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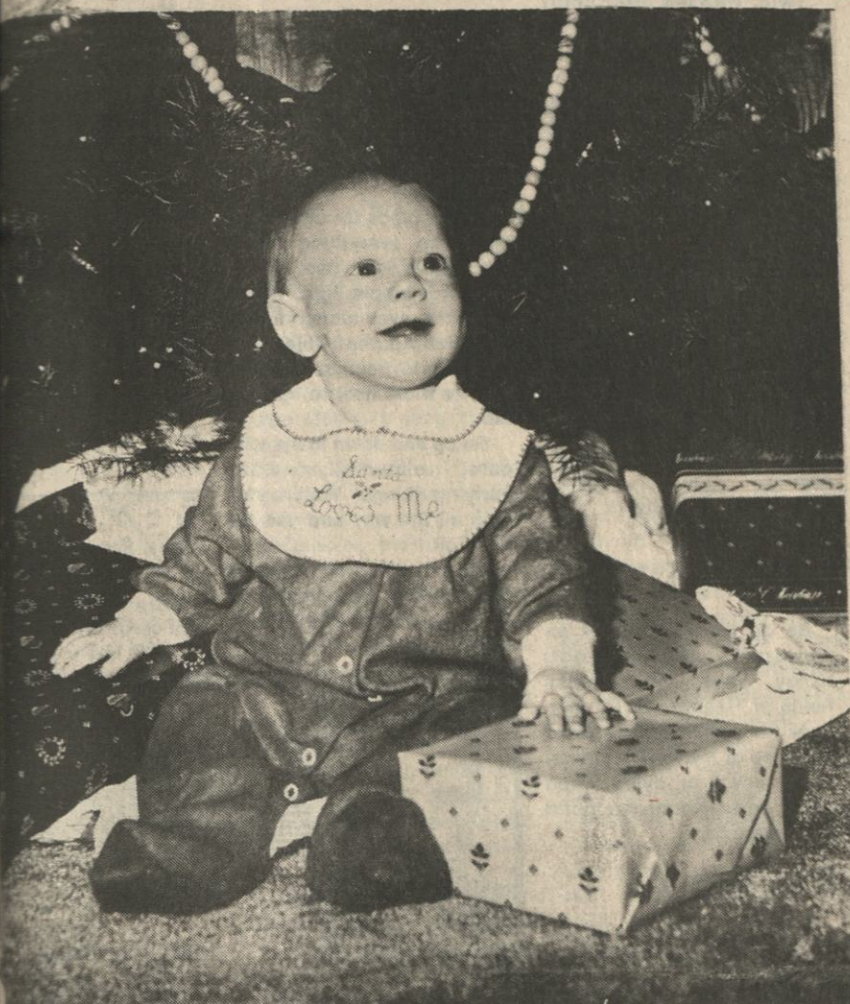
Happy Holidays

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Hurry Christmas....Hurry Fast!

"What's it all about, this thing called Christmas? Oh, I'm just so excited! How will I ever sleep tonight as visions of sugar plums dance through my head?" Nine months is certainly an awesome age ... full of new discoveries and wonders. "Who is Santa Claus, and what are Jingle Bells and who is Rudolph, and is his nose really red, and do reindeer really know how to fly?"

Christmas 1988 will be a first for David and Shelia Thorne and baby David Lee of Iuka as they celebrate the holiday season together. David and Shelia are finding the joys of parenting to be a very unique experience and are providing all the right answers to their firstborn. Christmas at the Thorne home will be a memorable occasion as relatives gather. Grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hooker and Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Thorne, all of Iuka, are sure to be there. And great-grandmother, Mrs. Lottie King of Corinth will be amongst it all.

Season's Greetings

Businesses, individuals, civic officials, civic organizations, and professional people send you Christmas greetings in this issue of your Tishomingo County News.

These people take this time to send Season's Greetings to residents of Tishomingo County and the surrounding area.

The following is a list of those sending special greetings:

B.L.R. Feeds, The Balloon Factory, Dr. Joe Barlow, Betty's Beauty Salon, William Bonds, Carpet's Unlimited and Circus Burger, The Clothes Cottage, The Country Barber Shop, The Country Squire, Curtis Drug, Cutshall Funeral Home, The Cycle Shop, The County Clubboard, Clark's Amoco, Country Cottage Florist, Dougherty Refrigeration, Dr. Men's Wear, Farm House, First Citizens Loans, Family Fashion Outlet, The Friendly Florist, B & G Construction, Inc., Dr. Phillip H. Iuka Animal Clinic, Iuka Discount Drugs, Iuka Flower Shop, Iuka Guaranty Bank, Iuka Scrap Metal, Jack's,

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May your Christmas and New Year be bright and merry!

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Holiday Closings

The Tishomingo County News Office will be closed Monday, December 26 and January 2, in observance of the Christmas and New Year's Holiday.

Other area closings include: all county and state offices in the courthouse will be closed Friday and Monday, December 23 and 26. Iuka City Hall will be closed Saturday and Monday December 24 and 26. The Tishomingo County Electric Power Association office will be closed Friday and Monday, December 23 and 26. First American National Bank will be closed Monday, December 26. Republic Bank, open Friday, December 23 from 9 - 12 a.m. closed Saturday and Monday, December 23 and 26. Iuka Guaranty Bank will be closed December 26 and January 2.

Gospel Singing

Fifth Street Baptist Church will have a Gospel Singing Friday, December 30. Featured singers will be The Cartwrights of Jackson, TN. More information in next weeks edition.

Christmas Program

Palestine Church will have their Christmas Program, Friday, December 23, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Title of the program is "The True Meaning of Christmas." Everyone is welcome.

SEASON'S BEST WISHES

Holiday Services At Southwood Baptist Church

On Christmas Day there will be only the morning worship hour beginning at 10:00 a.m. Sunday school and night services will be canceled. The same schedule will be followed on New Year's Day. There will be a watch night service Saturday, December 31st, from 8 p.m. to 12 p.m. a Jerry Clowers "Ain't God Good" will be shown along with testimonies and singing.

Benefit Service

Fairview Community Church will have a benefit service Friday, December 23, beginning at 7:00 p.m. for J.W. Broadway, who is in the hospital at Nashville, TN for heart surgery.

The public, all singers and piano players are welcomed to come and help in this worthy cause.

The family would appreciate your prayers. The church is located on Piney Flats Road at North Crossroads.

Spin-off Industry Locates In Area

In anticipation of NASA's proposed solid rocket motor booster project Yellow Creek location, Tishomingo County has attracted it's first spin-off industry.

Pickens Machine Shop, formerly of Jackson, Tennessee, is relocating it's business to Iuka. The six year old firm will move into a building owned by Dale Curtis in the second district area of North Crossroads on Highway 25.

Paul V. Pickens, owner, has over forty years experience in all aspects and phases of development and machine work. Currently the company is manufacturing products for the SX Corporation in Arab, Alabama, and doing work for Kol-Pak in Selmer, Tennessee. Another project involves building a mold for a research development company in Huntsville.

Two other locations in different states were considered before the decision was made to locate in Iuka, Pickens said. The major factor in selecting this area was the NASA project.

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Development Foundation Executive Director, Mack L. Wadkins worked with Mr. Pickens in showing him the various possibilities available for his company's relocating. Iuka Mayor, John Biggs and second district supervisor, Ricky Cummings were also instrumental in securing the industry for the county.

The company official states that only local people will be employed. He plans to get underway at North Crossroads as soon as equipment can be set up, possibly by next week. Initial employment will demand ten to fourteen workers. Applications have been taken and others will be considered.

The staff at Pickens Machine Shop specializes in the following areas: phototyping and model building, plastic sheet vacuum forming, material casting, mold repair, and plastic and injection molds. In addition, the vendor will engage in all aspects of custom and general machine work.

Lott To Tour Yellow Creek Site

A reception open to the general public at the old Tishomingo County Courthouse is planned January 11 as U.S. Senator-elect Trent Lott tours the Yellow Creek nuclear plant site.

"The Congressman will be touring the planned future site of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration Advanced Solid Rocket Motor Plant with NASA representatives," said Dr. Kelly Segars, a close associate of Lott.

"The reception will be held at 4 p.m. after the tour and will give Senator-elect Lott the opportunity to visit with his many friends in this area," Dr. Segars said.

The Congressman will be sworn in as U.S. Senator in

January. He was elected to fill the vacancy left at the retirement of Senator John C. Stennis.

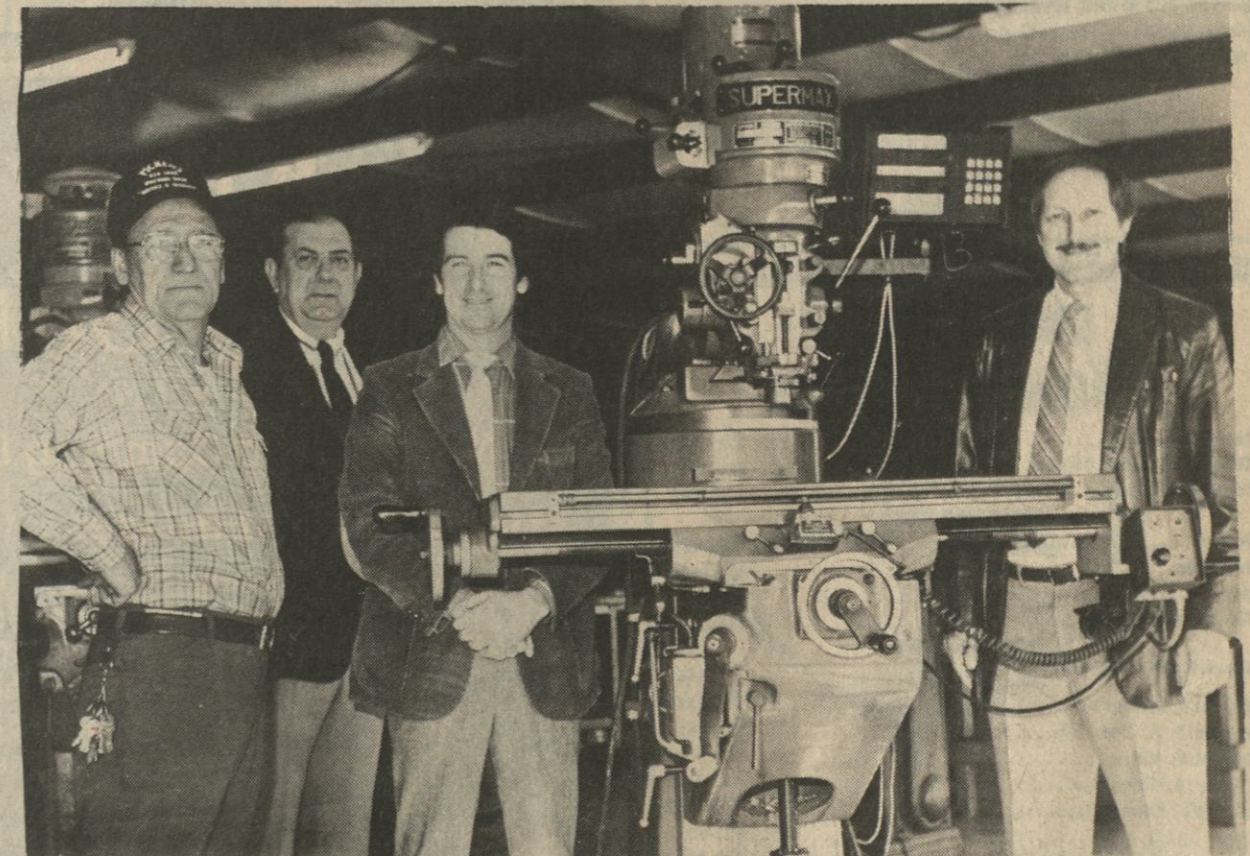
Services

Worship Services on Sunday, December 25, for all Churches on the Tishomingo chart of The United Methodist Church will be held at 10:00 a.m. at The Tishomingo United Methodist Church.

A special invitation is extended to everyone.

The Tishomingo United Methodist Church will have a Communion Service at 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 24.

Everyone is invited to participate in this special Christmas Eve Service.



Setting Equipment Iuka welcomes the first spin-off industry in relation to the solid rocket motor plant to locate in the county this week. Pickens Machine Shop,

a six year old business from Jackson, TN, has chosen to move in a building at North Crossroads. The company which specializes in all aspects and phases of

development and machine work will employ ten to fourteen local workers. Paul V. Pickens, owner, is shown left with local officials who were effective in recruitment of the

enterprise: Iuka Mayor, John Biggs; Second District Supervisor, Ricky Cummings; and Mack L. Wadkins, Tishomingo County Development Foundation Executive Director.



Jackpot Winner
John R. Rutherford, of Rt. 1, Iuka, was the winner of this

weeks Piggy Wiggly Jackpot Drawing. Roy Smith is shown presenting Mr. Rutherford his

\$250.00 check. Mr. Rutherford also received \$50.00 of groceries for being present at the time of the drawing.

Be Careful With Foods During Holiday

During the busy holiday season it's easy to be careless with large quantities of food. The danger of food poisoning is more prevalent than during other times. Keeping food safe to eat eliminates the hazards of foodborne illness, plus it saves money. Food that you must throw out because it

spoils is wasted food and money -- and even worse if you eat it. Each year we get questions from consumers on holiday food preparations. Here are some of the questions and answers.

Q. How can you prevent the spread of germs?

A. You can prevent spreading germs by washing your hands and kitchen utensils with soap and hot water after handling one food and before moving on to another. You should never use the same cutting board and uten-

sils for cooked meat that you used when the meat was raw, or you'll get the germs right back on your cooked foods. Wash the cutting board and utensils first with soap and water.

Q. Once you have thoroughly cooked the holiday meal, is there any danger of food poisoning?

A. Very much so. Even though cooking food thoroughly kills most germs, they can spread to food again once it has cooled. Germs on raw food can spread to

cooked foods if the two come into contact. Remember that germs can spread to any food as the result of contact with dirty hands and kitchen utensils. Germs from meat and poultry can spread, during handling, to other foods that you don't normally cook.

Q. What if I want to prepare holiday dishes ahead of time?

A. When preparing a hot dish ahead, place it in the refrigerator within 30 minutes after cooking. Reheat thoroughly just before serving.

Never leave cold dishes at room temperature. Refrigerate immediately after preparation.

Q. How far in advance can I purchase groceries for the holiday?

A. To avoid the holiday rush, you might want to buy your groceries a few days ahead of the occasion. Just make sure to use fresh meat, poultry, eggs and liquid dairy products within three to five days of purchase and keep them well refrigerated. Freeze fresh meat and poultry immediately after purchase if you plan to keep them longer.

Q. Is it true that thawing meat and poultry at room temperature is unsafe?

A. Plan ahead in your busy schedule to allow time for thawing frozen foods in the refrigerator. When frozen meats or poultry are thawed outside the refrigerator, the outer surfaces of the meat are exposed too long at temperatures that allow germs to grow. If it is necessary to thaw a large turkey outside

the refrigerator, it may be thawed in a water-tight package under cold running water. A second alternative would be to place the bird in a double brown paper bag to insulate it against too warm temperatures and uneven thawing. Cook promptly after thawing.

Foodborne illness can cause diarrhea, vomiting, stomach cramps and other unpleasant symptoms which can last for several hours or even days!

Don't let food poisoning ruin your holiday season!

Looking Back

The following bits of information was taken from the issue of The Vidette, December 16, 1948.

Christmas Dance, December 23, 8:00 p.m. Tishomingo State Park. All proceeds, contributed to the community Christmas fund. Everyone cordially invited.

This week we are attempting to convert The Vidette into eight column paper from a seven column. Here's hoping the operation turns out successful, but it is our desire to endeavor to give our readers a newspaper that will be equal to any in the country. It is possible we won't attain our objective but we will keep right on trying to improve with each issue.

Tishomingo County will soon have a new jail according to a report by Sheriff Pace. The jail which will cost an approximate \$14,000 will

be located on the Eastport Road, said Sheriff Pace.

James Lee Coker, Rt. 2 Iuka, was a District Winner and State Winner in Soil Conservation carrying a \$50.00 Gov't Bond and a trip to the annual 4-H Round-up at Jackson, MS.

William Howard Osborn, Rt. 1 Tishomingo, was State Winner in 4-H Corn Production and won a trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Reynolds on December 7, at the Colbert County Hospital, a baby girl. She has been named Sybil Janette.

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Mrs. Eugene Foote, Mr. J.O. Ramsey and Mrs. W.J. Ramsey spent several days last week with Mrs. Jimmy Loftin in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Ramsey and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimble Bishop of Tocopola, MS last Thursday.

Mrs. W.A. Pope, mother of Mrs. Thurman Gann was carried to Memphis to a hospital Monday for treatment.

W.H. Fairless and family spent Sunday in Hayleyville, AL as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Brandon Chenault.

Mr. C.L. Trim and Mr. Grover Hardy spent the week-

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end in Oxford, MS. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert are happy parents of a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston trell were visitors in the of Mr. and Mrs. Brandon trell last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker visited Mrs. W. Tucker last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delton recently moved in their home on highway 25. Mrs. Ben Frederick moved to the Nelson home vacated.

USED CARS

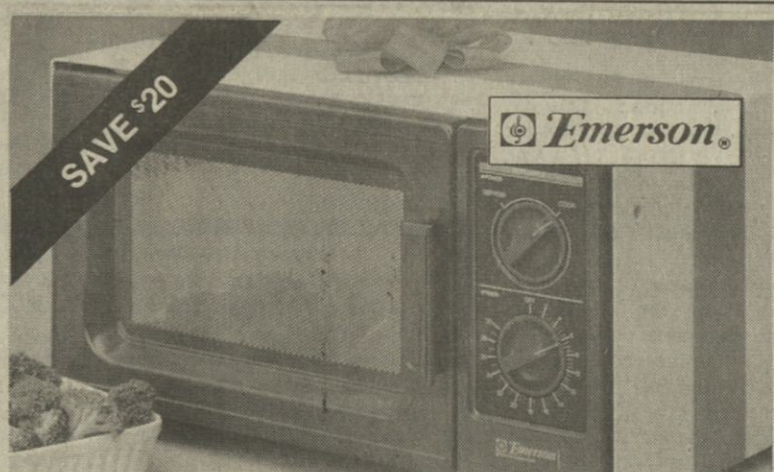
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4-Hers Clean Park
Rainbow II 4-Hers cleans up Rainbow Park in Burnsville Park. All the 4-Hers Rainbow I and Rainbow II would like to see our park stay clean, so

please help us by putting litter in it's place. Pictured from left to right, front row, left to right: April Burns, Joseph Burns, Cassey Compton, Natalie Williams, Eric Rorie, Andrew Burns, Mat-

thew Cummings. Back row, left to right: Kathy Hendrix, Helper, Sherry Rorie, Teen Leader, Stephanie Newcomb, Wesley Orick, Heath Lynch, Eric Timbes, Amanda Todd, Melissa Hendrix, Cindy Tim-

bes, Teen Leader, Donna Burns, 4-H Leader. Not pictured - Jana Burcham, Lavonia Morris, Blaine Holland, Amanda Vunncannon.



Livestock Judging
Health Fair 4-Hers April Burns, left, and Heath Lynch center, attended the bread

workshop at Tishomingo Vocational Center and the Hospital Health Fair November 19 at Iuka High School

gymnasium. Heath, along with Wesley Orick, right, are presently learning livestock judging for the 4-H contest.

The young 4-H members part of the Rainbow II Burns.

Chatting With Your Home Economist

By: Nellie R. Horton, Extension Home Economist

CHRISTMAS IS HOLIDAY FOOD SAFETY TIME

The Christmas Holidays are a time for informal entertaining, which means more buffets rather than formal sit-down dinners. Buffets are fun because they lend themselves to the creation of many different festive dishes, states Nellie R. Horton, Extension Home Economist.

But there's also a risk that food can become contaminated in the best of homes. Buffet-type foods are more susceptible to food poisoning bacteria like salmonella. Having to hold food at room temperature for long periods of time also increases the risk.

The usual candle or alcohol burner will keep food warm to the taste. It may not keep food hot enough to destroy harmful bacteria. The electric hot tray is better if it can maintain a temperature above 140 degrees F.

Below 14 degrees F. there is not bacterial growth. From 14 degrees F. to 44 degrees F. there is slow growth of har-

mless spoilage bacteria. Between 44 degrees F. and 125 degrees F. there is increasingly rapid growth of food poisoning bacteria.

For safety's sake, allow a little below and above this range. Do not leave food between 40 degrees F. and 140 degrees F. for more than two hours. Plan the buffet so that most hot foods can be served almost directly from the stove.

Keep the servings small and replenish the depleted dishes from the stove or refrigerator. This will eliminate much worry and concern.

Stuffed foods, including the traditional seasonal bird, are choice hideaways for bacteria. The warm interior cavity of the turkey is a favorite spot for bacterial growth. The stuffing also gets a lot of handling, which increases the chances of contamination.

If stuffing is mixed in advance, store it in the refrigerator separate from the bird. Stuff the bird just before cooking and cook the interior of the stuffing to 165 degrees F. Use a meat thermometer.

Remove all leftover stuffing from the bird or other foods. Refrigerate the stuffing in a separate container if it is to be served again.

Although bacteria can be killed by cooking foods thoroughly, there is the danger of recontamination. Bacteria on raw food can contaminate cooked foods if the two come into direct contact.

Equally important to remember is that bacteria can contaminate any foods as the result of direct or indirect contact with dirty hands and kitchen utensils such as bowls, knives, forks and cutting boards. Such cross-contamination can be prevented by washing hands and kitchen utensils with soap and hot water after handling one food and before moving on to another. The safety-conscious homemaker wears kitchen gloves if she has sores on her hands and keeps her hands away from the mouth, nose and hair when preparing foods.

The home kitchen may look spotless, and the dishes freshly washed, but the food can still become contaminated if careful handling procedures are not followed.

BUT YOU CAN'T GO TO SLEEP!
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CRANBERRY-ORANGE NOG

1 scoop crushed ice
2 oz. cranberry juice
2 oz. fresh squeezed orange juice
2 oz. cream or half & half
1/2 oz. simple syrup*
1 whole egg

Combine in blender, blend until smooth. Serve in 12 oz. glass. Sprinkle with dash of cinnamon. Garnish with 1/2 orange slice. *Simple Syrup...In saucepan, combine 2 cups sugar and 1 cup water. Bring to boil, stirring until sugar dissolves. Boil gently for 5 minutes. Makes about 2 cups. Will keep 6 months in refrigerator.

County Agent's Notes

COTTON PLANNING

There are many winter jobs that are important to cotton production in Tishomingo County. Some of them are soil sampling, subsoiling, liming, land forming and improving drainage--just to name a few.

Now is also a good time to

analyze the cotton crop you just harvested. Your analysis will help you determine whether to repeat your farming practices in 1989 or to change them.

Don't discard a particular practice because of poor performance in a single season. Think long and hard before adopting a new practice on a large percentage of your cotton acreage, if the practice is not supported by results. Limit new ideas to small acreages until you have had the proper time to evaluate them.

Stay competitive by reading current publication and attending meetings such as the Beltwide Cotton Conference, Jan. 3 through 7, in Nashville.

WEED CLEANUP

Fence rows, ditches and storage areas should be treated for weeds during the winter. If gardens, vineyards, cotton and other sensitive summer crops are grown near these areas, consider making herbicide applications during this off-season period.

Dormant oil sprays with a 1 percent to 1.5 percent solution of oil-soluble phenoxy herbicides, garlon or dicamba will work.

During dry periods, you also can apply herbicides such as spike, velpar, arsenal,

bromacil or prometon.

ORNAMENTALS

Twig girdlers are adult beetles that chew notches on small twigs or ornamentals. This notching cuts off the flow of nutrients, thus killing the twig and harming the plant.

Beetle larvae develop in the tip end of the twig. Control these pests by removing and destroying fallen twigs. Insecticides have no effect on the larvae within the twigs and little effect on adults.

The girdlers prefer some ornamentals over others. Some of their preferences include elm, oak, linden, apple, hickory, pecan, persimmon, poplar, honey locust, dogwood, hackberry and flowering fruit trees.

WINTER WORMS

Be on the lookout for armyworms attacking oat, barley, wheat and ryegrass fields in Tishomingo County. Look for small worms around the base of the forage plants. Apply sevin or dylox when five to seven worms are found per square foot.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

The Tishomingo County Extension Office wishes to extend to you a Merry Christmas. Have a safe and happy holiday.

4-H Communicates

By: Mary Cox
Extension 4-H Youth Agent

Winter -- you can love it or hate it. After a sizzling summer that saw much of the nation baked and dry, the brisk northern winds may not feel all that bad this year.

On the other hand, cold weather means we must feed a hungry furnace, engines are harder to start, and we must allow extra time to bundle up before heading to work or school. Worse yet, snow and ice are added hazards when driving and walking, and early darkness forces revisions in the way we drive and go about our business.

Take advantage of the upcoming school holidays to make your room and house safe for you and the rest of

your family.

And, here are some reminders I hope you'll pass along to help others enjoy a safe winter season.

There's no place like home! And there's no place like home when it comes to accidents, as more people are hurt at home than anywhere else. Make home safety a family affair.

Have a place for everything and keep everything in its place when not in use.

Provide ample light. Watch your step, even along familiar household paths. Objects or spills not previously there, may be there now to cause a fall.

Go up and down stairs with care, especially when carrying things. Watch your step all the way and use the handrail.

Wear well-fitted clothing and nothing dangling to trip you or catch on fire. Put on comfortable footwear with

slip-resistant soles.

Check electrical heating systems and appliances, making needed repairs.

Make your house safe for children and for elderly, handicapped family members and guests. Make a room inspection to correct any potential hazards.

If you would like more information on the 4-H Project call 423-3618.

Reminder--If you are going to go to the Livestock and Workshop at Mississippi State University, we will be leaving at 6:00 a.m. from County Courthouse lot, Saturday morning, January 7.

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By Dr. Paul Kellum, D.D.S.

Immediate Dentures

Q. Must there be a waiting period between extractions and use of dentures?

A. When someone has the remaining teeth removed, there are two choices about dentures: Wait until the gums heal to have dentures made, or get immediate dentures. Certain oral problems may preclude immediate dentures for some people, but they are an option for most.

The big advantage of immediate dentures is that the individual does not have to go out into the world, even temporarily, without teeth. Friends and others may not notice that the natural teeth have been extracted. Also, the immediate denture helps to protect the gums while they are healing.

An immediate denture does require further visits to the dentist. As the mouth tissues heal and shrink, the denture usually requires adjustments, relining and or remaking so that it continues to fit securely and comfortably.

Presented as a community service by Dr. Paul Kellum, D.D.S., 122 W. Front St., Iuka, MS, Ph. 423-3008.

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Hyneman - Stephenson Vows Exchanged

Elizabeth Hyneman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth N. Hyneman of Villa Rica, Georgia, was the bride of James F. Stephenson of Douglasville, Georgia, on October 15, at the First Baptist Church of Douglasville. Rev. LeRoy Dedmon officiated.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth N. Hyneman of Villa Rica. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Foote of Iuka and Mrs. Kenneth L. Hyneman of Michie, TN.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry F. Stephenson of Douglasville, GA.

The ceremony was held in a sanctuary with large windows. The bride wore a gown with large sleeves and a high collar. The groom wore a suit with a white shirt and a dark tie. The ceremony was officiated by Rev. LeRoy Dedmon.

Else, Natalie Ray sang "He Has Chosen You For Me," and "That's The Way," and David McGugin sang "Lord's Prayer."

David Debord of Tampa, was best man and usher. Groomsmen were Chris Stephenson, brother of the groom; Todd Hyneman, brother of the bride; Richard Kopelman of Atlanta and Bud Eure of Raleigh, N.C. Candles were lighted by Heath Hyneman, brother of the bride, and Doug Holloman, cousin of the groom.

Flower girls Denisha and Stacey Leathers, cousins of the bride, wore white smocked, heirloom dresses trimmed in lace. They wore sprigs of lily of the valley and carried white wicker baskets of rose petals. Jacob Stephenson, nephew of the groom, was ringbearer. Matron of honor was Lori Kinna of Raleigh, N.C. and

LeAnne Hyneman, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Melissa Wheeler of Bremen, Debbie Simmons of Villa Rica and Melanie Mills, cousin of the bride of Michie, TN. They wore gowns of iridescent emerald taffeta with sweetheart necklines and shirred sleeves. Long full skirts were accented in back by over-sized black taffeta bows. They carried bouquets of pink lilies, stephanotis, roses and baby's breath.

The bride wore a white satin gown with a sabrina neckline, fitted bodice with iridescent reembroidered alencon lace and pearls, and long shirred sleeves. The full skirt fell into a chapel-length train outlined with lace. A fingertip veil and tiara of alencon lace and pearls accented by a full pouf was the bride's headpiece.

She carried a bouquet of phalaenopsis orchids, lilies, lily of the valley, stephanotis, sweet peas, and maiden hair fern.

The bride wore a garter of French heirloom lace made by Mrs. Helen Crabb. Attached to the garter was the bride's grandmother's engagement ring and mother's baby locket.

Mrs. Hyneman attended her daughter's wedding in a slate blue georgette gown, designed with a draped neckline and trimmed with pearls and bugle beads on the shoulders. The groom's mother was wearing a champagne gown of georgette with lace bodice and dropped waist. They had phalaenopsis orchids.

The bride and groom left in a limousine in their wedding attire for a trip to Boston, Mass.

The parents of the bride entertained with a reception in the Fellowship Hall of the church. Greeters were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sauls and Mr. and Mrs. David McGugin.

Centering the hall was a gazebo surrounding a swan ice sculpture. Tables held silver candelabra and the bride's table was covered with an army-navy cloth and held an arrangement of white roses in a silver and crystal epergne. The white three-tiered cake was topped with lilies and roses.

The groom's table, overlaid with an army-navy cloth, held an arrangement of fruit and melons. The groom's cake was chocolate, topped with frosted grapes.

Serving were Tammie Stephenson, Gina Richardson, LeTisha Bassett, Sylvia Lee Elder and Windy Hyneman. Amberly Sauls gave out bird seed bags and Natalie Ray of Atlanta kept the bride's book.

Parents of the groom hosted a rehearsal dinner at the Carrollton Federal Gold Room in Bremen on the wedding eve.

Tables held silk flower arrangements made by the groom's mother.

The bride attended in a red silk dress accented with a floral silk scarf and a cymbidium corsage.

The couple is residing in Douglasville.

A bridesmaid luncheon was given on August 13 at the home of Mrs. Avis Hembree. Her co-hostesses were Mrs. Mary Berry and Mrs. Betty Redding.

On September 18 a bridal shower was given at the Bremen Church of Christ. Hostesses were Melissa Wheeler, Linda Pate, Sherry Midcliff, Louise Pearson, Euna Holland, Robbin Nowlin, Joyce Newberry, Wand Nelson and Ardie McGugin.

A bridal tea was given on September 24 at the home of Mrs. Verrill Ray. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Jane Boss, Mrs. Janice Fraser, Mrs. Barbara Mitchell, Mrs. Shirley Hall, Mrs. Sue Taylor, Mrs. Dana Wynn, Mrs. Barbara Tolbert and Mrs. Margie Chambers.

On October 6 a holiday bridal shower for relatives was given at the home of Mrs. Tammie Stephenson.

A bird-seed party was given on October 8 at the home of Mrs. Von Cole by Mrs. Cole and Beth Cole.

Out of town family guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mills, Michie, TN; Mr. and Mrs. Woody Hyneman, Michie TN; Mrs. Sue Elder, Memphis; Larry Elder, Little Rock, Ark.; Sylvia Elder, Dallas, Texas; Mrs. L.T. Robinson, Iuka; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Davis, Iuka; Mrs. Mattie Beard, Iuka; Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Foote (Boots), Muscle Shoals, AL; Mr. and Mrs. John Berckner, Gainesville, Florida; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomas, Selmer, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Leathers, Villa Rica, Georgia; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leathers, Villa Rica, Georgia; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sauls, Villa Rica, Georgia and Mr. Jimmie Tance of Villa Rica, Georgia.

In Service

Spec. Lowell G. Dulaney, son of Dorothy F. Moody of Rural Route 1, Belmont, MS, has received the parachutist badge upon completion of the three-week airborne course at the U.S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, GA.

During the first week of training, students underwent a rigorous physical training program and received instruction in the theory of parachuting. The second week they received practical training by jumping from 34-foot and 250-foot towers. The final week they made five staticline parachute jumps including one night jump.

New Arrival

Dennie C. and Kelly Lambert of Iuka, would like to announce the arrival of their daughter, Shannon Kellia Lambert, who was born on November 30, 1988 at the North Mississippi Women's Health Center in Tupelo. The little lady weighed 8 lbs. and measured 20 inches.

Proud grandparents are Dianne Cox of Iuka, Homer S. Cox of Sacramento, CA, Doris George of Iuka and W.T. Lambert of Seymore, Indiana.

Merry Christmas

The 4-H staff would like to wish all the 4-H members, volunteers and families a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

During these busy holiday times, let's all try to remember to practice safety. Don't let accidents spoil your enjoyment.

Dine with care. Holiday merrymakers increase the risk of accidents.

Before company comes, especially with small children, be sure household hazards that may cause injury are safely put away.

Select gift toys right for the child's age. Avoid easily broken or dissembled toys. Don't give babies play things with small parts they could swallow or choke on.

Cook with care. Also, a table loaded with food and drink could tempt many to put aside health concerns.

Don't drink and drive!

Reminder - The Northern Marksmen 4-H Club will meet today, December 22 at 1:00 p.m. at the Tishomingo County Courthouse.

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Commencement

Area students presented degrees during fall commencement at the University of North Alabama included: Lisa K. Pharr, Belmont, BS; Sharon Rose Dailey, Burnsville, BA; Patricia Ann Lambert Arnold, BSN; Dana Faith Edmondson Walker, Tishomingo, BSN; David L. Nichols, Iuka, MBA; Sharon Alane Page, Tishomingo, BSED; Donna Gray Dean, (Cum Laude) Glen, BSN and Jennifer Leigh Epps, Golden, BSN.

Deck The Halls & Build A Float

Twos, two weeks before Christmas and Rainbow II 4-H'ers meet. All were stirring, not one was asleep. Visions of a float danced in our heads. And out on the lawn a float was erected, no detail was neglected. And what to my wondering eyes should appear but a float, with a

driver slow and not roaring. We loaded and away we went in the Burnsville parade in front of old St. Nick. It was cold and most of us couldn't even tell if we had toes. We sang and waved, threw candy and such. We are glad our driver didn't twitch, he did his job well. We won second place and of this we are glad to tell. Thanks to Joan and Danny Lynch, Burnsville Bank, Mrs. Orick, Roger Bur-

ns, Cindy Timbes, Mr. Richardson, Sherry Rorie, all my 4-H'ers and Vicky Morris. Without all of you things could not have went off without a hitch.

Our float was the Toyland. Merry Christmas to all and to all a Happy Holiday night.

Donna Burns
Rainbow II 4-H

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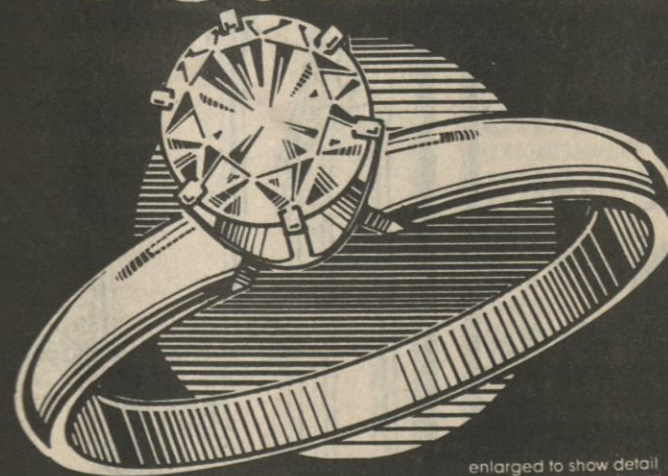
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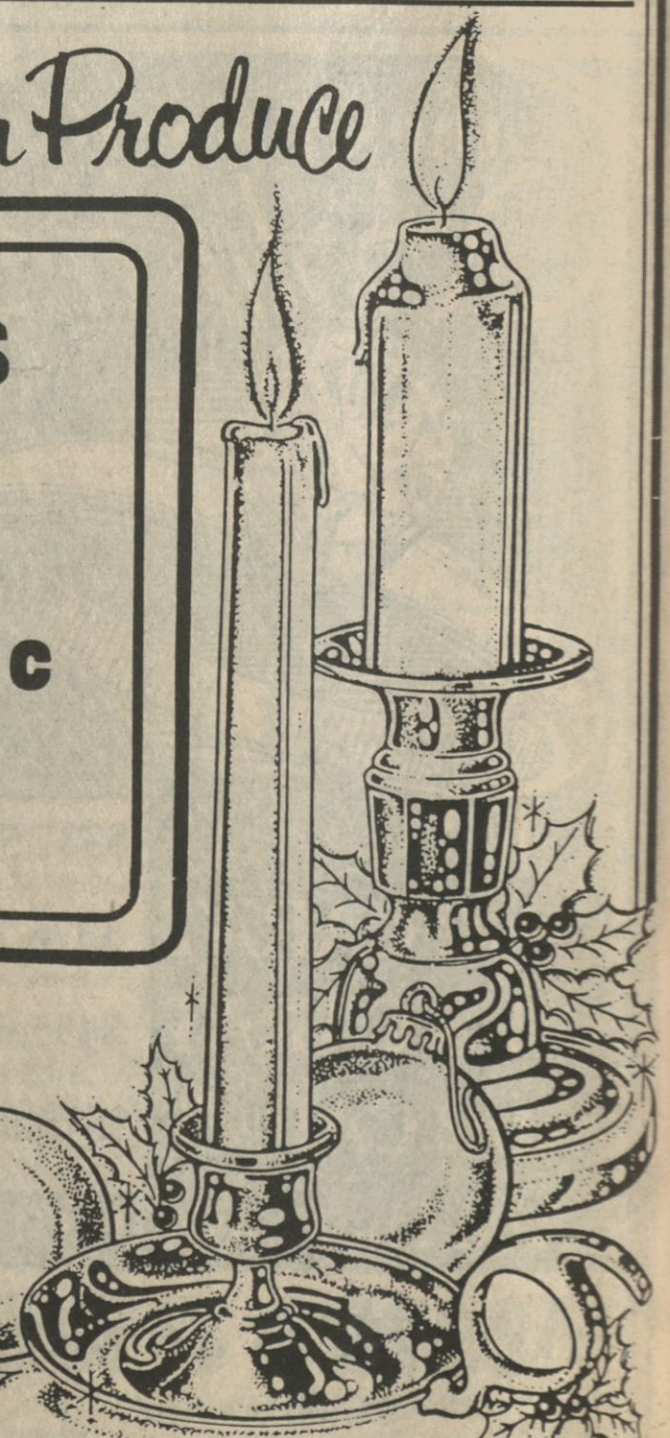
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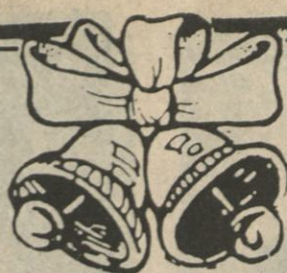
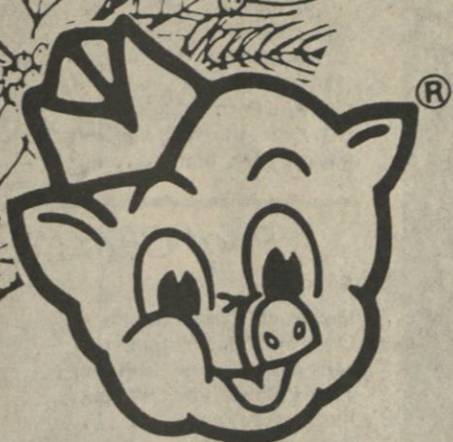
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Iuka has one of the four
satellite pilot programs in
Mississippi. Pictured from
left: Mr. Aubrey D. Ray,
building Coordinator for the
Satellite Program; Mrs. Linda

S. Barnett, I.H.S. Guidance
Counselor; Jimmy Smith;
Ashley Hopewell; and Mrs.
Donna Moore, Facilitator for
the Satellite Program.

Tishomingo Schools Honor Roll

Charles Skinner, Prin-
cipal, announces the
winning honor roll for Bur-
bank School, 2nd 6 weeks
1988.

2ND GRADE
Principal's List: Rebecca
Way and Travis
Way.

Honor Roll: Kristi Ball, April
Davis, Laura Burns, Matthew
Bonds, Nicole Davis, An-
Fugitt, Blaine Hall,
Hendrix, Joshua
Stephanie Lambert,
Newcomb, Eric
Bryan Powers, Doug
Venessa Smith, Brad

3RD GRADE

Principal's List: Jacob
Osborn
Honor Roll: Kim Bullard,
Jeremiah Hester, Zackary
Johnston, Butch Lambert,
Priscilla McGee, Jennifer
Miller, Josie Trim, Jason
Bumpous, Matthew Alred,
Carla Austin, Kimberly Bar-
nes, John Broadway, Brad
Davis, Chris Davis, Tracy
Felks, Christy Kennedy,
Bradley Marlar, Amanda
Ragan, Judith Sparks, Deren-
da White, Natalie Williams,
Barry Brigran, Brent Bonds,
Bobby Crane, Nicole Cum-
mings, Nikki Gowen, Lavonia
Morris, Shane Murray, Allison

4TH GRADE

Principal's List: Amanda
Massengill
Honor Roll: Michael
Boothe, Melanie Dill, Jennifer
Higginbottom, Stephanie Orr,
Bryan Long and Carrie Tapp.

5TH GRADE

Principal's List: Nicole
Lambert and Angie Orr
Honor Roll: Heath Castile,
Jessica Blakney, Ashley
Bonds, Magan Lambert,
Sheree Meeks, Leah Moore,
Dannie Shackelford, Jean
Walker, Brad Murray, Jessica
Johnson, Christy Hurst,
Jamie Miller, Ben Twitty and
Tim Lambert.

6TH GRADE

Honor Roll: Jessica Holder,
Jason Lambert, Monica
Cagle, Courtney Compton,
Shannon Fugitt and Misty
Osborn.

7TH GRADE

Principal's List: Jane
Walker and Jeremy McDuffy.
Honor Roll: Zack
Depoyster, Jolene Wilkins,
Patricia South, Chad Marlar
and Jessica Key.

8TH GRADE

Principal's List: Melissa
White, Kim Bobo, Gina Bon-

ds and Terina Cummings.
Honor Roll: Kerri Peters,
Abbe Rose, Amy Skinner,
Shawn Yarbber, Keith Barnett,
Regina Caston, Kim Com-
pton.

9TH GRADE

Principal's List: Bradley
Bonds and Michael Odom.
Honor Roll: Kevin Blakney,
Peyton Cummings and Candy
Whitaker.

10TH GRADE

Principal's List: Jennifer
Robinson and Sherry Rorie.
Honor Roll: Shonnelle Wright
and Allison Osborn.

11TH GRADE

Principal's List: Sagee Har-
vell, James Monroe, Vicky
Murray, Angie Puckett, Kim
Puckett and Beth Wright.
Honor Roll: Cindy Barnes,
Dennis Bonds, Mylinda
Caston, Jeffery Lovelace,
Sherry Moore, Mylinda Par-
sons, Heather South, Cindy
Timbes, Heath Whitaker and
Audra White.

12TH GRADE

A's and B's: Kim Peters,
and Margaret Rizer.

Area Young Men Recognized

The Outstanding Young
Men of America program
seeks to recognize the
achievements and abilities of
men between the ages of 21
and 36. These men are being
honored for their outstanding
civic and professional con-
tributions to their com-
munities, their states, as well
as to their nation.

The young men listed have
been selected as Outstanding
Young Men of America for
1988. Their complete
biographies will appear in the
annual awards publication.

David Lee Nichols, Iuka;
Ronnie Gene Joslin,
Tishomingo; Skip A. Gann,
Iuka; Tommy Douglas Dean,
Jr., Iuka; Robert Wade Wim-
bish, Greenwood; Richard
Keith Henley, Belmont; Paul
Lee Starkey, Cleveland; Ricky
C. Cornelison, Iuka and
James Eddie Tigner, Mem-
phis.

Waller Elected President

Don Waller, a 56-year-old
Lafayette County cotton and
timber producer, has been
elected president of the
Mississippi Farm Bureau
Federation. Waller defeated
Hugh Arant of Ruleville for
the office during the
federation's annual conven-
tion in Jackson, December 4-6.

As the seventh president of
the 66-year-old organization,
Waller pledged to make "ser-
ving the membership" as the
number one priority under his
administration. He said, "All
of our services are important,
but we must concentrate on
improving the net income of
farmers. That has been and
will continue to be Farm
Bureau's primary objective."

Waller, formerly federation
vice president of the
organization's northern
district, has been an active
leader in Farm Bureau for
over 15 years. He is also an
active participant in the Ox-
ford/Lafayette County
business community, as well
as in the Mississippi Cat-
tlemen's and Forestry
Associations.

The newly elected Farm
Bureau president and his



1st Place Winner

Vince Stanley, of Tishomingo,
received a 1st place plaque at
the Annual Northeast
Mississippi Horse Show
Association Dinner held
recently at the Houston
Community Center. Vince
had the highest number of
points in the NEMHSA Youth
Pole Bending Class which
earned him 1st place. He also
won 4th place in the
NEMHSA Barrel Racing
Class.

wife, the former Patsy Hardin,
are the parents of three
children. The Wallers are
members of the Clear Creek
Baptist Church. In addition to
their farming interests, the
family also operates Waller
Furniture Home in Oxford.

Joining Waller in leading
the Mississippi Farm Bureau
Federation, as vice presiden-
ts, are: Gifford Smart of Prentiss
County, J.R. Carter of Sharkey
County and Zack E. Strong of
Copiah County.

The voting delegates also
elected the following leaders
to serve on the federation's
State Board of Directors:
Charles Monroe, Tishomingo
County; Lowell Hinton,
Alcorn County; Jaby Denton,
Quitman County; Wilburn
Stephens, Itawamba County;
Jack Warner, Winston Coun-
ty; Billy Joe Ragland, Yazoo
County; Paul Howse, Wayne
County; Harold Simmons,
Hinds County; Charles Wells,
Adams County; Carter Dees,
Jones County; and L.J.
Breaux, Hancock County.

Berta L. White, of Lauder-
dale County, was re-elected
as chairman of the Women's
Committee, and Mike Allen,
of Neshoba County, was
chosen as chairman of the
Young Farmer Committee.
They will also serve as mem-
bers of the Board of Direc-

tors.

Warren Oakley of Stark-
ville, a long-time Farm Bureau
leader, was named as an
honorary vice president.

Banded Birds On The Loose

Attention birdwatchers. A
particular kind of songbird is
on the loose, and Canadian
biologists need your help in
spotting it.

Earlier this year Canadian
wildlife researchers banded
over 1,000 young Loggerhead
Shrikes, a songbird con-
sidered a threatened species
in Canada. They did this in an
effort to know more about
where these birds spend the
winter and their migration
routes in getting there.

Scientists attached color
bands to over 1,000 Shrikes.
They are hoping that if bir-
dwatchers across the United
States spot these birds this
winter, they will report the
find to their local conser-
vation agency.

Information about the birds
will be forwarded to Canadian
officials, which will tell them
something about the birds'
winter habitats and how they
got there.

If you spot a Loggerhead

Shrike this winter, biologists
are particularly interested in
knowing the place where you
saw the bird, the date it was
seen, and the color of the
band.

Loggerhead Shrikes from
Manitoba received red bands,
while blue and yellow bands
indicate birds from Saskat-
chewan. Birds with white
bands came from Alberta.

The Loggerhead Shrike is
gray above and white below,
with a broad black line
through the eye. The wings

and tail are largely black.
Beginners often confuse the
bird with a Mockingbird.

During the winter in
Mississippi, birders can ex-
pect to see Shrikes perched
on telephone wires, fence
posts, or maybe barbed wire
near pastures and open
fields.

*The Lord is come!
Have a very blessed
and happy holiday.*

Attention: Friday, Dec. 23rd Super Sale

till 11:00 p.m. for last minute Christmas
Shoppers. 20% off Knick Knacks, Brass Items,
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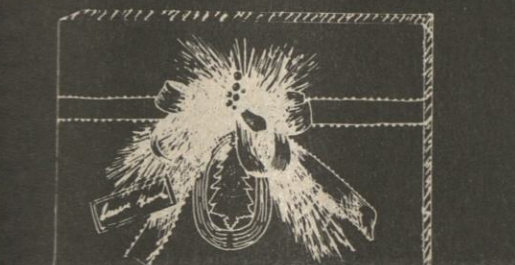
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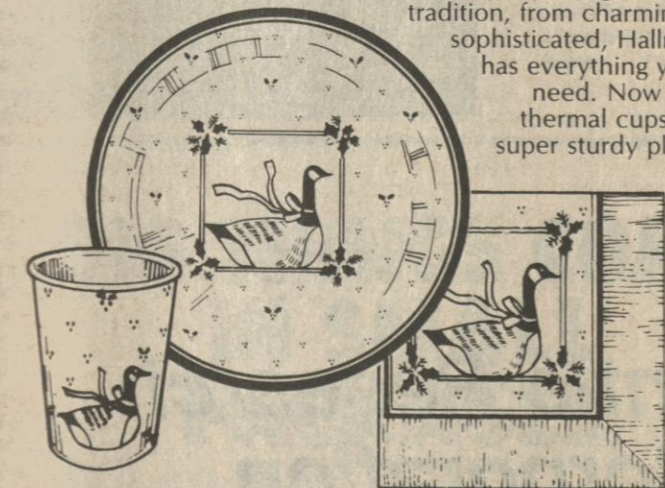
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*To our friends and future neighbors,
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Rainbow II Officers
elected for Rainbow II are from left: Matthew Cummings

President; April Burns - Vice-President; Eric Rorie - Secretary; Melissa Hendrix - Treasurer; Stephanie Newcomb - Song Leader; Natalie Williams - Reporter. All the 4-H'ers Rainbow I and

Rainbow II would like to see our park stay clean. So please put litter in it's place. Thank You.



Burnsville Kindergarten Class Teacher
Betty Compton
Assistant Teacher
Gloria Davis

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a stereo, 3-wheeler or surprise me.

Shirley Belue

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Blue jeans and a Blue jean jacket.

Terona Lambert

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Barbie beauty shop, crimper and lots of surprises.

Shanna Blakney

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a jeep, new coat, art box and new shoes.

Daron Sharp

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a BB gun, pants, skateboard and new shoes.

Misty Fielding

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Barbies, balloons and Barbie house.

Christy McCoy

Dear Santa,
Mama said she was going to keep Santa away, but I think she was teasing, so I want some clothes and blocks.

Amanda Parsons

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a bogolin who eats green peas, Bee bee gun, GI Joe, 3 wheeler. Santa, I will give you a hug when I see you.

Daniel Davis

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Play Make-up, bicycle, shoes and socks. I love you, Santa.

Amy Blakney

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a whole bunch of Barbie dolls, candy, flower-making basket, disappearing doll with make-up. I have been a good girl.

Rachel Seago

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Bee bee gun, G.I. Joe, Teddy Rubskin, Nintendo, motorcycle and 3 wheeler.

Brian Timbes

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Turbo racer, sword, He-man, a bridge. I've also got two brothers, Santa.

John Alred

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a scooter, a sword and a shirt. I'll be good, Santa.

Brian Stricklin

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a skateboard, remote control car, talking Pee Wee Herman, a new black jacket. I love you, Santa.

Mike Robbins

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Barbie doll, paperdolls, toys. I love you, Santa.

Amanda Johnson

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Mickey Mouse doll, Nintendo, playhouse and Barbie case.

Brandi Wells

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a horse with a man on it, race car track and army men.

Jessie Buckles

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a pair of shoes, clothes, doll, a real live baby playpen and bring our new baby something, Santa.

Felisha Holder

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Pee Wee Herman, chalkboard, Barbie doll, playpen, new glitter clothes. I love Mama, Daddy and Tracy.

Jessica Wright

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a race car with a red light, backhoe digger, clock, hat, red balloon. Bring mama a necklace and PaPaw a big wrench.

Lee Davis

Water Rights Offered

A North Winn Springs Property Owners Association has been formed at Pickwick Lake as a result of action by the TVA to eliminate the Safety Harbor in their cove.

This move creates an opportunity for lot owners who have a 1/48 interest in Lot 22 to buy a slip in one of the docks to be built immediately below Lot 22 by their own non-profit organization. Prior to this decision these lot owners were without water rights and over the years many were reluctant to build homes or improve their property...since waterfront or

water right lots, are so much more desirable in this resort area.

The Association is finalizing plans to build an all metal dock in keeping with the grading up of most property in the area.

Lot owners who are qualified and want to buy a slip are to contact H.L. Garland, President at 901-668-1406 or Rt. 1 41 Sharon Lane Jackson, TN 38305.

Christmas Joy

Here's hoping you and yours experience lots of love this holiday!



Merry Christmas from Moore's Jewelry

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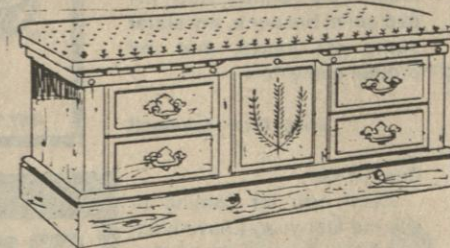
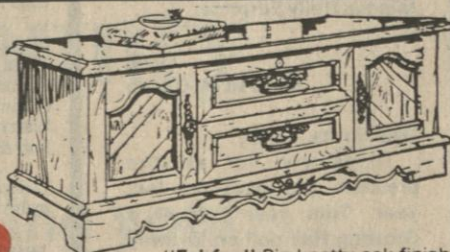
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Now Christmas Special Only **\$399**

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Casual contemporary styling with deep tailored cushioning and warm oak accents.



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(e.) "HARMONY" RECLINA-ROCKER® RECLINER

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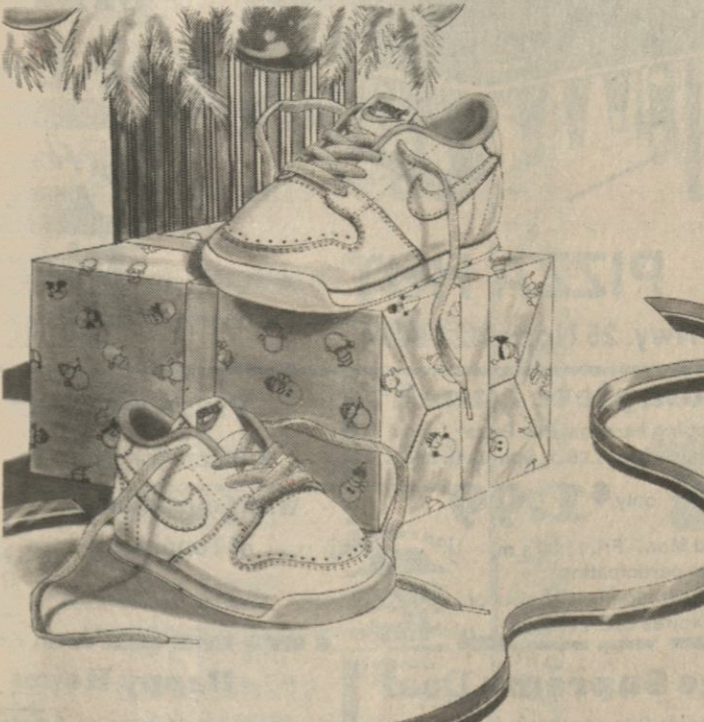
CHRISTMAS THIS YEAR FROM Town & Country Furniture

"Broyhill" Complete Bedroom Suite Christmas Sale Price **\$895**
Dresser, Mirror, Chest and Tall Poster Bed
Regular Price \$1195.00

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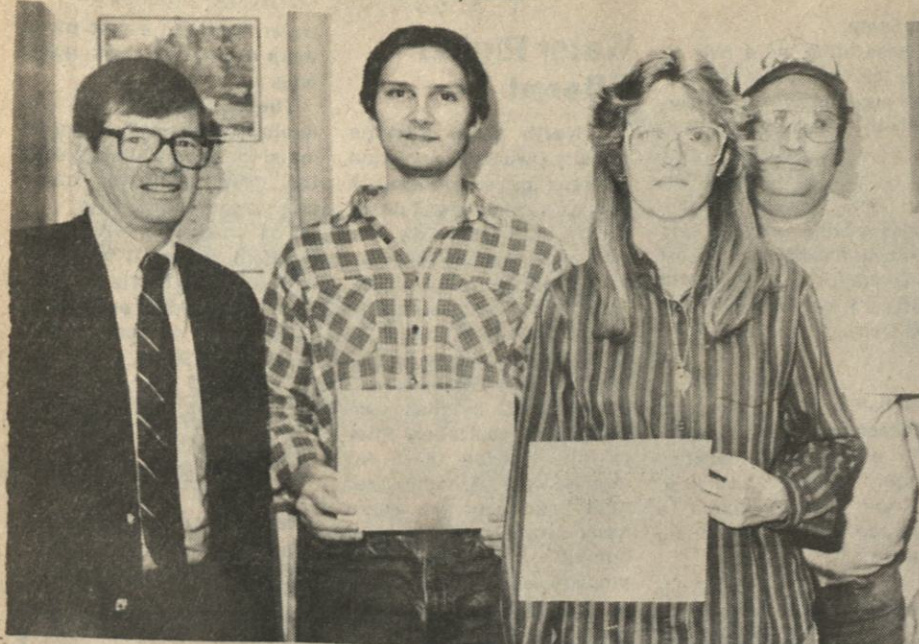


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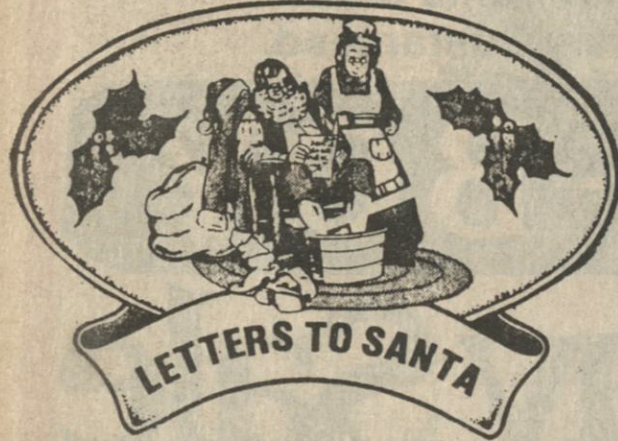
Elm Shopping Center - Iuka



Ripley Industries Recognize Employees
On Tuesday, December 6, George Sullivan Jr., President of Ripley Industries, recognized employees for their continuous service with the company, by presenting them with certificates. Shown from left are: George Sullivan Jr.; Donald Clark, five years; Karen McCoy, ten years; Wayne



Fifteen Years Service of Ripley Industries, recently presented Kay Jackson with a fifteen year service pin on Tuesday, December 6.



Dear Santa,
I want a baby doll, clothes, a kitchen center, a doll swing and some surprises. I will leave you some cookies. I have been pretty good this year.

I love you,
Rebekah Sheppard

Dear Santa,
I want a dartboard, a pool table, a ghost buster flashlight, some new ghost-buster men, Hot Potato Game, Crackers In My Bed game, Operation game, and some surprises. I have been pretty good. I love you,
Jon Sheppard

Dear Santa,
I want a computer, Hot Potato game, Pizza Party game, talking Pee Wee Her-man, Ecto 1, Ecto 2, and some surprises. I have been pretty good this year.

I love you,
Roy Bates

Dear Santa,
Bring me a rocking horse, a talking baby doll, and some surprises. I have been good.

I love you,
Anna Bonds

Dear Santa Claus,
Thank you for coming to see me last year. I hope you have a safe ride. I want Barbie and Ken with the pool. I want a electric board. I will try to leave some cookies and milk.

Love,
April Hensley

Dear Santa,
Christmas is nearly here. I want to ask you something. How do you give all these people gifts before morning? I hope you have a good Christmas. Do you get any gifts? Tell Rudolph I love him. I want some Dallas Cowboy pants, shirt, and the pads, a helmet.

Love, Jake Whitehurst

Dear Santa Claus,
Thank you for the train that you gave me last year. I will give you cookies and milk on Christmas Eve. I wish for an electric battle ship. My brother wants a toy gun. My dad needs a new truck. My mom needs a ring. All of us have been good. I hope it is not too cold for the reindeer.

Love, Chris Meyer

Dear Santa,
Thank you for coming, to see me last year. Please bring me a go-cart.

Love, Danny Curtis

Dear Santa Claus,
Thank you for coming to see me. I want a new bike, a doll, clothes, a poster, and a jump rope. Bring my brother a G.I. Joe man. Bring my sister a doll. I just want one more thing—a Dolly Surprise.

Love, Melissa McQueen

Dear Santa, Claus,
Thank you for all the presents you gave me last year. This year I have a Growing Hair doll on layaway at wal-Mart. Please bring my mom some country stuff, my dad some balloons, my sister some ski pants, and my brother some PJ's.

Love, Amy Hopewell

Dear Santa,
Thank you for coming to see me last year. I have been good this year. I would like you to bring me some candy, dolly surprise, little Miss Makeup doll and Perfume Pretty Doll. I would like you to leave something for my family. I will leave cookies and milk for you.

Love, Amanda Yarbrough

Dear Santa Claus,
Thank you for coming to see me last year. I want a keyboard, Barbie clothes, and surprises. That's all I want. My sister wants two games, Barbie clothes, and surprises. I am going to give you some cookies and milk and your reindeer some carrots.

Love, Ashlea Enlow



Ramey, ten years and Johnny Mitchell, ten years.

Dear Santa,
Thank you for all the presents. Did Rudolph guide your sleigh on Christmas? I hope you bring me a bouncing baby, little Miss Makeup, and a bunch of surprises. Be careful. I have been good. I love you. Tell Rudolph I said Hi.

Love, Erica Hamm

Dear Santa,
Thank you for coming to see me last year. I want a remote control diesel and some G.I. Joe men. I want a set of cars.

Love, Wesley Strickland

Dear Santa,
I have been good for you. Please send me a race track, a telescope and a talking whiz kid. I will be watching for you.

Love, Damon Dial
Age 7

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year. I hope you are fine. I would like a Barbie bath tub, a Dolly Surprise, and a doll house. I will leave you a surprise.

Love, Jessica Dial
Age 5

Dear Santa,
Thank you for coming to see me last year. I have been good. I hope you will make it here careful. I want a race car set. I need a octimusprime, Can I have a model space ship. Erica might want a pair of shoes.

Love, Jeremiah Smith

Dear Santa,
I want a puppy with a red bow. I want a Miss Makeup. I hope you have a safe trip. I want to see Rudolph.

Love, Kacie Newcomb

Dear Santa,
Thank you for coming last year. I have been wanting a computer for a long time. My mom wants a pig for her pig collection. I don't really know what dad wants. My sister wants a dress n dazle. We have all been good.

Love, Lesley Ann James

Dear Santa,
Thank you for coming to see me last year. I want a horse. I have been nice. Will you give my mother something? Give me a whole lot of presents. I love you, Santa Claus.

Love, Sarah Steele

Dear Santa,
I want a remote control submarine a remote control airplane that is all.

Love, Cory Barnes

Dear Santa,
I want a saxophone, remote control car, T.V., dirtbike, GI Joes, hose, and money. I will leave you something. Mom wants some money, my brother wants a car.

Love, Walter Williams

Dear Santa Claus,
Thank you for coming to see me. We miss you. We love you. I have been good. I want a doll and lots of surprises. I will leave you some cookies.

Love, Deana Sanders

Dear Santa,
Thank you for my toys last year. They are fun to play with. I want the G.I. Joe set. I have been good.

Love, Brad Holt

Dear Santa Claus,
Thank you for coming last year. I want a remote-control car, a pocket rocker and a Nintendo with three tapes. I will leave you some cookies and milk.

Love, Patrick Enlow

Dear Santa Claus,
Thank you for coming last year. I will leave you some cookies and milk. I want a G.I. Joe man. I hope you have a safe trip.

Love, Justin Mathis



Illegal Drug Possession

The case of a Corinth man facing drug charges has been turned over to the Tishomingo County grand jury following his recent arrest in Iuka.

James M. Henry, 24, of Rt. 8 Corinth, is charged with possession of controlled substance with intent to sell, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia and DUI other substance, according to Iuka Chief of Police, Floyd Whitaker.

The police chief said he took Henry into custody after a search of his vehicle yielded two bags of green leafy substance believed to be marijuana and a bag containing pills believed to be valium. Whitaker said a set of scales generally used for weighing drugs was confiscated during the search of the car.

Officials from the state bureau of narcotics picked up the substance for analysis Monday, said Whitaker.

Bond for Henry was set at \$5,000.00.

Christmas Lighting Contest

The Carter's Branch Extension Homemakers Club sponsored an "Outdoor Lighting Contest" and "Indoor Decoration Contest". Winners of the "Outdoor Lighting Contest" were as follows:

1st Place - Tommy & Myrtis Powell; 2nd Place - Cleophus & Elaine Southward; 3rd Place - Bob and Mildred Powell.

Helen and Leonard Brock were the winners of the "Indoor Decoration Contest".

Nellie R. Horton, Extension Home Economist, commends the entire area for the beautiful Christmas decorations. She states a large number of families participated from Highway 30 to the Alabama state line.

Mrs. Helen Brock, president of the Carter's Branch Extension Homemakers Club would like to express her appreciation to everyone for their effort to make their community festive at this time of year.

Legal Notice

Came in the matter of the purchase of a used motor grader for the Second District of Tishomingo County, 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

The Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, Mississippi will on Friday, January 6th, 1989, 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 one used motor grader with 14 foot factory blade, 1400 tires or larger.

For the use and benefit of Tishomingo County Second District.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This the 20th day of December, 1988.
D-22-29-chg

Legal Notice

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given to all qualified Financial Institutions that the School Board of the Iuka School District, pursuant to the provisions of Sections 37-7-333, 27-105-305, and 27-105-315 of the Mississippi Code of 1972 as amended, shall receive sealed bids for the privilege of keeping the School District funds from July 1, 1989 through June 30, 1990 and thereafter until new arrangements shall be made according to law.

Said bids shall be received at the Office of the Superintendent, 507 West Quitman Street, Iuka, Mississippi 38852, until 4:00 P.M., January 9, 1989, and each shall be submitted on the Bid Proposal Form which may be obtained from the office of the Superintendent.

The School Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any irregularities in the Bids. In order to be considered, each Sealed Bid shall have "DEPOSITORY BID, IUKA SCHOOL DISTRICT, JANUARY 9, 1989" written or typed on its face.

IUKA SCHOOL DISTRICT
BY: JERRY CLAY STONE
Executive Secretary
D-22-29-chg

DEPOSITORY OF FUNDS

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Said bids shall be received at the office of the Superintendent, Courthouse, Mississippi 38852 until January 16, 1989, and shall be submitted on the Bid Proposal form which may be obtained from the office of the Superintendent.

The school board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any irregularities in the bids. In order to be considered, each sealed bid shall have "Depository Bid Tishomingo County Schools January 1988" written or typed on its face.

Tishomingo County School District
By: Larry C. Stone
Superintendent
D-22-29-chg

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Give your family and friends a worry-free holiday season



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Maximum Strength
32 caplet
3.17

Limit 1
Sale Price With This Coupon
Coupon expires Dec. 24, 1988

WAL-MART

VALUABLE COUPON



The Boston Conditioning Solution
4 ounce
4.18

Limit 1
Sale Price With This Coupon
Coupon expires Dec. 24, 1988

WAL-MART

GOING INTO BUSINESS SALE

Vernon, Brad & Tracy Smith have just purchased the Outlet Home Supply property, lock stock & barrel. And they are continuing the big home furnishings sale all the way up to Christmas.

JUST RECEIVED	
10,000 rolls wall paper, country prints and more...	
Wallpaper starting at...	55¢ to 5.99 S/R
Coordinating Borders start at large selection	1.99 to 3.99
Carpet Stainmaster Trackless, sq. yd.	\$6.99
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Carpet Sculptured, excellent value	2.99 - 8.99
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Bath vanity with marble top 17 x 19	39.95
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Kitchen cabinets, base cabinets ft.	17.50
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There will be a fireworks display behind the stand in Elm Shopping Center New Year's Eve Night at 10 p.m.

Thank you for shopping with us.



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Complete Lunch
Single topping Personal Pan Pizza® and a medium drink only \$1.99 or Spaghetti and a medium drink only **\$1.99**
Offer good Mon. - Fri. 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. at participating Pizza Hut Restaurants with coupon Expires Dec. 28, 1988

Large Supreme Deal
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Sunday Lunch Buffet 12:00 - 2:00

More "MMM" For Less

Pizza Hut Pairs
2 Pizzas for 1 Low Price
With Equal Number of Toppings
Expires Dec. 28, 1988

Happy Hours
Sunday - Wednesday 4 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Buy large pizza and get a small pizza free at the regular menu price.
Expires Dec. 28, 1988

Tuesday Night Buffet
5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.



26 Takes Trophy
Cub Scout Pack 26 would like to thank everyone who made this opportunity to make our Christmas parade float so successful. This year's theme "Cub Scouts Have The Stuff". Our NASA float with our own junior

astronauts took home the second place trophy in the float division. Our float was truly a joint venture with Ron Terry Construction, J.C. Lambert, Frank Williams, Jr., Daugherty Refrigeration, Mr. Danny Barnes, Cardinal Truck Lines and Handy Sandy all donating their time and

supplies. Special thanks to Tommy Howell, Melvin Vaughn and Troy Farris for their hard work and expert rocket building. Last but not least we salute our most precious cargo, the scouts themselves, who demonstrated that Cub Scouts truly do have the "Right Stuff" and made us all proud.



1st Place _____ Barbara Hudson's Dance



2nd Place _____ day, December 3. The float was "Patriotic" with Ace Harvey as Uncle Sam along with Wal-Mart Associates children.

Luka Parade Review

The Luka Christmas Parade was carried out in fine fashion this year, the weather was excellent and a large number of spectators gathered along the route to view the seasonal festivity.

Winners in the float division were: 1st place, Barbara Hudson's Dance School with their theme "The Nutcracker"; 2nd place, "Cub Scouts Have The Stuff" by Pack 26 of Luka; 3rd place trophy went to Walmart for their patriotic theme featuring Ace Harvey as Uncle Sam with associates' children riding along.

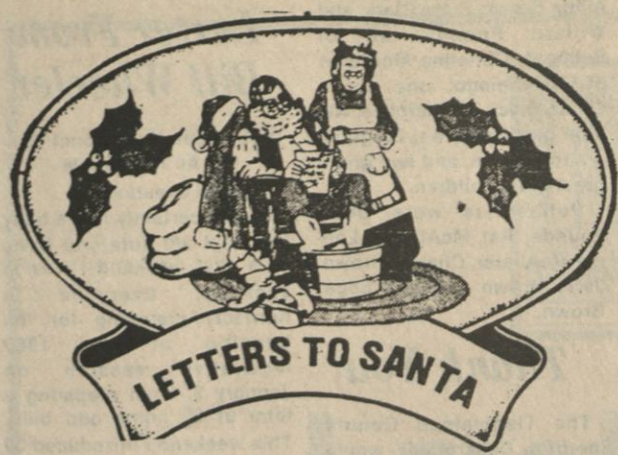
In the antique car judging, Mayor's Choice and 1st place trophy was given to Bobby Wiley for his 1933 brown Plymouth. Charles McVay won 2nd place for his 1955 Chevy car. Brian Flanigan was given 3rd place trophy with his entry of 1958

Chevrolet truck. The Belmont band placed first in the band division. The Pride of Luka Marching Band under direction of Robert Bruce led the parade looked wonderful and sounded terrific.

Thanks to all involved in putting this year's parade together. A special thanks to Mr. J.R. Long, who always does a great job as Master of Ceremonies.



Merry Christmas



Burnsville Kindergarten Class

Teacher - Mrs. Carolyn Bolen
Asst. Teacher
Mrs. Carletta McDuffy

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a VCR.

Rachael Hickman

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a backhoe and a scooter.

Wesley Kennedy

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a scooter, a baby rocker, a Barbie Doll house, a stuffed toy penguin.

Mary South

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a baby doll, a Barbie doll, a Care Bear Book, a new desk, a Cabbage Patch Doll, a Baby Tender Love doll, a scooter, a Barbie car.

Rhianna Helton

Dear Santa,
Playdoh, a doll, Perfume Barbie and Perfume Ken, clothes, a radio.

Kayla Phifer

Dear Santa,
a baby doll, a walkie talkie, pom poms, a pink shirt and skirt.

Tina Davis

Dear Santa,
Please bring me an Electric train.

Chris Boothe

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a talking Mickey Mouse, an electric train, new school box, colors, glue and a trampoline.

Daryl Blakney

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Cabbage Patch doll, a bicycle, a Barbie with a watch and a jeep.

Lauren Schmidt

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a baby doll, a real radio and lots of new clothes.

Susie Skelton

Dear Santa,
Please bring me 2 Barbies and a Barbie jeep.

Mindy McNutt

Dear Santa,
a Baby doll, new clothes and a radio.

Emily Marlar

Dear Santa,
Please bring me clothes, a baby doll, a stuffed animal books and an Easy Bake Oven.

Rachel Simmons

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a trampoline, a train set, a radio with an alarm on it.

Shawn Brown

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Barbie doll with a watch and a car and an Easy Bake Oven.

Shelley Barnes

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a whole carpenter's set with the saw and everything, a VCR and a train and track with batteries.

Daniel Turner

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Ghostbuster's Set, a world, a scooter, a tricycle and a train set.

Corey Cummings

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a train set, a Sno-Cone Maker, a toy sewing machine.

Frankie Stidham

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Baby Tender Love, Teddy Ru, a Barbie car, a new coat, Cabbage Patch doll, new crayons and walkie-talkies.

Brittany Walker

Dear Santa,
New clothes, (size 6X) a trampoline, a Barbie doll, a Barbie car, a walkie talkie, a Barbie house, a Ken doll and a basketball goal.

Cindy Brewer

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a jeep, a basketball goal, a basketball and a motorcycle.

Josh Bobo

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a farm set and a racer set.

Stephanie Linton

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a remote control crane, a basketball goal and a black bean bag.

Josh Lambert

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a pink purse with a pink bow on it, a real pink hair dryer, a real pink hot roller set, a crimper, a nurse set and new colors.

Rhonda Penney

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a trampoline, a bean bag and a dressing dazzel set.

Mandy Dobbs

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a nerf football, a catcher's mitt and Ghostbusters Popper.

Garrett Higginbottom

Letter To The Editor

On Friday, December the 16th the luka schools bands gave a mini concert which involved all three bands, 6th grade, 7th grade, and 8th thru 12th for the high school. These bands directed by Mr. Bob Bruce did an outstanding job. The band members by number 6th grade approx. 60, 7th grade approx. 40 and high school approx. 60 are directed by one man Mr. Bob Bruce our city should be proud to have a director that goes that extra mile to not only teach our children about music, but also teach our students to enjoy what they are doing.

Thank you Mr. Bruce and the best for the future.

Charles Swimmer CPP
Luka, MS

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May the faith, hope and spiritual warmth that this season brings be yours. Merry Christmas.



Merry Christmas and A Great New Year to

The People of Luka and Tishomingo County

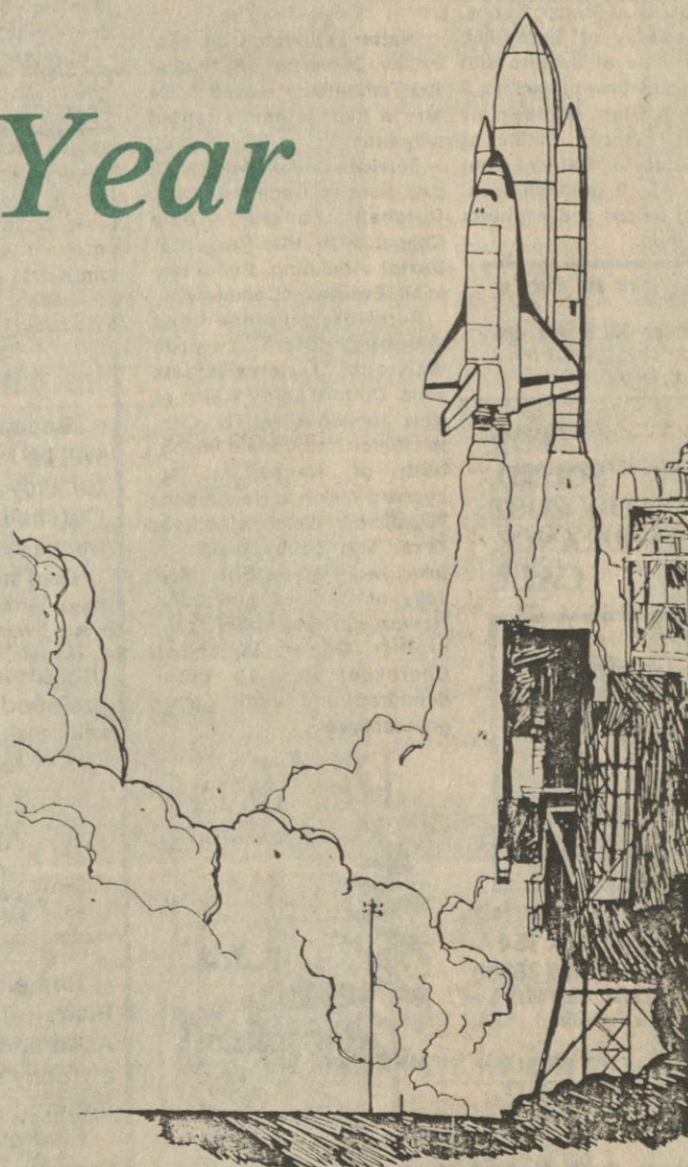
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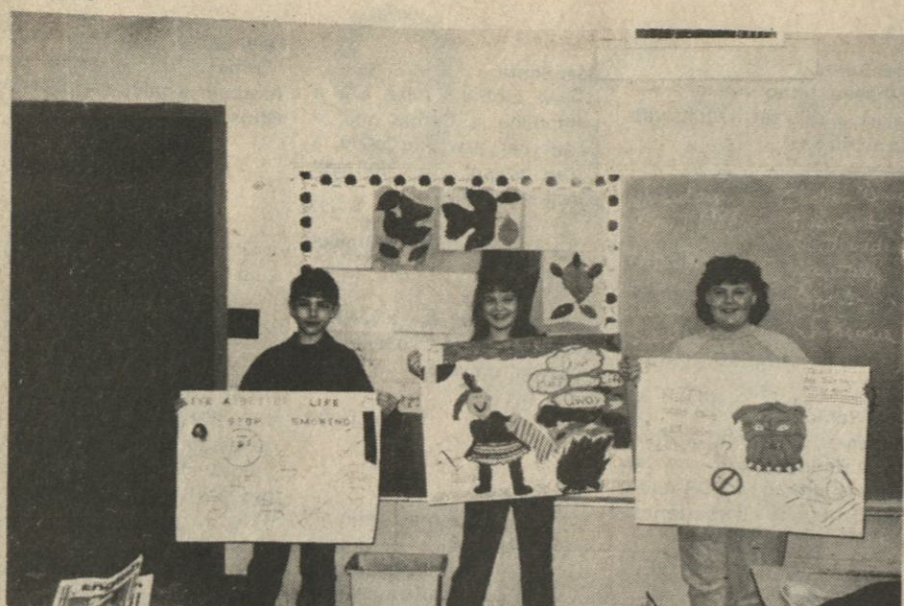
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Alline Brown, Flora Clark, and Willard Pounds, all of Belmont, Christine McAlister of Tishomingo; one sister, Lillian Black of Cherokee, AL; nine grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren.

Palbearers were Doug Pounds, Pat McAlister, Lonnie McAlister, Charles Brown, Jerry Brown and Lee Edgar Brown.

Thank You

The Tishomingo County Sheriff's Department would like to express our thanks to all the following people that donated to the Mississippi Sheriff Ranch for Boys and Girls so they will have a nice Christmas.

Carlos Ginn, First American Bank, Dr. Flannery, Dr. Kitchens, Moore's Jewelry Store, Hodges Parts House, Burnsville United Pentecostal Church, Long-Davis Realtors, Regina Brown, Ann & Ron Carpenter, Lamberts Electric-Billy Lambert, Lambert Building Supply, Sunflower Grocery, Harold Lomenick-State Farm, Iuka Florist, Sonic Drive Inn, Pizza Hut, Charlene & Thomas Rolleigh, Iuka Baptist Church, Shoe Tree, Daugherty Refrigeration, Art & Johny Bonds, Danny & Elaine Horton, Richard & Becky Dobbs, Phyllis & Mark Eaton, Iuka Gospel Chapel, Friendly Florist, Judy Wilson, Donald Edmonson Family, Alvis & Wanda Murrah, Pilot Club, Curtis Drugs, Billy Rainey Family, Jack's Hamburgers and all the others who donated anonymously.

In Appreciation

The children of Lee Welch would like to express our sincere thanks to all family, friends and neighbors for their many acts of love and kindness and expressions of sympathy at the time of our father's death, December 16th. We deeply appreciate all the flowers, food, visits, calls, cards and gifts.

We would like to say thank you to Dr. Draper and the staff at the Tishomingo County Hospital for all the love and care provided for our father.

Special thanks to Rev. W.T. Dexter for the kind words and assistance. Also thank you to Cutshall Funeral Home for their kindness and sensitivity to our needs during this time. May God bless each of you.

Children & Grandchildren Of Lee Welch

Letter From Bill Wheeler

Representative District 19
For All The People

Season Greetings!

I have certainly had a busy fall, as I am sure you have. This past weekend I was in Jackson. Everyone is hurriedly preparing for the opening of the 1989 legislative session on January 3. I am preparing a total of 50 some odd bills. This weekend I introduced 30 bills. In meeting with many of you this fall, you gave me some very good ideas concerning laws to help our area and help Mississippi move forward. In addition, many people from across the District have called me wanting certain ideas brought before the legislature.

Several people at Ryan Well asked me to introduce a bottle bill in attempts to stop people from cluttering up our roads and highways. On the request of farming in the Mantachie and Hinton area we are hoping get the legislative to establish a public/private commission on the coyote problem. On behalf of the city and rural firefighters, we hope to increase the insurance rebate money be one million dollars each. I have received calls all

the way from Midway to Belmont to Fairview to Fulton concerning Highway 25. Once again this year I am introducing a bill to four-lane Highway 25. As the prospects for the NASA plant improve, so do our chances for a four-lane. On behalf of all the water districts across our two counties, I am introducing two bills to shift the cost of federal clean water testing program. At present Dennis, Tishomingo, or Mantachie pays for testing per well as much as the water districts in Jackson, Meridian or Biloxi. These bills would shift the cost to the more densely

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populated areas of the state. Once again, to support all our schools areas across the district, I am introducing an equity funding bill.

Of course this list does not exhaust the bills nor the ideas from individuals and various communities across the district. I want each and everyone of you to know that if you have an idea that can improve our area and move Mississippi forward, ideas that you want brought before the legislative, let me know. We have about three weeks before the deadline for bill introduction. If you have an idea give me a call at my

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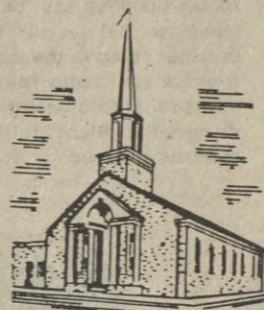
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Ruth Adele Crittendon

Ruth Adele Crittendon, 61, died Wednesday, December 14, 1988 at the Tishomingo County Hospital.

Services were at 3 p.m. Thursday, December 15 at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. William Earl Pate officiating. Burial was in Careyton Cemetery.

Survivors include two daughters, Maudie Ann Farris of Cherokee, AL, and Ellen Ruth Wells of Iuka; one brother, Leroy Pate of Florida; six grandchildren.

Ludie Ann Epps

Ludie Ann Epps, 82, died Wednesday, December 14, 1988 at the Red Bay, AL, Hospital. She was a native of Mississippi. She was a retired employee of the Glen Manufacturing Co., and a member of the First Baptist Church and the Belmont Eastern Star.

Services were at 2 p.m. Thursday, December 15 at Deaton Funeral Home Chapel in Red Bay with the Rev. Greg Hill officiating. Burial was in the Red Bay City Cemetery.

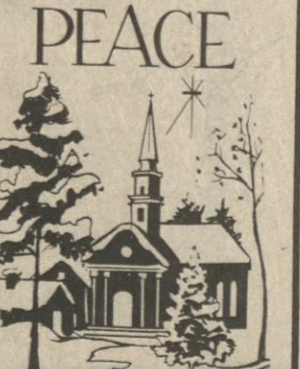
Survivors include her husband, Fred Epps of Golden; one daughter, Jo Davis of Red Bay; two granddaughters, three great-grandchildren.

Lee Welch

Walter Lee Welch, 84, died Friday, December 16, 1988 at the Tishomingo Hospital. He was a Baptist and a retired carpenter.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, December 18 at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. W.T. Dexter officiating. Burial was in Mt. Evergreen Cemetery.

Survivors include one daughter, Clara Laverne Walker of Taylorsville; six sons, Clifford Leroy Welch of New Johnsonville, TN, Clinton Welch and Donald Welch, both of Nashville, TN, Leonard Welch of Henderson, TN, Jimmy Welch of Bryan, Texas and Bobby Welch of Iuka; two sisters, Effie Mae Jolly of Okolona and Edna Howard of Memphis; one brother, Robert Welch of Cherokee, AL; 19 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.



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Probabilities & Statistics High School students O'Connor, Anthony Robinson, and Serena Jones are taking Probabilities & Statistics beginning in 1989, a new course offered through the School's Satellite instruction program. Iuka has one of the four satellite pilot programs in Mississippi. Pictured from left: Mrs. Linda S. Barnett, I.H.S. Guidance Counselor; Mr. Aubrey D. Ray, Building Coordinator for the Satellite Program; Serena Jones, Anthony Robinson, Lori O'Connor, and Mrs. Donna Moore, facilitator for the Satellite Program.



Dear Santa,
Please bring me a choo choo train, race track and cars, a four wheel with charged batteries.
Brandon Young

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a stove, candies and fruits.
Libby West

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a stove, race track and cars, choo choo train, playdough, play house and fruit.
Tyler Long

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a stove, piano, fruit and M&M Candy.
Tiffany Long

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a sleeping bag, vacuum cleaner, playdough and stove, baby doll, playhouse, and a big car (pink, one at Wal-Mart.)
Amber Nunley

Dear Santa,
Please bring me lots of toys, books, baby doll, stove and refrigerator.
Marion Turner

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a doll, vacuum cleaner, play house, books, choo choo train and playdough and race cars.
Chaylee Butler

Dear Santa,
Please bring me Play Dough, baby doll, books, race car, and Tinker Toys.
Micheal Moore

Dear Santa,
Please bring me race cars, fruit and candy and other toys.
Phillip Nunley

Dear Santa,
My name is Amy Whitlock, I am 8 years old and in the second grade at Tishomingo Elementary School. I have been a very good little girl this year.
Please bring me a pony, a talking baby doll, tent, records and some surprises.
I will leave you some milk and cookies under the Christmas tree.
I love you,
Amy

Dear Santa,
I want some clothes, books and some toys and surprises.
Love, Adena Lomenick

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a choo choo train, refrigerator, motorcycle and car.
Damon Blount

Dear Santa,
My name is Kinsley Brook Whitlock, I am 2 years old and live in Tishomingo. I have been a good little girl this year most of the time.
Please bring me a talking baby doll and bottle, record player, tent and some surprises.
I will leave you some milk and cookies under the tree.
I love you,
Kinsley

Dear Santa,
My name is Jon' Paul Whitlock, I am 1 year old and live in Tishomingo. Please bring me a red wagon, basketball and goal, tent and some surprises. I have been a very good little boy this year.
I love you,
Jon' Paul

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Please bring me a choo choo train, playhouse, vacuum cleaner and fruit.
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Oak Grove S.D., 4 BR, 2 Baths, large lot \$85,000.00

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Fulton Street, 3 BR, 1 Bath, Large Shop \$39,000.00

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Mocking Bird Lane, 3 BR, 2 Baths \$30,000.00

Snowdown Road, 3 BR Split level, Large Shop \$80,000.00
Snowdown Road, 3 BR, 2 Bath with Large Shop, Pool \$95,000.00

Snowdown Road, 3 BR, 2 Baths \$65,000.00

Snowdown Road, 2 BR, 1 Bath, Small shop, 1 acre \$38,000.00

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Pleasant Hill Road, 3 BR, 2 Bath, 1 acre \$48,500.00

Pleasant Hill Road, 3 BR FmHA Repo \$32,500.00

Burnsville, 3 BR FmHA Repo \$34,000.00

Burnsville, 4 BR, 3 Baths, large lot, \$48,500.00

Burnsville, 3 BR, 1 1/2 Baths \$28,000.00

Tishomingo, 3 BR, 1 1/2 Baths, in Town \$39,000.00

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Golden, 4 BR, 3 Baths, lots of extras \$80,000.00

Harmony Road, 3 BR, Double Wide Mobile Home, 20.5 Acres \$38,300.00

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3 BR House & 3 BR/2 BR Duplex \$34,000.00

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HOUSE FOR SALE--2 BD, 1 1/2 bath on 1 acre land, located at North Crossroads. Call anytime at 423-2556. D-8-15-22-chg

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Thank You and Best Wishes
for the Holiday Season and
a Happy New Year

P.O. Beard Agency



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D-29-pd

NOTICE

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Aaron W. McAnally

D-15-22-29-pd
FOR SALE--1973 12 x 65 Presidential 3 bedroom Mobile Home Trailer. \$3,150.00. Call 423-9566 or 462-8068 after 5:00 p.m. D-22-chg

FOR SALE--Flashing arrow sign with 300 letters, \$250.00. Call 1-205-233-1549. D-22-pd

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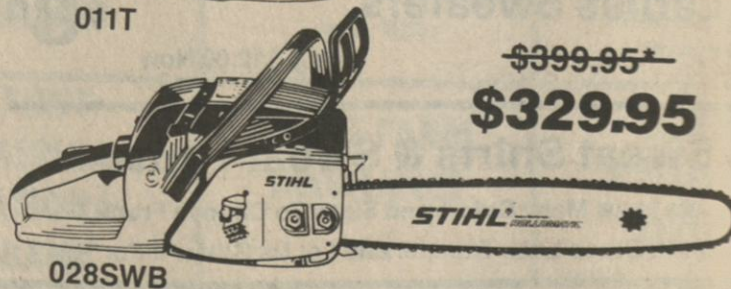
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POSTED--C.J. (Cap) Arnold
hereby declares as of
December 8, 1988, that his
land is posted against hun-
ters and trespassers.

C.J. (Cap) Arnold
D-8-22-chg

NOTICE
I am no longer responsible for
any debts other than my own.

Thomas L. Richardson
D-8-15-22-pd

Public Notice

The Board of Trustees, Iuka
Separate School District will
receive input from the
Patrons of the school con-
cerning the abatement of
asbestos. Asbestos has been
identified in the High School
Building and the Band Hall.
The Board will receive written
comments until January 4,
1989. Additionally, on
January 4, 1989 at 4:00 P.M.
The public is invited to make
any oral comments that they
wish.

The meeting will be held
January 4th, 1989 at 4:00 P.M.
in Howard Auditorium.
D-15-22-chg

Legal Notice

A RESOLUTION OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI, FINDING AND
DECLARING ITS INTENTION
TO CREATE AND INCOR-
PORATE THE CARTER'S
BRANCH FIRE PROTECTION
DISTRICT IN SAID COUNTY;
FINDING THAT THE PUBLIC
CONVENIENCE AND
NECESSITY REQUIRE THE
CREATION OF SAID
DISTRICT; THAT THE
CREATION OF SAID
DISTRICT IS
ECONOMICALLY SOUND
AND DESIRABLE;
DESIGNATING THE NAME
OF SAID PROPOSED
DISTRICT AND DEFINING
ITS TERRITORIAL LIMITS;
FINDING THAT THE BOARD
OF SUPERVISORS SHALL
NOT LEVY THE TAX
AUTHORIZED BY LAW NOR
ASSESS BENEFITTED
PROPERTIES AS OUTLINED
BY LAW.

WHEREAS, by resolution
dated August 31, 1988, the
Board of Supervisors
declared its intention to in-
corporate the Carter's Branch
Fire Protection District in
said County and setting a
date for a public hearing upon
the question of the public
convenience and necessity of
said incorporation to be held
at 10 o'clock A.M. on Friday
the 30th day of September,
1988; and

WHEREAS, Notice was had
for said public hearing as
required by law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT
RESOLVED BY THE BOARD
OF SUPERVISORS OF
TISHOMINGO COUNTY,

MISSISSIPPI, as follows:

SECTION 1: That the Board
of Supervisors does hereby
find and declare that the
public convenience and
necessity require the creation
of the Carter's Branch Fire
Protection District; and

SECTION 2: That the
creation of the aforesaid Fire
Protection District is
economically sound and
desirable; and

SECTION 3: That the
Board of Supervisors does
hereby declare its intention
to create the aforesaid Fire
Protection District at a
meeting of said Board to be
held at 10 o'clock A.M. on
Friday, December 30, 1988;
and

SECTION 4: That if twenty
percent (20%) or 150,
whichever is the lesser of the
qualified electors of such
proposed Fire Protection
District, file a written petition
with the Board of Supervisors
on or before the date
specified aforesaid,
protesting against the
creation of such district, the
Board of Supervisors shall
call an election on the
question of the creation of
such district as required by
law; and

SECTION 5: That the name
of the aforesaid Fire Protec-
tion District is designated as
the Carter's Branch Fire
Protection District; and

SECTION 6: That the
territorial limits of the
aforesaid Fire Protection
District shall be as described
in Exhibit "A" attached
hereto and made a part
hereof; and

SECTION 7: That the Board
of Supervisors shall not levy
the tax authorized in §19-5-
189, Mississippi Code of
1972; and

SECTION 8: That the Board
of Supervisors shall not assess
benefitted property as
outlined in §19-5-191,
Mississippi Code of 1972; and

SECTION 9: That the Clerk
of this Board be and he is
hereby further ordered and
directed to publish a certified
copy of this resolution in the
"Tishomingo County News",
a newspaper having a general
circulation within the
proposed district, the same
to be made for three (3) con-
secutive weeks prior to the
date specified herein upon
which Board intends to
create such District. The first
such publication shall be
made not less than twenty-
one (21) days prior to the
aforesaid date and the last
such publication shall be
made not more than fourteen
(14) days prior to such date;

SECTION 10: That the Clerk
of this Board be and he is
hereby further ordered and
directed to acquire from the
publisher of said newspaper
the usual Proof of Publication
of said notice and to present
the same to the Board at the
meeting aforesaid.

D-8-15-22-chg

Legal Notice

The Board of Supervisors
next took up for con-
sideration the advertise-
ments for bids for furnishing
to Tishomingo County and to
the Supervisors Districts,
materials and supplies to be
used by the County and
Supervisors Districts for
twelve (12) months, beginning
January 2, 1989 and ending
January 2, 1990 and for also
receiving bids from banks for
the keeping of County Funds
as a County Depository for
the period beginning January
2, 1989 and ending January
2, 1990 and upon motion duly
made, seconded and
unanimously carried, the
Board directed that the
following notice be published
in the "Tishomingo County
News", a newspaper of
general circulation in said
County, at least three (3)
times, and at least fifteen (15)
days prior to the receipt of
said bids, said notice to be
substantially in the following
form, to-wit:

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 2, 1989 AND EN-
DING JANUARY 2, 1990.

Notice is hereby given by
the Board of Supervisors of
Tishomingo County,
Mississippi that it will, until
10:00 A.M. on Tuesday,
January 3, 1989 receive bids
from dealers for general of-
fice supplies, janitorial sup-
plies, and for machinery
upkeep, and will also receive
bids from banks for 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 begin-
ning January 2, 1989 and en-
ding January 2, 1990. Said
bids to be filled with the clerk
of the Board of Supervisors of
said State and County at the
Chancery Clerk's office,
Tishomingo County Cour-
thouse, Iuka, Mississippi, un-
til the aforesaid time and
date, and under the statute, all
bids shall be awarded to the
lowest responsible bidder.
This excludes bids on all
culverts and piping. The
Board of Supervisors reser-
ves the right to reject any and
all bids.

This the 5th day of Decem-
ber, 1988.

Hayden Ables
Clerk of the Board
of Supervisors
Tishomingo County,
Mississippi

D-8-15-22-chg

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration
having been granted on the
18th day of November, 1988, by
the Chancery Court of
Tishomingo County,
Mississippi, to the under-
signed upon the estate of
HERMAN CARPENTER,
deceased, notice is hereby
given to all persons having
claims against the estate to
present same to the Clerk of
this Court by probate and
registration according to law
within ninety (90) days from
this date, or they will be
forever barred.

This the 16th day of
November, 1988.

OMER J. CARPENTER,
ADMINISTRATOR
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Legal Notice

NOTICE TO DEALERS

IN RE: PURCHASE OF PIPE
FOR THE COUNTY OF
TISHOMINGO, MISSISSIPPI

Came in the matter of pur-
chase of metal and concrete
pipe for the first six (6) months
of the year of 1989 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 DEALERS

The Board of Supervisors
of Tishomingo County,
Mississippi will on Tuesday
January 3, 1989, 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 metal and
concrete pipe of requested
size FOB each Supervisors
district material storage area.

For the use and benefit of
Tishomingo County,
Mississippi.

The Board of Supervisors
reserves the right to reject
any and all bids.

This the 5th day of Decem-
ber, 1988.

D-8-15-22-chg

Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER
OF THE ESTATE OF
EDDIE RAY POUNDERS,
DECEASED

NO. 10, 838

NOTICE TO
CREDITORS

The undersigned having
been appointed executrix of
the estate of Eddie Ray
Pounders, deceased, by the
Chancery Court of
Tishomingo County,
Mississippi, in Cause No. 10,
838 on the docket of said
Court, on the 9th day of
December, 1988, hereby gives
notice to all persons having
any claims 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 9th
day of December, 1988.

GLADYS LINDLEY
HAROLD S. JACKSON
ATTORNEY AT LAW
POST OFFICE BOX 414
IUKA, MISSISSIPPI 38852
(601) 423-5227
D-15-22-29-J-5-chg

Public Notice

Pursuant to the order of the
Mayor and Board of Alder-
men, notice is hereby given to
all persons interested in or in
any way affected thereby that
Scotty Hughes has filed an
application with the under-
signed to have rezoned the
following described property
from A-1 & R-1 to R-3.

Legal description of property

Part of the SE Quarter of Sec-
tion 19, Township 3 South,
Range 11 East, beginning at
the SW corner of said quarter,
thence on the west boundary,
North 4° West 462 feet to the
SW corner of the Colored
Cemetery; thence with the
South line of said cemetery,
South 80° East 368 feet;
thence North 60° East 320
feet to the SE corner of said
cemetery; thence South 60°
East 140 feet; thence North
22° East 56 feet; thence South
15° East 425 feet; thence

South 47° West 200 feet;
thence South 61° 30 minutes
West 210 feet; thence South
35° West 77 feet; thence
South 86° West on the quar-
ter section line, 498 feet to
the point of beginning.

Part of the NE Quarter of Sec-
tion 30, Township 3 South,
Range 11 East, beginning at
the NW corner of said quar-
ter, thence North 86° East
368 feet; thence South 35°
West 133 feet; thence South
30° West 210 feet; thence
South 32° West 210 feet;
thence South 22° West 210
feet; thence North 68 1/2°
West 12 feet to the Quarter
section and old wire fence;
thence on said quarter sec-
tion line, North 6° West 581
feet to the point of beginning.

Said application will be
heard by the Mayor and Board
of Aldermen, at Iuka City Hall,
7:00 p.m., January 3, 1989, at
which time all parties in-
terested in or affected
thereby will be heard. Any ob-
jection thereto may be made
by any person and if made in
writing must be filed with the
undersigned before said time
of hearing.

This the 19th day of
December, 1988.

Curtis Butler
Zoning Administrator

D-22-chg

Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI

PLAINTIFF

Paul A. Enlow
VS.

Judy Hines Enlow

DEFENDANT
CIVIL ACTION,
FILE NO. 10840

SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO:

Judy Hines Enlow
c/o Charlotte Hines
Rt. 7, Box 149
Russellville, AL 35653

You have been made a
Defendant in the suit filed in
this Court by Paul A. Enlow,
Plaintiff, seeking a divorce.

You are required to mail or
hand deliver a written
response to the Complaint
filed against you in this ac-
tion to J. Barry Finch, At-
torney for Plaintiff, whose ad-
dress is P.O. Box 299, Iuka,
MS 38852.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST
BE MAILED OR DELIVERED
NOT LATER THAN THIRTY
DAYS AFTER THE 15th DAY
OF DECEMBER 1988, WHICH
IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST
PUBLICATION OF THIS
SUMMONS. IF YOUR
RESPONSE IS NOT SO
MAILED OR DELIVERED, A
JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT
WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST
YOU FOR THE MONEY OR
OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED
IN THE COMPLAINT.

You must also file the
original of your Response
with the Clerk of this Court
within a reasonable time af-
terward.

Issued under my hand and
the seal of said Court, this
12th day of December, 1988.

Hayden Ables, BW

Chancery Clerk of

Tishomingo County,

Mississippi

1008 Hwy. 25 South

Iuka, Mississippi 38852

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To win a bet for \$40,
Thomas Garson of Chicago
ate 22 hamburgers and
two quarts of ice cream in
25 minutes back in 1938.

Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF
THE ESTATE OF
GORDON DALTON,
DECEASED

NO. 10842

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned having
been appointed executor of
the estate of Gordon Dalton,
deceased, by the Chancery
Court of Tishomingo County,
Mississippi, in Cause No.
10842 on the docket of said
Court, on the 14th day of
December, 1988, hereby gives
notice to all persons having
any claims 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 14th
day of December, 1988.

JOHN WILLIAM DALTON, III

HAROLD S. JACKSON
ATTORNEY AT LAW
POST OFFICE BOX 414
IUKA, MISSISSIPPI 38852
(601) 423-5227
D-22-chg

Invitation For Bids

The Yellow Creek State Inland
Port Authority will receive
sealed bids on a new forklift
with a minimum capacity of
25,000 lb. at 36 inch load cen-
ter. Complete specifications
may be obtained at the Port
Authority office.

These bids must be received
by 6:00 P.M. on January 12,
1989, at the office of the
Yellow Creek State Inland
Port Authority, Route 4 Box
509, Iuka, Mississippi 38852.

"Bid for Forklift" and vendor
number must be written on
the outside of the bid en-
velope. The Port Authority
reserves the right to reject
any and all bids.

Yellow Creek State

Inland Port Authority

By: C.W. Mitchener

Executive Director

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New & Used Tires

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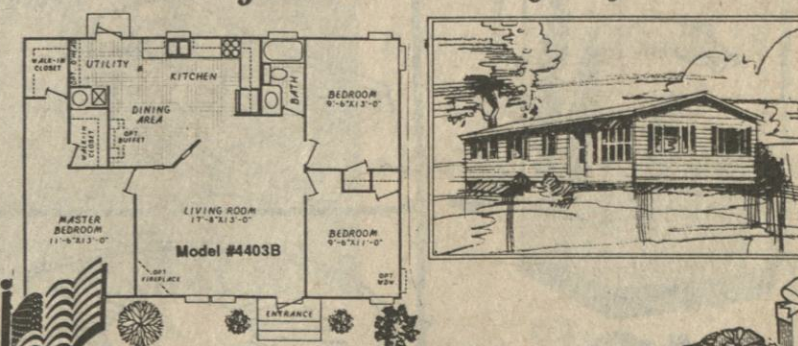
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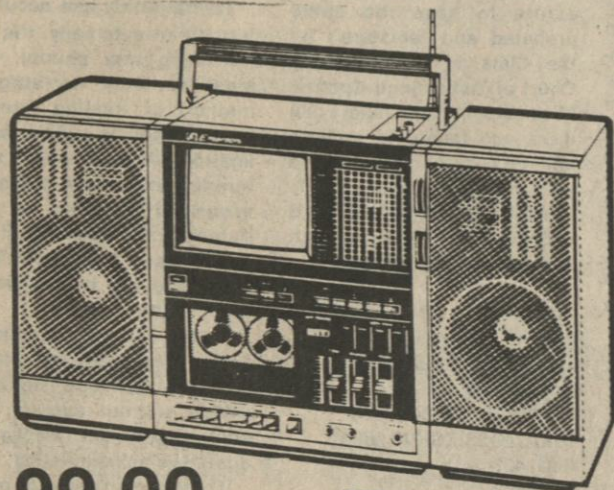
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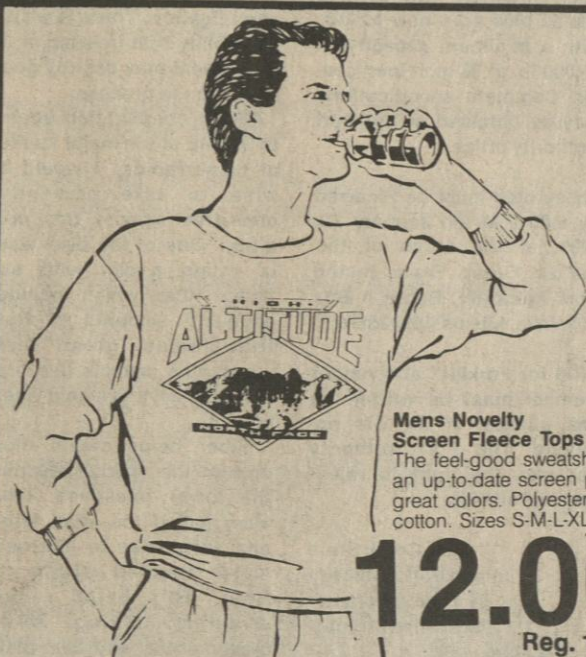
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Jumbo roll wrap 30 inch, 60 square feet or 30 inch, 20 square feet foil Assorted designs

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Christmas Napkins

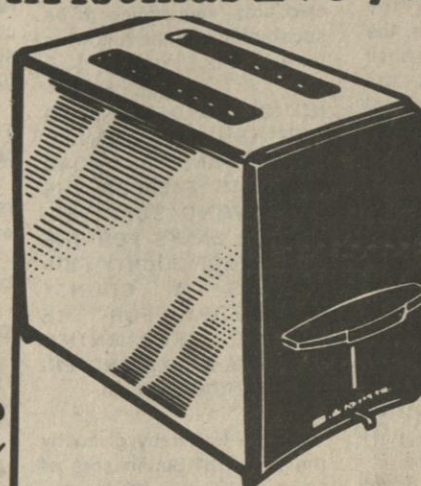
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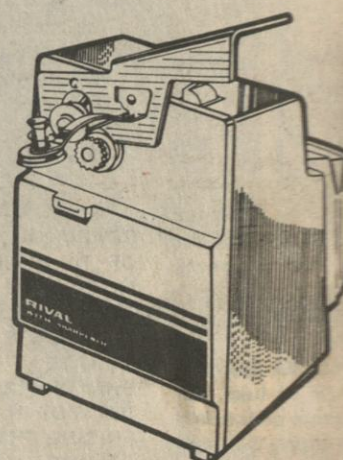
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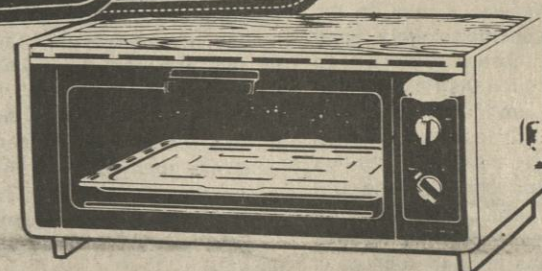
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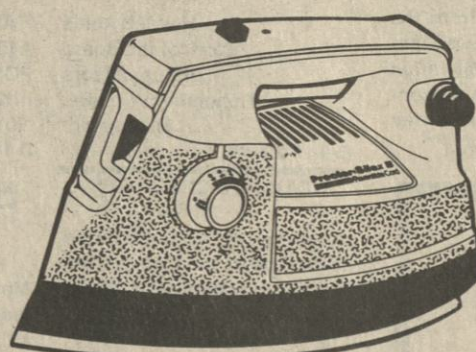


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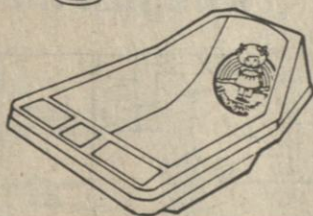
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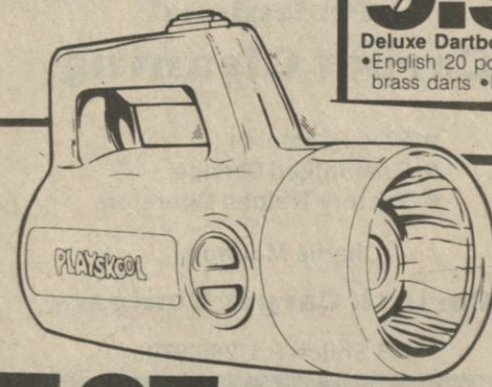
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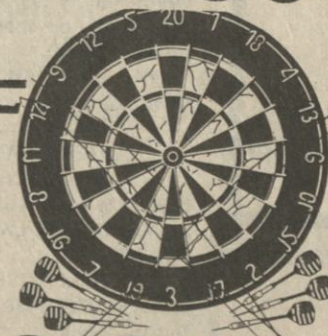
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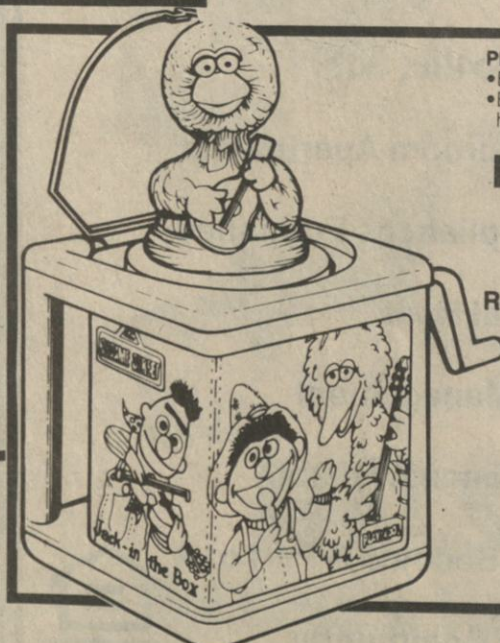
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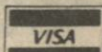


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Ad good thru December 24, 1988
Open Christmas Eve at 7:00 a.m.
Close Christmas Eve at 6 p.m.

Merry Christmas



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.

Bring Tidings

Israel.

Throughout the Old Testament times, God used angelic messengers to help His people in their various encounters. Indeed, He promised them through Moses that his angel would guide them: "Behold, I send an Angel before thee, to keep thee in the way, and to bring thee into the place which I have prepared."

Angels have even won battles for the Israelites in Old Testament times. Isaiah wrote of one such victory: "Then the angel of the Lord went forth, and smote in the camp of Assyrians a hundred and fourscore and five thousand..."

And, it was an angel that shut the mouths of the lions in the den where Daniel was held captive by King Darius!

King David praised such angelic helpers in his 34th Psalm: "The angel of the Lord encampeth 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 ascending and descending upon it, has an important message for mankind, especially at Christmastime.

Frosted and Fringed

Christmas cards of 1870 were frosted and fringed with heavy silk. The folder-type card, so much in evidence today, was not popular during the 19th century, when single cards were more frequently seen.

Holiday Burglars May Steal X-Mas Spirit

Houses and apartments, especially those vacant during the holidays, can be easy targets for burglars doing their holiday shopping at home-your home.

Precautions taken before a "grinch" tries to steal part of your Christmas can insure unwanted visitors never get the chance. Proper locks, adequate lighting and trimmed shrubbery will aid in the defense.

Dead-bolt locks are the best locks for deterring burglars, said Dr. Frances Graham, housing specialist with the Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service. Re-keying all door locks to new keys when moving into a new home is advisable as well as providing secondary locks on sliding doors.

The housing specialist said lock all windows and doors when leaving home-even for a short shopping trip.

"Even with the best locks, some people make it easy for burglars by providing extra keys under welcome mats, flower pots or above the door facings," Graham said. "If extra keys are needed, they should be left with a trusted neighbor or friend."

When the house will be vacant, timers on lights will help ward off burglars by making it appear as if someone is home. Also outside lights should not be used only when the house is vacant. People often draw all curtains or blinds when away for a few days, thus announcing the house is empty.

"Don't leave valuables easily accessible. If something is rarely used, such as silver, keep it in a safety deposit box until needed," Graham said. "Keep a list and description, including price and serial numbers, of all valuables. Don't place the more expensive gifts under the Christmas tree until Christmas morning."

She said to keep shrubbery around the house, especially near windows, trimmed low to eliminate areas that hide burglars as they gain access to a home. Neighbors can work together to reduce break-ins by reporting suspicious people around houses or in the neighborhood.

borhood.

If concern for the safety of your home continues after basic precautions are taken, alarm systems are an option. Protection systems range in

prices from inexpensive battery-operated units protecting a single door or window to sophisticated systems covering the entire house.



Lily McBride

Merry Christmas & Best Wishes for the coming year from everyone at

McBride's Garden Center



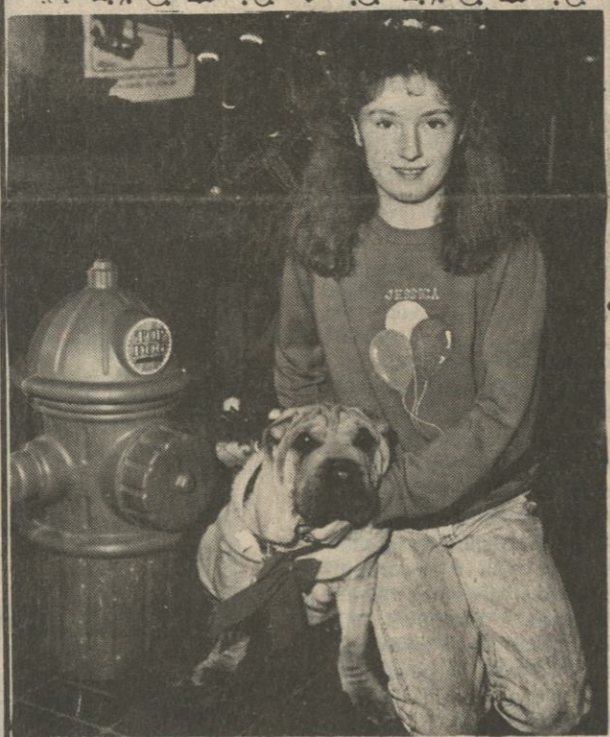
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Dr. Kelly Segars, Dr. Scott Segars, and Staff



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We Wish You The

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Merriest

Christmas Ever!

Stefanie and Jessica

at

Iuka

Printing Company

Downtown Iuka



MERRY CHRISTMAS

May your season be brightened by expressions of love, peace and good will. Many thanks, friends.

Marvin & Sug Baker



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



Dear Santa,
I want a picture of you and that's all.

From, Tonya

Dear Santa,
For X-mas I want a toy Ferrari and two Nintendo Games, Life Force, Cobra Command, Joke Set, and a box of candy canes, Mike Tyson's punch out.

Dustin

Dear Santa,
I love Christmas. It is my favorite Holiday. Would you get me a good turbo hopper. Christmas is fun.

From Keith McNeely
2nd grader

Dear Mr. Nicholas,
I hope you get me a train set for Christmas. Also a turbo that will make me happy. Merry Christmas to you.

From Wayne Gourley

Dear Santa,
How is the toys working out. I hope they are, because I would like some new 14 Kt. gold earrings, and a 14 Kt. gold ring with lots of diamonds.

Please!
Bridgett Deaton

Dear Santa,
I'm glad you give boys and girls the toys they want and I'm also glad you give me toys too.

Love, Cory Wilson

Dear Santa,
I have been very good this year. I would like a bike for Christmas. I have waited for a very very long time. I love you Santa.

3A Riverside Apt.
To Santa
From Leigh Ann Keller

Dear Santa,
My name is Justin Trickey. I am 5 years old. For Christmas, I would like a bicycle, telescope, paint set, clothes and lots of surprises. I will leave you some cookies and milk by the tree.

Love, Justin

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a key board for Christmas and a boy Cabbage Patch Doll. I have been good.

Jennifer Counce
5 years old

Dear Santa,
Hi, my name is Scotty Wilson. I would like a remote control airplane and four-wheeler and two train sets and a computer, tape player, I want Super Mario Brothers 2, and a truck, a toy reindeer set, and alot of firecrackers, and a real three-wheeler, a 110, and a new pump or remote control spaceship, pop up helicopter, swimming outdoors light, a blanket, remote control dune buggy and a table.

Love, Scotty

Dear Santa,
I would like a Nintendo game and a bicycle.

Your Friend,
Justin

Dear Santa,
I would like a jambox and a stereo.

I love Santa,
Josh

Dear Santa,
I love you Santa, I would like a Nintendo and a Jam-box and to see you. How is Rudolf?

Your friend,
Wade

Dear Santa,
I would like a Nintendo and a bike along with a doll with a hole bunch of clothes. And a bed for it, and some toys.

Love, Marie

P.S. I will have a treat for you and your reindeer!

Dear Santa,
I would like a Nintendo and a remote control air plane.

Love, Jason

P.S. I will leave a treat for you and your reindeers.

Mr. Santa,
I love you and I would like to have remote control truck, a remote control diesel truck and some batteries, and a 500 apple race track with some cars, and a boom box, and a remote control airplane. I will also like a nintendo with tapes. How is Rudolf? Write back.

Your friend,
Russell

P.S. I will leave a treat for you and your reindeers.

Dear Santa,
I would like a Nintendo and some tapes. I love you dear Santa, Dear Santa, how is Rudolf?

Love, Matthew
P.S. I will leave cookies and milk, for you and your reindeer.

Dear Santa,
Hi, my name is Justin I'm 3 years old. I have a little sister she is 3 months old, her name is Ashley. My uncle Jerry is writing this letter. My Uncle Jerry, wants G.I Joe stuff. He wants the Warbug, tiger shark, desert fox, Top Gun, Rambo, Repeter, Duke, Dusty, Stormshadow and I want a toy train, some little cars, and toy three-wheeler.

Your friend,
Justin, Ashley & Uncle Jerry

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolf? I would like a Nintendo and a remote control air plane and jam box. I will leave a treat for you and your reindeers!

Your friend,
Shawn

Christmas Greetings

December 19 marks the 30th anniversary of the first radio voice broadcast from space. Transmitted from the U.S. Earth satellite Atlas, the message was a recorded Christmas greeting from President Dwight D. Eisenhower: "To all mankind, America's wish for peace on Earth and good will toward men everywhere."
@ 1988, PM Editorial Services

HO! HO!
GLOW!



Your patronage
has enlightened our holiday.
Merry Christmas, all.

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year from your friends at

Tombigbee Valley Electric Supply, Inc.

Quitman St. - Iuka - Ph. 423-3363

Season's Greetings

You've been such special friends this season!
We'd like to take this opportunity
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Off The Rack

Iuka

Hwy. 72 East of Iuka

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Season's Greetings
and Happy Holidays
to one and all!

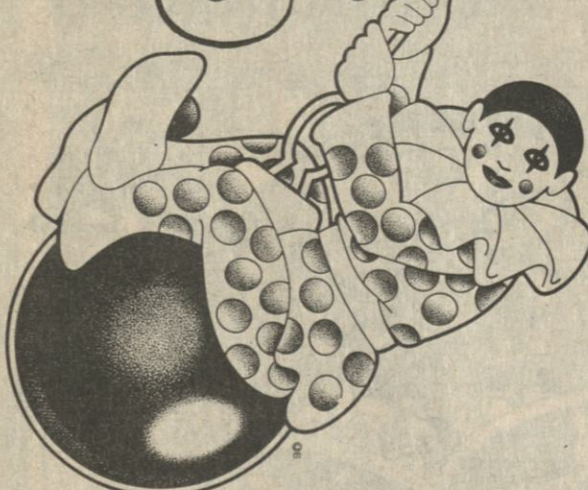
from Bob &
Margie Chaffin at

**Sears
Merchant**

Downtown Iuka



Best Wishes
at
Christmas



'Tis the season to be exceptionally
jolly... and to extend our warmest
thanks to all our customers and friends.

**The Balloon Gallery
Mid-Town Jewelry
Four Seasons Tanning Salon**
Iuka - Corinth



Wishing you a holiday crammed full of
the treasures and delights of a
wonderful Yuletide! To you and yours,
Merry Christmas.

State Farm Insurance

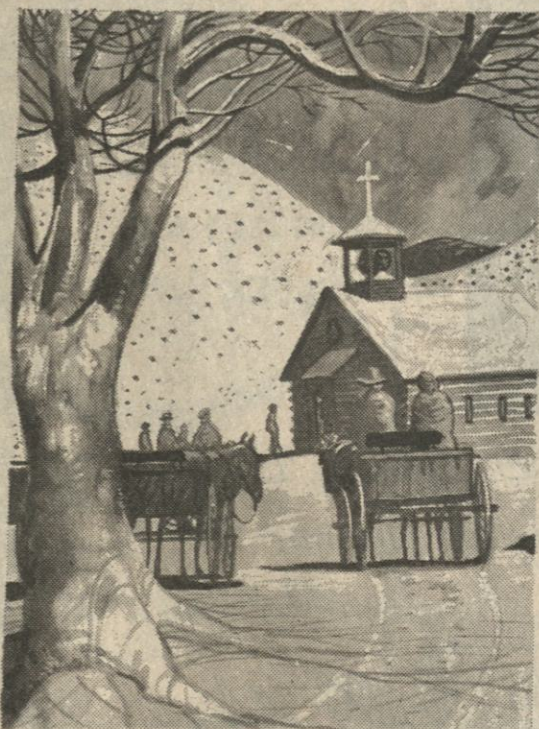
Harold Lomenick
Harold, Judy and Velma



Santa's pack is
brimming with
our good wishes
and thanks.

Merry Christmas from

DeAnna's Beauty Shop
Hwy. 25 S. - Iuka



We wish to all, a warm,
Joyous Holiday Season.
Your friendship means a lot.

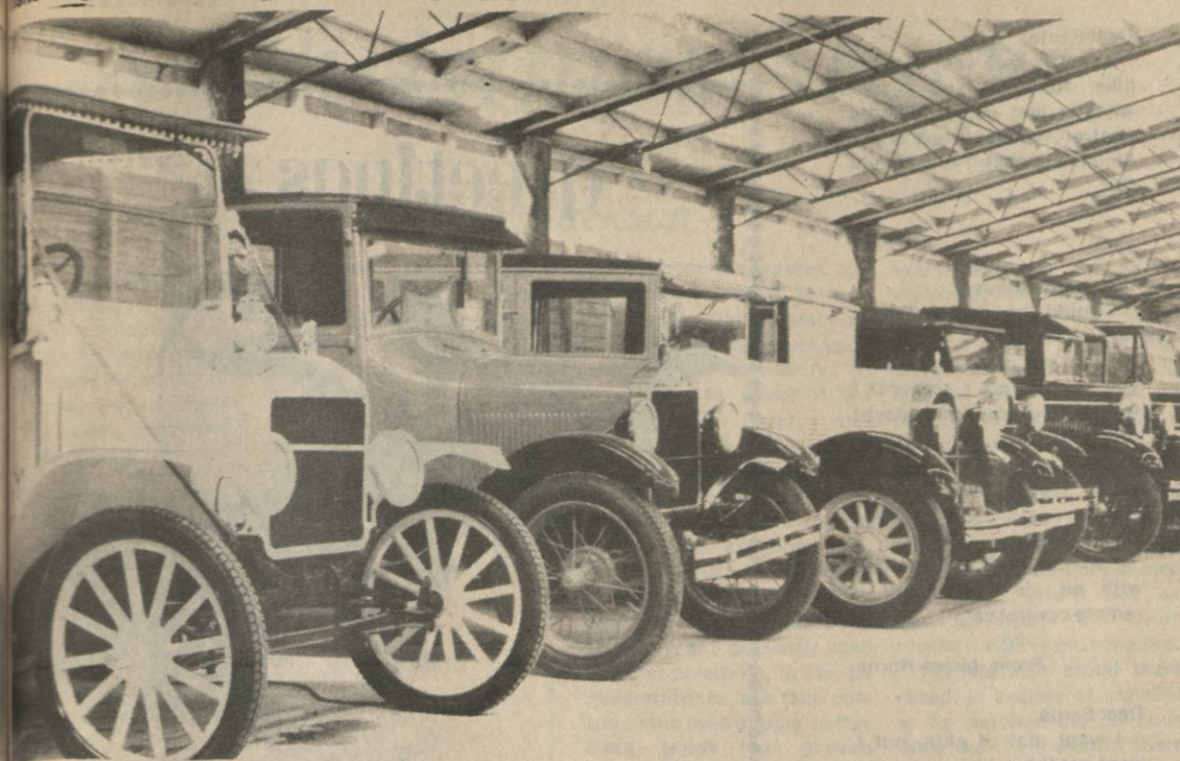
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and
Circus Burger**



A Christmas story,
a Yuletide song,
love is knowing
that you belong
to our family.
Many thanks.

We appreciate your continuing business.

**Cutshall
Funeral Home**



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Haines Collection
Haines Collection con-
tains cars dating from 1917

to 1963. Haines is a member of the Memphis Old Time Club, the Antique Automobile Club of America, and the

Memphis Model A Club. Pictured (l to r) a 1917 Model T Ford Depot Hack, 1927 Model T closed cab pickup, 1928

Falcon-Knight, 1930 Ford Cabriolet, 1928 Ford Roadster, 1929 Ford pickup, and 1924 Franklin.

framework honoring five decades of the American love affair with the automobile.

To anyone familiar with Armie Haines, founder and president of Haines Electric Company, Inc. of Memphis, the enormity of this collection comes as no surprise. Mr. Haines is known for many things, but subtly is not one of them. He likes doing things in a big way. Before his interest in antique cars, "Mr. Kilowatt" was a major force to be reckoned with in boat racing, winning a national championship in 1973, and setting a world's speed record on water in 1974. Mr. Haines retired from racing in 1978, winning the prestigious "Sportsman of the Year" award the previous year, and "got serious" about car collecting.

The vehicles range from the commonplace to the truly unusual. Like many collectors, Mr. Haines started with Model T and Model A Fords. Three Model Ts and four Model As represent Henry

Ford in his finest hour. The 1917 T, oldest vehicle in the collection, sports a wooden depot hack body made in Mr. Haines' woodshop. Like all Ts of this era, it must be started by a crank. The other two Ts are both 1927 pickups, one a roadster and the other a closed cab body, with roll-up windows. Ford people know that ol' Henry never built a closed cab truck in a Model T, but Mr. Haines thinks it's a great idea, and had one built anyway.

The Model As include a 1928 roadster, 1928 two door sedan, a 1929 pickup, and a 1930 cabriolet. The green pickup is probably the most used vehicle of the bunch, having appeared in many commercials and several movies. Both the roadster and the cabriolet are national first place winners, and represent the cheapest and most expensive of the Model A Fords.

Three very rare vehicles of the twenties sit next to the Fords. A 1924, Franklin demisedan, purchased from the famous Harrah's museum in Reno, Nevada, dwarfs the vehicles next to it. This giant car has a six cylinder, air cooled motor, and features a wooden frame and aluminum body. Next to the Franklin is

another favorite, a 1927 Meteor. The Meteor Motor Car Company of Piqua, Ohio, specialized in building Hearses and ambulances for many years. The body of this vehicle has been replaced with a custom wooden hack frame, complete with stained glass windows.

The perfect flapper car, a 1928 Falcon-Knight, looks ready to hit the streets with a moment's notice. A short-lived automobile company, Falcon-Knight only was built in 1927 and 1928: the car featured a powerful sleeve-valve engine that's almost eerie in its silent operation.

Representing the depression era is the rarest car in Mr. Haines' collection, a 1932 Studebaker Dictator 4-dr. convertible sedan. Only 17 of this body style were built, and only three survive. Lloyd Thompson, Mr. Haines' body and paint specialist, has painstakingly reproduced several pieces of the Studebaker, as the vehicle was almost completely

destroyed by fire.

In a corner, a 1935 Ford 2-door, a 1938 Plymouth 2-door, and a 1938 Buick Special 4-door patiently await their turn at restoration. Next in line is a huge 1938 Cadillac limousine, dignified and imposing with its twin-side-mount spares.

The forties cars arrive in pairs. There's two 1941 Fords, two 1940 LaSalle's, and two 1949 Desotos, sharing space with a 1941 Chrysler and a 1946 Desoto Coupe.

Certainly the most interesting car is the 1951 Muntz Jet, built by Earl "Madman" Muntz in the years 1951-1954. Many folks remember Muntz radios and televisions from the early fifties, and Muntz tape decks of the sixties, but few know that Muntz also built automobiles for three years. This particular car, one of only 294 produced, was custom-made for Chicago newsman Alex Drier, and is the only Muntz convertible ever made. The Muntz auto, although a failure, was quite innovative and was the first four passenger grand touring car built in the USA.

An Edsel, a 1960 two-door, gains notoriety from being the very last Edsel ever produced. It, like the 1924 Franklin, was purchased from Harrah's museum. Next to it, a 1960 Thunderbird convertible, splendid in its baby blue, ready for the first sunny day of spring. Another convertible, a 1963 Chrysler 300, waits for the day it may again

flex its powerful muscles.

There are others as well: a 1926 Chevrolet, almost finished in restoration; a 1937 BMW, awaiting parts to be shipped in, and the 1928 American LaFrance fire engine, awaiting any hope of salvation.

Armie Haines looks over his collection and wonders at times just how it got so large. He knows the cars are good investments, but reasoning goes beyond the excuse.

"You look at the quality, the craftsmanship, on some of these vehicles," he says, "and you realize, although we've made a lot of progress over the years, we've also lost a lot as well. I guess I'll keep on collecting for a while; I just like old cars."

It's a pretty strong responsibility, but to Mr. Haines' painter, Lloyd Thompson, and mechanic, Bob Watkins, the effort is not in building a car

collection. It's preserving a bit of history.



Resident's Car Collection Spans Decades

A.B. "Armie" Haines, recently visiting with his wife and relatives in Iuka, Miss., brought a November 24 issue of The Independent, a newspaper printed in Collierville, TN, to The Vidette to share with our readers. A note in that publication, written by James B. Heifner, praises Mr. Haines car collection.

Mr. Haines was born and reared in Iuka, and is the son of Walter and Kate Haines. Following graduation from Iuka High School, he moved to Memphis to pursue a career in the electric field. Mr. Haines worked in an electric shop with an uncle before

establishing his own electric business at which he has operated since. Although Armie remains a resident of Tennessee, he has made numerous contributions to his home town.

By Bob Watkins

Bob Watkins has had a passion for antique cars since the age of 15. Three years ago he began working with the A.B. Haines collection, completing research on each car, as well as doing mechanic work. In addition, he shows the cars and handles public appearances.

Watkins, a journalist, has worked for such publications

as Newsweek. Aside from working with the cars, he continues to write as a freelance journalist.

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In the world of antique

automobiles, there are folks who collect cars and then there are car collectors. Mr. A.B. "Armie" Haines, Sr. is a serious car collector, owning one of the largest and most diverse assemblage of rolling history in the Mid-South. Over forty cars, from a 1917 Model T to the 1963 Chevrolet with 8000 original miles, are the



We Wish You A Merry Christmas!

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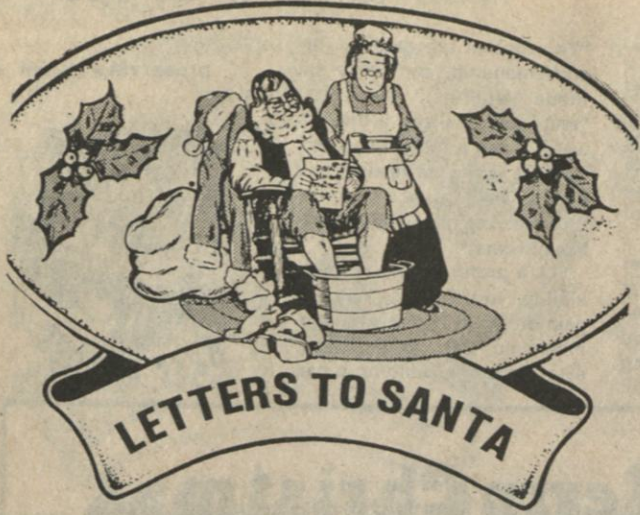
Deck, Marie & Steve



To all our friends, customers and employees we wish you a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!!

Prentiss Manufacturing Co.

Iuka, Mississippi



Dear Santa Claus,
I'm 6 years old and have been good this year. I would like a Barbie House, Microphone, Boots, Camera, Maxie-Prom Perfect, Play-Dough, Snack Shop, and lots of surprises. Be sure to get my snack.

Love, Lily McBride

Dear Santa,
My name is George N. Barnes, II. I am 1 year old and I live in Iuka.

I have been a good boy this year. Would you please bring me the Sesame Street Toddlers, Little Helper Cart, and a lawn mower. And please bring all the little girls and boys lots of surprises.

Milk and cookies will be on the table for you. And oats for the reindeers.

I love you,
George

Dear Santa,
I want a Mouse Trap, the game. If you can, bring me a poster that has Jose Conseco on it. Signed by him. I would also like something signed by Santa and his Helpers, the Dare Game, a Monster Puppet, and a telescope.

Thank You,

From William Jesse Walker
Oh and don't forget my friends and thanks for last year's toys.

Dear Santa,
My name is Amanda. Please bring me lots of surprises and a Pee Wee Herman and a doll that cries. Don't forget my little cousins Brianne in Columbus and Chaz in Tishomingo. I'm big. I'm five years old.

Amanda Akers

Dear Santa,
I've been a very good boy this year. Please bring me a set of "Ping" golf clubs.

Glenn Ray

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Emily. I am three years old. I have been good most of the time. Please bring me a talking magic kingdom, a sewing machine, an etch-a-sketch, a talking telephone, a Sesame Street light and learn, a train, and a baby doll. Please remember all the other little girls and boys.

Love,
Emily Yow

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl all year long. Please bring me lots of toys and candy.

Love,
Kitty

Dear Santa,
My name is Marcus Blake Nunley. I am six years old. Thank you for the Christmas gifts last year. I hope you had a nice year.

Please bring me a guitar, a microphone, some walkie-talkies, a Video-Smarts tape, and some surprises.

I got your note you left me last year. I'll leave you and Rudolph a snack again this year.

Thank you, Santa.
Marc Nunley.

Dear Santa,
If mother will let me, I'm going to leave you some cookies. I want a Little Miss Makeup, Perfume Pretty Barbie and some surprises for Christmas. Bring your reindeer when you come. I wish you would wake me up to see Rudolph.

Love,
Tiffany Davis
Tishomingo Kindergarten

Dear Nike,
I did not know how to write your first name, OK. I Flower Make Basket, Ogen Baby, Tape Player, Hot Potato, Bed Trudle School Set, House Set and just a surprise.

Jennifer

Dear Santa,
On Christmas I want a dart board for Christmas. I love you Santa too.

From, Chris to Santa

Dear Santa,
My name is Brooke Carson. I am 5 years old, I want a sleeping bag, my precious Bible, and a Baby Grows Doll. I will leave some milk and cookies.

Love, Brooke

Dear Santa,
I would like Hot Potato and I would like Crackers in my Bed. I would like a ring.

Ashley

Dear Santa,
I want Turbo Panter or the Super Mario Bros. No. 1 & No. 2 and a very very Merry Christmas to all. An I haven't been the best.

Wesley Watson

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie Doll car and Curling Iron & Curling rollers, hair dryer, some clothes, shoes, Barbie Doll clothes.

Jennifer Hale

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a key board for Christmas and lots of toys I love you very, very much. Please get me a key board.

Love, Tina

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Corey, here is what I want for Christmas I want a Gun and a lot of games to my Atari.

Dear St. Nick,
For Christmas I want a bike and a dog. I like to get everything.

From, Ricky

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a choo-choo train, a blue and white scooter, and lot's of surprises. Oh! And don't forget Kaela my little sister. We love you Santa!

Love, Kellie King, age 8,
& Kaela King, two weeks old
P.S. There will be milk, and cookies for you, and a carrot for Rudolph.

Dear Santa,
I like you. You give people what they want. If they do not know what they want you give them something for Christmas. I would like a computer and a Barbie doll and earrings.

Mary Beard

Dear Santa,
I wish I had a bike and I wish I had magic markers.

Brandi Mechelle Smith

Dear Santa,
I want a race car set and a bike. Nintendo and a four wheeler and games, remote control monster truck and a Simon and Mike Tyson Punch Out.

Timothy

Dear Santa Claus,
I would like a trapperkeeper for Christmas. I know my room is not clean. But would you still get me a present? I will try to clean it someday! I promise!

Love, Angel Leonard

Dear Santa,
I want a VCR and football with an air pump. And a remote control car.

From, James Horne

Dear Santa,
I want alot of gifts, but I want get them. I hope you get my letter. I love you. Send some gifts to me. That is all I want to say.

From, Tasha

Dear Santa,
I want a saga and choplifter for Christmas. And before I leave I want a goodbye kiss from Beth, and I want ninja turtles it is a Nintendo game.

Your friend,
Edward Byrom

Dear Santa,
I want some Walkie Talkies. And LA Gear and a football.

Jeremey Lambert
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
My name is Tracey Campbell. I am 6 years old. I am in the first grade at school. Please bring me a corn silk hair cabbage patch doll. A radio and ear phones, and a make up kit. Also a new leotard for dance class.

I love you Santa

Greetings

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your winter be
bundled in warmth
and your holiday
be wrapped in joy.

Our fondest wishes
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Greetings

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Clerk: Lucille Belue

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Many gifts are wished
for you; among them
may there be: good
health, good cheer,
good friends and
family near! Merry
Christmas!

City of
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Mayor: Bobby Johnson
ALDERMEN: Bonnie Bobo, Junior Carro
David Nixon, Doyle Rorie & Truman South
City Clerk: Kathy Skelton

A Christmas Story

By Al Jackson

order to fully understand the story, it helps if we first understand the situation that existed in the country of Germany during World War II. The German People, down many years, developed intense loyalty to their

government. They became a highly refined, astute, dedicated, and well organized country. Never did they imagine that the very government to which they paid total allegiance would one day become their oppressor.

As the war progressed, the government issued an outpouring of edicts (literally orders) that would impact upon any person in the country.

'All for the good of the nation, the war, and ultimately, the future of its people' so they were told.

Now, a powerful government has numerous ways in which it can, and does, gain the total cooperation of the governed. One of the tried and proven ways used in Germany, and presently used in other countries, is for the government to take total control of the food supply. In this case, those that proved themselves a 'cooperative citizen' were given 'preferred' treatment in the food rations system. There was a desperate shortage of food in wartime Germany. Those that had proven themselves to be 'uncooperative' would find that their monthly food rationing card had somehow been temporarily lost or misplaced.

Hungry, desperate people are very easily persuaded to cooperate. The same thing held true for clothing, fuel, and all the necessities of life.

Among the many edicts that came down from the German High Command, to mention a few, the people were told they could no longer meet in any group larger than two or three persons. That meant any gatherings, including church services, churches were closed, under the disguise of safety for a mass of people gathered together. Then, another edict said people should not waste valuable time reading such things as the Bible. All time, they said, should be devoted entirely to the war effort. Finally, the ultimate edict regarding Christians came down 'Burn all Bibles.'

Now many family Bibles were the most cherished possessions they had. Some were family heirlooms, passed down from previous generations. They were given no choice-Burn all Bibles.

During other periods in history, an effort had been made to stamp out Christianity. So it was in Germany.

The above is pretty much a true picture that existed in Germany at this time. The following story is imaginary, but could have happened, and should the situation ever occur again, perhaps this story will inspire someone to re-enact it for real.

Outside the great city of Hamburg there is a small hamlet (village). The people there were subjected to the rigors of war and had fallen into severe hardships.

In the hamlet on the appointed day in which all Bibles were to be burned, the people gathered for the occasion and complied with the order. An old man, Bible in hand, began walking toward the village square, thinking to himself, "Surely they don't want my old Bible." He loved it dearly and read it daily. He approached the village square, darkness had fallen, he stopped and stared back in the shadows and watched as his neighbors tossed their Bibles onto the roaring fire. The fire, kindled from trash, could not distinguish bet-

ween good and bad. As he watched, three men approached him and said "What have we here?" The old man clutched his Bible close to himself. Another said "I do believe this old one has a Bible," and tore it from the old man's grasp. Laughing now, they tossed the Bible back and forth as the old man struggled to regain it. Finally, one man shoved the old man and said "you'll not be needing this," and then tossed the Bible onto the fire.

The old man stood there dazed, in a state of unbelief as he watched his precious Bible burn. He stayed there until all else had gone back to their homes. With his walking cane the old man probed the embers, thinking somehow, perhaps not all of it had burned. But it had.

There was another family in the village made up of Grandpa, Grandma, and their son, his wife and a little girl of eight years. They too had come to burn their Bible. They tossed their's on the fire, watched as it burned and left. But they had two bibles. One was burned, the other was hidden in a secret place behind a board inside a closet.

As time went on, this family, their Bible secure in its hiding place, would go in to the closet at night and by candlelight, remove the Bible and read from it. It became their worship service. Each night they read the Bible, prayed and then discussed events of the day.

One night Grandpa said "Oh, if only we could share our Bible with others." They dared not risk it. Nevertheless, they felt guilty for having this wonderful word of God when their friends and neighbors had none.

One night after their worship service, Grandma said again, "If only we could share the Bible with others." The little girl, having remained quiet, spoke up and said "But we can share our Bible." The grownups quickly hushed her and said she didn't understand.

Night after night the little girl persisted "we can share our Bible." It was Grandpa one night that said "the child has a right to have her say, let's hear her out." The little girl said "if we take the Bible, choose a very special page, tear it out, then I can take it, crumple it up like a scrap of paper and drop it in the village square, surely someone will find it and share it with someone else." They all sat there quietly in the cramped little closet thinking. Finally the girl's mother said "the child has something worth listening

to." They all agreed.

The girl's father took the Bible and very carefully choosing a page tore it from the Bible. The sound of the tearing of the page seemed loud in the closet.

The next morning, the girl's mother dressed her warmly and in her coat pocket she placed a wadded up scrap of paper. Out into the cold the little girl went. Knowing the village square to be the place surrounded by shops, and where most people went, she went there, and with wisdom beyond her years, she carefully dropped the scrap of wadded up paper while no one was watching.

Night after night the family selected a page from their Bible, held worship service from it, gleaning all they possibly could from a particular page, then removed that page from their cherished Book to be dropped in the village square the next day.

They could only pray and ask that someone would find the precious scraps of paper, and that they in turn would share it with others.

One morning, the old man arose, dressed himself in the tiny room where he lived along; and, as was his custom, he took his walking cane and went to the village square, as the somehow it held a special attraction for him as the place where his precious Bible had been burned. Arriving there, he did as always, walk around the square, always looking down for any small object he might find.

He picked up a button, some odds and ends, a string which he imagined to have been used to tie a package of food, how he wished for more food. Then he picked up a scrap of paper. All this he placed in to his coat pocket. Finally, he came to a bench and sat down. As he usually did, he removed all of today's find from his pocket and began looking at each thing collected. When he came to the scrap of paper, all wadded up, he slowly unfolded it, smoothing out the wrinkles, removed his glasses from his pocket and placed them on. He looked at the scrap of paper and very quickly wadded it up again. A Bible. Frightened, he looked around to see if anyone was watching. He placed the scrap back into his pocket and trying to appear casual, he walked back to his room. Once inside, he locked the door, and pulled the shades.

So excited was he, it took a few minutes before he could look again at today's find. By a dim candle light, he smoothed out the page and read from it. In almost disbelief, he finally muttered to himself, "Someone has a Bible." He read it over and over again. His first thought was "this is mine to keep" so he hid it away. That night he read it again. After some thought to himself, "No, this isn't mine to keep. It must be shared with others."

The next morning the old man went out again. One the way to the village square, he met up with an old lady stooped from years and the burdens of life. Just as they met the old man spoke to her and said "excuse me dear lady, I have made good use of this walking cane and I have many more, perhaps you can make use of it. She stopped, and thru watery eyes just looked at him. He passed the

cane from his hand to her's and as he did so, he passed a scrap of paper along with it. She accepted it.

As she walked away, the old man watched. She turned then and looked back at him and said "Thank you." He knew she had it. Thrilled now, he began walking on toward the square. His head up, shoulders back, his walk a little more lively.

It was a beginning. The scraps were passed on, then on and again. One person to another. Many were devised to pass the little scraps of paper. The people developed a pride in being part of a secret Bible society.

A cloud seemed to be lifting from the people. They began to share meager rations, developing a renewed friendship, a caring mood filled the air. Life was once again worthwhile.

It was cold, oh so cold, on a windblown winter day. The old man arose, ate a meager breakfast, then by habit, took his walking cane and went out. The streets were barren, the shops closed and shuttered. He walked slowly about the square, picking up odds and ends but not finding that which he sought. On and on until he became tired and weary. He began the walk back to his little room. Half way there he turned and went back. He thought to himself, "I know my friend, as he referred to the girl unknown to him, wouldn't be out today. No one would be out this day. Something drove him not to give up.

Back at the square he wandered to and fro, constantly looking on the ground. Just as he was about to give up, he stopped and removed his handkerchief, wiping his eyes, then his mouth, he looked down and there sticking out from under a leaf, he spotted

a speck of white.

Glancing around to insure no one was watching he dropped the handkerchief, and bending he scooped the handkerchief, the leaf, and a scrap of paper and placed them in his coat pocket. "This must be it," he thought.

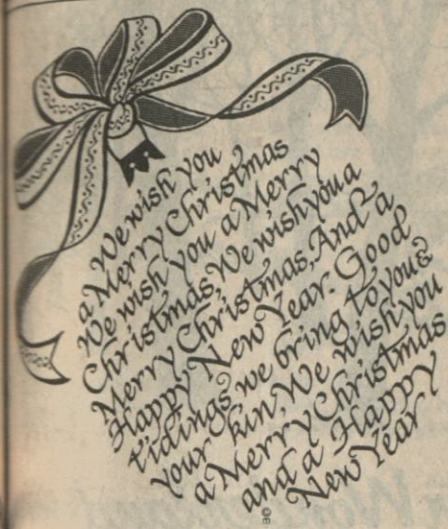
Back in his room, with door locked, shades pulled, he sat down, lit the candles and removed the scrap of paper.

As he smoothed the page out there was printed at the top 'Lucas.' Then his old eyes fell to the center of the page and he quickly clasped the page to his breast and moaned "No not today, my friend - not today." He sat there and wept.

Regaining his composure, he held it out again there in the center of the page, in his native German it said, 'Denn Euch ist heute der Heiland geboren, welcher ist Christus der Herr, in der Stadt Davids.' Translated into English it said, 'For unto you is born this day in the City of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord.'

The old man donned his coat, and hat, taking his walking cane he went back out into the cold.

It was Christmas Day in a hamlet, in Germany - and something very special would be shared.



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MERRY CHRISTMAS

Greetings of the season to young and old alike. Merry, merry Christmas.

From everyone at

JACK'S

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

As the holidays roll around, we eagerly anticipate the traditional desserts synonymous with the season. Coconut cakes, pumpkin pies and jam cakes can all be found on dinner tables all over the South during the holiday season.

In years past, homemakers would begin preparation for visiting family and friends weeks before their arrival. The home economists in the Martha White test kitchen have taken the traditionally favorite recipes, streamlined

them to fit the hectic schedules of today's busy cooks and put them in a leaflet called "Holiday Traditions."

"Holiday Traditions" contains recipes for such favorites as Old Fashioned Jam Cake, Cream of Coconut Cake, Pumpkin Chess Pie and Chewy Mincemeat Bars. These desserts, which have been prepared at Christmas as far back as we can remember, are often complicated and time consuming.

The Martha White Kitchen has taken these recipes and adapted them for today's lifestyles by:

Combining and streamlining steps to make recipes more convenient to prepare.

Specifying already prepared ingredients to save time.

Modifying the sizes of recipes from the large amounts our grandmothers prepared to more manageable sizes for today's smaller families.

Though the recipes may be more convenient to prepare, they still contain all the spices, ingredients and homemade flavor even your grandmother would be proud to serve.

One of the recipes featured in "Holiday Traditions" is Pumpkin Chess Pie. The unique difference between this chess-like version and the traditional pumpkin pie is the Press 'N Bake Cream Cheese Crust.

Made from rich butter and cream cheese, this crust is prepared exactly as the name states. You just combine three ingredients, press the dough into a pie pan, fill and bake for a mouth-watering treat your family will love. This crust does not involve using a rolling pin.

As for the filling, convenient canned pumpkin replaces cooked fresh pumpkin, but fresh pumpkin may

be used if desired.

A delicate blend of cinnamon, ginger, nutmeg and cloves flavors this pie to perfection, just like Grandma used in her old-fashioned pumpkin pie. A touch of corn meal is added for a little texture, and it forms a thin crust on top.

Pumpkin Chess Pie is delicious served warm and topped with whipped cream, but don't hesitate to serve it chilled from the refrigerator as it tastes even better the second day.

Your family will love Pumpkin Chess Pie and all the other special recipes you prepare from "Holiday Traditions." And, you'll love knowing that, even with today's hectic lifestyles, you can still serve a holiday favorite that tastes like you spent the whole day in the kitchen.

This year, you can create centerpiece desserts and still have time to enjoy the holidays...a gift to you from Martha White.

PUMPKIN CHESS PIE

1 1/2 cups sugar
6 Tb (1/2 stick) butter or margarine, softened
1 cup canned pumpkin
1/4 cup plus 2 Tb half & half
2 eggs
1 tsp vanilla
4 tsp Martha White self-rising corn meal mix
1/2 tsp salt
1/2 tsp cinnamon
1/4 tsp each ginger, nutmeg & cloves
1 Press 'N Bake Cream Cheese Crust, below
Whipped cream, if desired

Preheat oven to 350 F. Cream sugar and butter with mixer. Add remaining ingredients, except crust and whipped cream; blend well. Pour mixture into prepared crust. Bake 40 to 45 minutes or until knife inserted in center comes out

clean. Cool on wire rack. Good served chilled and topped with whipped cream.

Press 'N Bake Cream Cheese Crust

1 package (3 ounces) cream cheese, at room temp.
1/2 cup (1 stick) butter or margarine, softened
1 cup sifted Martha White All-Purpose Flour

Combine cream cheese and butter; blend well. Stir in flour. Refrigerate 30 minutes. Press dough into bottom and up sides of 9-inch pie pan. Flute edge as desired. Chill until needed for filling.

For more traditional holiday dessert recipes, write for your copy of "Holiday Traditions" at the Martha White Kitchen, P.O. Box 58, Dept. U5, Nashville, TN 37202.

"Jingle Bells"

Sings Of

Snow and Sleigh

Although it says not a word about Christmas, the song, "Jingle Bells" is now a familiar part of the holiday season. The spirited description of "Dashing thro' the snow, in a one-horse open

sleigh" conjures up visions of the old-fashioned Yuletide nearly everyone remembers -- or likes to think he remembers.

Usually it is thought of as "Jingle Bells," but early copies of the song show that the title was really meant to be "Jingle, Bells" -- with a comma added to make it a command to the bells to go into action.

Both the melody and lyrics were written by James Pierpont, who was the son of a minister and who ran away to sea at the age of 14.

Pierpont wrote the song in the late 1850's according to

Encyclopedia Americana. He was then living in the Boston suburb of Medford where at the time, the only piano in the entire village was located in the parlor of Simpson's Tavern. It was there Pierpont picked out the "Jingle, Bells" melody.

"Noel"

"Nowell" or "Noel" means birthday news or a "shout of joy" for the birth of Christ.

The earliest carols were songs of the Nativity; the incarnation and the Annunciation. Later, ones on

shepherd themes and Epiphany were composed and there were also folk origin on the feast of the Christmas season. These latter included songs as "The Holly and the Ivy." Many of the old carols were originally of the medieval mystery miracle plays.



May the blessings of Christmas be with you always

Mr. & Mrs. Mack L. Wadkins

Randy, Ron & Risa

JOYEUX NOEL

Our holiday prayers wish you peace on earth, good will to all men.

Motor Parts Company

Iuka Ph. 423-6035



Best Wishes

Best wishes to all for a happy and joyous Christmas!

Sanderson's Plumbing & Heating

Owner: Donald Sanderson - Iuka, MS



All the blessings of the season to you and your family. We hope that you will find peace and contentment this Christmas and always.

Brown Insurance Agency

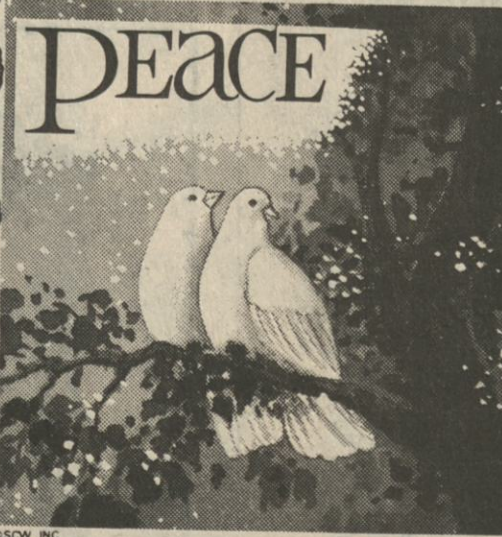
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Joey

Here's a wish for every friend: holiday joy, without end!

Dr. & Mrs. Harry Cosby,
Mrs. Nell Lackey &
Mrs. Margaret Griggs



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

From the office of

TISHOMINGO COUNTY CHANCERY CLERK

Hayden Ables



Santa's on his way to fill your hearts and homes with the joy of Christmas. Our sincere good wishes to everyone.

VIDEO MAGIC



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Best Wishes

We wish you happiness and serenity this holiday season and always.

D. B. Johnson Construction Company

Iuka 423-1399

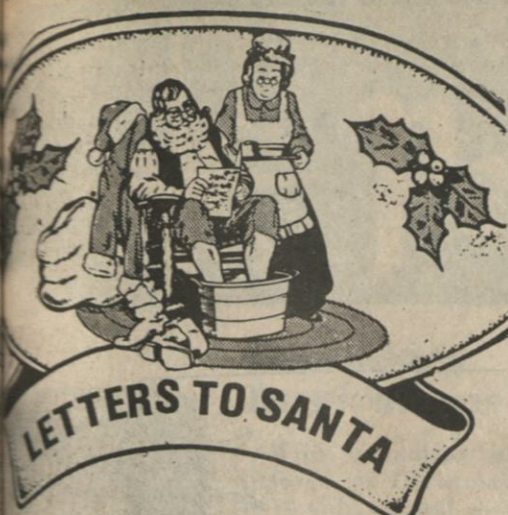


Joy

Let us spread His message of love and peace throughout the land. To all men of good will -- a blessed Christmas!

S & S Satellites

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Dear Santa,
I live in Burnsville, Mississippi. I live in north-veiw apts. I am nine years old. I want a My Little Pony, and a My Little Pony and family and surprises.

Love,
Lavonia Morris

Dear Santa,
Please bring some surprises for me and some things I want.

Merry Christmas,
Heath Lynch

Dear Santa,
I have tried to be a good boy most of the time this year. I would like a guitar, a microphone and a stage. Bring my dad some surprises!

Love, Austin Carr

Dear Santa,
My name is Krystal Roberts and I am 5 years old and I am in Head Start. I would like to have a D.R. Kent Barbie Doll, some shoes for me, some clothes for me, I wear 12 size shoes in pants I wear 5R and in tops I wear size 5. Earrings and lots of more things too. I would like some surprises.

Sincerely,
Krystal Roberts
P.S. Write Back Santa

Dear Santa,
I want a Headmaster auto BOT Base. It said, on a piece of paper the Max! This super sized, 2 foot Robot turns into fortress, then to city and back, includes 2 Headmaster Robots, built-in tech specs meter and plenty of accessories.

Bye Santa,
Love, Bobby Crane

Dear Santa,
My name is Daniel Phifer, I am 4 years old and have been a good boy. Please bring me a ghostbuster car and helicopter for Christmas. Also please bring me a Hot Potato game and some surprises. I will leave you some cookies and milk by the tree.

Love, Daniel

Dear Santa,
My name is Christy Roberts and I am 6 years old and I am in the First Grade, I would like to have a Perfume Barbie Doll, D.R. Kent Barbie Doll, some shoes for me, some clothes for me, I wear 1 1/2 size shoes, in pants I wear 8R and blouse I wear size 8, and lot of good things too. Earrings. I would like some surprise.

Sincerely,
Christy Roberts
P.S. Write Back Soon

Dear Santa,
My name is Ashley Helton. I will be 18 months old on Christmas Day. I have been a good girl this year. I would like you to bring me a stove and refrigerator, dishes, a "Special Blessings" Doll, Lego Blocks and some surprises.

Love, Ashley

Dear Santa,
Ycu are nice to me every year. I have been a good girl and I want a three wheeler and some clothes. And I want you to bring my mom and dad something, I want you to bring my mom some clothes and I want you to bring my dad some jogging suits, and bring me some surprises.

Merry Christmas,
Lynn Broadway

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Kayla Marie Durham, and I am three years old. I have been a pretty good girl this year. For Christmas I would like you to bring me a cabbage patch doll, a buggy, a blanket, some diapers, and some surprises.

I will leave you some milk and cookies under the tree.

Love,
Kayla Durham

GREETINGS

Here's wishing you the best of holidays with friends and loved ones all around you!

Styles Unlimited

Hwy. 25 N. Iuka

Joyce, Brenda, Angie & Joan



Merry Christmas

Happy New Year!

May god Bless Each and Everyone of You!

State Representative

Bill Wheeler

District 19

Dear Santa,
My name is Wesley Orick, I am 13 years old on Christmas Day. I would like a 4-telescope, dirty monkey mouse watch and surprises.

Wesley

Dear Santa,
My name is Roger Joseph Burns. I am 2 1/2 years old. I have been a good boy. I would like an electric blanket, tools, remote control dump truck and a surprise.

Love,
Roger Joseph Burns

Dear Santa,
I want a growing hair dolls and clothes and a surprise.

Blaine Hall

Dear Santa,
You are nice to me there is somethings about me, I am 8 years old, I am in 4-H, I hope you have a nice Christmas. Bye, Bye.

Love, Mandy

Dear Santa,
You are nice. I want some gray boots. I love you, Santa.

Eric Rorie

Dear Santa,
Hello, my name is Matthew Cummings, I am 7 years old. I want a mini football and a micro machine.

Love, Matthew Cummings
Burnsville 4-H

Dear Santa,
I want a football suite and I am 10 years old and in 4-H.

Thanks,
Eric Timbs

Dear Santa,
I want a Hundred Dollars to blow!

I love you,
Neicy

Season's GREETINGS



The Front Porch

Pleasant Hill Road - Iuka
James & Bunny Williams



Greetings of the
Holy
Season

**BJ's Corner Cafe
and Car Wash**

Bobby, Ruby, Shelaine,
Bevelry and Employees

December 24th



Getting Ready for the Big Night Ahead!

May all your holiday memories be cherished.

Merry Christmas and thanks.

Farm Bureau Insurance

Carlos Ginn, Golden

Danny Bullard, Iuka

Billy Rainey, Iuka

Secretaries: Mrs. P. L. Oaks, Debbie Woodruff, Donna McAnally, and Karan Timbs

*Holiday
&
Season*



To the earth, peace,
to the season, joy
and to our friends,
old and new,
many thanks.

FIRST AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK

2 LOCATIONS IN IUKA - GOLDEN - BURNSVILLE - BELMONT - TISHOMINGO

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Peace on Earth

Legendary Inspirations



With a holiday as beloved as Christmas, it is only natural that many legends have sprung up around it.

There is one such legend that was inspired by the small tree or shrub known as the Glastonbury thorn.

According to the legend, Joseph of Arimathea, the disciple of Jesus, made a long pilgrimage to England. He drove his walking stick into the soil of Glastonbury, and the staff miraculously flowered into white blossoms.

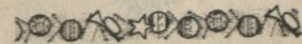
The shrub produces these flowers twice yearly, in the spring and at Christmastime, adding substance to the lovely legend.

Yet another legend tells of the little drummer boy who watched sadly as gifts of great value were placed at the feet of the Infant Jesus. It seems that the boy had no gift to offer the Holy Babe.

Suddenly, it occurred to him that he did possess one thing — the ability to play his drum. Softly, he began to play for the Babe, so the legend goes, and was rewarded with a smile from the Infant Jesus.

There is another legend surrounding the lovely poinsettia plant, so popular at Christmastime. According to the story, a poor young Mexican boy had no gift to lay upon the church altar on Christmas Eve, as was the custom of his village. Kneeling outside the window of the church,

the boy began to pray. When he rose to his feet, he discovered a beautiful red flower growing where he had knelt, blooming in answer to his prayer. Joyfully, the boy took the flower, now known as the poinsettia, and placed it before the altar.



CRYSTALLIZED ORANGE NUTS

1/4 cup orange juice
1 cup sugar
2 cups pecan halves

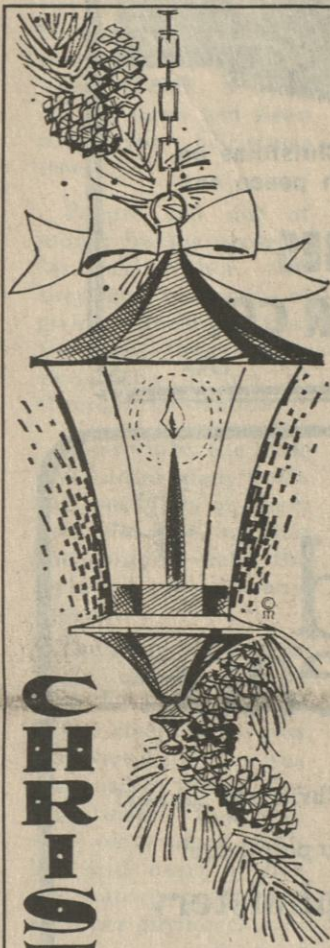
Combine sugar and orange juice in a 2-quart (12 x 7) glass baking dish and mix well. Stir in pecans.

Microwave for 6 minutes at MEDIUM HIGH.

Stir and continue cooking for 8 minutes or until syrup crystallizes.

Spread, separate, and cool glazed nuts on buttered cookie sheet.

Store in tightly covered container.



CHRISTMAS

It's time for holly and mistletoe . . . for fun with friends and family! Happy Holidays all!

Shelia's Beauty Shop

Hwy. 72 W. - Iuka
423-2522

EQUAL EGG NOG

1 cup non-fat dry milk powder
1/2 cup water
24 packets Equal, low-calorie sweetener*
1 teaspoon brandy extract

1/2 teaspoon rum extract
2 eggs
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
2 cups skim milk
Combine dry milk, water and Equal in blender.
Blend on high for 5-10 min-

utes or until smooth and creamy. Add extracts and egg; continue blending. Add nutmeg and milk until well mixed. Refrigerate. Serve with sprinkle of nutmeg.



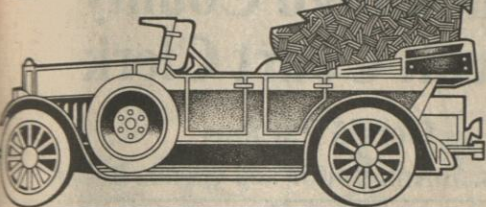
Joyous Noel!

Yuletide greetings to everyone! May you enjoy all that this special season can bring!

William's Pest Control

Belmont, MS
454-3383

Have A Wonderful Holiday Season!



We appreciate your continued business.

Jones Pool Co.

101 N. Main 423-9671



Happy, happy, happy, happy holidays!

Dr. Paul Kellum

Front St. in Iuka

Phone 423-3008



PEACE

Wishing you serenity and happiness this Christmas and always. We're thankful for your patronage and we hope you'll continue to rely on us.

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GUARANTY
NATIONAL BANK

Belmont, MS



Noel

Let us all rejoice in the glow of a warm and loving Christmas season. We thank you for your patronage.

BJR Feeds

Eastport St. in Iuka

Phone 423-1859



There was no room at the Inn...

And so the Sacred Family was turned away not having a place for their blessed son to be born. The shepherds knew of shelter and guided them to the manger, known to us now as the holy cresh.

We realize and celebrate the message of Christ's coming that every birth is a blessing and every creation a wonder. Rejoice.

Our very best to everyone.

WAL-MART

Hwy. 25 South in Iuka

Open 7 a.m. Saturday, December 24th

Closed Sunday, December 25

A Visit from St. Nicholas

by Dr. Clement C. Moore

'Twas 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 St. Nicholas soon would be there.
The children were nestled all snug in their beds,
While visions of sugar-plums danced in their heads;
And Mamma in her kerchief, and I in my cap,
Had just settled our brains for a long winter's nap.

Away to the window I flew like a flash,
Tore open the shutters and threw up the sash.

courses they came, And he whistled, and shouted, and called them by name.

The moon on the breast of the new-fallen snow
Gave a lustre of mid-day to objects below,
When, what to my wondering eyes did appear,
But a miniature sleigh, and eight tiny reindeer.

"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!"

He was dressed all 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 to his teeth,
And the smoke it encircled his head like a wreath;

He had a broad face and a little round belly,
That shook when he laughed, like a bowl 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 goodnight!"



Joy To All at Christmas!
Mira's Boutique

Iuka - 423-2238



When out on the lawn there arose such a clatter,
I sprang from my bed to see what was the matter.

With a little old driver, so lively and quick,
I knew in a moment it must be St. Nick.
More rapid than eagles his

As dry leaves that before the wild hurricane fly,
When they meet with an obstacle, mount to the sky,
So up to the house-top the coursers they flew,
With the sleigh full of toys, and St. 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 St. Nicholas came with a bound.

Greetings

Health, wealth, and happiness!

Greetings From
Pine Slab Restaurant

O HOLY NIGHT

May your Christmas be blessed with peace and happiness!

JONES LUMBER CO.

EASTPORT ST. IUKA

Hosanna, Hosanna!



Celebrate the joy of giving and find the true meaning of Christmas in your heart.

Tishomingo County Circuit Court Clerk

Gerald Parsons
Deputies: JoAnn Bolton and Glenda Bolton

Noel

Happy holiday wishes to all our wonderful customers. We have enjoyed serving you in the past and look forward to seeing you again next year.

The Ice Cream & Yogurt Shop & Lisa's Framing & Stitching

Hwy. 25 - Iuka

Joy and peace

Wishing you Christmas cheer!
Thank you for your patronage!

Larry's Upholstery

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GREETINGS

Christmas trees and candles aglow
Remembered friends and crisp white snow
It's Christmas' warm and cheery touch
That makes the season mean so much!

Tennessee River Pulp & Paper Co.

Joy TO ALL

Times may have changed but one thing is still the same — sending holiday greetings to friends old and new. It's a pleasure to wish you happy holidays.

RIPLEY INDUSTRIES

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

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

IUKA FLOWER SHOP

Best Wishes

Cheery holiday greetings to all our good friends and patrons. It's been a pleasure serving you.

BUTLER'S SHELL IN IUKA

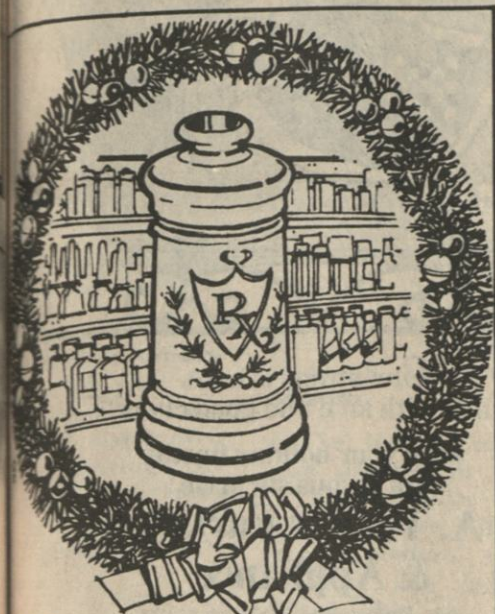
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A Child's Christmas

Christmas Every Day — Too Much of a Good Thing



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!

**IUKA
DISCOUNT DRUGS**

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A story by William Dean Howells, "Christmas Every Day," tells about a little girl who got too much of a good thing.

It seems that she liked Christmas so much that she wrote to the Christmas Fairy to ask if Christmas could come every day. The Fairy agreed to her request, but for one year only.

The little girl was delighted — imagine, Christmas every day! When Christmas came, she was the first one up to find all sorts of presents under the tree. She ate so much candy,

she didn't want her breakfast and she ate so much dinner that she got a stomach ache and had to go to bed early.

The little girl slept late the next day, but was awakened by the other children, who were dancing around her bed with stockings filled with presents. It

was Christmas again! There was the tree surrounded with all sorts of presents, and the little girl's family looking rather surprised. So, the little girl once again ate too much candy and too much dinner and went to bed all out of sorts.

Christmas kept coming every day and the presents kept piling up, and everyone began to lose their tempers. The little girl was afraid to tell anyone that it was all her fault, and she was ashamed to ask the Christmas Fairy to take back her promise.

So Christmas came on Valentine's Day and Easter and every other day of the week. And, on the Fourth of July, all the fireworks turned to candy because it was Christmas again, which made a lot of boys and girls very unhappy.

What with all the Christmas dinners, they began to run out of turkeys and cranberries, and soon the woods were just filled with stumps, because all the trees had been used for Christmas trees.

People ran out of money buying presents for each other, and they got so tired of giving presents that they just threw them over the fence or through the window.

Meanwhile, the little girl had so many dolls, she would sit on them and she got so that she couldn't stand the sight of presents anymore.

The little girl felt so badly about all this that she began to talk in her sleep and it was discovered that she was responsible for all the Christmases! Everyone was very angry with her and none of her playmates would play with her anymore.

So, at last she wrote to the Christmas Fairy to put an end to all the Christmases, but she got no answer. And, when she went to the Christmas Fairy's house, no one was there.

At last, the real Christmas Eve arrived. And, the next morning there was no Christmas! The little girl was very relieved and so was everyone else. She went to thank the Christmas

Fairy and together they decided that it would be best after all, to have Christmas come just once a year.

The Feast Pig

We can thank the Dutch for today's "piggy banks." It's an old custom in Holland for youngsters to save their pennies in a pig-shaped earthenware container, called the "feast pig," which is not opened until Christmas.



A Different Meaning for Many

What does the Christmas season signify to you? Ask the question of a hundred persons, and you would probably get as many different answers.

To some, Christmas is shopping for gifts, perhaps beginning as early as summer!

To others, Christmas is the sound of holiday music everywhere...on the radio, in the stores, in the office and in the churches.

To children, of course, Christmas is the time when Santa Claus comes to town, hopefully loaded down with lots and lots of presents!

Christmas means an

eagerly anticipated annual visit from distant sons or daughters for many parents.

To others, it's the glow that comes from singing carols to those spending the season in hospitals and convalescent homes.

Christmas is taking the youngsters to see Santa Claus for some; for others, it's ice skating down at the pond.

Christmas means "open house" for those who traditionally welcome friends and family in this hospitable way during the holidays.

Look into each heart

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!

FIRST CITIZENS LOANS

202 E. EASTPORT ST.

IUKA



May the joys of the season dwell in each and every heart.

J. C. Lambert & Sons

Burnsville and Iuka

PEACE

The best gift at Christmas time is the gift of love! Merry Christmas!

Donnie Brown
State Farm
Insurance

Quitman St., Iuka



Because the good will of those we serve is the foundation of our success, it's a real pleasure at this holiday time to say "Thank You" as we wish you a full year of happiness and success.

H & H Antenna & Towers

HWY. 25 NORTH

TERRY HESTER 423-5612

Noel



May this Christmas find you at peace with the world and yourself.

**Little
Creek
Motel**

Merry Christmas



With warmest greetings, we send to all, our dearest hopes for peace and joy!

Winfield Manufacturing Co.

Belmont, Burnsville & Corinth, MS

Equal Opportunity Employer



Here Comes Santa Claus A Symbol of Good Cheer

Santa Claus is such an important element of Christmas today that we sometimes forget that he is fairly recently arrived on the holiday scene, as we know him today. Santa's beginnings

go back as far as ancient times, it is thought, when pagan gods such as Saturn presided over feasts such as the Saturnalia, a mid-winter festival celebrated by the Romans.

These pagan influences can be seen in the Father Christmas figure that was popular during the 1800s in England. He was a tall, bearded figure, pictured with a wreath of holly reminiscent of the Druids.

But, the most obvious ancestor to Santa Claus was St. Nicholas, of course. St. Nicholas was a real-life bishop

who lived in Asia Minor during the 4th century.

A legend grew up around him, crediting him with saving three maidens from a life of disgrace. It seems that their father was too poor to provide dowries for them, a requirement for marrying in those days.

St. Nicholas is supposed to have thrown bags of money through the father's window, thus enabling the daughters to marry. He was also said to have miraculously restored three boys to life, thereby becoming associated with both children and gifts.

In Germany, the figure of St. Nicholas gave way during the reformation to the Christ Child, actually a messenger for the Infant Jesus and thought of as a girl.

In time the Christ Child, or *Christkindl*, became known as Kriss Kringle in the United States, taking on the old Father Christmas aspect that came to us from England.

The Dutch also had a great deal to do with our present concept of Santa Claus. Their version of the St. Nicholas figure was Sante Klaas, and it was this version that was brought by the Dutch settlers to the New World. Like St. Nicholas, Sante Klaas was both benevolent and saintly.

The realistic saint-figure became merged with elf figures from old European lore in the mind of a professor sometime during 1822 and the delightful concept of today's Santa Claus was born in a poem entitled *The Visit of St. Nicholas*. Dr. Clement Clarke Moore's lively description of St. Nicholas as "a right jolly old elf" inspired the famed artist, Thomas Nast, to create a small, elfish character with whiskers and beard, and name him Santa Claus.

Time has subtly changed the original Santa Claus from a gnome-like figure to the plump, jolly fellow more recognizable to modern children, but the sleigh and reindeer have remained intact, and we can directly trace our contemporary Santa to those first drawings by Nast.

Today, Santa is a symbol of Christmas to every youngster in this country, and he is rapidly becoming known around the rest of the world, thanks to communications.

Tea Party

On December 16, 1773, American colonialists protested the exorbitant British excise taxes on goods exported to the colonies by dumping the contents of nearly 350 chests of tea into Boston Harbor. Dubbed the "Boston Tea Party," the famous incident began a long tradition of American opposition to unfair taxation.

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Louisiana Purchase

One of the world's most famous real estate deals was completed on December 20, 1803, when more than a million square miles of the Louisiana Territory was purchased by the United States from France. The French leader Napoleon sold the land for approximately \$20 per square mile.

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SALLY LUNN

- 2 packages active dry yeast
- 1/2 cup warm water (105 to 115°)
- 1 1/2 cups lukewarm milk (scalded then cooled)
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1 1/2 teaspoons salt
- 2 eggs
- 1/4 cup shortening
- 5 1/2 cups Gold Medal® all-purpose flour*

Dissolve yeast in warm water in large mixing bowl. Stir in remaining ingredients. Beat until smooth. Cover; let rise in warm place until double, about 1 hour.

Stir down batter by beating about 25 strokes. Spread in greased tube pan, 10x4 inches. Let rise to within 1 inch of top of pan, about 45 minutes.

Heat oven to 350°. Bake until loaf is golden brown and crusty, 45 to 50 minutes. Remove from pan; serve warm. 16 servings.
*If using self-rising flour, omit salt.

NOEL



Our best wishes during this holiday season.

Iuka
Scrap Metal
Graham Road
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MERRY CHRISTMAS!



Christmas is here filled with love and good cheer!

May your holiday bustle with joyous surprise!
J. A. Tucker Furniture & Appliance
Burnsville, MS

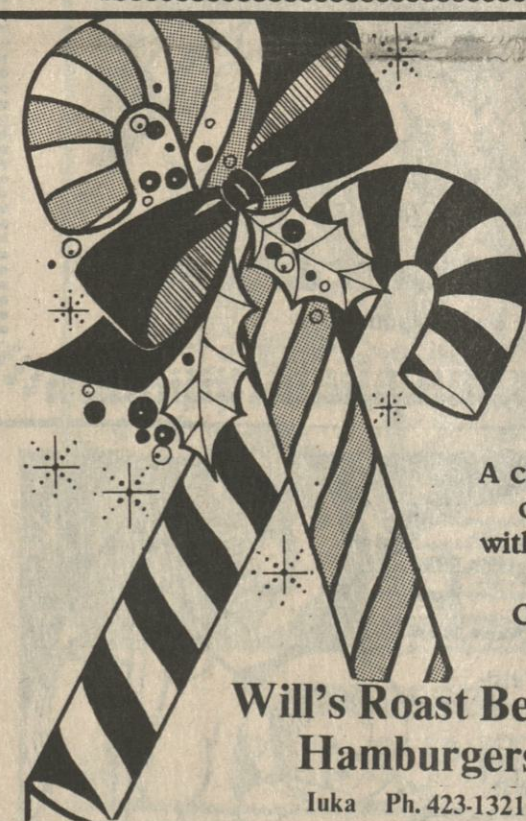
Season's Greetings



We wish you an old-fashioned holiday filled with love and laughter and all the special delights of the season.

Seasons Greetings from the office & staff of

Tishomingo County Tax Assessor & Collector - Horace Ledgewood



JOY

A cheery hello to all our many friends, with warmest wishes for a very happy Christmas season.

Will's Roast Beef & Hamburgers
Iuka Ph. 423-1321

SEASON'S GREETINGS



Our hope is for a world filled with peace and joy, now and forever.

Sheriff Richard Dobbs

Chief Deputy: Danny Horton

Joel Holliman, William (Bill) Johnson, & Mike Higginbottom
Phyllis Eaton, Sec. Jimmy Christian, Dispatcher
Raymond Hisaw, Dispatcher Huey Stigall, Dispatcher
Neil Wilmeth, Dispatcher Judy Wilson, Chief Dispatcher



Thanks for letting us serve you!

MERRY CHRISTMAS

JAY'S GREENERY

HWY. 25 NORTH OF BELMONT



Merry Christmas

It's Christmas again! May yours be a joyful one and your new year happy and prosperous!

Merry Christmas from everyone at

Monotech of Mississippi



Colonial Christmas

Although the earliest American Christmases were rather grim due to the fact that the pilgrims disapproved of celebrating the holiday, Christmas in the colonies in time was generally pretty festive.

There were no Christmas trees, as the German custom was not introduced into this country until the 1800s, but in other ways, Americans made merry.

In Williamsburg,

The Dutch who settled on Manhattan Island brought over their Christmas customs from Holland, including the legend of Sante Klaas. So intent were the Dutch on celebrating Christmas that all Council meetings were called off from December 14 to three weeks after Christmas!

In Maryland, the many Catholic settlers brought holiday customs from their native England to keep a

merry Christmas, too.

Food, of course, was an important element in all colonial celebrations, although it varied in ethnicity. The Dutch, for instance, favored doughnuts, sweet cakes, short cakes and ginger cakes, fruit pies, preserves, fried shad, roasted chicken and bowls of milk and cream.

Virginians feasted on roast turkey with grapes, kumquats, roast beef, cranberry mold,

spiced crab apples and glazed sweet potato slices.

Christmas Day itself always centered around church services, ranging from morning worship to midnight mass, with churches festively decorated and voices

raised in praise of the season.

Because colonial settlers were often widely scattered, greetings at Christmas-time were likely to be sent by way of musket fire. This custom of

firing muskets, as a matter of fact, has evolved into setting off firecrackers in some parts of the south today.

Although the colonial Christmas did not have Santa as we know him, or the tree, or

gift-giving to the extent of modern times, it was a time of joy. A poem published in the *Virginia Almanack* during Colonial times expressed it best:

"Christmas is come, hang on the pot,

Let spits turn round, and ovens be hot;

Beef, pork, and poultry, now provide

To feast thy neighbours at this tide;

Then wash all down with good wine and beer

And so with mirth conclude the year."

Virginia, for instance, the celebrating began a week before Christmas and lasted until Twelfth Night, or January 5. Festivities included caroling, dancing and much feasting.

The holiday season was ushered in with a huge bonfire and candles were lit in every window, while fiddlers and singers filled the air with music.

Balls, fox-hunts, and visits between neighbors and family set the tone for the social season in colonial Virginia during the holidays.



Blessings

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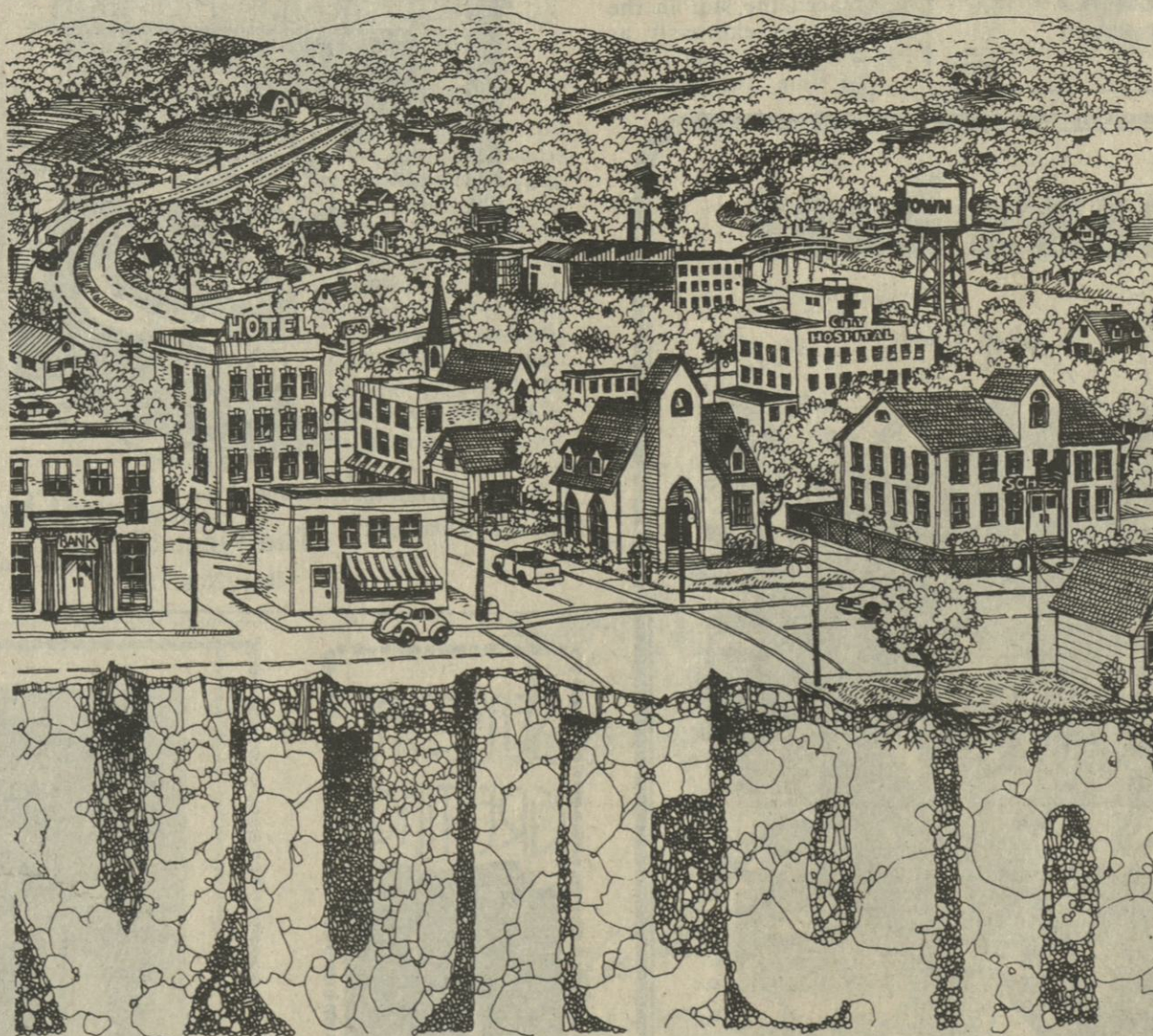
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Star of Bethlehem Has Made Wise Men Wonder For All These Years

"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.

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

Hanging Stocking Started With Santa Claus

Santa Claus, envisioned today as a jolly, cheerful man with an affinity for children, was a romanticist too, according to legend.

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In Germany

The celebration of West German Christmas is filled with tradition, some of which is the custom of hanging stockings by the chimney when his romantic heart was touched, and he gifted a bankrupt merchant's three marriageable daughters with gold for their dowries. Desiring anonymity, he tossed the three bags of gold through the window, or, as some tell it, down the chimney. One of the bags landed in a stocking which had been hung up to dry on the mantelpiece. Hanging up stockings thus became part of the holiday ritual.

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Get ready, get set, for the merriest Christmas yet! Happy Holidays!

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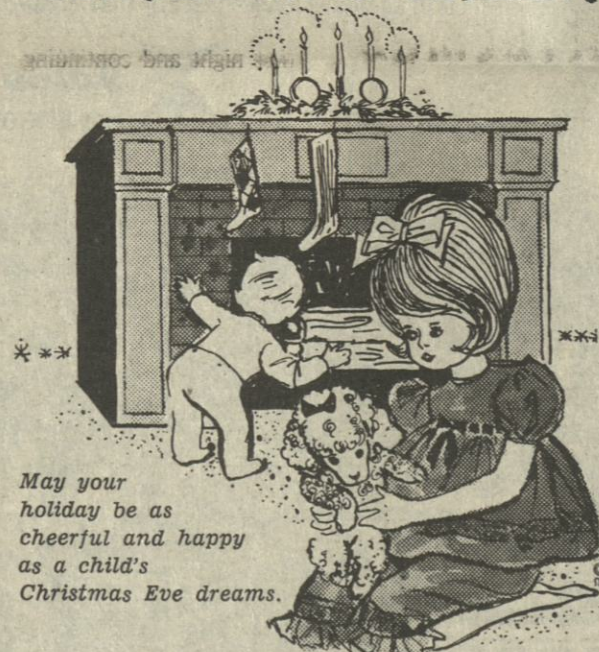
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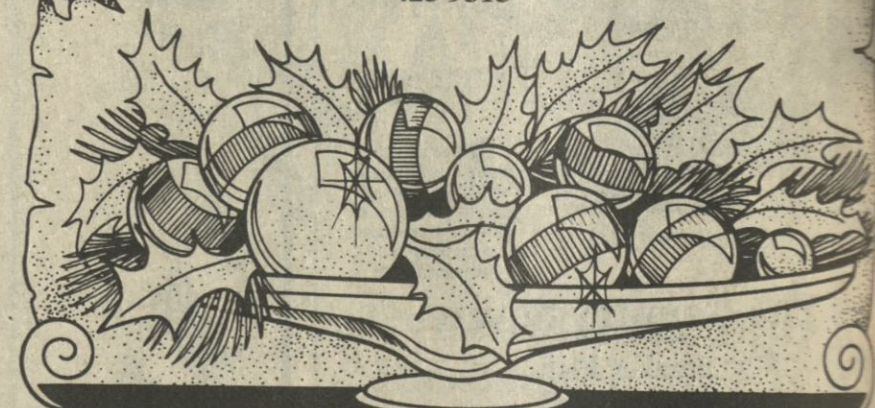
Best Wishes

A cheery hello to all our many friends, with warmest wishes for a very happy Christmas season!

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Christmas Memories Are Made of This...

Perhaps it is the recollection of a robin amid the snow-brushed branches on a December day... or the excitement felt by all when Dad brought in the Christmas tree... or the stars in the sky, no matter how many memories are made of this.

memory of a store window, imaginatively decorated with mechanical figures... or, for others, the weeks spent rehearsing carols in the choir loft... or, spotting that wished-for bicycle under the tree on Christmas morning.

We may remember those special aromas that emanated from the kitchen just before the holidays... we may think back on shopping in the dime store for a long list of friends and relatives, all the while clutching a few precious dollars in our hand... or, the surprise appearance of a friend or relative we had not expected to see one holiday.

Some will think back to a Christmas when they secretly knit that special muffler or sweater... others, to the time when a son or daughter performed in the church pageant.

Softly falling snow may bring back memories of that wonderful sleigh ride to a lucky few... or the snowman built together with brothers and sisters... while others may remember the warmth of the family fireplace.

Was there a Christmas when a kitten was found under the tree? Or, one when you were alone in another town, and neighbors invited you in?

Perhaps the Christmas that stands out in your memory is the Christmas you became engaged... or, the time you received your favorite doll.

Christmas may bring back the joy of a special reunion, long ago... or the still-fresh memory of a walk in the woods after a snowstorm.

The sights and sounds of Christmas may recall an heirloom that decorated the family tree for so many years... the memory of carolers who sang outside your door last year... or, the first time you ever read Dickens' *A Christmas Carol*.

You may remember a Christmas spent in the city, all aglow with lights... or a holiday in the country, with stars brilliant in the wintry night.

Is it the memory of your youngster's first visit to Santa? Or, the time you helped Dad find firewood for the stove?

Every Christmas renews our memories of times gone by... and just as important, creates new memories to be savored in days to come.

For Christmas is yesterday, today and tomorrow... it is a spirit that transcends time itself, it is a spirit that lives forever in our hearts.

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

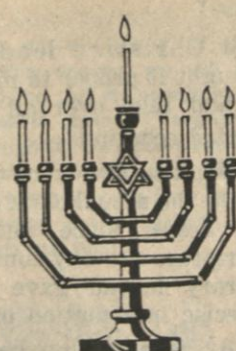
Chanukkah Is The Feast Of Lights

Of all the festivals on the Jewish calendar, the most popular one with Jewish children would have to be Chanukkah. Also known as the "Feast of Lights" because the menorah is lit on each night of the feast, Chanukkah (or Hanukkah) commemorates the victories of Judas Maccabeus over the Syrians, and the rededication of the Temple at that time. For this reason it is also known as the Feast of Dedication.

Its appeal to youngsters is due, among other things, to the fact that presents are bestowed upon them by their parents, and games of chance are played.

The feast lasts 8 days and is celebrated from the 25th day of the Jewish month of Kislev to the 2nd day of the month of Adar. Each night, a special candelabra with 8 candles is lit, beginning with one candle on the first night and continuing with an additional candle each night until all the candles are lit. Special prayers are said during this traditional rite, which is celebrated in the home as well as the synagogue.

One of the games of chance features a 4-sided top made of wood or metal. On each side of the top is a Hebrew letter; the four letters together represent the words, "a great miracle happened there," referring to the miraculous burning of the Temple lights for 8 days and nights after the victories of the Maccabees. Card games are also played,



and there are special pastries and candies to be enjoyed, along with special dishes.

Chanukkah, commemorating as it does a glorious chapter in the history of the Jewish people, is a joyful feast eagerly anticipated by children and adults alike.

Here We Come A-Caroling!



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choice of date of the Child's birth was a happy augury

The earliest source regarding the exact date of the birth of Jesus:

The Christian era was calculated by the monk Dionysius Exiguus in the 6th century after Christ. He placed Jesus' birth on Dec. 25 in the year 753 of Rome, and decided 754 should be the first year of

the Christian era. How-and Christian leaders ever, Biblical scholars find thought it proper to move his calculations in error in and take over an accepted occasion.

In AD 274 the emperor Aurelian chose December 25 because it is just after the winter solstice, or the shortest day of the year, and light once more starts to strengthen and gradually flood more of the world for longer periods each day.

Besides, that date already was a great holiday for the pagan Romans,

What's more, no one knew the actual birth date of Jesus, since neither Scripture nor any contemporary legend gave any precise information on it. At some point before AD 336 the church at Rome accepted December 25 as the day for commemorating His birth, and so it has been ever since, although because of a difference in calendars, the Eastern church celebration and that of Western churches rarely coincide.

In ancient Persia, December 25th was celebrated as the birthdate of the sun god, Mithras, who was believed to emerge from a rock three days after the winter solstice. A star seen by shepherds and Magi foretold his birth.

mas is "Nativita" from which probably derived the Spanish "Navidad."

The German "Heilige Nacht" signifies "holy night." The likeliest derivation of our own "Christmas" is from the Hebrew "mas" which means tribute.

St. Francis said to have assembled 1st crib scene

Much is made of the Nativity Scene in Christian homes at Christmas-time. Over the centuries worshippers have expressed their devotion by creating the figures of Joseph, the Virgin Mary, the Christ-Child in His rudely fashioned crib, and the beasts of the field which according to legend surrounded the Holy Birth inside the manger.



Great artists have carved the figures from fine woods, sculpted them of precious metal and other materials, which have become treasured works for the world to admire.

St. Francis of Assisi had much to do with our modern Christmas traditions.

For one thing he is said to have assembled, in AD 1224, the first Nativity scene, using live people, live oxen and live donkeys. Franciscan churches still continue to make of this an illuminating seasonal custom.



Christmas Is For Sharing

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Many Names...

In Greece Christmas is called "Genethlia," feast of the Nativity.

Noel is the term used for Christmas in France.

An Italian name for Christmas is "Nativita" from which probably derived the Spanish "Navidad."



of the Season

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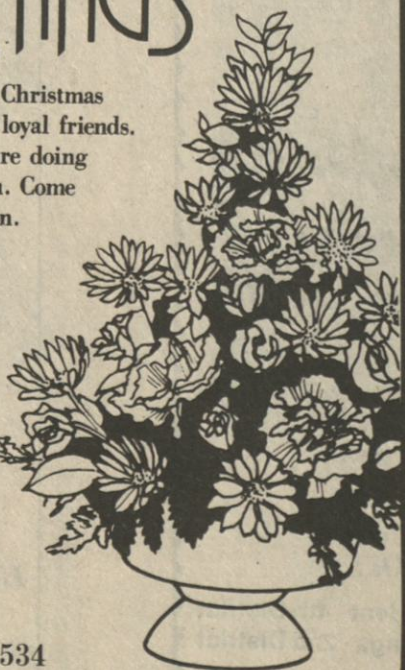


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Avoid Holiday Depression

Reasonably high expectations for happy holidays cause depression when the season falls short of expectations.

Service.

"Some people seem to expect the holiday season in itself to make them happy," Barnes said. "Part of not being depressed and/or lonely is seeing what is realistic."

The specialist said that comparing your holiday with other families or with childhood memories is one reason the season may be less than happy, especially when there are not other family members to celebrate with.

"If you are without family during the holidays, take the initiative to invite friends over or even to invite yourself to spend time with others," Barnes said. "They may not realize you will be alone and would be glad to share their holidays with you."

She said special holiday programs such as adopt-a-family and nursing home visitations are good when done properly. However, if done selfishly, they could do more harm than good to the recipient.

"Giving to the poor or less fortunate needs to be done with sensitivity to the recipients," Barnes said. "Think about how they would most enjoy receiving, not how you would most enjoy giving."

"At a nursing home, listening is the most important gift you can give. It's more important than a piece of cake and a glass of punch," she said. But, doing things on a one-time basis is not very beneficial in the long run.

There is one basic rule everyone can observe to prevent the holiday blues caused by overspending. Make a budget and stick to it.

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 laid 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



Emotional Shopping Bad For Pocketbook

Budgeting well in advance for Christmas can eliminate overspending when the spirit of the holiday season outweighs practical financial judgement.

Beverly R. Howell, family economics and management specialist with the Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service, said Christmas budgeting should be a year-long process. In addition to gifts, other expenses should be considered, including decoration, travel, postage and food.

"The best way to pay for Christmas is to save for it,"

Howell said. "Compare interest rates carefully when selecting a savings account. There is no real advantage to a Christmas club account over other types of accounts, except that it is a forced savings."

"Studies show that people tend to spend more when financing Christmas with credit," Howell said.

The specialist said if most Christmas purchases will be charged on credit, select credit companies with lower annual percentage rates.

Increasing income by obtaining additional employment is an alternative to using savings or credit to pay Christmas bills, Howell said.

Smart shopping skills will benefit holiday budgeting. Howell recommends shopping early for wider selection and better chances for comparison shopping. Use consumer-oriented magazines for larger purchases to help select the best buys and features for individual needs.

"Make a shopping list and try to stick with it," she said. "Avoid impulse buying, which will run up your bills."

She said children should be included in the holiday shopping process. Use Christmas to help children learn how to budget and set priorities for spending.

"Children need to learn that there are limits on money and gifts," Howell said. "Avoid putting the family budget in a strain by overdoing the gift giving part of Christmas on children."

She suggests deciding if a certain gift will be worth the cost when payments are still being made several months after Christmas.

"If getting gifts becomes

the overall focus of the holiday season, we will be missing out on something," Howell said. "Personal, thoughtful gifts can mean as much or more than large store-bought gifts, plus provide extra savings to Christmas bills."



One of the joys of Christmas is remembering. It's always nice for us to recall the pleasant association we have with our customers. Many thanks.



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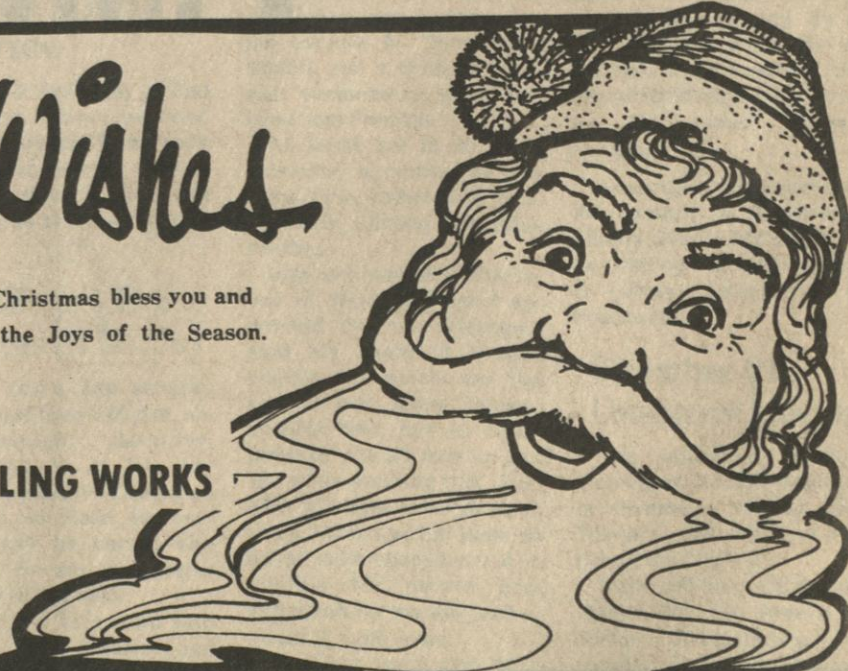
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Best Wishes

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

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CHRISTMAS



"Heap on more wood! The wind is chill,
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