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ONE HUNDRED AND TWO YEARS

Merry Christmas Everyone!

SEASON'S GREETINGS

It's the happiest time of the year, because it's the time we come to greet friends old and new, the time when we draw closer to those we love! At Christmas time, we treasure our blessings large and small, in happy giving and receiving, in songs, smiles and laughter, we rejoice with worldwide pleasure.

And always, as we celebrate the joys the season brings we give warm thanks to our friends, a joy the whole year through. Now to our friends we're sending a message simple, but sincere, "Merry Christmas to all."

Also in this issue of your Tishomingo County News, we wish to especially draw your attention to the many Christmas greetings sent to us from local businesses, individuals, public officials, church and civic organizations, and professional people. Please consider each greeting as a personal message from them to you.

The following is a list of those sending season greetings via the pages of this edition of The Vidette:

The Ballroom Gallery, Dr. Joe Barlow, Brown's Insurance, C's Ceramics, Caplan's Carpets Unlimited, Circus Burgers, The Chuck Wagon, The Clothes Cottage, The Corner Barber Shop, The Country Squire, Frank Cosslett, Curtis Drug Company, Cutshall Funeral Home, The Care Cutter, The Country Cupboard, Daugherty Refrigeration, The Country Loft, Farm Bureau Insurance, First American National Bank, First Citizens Loans, Fred's, Dr. Thomas E. Goyer, The Friendly Florist, Dr. Phillip Gray, Iuka Animal Clinic, City of Iuka, Iuka Discount Drug, Iuka Flower Shop, Iuka Guaranty Bank, Dr. Kenneth Draper, Dr. Bobby King, Jerry's Small Engines, Jones Lumber Company, Jordan Lumber Company, Dr. Paul Kellum, Kenwin Shop, Kiddie Land, J.B. (Tombuck) and Margaret King, Kurl and Kurl Beauty Shop, Little Creek Motel, McBride's Garden Center, McNatt Ford Sales Inc., Mississippi Stone Products, Moore's Body Shop, Motor Parts Company, Nelson's Supermarket, New Orleans Chicken, David L. Nichols, Otasco, Photography By Charles, Pickwick Manor Nursing Home, Pine Slab Restaurant, Pizza Inn, Q-Mart, Ripley Insurance, Sanchez Chiropractic, The Second Shop, The Segars Clinic, Tishomingo County Sheriff, Bob Payne, The Shoe Mart, Styles Unlimited, Sunrise Dry Cleaners, Sweeney's Motor Parts, Tri-State Refrigeration, Tennessee River Pulp and Paper Company, Tishomingo County Electric Power Association, Tishomingo County Circuit Clerk, Lamar Rutherford, Superintendent of Education, Alvia Blakney, Clark, Hayden Ables; Tishomingo County Tax Assessor/Collector, Horace Ladgewood; Tishomingo County Furniture, Town and Beauty Shop, Wal-Mart Discount City, Weathers Shop, Window

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News Deadline Nears Due To Holiday

It will be necessary for all advertisements, announcements, and news items to reach our office Friday, December 27, and no later than noon Monday, December 30, in order to appear in the New Year's edition. Due to the holiday, our work week will be shorter. The Tishomingo County News will be put in the paper racks Tuesday night and should arrive in the homes as usual on Thursday.

Singing At Boggs Chapel

The Boggs Chapel United Methodist Church will have their annual New Year's Eve singing on Tuesday night, December 31. The singing will begin at 7 o'clock. The pastor, Bro. Rowland Hyde, will bring a devotion during the evening. Refreshments will be served, and the singing will continue until we have sung out the old year and sung in the new year.

Everyone has a special invitation to attend this service, especially all singers and piano players.

There will be no Fifth Sunday singing this month due to the New Year's Eve singing.

Singing At Palestine

There will be a singing at Palestine Church New Year's Eve, beginning at 7 p.m., to sing the old year out.

The featured singers will be The Blue Grass Gospel Heirs from Red Bay, Alabama.

Everyone is invited to attend.



The Joys of Christmas are best seen through children's eyes...For them, it's a time of wonder and delight and eager anticipation. Hoping your holiday season recaptures the joy and images of yules gone by and delivering our greetings to you are children of some of the staff members of the Tishomingo County News which include front, Jessica Hayley McVay, daughter of Jimmy and Charlotte McVay; Todd Williams, son of Isaac and Kathy Williams; standing left to right, Emily Hughes, daughter of Jimmy and Nancy Hughes; Dana Harwell, daughter of Neal and Janeva Harwell; John Williams and Tony Williams, also sons of Isaac and Kathy Williams.

It's the little traditions of the Christmas season that make it so special. The sights, the sounds, fun and festivities...all fill the air with a spirit of warmth as we open our hearts and homes with gladness. What better time than the holidays to thank all of you who have been so kind and thoughtful to us throughout the year? It's been our sincere pleasure to serve you.

Happy Holidays To All

The Tishomingo County News Staff

John H. Biggs, Editor & Publisher

Becky Parsons	Charlotte McVay	Janeva Harwell
Gene McVay	Denise Parsons	Jill Rushing
Kathy Williams	Nancy Hughes	Billy Joe Yarber

Grant us Peace Thy Most Precious Gift... Oh Lord

Let us all join in the Christmas prayer that the supreme blessing of Peace be granted to all the world.



One Dies
Little was known at press time concerning the wreck that occurred just off Pleasant Hill Road Sunday

evening in which Rex Rutherford was injured. Reports said that the driver of the early model pickup had just left the home of a friend when his

truck crashed into a tree on the roadside of a private drive. Mr. Rutherford lived approximately one hour after being transported to the Tishomingo County Hospital.

IUKA MAN DIES FOLLOWING CRASH

Rex Rutherford, 69, of Iuka, died Sunday, December 22, at the Tishomingo County Hospital following a one vehicle accident in the Pleasant Hill Community.

Details were sketchy concerning the accident, but reports indicated that Mr.

Rutherford was driving on the Hayden Castleberry driveway when he apparently lost control of his pickup and hit a tree dead center with the front of the truck. He was alone.

Mr. Rutherford was transported to the local hospital

via ambulance service, arrived at 3:55 p.m. and died at 5:06 p.m. according to hospital administrator, Bill Rutledge.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete at press time. An autopsy was being performed Monday.

Surviving Mr. Rutherford is his wife, Mrs. Pauline Rutherford of Iuka; three daughters, Barbara Prather, Iuka; Brenda Johnson, Cherokee, AL; Norma Metzler, Houston, TX, and nine grandchildren.

Last Date For Crop Insurance

December 31, 1985, ends the 1985 crop year insurance period for COTTON grown in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, and insured by the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC), or by a private company reinsured by FCIC, according to Ralph H. Gillespie, a representative for the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

"Any notice of loss must be given no later than 30 days after total destruction of the unit, completion of harvest, or December 31, whichever occurs earlier," according to Ralph H. Gillespie.

The producer who anticipates a claim should notify his or her crop insurance agent immediately.

"Under the terms of the policy, any acreage on which harvest will not be completed must be left intact until an inspection is made. Any claim for indemnity may be rejected if these loss reporting requirements are not met," Ralph H. Gillespie stated.

V.F.W. Post 4978 To Meet

V.F.W. Post 4978 will conduct their regular monthly meeting Thursday, January 2, beginning at 7:00. All members and the ladies auxiliary are urged to attend.

Holiday Closing

The Tishomingo County Landfill Office will be closed December 31, and January 1, in observance of New Year.

Letter To Santa

Dear Santa,
My name is Amy Whitlock and I am five years old. I have been a very good little girl. Please bring me a Cabbage Patch Doll and pom poms, radio with ear phones, a camera, Cabbage Patch dishes, a shopping cart and some surprises.

I will leave you some cake and milk under the tree.
I love you Santa,

Love,
Amy



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Tommy Purvis
Extension County Agent



Crooks Hit Farms, Too

Although most farmers don't take regular vacations, the Christmas season is often one of visiting relatives and taking a few days off.

Since expensive tools and

equipment are found on every farm, burglars are attracted to the farm when the owner is absent. In fact, more than 8 million crimes are reported

COOL OFF WITH DESSERT

With some cool and calculated planning, you can make the freezer a fast, hot-weather friend. Here are some ideas on how to end the summer with a cold start.

Freeze wedges of lemon, lime and oranges to replace ice in cold drinks.

Fruit juice frozen in small paper cups with plastic spoon handles is a great breakfast surprise.

Leftover whipped cream can be dropped by dollops onto a waxed paper-lined tray and frozen. Store in the freezer in a moistureproof bag for later use. These individual-size servings thaw atop berries, pudding or cake in about the same time it takes a family to finish dinner.

Let the freezer fix dessert. Pink Lemonade Pie and Pineapple Ice-Cream Dessert are make-ahead frozen specialties. What great endings for these last doggone hot days of summer!

Pink Lemonade Pie

1 package Betty Crocker pie crust mix or sticks
1 can (14 ounces) sweetened condensed milk
1 container (8 ounces) frozen whipped topping, thawed (3 1/2 cups)
1 can (6 ounces) frozen pink lemonade concentrate, thawed
2 or 3 drops red food color, if desired

Prepare Baked Pie Shell as directed on package; cool. Mix remaining ingredients in large bowl. Mound into pie shell.



Freeze until firm, at least 2 hours. Freeze any remaining pie.

Pineapple Ice-Cream Dessert

1 package Betty Crocker pineapple upside-down cake mix
1/2 cup flaked coconut
1/3 cup margarine or butter, softened
1 quart vanilla ice cream

Heat oven to 350°. Mix cake mix, Topping Mix and coconut in medium bowl; cut in margarine

Harmony Extension Homemakers Club

Harmony Homemakers Club members proudly displayed a wide assortment of lovely

each year in rural areas and small towns. Property crimes account for almost 90 percent of rural crime.

Farmers can fight back by taking a few precautions before leaving for an extended period. Of course, it may take only a few hours for a burglar to get away with several thousand dollars worth of equipment or livestock.

To protect livestock check stock frequently and report any missing stock. Mark your animals so that they are easily identified as yours and repair any fences or gates that need it.

Bring all equipment in from the fields at night and store it in a lighted area. Security lights are a farmer's friend and a thief's suggestion to try somewhere else.

Store tools, motors, batteries and other equipment in a building that can be locked. Sometimes a good lock is just too much trouble for a thief who is looking for an

easy target. Don't leave such items as ladders, power tools or heavy hardware—such as sledge hammers and crowbars—in areas that are obvious and accessible. Your own tools may be used to enter your home.

Lock your home when you leave and have a neighbor keep an eye on your place for the time you are gone.

Farmweek

Due to the Christmas holidays, Farmweek will not be shown on December 30. The program will resume Monday, January 13, 1986, at 7:30 p.m. on the Mississippi Educational Television Network.

Chatting With Your Home Economist

By: Nellie R. Horton,
Extension Home Economist

Happy Holidays

During this 1985 Holiday Season, I would like to extend to each of you a Happy & Joyous Holiday. It has been a pleasure for me to visit with you each week through my publications, and I look forward to our association in 1986. My wish for each of you is that you will have a very Merry Christmas and a Happy & Prosperous New Year.

If I can be of service to you in the coming year, please feel free to call on me. I am here to serve the people of this county any way I can in the areas of Home Economics. Again, have a safe and Happy Holiday and a Joyous New Year.

Baked Chicken Breasts

1 package or jar of sliced dried beef (approximately 2 1/2 oz)
3 to 4 whole chicken breasts, halved (may be skinned and boned if desired)
6 to 8 strips bacon
1 (4-oz) can mushroom stems and pieces OR 1 cups sliced fresh mushrooms sauteed in butter
1 (10 1/2 oz) can mushroom

Contemporary Quotes

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Christmas gifts and decorations, all of which were handmade, at the annual Extension Homemakers Christmas Fair. The gala event took place at J.P. Coleman State Park Restaurant and drew a large crowd for the display and luncheon. Members shown

above include, seated, Mrs. Becky Walker; standing, left to right: Mrs. Joyce Robertson, Mrs. Quay Rushing, Mrs. Nellie Taylor, Mrs. Dugdar Daniel.

soup mixed with 1/2
soup can of milk

Saucepan of boiling water for a few seconds. Drain and rinse the beef slices in cold water. This prevents the completed dish from being too salty. Cover bottom of baking dish with beef slices. Wrap each chicken breast in a slice of bacon and place the chicken breasts on top of the beef. Pour mushrooms in their liquid and the soup mixture over all. Bake uncovered at 275 degrees F for 2 to 2 1/2 hours. Cover baking dish with foil the last 30 minutes if it becomes too dry. Good served with rice (especially with long grain and wild rice combination). You may wish to thin the gravy in the baking dish with additional milk to serve over the rice. Allow at least one chicken breast per

person. Serves 6 to 8.

Marinated Salad

1 cup vinegar
1 cup sugar
1/2 cup salad oil
1 (16 oz) can French-style beans, drained
1 (8-oz) can peas, drained
2 carrots, thinly sliced
1 green pepper, finely chopped
1 red onion, thinly sliced
1 (2 oz) jar chopped pimiento, drained
1 cucumber, thinly sliced
3 stalks celery, chopped

Bring vinegar to a boil in a small saucepan; stir in sugar and oil. Cool slightly. Combine remaining ingredients. Add vinegar mixture. Cover and refrigerate overnight. Yield: 10 to 12 servings.

Sauerkraut Salad

1 jar (16 oz) sauerkraut,

drained
1 cup green pepper,
finely chopped
1/2 cup onion, finely
chopped
1 cup celery, chopped

COMBINE:

1/2 cup granulated sugar
1/2 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup vegetable oil
1/2 cup vinegar, white or
as preferred

Mix vegetables together in large bowl. Combine dressing ingredients and pour over vegetables. Toss to mix well. Store in a covered container in refrigerator at least 24 hours. Will keep several weeks. 6 to 8 servings.

The Gift Of Freedom

Is there a gift greater than the gift of freedom?

A worthy question, particularly at Christmas time, the season of giving.

For six years now Mississippians have been giving the gift of freedom to their children in a special way. The gift has been special knowledge and appreciation of the American free enterprise system, passed on to the school children of Mississippi by hundreds of Mississippi business firms and individuals.

Gifts of freedom and

economic opportunity have been passed on to children almost every public district and in almost every private school in Mississippi. These gifts have been passed on in the form of contributions to Mississippi American Enterprise Council, a free enterprise education activity of the Mississippi Economic Council. Mississippians decided years ago that the gift of freedom and economic opportunity was, indeed, a worthy gift for our children. "Gift" has included free enterprise youth rallies, thousands of high school students, free enterprise visual aids materials, students in grades 1-12, high school free enterprise curriculum supplies, special free enterprise phasis on eight college university campuses, special free enterprise education training for teachers of our children. What better time than Christmas to thank Mississippians who have provided this gift of freedom and, at the same time, recommit ourselves to the principles of free enterprise and freedom for all Americans.

English contains more words — 800,000 — than any other known language, but it is doubtful that any individual uses more than 60,000.

Holiday with Care

Enjoy yourself. And if your holiday plans include some driving, please drive WITH EXTRA CARE so you and your family can enjoy many holidays to come!

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What to do during an outage.

- STAY AWAY FROM DOWNED POWER LINES and broken utility poles. Please note the location and call us immediately. Even lines that look harmless can be dangerous.
- If your power is out, check your neighbors. If they still have electricity, check your fuses or circuit breakers. If that doesn't solve the problem, give us a call.
- Once you've called us, there's no need to keep calling; your request will be handled as soon as possible. However, if your power is still out once your neighbors' have been returned to service, you should call again.
- When service is restored, overloaded lines could cause another outage. You can help prevent this by switching off your appliances during the outage. Leave a light on so you'll know when service is back on.
- Don't keep checking the refrigerator and freezer. Food will keep much longer if the doors are left closed.
- Prepare a "lights out" kit: keep a flashlight, spare fuses, and battery-powered radio for your home. Know where the electric service panel for your home is located and how to reset circuit breakers or replace blown fuses. Make sure your family knows where the kit is and what to do if you are not at home.

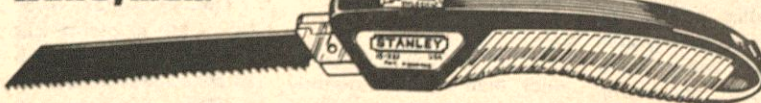
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Home Health Care
Mrs. Oma Arnold is currently receiving home health care from the Tishomingo County

Health Department. Her services are provided under the order of her local physician Dr. Al Flannery. This service

will enable Mrs. Arnold to spend the upcoming holidays at home with her family. Pictured with Mrs. Arnold is Yvonne Stephens, R.N.

Meeting Home Health Needs

Almost everybody's looking for ways to cut health care cost while at the same time keeping the quality. One answer is home health.

The Mississippi State Department of Health has been in the home health business since the early 1900's. Now every county health department is a state-licensed, medicare/medicaid-certified home health agency. The Mississippi State Department of Health continues to try to provide this service to all persons who need it, regardless of ability to pay.

Who needs home health services? Babies, teens and adults, senior citizens—people of all ages sometimes need home health services at home.

To be eligible for home health services, a person must be ill or disabled, home bound, under the care and supervision of a physician, and in need of part time skilled nursing or other health care.

Referrals for home health

services come from physicians, hospitals, nursing homes, social agencies, the patients family or friends, public health nurses or personally. Every patient remains under his doctor's orders. At home with family and friends at the bedside, the patient keeps control of his life. The patient has more freedom to live a normal life.

Home health services range from simple to complex, from daily and familiar tasks to sophisticated techniques.

Home health is part-time skilled nursing care—a nurse comes to your home to treat you according to your physician's orders—part-time home health aide services to help with baths, personal grooming, exercise, walking—also, available is medical supplies.

Every home health service employee must have education and experience. The Mississippi State Department of Health employs registered nurses only. His/her skills must be modern and knowledge broad-based.

Throughout the course of care for each patient the nurse consults the physician in

person, on the telephone, and through written reports. Home health nurses are available seven days/week. Patients also may use other public health programs. Home health services is on adjunct to comprehensive health care.

If you or someone you know possibly needs these services call your local health department at 423-6100. If any club or agency needs further information please call.



My school teacher friend, Ruth Bennett wrote me a Christmas card and I thought the information would be of interest to others especially those 60 years and over who signed up for their Discount cards.

Dear Lela,
Guess everyone in Tishomingo County has about given up on receiving their Discount Card. Everything has changed. They CLOSED the State office and sent all the THOUSANDS OF FORMS BACK TO BOONEVILLE. Now, the cards have to be written by hand and the job has been put on me. They have also cut my time to two and one-half days per week. So everything is really slow. The cards for all those who enrolled at luka are almost ready. They CANNOT BE MAILED any more, the postage would be so much. I am sending yours but haven't figured out how to get the others to the owners. Maybe, something will work out O.K. I want to thank you for all your help. I enjoyed meeting



Miss Maywood Princess

Sherry Mars was recently crowned "Miss Maywood" Princess. Sherry was in competition with girls from the Memphis and Mid-South area. Contestants were judged on beauty, modeling, poise and speaking ability. She is a 17-

year old honor student at Central High School in Memphis, Tennessee. She plans to attend Rhodes College. Sherry is the daughter of Annette Mars and Billy Mars of Memphis. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. O.E. Barrett of luka.

you and working with you. Thanks a lot for everything. Hope you have a nice Christmas.

Love,
Ruth Bennett
Ripley, MS

I sent this to you thinking that some community organization in luka could figure out a way to go after the luka "Magnolia State Golden Age Discount Program" cards and let the people then pick them up in luka, after the cards are written in Booneville. You notice she said they were almost finished. That was written and finally forwarded to me in Asheville.

A good Democrat should go after them. The cards have Bill Allains name on them.

Harmony Homemakers

The Harmony Homemaker's met in the home of Dorothy Hayes for the Christmas Party.

The meeting was called to order by President Glenda Johnson. Nellie Taylor had the Devotion reading Christmas thoughts. Prayer lead by Nedra Walker, Christmas Carols were sung.

Beautiful wrapped Christmas gifts were presented by the hostess to their secret pals. New names were drawn for 1986. Everyone entered the dining room where a table was loaded with Christmas goodies.

Those present besides those mentioned above were: Louise Sanderson, Ora Creasap, Lois Tucker, Quay Rushing, Margie Davis, Becky Walker, Joyce Robertson, Opal Dean, Dugdar Daniel, and Marquita Greenaway. Two members were absent Vada Kay and Delma Dean.

The meeting adjourned to meet in January with Glenda Johnson.

Resolutions For Better Health

The New Year is approaching. Many of us, caught up in the enthusiasm of the season, have made New Year's resolutions. Experience has taught some of us that only realistic resolutions are likely to be kept. Unrealistic resolutions either will be quickly forgotten or will become a source of frustration as we strive to achieve overly-ambitious goals.

The Mississippi State Medical Association reminds that although medical science has made great progress in recent decades, the state's physicians are concerned about the health problems that remain, many of which are preventable.

Without setting unrealistic goals, there is much you can do to ensure that you and your family have the opportunity to enjoy a healthier new year. You can resolve to:

*Use seat belts and make sure your family members do. Automobile accidents claim some 50,000 lives each year, and injuries number in the millions. Most deaths and serious injuries can be prevented by the regular use of seat belts.

*Make sure your family members are immunized. Protection exists from the devastating effects of measles, rubella, polio, dip-

theria, pertussis (whooping cough) and tetanus. Many people, however, remain unprotected from these diseases because of their failure to have the vaccinations.

*Become informed about proper nutrition and proper exercise. Total fitness not only improves personal appearance, but enhances physical health and mental and emotional well-being, too.

*Become aware of home safety hazards. Accidents in the home and poisonings from household chemicals are major problems, and most of these are preventable. Make sure your family members wear protective clothing whenever possible, whether riding a motorcycle, skateboarding or mowing the lawn.

*Learn to recognize symptoms of the diseases of alcoholism and mental illness. If you or someone you know is suffering, take advantage of the professional help that is available to treat these disorders.

*Become informed about such things as risk factors in heart disease, symptoms of diabetes, and cancer's warning signals. Early diagnosis is often the key to successful treatment.

*If you are taking prescribed medications, take them properly. The courses of many illnesses are influenced by regular and complete regimens of medication. Read labels. Remember to

discuss with your physician any other medications you may be taking, whether prescribed or purchased over the counter.

*Make every effort to stop smoking or at least cut down. The hazards of smoking have been documented, and it makes sense to reduce your chances of contracting any of the illnesses that have been linked with smoking.

*For regular health care (and to reduce costs, too) have a family physician who knows your medical history. Don't be afraid to use the telephone to talk with the doctor about minor health problems. On the other hand, don't wait too long to see the physician when you are ill. Delaying treatment for an illness can cost more in the long run. Emergency care is more expensive.

There is much you can do to achieve and maintain good health, and throughout the new year the physicians of the Mississippi State Medical Association will provide more information about preventing illness and injury.

Holiday Cleaning Tips

Holiday entertaining involves a good deal of fun, family, friends and food. But after the guests have gone...

the hostess is left alone to clean up. Here are some cleaning tips designed to get you out of the kitchen and bring a little more Joy into your holiday.

Question: How do I clean all my dishes and glasses without a dishwasher?

Answer: Choose a liquid detergent specially formulated for the type of cleaning you'll be doing. Dawn, Joy and Ivory Liquid are all good products. If you're going to be dealing



Christmas Party

A group of health department employees met on December 14, for a Christmas party. The event was held in the beautifully decorated log cabin belonging to Paul and Emogene Cummings. Pictured are left to right, (front) Luther Adams, Lonnie Davis; back, Pat Kirk, Nancy

Brinkley, Emogene Cummings, Brenda Woodruff, Jane Bolton, and Brenda Whitfield. Others present were Betty Adams, Tressie Davis, Rodney Kirk, Paul Cummings, Howard Woodruff, Wayne Bolton, Jimmy Whitfield, and Representative and Mrs. Mack Wadkins. Much fun and food were shared during this holiday occasion.

with a lot of grease, use Dawn. If a lot of glassware will be air-dried, use Joy. If mildness is important, choose Ivory Liquid (Hints: 1) To reduce spots, use hotter water; 2) The sudsing level is a good indicator of when you need a new solution.)

Question: How can I safely and effectively clean my china and silver in the dishwasher?

Answer: Use Cascade for fine china and silver in your automatic dishwasher. Its special sheeting action prevents spotting and corrosive

effects from heat and water. Be sure to use detergent made for automatic dishwashers. They are formulated to limit the amount of suds. (Hint: Load dishwasher carefully. DO NOT overload and be sure to separate your silver from your stainless steel. Direct contact may result in scarring of the metals.)

Question: How can I safely clean table linens?

Answer: Use Era-Plus—a detergent with enzymes, to safely break down food stains. Pre-treat, if necessary.

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IUKA APARTMENTS

1000 N. PEARL ST., IUKA, MS

423-2057

MONDAY - FRIDAY 9-12 A.M.



Saturday is KID'S DAY

AT PIZZA INN

\$1.69

Adults Regular Price

Every Saturday

11:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Kids, 12 & under, Enjoy all the

pizza, spaghetti, salad & koolaid they want

COUPON
\$2.50 OR \$1.50 OFF
Get \$2.50 off the regular price of any large pizza, or \$1.50 off the regular price of any medium
Not valid with other offers
Expires Jan. 2, 1986
COUPON



Pizza Inn

For pizza out it's Pizza Inn.

Phone 423-6074

Nwy. 25 North In Iuka

Present coupon P104

Nelson's Supermarket
Quality foods at lowest prices
QUANTITY RIGHTS RESERVED
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JAN. 1, 1986

FRESH FAMILY PACK CHICKEN
LEG QUARTERS

29^c
LB.



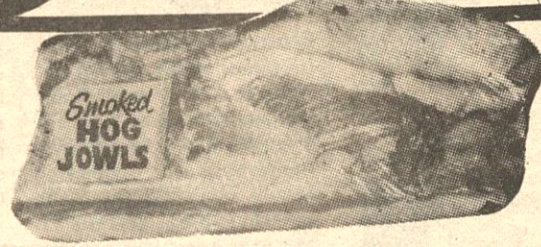
FRESH
HOG JOWL

39^c
LB.

FRESH FAMILY PACK
GROUND BEEF



99^c
LB.



SMOKED **HOG JOWL**

59^c
LB.

FRESH PORK
NECKBONES

29^c
LB.

BRYAN ALL-MEAT
BOLOGNA

\$1¹⁹



12 OZ. PKG.

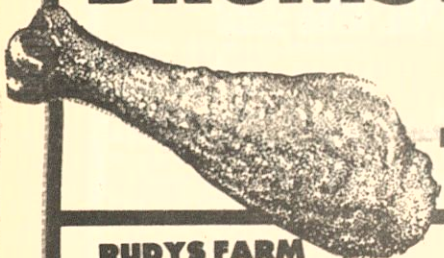
COLUMBIA SLICED ECONOMY
BACON

79^c
1 LB. PKG.

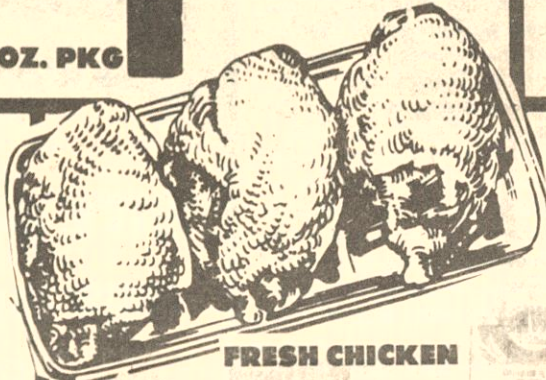
SOUTHERN BELLE SLICED
BACON

\$1²⁹
1 LB. PKG.

FRESH CHICKEN
DRUMSTICKS



59^c
LB.



FRESH CHICKEN
THIGHS

39^c
LB.

BRYAN EXTRA LEAN PORK
SAUSAGE



1 LB. PKG.

\$1.59

RUDYS FARM
SAUSAGE N BISCUIT

ALL VARIETIES

\$1.69

REELFOOT PORK
SAUSAGE

99^c
1 LB. PKG.

REELFOOT
RAG BOLOGNA

2 LB. STICK

\$2.79

HORMEL
LUNCH MEATS

ALL VARIETIES

\$1.19
4 OZ. PKG.

SMOKY HOLLOW TRADITIONAL
SMOKED SAUSAGE

16 OZ. PKG.

\$1.99

ZEIGLER PORK
SAUSAGE

ZEIGLER'S

16 OZ. PKG.

\$1.29

SMOKY HOLLOW
COCKTAIL SMOKIES

16 OZ. PKG.

\$2.79

KING COTTON SLICED
SOUSE

KING COTTON

12 OZ. PKG.

99^c

ZEIGLER PARTI PUP
FRANKS

ZEIGLER'S

12 OZ. PKG.

79^c

ZEIGLER MEAT
WIENERS

ZEIGLER'S

12 OZ. PKG.

99^c

KING COTTON
COOKED HAM

KING COTTON

12 OZ. PKG.

\$2.69

WILSON JUST FOR US
HAMS



2 LB. EACH

\$5.99

SMOKY HOLLOW SMOKED
SAUSAGE

16 OZ. PKG.

\$1.99

RIVERVIEW
BOLOGNA

KING

99^c
LB.

SWIFT BROWN-N-SERVE
SAUSAGE LINKS

Swift Premium

8 OZ. PKG.

\$1.19

REELFOOT
HAMBURGER STEAKS

LB.

\$1.49

HASHBROWN
POTATO PATTIES

LB.

89^c

PRODUCE

SNOW WHITE
MUSHROOMS

8 OZ. CUP

89^c

FRESH TENDER
BROCCOLI

BUNCH

99^c

CALIFORNIA CELLO BAG
CARROTS

1 LB. BAG

39^c

CALIFORNIA 88 SIZE NAVEL
ORANGES

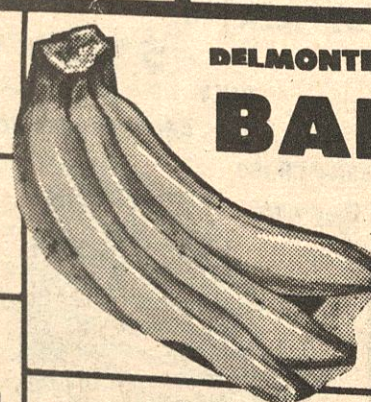
4/99^c

LARGE
LIMES

36 CT.

4/\$1.00

DELMONTE GOLDEN RIPE
BANANAS



LB.

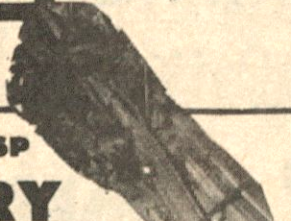
29^c

RED JUICY
TOMATOES

6 PKG.

99^c

FRESH CRISP
CELERY



STALK

2/89^c

WASHINGTON STATE D'ANJOU
PEARS



LB.

69^c

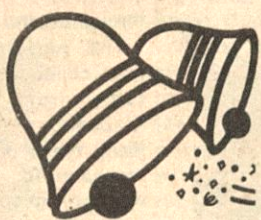
FLORIDA LARGE GREEN SKIN
AVOCADOS

EACH

69^c

HAPPY NEW YEAR

NELSON'S SAYS "THANKS"
FOR YOUR LAST YEARS
PATRONAGE.



WE WILL BE OPEN
NEW YEARS DAY

HYDE PARK MARGARINE PATTIES

8 OZ. PKG.

6 \$1.00
 FOR

JOAN OF ARC DRY BLACKEYE PEAS

15 OZ. CAN

4 \$1.00
 FOR



HYDE PARK DRY BLACKEYE PEAS

1 LB. BAG

19¢

FINE FARE SALTINE CRACKERS

1 LB. BOX

2 99¢
 FOR

HYDE PARK BISCUITS

4 PKG.

79¢

HYDE PARK ORANGE JUICE

64 OZ.

\$1.19



MAZOLA

CORN OIL



\$1.39

48 OZ.

LIMIT 1 WITH \$15.00 ADDITIONAL
 PURCHASE EXCLUDING MILK, TOBACCO &
 DOG FOOD.

GAIN LAUNDRY DETERGENT

42 OZ.

\$1.39



CAMPBELL'S CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP

10 3/4 OZ.

3/\$1.00

POPSRITE YELLOW

POPCORN

16 OZ.

3/\$1.00

HYDE PARK CHEESE SINGLES

12 OZ.

99¢



SHAWNEE SELF-RISING FLOUR

5 LB.

69¢



KELLY'S WITH BEANS CHILI

15 OZ.

59¢

LAYS RUFFLES POTATO CHIPS

7 1/2 OZ.

99¢



MORTON T.V. DINNERS

11 OZ.

99¢



CARNATION HOT COCOA MIX

12 CT. PKG.

99¢

CAMPBELL'S CHUNKY OLD FASHIONED CHICKEN SOUP

19 OZ.

99¢

RALSTON CHEX CEREALS

ASST'D

\$1.59

SENECA APPLE JUICE

64 OZ.

\$1.19

6 PKG. 1/2 LITER COCA COLA PLUS DEPOSIT

\$1.19

LIMITED



GREEN GIANT CUTS & SPEARS BROCCOLI

16 OZ.

\$1.19

PET RITZ COBBLER PIES

26 OZ.

\$1.89

6 PKG. 32 OZ. PEPSI COLA

\$1.99

PLUS DEPOSIT

CHICKEN O SEA TUNA IN OIL

6 1/2 OZ.

59¢



TRAILBLAZER RATION DOG FOOD

20 LB.

\$2.39

LUCKY LEAF CHERRY PIE FILLING

22 OZ.

\$1.19

PILLSBURY STRUEDELS

11 OZ.

\$1.19

LIPTON ONION SOUP MIX

2 CT. PKG.

79¢

AUNT JENIMA BUTTERED TRIAL SIZE PANCAKE SYRUP

6 OZ.

49¢

PURINA MAINSTAY DOGFOOD

20 LB.

\$4.99

RONCO SPAGHETTI

7 OZ.

3/89¢

TEXSUN PINK GRAPEFRUIT JUICE

46 OZ.

\$1.19

ALPO BEEF CHUNKS DOG FOOD

14 OZ.

2/89¢

DAWN DISH DETERGENT

22 OZ.

99¢



Famous Maroon Band
The 1985 semester marks the anniversary of Mississippi State University's

Famous Maroon Band. This year's Famous Maroon Band has approximately 310 members and is under the direc-

tion of Dr. Kent Sills. Members include, front row, from left, Ruth Beard of Iuka, Angela Pams of Booneville, Sally Hussey and Alex McCord, both of Corinth. Back row, from left, Mitch Moore of Booneville, Ricky Brown of Baldwyn, Robert Jones of Corinth, and Dennis Horn of Booneville.

In Service

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class Clifton L. Rhodes, whose wife, Lillie, is the daughter of James and Mamie Finley of Route 1, Tishomingo, recently completed the Recruiters Orientation Course, conducted at the Naval Training Center Annex, Orlando, Florida.

During the training, Rhodes studied the concepts of recruiting procedures and techniques in areas of selling, prospecting processing, analyzing recruiter productivity, personal communication skills and techniques of interviewing.

\$ & Sense

By: Ann O. Rushing
Extension Marketing Specialist
Although meat will probably never be as cheap as people would like, they can cut the meat bill considerably by buying larger cuts than are customary.

Markets usually sell whole, large cuts at a much lower price per pound than the individual cuts derived from them.

The trick lies in knowing what is being bought and what to do with it after it is bought.

In the market people may see extra-large cuts of beef, or, more rarely, pork, sealed in special plastic packaging. These are "subprimal" cuts and they represent a major new method of meat merchandising. They also represent a good way to save money.

The beef carcass is traditionally divided into four or five major parts or "primal" cuts. When primal cuts are divided further, the resulting cuts are called "subprimals". The vacuum-packaged subprimals available in the markets are usually the best parts of these cuts with much of the bone and other waste already trimmed away by the packer.

Most beef moving in commerce now has been "broken" (cut into subprimals) at the packing plant, vacuum-packaged, then shipped to supermarkets or other grocery stores in boxes. It's known in the trade as "boxed beef". Usually these cuts are divided further by the retail store into smaller, "retail" cuts. However, there is a growing trend toward selling whole subprimals directly to consumers.

Subprimal cuts represent an opportunity for substantial savings if you know how to handle them, and if you have adequate freezer space to store them. They range in size from 5 to 30 pounds. There are two major differences between vacuum-packaged meat and the meat most people are accustomed to: "Color. Subprimals appear purplish rather than bright red in the supermarket meat case. The bright red color most people associate with fresh meat actually comes from the meat's exposure to air. Since these cuts are vacuum packed in the packing plant right after they're broken, they are not exposed to air and keep the darker color of freshly cut



Mrs. Hampton Receives Honors

Mrs. Laura Hampton, President of Tishomingo County branch of the NAACP, attended the state conven-

tion in Jackson, MS, November 6-9. She was presented one of the highest honors in Mississippi, The Fannie Lou Hamer award, she also received the Long Distant

Runner award. Mrs. Laura Hampton is a Long Distant Runner. Dr. Aaron E. Henry was re-elected Mississippi State President of the NAACP.



Iuka Students Attend Band Clinic
Noel Hunt, a tuba player, in the Iuka High

School Band was selected for second concert band and Bubba Burton who plays a trumpet, was selected for first concert band at the

Mississippi Band Masters Association Clinic held December 11-14, in Biloxi, Mississippi.

Annual Report, Soil And Water Conservation District

The District Commissioners sponsored many activities during the Fiscal year 1985. Among the most significant accomplishments were:

1. Developed and carried out annual plan of work for 1985.
2. Sponsored Tree Planting Week, February 11-15, in which 13,000 trees were given away that week. Approximately 800 Tishomingo County School Children received trees to plant.
3. Conducted annual membership drive in which twenty three associate members and twelve affiliate members joined the District.
4. Sponsored Soil Stewardship Week, May 12-19, in which six churches participated. 500 bulletins, 500 bookmarks, and 6 booklets were provided by the District.
5. Organized and hosted H.O.T. (Hold Our Topsoil) Field Day on August 7th at the Travis Cain Farm in Belmont, in which approximately 150 people attended. Mr. M.C. Sparks, President of Mississippi Association of Conservation Districts, and Mr. A.E. Sullivan, State Conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service, were guest speakers for this event.
6. Sponsored No-Till Seminar on March 25th with 50 people present.
7. Co-Sponsored with Extension Service a Land Judging Contest on March 1st with ten local 4-Hers par-

ticipating.

8. Ordered and assisted in delivery of 950 Bass, 2,075 Catfish, and 250 Bream for local fish farmers.
9. One hundred bluebird boxes were constructed and erected along the Tenn-Tom Waterway and along HWY. 25 near Midway during the month of June.
10. Sponsored a No-Till Demonstration by furnishing Tibebe Clover to several landowners to use as a winter cover crop.
11. Participated in statewide cropland conservation award program. Danny Lynch, Burnsville was named county winner.
12. Leased no-till drill to farmers in which 867 acres of no-till crops were planted.
13. Employed Mrs. Cynthia Nelson as District Clerk in January 1985.
14. Paid State and National dues.
15. Provided five partial scholarships for five local teachers to attend the "Teachers Environmental Conservation Education Workshop".
16. Ordered Conservation Education Booklets to place in county and city schools.
17. The Soil Conservation Service along with the District published thirty seven newsarticles and 25 radio programs on conservation topics throughout the year.
18. Cooperated with the Soil Conservation Service to provide technical assistance to 356 cooperators, assisted 219 cooperators apply one or more conservation practices, and developed soil and water conservation plans for 2,383 acres.
19. Worked with the ASCS

County Committee to develop county Agricultural Cost-Share Program. The SCS cooperated in the program by providing technical assistance to landowners who signed up for conservation practices such as ponds, terraces, diversions, no-till, critical area planting, pasture establishment, and improvement. In FY 1985 SCS serviced referrals for 230 practices.

We would like to thank the following members who supported us in our 1985 membership drive: Lois Underwood, Carl Sartain, Charlie Patterson, J.R. Page, Sartain Fertilizer, Carlos Ginn, R.C. Martin, Iuka Guaranty Bank, Billy F. Elliott, J.E. Amerson, T.J. Bonds, Travis Cain, Glenn

B. Williams, B.D. Sartain, Tim Smith, Howard Bridges, Tulon B. McKee, Tulon B. McKee, Jr., Claude Hinton, Danny Lynch, James Browning, W.C. Hamilton, Grishams Mens Wear, First American National Bank, Ray Russell, B.F. Burns, Farm Bureau Insurance, J.C. Jourdan Lumber Co., Federal Land Bank, W.H. Fairless Hardware, Tishomingo Grain and Elevation, Northeast Miss. Production Credit, Alcorn County Cooperative, Bay Implement Co., and Mississippi Stone Products.

We would also like to thank the Tishomingo County Board of Supervisors who provided financial support for our District programs; the Soil Conservation Service for providing technical assistance to landowners for installation of conservation practices; the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service for providing Cost-Share Assistance to install conservation practices; the Cooperative Extension Service for conducting an information and education program that keeps our farmers up to date on new agricultural activities; the Mississippi Forestry Commission for providing valuable assistance to our woodland landowners in the form of fire protection, tree planting week, and forestry management; the Mississippi Department of Wildlife Conservation for their assistance in erecting and monitoring the blue-bird trail; all those people who contributed to our H.O.T. Field Day, your assistance enabled us to have a very successful conservation program; we would like to express our appreciation to the Belmont-Tishomingo Journal and the Tishomingo County News for publishing conservation articles; WVOM Radio Station for allowing us radio time to discuss our conservation program; many other activities were made possible by assistance from the Tishomingo County Vo-Tech Center.

Spice Up Your Holidays With Some Hot 'N Spicy® Fried Chicken

Try Our Cajun Chicken Gumbo

GREAT SOUTHERN COOKING!

FAMILY FEAST

14 Pieces of Delicious Chicken, large cole slaw, large potatoes & gravy & 7 homemade buttermilk biscuits

Only **\$11.99**

Expires Jan. 1, 1986

Not valid with other offers

All white extra

Present Coupon N117

HUNGRY MAN DINNER

3 Pieces of Delicious Chicken, potatoes & gravy, cole slaw, homemade buttermilk biscuit and a large Coke®

Only **\$2.99**

Expires Jan. 1, 1986

Not valid with other offers

All white extra

Present Coupon N125

HWY. 72 & 25 SOUTH Iuka 423-2376

IUKA SCHOOLS CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
February 1986 S M T W T F S 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28		1 NEW YEAR'S DAY	2	3	4
			CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS		
6 Board of Trustees 7:00 p.m. Classes resume	7	8	9	10	11
			COUNTY TOURNAMENT-BURNSVILLE		
13 Band Boosters- 7:00 p.m. Burnsville Jr. High at Iuka	14	15	16	17 Iuka at Burnsville	18 New Site at Iuka
			SEMESTER EXAMS		
20 MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY	21	22	23 Marietta Jr. High at Iuka	24	25
			TOMBIGBEE CONFERENCE		
27 Iuka Jr. High at Biggersville	28	29	30	31 Iuka at Cherokee	

JANUARY 1986

DE BUGG TRANSMISSION

MT. EVERGREEN ROAD - IUKA

OPEN MONDAY - SATURDAY NOON PHONE 423-5488

MEMBER OF AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION REBUILDERS ASSOCIATION

ALL TRANSMISSIONS BUILT TO ATRA STANDARDS!

EQUIPPED TO DO ALL OVER DRIVES & FRONT WHEEL

DRIVES INCLUDING FRONT WHEEL DRIVE U-JOINTS & BOOTS.

THIS WEEK'S WINNERS

James Dailey - Burnsville..... 108.24
 Billy McGee - Iuka..... 51.01
 Bobbie Hall - Burnsville..... 37.11
 Roy Wilhite - Burnsville..... 24.41
 Alma Cooper - Burnsville..... 12.23

B & J

Supermarket

**Hwy. 365
 South
 Burnsville**

AD EXPIRES DECEMBER 31, 1985

WE RESERVE RIGHTS TO LIMIT QUANTITIES.

SOUTHERN BELLE

Bacon

1 LB. VAC PACK **\$1.39**



USDA CHOICE BONE IN

Chuck Roast

LB. **\$1.39**



SWIFT BROWN SERVE

Sausage Links 8 OZ. BOX **99¢**



FRESH

Ground Beef

3 LB. OR MORE
 LB. **\$1.19**

HOG HEADS

WHOLE

Hog Heads

LB. **39¢**

B&J'S HOMEMADE

Sausage

LB. **\$1.39**



REELFOOT

Franks

12 OZ. **\$1.19**

SMOKY HOLLOW

**Cocktail
 Smokies**

1 LB. **\$2.49**



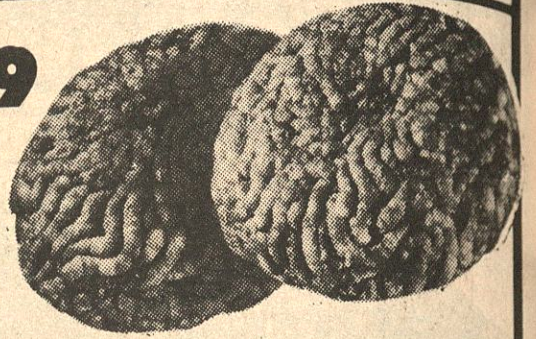
WIN WHAT YOU BUY!

DEPOSIT YOUR REGISTER RECEIPT IN DRAWING BOX BEFORE
 SATURDAY NIGHT! IF YOUR TICKET IS DRAWN, YOU WIN THAT
 AMOUNT IN GROCERIES FREE!

USDA CHOICE FAMILY PACK

**GROUND
 CHUCK**

\$1²⁹
 LB.



USDA
 CHOICE

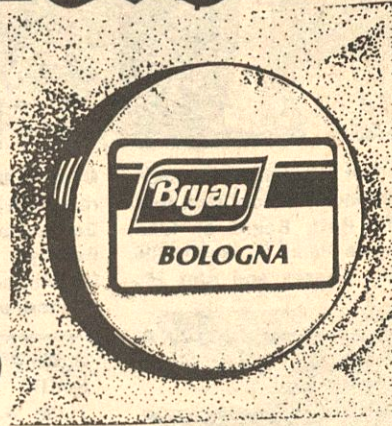
BRYAN REG., BEEF OR THICK SLICES

Bologna 12 OZ. **\$1.19**

TENN. PRIDE ITALIAN

Sausage

Links 1 LB. PACK **\$2.49**



HILLSHIRE BEEF
 OR REGULAR

**Smoked
 Sausage**

\$1.99
 LB.



MRS. WEAVERS

**Pimento
 Spread**

13 OZ. **\$1.59**



BRYAN SMOKED

Pork Loins

7-8 LB. AVG.
 LB. **\$1.88**



BRYAN SMOKED

Pork Chops

7-8 LB. AVG.
 LB. **\$2.19**



DELI STYLE MOZARELLA

Cheese

LB. **\$2.99**



Chub

1 LB. STICK **\$1.59**



BRYAN LO - SALT

Bacon

12 OZ. **\$1.69**

HORMEL

Pepperoni

3 1/2 OZ. **\$1.09**

FRESH FRYER W/BACK PORTION

Thighs

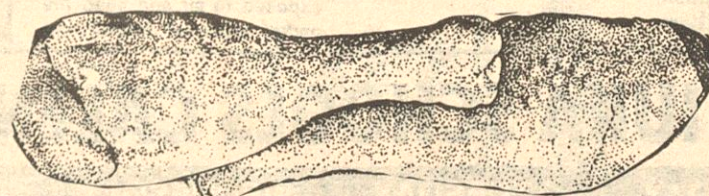
FAMILY PACK LB. **49¢**



FRESH FRYER

Drumsticks

FAMILY PACK LB. **59¢**



**PRODUCE
 SPECIALS**

WASHINGTON STATE D'ANJOU

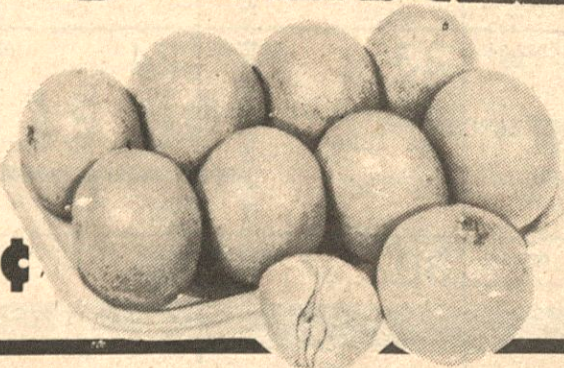
Pears

LB. **69¢**

CALIFORNIA 88 SIZE NAVEL

Oranges

4/99¢



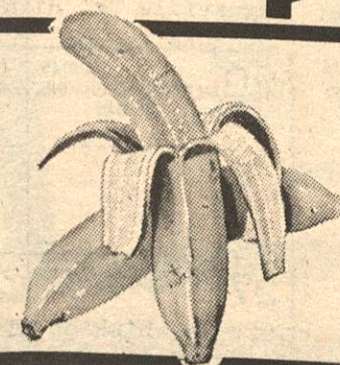
JUICY - SWEET
Nectarines

LB. **99¢**

DELMONTE GOLDEN RIPE

BANANAS

LB. **29¢**



RUSSET ALL PURPOSE

POTATOES

\$1.59
 20 LB. BAG

HYDE PARK DRY
BLACKEYE PEAS
 1 LB. BAGS **3/88¢**

HYDE PARK FRESH
BLACKEYE PEAS
 15 OZ. CANS **4/\$1.00**

OVALTINE SUGAR FREE HOT
Cocoa Mix
 10.4 OZ. BOXES **\$1.39**

LIPTON ONION TWIN PACK
Soup Mix
79¢



KELLOGGS
Corn Flakes
 18 OZ. BOX **\$1.19**

JOAN OF ARC
Blackeye Peas
 15 1/2 OZ. CANS **4/\$1.00**

MARTHA WHITE SELF — RISE
CORN MEAL
 5 LB. **88¢**



MAXWELL HOUSE MASTER BLEND
COFFEE
 13 OZ. BAGS **\$1.99**

KRAFT NACHO CHEESE REG. OR JALAPENO
Cheese Sauce
 9 OZ. **\$1.29**

2 LITER DISPOSABLE
Coca Cola & RELATED PRODUCTS **99¢**



SOLO
Party Cups
 2 LITER DISPOSABLE **79¢**

PEPSI
Pepsi Cola
 LARGE 16 OZ. 20 CT. PKG. **79¢**

MT. DEW OR DIET PEPSI
99¢

HYDE PARK ASSORTED
TOWELS
 JUMBO ROLLS **2/89¢**



HYDE PARK BUTTERMILK
BISCUITS
 5 CT. **10/99¢**

BANQUET
Gourmet Dinners
 10 OZ. **\$1.19**

BUSH CROWDER
Peas
 15 OZ. CANS **3/89¢**

KELLY'S CORN
Beef Hash
 15 OZ. CANS **88¢**

RECIPE TREATS
Dog Treats
 6 OZ. **3/\$1.00**

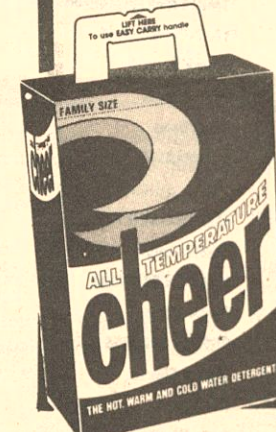
FLEISHMANS LIGHT
Margarine
 8 OZ. STICKS **2/89¢**

BRYAN WITH SLICED PORK OR BEEF
Gravy
\$1.19

LEA AND PERRINS
Worcestershire Sauce
 5 OZ. **79¢**

Happy New Year

LAUNDRY DETERGENT



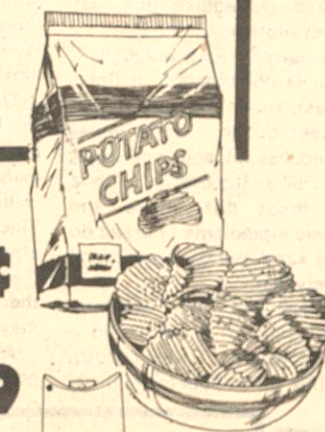
\$4.58

GLADE
Aerosols
 7 OZ. CANS **88¢**

WELCH SQUEEZE STRAWBERRY
Preserves
 22 OZ. **\$1.59**

Brite FOR NO WAX FLOORS
 32 OZ. **\$2.29**

FIDDLE FADDLE PEANUT
Popcorn Snack
 7 OZ. BOX **69¢**



BRYAN HOT DOG
Chili
 10 OZ. CANS **2/88¢**

DIAL GOLD BATH SIZE
Soap
 4 BAR PKG. **\$1.69**

HYDE PARK FRENCH ONION OR
Jalapeno Dip 8 OZ. **2/89¢**

GENERIC 2 LITER DISPOSABLE
Drinks **68¢**

CAMPBELLS CHUNKY BEEF, CHICKEN NOODLE, OR SIRLOIN
Burger Soup LARGE 19 OZ. CANS **\$1.09**

HYDE PARK
Potato Chips
 8 OZ. **79¢**

HYDE PARK CORN CHIPS, NACHO CHIPS OR
Cheese Puffs
 8 OZ. **59¢**

KELLY'S
Pork Brains
 5 OZ. CANS **2/89¢**

TRAILBLAZER OR CHUNKS
DOG RATION
 20 LB. BAG **\$2.78**



TOTINA FROZEN
PIZZAS
98¢

ROTEL TOMATOES AND GREEN
Chilies
 10 OZ. CANS **2/\$1.00**

HYDE PARK ENGLISH
Muffins
 5 CT. **59¢**

HYDE PARK COMPLETE
Pancake Mix
 2 LB. BOX **88¢**



HEINZ
Ketchup
 32 OZ. BOTTLE **\$1.18**

CARNATION HOT
Cocoa Mix
 12 CT. BOX **\$1.19**

ORTEGA
Taco Dinner
 16 OZ. **\$1.69**

GENERIC
VEGETABLE OIL
 48 OZ. BOTTLE **\$1.49**



KLEENEX
FACIAL TISSUE
 LARGE 250 CT. BOX **88¢**

Obituaries

Mrs. Ethel Thorne

Mrs. Ethel Thorne, 95, of Iuka died Wednesday, December 11, 1985, at Tishomingo County Hospital. Services were Friday, December 13, in New Bethel Cemetery. Morrisons Funeral Home of Tuscumbia, Alabama was in charge of the arrangements. Bro. Joe Stone officiated.

Survivors include: three sons, Sidney Thorne Cleveland, Ohio, Lester Thorne and Layton Thorne both of Tuscumbia; two daughters, Leona Curtin and Doris Jackson both of Iuka; fifteen grandchildren, thirty-three great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Carson Goodwin

Mr. Carson Goodwin, 74, died Sunday, December 22, 1985, at his residence. He was a employee of the Belmont School system, a member of Belmont First Baptist Church and a member of the Belmont Masonic Lodge.

Services were Monday, December 23, at Belmont First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jack Marron officiating. Burial was in Ridge Cemetery. Deaton Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his wife, Mabel Goodwin of Belmont; two daughters, Mrs. Willis Cain of Memphis, Tenn., and Sara Palmer of Okolona; one stepson, Joe Keeton of Meridian; one brother, Arlis Goodwin of Golden; four grandchildren.

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN RE:

ESTATE OF BART SMITH

NO. 9980

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration with the Will Annexed having been granted on the 18 day of December, 1985 by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of Bart Smith, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of the said Court for probate and registration, according to law, within ninety (90) days from the date of first publication or they will be forever barred.

This the 16th day of December, 1985.

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\$ & Sense

By: Ann O. Rushing, Extension Marketing Specialist Freshly-baked bread is a real bonus for fall meals. Whether you bake your own from scratch, choose a mix or buy the special deli bread will likely be determined by your time and expertise in baking bread.

Should your choice be home baked, some knowledge of basic ingredients will help.

Breads differ greatly in taste, size, shape, texture and appearance. The quantity and variety of ingredients, the kneading, handling and molding of the dough and the manner in which bread is baked distinguish one loaf from another.

Chewy, crusty bread is a simple combination of flour, yeast, water and salt. A rich sweet dough, on the other hand, has fat, eggs and sugar as well as the basics. In spite of these differences, the basic ingredients in bread do the same things in each and every loaf.

Flour is the common denominator of all bread -- specifically wheat flour. White wheat flour is the finely

ground endosperm or inner part of the wheat kernel. Ninety-two percent of the flour milled is separated from the bran and germ. When it isn't, the result is whole wheat or graham flour.

Wheat is unique among grains and their flours because it contains the proteins, gliadin and glutenin. These two proteins combine in the presence of liquid and develop under manipulation or mixing to form gluten. Gluten is responsible for the elastic film which provides the cellular structure characteristic of all wheat four products. The addition of wheat flour to rye flours or corn meal provides gluten structure to capture the bubbles of leavening gas. These come from a chemical leavening agent or growing yeast, and in both cases are simply carbon dioxide -- the same gas that makes soda pop fizz and champagne bubble. Because the gluten catches the gas, the product has a lighter, more porous texture. The greater the percentage of wheat and gluten, the lighter the product.

Flour, whether it's white or whole wheat, reflects the character of the wheat from which it was milled -- hard, soft or a graduation in between. You can actually feel the difference.

Hard wheat flours, almost granular to the touch, are higher in protein and usually make better bread. Softer flour, velvety in texture, makes better cakes, pastries and biscuits. It has a lower protein content.

Cake flours are available. Bread flour is available in some of the larger supermarkets.

All-purpose flour was developed for home baking. In most cases it falls somewhere between hard wheat flour -- the kind used for bread-making commercially -- and soft or cake flour. If you are able to purchase a harder bread flour from a mill or baker, it will take longer and more vigorous kneading to develop the gluten.

Flour sold in supermarkets is enriched. This means that at no extra cost, you'll be assured a specified measure of the essential B-vitamins -- niacin, thiamin and riboflavin -- plus the minerals, iron and sometimes, calcium. These are vital to good health and nutrition.

The cellular structure of bread becomes light and porous by the internal pressure or expansion of three different gaseous agents -- air, steam and carbon dioxide.

The gluten cells developed in kneading entrap tiny pockets of air, moisture or carbon dioxide, causing the walls to stretch and expand. Since the volume of gas increases as temperatures rise, the heat of baking causes further expansion. The volume may actually double.

Air and moisture are incorporated into a batter

physically, by mixing the ingredients, adding beaten egg or milk, creaming sugar with fat or simply beating the butter.

The heat of baking converts part of the liquid into steam. The steam captured within the cells causes them to expand, increasing the loaf volume.

Suggestions Offered For Party Hosts

Hosting parties can be fun, but, if alcoholic beverages are served, the risks of tragedies resulting from guests' drunk driving can be high, according to the Division of Highway Safety, Governor's Office of Federal-State Programs.

"Don't make drinking the main focus of your party," advised Roy Thigpen, governor's representative for highway safety and director of Federal-State Programs' Department of Criminal Justice Planning. "Plan stimulating activities to avoid letting individuals cluster into groups of heavy or light drinkers."

Thigpen also suggested that hosts provide nutritious and appealing food when alcohol is served to slow the effects of alcohol, and, he said, "don't push drinks. Respect a person's decision

not to drink, and provide equally attractive and accessible non-alcoholic drinks when alcohol is served."

He also advised hosts to carefully measure all drinks to enable drinkers to know exactly how much they are drinking.

"Avoid carbonated mixers in favor of drinks such as fruit juices," Thigpen said. "Carbonation speeds alcohol absorption."

He also advised hosts not to serve dinner drinks. "Serve coffee, tea or other non-alcoholic beverages instead," Thigpen said. "Cut off drinks at least one hour before the party ends."

"When entertaining, assume responsibility for your guests," he said. "If someone drinks too much, provide transportation home or overnight accommodations. Friends don't let alcohol-impaired friends drive. "Don't forget that, when alcohol is served, your obligations as a host go far beyond seeing that your guests have a good time," Thigpen said. "Take these obligations seriously, and don't let your party lead to tragedy."



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1985 Christmas Fair, sponsored by the Extension Homemakers Council. Nellie R. Horton, Extension Home Economist, states that the

annual event was a tremendous success. Club members, shown above, (seated, left to right): Mrs. Ruth Ramsey, Mrs. Sally Monks, Mrs.

Nell Landrum. Standing, left to right: Mrs. Patsy Cutshall, Mrs. Sherry Johnson, Mrs. Ellen Williams, Mrs. Lillie Johnson, Mrs. Ann Johnson and son.



Dennis Extension
Homemakers Club

Members of the Dennis Extension Homemakers Club enjoyed the day at J.P. Coleman State

Park as they displayed their handmade Christmas gifts and decorations at the annual Christmas Fair. The event, sponsored by the Extension

Homemakers Council, drew a large crowd for the exhibit and luncheon. Members of the Dennis Club shown above, left to right, include: Mrs. Ruby Sartain, Mrs.

Virginia Browning, Mrs. Dot Sartain, Mrs. Allie Montgomery, Mrs. Wynelle Young, Mrs. Mildred Culp, Mrs. Helen Harris, Mrs. Pat Stephens, Mrs. Vera Young and Mrs. Wynna Byram.

Christmas Gathering

The family of the late J.W. and Annie Mae Poole celebrated a Christmas dinner together on Sunday, December 15, 1985, at the Belmont Park Lodge.

Everyone enjoyed the food and just being together once again. Those attended were: Wallace and Guay Poole, Booneville; Ray, Gearldene, Mark, Gary, Nancy, Missy Poole all of Belmont; Jenell Taylor, Kathy and Kristy Rooser, Tishomingo; Helen, Wita, Brain, and Brandon Wanner, Tishomingo; Christine Browning, Dennis; Billy and Sharon Smith, Tishomingo; Charles and Sue Poole, Belmont; Jack and

Evelyn Poole, Belmont; Mike, Lisa and Dwayne Lovelace, Belmont; Ray and Ann Bear-den, Mark Lovelace, Byron Stewart, Rienzi; Kenneth, Floie Mae, Jennifer, Janie, Kenny and Amanda Poole, Belmont; Sue Burkhalter, Lisa and Terry Massey, Belmont; David, Kathy, Jeff, Scott Poole, Tishomingo; Martha King, Tishomingo; Bruce, Janet and Kimberly Crane, Belmont; Patricia and Kelly South, Tishomingo; Cletus and Rutha Holt, Mary Moore, Karen Moore, Tishomingo; Carolyn Barber and Cory, Nettleton; Shelia, Dianne Enlow, Belmont; J.J. and Eulene Poole, Tishomingo; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bonds, Kathrine (Bonds) and husband, Iuka; Jackie, Mable, Phillip, Deirda Poole, Belmont; Melissa

Adams and Danielle, Tishomingo; Carol, Felicia, Brandi Wanner, Dennis; Hal Holt, Tishomingo; Ralph Wanner, Belmont, and Mr. and Mrs. Louie Slayton, Belmont.

We hope to see everybody there again next year same time and place.

4-H News

By: Sue Dill,
4-H Program Assistant

Using Your Leisure Time Wisely

The hours and days we have to ourselves are more valuable than we realize. Like money, leisure time is earned. It should be spent wisely and invested over the long term in a rewarding life.

We refer to leisure as free time. In a sense, there is nothing free about it. It must be purchased with the basic currency of work or other required activities. Most of us trade hours of work for hours of rest and recreation.

4-H is designed to provide opportunities for youth to acquire knowledge, skills and abilities which will be useful to them throughout life. This overall goal is described as

personal development of life skills development.

The 4-H leisure education program in Tishomingo County aids in the development of these life skills. Through leisure experiences members are able to enhance the quality of their lives.

We earn time like money and we spend it like money—wisely, foolishly or otherwise.

Recreation is something else again. The term is derived from an old French word meaning the restoration

Merry Christmas To Everyone!

Mrs. Laura Hampton is on her way to all Nursing Homes in Tishomingo and Alcorn Counties, visiting the people who cannot help themselves. She lets people know she

cares and loves all people. She has been doing something for nursing homes since 1975. She visits Pickwick Manor in Iuka, Whitfield Nursing Home in Corinth, Care-Inn in Corinth and Alcorn Care-Inn in Corinth. I CARE!!!

and refreshment of the strength and spirit. While rest is passive, recreation is active. You must do things to recreate yourself.

We should not use all our spare time but should invest some of it for later use. This may mean spending a portion of your leisure time in developing new hobbies and interests which will hold your attention for many years to come.

There are thousands of ideas that would be both fun and educational in a 4-H leisure education project.

Cultural heritage - Visit a museum and learn how the exhibits are prepared. Trace your genealogy and include pictures.

Hobbies - Develop a collecting hobby such as nature exhibits, coins, postmarks or study the stars.

Outdoor challenge activities - Plan a trip into the wilderness, hiking or backpacking. Learn how to water ski or sail a boat.

Performing arts - Learn how to play a musical in-

strument. Organize and participate in a choral group. Help prepare and participate in a radio or T.V. program.

Sports and physical fitness - Learn a new sport and participate regularly enough to develop a degree of skill. Adapt a planned physical fitness routine for your needs. Set definite goals and complete them.

Social recreation - Learn about new games and plan and carry out a new games festival. Make a collection of pre-party games, active games and small group games.

Service in leisure - Adopt a handicapped child and

develop programs to help him/her enjoy leisure time. Study the parks in your community and decide on needs and ways to fulfill them.

For more information about how to become involved in the 4-H Leisure Education Project, contact your county 4-H youth agent.

Midway RCDC

The Midway RCDC met at the Spring Hill Church Educational Building, December 17th at 6 p.m. The program was a Christmas Carol Sing, lead by Mr. Tommy Purvis, Tishomingo County Agent, with Mrs. Barbara Pardue at the Piano. Rev. Shelby Mainers, pastor of Spring Hill Methodist Church was in charge of the devotion. Rev. Mainers gave a very inspiring devotion taken from the second chapter of Matthew. The main topic was based on the beautiful Christmas Story, the birth of Christ and the meaning of Christmas. He said the wise men of old saw His star in the East, and searched until they found him in a manger. We, the people of today are still searching for Christ Our Lord, and He may be found when we are ready to accept Him.

There were several welcomed visitors.

Refreshments were served prior to the program. The next meeting will be held on the 4th Monday in January, 1986.

Every home health patient remains under his doctor's orders. And every patient has access as needed to the entire public health team: nurse, aide, nutritionist, or physical therapist. For some patients, medical supplies and durable medical equipment may also be provided. Those who need more information or wish to refer a patient may call the county health department.

Every home health services employee must have education and experience. The Mississippi State Department of Health employs registered nurses only, then requires them to take a minimum number of continuing education hours plus in-service training courses.

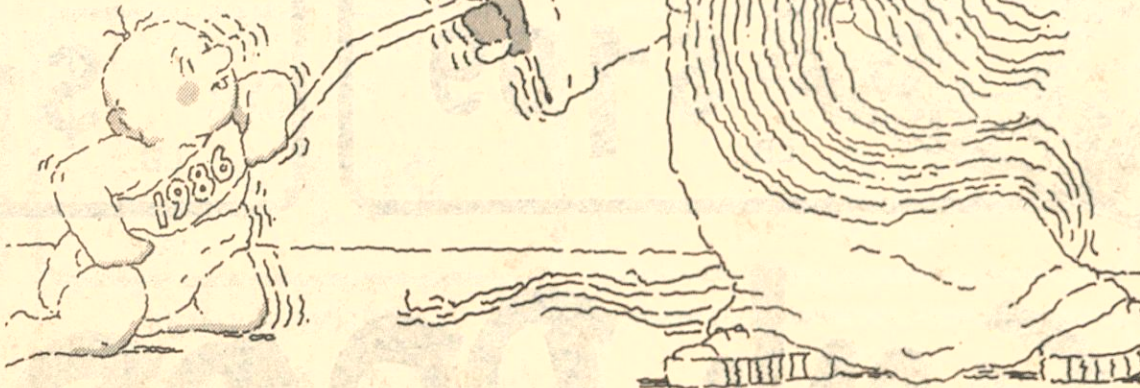
Throughout the course of care for each home health patient, the nurse consults with the physician in person, on the telephone, and through written reports. Home health nurses from the county health department are available seven days a week. Through the State Department of Health's statewide network of health care professionals, every patient has immediate and adequate access to care.



GREETINGS of the season to our many good friends! We hope your Christmas is bright with love and joy.

Margaret & J. B. (Toebuck) King

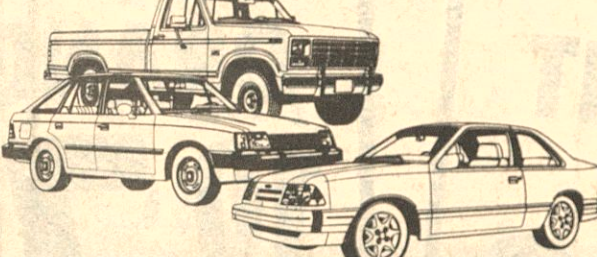
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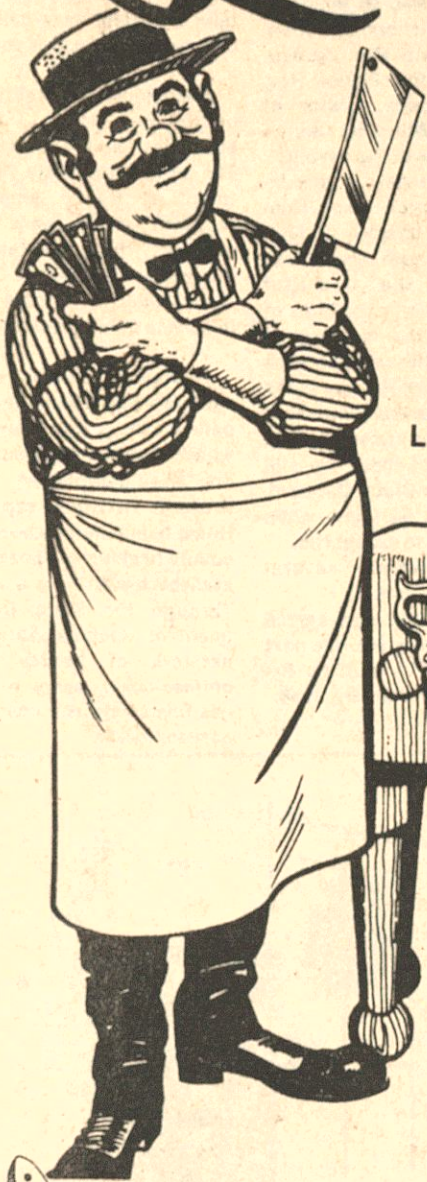
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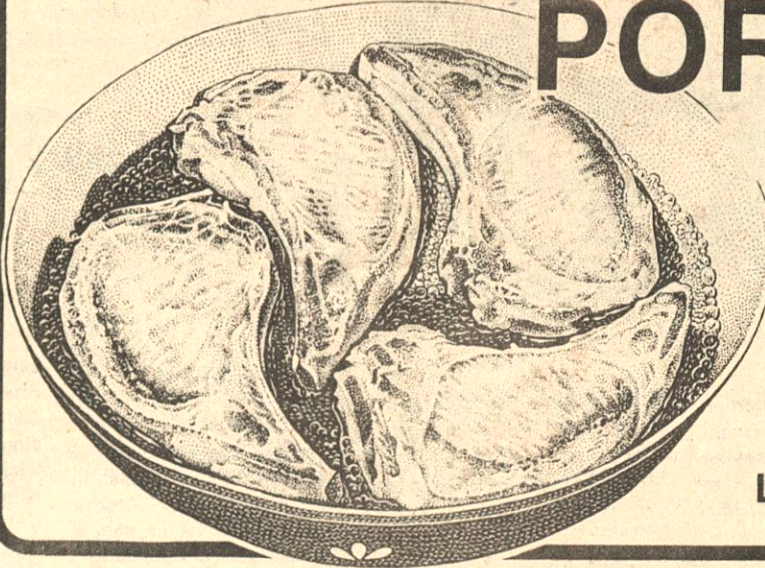
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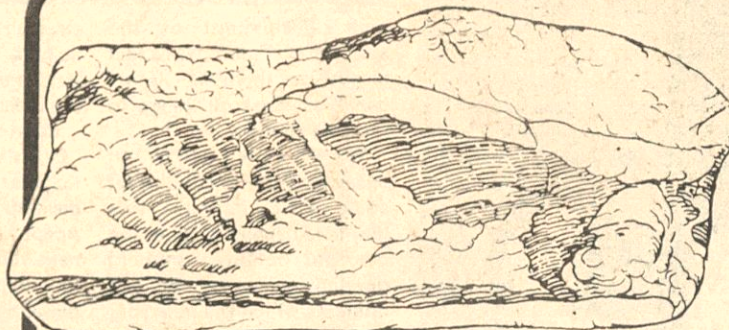
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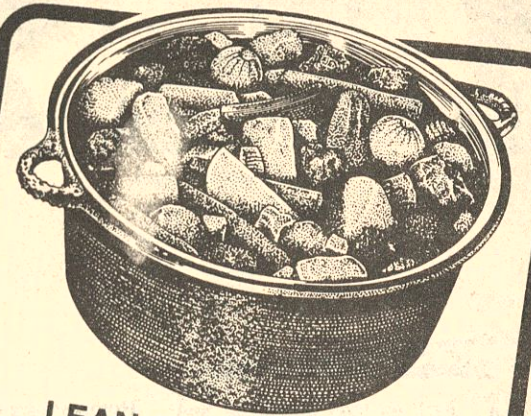
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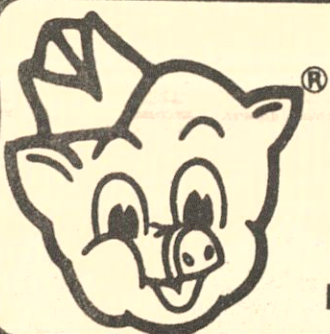


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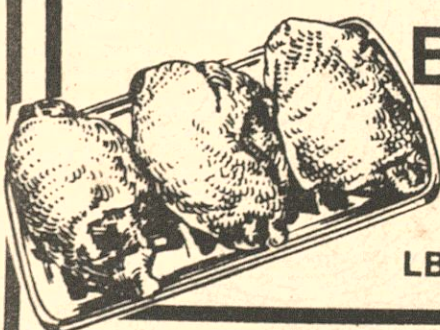
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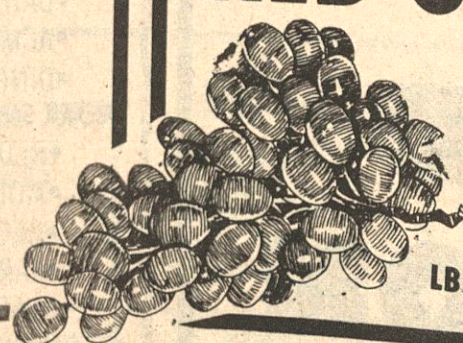


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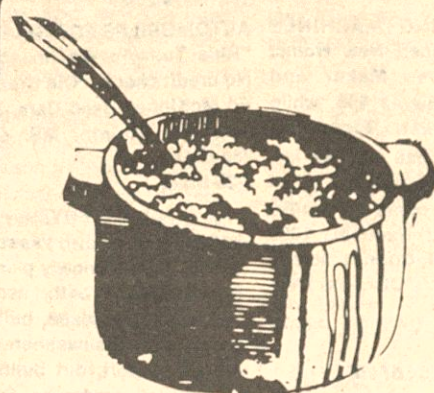
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Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

RE: LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF LU VERA BLISSIT, DECEASED

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Lu Vera Blissit, deceased, having been granted on the 6th day of December, 1985, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to the undersigned, J.M. Blissit, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the said Estate to present the same to the Clerk of the Court for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred. WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, on this the 6th day of December, 1985.

J.M. BLISSIT, ADMINISTRATOR CUM TESTAMENTO ANEXO OF LU VERA BLISSIT D-12-19-26-chg.

Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

RE: LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THELMA OAKS, DECEASED

NO. 9960
NOTICE TO CREDITORS Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Thelma Oaks, deceased, having been granted on the 5th day of December, 1985, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to the undersigned, Thomas R. Oaks, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the said Estate to present the same to the Clerk of the Court for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred. WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, on this the 5th day of December, 1985.

THOMAS R. OAKS, ADMINISTRATOR CUM TESTAMENTO ANEXO OF THELMA OAKS Michael D. Cooke Attorney At Law P.O. Box 625 Iuka, MS 38852 423-2000

D-12-19-26-chg.

Legal Notice

NOTICE TO DEALERS

IN RE: PURCHASE OF PICKUP FOR COUNTY OF TISHOMINGO, MISSISSIPPI

Came in the matter of the purchase of one pickup for the County of Tishomingo, Mississippi as described below.

WHEREAS, under the law it is necessary for the intention of the Board of Supervisors to advertise substantially in the following form, to-wit:

NOTICE TO AUTO DEALERS The Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, Mississippi will on Monday, January 6, 1986 at 10:00 A.M. at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in

the town of Iuka, Mississippi receive bids for the purchase of:

One used pickup, 1/2 ton, or 8 cylinder, long or short wheel base, automatic transmission. For the use and benefit of the Tishomingo County District Road. The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids. This the 17th day of December, 1985. D-19-26-J-2-chg.

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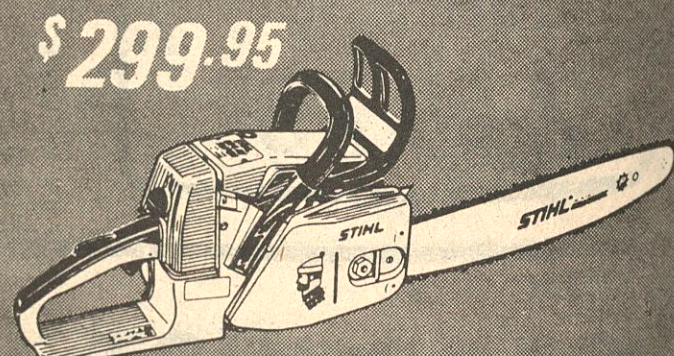


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NEW LISTING-Just remodeled two bedroom home in the country on 4 1/2 acres. \$21,000.00.

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Bring your family! Great starter home with 3 bedrooms, large den with flue, quiet subdivision. Owner needs offer! \$35,000.00.

North Crossroads - Like new 3 bedroom brick with flue. Fenced yard. \$30,000.00

Resort home with vaulted ceiling in greatroom, 2 bedrooms, skylight, screened porch, garage. \$40,000.00.

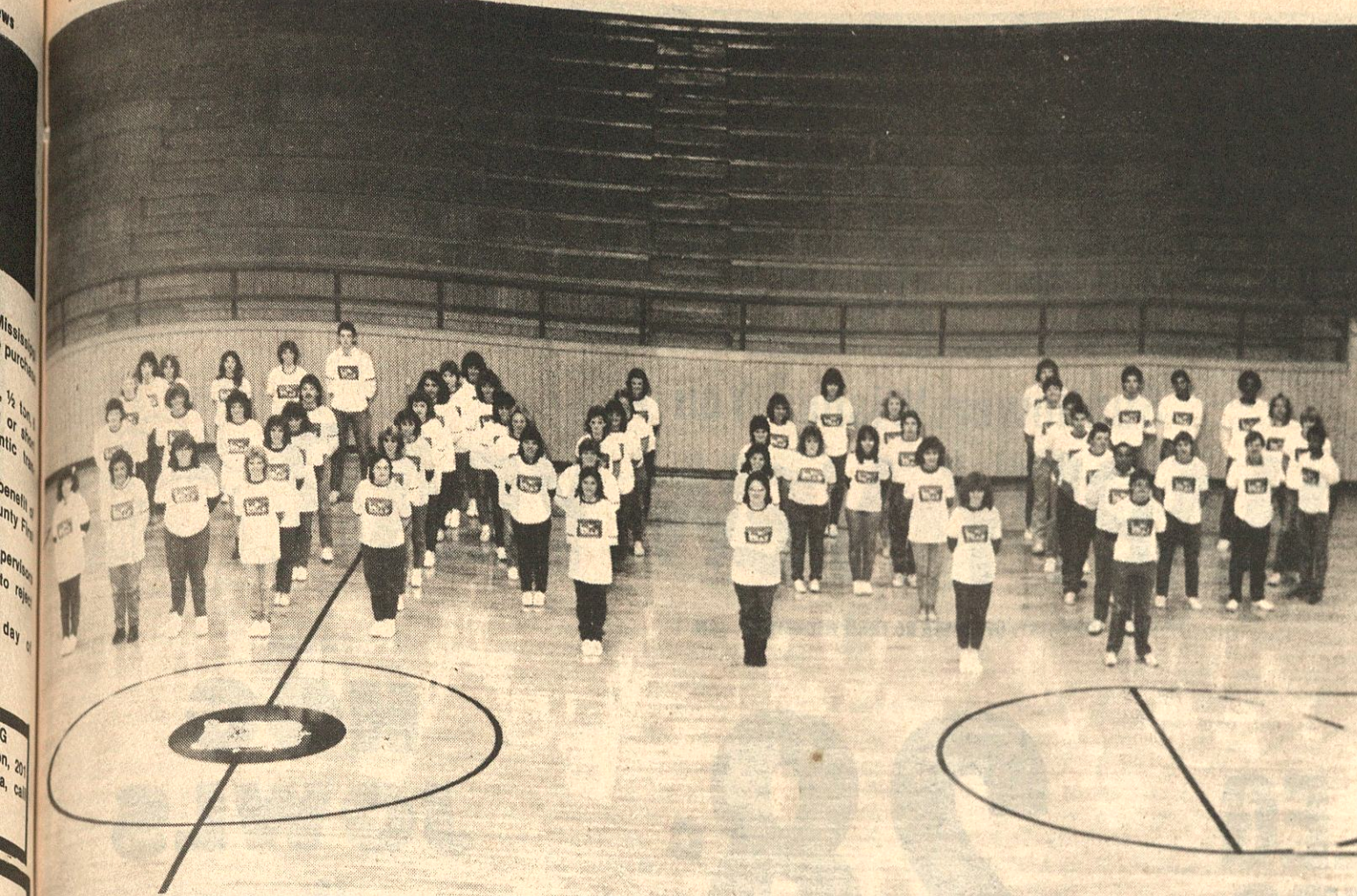
Think spring! Furnished country home with 2 bedrooms, porch, orchard, on 3 acres. \$35,000.00.

Brick home in mint condition-Kitchen/den with F.P., formal living and dining, landscaped corner lot in town. \$35,000.00.

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Legal Notice

NOTICE TO DEALERS TO FURNISH TISHOMINGO COUNTY AND THE ROAD DISTRICTS THEREOF THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES, AND TO BANKS FOR THE KEEPING OF COUNTY FUNDS AS A COUNTY DEPOSITORY, FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING JANUARY 6, 1986 AND ENDING JANUARY 5, 1987.

Notice is hereby given by the Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, that it will, until 10:00 A.M. on Monday, January 6, 1986 receive bids from dealers for general office supplies, janitorial supplies, road and bridge maintenance materials and supplies, and for machinery upkeep, and will also receive bids from banks for the keeping of county funds as a County Depository, under Sec. 27-105-305, Mississippi Code, 1972, as may be amended, for the 12 months period beginning January 6, 1986 and ending January 7, 1987. Said bids to be filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said State and County at the Chancery Clerk's office, Tishomingo County Courthouse, Iuka, Mississippi, until the aforesaid time and date, and under the statute, all bids shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This the 16th day of December, 1985.

Hayden Ables
Clerk Of
Board Of Supervisors
Tishomingo County
D-19-26-J-2-c.

Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

RE: LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF GERTRUDE BLISSIT, DECEASED

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Gertrude Blissit, deceased, having been granted on the 6th day of December, 1985, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to the undersigned, J.M. Blissit, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the said Estate to present the same to the Clerk of the Court for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, on this the 6th day of December, 1985.

J.M. BLISSIT,
ADMINISTRATOR
CUM TESTAMENTO ANEXO OF THE ESTATE OF GERTRUDE BLISSIT
D-12-19-26-chg.

Legal Notice

TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE
WHEREAS, on the 17th day of July, 1979, there was executed by JAMES DAVID LATCH et ux, PHYLLIS A. LATCH, to the undersigned

Trustee for the benefit of Depositors Savings Association, a certain deed of trust which is recorded in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in Book 91 at Page 573 thereof, which deed of trust secures the payment of an indebtedness therein described; and,

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of August, 1979, JAMES DAVID LATCH and wife, PHYLLIS A. LATCH, conveyed the property described in the deed of trust to DANIEL R. BLACKWELL and wife, BERTHA J. BLACKWELL, by Warranty Deed, said deed being on file and of record in Book B-98 at Page 35 in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk; and

WHEREAS, on the 30th day of March, 1981, DANIEL R. BLACKWELL and wife, BERTHA J. BLACKWELL, conveyed the property described in the deed of trust to EDDIE J. BLAKNEY and wife, RUBY A. BLAKNEY, by Warranty Deed, said deed being on file and of record in Book B-103 at Page 34 in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk; and

WHEREAS, on the 15th day of December, 1982, EDDIE J. BLAKNEY and wife, RUBY A. BLAKNEY, conveyed the property described in the deed of trust to KENNETH R. STEWART and wife, CECILIA A. STEWART, by Warranty Deed, said deed being on file and of record in Book B-107 at Page 875 in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk; and

WHEREAS, Depositors Savings Association ultimately became named DEPOSITORS SAVINGS BANK; and,

WHEREAS, default has been made and still continues in the payment of said indebtedness as and when due and the undersigned Trustee has been called upon by Depositors Savings Bank, the owner and holder of the indebtedness, to foreclose and sell the property covered by said deed of trust in accordance with the provisions of the deed of trust for the purpose of raising the sum so secured and unpaid together with the expense of selling the same, including Trustee's and Attorney's fees.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, the undersigned Trustee, do hereby give notice that on the 3rd day of January, 1986, between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., I will proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash at the East Front Door of the Courthouse of Tishomingo County at Iuka, Mississippi, the following described land and property which is situated in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commence at the Northwest corner of the Northeast Quarter of Section 4, Township 3 South, Range 9 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi; thence run South 0 degrees 07 minutes East with the West boundary of said quarter section 948.1 feet; thence run East 200 feet to the center of a roadway; thence run South 214.4 feet to the center of a roadway; thence run West with said centerline 200 feet; thence run North 200 feet; thence run North 200 feet to the point of beginning, containing 1.0 acre, more or less.

TOGETHER WITH a non-exclusive right-of-way easement for ingress and

egress over the following described property: Commencing at the Northwest corner of the Northeast Quarter of Section 4, Township 3 South, Range 9 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi; thence run South 0 degrees 07 minutes East 948.1 feet; thence run East 200 feet to the center of a roadway; thence run South 214.4 feet; thence run East 141.46 feet to the point of beginning of the easement to be described: A 30-foot easement 15 feet on each side of a line described as East 525.4 feet; thence run South 88 degrees 19 minutes East 212.4 feet; thence run South 1 degree 30 minutes West 524.6 feet, more or less, to the North right-of-way line of U.S. Highway 72.

The undersigned Trustee believes that his title as Trustee is good but he will convey only such title as is vested in him by the deed of trust aforesaid.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this the 5th day of December, 1985.

E. Frank Goodman, Trustee
D-12-19-26-J-2-chg.

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TAKE CARE OF YOUR LUNGS.



Legal Notice

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on April 25, 1984, Eugene Magee executed a Deed of Trust to Billy Jordan, Trustee for the use and benefit of The Bank of North Mississippi, which said Deed of Trust is now of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, at Iuka, Mississippi, in Trust Deed Book 113, pages 426-429; and

WHEREAS, The Bank of North Mississippi, as owner and holder of said Deed of Trust and of the indebtedness secured thereby has exercised its power and option provided in said Deed of Trust to appoint a Substitute Trustee, said The Bank of North Mississippi has appointed Hal H. McClanahan, III, as Substitute Trustee, in the place and stead of Billy Jordan, by instrument dated September 16, 1985, and recorded in Book GS 1, at page 78 in the office of said Chancery Clerk; and

WHEREAS, default was made and now exists in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust; and

WHEREAS, The Bank of North Mississippi as owner and holder of said Deed of Trust and the indebtedness secured thereby has exercised the option contained in said Deed of Trust and declared the indebtedness secured thereby due and payable and has called upon the undersigned to sell said property under the provisions of said Deed of Trust for the purpose of satisfying the

debt thereby secured and unpaid, together with attorney's fees and the expenses of the execution of this trust and the selling of said property.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, the undersigned Hal H. McClanahan, III Substitute Trustee, do hereby give notice that on January 3, 1986, during legal hours, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at public outcry, to the highest and best bidder for cash at the East front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse in Iuka, Mississippi, the following described lands with all improvements thereon situated in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, and described as follows, to-wit:

The S½ of the NE¼ of Section 9, Township 5, Range 10 East, containing eighty (80) acres.

ALSO: Five (5) acres, more or less, in said quarter section, same Township and Range, and lying South of the old road and West of the big ditch; said five (5) acres being bounded on the North by said old road and on the West by said quarter section line and on the East by said big ditch, said five (5) acres is further described as follows: Begin a triangular tract in the Southwest corner of the N½ of the NE¼ of Section 9, Township 5, Range 10 East, all of above named land contains 85

acres, more or less, and lying and being in Tishomingo County, State of Mississippi.

LESS AND EXCEPT: Part of the NE¼ of Section 9, Township 5 South, Range 10 East, described as beginning at the northwest corner of said quarter section and run thence south on the west boundary line 1353.0 feet to the point of beginning hereof; thence run S. 1 degree 43' W. on the West boundary line of said quarter section 1287.58 feet to the south boundary line of said quarter section; thence run east on the south boundary line 154.41 feet to the center of a public gravel road; thence run along the center of said public gravel road as follows: N. 41 degrees 48' E. 74.53 feet; thence N. 23 degrees 48' E. 167.15 feet; thence N. 16 degrees 48' E. 147.72 feet; thence N. 26 degrees 48' E. 242.42 feet; thence N. 20 degrees 48' E. 237.02 feet; thence N. 39 degrees 18' E. 534.88 feet; thence N. 22 degrees 42' W. 108.45 feet; thence N. 56 degrees 42' W. 185.37 feet; thence run S. 78 degrees 03' W. 614.12 feet to the point of beginning, containing 14.54 acres, more or less.

ALSO LESS AND EXCEPT: Part of the SE¼ of Section 9, Township 5 South, Range 10 East, described as beginning at the northwest corner of said quarter section and the point of beginning hereof; thence run east on the north boundary line of said quarter section 154.41 feet to the center of a public gravel road; thence run S. 41 degrees 48' W. along the center of said road 90.34 feet; thence run S. 75 degrees 48' W. 100.0 feet to the west boundary line of said quarter section; thence run N. 1 degree 43' E. on the West boundary line 91.92 feet to the point of beginning, containing 0.25 acres, more or less.

SUBJECT TO: Lease from Eugene Magee to Hawkeye Oil and Gas, Inc., dated March 8, 1983, in Lease Book 8, at pages 223-224, land records of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; this is a lease on oil and gas on the above described real property.

SUBJECT TO: Trust deed from Eugene Magee to First Citizens National Bank, dated December 8, 1981, and recorded December 14, 1981, in Trust Deed Book 103 at pages 698-699 in the land records of Tishomingo County,

Mississippi.

SUBJECT TO: Trust Deed from Eugene Magee to First Citizens National Bank, dated June 28, 1982, and recorded June 28, 1982, in Trust Deed Book 105, pages 524-525, land records of Tishomingo County, Mississippi.

The undersigned Substitute Trustee will convey only such title as is invested in him as Substitute Trustee.

Witness my signature on this the 10th day of December, 1985.

HAL H.H. McCLANAHAN, III
Substitute Trustee
D-12-19-26-J-2-chg.

Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

VACATION TERM, 1986
IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF LENORAH HOOD LUDLAM, DECEASED

NO. 9965

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned having been appointed the executor of the estate of Lenorah Hood Ludlam, deceased, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in Cause No. 9965 on the docket of said Court, on the 10 day of December, 1985, hereby gives notice to all persons having any claim against the said estate to have the same probated and registered by the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, within ninety (90) days, and failure to probate and register for this period will bar the said claim.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, on this the 10 day of December, 1985.

WILLIAM EDWARD LUDLAM
Harold S. Jackson
Attorney At Law
P.O. Box 414
Iuka, MS 38852
(601) 423-5227
D-19-26-J-2-chg.

Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN RE: PETITION TO ESTABLISH THE CRIPPLE DEER CREEK MASTER WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT
CAUSE NO. 9961

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

To all persons owning any interest in the following described lands, to-wit:

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Please take notice that a Petition has been filed in the

Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to establish a master water management district in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to be known as the "Cripple Deer Creek Master Water Management District". The above described property is included in said proposed district.

A hearing on said Petition has been set before the Honorable Fred P. Wright, Chancellor of said Court at 10:00 a.m. on the 17th day of January, 1986, at the Courthouse in Iuka, Tishomingo County, Mississippi at which time all persons owning any interest in lands included in the said proposed master water management district may show cause against the establishment of said district and all objections to the establishment of said district shall be heard. All persons objecting to the establishment of said district are hereby commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, at the above referenced time to voice their objections thereto.

Witness My Signature, this the 10 day of December, 1985.

R. HAYDEN ABLES
Tishomingo County
Chancery Clerk

Michael D. Cooke
Attorney At Law
P.O. Box 625
Iuka, MS 38852
(601) 423-2000
D-19-26-J-2-chg.

Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF HIRAM A. JONES, DECEASED

NO. 9976

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned having been appointed the executrix of the estate of Hiram A. Jones, deceased, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi in Cause No. 9976 on the docket of said Court, on the 16th day of December, 1985, hereby gives notice to all persons having any claim against the said estate to have the same probated and registered by the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi within ninety (90) days, and failure to probate and register for this period will bar the said claim.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SIGNATURE, on this the 16th day of December, 1985.

DOROTHY SMITH JONES
Richard O. Clark
Attorney At Law
P.O. Box 319
Iuka, MS 38852
(601) 423-5227
D-19-26-J-2-chg.

Legal Notice

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Yellow Creek State Inland Port Authority solicits sealed bids at 6:00 o'clock p.m. on the 16th day of January, 1986, at the offices of the Authority in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, Route 4, Box 509, Iuka, Mississippi, for the removal of a barn from the property generally described as the "Bullard barn" located on the land formerly owned by H.P. Price, and which land is more particularly described as follows:

A portion of a tract of land lying in Tishomingo County, State of Mississippi, in the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 28 and the North Half of Section 29, Township 1 South, Range 10 East.

This bid is solicited for the cost to the Authority, or the payment to the Authority, for the removal by the bidder of the barn located on the above-described property. The bidder shall furnish all labor and materials, tools and equipment and services in order to remove the barn and all concrete footings, walls, rubbish and other mundane objects located on said tract.

The bidder will be expected to enter into a former written agreement for the removal, a copy of which proposed form may be secured from the Yellow Creek State Inland Port Authority at Route 2, Iuka, Mississippi 38852, or by writing to the Authority at Route 4, Post Office Box 509, Iuka, Mississippi 38852.

The Authority reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This notice is given pursuant to the order of the Yellow Creek State Inland Port Authority on December 11, 1985.

Cliff Mitcheener
Executive Director
D-26-J-2-9-chg.

Matters Of Health

As the holiday season approaches, I often feel sad and depressed. I've heard of holiday stress before, but what can I do about it?

If you suffer from holiday stress, you're not alone. Holidays are happy times for most people, but for some, they can stimulate mentally or physically stressful emotions.

During the Christmas season many people experience a heightened awareness of their emotions. Many have great expectations for the upcoming holiday, especially in feelings of closeness to family and friends. Many are disappointed because family members, friends or even themselves have not lived up to their expectations. Because the holidays are part and parcel of the year's end, people take stock of themselves and their lives, sometimes with a sense of regret, failure or rejection. People who have lost family or friends tend to feel the loss more deeply during a holiday season, even if the loss occurred long ago. People away from home may feel extremely lonely and sad.

These stressful emotions may be temporary or may linger on and develop into depression. They may cause certain medical conditions such as headaches, heart and gastrointestinal disorders and other stress-related problems.

To make matters worse, people are more inclined to over eat and to drink too much alcohol at this time of year. These changes, along with other interruptions of normal routines during the holidays, including exercise, time to relax, taking prescribed medications and other regularly scheduled activities, also can lead to worsening medical conditions. A combination of all of these factors during the holidays can be especially devastating to the elderly, who actually may become ill during this time as a result of the stress.

Being forewarned about holiday stress is perhaps the best way to avoid it. Doctors suggest that people try to manage their time in a reasonable manner, keep up with important daily rituals and schedules, and indulge in

holiday pleasures only with moderation.

Talking with friends or relatives, attending religious services may help, but if not, people who know they have a tendency toward stressful feelings during the holidays may wish to seek help from a psychiatrist, social worker, pastoral counselor or other mental health professional. A discussion of their anticipated stress or troubled emotions is often very beneficial.

This "Matter of Health" was prepared in cooperation with psychiatrists on staff at University Hospital, the teaching hospital for the University of Mississippi Medical Center-Mississippi's only health sciences campus. Readers may suggest future topics by writing to "Matters of Health," the University of Mississippi Medical Center, 2500 North State Street, Jackson, Mississippi 39216-4505.

TIME SAVING MUFFINS

Applesauce-Bran Muffins
Makes 1 dozen

2 1/4 cups all-purpose flour
1 cup Nabisco
100% Bran
1/4 cup firmly-packed light brown sugar
1 teaspoon salt
1 package Fleischmann's RapidRise™ Yeast
1/2 cup applesauce
1/4 cup milk
1/4 cup water
3 tablespoons Blue Bonnet Margarine
1 egg, at room temperature

Set aside 1 cup flour. In

large bowl, mix remaining flour, bran, brown sugar, salt and RapidRise™ Yeast. In saucepan, over low heat, heat applesauce, milk, water and margarine until hot to touch (125° to 130°F); stir into dry mixture. Mix in egg and only enough reserved flour to make stiff batter.

Spoon into 12 greased

2 1/2-inch muffin pan cups; cover. Place large shallow pan on counter; half-fill with boiling water. Place muffin pan on rack over water; let dough rise 20 minutes.

Bake at 375°F. for 20 minutes or until done. Remove from pan; cool slightly on wire rack. Serve warm or cold.

FIBER UP YOUR HOLIDAY WITH A JAZZY BEAN DIP



Looking for a quick way to impress your holiday guests? Bring out a bowl of Cheesy Bean Dip. Perfect for last minute entertaining, this high fiber dip takes only minutes to make with a can of Campbell's Pork & Beans. Serve with crackers, chips and fresh vegetables for a nutritious and delicious snack.

CHEESY BEAN DIP

1 can (16 ounces) Campbell's Pork & Beans in Tomato Sauce
3/4 cup shredded Monterey Jack cheese with jalapeno peppers
1/4 cup chopped green pepper
1/4 cup chopped red pepper
1 tablespoon finely chopped onion
Assorted crackers, chips or vegetables

1. In food processor bowl, puree beans until smooth.
2. In small bowl, stir together beans, cheese, peppers and onions. Refrigerate 2 hours to blend flavors. Serve with assorted crackers, chips or vegetables for dippers. Makes 2 cups.

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5 LB. BAG **89¢**

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42 OZ. GIANT SIZE BOX **\$1.29**

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20 LB. BAG **\$2.79**

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Merry Christmas

America's First Carol Written For Indians

As far as it is known, the very first Christmas carol composed in America was written for an Indian tribe by their missionary priest, the priest, Father Jean de Brebeuf, was born in France in 1593 and came to the New World in 1626 to spread the Gospel of Jesus.

Preaching Christianity to the Huron Indians, Father Brebeuf sought to convey the meaning of Christmas to his parishioners by composing a carol that the Indians could sing in their own language. The priest selected a popular 16th century folk song from France, "Une Jeune Pucele", for his tune and wrote new words for the Indian worshippers.

The French priest had been very impressed by the Hurons, and their comprehension of the Nativity. In his writings, he describes how the Hurons had built

a small chapel of cedar and fir branches to house the manger of the Christ Child, and how they prepared themselves to receive the Infant Jesus into their hearts on Christmas Day by performing some sort of penance. He wrote, "Even those who were at a distance of more than 2 days' journey met at a given place to sing hymns in honor of the newborn Child."

Father Brebeuf wrote the lyrics to his carol in 1641; on March 16, 1649, he was martyred by the Iroquois, along with other prisoners. But after the villages of the Hurons had been destroyed by the Iroquois, the surviving parishioners of Father Brebeuf resettled near Quebec, preserving the carol along with their tribal traditions. Later on, the Catholic Mohawks, who had settled south of Quebec, learned the hymn from the Hurons. The carol has since been translated into English, retaining a few of the original Indian words.



cards advertising his goods.

However Louis Prang, a lithographer living in Boston during the 1800's is known as the father of the American Christmas card. Charles Dickens is said to have sent Prang a Christmas card received from a friend. Prang printed the card for his family and friends and later began creating his own cards in 1874.

Greeting cards have changed greatly since that first card sent out by Henry Cole, and no doubt that good gentleman would be amazed at the diversity of designs sent through the mails at Christmastime.

amid tree was forgotten as the Paradise tree took on its glitter and

Today's typical Christmas tree, hung with many ornaments and twinkling lights, is a far cry from the simple, apple-strewn fir tree that was once associated with sin.

But, with the addition of candles, the Paradise tree became more symbolic of the light of Christ and so it is that the modern Christmas tree is a symbol of joy to Christians today.



Christmas Greetings:

From our friends in Norway it is, "Gledelig Jul!"

We would be welcomed to a French home with a "Joyeux Noel!" and while on a visit in Italy we would be greeted with a hearty "Buon Natale!"



Tree of Life Tradition

Today's Christmas tree, all decorated and ablaze with lights, actually had a deeply religious significance at one time.

In medieval Europe, it was the practice of the local churches to present mystery or miracle plays, usually based on Biblical stories and intended to edify the people of the time.

One of the most popular of such plays was the Paradise play, based upon the story of Adam and Eve as related in Genesis. In this play, a fir tree hung with apples was used to represent the Garden of Eden.

As the mystery plays fell into disfavor, people began to place Paradise trees in their homes on the feast day of Adam and Eve, December 24th. At first, only apples, cookies and treats were used to trim the tree, symbolizing the sweet fruit of redemption. In time, candles were borrowed from the pyramid tree that was popular during the early 17th century in Germany. The latter was actually a structure of graduated wooden shelves, adorned with candles and glittering ornaments.

Gradually, the pyr-

The Three Kings

Three Kings came riding from far away, Melchior and Gaspar and Baltasar; Three Wise Men out of the East were they, And they travelled by night and they slept by day, For their guide was a beautiful, wonderful star.

— Longfellow

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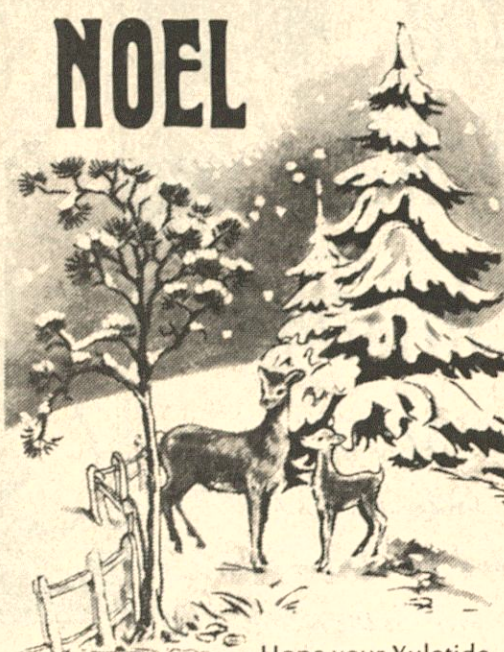
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Merry Christmas

From The

IUKA ANIMAL CLINIC

Victorians Sent First Holiday Greeting Cards

Sending and receiving greetings of the season is one of the most enjoyable of Christmas chores, and we can all thank Victorian England for this charming custom.

To be more specific, we can thank a Victorian gentleman who was too busy during the holiday season of 1843 to send his customary notes to friends, wishing them the best of the season. So it was that Henry Cole asked a friend to design a printed card that he could send to friends in place of the usual handwritten note.

The friend, artist John C. Horsley, illustrated a group of celebrants raising their glasses in a toast, flanked by illustrations of others feeding the poor and clothing the needy. The message read, "A merry Christmas and a happy new year to you."

It wasn't long before the printed greeting card appeared in America, designed by one R. J. Pease, a dry goods merchant from New York state, who sent out

PEACE



We wish to extend to you our best wishes for a healthy, happy Christmas Season and a Joyous New Year.

TISHOMINGO
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We wish you joy . . . in laughter and good cheer . . . joy in gifts and glad surprises . . . joy in friends and family . . . joy at Christmas, with all its deep meaning. May the true old-fashioned joys of the season come to you . . . and linger long.

Merry Christmas From

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Frank & Sharee

Merry Christmas

FROM

J. C. JOURDAN
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The First
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May the radiance of Christmas lead you to joy and peace everlasting. Gratefully, we extend our season's greetings.

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In the Spirit of Christmas

May the light of understanding and love that radiates over all the world shine upon you, and bring you peace.



When Emperor Leo III came to power, he brought with him a deep hatred of all images, especially icons, say the editors of the Encyclopedia Americana.

As an Iconoclast-hater of icons--Leo forbade the creation of religious figures and images, and the Iconoclastic Age began in 726.

Paintings on church walls were whitewashed, ivories and mosaics removed, countless works of art destroyed.

Comics Get Help

When icons returned to favor in the 9th century, the Iconoclastic Age had been responsible for the loss of much religious art--but it had some benefits.

Secular art gained by it, as artists of the monastic schools began to work under the patronage of the nobility.

Even modern comic strips owe something to the Iconoclasts. The monastic artists who turned to secular work brought with them the Byzantine method of telling a story through a continuous series of drawings.

Symbolism Rules

Surviving wars, crusades and conquests, Byzantine art flourished till the middle of the 15th century.

Over the years, Byzantine artists influenced others, but were rarely influenced by others. Though the early Renaissance brought realism, the colorful, decorative and formal qualities of the Byzantine style remained virtually unchanged.

In Byzantine art, highly stylized figures appear, with little or no three-dimensional effect. Gold backgrounds suggest almost no sense of space.

Familiar scenes such as the Nativity show painted figures that are allegorical, mystical, symbolic--but never realistic in color or form.

For believers of the Greek Orthodox faith and other Eastern churches, the symbolic nature of Byzantine art has a deep religious significance.

Considered solely as an art form, the Byzantine technique is renowned for its beauty and decorative character. In its symbolic approach, this ancient art is closer to the art of today than the representational works of more recent centuries.

There's Inspiration

As in all forms of art, the story of the Nativity has been a source of inspiration to iconographers through the ages.

The Madonna and Child have long been favorite subjects for icons, while Byzantine triptychs often showed Christ, Mary His Mother and John the Baptist.

Other early iconographers turned to St. Nicholas, bishop of Myra, as a subject worthy of attention. The good bishop is known in legend as the forefather of Santa Claus.

Christmas Collage

A "collage" for Christmas, easy to make and costing only a few dollars, presents an attractive centerpiece for the festive board. Following the family holiday dinner, it

Italian Broccoli Dip For Last Minute Guests



For last minute entertaining, choose Italian Broccoli Dip.

Friends called this afternoon to tell you they'd be in the neighborhood and could they stop over to see you? Of course you said yes, but once off the phone you noticed the newspapers piled in the corner and a stray sweater or two. And, there's no time to run to the grocery store.

Thank goodness you thought ahead! With a pouch of new Campbell's dry onion soup and recipe mix on hand, you

can quickly mix up something to munch on. A blend of Campbell's dry onion soup mix, sour cream and ricotta cheese plus vegetables make Italian Broccoli Dip a hit with guests.

Campbell's dry soup mixes are easy to store and free from preservatives or artificial flavors. They're perfect for a quick meal or emergency snacks. Now for the real test, tackling those household chores.

ITALIAN BROCCOLI DIP

- 1 pouch Campbell's Dry Onion Soup and Recipe Mix
- 1 cup sour cream
- 1/2 cup ricotta cheese
- 1 package (10 ounces) frozen chopped broccoli, thawed and well drained
- 3/4 cup shredded carrots
- 1/2 cup chopped parsley
- 1/2 teaspoon dried basil, crushed

In medium bowl, combine all ingredients. Cover; refrigerate 2 hours or more. Stir before serving. Serve with crackers. Makes 3 cups.

can be mounted on a wall or placed on a sideboard as an added decoration during the 12 days of Christmas.

A holiday creation of an arts and crafts department of a school, the centerpiece can be made with inexpensive materials that are usually found around the house. It can be completed in an hour or two and stored away for next year.

Household glue, paint, paper doilies, drinking cups, 3 sizes of tree decorations and, believe it or not, drinking straws are the magic supplied for an artistic effort.

Easy-to-follow directions require simply cover-

ing a 15-inch square of smooth masonite or beaver board with flat white paint. When it dries, glue on three straws in each of the four corners, 6 inches for the long and 4 1/2 inches for the short lengths. Glue 6-inch doilies to the four outer sections, between the straws.

Glue eight 2-inch star decorated paper cups in a circle and place small ornaments in the spaces between. Place four cups on the second tier and secure one upright in the center. Glue medium sized ornaments in all the cups but the upright which should have one twice as large.

The Christmas Story

"And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us.

"And they came with haste, and found Mary and Joseph and the babe lying in a manger." Luke 2:15-16.

As even little children know, the words of St. Luke tell the story of the Miracle in a manger. Shepherds watching in the fields, herald angels singing--these things

Christians can picture today because of St. Luke, the physician who became Christ's disciple.

Traditionally, St. Luke did still more to preserve the spiritual treasures of the Christmas story. He literally pictured the Madonna.

According to this tradition, St. Luke was an iconographer as well as a physician, and as such he created the first image of the Madonna, a painting that became the guide for many icons in later centuries.

As legend has it, St. Luke's icon of the Madonna and his other paintings were the forerunners of the style of artistic expression known as Byzantine art.

Oppressed and suppressed

in some eras, Byzantine religious art has so original and distinctive a style that it returned again and again, to thrive throughout 12 centuries. Today, it is enjoying a rebirth, through the efforts of dedicated iconographers.

Showing Images

Iconography is a system for representing Christian subjects by means of pictures or images. Originally, the term meant "portrayal," and applied especially to panels portraying the figure of Christ, the Madonna, a saint or some scene from the Bible, according to the Grolier Book of Art.

In the Greek Orthodox Church icon technically means a movable religious painting. However, iconography often refers, more broadly, to wall paintings and mosaics as well as portable icons.

Going Iconoclastic

The art of the Byzantine--or Eastern Roman--empire first flourished under the rule of Justinian, in the 6th century A.D.

But trouble loomed ahead.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS



Joys of the season. May the holidays find you healthy and happy.

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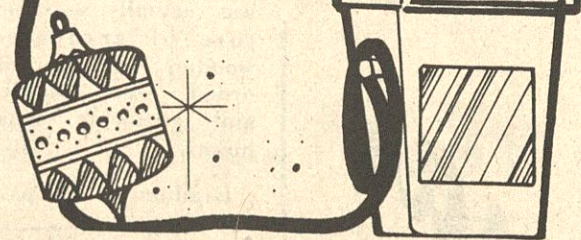
Holiday Greetings

May you and your family enjoy a happy and joyous holiday.

Thank you for letting us serve you!

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HWY. 25 SOUTH - IUKA



Glad Tidings



We hope the Season finds you well and happy.

Wishing you have a safe Holiday Season--
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May His love guide you as did the shining star that wondrous night!

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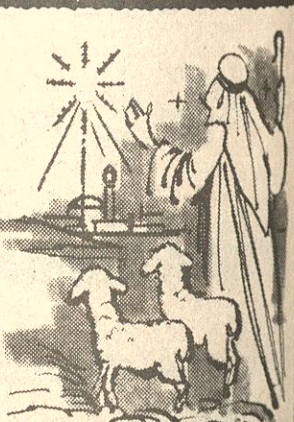
HAPPY HOLIDAY!

May your Christmas be everything you've been hoping for! Our best wishes of the Season to everyone.

TISHOMINGO SHOE COMPANY

O holy Night

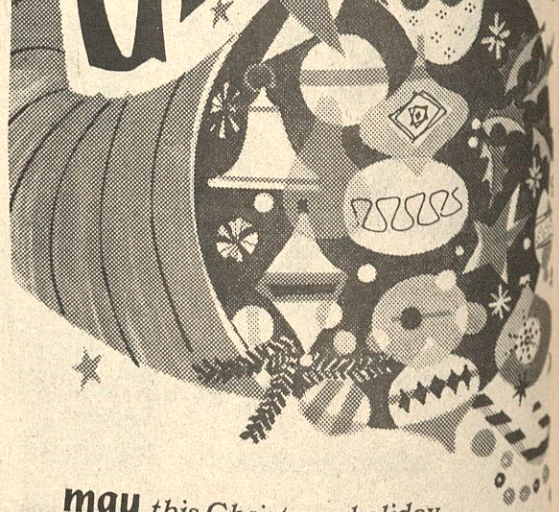
May the Star of Bethlehem inspire all men's hearts!



VIRGINIA'S BEAUTY SHOP

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Greetings



may this Christmas holiday bring you a bounty of blessings and happiness, including our very best wishes for a peaceful Yuletide... have the most wonderful Christmas ever!

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS

Christmas at Grandma's is a disappearing tradition. Grandma doesn't live on the farm any longer. She has an

apartment in town, across the street from the shopping center and within walking distance of the church. Now it is grandma that does the visiting during holiday season. In days of yore,

Christmas was the one time of the year when all footsteps turned home-ward. And, "home" was grandma's place in the country.

Grandpa lived there too. I remember that he barked loudly but, as grandma always said, "His bark was a lot worse than his bite." For the most part, he sat quietly before the fireplace, thoughtfully puffing on his corn cob pipe, or lost somewhere in the passages of "the Good Book" that he must have read from cover to cover a thousand times.

It was grandma who rushed to the door to greet sons and daughters, grandchildren, aunts and uncles. It was grandma who "bossed" activities in the kitchen, who directed the trimming of the tree, who told people when to sit and when to stand - and obviously enjoyed every moment of it.

I remember Grandma's house was filled with the most delicious odors in the world...

meats and sweets, cakes and pies, evergreens and pine boughs.

I remember how the sound of laughter rang throughout the old house and how echoes seem to remain until the most somnolent sound was the "crackling" of hickory logs glowing red-hot in the fireplace.

I remember awakening on Christmas morning, rushing down the steps, three at a time, hoping that all of the spots near the warm side of the tree had not been taken by earlier-risers. Grandma waited patiently, in her rocking chair, knitting away. Children sat in a circle around the tree, the side of the room nearest the fireplace filling up first, the others filling in beside them.

Uncle John, old enough, and round enough to pose as Santa, passed out the presents. Grandma had long ago made a rule that none were opened until all had been given out and this rule was never violated.

When Uncle John said, "That's all", the fun began and the wrappings and the ribbons flew everywhere and there.

Grandma always watched silently. Only when all others had opened their gifts did she start on the pile that had been placed

before her.

Breakfast was never served at grandma's house on Christmas morning. Once the gifts had been distributed everyone put on their very best and "grandma's caravan", as the neighbors called it, headed church-ward, singing Christmas carols all the way.

After church, children had only a small amount of time to re-examine their gifts before grandma rang the bell on the back porch, the signal that the Christmas meal was on the table.

More words could not do justice to the quality, nor the quantity, of the foods that adorned the table, that overflowed onto sideboards and card tables on the back-porch.

It was at this time, with his pipe nowhere in sight, that grandpa proved that he was not completely a man of few words. As heads, young and old, were bowed in silence, grandpa gave "thanks" for the good things of life, for the fellowship and the companionship of loved ones, and most especially, for a happy Christmas Day.

And, when he had finished, no one moved a fork until grandma had affirmed the message with a solemn, "Amen."

Such Was Christmas at grandma's, a long,

long time ago.

For Feasting

Good food is traditional at Christmas, and the special treats provided for the season include almost everything, ranging from baked carp in Austria to roast pig in Hawaii.

In France, it's traditional to serve a Christmas supper after midnight mass, but the main dish varies according to the section of the country - roast goose in Alsace, turkey in Burgundy, oysters and sausages in Paris.

England has a mouth-watering array of traditional dishes for Christmas feasting, among them plum pudding. As the pudding is being prepared, it's customary for each member of the family to stir it, making a wish for the New Year.

In Germany, the people bake long cakes for Christmas.

"City of Candlelight"

"Richmond - City of Candlelight" has been the Christmas theme for Richmond, Va., for the past five years.

Taking the cue from Colonial Williamsburg, Richmond sought to initiate the rebirth of an old-fashioned Christmas tradition by urging residents and organizations to "place an electric candle in every window."

The shopping area presents triple candles in evergreen bases set in the median strip; from the windows of the governor's mansion and the capitol glow electric candles; incoming planes are greeted with candles at the airport; virtually every building in the city cooperates.



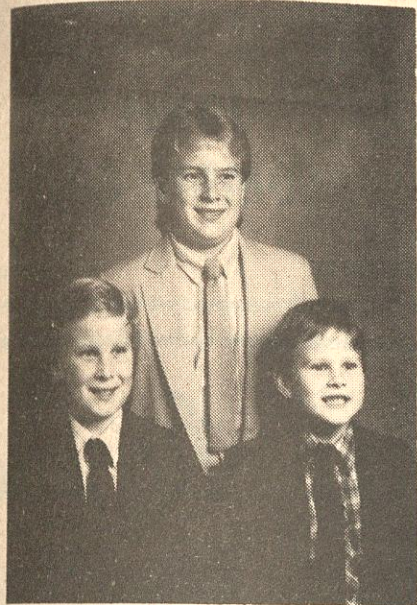
One way to start the New Year off right is by making a resolution to re-organize your schedule for maximum efficiency.



Christmas is a time of wonder and delight for a child.

May it be a time of abundant blessings and abiding joy for you.

Daisy & Johnny Biggs
Charlotte, Jimmy &
Jessica Hayley McVay



Happy Holidays

From

KIDDIE LAND

ELM SHOPPING CENTER - IUKA

GREETINGS



That jolly old fellow is coming and we hope he's bringing lots of gifts your way! The best of holiday greetings to everyone!

CITY OF BURNSVILLE

BOBBY JOHNSON, MAYOR

BILLY BLAKNEY
EDWARD THIGPEN

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May the joy of Christ's birth brighten your spirits and lead you to everlasting peace.

Amazing Grace Tabernacle Church

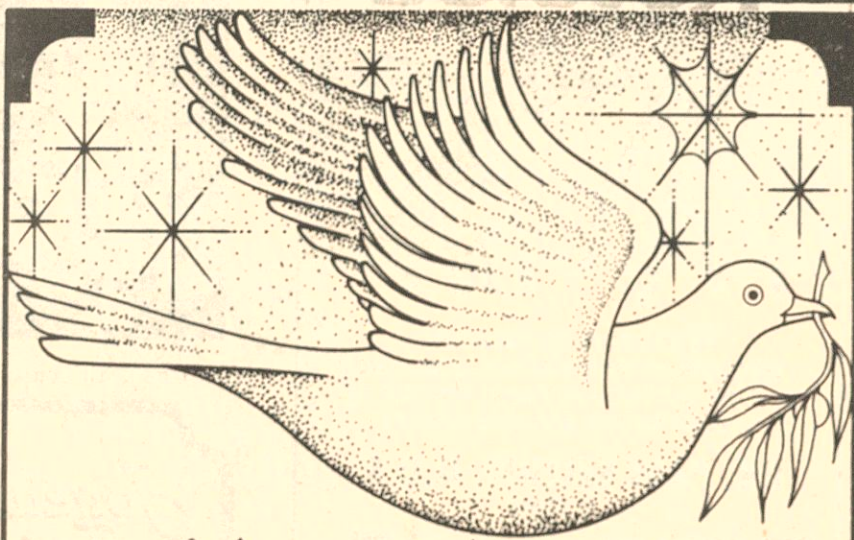
Bro. & Sister R. G. Rodgers, Associate & Pastor

JOY TO THE WORLD

We wish to thank you for your patronage during the past year. Merry Christmas.

FASHION FLARE

Debbie Henderson
Erlene Henderson
Geneva Skinner
Vicki McGee
Burnsville, Miss.



Blessings at Christmas

Once again, hearts are lifted in hope and joy, renewed by the message of Christmas. Let us be glad!

CUTSHALL FUNERAL HOME



How Santa's Workshop

And it was an angel
that shut the mouths of
the lions in the den
where Daniel was
captive by King Darius!
King David praised
such angel helpers
in his 34th Psalm: "The
angel of the Lord en-
campeth round about
them that fear him,
and delivereth them."
Jacob's vision of a
ladder reaching from
earth to heaven, with
the angels of God as-
cending and descend-
ing, is recorded in
Genesis 28:12. The
Christmas card which
I have enclosed here
is from the
series "The
Angels of
the Bible,"
published by
the
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JONES
LUMBER CO.



May the beautiful season of Christmas bring
 its hope, its cheer, & its deepest joy to you and
 yours.

**GANN BROS.
&
FURNITURE
APPLIANCE**

May your Christmas tree be bright
with ornaments . . . and your heart
be bright with love & laughter!

om left: Chocolate and Peanut Butter

large cookie
comle chips,
melted. Pour over cereal mix-
ture just
before the
cereal is
completely
cooked. Stir
in the
cinnamon
popcorn
snack.

Heat oven to 300°. Heat 1/3 cup margarine or butter in rectangular pan, 13x9x2 inches, in oven until melted. Stir 6 cups cinnamon and 6 cups Crunch cereal and 8 cups salted popped corn with pan until evenly coated with margarine. Bake 5 minutes. Stir. Bake 5 minutes longer. About 12 cups snack.

CRUNCH

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Trimming The Tree's A Tradition

dates back to pre-Christian beliefs in the magical powers of evergreens. The ancient Romans, for instance, decorated their homes with greenery for the festival of Saturn, or Saturnalia. This important feast was celebrated during December.

The association of trees with Christmas became

How did this charming custom begin? Some suggest that the tradition

With hopes for happiness
throughout the Christmas season, we
offer our note of thanks for your
thoughtfulness and loyal support.

DR. PAUL KELLUM, D.D.S.
& STAFF
122 W. FRONT ST., IUKA
423-3008

Happy Holidays
Bright packages of good fortune,
good cheer and good times are
heading your way for Christmas.
Have a sensational holiday!

Back in the 1800's, when the man learned how to send communication signals through the air as electromagnetic waves, television first became a possibility. Yet the first experimental broadcasts did not take place until the late 1920's. After World War II a television boom was developed, and by 1960 television had become a popular part of most people's lives.

In the 18th century,
American homes
were decorated with
a variety of
wall hangings
and tapestries.
The most popular
were the
tapestries of
the French
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We'd like to
wrap up your
holiday with
our sincere
thanks for
being so
kind!

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TIM'S GUN SHOP

Merry Christmas

mima was busy getting
 for his arduous trip
 and the world. There
 so many things to be
 care of, such as check-
 each of his eight rein-
 to make sure they were
 good condition for the
 trip.
 He listened to Stocking-
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 This had never hap-
 before.
 This may be a matter for
 Board of Elves," said
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 The Board of Elves was
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 but Santa soon dis-
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 was to try and put the
 on each other, and af-
 hour of Elvish argu-
 they were right back
 to work.

Here's an old-fashioned greeting
from all of us to all our friends!

THE HICKORY HUT


HWY. 25 N.
IUKA, 423-1755

A stylized illustration of two fish swimming upwards towards the word 'TOP'. The fish are depicted in a simple, graphic style with large eyes and patterned bodies. The background is dark with white starburst patterns. The word 'TOP' is written in large, bold, white letters.

ELM SHOPPING CENTER - IUKA

THE SHOE MART

*A Christmas time greeting
to all our good friends!*

A stylized illustration of a Christmas tree on the left and a string of lights with circular ornaments hanging across the bottom of the page. The ornaments have numbers on them, including 00, 01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 00.



As people all over the world celebrate this sacred season and share its wondrous blessings, we offer a prayer of love and thanks. May this cherished holiday bring the Light of Peace and Love into your heart and home. Our heartfelt gratitude for the continuing trust and loyalty of our dear friends.

FIRST AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK

2 LOCATIONS IN IUKA - BURNSVILLE - BELMONT - GOLDEN

CHRISTMAS

'Twas the night before Jesus came and all through the house
Not a creature was praying, not one in the house.
Their Bibles were lain on the shelf without care
In hopes that Jesus would not come there.

The children were dressing to crawl into bed,
Not once even kneeling or bowing a head.
And Mom in her rocker with the baby on her lap
Was watching the Late Show while I took a nap.

When out of the East there arose such a clatter,
I sprang to my feet to see what was the matter.
Away to the window I flew like a flash
Tore open the shutters and threw up the sash!

When what to my wondering eyes should appear
But angels proclaiming that Jesus was here.
With a light like the sun sending forth a bright ray
I knew in a moment this must be THE DAY!

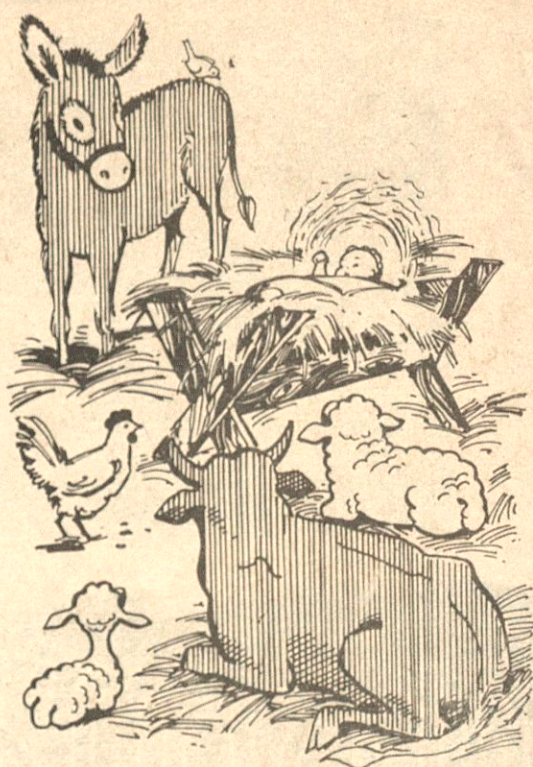
The light of His face made me cover my head
It was Jesus! returning just like He said.
And though I possessed worldly wisdom and wealth,
I cried when I saw Him in spite of myself.

In the Book of Life which He held in His hand
Was written the name of every saved man.
He spoke not a word as He searched for my name;
When He said "It's not here" my head hung in shame.

The people whose names had been written with love
He gathered to take to His Father above.
With those who were ready He rose without a sound
While all the rest were left standing around.

I fell to my knees, but it was too late;
I had waited too long and thus sealed my fate.
I stood and I cried as they rose out of sight;
Oh, if only we had been ready tonight.

In the words of this poem the meaning is clear;
The coming of Jesus is drawing near.
There's only one life and when comes the last call
We'll find that the Bible was true after all!
Author Unknown



The Friendly Beasts

Jesus, our brother, kind and good,
Was humbly born in a stable rude.
The friendly beasts around Him stood,
Jesus, our brother, kind and good.

"I," said the donkey, all shaggy and brown,
"I carried His mother uphill and down,
I carried her safely to Bethle'm town."
"I," said the donkey, all shaggy and brown.

"I," said the cow, all white and red,
"I gave Him my manger for a bed,
I gave Him my hay to pillow His head,"
"I," said the cow, all white and red.

"I," said the sheep with the curly horn,
"I gave Him my wool for a blanket warm,
He wore my coat on Christmas morn."
"I," said the sheep with the curly horn.

"I," said the dove from the rafters high,

GREETINGS

Here's hoping Santa has something special for you in his bag of gifts!
Have a very merry Christmas, friends!

**MISSISSIPPI
STONE PRODUCTS**

GREETINGS of the Season

Our carts are just brimming with lots of Christmas wishes . . . joy, peace, contentment, and a heart-felt thanks for your patronage.

Nelson's Supermarket
Hwy. 25 So. in Iuka

Merry Christmas

Bright and happy wishes are coming your way.

May your hearts be happy and your Christmas merry.

CAPPLEMAN'S
KATHY & LEE RUTH & PURVIS

Joy and PEACE

May the true spirit of the season remain in our hearts. Best wishes!

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Merry Christmas & Happy New Year
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THE STORY OF CHRISTMAS IN BICENTENNIAL AMERICA

THE BEGINNING — On December 25, 1492, the history of Christmas started in the New World, when Columbus' ship, the Santa Maria, was abandoned off the coast of Haiti. In Virginia in the year 1613 a record by an expedition of Captain John Smith reads: *The extreame winde, rayne, frost and snow caused us to keepe Christmas among the salvages where we were never more merry, nor fed on more plenty of good Oysters, Fish, Flesh, Wilde fowl and good bread, nor never had better fires in England.*

Settlers in Virginia brought many customs from England, the burning of the Yule log, ringing bells, lavish dining, dancing, games and Christmas carols. Churches and homes were decorated colorfully, and parties and balls were memorable.

The Pilgrim Fathers arrived in Plymouth some 7 years later, bringing with them their strong distaste for Christmas. Thanksgiving day, with its feasting and neighborly celebrations with friendly Indians, was more like Christmas.

In 1659, the General Court of Massachusetts enacted the law by which "anyone who is found observing, by abstinence from labor, feasting, or any other way, any such days as Christmas day, shall pay for every such offense 5 shillings." However, the Puritans did not have their way for long and the anti-Christmas law was repealed in 1681.

HAPPIER CHRISTMASSES — The chief winter celebration of the jolly Dutch in New Amsterdam was on December 6, St. Nicholas' Day. Significantly enough, it was a figurehead of this very saint that graced their ship, the Goede Vrouw, that brought them to America in 1630.

On St. Nicholas feast day the Dutch carried his statue down the street, with children joining in . . . the promise of presents bright in their eyes.

Gradually, however, the increasing number of English troops, which they defeated in 1776, when they defeated the Hessians at Trenton, New Jersey. The Americans routed the redcoats who were sleeping off the effects of the holiday!

Sunday Schools, which had their beginning in the first half of the nineteenth century, helped to promote the acceptance of many folk customs, most importantly, Santa Claus and the use of the Christmas tree. Charles Dickens, in his beautiful classics, did much to popularize this colorful holiday, but it was some time before Christmas came to be celebrated as we know it now.

THE HOLIDAY ON THE MOVING FRONTIER — The advancing of the frontier westward took with it

neighboring areas transformed Christkindl into Kriss Kringle.



"MERRY OLD SANTA." Illustration from Christmas Drawings for the Human Race by Thomas Nast, 1890. Courtesy of The New-York Historical Society, New York.



Happy Holidays

A hearty greeting to all our friends. It's a pleasure to wish you the merriest of holidays at this time. Thanks for your loyal patronage.

SMITH'S DRESS SHOP
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LET THE MESSAGE OF THAT HOLY NIGHT LIGHT THE WAY FOR US TODAY.

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Christmas
Joy,
Peace



To all men of good will...to all our good friends...we send greetings for a happy holiday. We appreciate your loyal patronage.

DAILY'S BODY SHOP & TOWING SERVICE
BURNSVILLE

Merry Christmas



May the magic of Christmas unfold within your heart and home bringing special joys and remembrances. As this season of love and cheer arrives we extend warm wishes for a truly happy holiday.

Sincere thanks.

IUKA GUARANTY BANK

"Straight Ahead Through The Years"

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Peace on Earth



Star of Bethlehem Has Made Wise Men Wonder For All These Years

"Star of wonder, star of night, star with royal beauty bright..."

Ever since the first Christmas, the star that lead the Wise Men to where the Infant Jesus lay has been the object of conjecture and wonder.

Unfortunately, the only reference to the star in Matthew's Gospel offers no explanation for the phenomenon: "And behold, the star that they had seen in the East went before them, until it came and stood over the place where the child was."

Thus it is that scientists and biblical scholars alike have been free to speculate about various theories, ranging from the supernatural to logical explanations.

One theory is that the star was actually a comet; yet another asserts that the star was probably a supernova, a star that suddenly takes on spectacular brilliance.

There is still another theory that the star was actually a conjunction of planets. According to astronomical studies, there were three conjunctions of Jupiter and Saturn in the year 7 B.C. There were also major conjunctions of planets between 3 and 2 B.C., claim other studies. The 17th-century astronomer Kepler calculated that Mars, Saturn and Jupiter had been in conjunction around the time of Christ's birth.

One supernatural theory holds that the star was not physically manifested, but rather visible to only

those who were privileged to the events of the Nativity. Others believe that God placed the star in the heavens expressly as a sign for a brief period of time. Interestingly enough, this ties in with one scientific possibility: a new star, or a temporary star. Such stars have been observed from time to time; in fact, Hipparchus is believed to have discovered a brilliant star where none had been seen before in the year 134 B.C. Could this have been the Star of Bethlehem?

Aside from being a beacon to the Magi, the star also fulfills an important prophecy regarding the Messiah. The Book of Numbers foretold "There shall come a Star out of Jacob."

Whatever explanation seems most plausible, Christians have always attached great significance to the star's appearance.

There have been many songs written about the Star of Bethlehem and certainly no Christmas tree would be complete without its star shining atop.

The Star of Bethlehem is a wondrous part of the still more wondrous Nativity story; its brilliance has come to symbolize for us the miracle that is Christmas: the birth of Jesus, the Light of the World.

The Advent Wreath Is Harbinger of Christmas

In many churches and

homes, during the four weeks before Christmas, wreaths with candles are displayed to remind the faithful of the approaching holiday.

These decorations are known as Advent wreaths, symbolizing the eager awaiting of mankind for its redeemer.

Originally, the Advent wreath may have been part of pagan observances. Tribes in northern Europe would display cartwheels decorated with greens and lights in their homes during the winter season.

The custom became Christianized in time, with the wreath's circular shape symbolizing God's unending nature, and the evergreens symbolizing His unchanging nature.

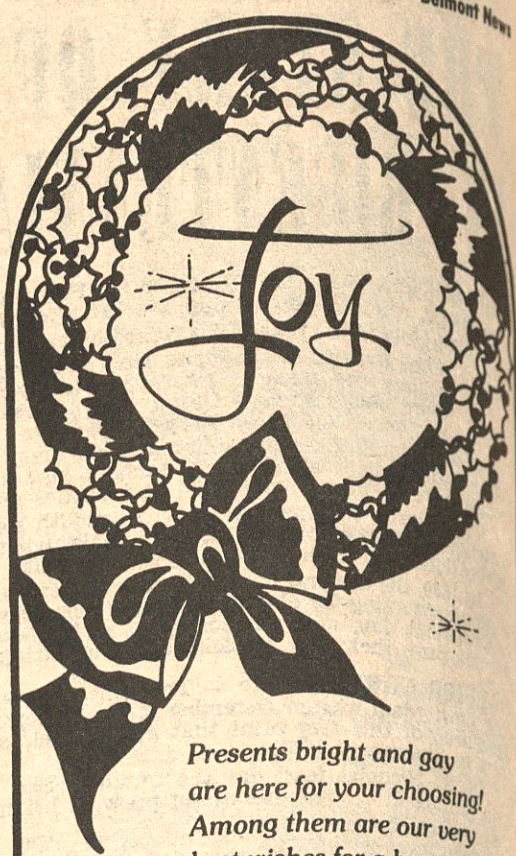
There are four candles on the wreath, one for each week of Advent. Three of the candles are violet in color, as a re-

minder of our repentance and our longing for the Savior. One candle is rose colored, symbolizing our joy and hope in the coming of the Messiah. All the candles are tied with purple ribbon, again as a symbol of longing and repentance.

In some homes, the family will gather around the wreath on the Saturday evening before the first Sunday in Advent, four weeks before Christmas. Prayers are said and one violet candle is lit. An Advent hymn, such as "O Come, O Come Emmanuel" may be sung at this time. The ceremony is repeated with two violet candles on the second Saturday; on the third Saturday, two violet candles and one rose candle, a joyful sign of the nearness of



the holiday, are lit; on the last Saturday, all four candles are lit.



Presents bright and gay are here for your choosing! Among them are our very best wishes for a happy, Christmas season!

THE CLOTHES COTTAGE

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Peace

During this season of peace and good will we wish you all the joys and happiness of Christmas.

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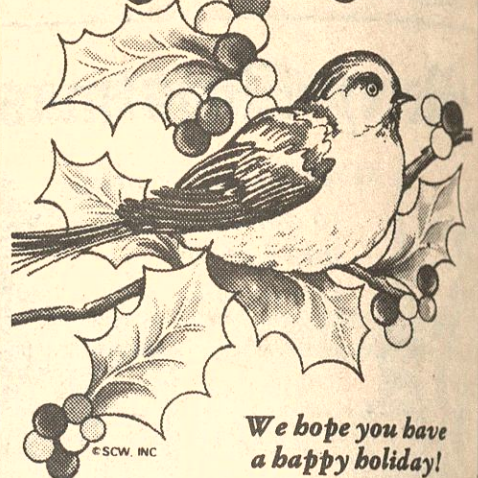


Merry Christmas

... best wishes and much joy we send to you, our patrons and friends!

FROM EVERYONE AT
THE SECOND SHOPPE
SCOTTY, SANDRA, EDITH, CAROL, & ANNE MARIE

HOLIDAY GREETINGS



We hope you have a happy holiday!

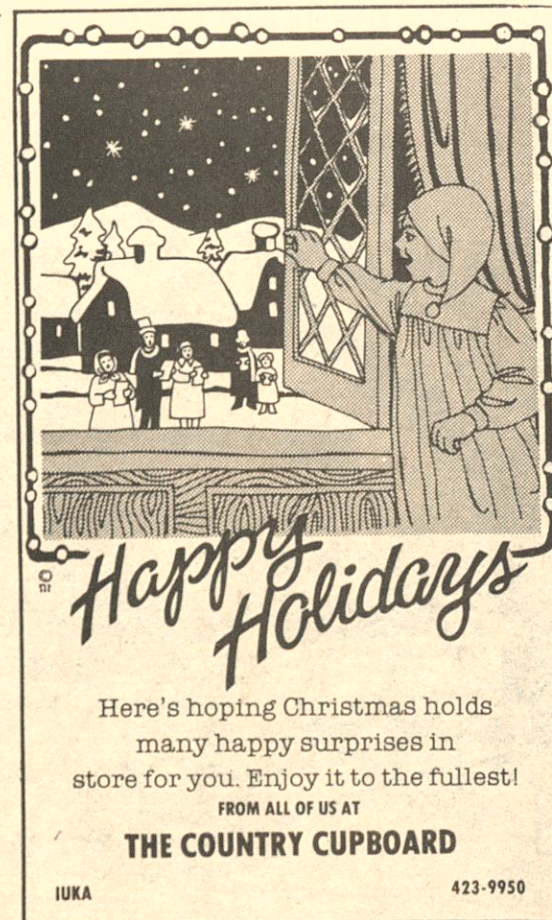
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Blessings

May faith be your guide this Christmas to the blessings of the season. Sincere greetings to all our friends.

Merry Christmas from
Ed Switcher & Staff at

PERSONAL FINANCE
IUKA



Happy Holidays

Here's hoping Christmas holds many happy surprises in store for you. Enjoy it to the fullest!

FROM ALL OF US AT
THE COUNTRY CUPBOARD

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merry christmas

We wish you, one and all a joyous, fun-filled holiday season.

RAMSEY'S BODY SHOP & WRECKER SERVICE

GRAHAM ROAD

IUKA

HAPPY HOLIDAY!

There's no better time to wish our friends the best! Merry Christmas!

THE CHUCKWAGON

HWY. 25 NORTH IN IUKA

FROM ALTA, LOU, CANDY, RUBY, JANELL & NORMA



HOLIDAY GREETINGS



Wishing you Good Cheer For Christmas and the New Year.

THE CLOTHES CONNECTION

CHEROKEE, ALA.

season's best



Warm Wishes for a Cozy Christmas!

From all of us at

THE STYLE SHOP

IUKA, MS



Christmas Wishes

Another year is beginning... we hope it's a good one for you!

HOBB'S CATFISH HOUSE

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rejoice!



May Your Christmas be filled with faith and goodwill.

THE CRAFT CAROUSEL

HWY. 25 N., FIRST RIGHT PAST SPUR
MONDAY - TUESDAY - THURSDAY - FRIDAY 5-8 P.M.
SATURDAY 10 A.M. - 5 P.M.

The Night Before Christmas

Twice the night before Christmas, when
all through the house
Not a creature was stirring, not even a
mouse.
The stockings were hung by the chimney
with care
In hopes that Saint Nicholas soon would
be there.
The children were nestled all snug in
their beds,
While visions of sugarplums danced in
their heads.
And Mamma in her kerchief, and I in
my cap
Had just settled down for a long winter
nap,
When out on the lawn there arose such
a clatter,
I sprang from my bed to see what was
the matter.
Away to the window I flew like a flash,
Tore open the shutter and threw up the
sash.
The moon on the breast of the new fallen
snow
Gave a luster of midday to objects
below.
When, what to my wondering eyes
should appear,
But a miniature sleigh, and eight tiny
reindeer.
With a little old driver so lively and
quick,
I knew in a moment it must be Saint
Nick.
More rapid than eagles his coursers they
came,
And he whistled and shouted and called
them by name—
"Now, Dasher! Now, Dancer! Now,
Prancer and Vixen!
On, Comet! On, Cupid! On, Donner and
Blitzen!

To the top of the porch, to the top of the
wall!
Now, dash away! Dash away! Dash
away, all!"
As dry leaves that before the wild
hurricane fly,
When they meet with an obstacle,
mount to the sky,
So up to the housetop the coursers
they flew
With a sleigh full of toys and Saint
Nicholas, too.
And then in a twinkling I heard on the
roof
The prancing and pawing of each little
hoof.
As I drew in my head and was turning
around,
Down the chimney Saint Nicholas came
with a bound.
He was dressed in fur from his head to
his foot,
And his clothes were all tarnished with
ashes and soot.
A bundle of toys he had flung on his
back,
And he looked like a peddler just
opening his pack.
His eyes—how they twinkled! His
dimples—how merry!
His cheeks were like roses, his nose
like a cherry!
His droll little mouth was drawn up
like a bow,
And the beard on his chin was as white
as the snow.
The stump of a pipe he held tight in
his teeth,
And the smoke it encircled his head
like a wreath.
He had a broad face and a round little
belly
That shook when he laughed, like a bowl



'Happy Christmas To All'

full of jelly.
He was chubby and plump, a right jolly
old elf,
And I laughed when I saw him in spite
of myself.
A wink of his eye and a twist of his
head,
Soon gave me to know I had nothing to
dread.
He spoke not a word but went straight
to his work,
And filled all the stockings; then turned
with a jerk,
And laying his finger aside of his nose,
And giving a nod, up the chimney he
rose.
He sprang to his sleigh, to his team gave
a whistle,
And away they all flew like the down
of a thistle.
But I heard him exclaim ere he drove out
of sight,
"Happy Christmas to all and to all a
good night!"

which will be nearly invisible. The base should be kept full of water while the tree is indoors because heated rooms dry trees out rapidly, creating fire hazards.

ifiers is available by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to: Air-Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute, Dept. HA, 1501 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA 22209.

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IT'S A FACT!



Surprisingly, cold winter air contains very little moisture. When it's 30 degrees outside, with a relative humidity of 35 percent, that air warmed by your heating system to 70 degrees will reduce the relative humidity to a parched seven percent. For your skin, that's worse than living in the Sahara Desert!



Indoors, you can help yourself—and at the same time your plants and furnishings—by using a humidifier to replace needed moisture in the air.

FREE PAMPHLET

A free pamphlet that can help you learn about humid-

Now that Santa has reappeared, it's a perfect time for us to say, "thank you," to the many people we've enjoyed serving throughout the year.



CLARK'S AMOCO

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The Twelve Days Of Christmas

The first day of Christmas
My true love sent to me
A partridge in a pear-tree.
The second day of Christmas

My true love sent to me
Two turtle-doves...

The third day of Christmas
My true love sent to me
Three French hens...

The fourth day of Christmas
My true love sent to me
Four colly birds...

The fifth day of Christmas
My true love sent to me
Five gold rings...

The sixth day of Christmas
My true love sent to me
Six geese a-laying...

The seventh day of Christmas
My true love sent to me
Seven swans a-swimming...

The eighth day of Christmas
My true love sent to me
Eight maids a-milking...

The ninth day of Christmas
My true love sent to me
Nine drummers drumming...

The tenth day of Christmas
My true love sent to me
Ten pipers piping...

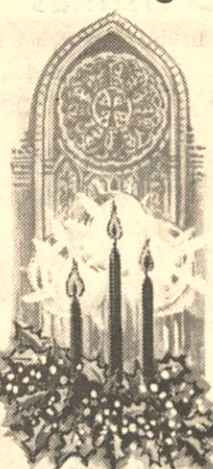
The eleventh day of Christmas
My true love sent to me
Eleven ladies dancing...

The twelfth day of Christmas
My true love sent to me
Twelve lords a-leaping,
Eleven ladies dancing,
Ten pipers piping,
Nine drummers drumming,
Eight maids a-milking,
Seven swans a-swimming,
Six geese a-laying,
Five gold rings,
Four colly birds,
Three French hens,
Two turtle-doves
And a partridge in a pear-tree.

number of home fires. The following guidelines should be used to assure a safe and merry Christmas:

- *Make an emergency plan to use if fire breaks out.
- *Have telephone numbers of fire and emergency squads handy.

Christmas Blessings



Health, wealth & happiness — that's what we wish for all our friends!

B.J.'s
CORNER CAFE
& CAR WASH

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Christmas Caution Prevents Fire Tragedy

The holiday season is potentially a very dangerous one. Precautions against fire and adherence to general safety rules are of the utmost importance when Christmas preparations are being made, reminds the Mississippi State Medical Association.

Fire is the greatest single contributor to Christmas tragedy. The dangers of fire in the home are compounded during the holidays due to the presence of trees, trimmings, lights, candles, and paper decorations which would not normally be in the home.

The primary causes of home fires during Christmas are lighted candles, fireplaces, trees which become too dry, and faulty electrical connections. Common sense and adherence to a few basic safety rules can drastically reduce the

SEASON'S GREETINGS



May your holidays bring you health and happiness.

DR. PHILLIP
GRAY,
FAMILY & STAFF

JOY TO ALL

We wish to take this time to thank you, our patrons for your support during the past year.

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REJOICE

The Blessings of Peace to you and your family during this Christmas Season.

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CHIEF OF POLICE: FLOYD WHITAKER

CITY CLERK: JOYCE BRUMLEY

DEPUTY CLERK: MONTEZ BINGHAM

ALDERMEN
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Santa's White Beard, Red Suit Come from Cartoonist

Who gave Santa his red suit, broad girth, white beard, ruddy cheeks and nose, fur-trimmed hat and coat? Surprisingly enough, the donor was a political cartoonist.

The artist's name was Thomas Nast, cartoonist for Harper's Illustrated Weekly, who also created the now-famous symbols of the Republican elephant and the Democratic donkey.

The figure of Santa that Nast drew in 1863, and perhaps earlier, has proved to be the definitive one, and even today the figure as drawn by Nast appears occasionally on Christmas greetings.

"Nast's image of Santa was extraordinary," says Mrs. Jeannette Lee, director of design at Hallmark.

"He gave Santa many of the qualities that have en-

deared him to children ever since, and we wouldn't dream of tampering very much with them today."

Nast first credited Santa with keeping books on good and bad children, having a Christmas toy workshop and reading letters sent to him by children.

Perhaps it was the now-famous poem, "A Visit from St. Nicholas," by Dr. Clement Clarke Moore, that inspired Nast's illustration of Santa. In this children's classic of 1823, the right jolly old elf, who looked like a peddler with a pack on his back, was first described in print.

Nast followed Dr. Moore's description of Santa in several particulars, but many of his concepts were original.

At the time of Nast's Santa Claus drawings the nation was at Civil War, and families were separated. In a note to cheer both soldiers and their waiting families Nast drew "Santa Claus in Camp," for Harper's Weekly.

This earliest Santa was different from any artist's creations up till then. He was shown wearing stars and stripes of the Union and distributing gifts to soldiers. Actually, this Santa might have been meant as a representation of Uncle Sam also.

A later, equally moving Nast illustration featured a soldier's Christmas homecoming.

Born in 1840 in the tiny hamlet of Landau, Bavaria, Nast probably pictured Santa as the long-imagined Saint Nicholas of his childhood.

Albert Bigelow Paine, a friend and admirer of Nast, said the artist often revealed to him his love of the Santa illustrations. He later wrote in his biography of the cartoonist:

"His own childhood in far-off Bavaria has been measured by the yearly visits of...St. Nicholas...and the girlhood of the woman who was to become his wife (Sarah Edwards of New York) was intimately associated with brilliant and joyous celebrations.

"Nast's children later recalled there was always a multitude of paper dolls—marvelously big and elaborate, a race long since become extinct.

"And these the artistic father—more than half a child himself at the Christmas season—arranged in processions and cavalcades, gay pageants that marched in and about those larger presents that could not be crowded into the row of stockings that hung by the family fireplace.

"It was a time of splendor and rejoicing—the festive blossoming of the winter season—and it was a beautiful and sturdy family that made Merry Christmas riot in the spacious New York home."

In Nast's day, the idea of some sort of Santa was not new to this country. He was introduced to North America by the early Dutch settlers and his name was St. Nicholas. The annual visit of this kind man, who was thought to have been a fourth-century bishop, was his feast day, December 6th.

By 1809, Washington Irving was describing Santa as a small Dutch citizen who looked much like Father Knickerbocker. Irving wondered how the poor old man could get to all the homes in a growing America on his horse, so he invented the famous reindeer-drawn sleigh.

Of St. Nicholas

Long before Santa Traveled by sleigh, St. Nicholas, special guardian of children, set forth on foot, or rode by horse or donkey, to bring gifts to European homes.

The good saint's day is December 6th, and "on the eve of his festival day," writes an Encyclopedia Americana Authority, "St. Nicholas makes his tour, visiting palace and cottage.

The children place receptacles for the gifts, which St. Nicholas is expected to let fall down the chimney.

...Sometimes shoes are neatly polished for the purpose, at other times plates, or baskets, or stockings, or specially made shoes of porcelain.

"St. Nicholas' steed...is not forgotten. For him the children put water and hay, or carrot or potato peeling, or a piece of bread in the shoe, or basket, or stocking.

"In the morning from the

tipped-over chairs and general disarray in the room it is evident that St. Nicholas has been present.

"Replacing the oats, or hay, or carrot are found sweets and playthings for children who have been good. For bad children, rods are left, and the fodder is untouched."

Red, Green Set Yule Scene With Symbolic Meanings

The traditional colors of the Christmas season are red and green. Yet these colors have meant different things to different people over the ages. Color has been used as the symbol of abstract ideas from time immemorial.

In early and medieval Christian art colors had a mystic or symbolic meaning. Red indicated passion. In its good sense it was a symbol of divine energy and love and the creative power of the Holy Spirit; in its bad sense it was a sign of hate. In that meaning it became an emblem of Satan.

Emerald green is of-

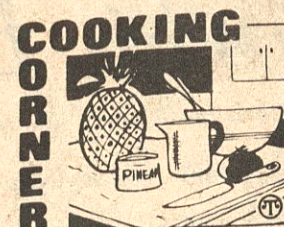
ten the symbol of hope and growth in many Christian painting.

Colors played an important role in medieval magic and superstition. For example, the famous "philosopher's stone," which the alchemists thought would turn base metals into gold and cure all diseases, was thought to be colored red, according to the Encyclopedia Americana. Red was also a favorite curative color in more recent superstitions.

In Indonesia, the people think a piece of bright red coral will keep its owner's teeth in good order, and there are people everywhere who are sure that a person owning a ruby will live to a ripe old age.

Green was a sacred color among the ancient and medieval Egyptians who wore it as a symbol of hope and the joy of spring. The Muslims carried this symbolism throughout the Middle East, and the faithful, on returning from the

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pilgrimage to Mecca, wear a green turban.



Perfect for New Year's Eve parties.

HOLIDAY PUNCH

2 cans (46 oz. each) Dole Pineapple Juice, chilled
2 bottles (750 ml each) dry champagne, chilled*
2 cups fruit white wine, chilled*
1/4 cup grenadine syrup
Ice cubes
1 lemon, thinly sliced

In a large punch bowl, mix together pineapple juice, champagne, wine cubes. Float lemon and orange slices on top. Add mint for garnish. Makes 1 1/2 gallons.

*May substitute 1 bottle (32 oz.) ginger ale and 1 bottle (67.6 oz.) carbonated lemon-lime drink for champagne and wine.

For more terrific pineapple juice recipes, write to Dole P.O. Box 7758, San Francisco, CA 94120.

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Holiday Greetings

We hope the Holidays bring joy and prosperity for the coming year. Thank you for your patronage and we hope we can continue to serve you in 1983.

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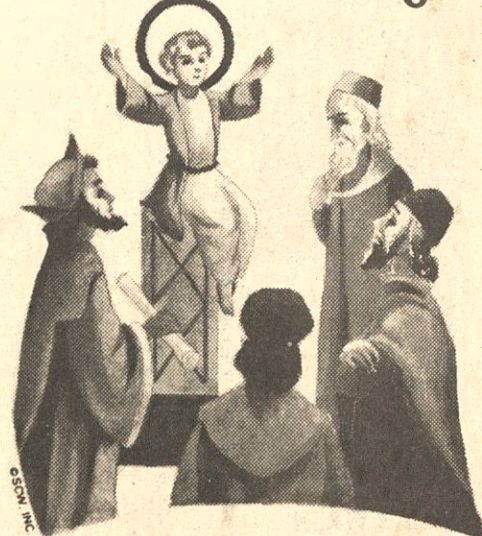
We hope the coming year will be prosperous for you!

From us at

THE COUNTRY LOFT

HWY. 25 NORTH - IUKA

Christmas Blessings

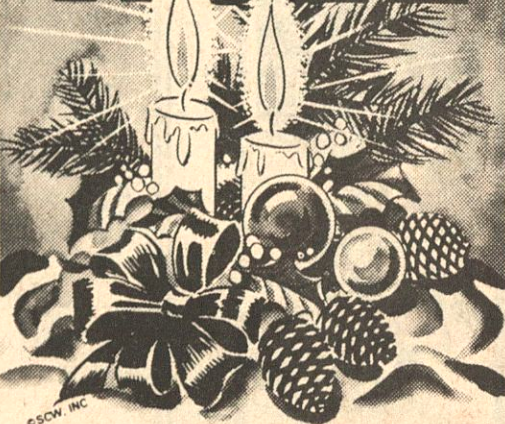


Like the Wise Men of old, let us worship the newborn Prince of Peace—may He bless you and yours.

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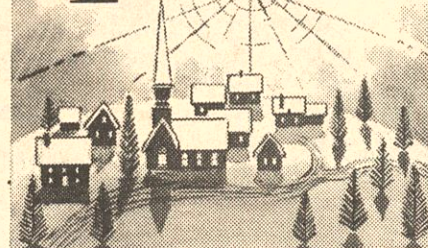
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Hope your holidays are just heavenly! Greetings to all!

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PEACE



Let us renew the message of Christmas at this Season.

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Peace and Contentment for the Holiday Season and Always.

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Joy to the world



May the radiance of the Christmas spirit shine upon all men.

THE CARE CUTTER

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You've made it a pleasure to be of service to you, friends and customers!

Here's hoping your holiday is fantastic!

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Sonny Dover, Joseph McNatt, Ric Tiebe, Wanda Maxwell, Bob Moxley, Raymond Moxley, Rowland Hyde, Wayne Alsop, Harold Vaughn, E. L. McNatt & Loretta Ables

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Merry Christmas
&
Happy New Year

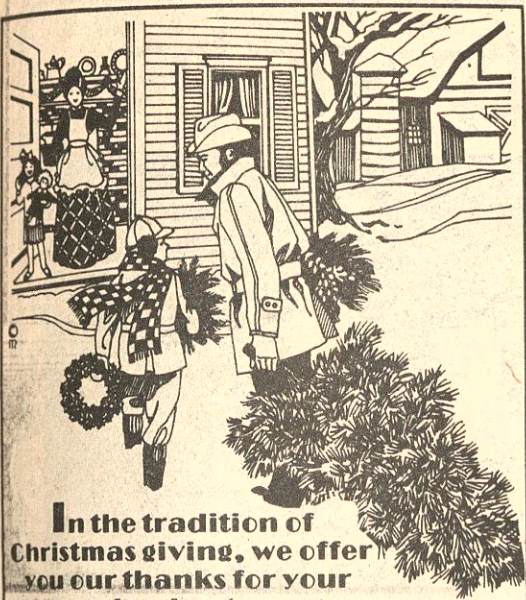
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BOBBY KING, M.D.

A Child's Christmas



COLOR THE CANDY CANES!



In the tradition of Christmas giving, we offer you our thanks for your very valued patronage.

Happy Holiday!
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Christmas Customs Of Other Countries

Most of our Christmas customs are a gift brought from other countries, so there is much to be learned about the Christmas spirit by visiting them.

In North America

Our journey begins in Canada. In passing through this country's contrasting regions, we find Christmas celebrations vary from the folkloric dances of the Inuit, to French and British carols, trees embellished with candles, gifts, and a wine-soaked yule log.

Southbound, in that "land of the posadas," Mexico, families gather for nine consecutive nights to re-enact the first Christmas. This ceremony of drama, song, and prayer is followed by blindfolded children breaking a pinata. What a scramble to pick up the fallen pieces of trinkets and sweets!

Continuing south, we discover many countries have adopted the posada custom. South American children also put notes beside the manger for the good angels to take up to Jesus.

Upon seeing festivities from sunrise to sunset, highlighted by horse racing and Indian dances, you'll know you're in Chile.

The season is ripe, and so, Bolivians celebrate their harvest festival along with Christmas.

In Europe

It was in Germany that trees and toys first became a part of the holiday. All the family waits until six o'clock on Christmas Eve for Mother to unveil the hidden tree, decorated not only with lights and ornaments, but tasty treats.

On December 6th, Austria's opening of the season is greeted with a

visit from "knecht Ruprecht," leaving small gifts and sweets for the good or a switch for the others. Highlighting an Austrian Christmas is the procession to midnight mass, with lighted candles, singing Austria's own carol, "Silent Night."

In Asia

Although in recent years it has gained significance, Christmas is not a grand scale holiday in Asia, except for Japan. Commercial stores have fostered many U.S. customs such as gift exchanging and turkey dinner. Similar to Santa is "Hoteiosho," believed to have eyes in the back of his head.

In Bethlehem where it

all began, Christmas is purely a religious ceremony, not encompassing the festive spirit found in other countries. Not much change can be seen in this Judean town, which helps our imagination to visualize life in Christ's time.

In Australia

If you're not dreaming of a white Christmas, then book your reservation for Australia! Here, people head for the beach or park on this usually hot day, which is followed by Boxing Day.

Portents of The Season

If the sun shines through fruit trees on Christmas Day, it is a sign

that the trees will bear much fruit.

A white Christmas presages a prosperous year.

The number of mince pies you taste at Christmas

indicates the number of happy months you'll have during the coming year, according to an old English belief.

Christmas Confusion!

For three centuries following His birth, Christ's nativity was celebrated at various times in January, March, April, May, September, and October by Christian groups.



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The spirit of Christmas lives inside all of us as we remember old-fashioned traditions. May you enjoy this festive Yuletide to the fullest!

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May the glad tidings bring joy into every heart at this holy season. And may every home be blessed with all the warmth and cheer of Christmas! Greetings from everyone at

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Employees, Management and Board of Directors wish you a Very Merry Christmas.



of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord."

Angels have played an important role throughout the story of the Nativity. It was the angel Gabriel who first announced to Mary that she would be the mother of the Messiah.

And, when Joseph learned that Mary was pregnant, an angel appeared to him in a dream, assuring him that "that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Ghost."

When Herod the King sought the life of the Infant Jesus, it was an angel who warned Joseph to "take the young child and his mother, and flee into Egypt..."

After Herod's death, an angel informed Joseph when it was safe to return to

where He was born. He did none of the things that usually accompany greatness. He had no credentials but Himself.



All the armies that ever marched, all the navies that ever sailed, all the parliaments that ever sat, all the kings that ever reigned, put together, have not affected the life of man on this earth as much as that one solitary life.

Amidst the general call of happiness, the bustle of spirits and stir of affections, which prevail at this period, what bosom can remain insensible? It is indeed the season of regenerate feeling — the season for kindling, not merely the fires of hospitality in the hall, but the genial flame of charity in the heart.

— "Christmas" by Washington Irving

Angels Good

The good news of Christ's birth was first given to mankind through an angel, according to St. Luke: "And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night."

"And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid."

"And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people."

"For unto you is born this day in the city

One Solitary Life

He was born in an obscure village, the child of a peasant woman. He grew up in another village, where He worked in a carpenter shop until He was thirty. Then for three years He was an itinerant preacher. He never wrote a book. He never held an office. He never had a family or owned a home. He didn't go to college. He never visited a big city. He never traveled two hundred miles from the place



Best wishes for the merriest of holidays to you and your family

this Christmas!
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Merriest wishes and happiest thoughts, for all our friends at this holiday season. And bountiful thanks, to you, and you, and you.

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year

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Even though it's called a pie, Boston Cream Pie is a cake. This creation consists of two round yellow cake layers separated by a rich, creamy vanilla filling with chocolate frosting spread over the top.

This luscious variation of the original recipe uses satiny-smooth sweetened condensed milk in the custard filling as well as in the dark, chocolate frosting. The precooked blend of milk and sugar eliminates steps in cooking.

This classic American dessert is said to have first been created at the Parker House Hotel in Boston, Massachusetts, but its popularity has spread throughout the country.

BOSTON CREAM PIE (Makes one 9-inch cake)

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| 1 (9-inch) prepared yellow cake layer, split | 2 egg yolks |
| 1 tablespoon cornstarch | 2½ teaspoons vanilla extract |
| ¾ cup water | ¼ teaspoon salt |
| 1 (14-ounce) can Eagle® Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk (NOT evaporated milk) | 1 (1-ounce) square unsweetened chocolate |

In small saucepan, dissolve cornstarch in water; stir in ¾ cup sweetened condensed milk, egg yolks, 2 teaspoons vanilla and dash salt; mix well. Over medium heat, cook and stir until thickened, about 10 minutes. Remove from heat; cool 15 minutes. Chill 15 minutes. Meanwhile, in small saucepan, combine remaining sweetened condensed milk, chocolate and dash salt. Over medium heat, cook and stir until chocolate melts and mixture thickens, about 10 minutes. Remove from heat; stir in remaining ¼ teaspoon vanilla. Place bottom half of cake on serving plate; spread with custard. Top with top half of cake; pour frosting in center of cake; spread to edge. Chill at least 2 hours before serving. Refrigerate leftovers.

herds. It seems that she waited too long and missed the star, and ever after she has wandered in search of the Baby Jesus at Christmas time.

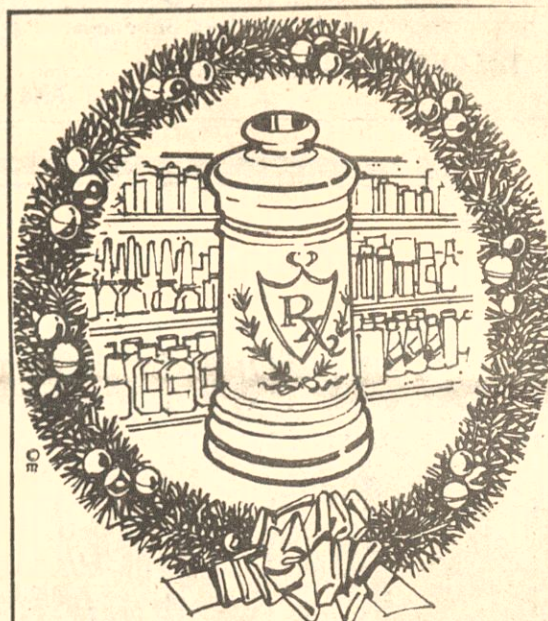
She leaves gifts at each house in Italy, in hopes that the Christ Child may be sheltered there.

A Child's Christmas In Italy

Italian children have to wait until the Feast of the Epiphany, on January 6th, to receive their gifts.

Instead of a visit from Santa Claus, children in Italy are visited by La Befana at that time.

Something of a witch, La Befana had the misfortune of not being able to find the Christ Child on the first Christmas, even though she had been told all about the star of Bethlehem by the shep-



Our Yuletide prescription for you: one part laughter, two parts love, and a big "thank you" to all the people we've so enjoyed serving!

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HAVE A MIGHTY FINE HOLIDAY!



Santa's on hand to make it official... Christmas is here, along with all the smiles and happy times. We'd just like to add our thoughts and thanks to all for your loyal support, and wish you all a cheer-filled Christmas in every way!

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"The Faith of a Little Child" Let Us Attempt to Regain It

Almost everyone is familiar with the letter written to a little girl in the late 1800s by Charles Dana, Editor of the New York Sun newspaper.

"Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus."

The words are famous all over the world, and have been translated into many languages.

In this year 1971 it epitomizes the same need to believe in the simple realities of life, not necessarily in the hard facts; sometimes they are immaterial, secondary to the spirit that is intended.

With the world full of torment and divisiveness, of raging wars and revolution, there is more need than ever today to hold to the Spirit of Christmas. Believe what you like about the divinity of the Christ, of the miracle birth, of the angels

appearing to the watching shepherds, of the Star that led the Wise Men to the place where He lay. Believe or not, no thoughtful person can discount the beauties of the Christmas Season.

It may be necessary to strip away the tinsel (though in itself it is only an embellishment to something possibly very real). It may be necessary to close your ears to the commercial din which descends

on American cities and towns as early as October!

It may be necessary to overlook the feverish exchange of gifts that pyramid in importance or monetary value without any spiritual substance whatever.

It may be necessary to dig deep for the true beauty of Christmas, in our own lives and in the lives of

those who touch us, day to day.

This year let the spirit of Christ "do its own thing," on its own precious terms.

Let us go back to seeing Christmas with the eyes of a child... not the selfish little child who thinks only of what gifts Santa will bring, but the unspoiled little child who is as yet untouched by the superficialities and the meaningless trappings of Christmas.

Let us give freely of ourselves, without thought of return.

Let us put aside old resentments, old feuds, corrosive habits which splinter our souls.

Let us "run" to welcome our neighbor, of any color — or any persuasion — even the bigot, for he is the loneliest of all.

Let us be joyous, with hope that springs from faith that we and all mankind can

work toward a new year with "goodwill to all."

Let us work. And let us pray to that Great Spirit, Father of all, that He will guide us along our path, always.

For, as Charles Dana

wrote to Virginia seventy-four years ago:

"The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see... Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance can push aside that (curtain and view) and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond..."

CHRISTMAS WREATH COOKIES

20 large marshmallows
1/2 cup margarine
1/4 tsp. green food coloring
6 cups corn flakes
Red cinnamon candies

In a 3-quart glass mixing bowl, melt butter and marshmallows at HIGH for 3 minutes or until marshmallows are melted.

Add food coloring and mix well.

Add corn flakes and mix until all flakes are coated with syrup.

With hands, form cookies into a ball the size of a golf ball, and then shape into a wreath.

Easy Way to Say Christmas Thanks

Here's an idea for a wonderful way for youngsters to say thank-you for Christmas presents — and much easier than persuading them to write thank-you notes!

Get someone to take a picture of the youngster showing him or her holding or using the gift. Then get him to write just a few words of thanks on a piece of paper or the photo itself. Grandma, or Uncle, is sure to be doubly pleased!



May your Christmas be everything you've been hoping for!

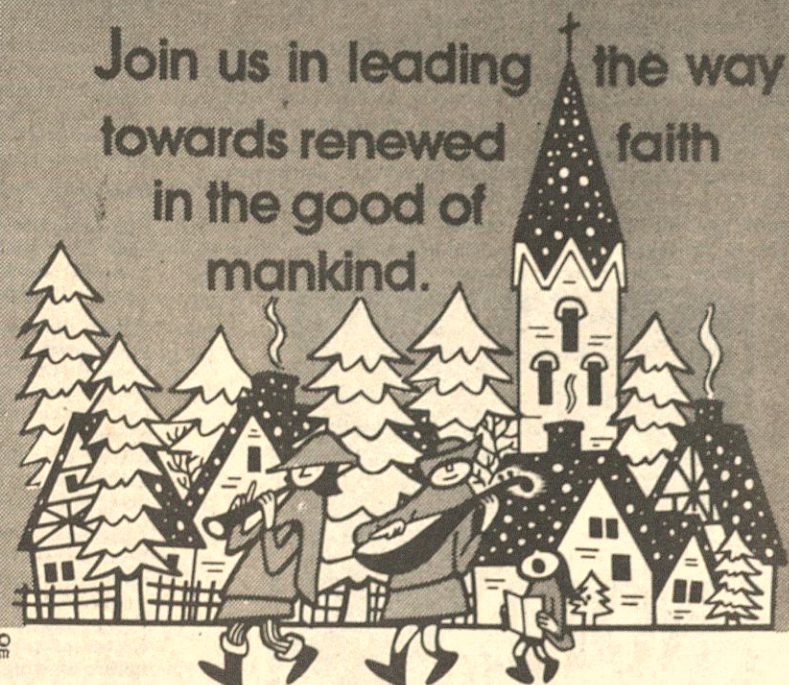
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Greetings Christmas

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in the good of
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To mankind given thru prophets old,
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In His small Self a gift does carry
From God the Father: God the Son,
To men that they may be as one.
Now Mary smiles upon the Child
Who comes in such a manner mild
To take His place as King of Kings,
Who with His birth salvation brings.
For this sweet Babe and mother young
Let homage joyously be sung;
Let painters praise them with great art;
Let there be praise in every heart!

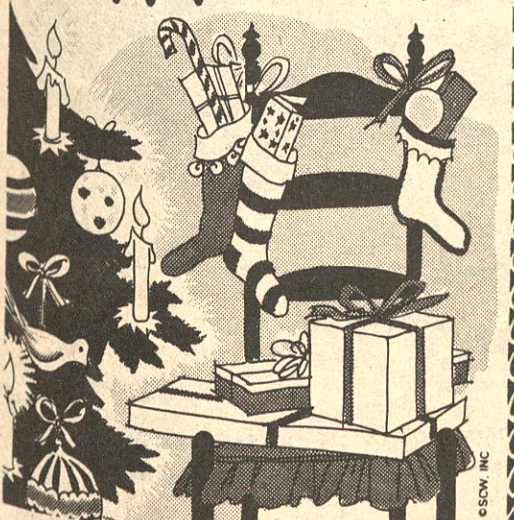
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JOLLY HOLIDAY
IN EVERY WAY!**

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Happy Holidays



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Stages Of Development Shed Light On Santa

Many people are concerned about the ethics of telling their children the Santa Claus story. Perhaps understanding more about the stages of child development will help decide what to do.

Up to age two: Christmas means very little to the extremely young child. Up to the age of two, the man with an oversized tummy, a deep laugh and wooly beard is an object of fear. Don't be surprised if your child hides behind your coat when he sees the Santa Claus at your local toy store. This stranger with his odd dress and loud voice is a threat to the security of a small child.

Two to 2½-year-old: About

age two, a child becomes more aware of Santa Claus. But with the noise and confusion that accompanies St. Nicholas, a child still may regard him with fear.

The child becomes more interested in Christmas, but he is absorbed with his presents and what he is going to get. He selfishly guards all that belongs to him.

The center of his attention is the Christmas tree, with its beautiful ornaments and sparkling lights. Allow the child to help decorate the tree, but never let him plug in the lights or play with ornaments.

Consider having a separate tree in his bedroom or playroom. A tiny pine tree from the woods with paper chains and soft ornaments is "just the ticket." Then he can touch and play to his heart's content!

Three-year-old: The three-

CREATIVE HOLIDAY APPETIZERS

Variety—it's the spice of life. In cooking and baking, variety is essential. A good cook is always looking for ways to turn out creative, interesting and great-tasting foods that invite compliments.

Developed by home economists in the Betty Crocker Kitchens, these recipes offer several unique uses for a conventional item—pie crust mix or sticks. Ideal for holiday entertaining, Cheddar Blossoms, Cheese Straws, Pastry Pinwheels and Emenaditas are hot appetizers sure to please any crowd.

And they're versatile. Different ingredients and flavorings can be substituted for a variety of combinations.

Let your imagination take over, and come up with even more variations!

Cheesy Pastry Appetizers

1 package Betty Crocker pie crust sticks or mix
1 cup shredded sharp natural Cheddar cheese

Heat oven to 450°. Prepare pastry for Two-Crust Pie as directed on package except—add cheese with the water. Shape into Blossoms or Straws as directed below. Bake until golden brown, 8 to 10 minutes. 45 to 48 appetizers.

Blossoms: Shape pastry into 1-inch balls. Place about 2 inches apart on ungreased cookie sheet. Press thumb deeply in center of each ball. Just before serving, fill indentations with softened cream cheese, mushroom caps, olives or sliced pimientos.

Straws: Roll pastry into rectangle, 15x9 inches, on



lightly floured board. Place on ungreased cookie sheet. Cut pastry lengthwise into thirds with sharp knife. Cut each third crosswise into 15 strips (do not separate). Sprinkle with salt, caraway or poppy seed and paprika.

Pastry Pinwheels

1 package Betty Crocker pie crust sticks or mix
1 can (4 1/2 ounces) deviled ham

Prepare pastry for One-Crust Pie as directed on package except—roll into rectangle, 13x10 inches. Spread with deviled ham. Roll up, beginning at 10-

inch side. Wrap and refrigerate until chilled, at least 1 hour.

Heat oven to 400°. Cut roll into 1/8-inch slices. Bake on ungreased cookie sheet until golden brown, 10 to 12 minutes. 3 dozen appetizers.

Emenaditas

1 package Betty Crocker pie crust sticks or mix
Chicken Filling or Ham Filling (below)

Heat oven to 425°. Prepare pastry for Two-Crust Pie as directed on package except—roll each round of pastry into 13-inch circle; cut each into 2 1/2-inch circles. Place scant teaspoonful Chicken Filling on

each circle. Fold circles in half, press edges together with fork to seal. Bake on ungreased cookie sheet until golden brown, about 12 minutes. Serve warm. About 3 dozen appetizers.

Chicken Filling: Mix 3/4 cup chopped cooked chicken, 3 tablespoons chili sauce and 1/8 teaspoon chili powder.

Ham Filling: Mix 1 can (4 1/2 ounces) deviled ham, 2 teaspoons prepared horseradish, 2 teaspoons prepared mustard and 1/4 teaspoon pepper.

Note: Emenaditas can be prepared up to 8 hours ahead of time and refrigerated. Bake as directed.

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form of snowflakes are hexagonal columns and long, slender, needle-like columns.

Tabular forms are the most varied and beautiful snow crystals, assuming delicate, starry, branching forms. It is these crystals that have drawn the awe and admiration of scientists and lay persons alike for centuries.

Naturalists have at-

tempted to draw these fragile patterns in etching and more recent times and more recent times have made photographs of the crystals. Perhaps part of the fascination of snowflakes is their amazing nature, enhancing the ethereal quality of beauty.



Warm Wishes



Here are wishes expressly for our many friends: the happiest of holidays and the best of everything! Thanks for your patronage.

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SNOWFLAKES AROUSE AWE, ADMIRATION

Among the many delights of Christmastime are those wondrous bits of crystal we call snowflakes. Is there any pastime more pleasant than watching the first snowfall of the season?

While scientists may describe snowflakes as water vapor in the air that has crystallized into geometrical forms, most snowflake fanciers prefer a term such as "snow blossoms". Although two snowflakes are rarely alike, they do fall into two distinct categories, columnar and tabular. Most of them are transparent, with brilliant facets that reflect light, giving them a white appearance when massed.

Included in the columnar

about how the poinsettia came to be and it begins in Mexico, a country that is just south of the United States.

There was a young boy who was very sad one Christmas Eve. You see, in his little town it was the custom to offer gifts to the Christ Child. People would come to the church on Christmas Eve and place their gifts upon the altar.

But Manuelito, as we shall call him, was very poor. He had no gift to bring before the Infant Jesus.

Too shy to go inside the church without a gift, he knelt outside a window and began to pray. We don't know what Manuelito said, but perhaps he was telling the Holy Infant how sorry he was that he did not have a gift to offer. For that is what prayer is, you know; talking to God.

As he rose to his feet, he noticed a beautiful red flower growing in the very spot where he had knelt. Amazed, he bent down to examine the flower. He had never seen one like it.

Suddenly he realized that this lovely flower was a gift from heaven, an answer to his prayer!

Joyfully, Manuelito plucked the flower and carried it inside, to lay before the altar.

And that is why the poinsettia is known as "The Flower of the Holy Night" in Mexico.

The Legend of The Very First Poinsettia

Have you ever seen a poinsettia? It's a beautiful, red flower with a yellow center, that people like to decorate with at Christmas-time.

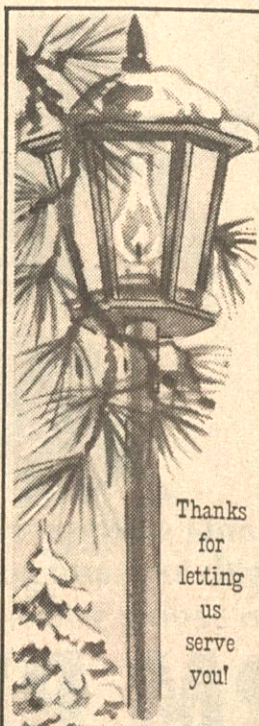
There is a lovely legend

Rejoice



True blessings of Christmas joyfully arise from that first wondrous Holy Night. May the spiritual glories of the season be yours.

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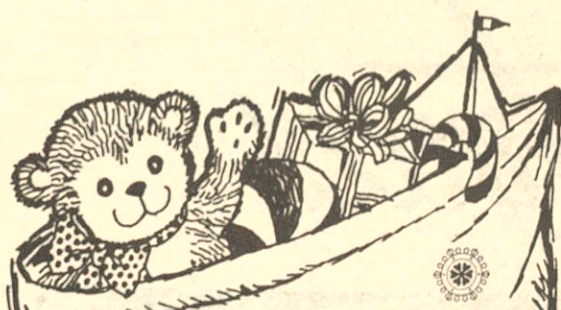
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Best Wishes

May the Spirit of Christmas bless you and yours and bring you the Joys of the Season.

Greetings from
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Literature of Christmas Enhances Enjoyment of the Holiday Season

JOY AND PEACE



May the Blessed Shepherd lead you through the darkness to the heavenly light of His love.

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HWY. 25 NORTH - IUKA

Just as music and decorations add to the merriment of the holiday season, so the literature of Christmas enriches its meaning for all of us.

Fortunately for readers, Christmas has inspired many a wonderful poem or story.

Perhaps the most famous story of all is *A Christmas Carol* written by England's Charles Dickens in 1843. Is there anyone among us who has

not been fascinated by Old Scrooge and his miserly ways . . . or been touched by the pathetic figure of Tiny Tim? This beloved tale has inspired plays, musicals and motion pictures, not to mention generations of readers!

English poets, too, have been inspired by the nativity or its celebration. Tennyson, Elizabeth Barrett Browning, and John Milton are among those whose

poetry sings of the season.

Here in America, the most famous Christmas poem of all was written for the entertainment of some youngsters, the children of Dr. Clement Clarke Moore, a professor of divinity.

In this poem, entitled *The Visit of St. Nicholas*, Dr. Moore described the activities of Santa Claus on Christmas Eve and old Santa himself. Today, our conception of Santa is derived to a great extent from his description: "His eyes, how they twinkled! his dimples, how merry! . . . He had a broad face and a little round belly, that shook when he laughed, like a bowl full of jelly." With such a delightful portrait, no wonder youngsters and adults alike took Dr. Moore's poem to heart.

Marmee's Girls

In her popular novel, *Little Women*, Louisa May Alcott gave us a charming glimpse of Christmas among impoverished but genteel society. The March girls—Jo, Amy, Beth and Meg—have pitiful funds, yet they conspire to shower their beloved "Marmee" with thoughtful little gifts: slippers, a hankie, cologne and gloves. She in turn, is only able to give each of her girls a small book. Yet, the reader basks in the warmth that these beloved characters evoke.

Denmark's Hans Christian Andersen has written several tales with Christmas themes and they are justifiably cherished in world literature. Who can forget the story of *The Little Match Girl* . . . or *The Little Fir Tree*? Each story has that ability to touch our heartstrings, no matter how often read.

In more modern times, another American, William Sidney Porter, was to pen a classic story that has come to epitomize the spirit of Christmas itself: *The Gift of the Magi*. Writing under the name of O. Henry, Porter told the bitter-sweet tale of a young couple, Della and Jim. Although lacking in material goods, they have an abundance of that most precious gift of all, the gift of love.

Famed Editorial

Not all the literature of Christmas is to be found in stories or poems. An editorial, written to a young inquirer is probably one of the best-known "works" that is quoted each holiday season. When an editor of the New York Sun published his answer to Virginia O'Hanlon on September 21, 1897, he laid to rest once and for all the question, "Is there a Santa Claus?" That editorial has been reprinted countless times since then, and it never fails to inspire.

St. Matthew wrote the first account of the Wise Men bringing their gifts to the Infant; St. Luke first described the astonished shepherds in the field near

Bethlehem. Of all those who have written about Christmas, these two authors must surely be the most widely read of all!

Nutcracker Ballet Now A Tradition

For many, the holiday season would not be complete without enjoying a performance of the *Nutcracker Suite*.

This popular ballet has come to be synonymous with Christmas, due to its holiday setting and beautiful music. Based on a story by E.T.A. Hoffmann, the ballet is probably Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky's most beloved work. Each holiday season finds ballet groups, both amateur and professional, presenting it anew for the delight of youngsters and adults alike.

The story is a simple, yet fanciful one; a little girl is presented with a nutcracker at Christmas time. She dreams that the nutcracker

comes to life in the person of a handsome prince who leads the toys to battle against an army of mice.

He then takes the girl off to Arabia, where she is entertained with dances by the Sugarplum Fairy and a delightful assortment of characters.

There are exotic Arabian dancers, quaint Chinese performers, and exciting Russian dancers among others, all in colorful attire.

Finally, there is a spectacular dance by lovely flowers, known as the "Waltz of the Flowers." As the flowers dance to the familiar, lilting music for the entranced young heroine and her handsome prince, it is easy to see that this ballet has truly captured the wonder and fancy of childhood for all to enjoy, regardless of age.

The *Nutcracker Suite* was first performed in 1892, and it has been delighting generations of ballet-lovers, young and old, ever since.

Tchaikovsky wrote

Merry Christmas
Wishing you the best that the Season has to offer you and yours!
TOWN & COUNTRY EMPLOYEES

many symphonies, concertos and overtures, but probably no single work of his is as popular as this Christmas classic.

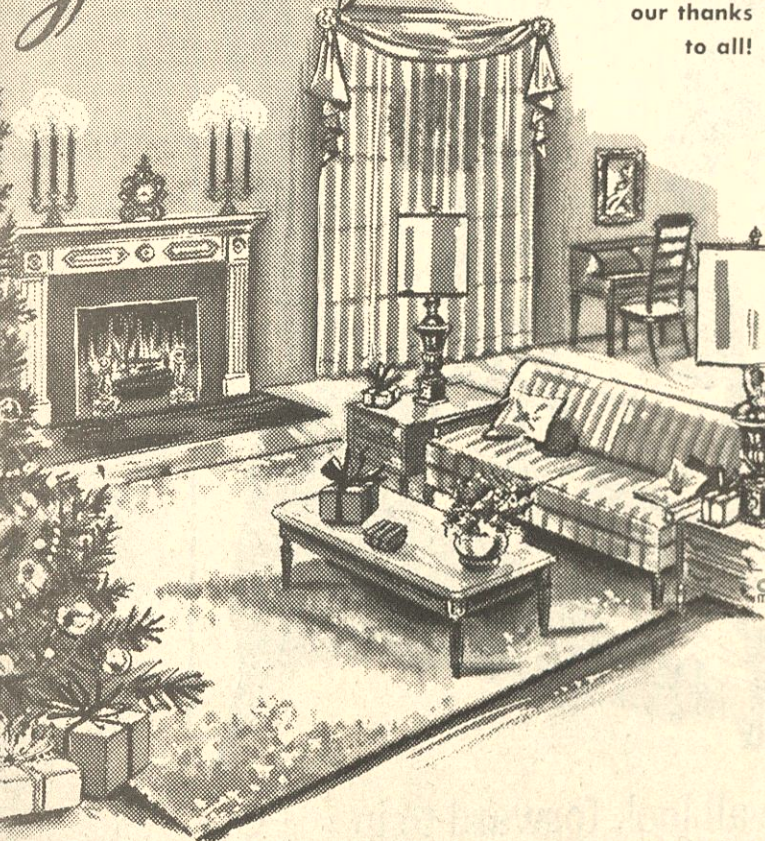
Few coins are made of pure gold or silver because they are not durable and wear out rapidly unless alloyed with another metal.

Merry Christmas
Happiness is: a Christmas filled with laughter and good times . . . with family and friends. Enjoy it!

DR. & MRS. TOM GOYER

Greetings

May your hearth be happy and your heart content. We send this greeting with our thanks to all!



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cherished friendships
happy laughter of happy children,
and the good will of all men.
Have the merriest of all Christmases!

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We wish you great joy this Christmastide...may love and peace abide with you and yours all through the holiday season and in days to come.

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'Tis the season of merriment and festive days, that we all look forward to in so many ways. As we celebrate this Yuletide with good friends and good cheer, we're especially happy to extend our glad tidings to all of you who've been our special friends throughout the year. With warmest wishes and many thanks, may you enjoy the happiest and healthiest of holidays

this year and years to come.

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