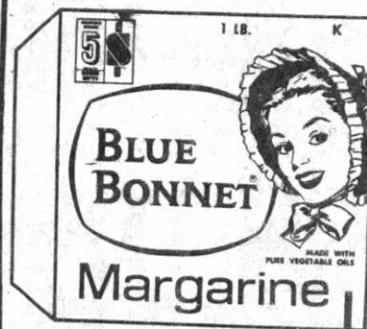
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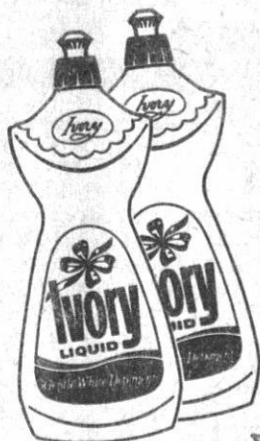
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