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# HAPPY NEW YEAR!



## M. R. Thorne Retires as Holmes Junior College's President

Mr. Thorne, sixth president of Holmes Junior College, has announced his retirement, effective July 1, 1989.

During the college's board session, one of the most difficult choices of his school's 13 year president made public his intention to retire after an official 30 year association with Holmes Junior College.

Mr. Thorne, a native of Iuka, MS, after completing his education at the University of Mississippi in 1959, he came to the college as an instructor in Industrial Education. Subsequently he was promoted to the position of Assistant Vice President in 1964, and afterwards he embarked on a program leading to a doctorate.

Mr. Thorne taught Industrial Education courses during the 1960 school year; and from 1961 to 1966 was a Drafting Design Technology instructor. In 1966 he was named Director of Industrial Education, a position he held until 1975, when he took over the duties of Administrative Assistant Vice President and head of continuing education. With the retirement of Frank Brannon on June 30, 1976, Thorne assumed the college's presidency.

Mr. Thorne, who says he will continue to be a booster of the college, has a wife and three children.

the junior colleges and Holmes in particular, believes, "A tremendous future lies ahead for the 2 year schools in the state of Mississippi. I don't see stable enrollment. Holmes and the others will continue to grow."

And as far as the changes that have occurred in the Holmes District since his presidency began, "The things that have happened have been many and most gratifying. I feel the most important encompass the changes that have permitted Holmes to serve a greater number of people throughout the district. The Grenada Center and the Ridgeland Branch have enabled us to serve even greater numbers of individuals. Holmes has experienced a 75 percent growth rate in the last five years. This expansion didn't just happen, it was planned."

The Holmes President and his wife, Aline, have purchased a home in Kosciusko, MS. There Thorne will continue to take an avid interest in what is happening in the Holmes Junior College District. He says he will return anytime to lend assistance to the college. "After I retire I will do anything I can to help the school. After July 1, I'll be here anytime I'm needed, but the President will have to call me."

## Southwood Baptist Watchnight Service

"God Good!" a film featuring Jerry Clower, will be shown at the Watchnight Service at Southwood Baptist Church, December 31, 8-12 p.m. Clower is called the Will of the South. He has a Country music's reputation of the Year Award for the past nine years. He is of "Country Roads" and a member of the Grand Ole Opry. Clower's blend of down-home humor and love for life are contagious. This film will inspire you, and touch your heart. However, Clower's real message is the reality of Jesus Christ.

humorous, yet warm and sincere manner. Steve works with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and has been a positive influence to the boys with whom he works.

There will be other special music and testimonies. A time of snacks and fellowship will be included. The entire time will be informal, but is planned to be a spiritual blessing to all. Bro. James Brown, pastor, and his congregation invite everyone to come to this service. If you can't attend the entire time, feel free to come and go as your schedule allows.

The church is located on Southwood Drive, just off Hwy. 72 East Bypass, between Hwy. 25 South and Pleasant Hill Road.

## Our Sincerest Thanks

for your friendship and good will. We appreciate your business and wish you the best of everything in 1989!

### Tishomingo County News Staff

## Holiday Accident Injures Young Girl

Two Iuka teenage girls were injured in a pre-holiday two vehicle accident, which occurred around noon Wednesday, December 21, one mile west of Iuka on four lane U.S. 72.

Sixteen-year-old Madonna Comer of Route 3, Iuka, remains in the North Mississippi Medical Center, where she has regained consciousness and responding to treatment. Madonna was a passenger in an '85 Ford Mustang driven by Melinda L. McVay Parsons, also 16, of Iuka. Mrs. Parsons was kept overnight at Tishomingo Hospital for observation and released.

Investigating State Trooper Jerry Boyd said the two vehicle accident happened where the Mt. Gilead Road enters the new four lane highway.

A 1982 Chevrolet van driven by Ramona Brame, 51, of Booneville, was traveling west on U.S. 72 in the right lane. The Mustang, which was crossing the highway, entered the right lane and the two vehicles collided, the investigator reported.

Three children were passengers in the van. They, along with Mrs. Brame were treated at the local hospital and released. Names of the children listed were: Desi George, 10 years old, Huntsville, AL; Josh George, 3 years old, Huntsville, AL; and Susan Foster, 8 years old, Booneville.

According to the trooper's report, the passenger side of the Mustang took the brunt of the crash.

A family spokesman said Miss Comer suffered severe internal injuries and has undergone emergency surgeries. She is a junior at Iuka High School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Alfred Comer Jr. The Mustang was totaled, the van heavily damaged, said Boyd.

## Escapee Remains At Large

One Tishomingo County jail inmate remains at large following his escape late Friday afternoon. A second escapee was returned to his cell within thirty minutes, said Sheriff Richard Dobbs.

A warrant has been issued for Dennis Simpson, 24, Rt. 1 Box 261, Cherokee, AL. Simpson and Leonard Porter, 20, of Golden broke and ran into the woods as they were being transferred from the facility's entrance door to the exercise yard, the sheriff reported.

Due to understaffing of sheriff department personnel, the inmates were being watched by only one officer during the escape, Dobbs stated. He said he had continually requested more personnel.

Simpson was reported as serving time on old DUI fines. Porter was being held on burglary and larceny of auto charges and previous jail escape charges.

An order from the Tishomingo County Board of Supervisors dated November 11, 1988, requests and orders the sheriff to extend all reasonable care to inmates within his custody. All federal rules with regard to care of inmates must be complied with as well as within regard to food, exercise and treatment of prisoners.

Sheriff Dobbs said he is in compliance with all federal rules concerning the exercising of jail inmates.

## Old Bethel Church Damaged By Fire

The Old Bethel United Methodist Church, located off Red Bud Road about five miles south of Belmont, was heavily damaged as the result of a fire Christmas Day.

Candles had been placed in windows through out the brick structured building as a part of the season's Christmas decorations. It's believed a single candle near the front of the building was left burning.

"It's possible that during the rush to get out Sunday morning as everyone was leaving after the 9:45 worship service, that the candle was left unnoticed," said church member, Patsy Pounders.

A candle, the one believed to have caused the blaze, was partially hidden behind a bench in a window near the front of the building, Mrs. Pounders remembered.

The sanctuary section of the church building was extensively damaged. The window facing was burned out and so was the ceiling. The main structure remains sound with the majority of damage being to the interior of the building, other than the roof.

"The building will have to be totally reworked inside," Mrs. Pounders predicted. Both fire and water damage were realized to the organ and piano, she said. A sound system estimate value near \$4-\$5,000 was destroyed along with stained glass windows and carpeting, which had been installed only a couple of years ago. "We'll be needing a new top as well," Mrs. Pounders said.

An official assessment of damage had not been made at press time, but insurance adjusters were expected to investigate and detail their findings the first of the week.

The church boasts an average attendance of 65 - 70

members, according to Mrs. Pounders.

Several pews, the podium, and altar fixtures have been moved to a storage facility until the building is reworked.

Several volunteer fire fighting units responded to the alert made as a passerby noticed the fire around 1:30 p.m. Sunday. Two Itawamba County units, along with Belmont and Golden departments, sent trucks. The church is approximately 500 feet from the Itawamba County line.

Neighboring congregations have made available their facilities to the Old Bethel flock until repairs are made. However, Mrs. Pounders said it is likely the church will worship with the Golden Chapel which is in the same charge until their building is redone.

Bro. Del Blackman is pastor of Old Bethel and the Golden Chapel Church.

## Watch Night Service

The First Assembly of God Church on Fairground Road will hold a special New Year's Eve Watch Night Service Saturday, Dec. 31 at Mt. Joy Missionary Baptist Church on Pleasant Hill Road. Refreshments will be served and singing, worship and prayer services will be held.

## New Year's Eve Services At Mt. Joy

New Year's Eve services will be held from 8:00 p.m. until midnight Saturday, December 31 at Mt. Joy Missionary Baptist Church on Pleasant Hill Road. Refreshments will be served and singing, worship and prayer services will be held.

Come and fellowship with us. Bro. Jerry Hopkins and the congregation invites everyone to attend.

## Master Wear, Inc. Plans Purchase Of Blue Bell Facilities

Tishomingo County has received extra holiday cheer as the prospect of a new clothing industry comes into view.

A letter of intent has been signed to sell the Tishomingo Blue Bell building to Master Wear Inc. of Tennessee. The announcement was made last week by Tishomingo County Foundation Director Mack L. Wadkins and officials of Wrangler.

Master Wear Inc. is scheduled to begin operations at the Blue Bell facility on or before February 1, Wadkins said. Master Wear is a manufacturer of dress trousers and casual slacks. There are four plants in Tennessee.

Wadkins anticipates between 120 to 150 workers will be initially employed by the company. "As many as the building can adequately hold," he predicted.

Tish. Mayor Bertha Tidwell expressed gratitude and sees the coming of the new plant to be the ideal Christmas tidings. She said Master Wear officials signified the plant could eventually employ as many as 200 to 250 workers.

The plant will benefit the city in ways other than the increased sales tax and jobs, Mayor Tidwell said. Natural gas will be purchased from the city by the plant to use.

Hulon Stringer, a spokesman for Master Wear stated the company is very excited over having an operation in Tishomingo County. "We are looking for-

ward to developing an excellent relationship with the community," he said.

Stringer expressed his thanks for the spirit of cooperation shown by Wrangler officials and local space representatives in making the transaction possible.

Applications for employment will be taken at the plant January 1 - 4 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., said Harvey Stringer, start-up operations superintendent.

The Tishomingo plant began operations in 1953. Many of the employees had worked there for the past 35 years.

"We are presently working with Wrangler officials trying to accomplish a solution for the Belmont plant," Mack Wadkins said. Several prospects are interested in the facility, but nothing solid has developed yet.

The Belmont plant was built in 1948 through a county bond issue. About 200 employees are without work because of the plants recent closing. The original building was added onto by Wrangler and ownership is one fourth county and three fourths Wrangler, according to Wadkins.

As the result of recent layoffs at the Tishomingo and Belmont plants, county unemployment has reached to more than 19 percent.

"Folks who got laid off will know they have job opportunities waiting after the first of the year," said Wadkins.

## Wardlow Sentenced After Plea Bargain

Jimmy Dale Wardlow, of Booneville, who is charged in Tishomingo County with the January 1987 execution style slaying of a Corinth man, entered a guilty plea in Lee County Circuit Court earlier this month.

Wardlow, 26, also pleaded guilty to kidnapping and armed robbery of the B-Quick Market in Lee County.

During the plea bargain arrangement, Wardlow was sentenced to life in prison on the capital murder charge, 30 years on the kidnapping offense and 10 years for the armed robbery.

Wardlow will also be serving a four year sentence for jail escape in Tishomingo County and a revoked three year sentence on grand larceny from Prentiss.

All terms are to run concurrently, occurring at the same time, rather than successively, coming one after another.

Iuka attorney Mike Cooke, one of Wardlow's court appointed defense attorneys, said his client is almost eligible for parole on the escape and grand larceny charges now, due to credit given for the 23 months served while awaiting trial. Wardlow will have to serve all 10 years, known as flat time, on the armed robbery and will be eligible for parole consideration on the life term in about 12 more years.

Wardlow, along with Paula Cook, 24, and Doyle Lee

Hamm, 30, was charged with the merciless killing of 38-year-old Rabon Rainey. The victim was last seen alive leaving an Alabama night spot with the trio the night before his body was found in the back seat of his car at Dennis.

Rainey had been stabbed in the stomach and shot in the right temple. The victim's legs and hands had been tied with strips of material cut from his jeans. His pockets had been cut out and no wallet or identification left on his body indicating robbery.

Hamm was sentenced to death in Alabama for the January 1987 slaying of a Cullman motel clerk. He is still held there awaiting his release to Mississippi to face the Tishomingo County charges.

Paula Cook is currently in the custody of Tishomingo County Sheriff Richard Dobbs awaiting trial. Her attorney is Joey Langston of Booneville.

## Chamber Of Commerce Meeting

The important general meeting of the Iuka Chamber of Commerce will be held Thursday, January 5, at 6:30 p.m. at the City Hall.

Plans will be made for two events for the month of January, that include a Town meeting on January 14, and a Jazz concert on January 27.



**Major Harold Lomenick**  
For Meritorious Service while  
serving the headquarters,  
155th Armored Brigade as the  
Brigade S-1, Major Lomenick  
demonstrated professionalism  
in his job by his attention to

detail, flawless execution of  
critical suspense dates while  
in a highly visible and sen-  
sitive position. His expertise  
in personnel has won him the  
respect of his subordinates  
both enlisted and officers.  
His dedication, efforts, and

resourcefulness enabled this  
headquarters to successfully  
accomplish all missions. Major  
Lomenick's commendable  
achievements and devotion to  
duty are in keeping with the  
highest tradition of Military Service

and reflect great credit upon  
himself and the Mississippi  
National Guard. Major  
Lomenick and his wife Judy  
and children live in Iuka,  
while working with the State  
Farm Insurance Agency.

## Timberline

Among employees of the  
Mississippi Forestry Com-  
mission, there is a group of  
individuals who comprise our  
County Forestry Crews and  
operate our fire detection  
system. These men and  
women not only detect and  
suppress thousands of forest  
fires each year but they are  
often also engaged in the  
task of reforesting and  
otherwise tending to the  
forestry treatment needs of  
our timberland.

Who are the people who  
make up this unit? They are  
your friends and neighbors,  
your relatives, perhaps. They  
attend the same churches as  
you, their children attend the  
same schools as yours, and  
they are concerned about the  
same day-to-day problems  
that concern you.

When do they fight fires  
and perform these other  
forestry jobs? Commission  
Forestry Crews on the ground  
and their counter parts who  
man the fire towers are  
available to fight forest fires at  
any time, day or night, under  
any fire conditions. When  
they are not actually fighting  
fires, you'll usually find them  
readying their equipment in  
order to be able to respond  
instantly to a fire call or  
(depending on the time of  
year) planting trees, plowing  
firelanes, conducting  
prescribed burns, deadening  
cull trees, etc.

Why do they work as such  
as hard and dangerous job?  
They, like all of us, have jobs  
in order to support their  
families of course. But for  
these individuals, it goes  
beyond a mere "job". These  
men and women care about  
the people in their com-  
munity; they care about the  
woodlands they fight so hard  
to preserve and protect, and  
they care about the lives and  
property of their neighbors.  
They care about our precious  
forest heritage that must be  
maintained so that future  
generations can enjoy it and  
benefit from it as have we.

It takes a special person to  
go into the thick, hot smoke  
of a wildfire where visibility is  
often limited to a few feet and  
plow a fire line or set a back-  
fire to extinguish an onrushing  
blaze. At times the  
smoke is so thick that only a  
forestry pilot can direct the  
firefighters, via radio, from  
his airplane to escape routes

the firefighters must take in  
order to avoid being trapped  
by the fire.

It takes a lot of stamina and  
dedication to operate a tree  
planting bar or ride a bone-  
jarring tractor or tree planter  
all day setting our trees; or  
jam a heavy tree injector into  
hundreds of trees to rid the  
forest of weed trees and  
make room for the better  
ones. Many times they are  
called out in the middle of the  
night after a long hard day to  
fight a forest fire.

This job is not for everyone,  
but for these select men and  
women, it is a satisfying  
career they take pride in, and  
all of us in forestry are proud  
to be associated with such a  
fine group of people who care  
as much and work as hard as  
these people do.

In Tishomingo County we  
are especially proud of our  
"forestry bunch". They go by  
the following names: Bobby  
Jourdan, Lane Nunley, Ken-  
neth Mobley, and Hubert  
Jourdan.

## 4-H Communicates

By: Mary Cox  
Extension 4-H Youth Agent

**HAPPY NEW YEAR**--This  
is the time of year when  
people usually try to make  
improvements in themselves  
through New Year's  
Resolutions. As you set goals  
for yourself, remember to set  
long-term and intermediate  
goals. As you reach your in-  
termediate goals, you will feel  
encouraged to continue  
towards your long-term goals.

A few goals 4-H members  
may set for themselves are:

-Do a little on your project  
every week. Food-Nutrition  
project members may fix at  
least one meal each week,  
while Home Environment  
project members could add a  
new accessory to their home.

-Take pictures as you work  
on your project. Clothing  
project members could take  
pictures as you select outfits  
in department stores and  
Bicycle project members  
could take pictures of a bike  
in different stages of repair.

-Participate in your project  
contests, at least on the  
county level. Wildlife project  
members should attend the  
County Conservation Field  
Day just as Electric project  
members should attend the  
Engineering Contest Day.

-Participate in the Visual  
Presentation Contest for your  
project. If you're willing to try  
this you may earn a trip to  
District or State Contest.

-Fill out a project record  
and turn it in, through your  
record you can earn trips to  
Chicago, and Washington,  
D.C. as well as money and  
recognition.

If you try to work on most  
of these goals, then your 4-H  
experience will be more  
rewarding and worthwhile.  
Remember, the more you put  
into an experience, the more  
you'll get out of it. If you  
would like more information  
on 4-H call me at 423-3616.

## In Service

Airman Jamie C. Arnold,  
son of Edward C. and Patricia  
A. Arnold of Rural Route 2,  
Iuka, MS, has graduated from  
Air Force basic training at  
Lackland Air Force Base,  
Texas.

During the six weeks of  
training the airman studied  
the Air Force mission,  
organization and customs  
and received special training  
in human relations.

In addition, airmen who  
complete basic training earn  
credits toward an associate  
degree through the com-  
munity college of the Air Force.

He is a 1988 graduate of  
Iuka High School.



Mr. Leslie Blaylock, trooper  
with the Mississippi Highway  
Safety Patrol, was guest  
speaker for Tishomingo  
County Vocational Center  
students December 9 and 12.  
The special emphasis of his  
presentation dealt with the  
hazards of driving while  
drinking.

In his opening remarks,  
Trooper Blaylock gave a short  
history of the 50-year-old  
Patrol, its code of ethics, and  
its primary duties: safety,  
service, and law enforcement.  
This was followed by an ex-  
planation of D.U.I. (Driving  
Under the Influence of either  
alcohol or drugs), as well as  
the procedure for deter-  
mining and the legal con-  
sequences of D.U.I.

Staggering statistics cited  
by Trooper Blaylock included  
the following which relate  
solely to drunk driving:

1. 23,000 Americans (nearly  
8,000 teens) die yearly;
2. 560,000 (over 130,000  
teens) are injured yearly;
3. One American dies every  
22 minutes;
4. Ten teens die each day;
5. Two out of every 5  
Americans will someday be  
involved in an alcohol-related  
"accident"--which, in reality,  
is not an accident since the  
offender chooses to drive in a  
condition that endangers  
others.

In regard to teens only, fur-  
ther statistics show  
nearly 30% of those who  
in crashes are intoxicated  
every 3 teens, 1 has been  
with an intoxicated teen  
and the 15 to 24 age group  
(that makes up only 10% of  
the driving population) ac-  
counts for nearly 37% of all  
alcohol-related fatalities.

The Christmas-New Year  
holiday season is the most  
dangerous period to be on  
highways. According to  
M.A.D.D. (Mothers Against  
Drunk Driving), alcohol-  
related fatalities account for  
64% of the total, with 10%  
of the New Year's Eve and  
of the New Year's  
fatalities alcohol-related.

Mr. Blaylock emphasized  
the uselessness of speed  
brakes, seat belt, and the  
importance of defensive  
driving. His presentation  
concluded with a question-  
and-answer session which  
covered topics such as the  
new limitations on down  
regulation, driver's license  
and radar detection.

Vo-Tech Director  
Taylor and the Vo-Tech  
students wish to express  
appreciation to Mr. Blaylock  
for the wealth of life-saving  
information he took time to  
share with us.

INSIGHT INTO  
EYESIGHT

DR. PHILLIP GRAY  
OPTOMETRIST

"A" FOR EYE HELP  
About 95% of all  
children's eye problems  
can be corrected today  
either in whole or in part.  
That's a "straight A" in  
anyone's book.

The most common  
problems are those af-  
fecting the ability to see  
clearly and sharply.  
Myopia (nearsighted-  
ness) causes near ob-  
jects to be seen more  
clearly than objects at a  
distance. With hyperopia  
(far sightedness) objects  
are seen more clearly at  
a distance, but close-up  
objects are sometimes  
blurred and difficult to  
bring into focus.

Astigmatism can cause  
objects to be distorted  
and will not allow all por-  
tions of an object to be  
seen in focus at one  
time. These are relatively

straightforward vision  
problems to identify  
through an eye  
examination and is  
correct if needed.

Unfortunately, you  
probably won't hear  
about these problems  
from children. If they see  
chalkboards or book  
pages as blurs, they'll  
assume everyone does.  
Since 80% of learning is  
through vision, give your  
child a head start with an  
eye examination  
BEFORE entering  
school. That will give you  
an "A" for effort whether  
your child's vision needs  
help or not.

DR. PHILLIP GRAY  
105 S. Fulton St., Iuka  
Phone 423-3785

## Chatting With Your Home Economist

Nellie R. Horton  
Extension Home Economist

### NEW YEAR WISHES

1988 has been a good year  
for Extension Home  
Economics in Tishomingo  
County, as well as a very busy  
one.

A New Year, 1989, will be  
beginning in a few days, and I  
hope the New Year will be a

good one for you and your  
family. Extension Home  
Economics would like to help  
make 1989 a good year for all  
of you, and can help you find  
answers to questions con-  
cerning Nutrition, Diet,  
Health, Family Relationships,  
Money Management, Time  
Management, Cholesterol,  
Housing, Home Furnishings,  
Clothing and other Home  
Economics subjects.

Educational information  
and programs are available to  
you through newsletters,  
correspondence courses,  
lessons, exhibits, workshops,

and radio and television  
programs. Hundreds of  
publications are available on  
topics from child care to  
weight control.

Learn how to make your  
tomorrows better today! Help  
is only a phone call away!  
Contact Miss Nellie R. Hor-  
ton, Extension Home  
Economist, 423-3616.

### HANDLING STRESS

Stress is a part of life. In it-  
self it's not harmful. In many  
cases it leads to enjoyment,  
creativity and discovery. But  
too much stress or stress that  
is continuous can make  
people sick, irritable and inef-  
fective. Sometimes you can  
reduce stress by preventing  
or avoiding the situations  
that cause it. When it cannot  
be prevented, however, you  
need to handle stress so it  
doesn't cause problems for  
you. Remember, if you wear  
yourself out, you can't do the  
job you want to do. You will  
also be hurting yourself and  
your own family.

Here are some ways to  
avoid or reduce stress:

1. Stay healthy. When your  
health is good you are less  
likely to be harmed by stress.  
Get plenty of sleep, regular  
exercise and eat well. If you  
don't eat a good breakfast,  
you may burn out by 9:30 a.m.
2. Set sensible goals for  
yourself. Do not take on more  
than you can do. Learn to say  
no to things you cannot han-  
dle.
3. Build in "de-stressing"  
times during your work day.  
You can reduce stress with 10  
minutes stretching exercises  
or deep breathing breaks.  
Schedule quiet times daily for  
listening to music, story  
telling or just relaxing.
4. Talk about your stress.  
Talking to others, whether it's  
family members or other  
friends, can help you get rid  
of the day's tension and  
prepare you to enjoy the  
evening with your family.
5. Take mini breaks. End of  
the day relaxation breaks,  
even as short as 10 to 20  
minutes, can help you get rid  
of the day's tension and  
prepare you to enjoy the  
evening with your family.
6. Organize your time. No  
one can make your time  
schedule but you. Write down  
your personal commitments  
and errands for each day as  
well as making a schedule for

your working day.

7. Go with the flow. No  
matter what you do there will  
be some problems and  
hassles. Expect them, accept  
them, and try not to waste  
much of your valuable time  
and energy on them by being  
angry, frustrated or upset.  
You can learn to change your  
attitude toward any situation.

### ORANGE YOGURT FRUIT DIP

2 containers (8 oz. each)  
vanilla flavored yogurt  
2 tablespoons honey  
Grated peel of 1 orange  
1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon  
1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg  
Orange and/or tangerine,  
segments, apple slices,  
banana chunks, grapes, etc.

Combine yogurt, honey,  
orange peel, cinnamon and  
nutmeg; chill. To eat, with  
fondue forks or wooden  
skewers, dip fruit into yogurt  
mixture. Makes about 2 cups  
dip.

To keep peanuts at their  
munching best, store in a  
cool, dry place. They'll  
keep indefinitely frozen in  
a tightly closed container.

## WILLIAMS PEST CONTROL & INSULATION COMPANY

Phillip Williams, Owner  
Belmont, Miss.

If you'd like to save money by making your home more  
energy-efficient, call us. We're experts in home weather-  
ization, and our materials meet TVA standards for financing  
under The Energy! Package™.



So if you're ready to weatherize  
your home, ask your power  
distributor about The Energy  
Package™.

Then call us to do the work.

We are also bonded licensed and  
experienced to take care of all your  
pest control needs.

Call 454-3383  
Day or Night

## Ford Executive Cars

88 T-Bird White, Nice. . . . . 88 Lincoln Town Car Blue, Leather  
88 T-Bird Silver, Loaded. . . . 88 Lincoln Town Car Maroon, Clean  
87 Tempo Grey only 3200 miles. . . . . 87 Tempo Maroon, Sharp  
87 Mercury Sable - V6, All the Extras

## Used Cars

88 Aerostar - XL, Blue  
88 Mustang LX Sharp. . . . . 86 Isuzu Trooper II 4x4  
88 Escort 3 to choose. . . . . 86 Mustang Blue, Auto  
88 Dodge Dakota Auto, V6. . . . . 85 GMC Sierra Classic, Loaded  
87 Taurus Local Car, Nice. . . . . 85 Pontiac 6000 Local, Clean  
86 F-150 XLT, LWB, Blue. . . . . 85 T-Bird Elan, Sunroof, Loaded  
85 Crown Victoria - One Owner, Low Miles, Like New

84 Olds 98 - Every option, extra low miles

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## Iuka High Class of 1938 Has Reunion At Coleman Park

November 18 & 19, 1988  
Iuka High School  
reunion class met at J.P.  
Coleman State Park for its  
50th anniversary reunion. It had been 50  
years since most of the

classmates had seen each  
other. Everyone had a great  
time reliving many memories  
of high school days, telling  
about their families, and  
sharing family pictures.

Seated l to r - June Brunson  
Pruitt, Jewell Carroll Gober,  
Mary Etta Curtis Boswell,  
Mattie Faye Embry Barnes,  
and Joyce Johnston  
Coleman. Standing l to r -

Royal Gober, Charles Cresap,  
Irene Mars Barnes, Delmar  
Bullard, and G.T. Carmichael,  
not pictured were Bernard  
Edlestien, Edith Smith  
Rodgers and Bill Sloan.

Iuka pretty often.

I would appreciate all you  
can do about getting the  
swimming pool along with  
their motel.

Yours Truly,  
Vestell C. Hicks  
1437 Della Drive  
Belleville, Ill. 62223

### Christmas Marks 20th Anniversary

Twenty years ago this  
Christmas Eve, the world held  
its breath as a tiny space  
capsule carrying three U.S.  
astronauts hurtled behind the  
moon and out of contact with  
the Earth. It was history's first  
manned flight to another  
heavenly body. For an  
agonizing 15 minutes the  
world waited for the capsule  
to reappear, confirming that  
the Aerojet-built Service  
Propulsion System engine  
had successfully performed  
its four-minute "burn" to  
place Apollo 8 into lunar orbit.

During the next 20 hours,  
astronauts Frank Borman,  
James Lovell, Jr., and William  
Anders orbited the moon 10  
times, transmitting to a capti-  
vated audience the first live  
television pictures of the  
moonscape and Earth. And  
they provided a memorable  
Christmas message from  
space, quoting the first ten  
verses from Genesis, the  
Story of Creation, and con-  
cluding, "God bless all of  
you—all of you on the good  
Earth."

Early Christmas morning  
the astronauts prepared for  
the most critical phase of the  
Apollo 8 mission. Unless the  
engine completed a precise  
203 second burn, the  
spacecraft would remain  
stranded in moon orbit. The  
burn would take place on the  
back side of the moon; the  
anxious world would not know  
the astronauts' fate until they  
reemerged in Earth's view  
minutes later.

Again, the engine met the  
task—and with such precision  
that one of two planned  
return course corrections  
was not needed; the craft's  
velocity was a mere two feet  
per second off the target  
figure, and the re-entry angle  
was only three-hundredths of  
a degree from the mission  
plan.

Aerojet Techsystems  
program director Dan David  
remembers the Apollo 8

mission well. As Aerojet's  
associate manager of the  
Apollo program, he had  
helped develop the engine.  
He, like his engine, was also  
"on the spot;" he was being  
interviewed on national  
television as viewers waited  
for word that the engine had  
worked.

"I just knew it would work,"  
says David. "Just as it had  
every single time in thousands  
of tests. All of our  
engineers and technicians  
knew what was at stake, and  
our integrity was on the line.  
We had tested the engine  
against every problem we  
could think of, and it always  
worked. It became known as  
"the little engine that could."

During their lifetime, these  
Aerojet engines made 19  
spaceflights and fired 102  
times, accumulating over 1 1/4  
hours of "burn" time without  
a failure. They evolved into  
what are now the Space Shut-  
tle Orbital Maneuvering Sub-  
system engines which inject  
the Shuttle into final orbit,  
maneuver the craft to perform  
operations like retrieving  
satellites, and provide the  
braking power to bring the  
shuttle back to Earth.  
Through 26 successful Shut-  
tle missions, these engines

have also performed  
flawlessly.

While history may pay  
greater notice to the space  
achievements which followed  
Apollo 8—the lunar landings,  
the Apollo/Soyuz mission,  
Skylab, and the first Shuttle  
flights—few will rival the  
drama 20 years ago this  
Christmas, when the success  
of man's first journey 233,000  
miles from Earth depended  
solely on "the little engine  
that could"....and did.

### Mt. Gilead Homemakers

The Mt. Gilead  
Homemakers met Tuesday,  
December 13th for the annual  
Christmas party.

Mrs. Eloise Hendrix  
welcomed members present  
and wished them Happy  
Holidays.

The Christmas Story was  
given by Mrs. Amy Walker  
from Luke, chapter 2 on the  
Birth of Jesus Christ. Mrs.  
Elsie Williams led in prayer.  
Secret pals were revealed

and Christmas gifts were ex-  
changed.

Refreshments were served  
by Mrs. Tressie Bonds, Mrs.  
Mattie Faye Woodruff, and  
Mrs. Elaine Timbes.

Good fellowship was en-  
joyed by all, remembering  
one another and wishing each  
one a Merry Christmas and a  
Happy New Year.

### Ole Miss Honor Roll

Seven students from  
Tishomingo County were  
named to the University of  
Mississippi Chancellor's  
Honor Roll for the Fall  
semester.

A grade point average from  
3.75 through 4.0 is required of  
full-time students carrying at  
least 12 semester hours for  
listing on the Chancellor's  
Honor Roll.

Honor Roll members in-  
clude: From Belmont: Her-  
shel Layne Harris, Robert  
Henry Yarber.

From Golden: Michele  
Renee Horn, Cammy Rebecca  
Tidwell.

From Iuka: Jackie Wayne  
Beals, Jennifer Elizabeth  
Davis, Noel Kent Hunt.

### Birth Announcement

John and Rebecca (Bruton)  
of Midway, would like  
to announce the birth of their  
daughter, Rebecca Illeaha  
Laaha. Laaha was born  
November 16, 1988, at the  
Tishomingo Health Center in  
Tishomingo. She weighed 6 lbs. 7  
ounces and measured 18 inches.  
Her maternal grandparents are  
Daw of Houston, Texas,  
and Leon and Frogene  
Thorn of Louisville, Ky.  
Her paternal grandmother is Lorene  
Dickinson of Houston, TX.  
Her maternal grandparents are  
Jay McMinnis of  
Tishomingo, TN. Great-  
grandparents are Eula  
and John and Laura  
all of Nashville, TN.  
Laaha is welcomed home  
by her brother, Weston, who  
is 4 years old.

### Personal

During this past week in  
Tishomingo, TN. Great-  
grandparents are Eula  
and John and Laura  
all of Nashville, TN.  
Laaha is welcomed home  
by her brother, Weston, who  
is 4 years old.

### Personals

Christmas Day dinner  
guests of Mr. and Mrs. John  
B. Strickland and Jerry Ward  
Epps were Mr. and Mrs.  
Junior Strickland, David,  
Michelle, and Michael; Mr.  
and Mrs. Larry Strickland,  
Katie, and Chad; and Miss  
Eva Mae Strickland.

Christmas Day supper  
guests of Edward, Jewel, and  
Shirley Ann Thorne were Bob  
and Barbara Thorn of Floren-  
ce, AL; Stephanie Thorn of  
Marietta, Georgia; LaDonna  
Thorn of Birmingham, AL;  
Lloyd and Opaline Crouse of  
Iuka; Sam and Ruth Dickin-  
son of Golden; and Eva Mae  
Strickland of Tishomingo.

Others to visit during the  
evening were John B. and  
Willard Strickland; Jerry Ward  
Epps; Gail, David, Michelle,  
and Michael Strickland all of  
Tishomingo. The family were  
all glad to have Barbara and  
Lloyd home again after their  
recent hospitalizations in  
Memphis and happy to have  
them feeling well enough to  
be with the family for the  
traditional Christmas meal  
and exchange of gifts.

Lloyd will be returning to  
the VA Hospital in Memphis  
after the holidays for further

treatment.

Little Miss Katie Strickland  
was a recent overnight guest  
of Eva Mae Strickland.

Little Miss Stephanie Mc-  
Nutt visited with Eva Mae  
Strickland on Monday after-  
noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crouse  
visited on Monday with Mr.  
and Mrs. Edward Thorne and  
Shirley Ann.

Early Christmas visitors of  
Eva Mae Strickland were Mr.  
and Mrs. Gary McNutt,  
Stephanie, and Jessica; Mr.  
and Mrs. Lloyd Crouse; and  
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thorne  
and Shirley Ann.

### Christmas Party

The Harmony  
Homemaker's Club met in the  
lovely home of Glenda John-  
son, with Delma Dean co-  
hostess, for our December  
meeting 1988.

The meeting was called to  
order by the President, Becky  
Walker. The thought for the  
month - "You will never step  
on anyone's toes - if you will  
put your feet in their shoes."

The devotional was led by  
Glenda Johnson, reading  
Luke 2:1-15 with Becky  
Walker leading the prayer. A  
Christmas Wish was given by

Delma Dean.

Becky Walker gave a Bible  
Quiz with the answers being  
in the scripture used for the  
devotional. After which she  
distributed gifts to the mem-  
bers. Some were gag gifts  
and a lot of fun was had by all.

Every member of the club  
was present for this meeting  
since our "Secret Pals" were  
revealed. Christmas cards  
were also distributed and gifts  
opened.

Secret Pal names were  
drawn for 1989.

This was one of the best, if  
not the best, Christmas par-  
ties we've ever had, a very en-  
joyable evening for everyone.

Each member contributed  
some of their Christmas  
goodies and delicious  
refreshments were served by  
the hostesses.

The meeting adjourned  
with the January meeting to  
be with Vada H. Kay.

### In Service

Airman 1st Class Mark S.  
Guice, son of Mr. and Mrs.  
C.M. Guice of Rural Route 1,  
Iuka, MS, has graduated from  
the U.S. Air Force instrumen-  
tation mechanics course at  
Lowry Air Force Base, Colo.

During the course, studen-  
ts were taught to install and  
maintain mechanical and  
electrical equipment. They  
also earned credits toward an  
associate degree through the  
Community College of the Air  
Force.

His wife, Rose, is the  
daughter of Mr. and Mrs.  
Floyd Grisham of Rural Route  
2, Rogersville, AL.

The airman is a 1981  
graduate of Iuka High School.  
In 1987, he received an  
associate degree from Nor-  
theast Mississippi Junior  
College, Booneville.

### Letter To The Editor

Dear Sirs,  
Being born and raised in  
Iuka as Vestell Gober the  
daughter of Elder G.N. Gober.  
I am very happy and pleased  
to see this clipping in the  
Tishomingo County News  
Vidette.

Though I moved away from  
Iuka forty one years ago I still  
call this home.

There are 105 of us in my  
immediate family. Ever year  
the first weekend in August  
we have a family reunion, and  
it last 3 days and nights. We  
also have to choose a motel  
at Corinth, Florence, AL,  
Grenada, MS and Tupelo. We  
have all prayed some day  
there would be a nice motel  
built in Iuka so we could all  
come home for these get to-  
gethers.

I also see so many family  
reunions that are being held  
in Iuka all during the year.

My concern, all the young  
ones will only go where they  
have a swimming pool. So I  
am asking you if you could  
meet and consult with this  
comfort Inn President if they  
will also put in a swimming  
pool. I think this does add  
also to traveling people with  
children if the motel has  
swimming facilities.

Since NASA will be there  
I'm sure this motel will be  
needed.

I still have a brother and  
sister living in Iuka and most  
of us Gobers like coming to



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Downtown Iuka



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Now at nineteen you're still pretty neat!

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Have a Happy Birthday!



Happy Birthday  
Paw Paw!

Love,  
Destiny and T.J.



A joint effort pays off!  
Brothers, Michael and Roger Pounders of  
Iuka both killed this beautiful 5-point buck on  
December 16 in the Piney Flats area.

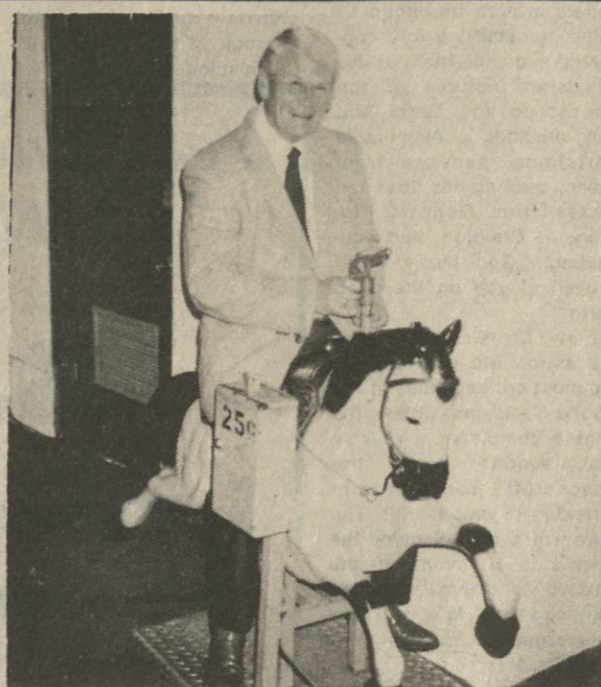
Happy Belated Birthday Guys!  
Michael - December 8th  
and  
Roger - December 20th

Love ya!  
Carol



Happy Birthday

Love,  
Mom and Dad



Giddy-up  
Horsey

Back-in-the Saddle, Bill!



**Troop 7026**  
These Tiger Cub Scouts, Troop 7026 (First Graders at Iuka Elementary School), were able to experience first-hand the joy of helping others as they donated food to the Iuka United Methodist Church Christmas Basket Drive. On hand to accept their donations was Reverend

Frank Burton, pastor of the Iuka United Methodist Church. Pictured with Rev. Burton above, top row, left to right: Blake Lomenick, Marc Nunley, Adam Byram, Kyle Arnold, Matthew McKee, Josh Freno. Bottom row, left to right: John Barnett, Blake Dawson, Jordan Vaughn, Lee Hannon, Chris Caples.

## Looking Ahead

By: Representative  
Mack Loyd Wadkins

Economic development, government reorganization, delivery of health care services, and continued improvement of the state's educational system are likely to be among the big issues facing lawmakers in the 1989 regular session of the Mississippi Legislature. The allocation of funds for state agencies, institutions and public schools will be a primary concern, as usual, in the 90-day session starting at noon Tuesday, January 3. Revenue collections have been running higher than originally projected over recent months, but it appears money still will be tight as legislators move into the second year of the four-year term.

Scores of bills and

resolutions already have been prefiled for consideration during the packed session slated to end by April 2.

Before the final gavel is rapped, legislators may find themselves wrestling with such wide-ranging matters as strengthening the state's felony child abuse law, reducing the statute of limitations for damage suits, development of a statewide housing plan, creation of a healthcare insurance pool to help otherwise uninsurable citizens, tax relief for churches, establishing a full-time State Parole Board, and the continuing problems of drug abuse, AIDS, and prison crowding.

Separate budget proposals have been prepared by the Joint Legislative Budget Committee and the Governor's Office for the fiscal year which begins July 1, 1989. A final decision on these recommendations will be in the hands of the 122 members of the House of Representatives and 52

members of the Senate.

Basically, the Legislative Budget Committee's proposals might be characterized as a "continuation" budget to meet essential needs without raising taxes, and provide priority funding in such key areas as public schools and economic development. At least modest increases also would be provided for institutions higher education, community/junior colleges, Medicaid, mental health, and the Department of Corrections.

The Budget Committee's recommendations for general fund expenditures in Fiscal Year 1990 amount to a record-high \$1.865 billion, an increase of nearly \$60 million over the current FY 1989 budget. The budget proposed by Governor Ray Mabus calls for general fund spending of \$1.907 billion and involves some additional sources of income including the use of certain "special" funds to pay for recurring expenses, higher investment proceeds on idle monies, and part of the savings which the Governor contends could result from his governmental reorganization plan.

While they differ in several aspects, there are a number of similarities between the budget proposals submitted by the Legislative Budget Committee and the Governor. Both would fund the teacher pay raises authorized in the 1988 legislative session, expand Medicaid funding, and make more money available for economic development efforts under the revamped Department of Economic Development.

And, both are designed to maintain current programs WITHOUT a general tax hike in the coming year.

One of the hottest topics of the session may be the modified reorganization plan unveiled by the Governor this fall, including a controversial proposal to close the state-supported charity hospitals at Meridian, Laurel and Vicksburg. Under the proposal, more than \$6 million derived by closing the facilities would be used to further bolster the Medicaid program for needy patients. The recommendation already has caused spirited discussion between opponents and proponents.

Eleven major departments would be established under the Governor's reorganization plan - Finance and Administration; Revenue; Economic and Community Development; Public Safety; Human Services; health;

Mental Health; Corrections; Cultural Affairs; wildlife Conservation, Forestry and Parks; and Environmental Quality. The director of each department would be appointed by the Governor, subject to Senate confirmation.

Special interim committees were named in the House of Representatives and Senate to study the recommendations and present their findings to the 1989 session.

Interim House committees also have been looking at several other matters in preparation for the session including the widely discussed issue of tort reform; a compulsory automobile liability insurance law; voter registration; possible revisions in certain state revenue statutes; the public employees' retirement program; the Variable Compensation Plan for payment of state employees; and the complex question of sovereign immunity for state and local governments, a longstanding doctrine used in the past to protect governmental entities from costly damage suits. A law calling for a limited waiver of immunity is due to take effect next year unless legislators vote to delay its implementation.

The Environmental Protection Council, a joint legislative committee created in the 1988 session, has been making an in-depth study into methods for handling disposal of hazardous waste generated in the state.

A special task force on housing, authorized earlier this year, has recommended passage of a landlord-tenant law and called for creation of a nonprofit housing corporation to develop a statewide housing plan.

Several bills involving education are expected to be awaiting legislators' scrutiny in the 1989 session, including some type of equity financing plan for rural school districts and funding for a statewide remediation program. The State Board of Education has adopted a multiphased legislative program for the coming year, and the Governor has indicated he will ask for a package of education proposals.

Another effort may be made in 1989 to pass a constitutional convention bill, although a similar measure failed during the 1988 session. Most legislators agree some revisions are needed in the State Constitution, but have differed on whether the changes should be handled by the amendment process or in a

### New Arrival

Eugene and Wanda Goforth are proud to announce the birth of a son, Vincent Ely. He was born at North Mississippi Women's Medical Center in

Tupelo, December 14th at 8:23 p.m., weighing 8 lbs. 1 oz. and 20 inches long. Proud grandparents are Gladys Potts of Iuka and Dorinda Goforth of Osceola, Ark.

fullblown state convention.

Several resolutions have been prefiled in the House calling for constitutional amendments. Any constitutional changes approved by the Legislature would then be submitted to the people in a state referendum before taking effect.

All told, it promises to be an interesting, challenging session.

## ASCS Farm News

SPECIAL 1989 FARM

### SPECIAL 1989 FARM PROGRAM PROVISIONS

Starting December 19th, Tishomingo County farmers may sign up for the 1989 Wheat, Feed Grain, Cotton and Rice acreage reduction programs. At the same time, they may sign up for a special 1989 soybean, sunflower and oats provision.

The special signup will indicate how many producers intend to plant soybeans or sunflowers on a portion of each participating program crop's permitted acreage. Farmers may be authorized to plant from 10 to 25 percent of their wheat, feed grain, cotton and rice permitted acreages to soybeans or sunflowers and still protect their program crop's acreage base history. Farmers must state their intentions concerning this provision before February 4, 1989.

Planting intentions under the special signup will be reviewed to ensure that the price for 1989-crop soybeans will not be less than \$5.49 per bushel. Any limitations concerning this planting option will be announced after an analysis of farmers' planting intentions.

During signup producers may also designate any portion of their farm's acreage base, other than the soybean acreage, as an acreage base for 1989-crop oats. This acreage will be considered planted to the original program crop for determining the farm's acreage base or

crop acreage base in the future, but will not result in an increase in the program bases.

Signup ends February 3rd for the special soybean/sunflower provision, and April 14th for the regular farm programs. Additional program details may be obtained from the local ASCS office.

### CROSS COMPLIANCE NOT REQUIRED FOR 1989 OATS

Because oats are in short supply, limited cross compliance requirements will not be in effect for 1989-crop oats.

This means that farm program participants may have an acreage planted to oats in excess of the crop acreage base for oats for a farm without sacrificing their eligibility for other program crop benefits.

Limited cross compliance requirements are in effect for all other program crops, including barley; meaning that the planted acreages of non-participating program crops on the farm may not exceed the crop acreage bases of those crops.

The acreage intended for barley and oats on participating farms is limited to the permitted acreage for barley and oats on the farm. Producers who are not participating in the barley and oats program, but are participating in the program for another crop on the farm, may have an acreage planted to oats in excess of the oat acreage base. However, because of the provisions for substituting crop acreage base to oats, non-participating producers intending to plant barley should contact their ASCS office for the permitted barley acreage.

The 1988 oats crop is forecast at a record low 211 million bushels. Lifting the cross compliance requirement is expected to increase oats acreage for the future.

Wild flowers have been known to bloom in the Arctic—even at the edge of glaciers.

## Letter To The Editor

Dear Sir,

Please help me show the new president-elect George Bush, that there will be massive public opposition to any proposed Social Security and Medicare cuts. George Bush ran for President on a platform promising not to cut Social Security and Medicare or raid the Trust Funds.

And taking him at his word, millions of older Americans voted for him.

We must write the new President-Elect hundreds - no millions, of letters -- and we better do it now! Why? Because we've all lived long enough to know that politicians all too often forget their promises soon after election day -- especially when they are under pressure from influential. Well financed special interest groups to do so. Below is a copy of the letter I've just mailed to:

President-Elect George Bush  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Ave.  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear President-Elect,

Throughout your campaign, you repeatedly promised not to cut Social Security Colas or tamper with the Trust Funds.

I trust you to stand by your promise in the face of powerful special-interest groups who want to cut our benefits in order to reduce the deficit.

I want you to know that I will stand by you in your struggle with those people.

I hope that you will also give your immediate attention to these other important issues of concern to older Americans.

1. Stopping the "Catastrophic Care" tax on seniors which is due to take effect January 1, 1989.

2. Making Social Security an independent agency in order to make it free from political tampering and to permanently protect the Trust Funds.

3. Reversing the Social Security benefit cuts which affect more than 10 million Americans born between 1917 and 1928. Senior Citizens have contributed a

lifetime of hard work toward building our Nation. They deserve first class health care and all of the Social Security benefits they have paid and earned.

Best wishes in your administration.

Sincerely,  
Stella Barnes

## Route 2 News

Mrs. Margie Davis and Kay are visiting with their children near Atlanta, GA and Meridian, MS.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hagan and Tracy from Arab, Ala. spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. Dorothy Hagan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Peterson spent the weekend with their son Gary Peterson and family in Knoxville, TN.

Mr. and Mrs. Leta Grisham had their children from Jackson, MS and Corinth, MS visiting their Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Grisham, Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Grisham, Southaven, MS and Mr. Mike Malenky and his wife, Mrs. Mike Malenky, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Johnson and Mrs. Delma Dean on Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dougald and son Zachary Germany visited with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Goss and with his parents Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Middleton had dinner on Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Middleton in Corinth.

Jamie Arnold, who is with the Air Force, stationed in Denver, CO is spending the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Davis of Memphis visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hurchel Robertson and Jerry Barnes family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Grisham and children, Decatur, AL visited with their aunts, Ms. Effie and Mr. Grisham on Christmas Day.

The first bowling tournament for women was held in St. Louis, Missouri in 1917.

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The Pilot Club wishes to thank those people who remembered and honored their loved ones through this year's light-a-light program. We hope we made your holiday season better. The Pilot Club would also like to especially thank the staff at the Tishomingo County News/Vidette Office and the staff at Tishomingo County Electric Power Association for all their help in Lighting the Lights.

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January 20, 1989

See and hear Conway Twitty, Merle Haggard, plus Skip Ewing at the Von Broun Civic Center in Huntsville, Ala. Leave from behind Iuka Courthouse Friday, January 20, 1989 at 4:00 p.m. Price \$35 each person. Please pay by January 10 make your reservations now to Nadine Loveless, Rt. 2 box 40, Tishomingo, MS 38873 till. 601-438-6377 after 5:30 p.m. (E & S Tours)

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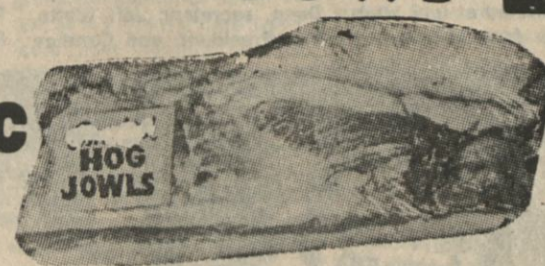
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**Hog  
Jowl**

**1.19**  
Lb.



King Cotton Sliced

**Sologna** **\$1.19**  
12 oz.

King Cotton

**Wieners**



**99¢**  
12 oz.

First Cut

**Pork  
Chops**

**99¢**  
Lb.

Smoked

**Hog  
Jowl**

**59¢**  
Lb.

King Cotton Lite Smoked

**Sausage** **\$1.69**  
Lb.

Richtex

**Shortening**



**89¢**  
42 oz.

Hyde Park Dry

**Blackeye**

**Peas**

**39¢**  
1 Lb. Bag

Rose Acres Grade "A" Large

**Eggs**



**59¢**  
Dozen

Hyde Park

**Mayonnaise**



**99¢**  
32 oz.

Martha White

**Flour**



**79¢**  
5 Lb.

Fine Fare Saltine

**Crackers**

**2/89¢**  
Lb.

Soft 'n' Pretty

**Bath  
Tissue**



**89¢**  
4 Roll

Hyde Park

**Bread**



**3/\$1.00**  
16 oz.

Hyde Park

**Pork 'n' Beans**



**4/\$1.00**  
15 oz.



Pride of Illinois Golden Whole Kernel  
and Cream Style

**Corn**

**3/\$1.00**  
17 oz.

**Pepsi Cola**

& Related Products



**99¢**  
2 Liter

Cheer

**Laundry  
Detergent**



**\$1.39**  
42 oz.

**Coca Cola**

& Related Products



**99¢**  
2 Liter

Folger's

**Coffee**



**\$1.89**  
13 oz. bag

Farm Fresh Produce

Frozen Food Specials

Florida

**Oranges**



**99¢**  
4 Lb. Bag

Golden Ripe

**Bananas**



**3.99**  
Lbs.

Farmer's Select

**Potato  
Wedges**

**\$1.19**  
5 Lb.

Hyde Park

**Orange  
Juice**



**89¢**  
12 oz.

Red

**Grapefruit**

**4/\$1.00**

Fancy

**Lemons**



**99¢**  
Dozen

El Charrito

**Burritos**

**4/\$1.00**  
4 oz.

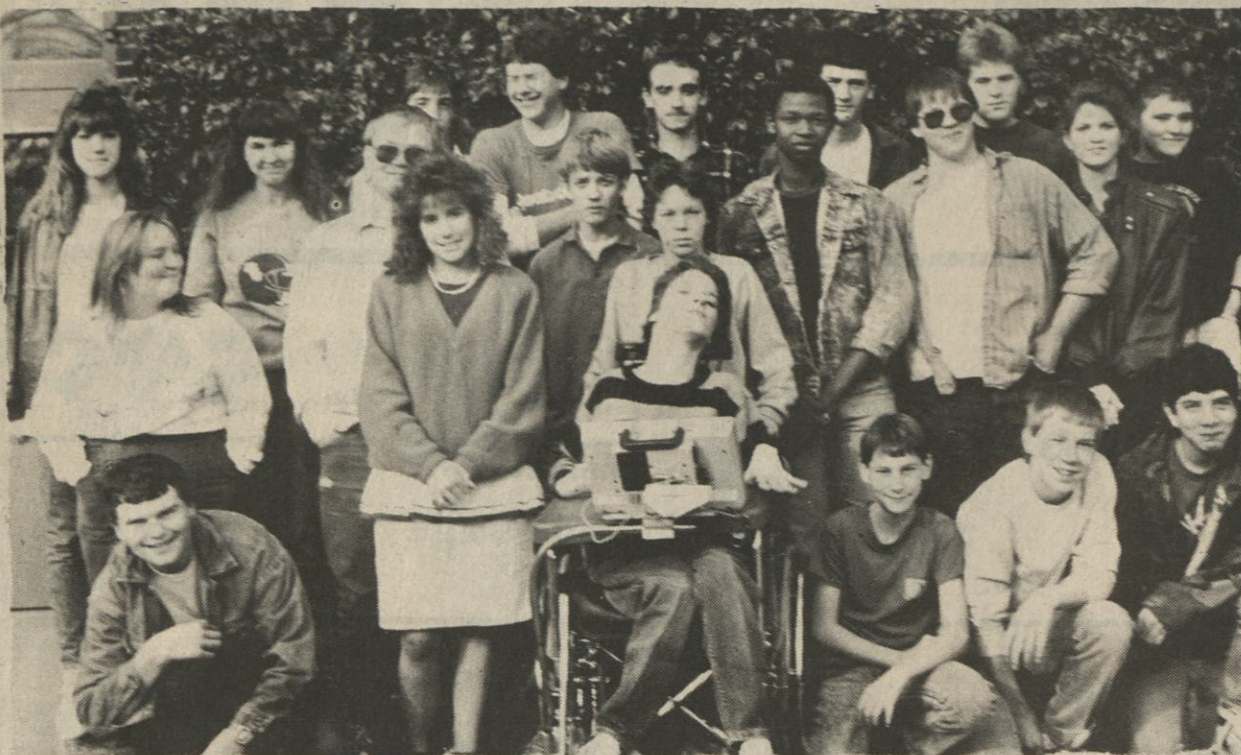
Borden's

**Ice Cream  
Sandwiches**

**99¢**  
6 pkg.



Prime Time Club Officers Officers elected for the new Prime Time Club which was recently formed at Iuka High School are from left: Nancy Beard, Club sponsor; Howard Dean, secretary; Jeff White, Vice-President; and Candice Eaton, designed logo. Not pictured is Anthony Lambert, president.



New Club Formed Students from Iuka High School have recently formed a new club, called Prime Time Club. Pictured are some of the Prime Time Club members. Front row, left to right: Arthur Dean, Holly Simpson, Sonja Smith, Stacy Parker, Scott Jones, and Billy Smith. Second row, Tina Segars, Howard Dean, Jeff White, Donald Wolfgang, James Johnson, Chris Carson and Candice Eaton. Third row, Terendia Cooper, Becky Luttrell, Donnie Calton, Phil Cutshall, Ronnie Calton, Jason Huffman, Ronald Wingo and Kathy Moore.

## Assistant Librarian

Position open for Iuka Assistant Librarian, 8 hours per week, 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Applicant should be energetic, creative, enthusiastic, capable of self-direction, and have knowledge of library resources; must be able to meet the public easily and deal effectively with all age groups, preschool through senior citizens. Good communication skills, both written and verbal, are essential. Must be resident of Tishomingo County. Application accepted through January 10, 1989. Applications available at the Iuka Public Library, or write: Northeast Regional Library, 1023 Fillmore Street, Corinth, Mississippi 38834. Equal Opportunity Employer.

smokers. Nicotine is an addictive or dependence causing drug that occurs naturally in the tobacco leaf and has never been found in any other plant or material. It is usually cleared from the body within a few days after quitting smoking.

The Mississippi Lung Association, your Christmas Seal organization, provides a wide variety of educational materials and programs which teach youngsters never to begin smoking and to assist smokers in taking that important step toward a smoke-free future.

Gone are the days when everyone thought smoking was a harmless habit. Your decision to quit cigarette smoking could be the most important decision of your life. Make your resolution today and contact the Mississippi Lung Association, P.O. Box 9865, Jackson, Mississippi, 39286 or telephone 601-362-5453.

## Notice

All county offices will be closed Monday, January 2, in observance of the New Year's holiday.

## New Year's Eve Service

Harmony Hill Baptist Church in Burnsville, will hold a New Year's Eve Service on Saturday, December 31, beginning at 8:30 p.m. Special singers will be the Jimmy Daniels Family.

## New Year's Resolution

If you are now smoking, a New Year's resolution to "kick the habit" will be the best gift you can give to yourself and to your family, said G. Boyd Shaw, M.D. of Jackson, president of the Mississippi Lung Association.

Cigarette smoking is the major preventable cause of increased mortality and premature disability in the United States. Smoking is a proven cause of emphysema, lung cancer and other cancers, chronic bronchitis, and coronary disease. Smoking by pregnant women is associated with low infant birth weight, increased prenatal mortality and complications of pregnancy.

Smoke from a burning cigarette, cigar or pipe can also affect the health of nearby nonsmokers, particularly young children and persons with lung or heart disease. Of the over 4,000 chemicals contained in tobacco smoke, 200 are poisonous and 15 are cancer-causing. Plainly, there is nothing healthy about inhaling hot smoke into your lungs and there is much to be gained by quitting smoking.

More than 33 million Americans have quit smoking. You can join the ever-increasing number of Americans who do not smoke.

Because cigarettes contain nicotine, smoking may be a tough habit to quit for some

## NEMCC To Showcase Talent

"Campus Country Showtime" will begin in January at Northeast Mississippi Community College to showcase Northeast's country-western group "Campus Country" and a different special guest each month.

According to "Campus Country" director Shirley Taylor, the first performance is set for January 28, with the theme "Country Classics," featuring classics made famous by Patsy Cline, Jim Reeves, Bob Wills, and others.

Tamela Dunavent Wren, Michael Wren, Eddie Bollinger, Waylon Michael, Bill Morgan, and Jackie Blessingame Phillips, former "Campus Country" members featured in the "Campus Country" recording will be

## 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

special guests.

An idea conceived by Northeast President Joe Childers, Taylor said "Campus Country Showtime" is designed to give the public an opportunity to hear the group perform, since most of their performances are before private audiences.

"We're doing this as a showcase for the benefit of the public. People in this area love country music, and I think they'll come out to hear it," Taylor said.

Taylor said she feels positive about there being a large attendance, since there was a packed house at the "Campus Country" concert held last April. "I feel like it'll be a success," she said.

Taylor said the group is excited about the idea since they'll be able to perform in a familiar place, and also be able to use special lighting effects.

In order for group members to make contact with the music industry officials, Taylor said she would be sending complimentary tickets to contacts in the country music industry.

February's performance will feature blue grass. Gospel Night will be April 1, and the April 29th show will be contemporary country.

Proceeds from the ticket sales will be used for updating the groups equipment, a spring trip, and possibly a recording session, Taylor said.

Tickets are \$3 and may be purchased at the Northeast Business Office or from any

"Campus Country" Performances will be at the Pounds Auditorium.

## New Year Eve Church Service

The Boggs Chapel Methodist Church will again be singing on New Year's Eve and in the new year service will begin at 8:00 p.m. on Saturday night, December 31. Throughout the year there will be singing devotion by Bro. Buchanan, and related. The pastor, Bro. Hyde, and the choir will invite everyone to join us in worship and singing to God as we end 1988 and begin 1989.

## Watch Night Services

Palestine Church Watch Night Service, day, December 31, beginning at 7:30 p.m. The family from Wheeler, the featured singers. Everyone is welcome to come out and enjoy a good Gospel singing, sing the old year out and new year in.

A small flat space paper towel kept in refrigerator vegetables can absorb much of the excess moisture collected there.

## 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 4:00 P.M., January 16, 1989, and each shall be submitted on the 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 1989" written or typed on its face.

Tishomingo County School District BY: Larry L. Superintendent D-22-29-chg

## Registration For Spring Semester At NEMCC

Registration for day classes for the spring semester at Northeast Mississippi Community College will be held January 6, 9, and 10 in Patterson Hall on the Booneville campus.

Returning students who have not completed registration should report to Patterson Hall between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Monday, January 9. Any students who were previously enrolled at Northeast should report on that date.

Advanced registration students who wish to pay fees after the Christmas holidays should pay according to the following schedule: January 6, 1989, 8:30 to 11:30 - Alcorn County students; 1:00 to 3:00 - Prentiss County students;

January 9, 1989, 8:30 to 11:30 - Tippah County students; 1:00 to 3:00 - Union County students; January 10, 1989, 8:30 to 11:30 - Tishomingo County and other Mississippi students; 1:00 to 3:00 - out-of-state students.

Transfer the first-time students will begin the registration process at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, January 10 in Patterson Hall Auditorium with a brief orientation session. Registration will continue with students meeting with faculty advisers. Advisers will provide information about majors, job opportunities, career development options and college life. They will also assist students in scheduling classes and completing the registration

### process.

Anyone entering academic or technical majors who has not taken the American College Test (ACT) may do so January 3, 4, or 5 at 8:00 a.m. or 1:00 p.m. on January 6 at 8:00 a.m. in the Northeast College Counseling Center in Estes Hall. The fee is \$13.00. No preregistration is required. Students must present a picture identification for admission to the test.

For additional information, contact NEMCC's Counseling Center at 728-7751, extension 314.

## Gospel Singing

Fifth Street Baptist Church will have a Gospel Singing Friday, December 30, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Featured singers will be The Singing Cartwrights from Jackson, TN along with the Laymen from the church.

We're expecting this to be one of the biggest singings we've had.

Pastor Bill Hobson and the congregation invite everyone to attend.

## Closing

The Bay Springs Resource Office and Visitor Center will be closed on Sunday, January 1, 1989 and Monday, January 2, 1989 in observance of New Years Day. In case of emergencies, a ranger will be on patrol, and can be contacted by radio through the Bay Springs Lock and Dam. The phone number at the Lock is 601-454-7977. The Resource Office and Visitor Center will reopen at 7:30 a.m. on Tuesday, January 3, 1989.

## Gospel Singing

The full Gospel Fellowship Center in Tishomingo, located next door to the Tishomingo Bank will have a Gospel Singing Saturday, December 31 beginning at 7:00 p.m.

Featured singers will be Glorybound, The Revelations and The Kingdom Air Seekers.

We would like to take this time to invite each one of you to come out and sing the New Year in with us.

## Hey Teens!

Give a gift of love to your family and friends Drive safely by:

- ✓ Staying free of alcohol and other drugs
- ✓ Using your safety belt and urging your friends to do the same
- ✓ Riding with only those drivers and friends who have not been drinking

Give your family and friends a worry-free holiday season



National Drunk and Drugged Driving Awareness Week

## Curtis Drug Co.

Elm Shopping Center - Iuka

## January 1989 IUKA HIGH SCHOOL CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
2 2/363	3 3/362 Varsity Basketball Booneville - Home Staff Development	4 4/361 Classes Resume	5 5/360 -----Tishomingo County Tournament-----	6 6/359	7 7/358
9 9/356 Board of Trustees 7:00 P.M. Committee Meeting Southern Association of Colleges & Schools	10 10/355 Varsity Basketball Saltillo - Home	11 11/354	12 12/353	13 13/352 Varsity Basketball Belmont - Away	14 14/351
16 16/349 Varsity Basketball Cherokee - Home	17 17/348 ASVAB Testing	18 18/347	19 19/346 Jr. High Basketball Burnsville - Home Elementary PTA 7:00 P.M.	20 20/345 Varsity Basketball Biggersville - Home	21 21/344
23 23/342 Jr. High Basketball Belmont - Home	24 24/341 County Spelling Bee Varsity Basketball Cherokee - Away	25 25/340	26 26/339 Varsity Basketball Burnsville - Away	27 27/338	28 28/337
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# Officers

Louisville, Mississippi. The conference introduced new ways to enhance officers and leadership skills. Those in attendance were: (seated) Amy Mitchell of Kossuth, David Nichols, local certified public accountant, who discussed the Student Exchange Program. During the previous year Mr. Nichols was the host for an exchange student from Germany who lived in his home for the entire school year. During the past summer Mr. Nichols visited the student and his family in Germany. He explained the many differences between East and West Germany and also East and West Berlin separated by the wall. He also commented on the thrift and energy of the German people and praised the cleanliness and safety of their streets. The hostess invited the

historian; (standing r to l) Tammy Crowe of Kossuth, president; Lee Waddle of Booneville, reporter; Bob Craig, advisor; Betsy Barnes of Burnsville; Faye Puckett of

Corinth, treasurer; Tim Southward of Tishomingo; Melody Crane of Golden, historian; Jim Lamb, advisor and Brad Page of Myrtle, vice-president.

they're detected early. A child's eyes should be examined by his or her pediatrician shortly after birth and by an ophthalmologist, a physician who specializes in the functions and diseases of the eye, before age four. Each eye should be checked individually to determine the child's visual acuity.

Between one and two percent of all children will have one eye that doesn't see well. This weakness often goes unnoticed because the vision seems fine when both eyes are open. When this discrepancy in vision is detected early, patching and/or eyewear can be prescribed to strengthen the eyesight and improve vision.

Parents may detect eye problems in children by observing their behavior, the appearance of their eyes, complaints or grades in school. Signs of possible eye trouble of which parents should be aware are:

\* Eyes crossed or turned out; \* redness; \* inability to see things clearly; \* blinking more than usual; \* excessive rubbing of the eyes; \* difficulty with close work such as homework and reading; \* inflammation of watery eyes; \* recurring styles or nodules on the edge of the eyelids; \* complaints of dizziness,

headaches or nausea following close eye work; and \* complaints of blurred or double vision.

Nearsightedness and farsightedness are the most common visual problems.

# Student Exchange Program Discussed

November meeting of Kappa Iota was held in the home of Mildred Hill on the 15th of the month. The vice-president, Mrs. Hill, was the hostess. The devotionals were given by the hostess and a guide for such a trip was presented. The devotionals were composed by the hostess and a Prayer for the exchange students was read. The hostess's report was given by Geraldene McGill. The hostess's report was given by Geraldene McGill. The hostess's report was given by Geraldene McGill.

# Seeing Eye Trouble In Children

Vision is the most precious of the five senses. However, many parents take their children's vision for granted until they reach school age. An estimated one in 20 preschoolers, ages three to five, and one in four children of ages six to 17 have vision problems. Most of these impairments can be corrected if

# Colorado Mule Deer Hunter

John Mason of Eastport and a group consisting of seven to ten of his friends have been mule deer hunting outside Canon City, Colorado annually for the past fifteen years. This Season's venture, November 5-9, proved to be a fruitful hunt for the men who brought in eight mule deer ranging in weight up to 300

# Inc., 230 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10022; telephone (212) 751-1118, or your local ophthalmologist.

# COOKING -

Holiday Candied Yams  
1 can (8-1/4 oz.) Dole Pineapple Chunks  
3 pounds yams  
Boiling water  
1 teaspoon salt  
3/4 cup sugar  
1/4 cup light corn syrup  
1/4 cup butter or margarine  
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon  
Drain pineapple, reserve 1/4 cup syrup. Wash yams; place in large pan of boiling water, add salt. Simmer, covered, 40 minutes until tender. Drain yams; cool. Peel and slice crosswise into 1/2-inch thick slices. In a large skillet, combine reserved pineapple juice, sugar, corn syrup, butter and cinnamon. Bring to a boil, cook until sugar is dissolved, stirring often. Add yams, turning to coat with syrup mixture. Continue to bake until yams are glazed. Serves 8.

# For more terrific pineapple recipes, write to Dole Pineapple, Dept. QEM, P.O. Box 7758, San Francisco, CA 94120.

# Here Comes The New Year!

Celebrate in joy and good health, friends.

# State Farm Insurance

Harold Lomenick  
Family and Staff

# THE STEP AHEAD BANK SM

First American National Bank  
114 S. Pearl St.

# J. A. Tucker Furniture & Appliance

123 South Fulton St., Iuka, Miss. We thank you our many customer for shopping with us for the past 4 1/2 years. We are giving you our lowest price to Shop and Save in our Final Sale

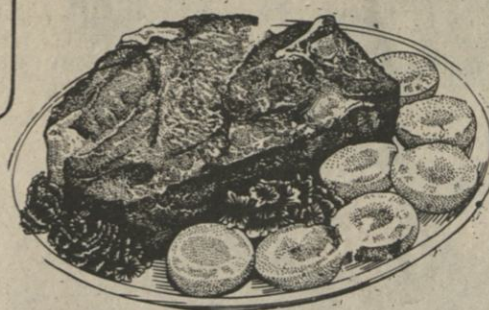
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<p><b>All Appliances</b></p> <p>Going At</p> <p><b>10%</b></p> <p>Above Our Cost</p> <p>Shop and Save</p> <p>Cash and Carry</p>	<p><b>Furniture</b></p> <p>Going At</p> <p><b>20%</b></p> <p>Above Our Cost</p> <p>Cash and Carry</p>	<p><b>All Bedroom Suits</b></p> <p><b>Dining Room Sets</b></p> <p>Odd Beds</p> <p>Odd Chest</p> <p><b>20%</b></p> <p>Above Our Cost</p>
<p><b>R.C.A. T.V.</b></p> <p><b>Zenith T.V.</b></p> <p><b>Quazar T.V.</b></p> <p><b>VCR</b></p> <p><b>10%</b></p> <p>Above Our Cost</p>	<p><b>Capital Bedding</b></p> <p>4/6 Size</p> <p><b>Beauty Rest Bedding</b></p> <p>Going At</p> <p><b>20%</b></p> <p>Above Our Cost</p> <p>Cash and Carry</p>	<p><b>Lane Recliners</b></p> <p><b>Franklin Recliners</b></p> <p><b>Bench Craft Recliners</b></p> <p><b>Swivel Rockers</b></p> <p><b>20%</b></p> <p>Above Our Cost</p> <p>Cash and Carry</p>

# Sunflower

"Your Better Value Food Store"

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Ad good thru Jan. 4, 1989

OPEN  
JAN 1



U.S.D.A. Choice Bone-in

## Chuck Roast

\$1.39  
Lb.



Fresh

## Hog Jowl

Lb.

29¢

Smoked  
Hog Jowl

Lb. 49¢

Flavorite  
Franks

12 oz. 79¢

Bryan Reg. or Beef  
Corn Dogs

Lb.

\$1.69

U.S.D.A. Choice Bone-in  
Beef Stew

Lb. 99¢

U.S.D.A. Choice Fully Trimmed  
Ribeye Steak

Lb. \$4.29

Fresh  
Ground Chuck

Lb. \$1.59

Fresh First Cut  
Pork Chops

Lb. 99¢

Armour  
Sausage

12 oz. 79¢

Flavorite Sliced  
Bologna

12 oz. 89¢

Jimmy Dean Steak, Chicken or  
Sausage & Biscuits

8 oz. \$1.59

Flavorite  
Sliced Bacon

12 oz. 99¢



No. 1 Sliced Slab

## Bacon

Lb.

89¢

Sunshine Ration  
Dog Food  
22 lb. bag

\$3.79

Zesta  
Crackers  
1 lb. box

79¢

Friskies Buffet  
Catfood  
6 oz. cans

4/\$1.00

Adams Unsweetened  
Grapefruit  
Juice

46 oz. can 99¢

Sunflower Wishes You A....

# HAPPY NEW YEAR

Bush's Fresh  
Blackeye  
Peas

16 oz. cans

3/\$1.00



Charmin  
Tissue

4 Roll Pack

99¢

Sally's  
Bread  
16 oz. loaves

3/99¢

Rinso  
Detergent

38 oz.  
Giant Size

99¢

Pepsi

88¢

Campbell's  
Pork &  
Beans

16 oz. cans

3/\$1.00

Kellogg's  
Rice Krispies 13 oz. box \$1.99

Rainbow Hamburger Dill Chip  
Pickles 16 oz. 79¢

Prego 31 3/4 oz. jar  
Spaghetti Sauce \$1.79

Purina  
Cat Chow 10 lb. bag \$5.99

Glad  
Trash Bags 10 ct. box \$1.89

Glad Large Kitchen  
Garbage Bags 15 ct. \$1.59

Maxwell House  
Coffee 1 Lb. Can \$2.59

Heinz  
Catsup 32 oz. \$1.29

Flavorite  
Grape Jelly 18 oz. 79¢

Ronco  
Spaghetti 7 oz. 39¢

Carnation Sweetened  
Condensed Milk 14 oz. can 99¢

Bounce  
Fabric Softener 40 ct. box \$1.99

Chicken of the Sea In Oil  
Tuna 6 1/2 oz. 79¢

Flavorite  
Evaporated milk 12 oz. 2/89¢

Palmolive Liquid  
Dish Detergent 32 oz. \$1.79

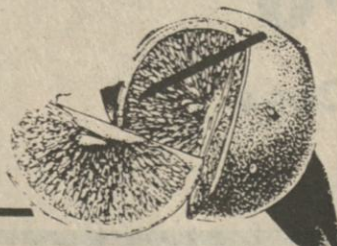
Cascade Auto  
Dish Detergent 50 oz. \$2.29

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Naval  
Oranges

699¢  
for



U.S. No. 1 Russet  
Potatoes 10 lb. bag \$1.29

Fresh Green  
Cabbage Lb. 25¢

U.S. No. 1  
Yellow Onions Lb. 29¢

California  
Lemons 99¢  
2 Lb. Bag

Large Green  
Bell Peppers 3/\$1.00

Fresh Yellow Crookneck  
Squash lb. 69¢

Large Florida  
Avocados 2/99¢

Fresh Collard  
Greens 49¢  
Bunch

### Frozen

Breast Nuggets, Chicken Nuggets or  
Banquet Microwave 4-4.5 oz.

Breast  
Tenders 99¢

Fox  
Pizza 69¢  
All Varieties

Sally's  
Orange Juice 6 oz. 2/\$1.00

McKenzie  
Blackeye Peas 16 oz. 89¢

Fisherboy Breaded  
Fish Sticks 8 oz. 89¢

### dairy

Tropicana  
Orange  
Juice \$1.69  
64 oz. carton

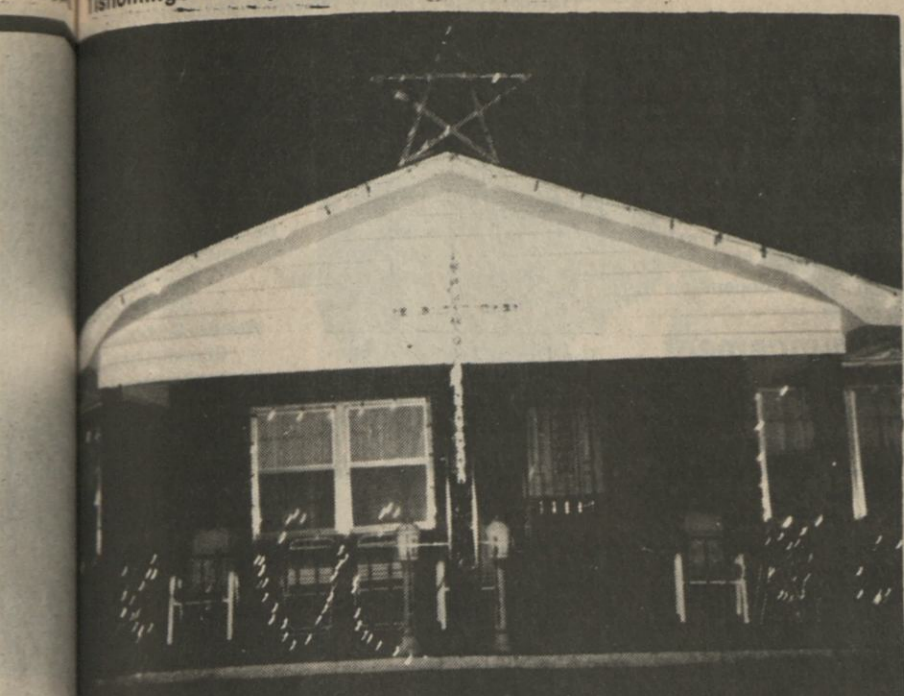
Hungry Jack  
Biscuits 5 oz. cans 2/89¢

Kraft Parkay  
Margarine 1 Lb. Quarters 59¢

Sealtest  
Cottage Cheese 24 oz. \$1.49

Kraft Jalapeno, Green Onion, French Onion  
Dip 8 oz. 59¢

Kraft  
Velveeta 16 oz. \$2.19



**Lighting Lights**  
A brilliant display of lights could be seen this Christmas season at the home of Mrs. R.C. Paden.

community. Among the beautiful display of lights was the star, symbolizing the star that led the wise men to baby Jesus, and the cross on which he was crucified. Mrs. Barrett's

home was indeed a beautiful sight for people driving by enjoying the sights of the season. The house is decorated each year by her son-in-law, Edward Massey of Memphis, TN.



**Awards Scholarship**  
University of Mississippi awarded a Junior College Transfer Achievement Award to Phi Theta Kappa Award winner, Michelle Renee Horn of Tishomingo. She is studying legal at Ole Miss and

hopes to attend law school. She graduated with special honors from Itawamba Community College. At Tremont High School, Ms. Horn was class salutatorian. She is the daughter of Billy Ray Horn and the late Sonja Renee Horn.

### Current Changes in Mississippi Birth Certificates

As of January 1, 1989, Mississippi birth certificates have a new look. Moms and dads can expect to fill out a form for their infant that is a bit more detailed than the one of the past, yet more efficient.

Every ten years, the Internal Center for Health Statistics reviews and adopts new U.S. Standard Certificates for the recording of births. For the past five years, the Center has worked to change the existing birth

certificate.

Parents can now indicate on the certificate if they want to request a social security card for their baby. If so, the Mississippi State Department of Health will process the birth certificate and send necessary information to the social security administration. Social security will then issue the child's number.

Parents will be spared the inconvenience of making application to the social security administration and paying \$5 for a certified birth certificate that must accompany the application. The social security administration will save time and effort by

### Ole Miss Dean's List

Three students from Tishomingo County were named to the University of Mississippi Dean's Honor Roll for the Fall semester.

A grade point average from 3.5 through 3.74 is required of full-time students carrying at least 12 semester hours for listing on the Dean's Honor Roll.

Honor Roll members include: From Iuka: Amanda Beth Davis, Patrice Wynette Johnson and Elizabeth Brown Segars.

### UNA Dean's List

University of North Alabama register Sue Wilson announced today 360 students were named to the dean's list for the fall 1988 semester.

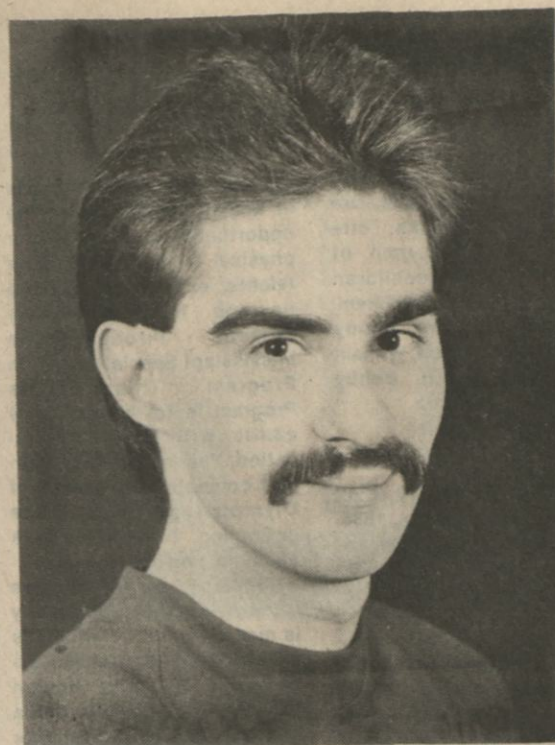
Wilson said the School of Arts and Sciences had 153 students on the list; School of Business, 101; School of

not having to review and process each application.

"This is a wonderful example of cooperation between state and federal agencies," said State Health Officer Dr. Alton B. Cobb. "We are happy to be a part of this special project."

Other new items on the birth certificate include the social security number of both parents; the date of birth of both parents rather than the age; clinical estimate of gestation; if mother is now widowed or divorced; risk factors for the pregnancy; method of delivery; obstetric procedures; if mother was transferred prior to delivery; abnormal condition of the newborn; and if the infant was transferred.

"We realize physicians and hospitals may have a few more spaces to fill, but the new birth certificates are more advantageous overall. We hope physicians and hospitals will help us by insuring the certificate is as complete as possible and is sent to us on time," Cobb said. "Of course, any medical information on the birth certificate will remain confidential and will be used only for statistical purposes," he said.



**UM Awards Scholarship**  
The University of Mississippi has granted a Junior College Transfer Achievement Award to Jay Lowery of Tishomingo.

He is majoring in English at Ole Miss. A graduate of New Site High School, his parents are Mr. and Mrs. Tony Lowery.

Education, 91; School of Nursing, 15.

No more than 10 percent of the students enrolled fulltime in each school may be eligible for the dean's list and no students with a scholastic ratio of less than 2.50 (on a 3.0 scale) in all work carried during the semester will be included.

Area honorees and their hometowns are listed as following according to their schools:

#### SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Cherokee - Sharon Conley Bullion; Tishomingo - Bonnie South Hodge.

#### SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Cherokee - Daphne Faith Till; Belmont - Sheila Orick Sparks; Iuka - Amy Michelle Davis, Mary Wimbish South, Susan Price Thomason.

#### SCHOOL OF NURSING

Glen - Donna Gray Dean.

### Local Students Named Who's Who

The 1988 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges will include the names of fifty-two students from Northeast Mississippi Community College who have been selected as national outstanding campus leaders.

A campus nominating committee and editors of the national directory selected students based on academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for continued success.

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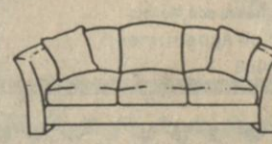
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# A Brother's Tribute

Paul W. Harris

On August 3, 1919 an infant son came to bless the home of Sem and Eunice Harris at their home on the family farm in Harrisville in the lovely pine hills of South Mississippi. They gave him the name of Paul Wilson after the Apostle Paul of the Bible, and then President Woodrow Wilson of the United States. This name portended the leadership he was to give to his country and to his church. Paul grew up on the family at Harrisville with his parents, three brothers and a sister. He was a timeless worker and early showed his fascination with life and all its facets. The Harrises were church loving and church going people. They attended the Methodist Church in Harrisville and were active in all its programs. At about the age of eleven, Paul accepted Christ and joined the local church. Later he served as president of the local church Youth Fellowship. He showed early signs of leadership ability in church, school and community. Paul had a flair for public speaking and never missed an opportunity to come to the podium to speak to any group of any size. At Harrisville High School he was captain of the debate team and president of several groups.

After high school graduation, Paul attended Jones County Junior College, Ellisville, MS along with his brother, David. It was there that a friendship developed with Myrtis Carter that continued into courtship and led to marriage several years later.

After graduating from Jones Junior College, Paul went to work in Meridian to save up money for senior college. The dark clouds of war were spreading over Europe in 1941 and were threatening the United States. Paul's deep patriotism led him to enlist in the U.S. Army Air Force. Soon after the attack on Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941, Paul applied for the Army Air Force Aviation Cadet program and passed with high marks. After completing his cadet training he was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Army Air Force. His Air Force career led him to the South Pacific where he flew 51 long range combat Missions over water in heavy duty B-24 aircraft. Some of the places were Mandated Islands, New

Guines, Central Pacific, Bismarch Archipelago and North Solomons Islands. He completed his tour with the rank of First Lieutenant in the Air Force and was returned to the United States in 1944. He lost little time in claiming Myrtis Carter of Ellisville as his bride. After a short honeymoon he was sent to Selman Field, Monroe, Louisiana as flight commander. After about a year of duty there he was asked to serve as Over sea instructor at Keesler Air Force Base, Biloxi, MS. Before his discharge in September, 1945, Paul had finished the Air Force Instructors school and was up for promotion to Captain. He won many medals, but too long a list to write about. They are framed and hang in his office in his home.

After being discharged Paul and Myrtis settled in Jackson and bought a new home there and for awhile he followed a successful career as a traveling salesman. The knowledge of a higher calling had been pursuing Paul since school days in Harrisville, however, and in 1948 he answered God's call to the Christian Ministry and accepted an appointment to the Camden, MS United Methodist Church.

In his preparation for the ministry, Paul received his Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts degrees from the University of Southern Mississippi in Hattiesburg and did advanced studies there. He took his course of study for the ministry from Candler School of Theology, Emory University, Atlanta, GA.

Besides Camden, Paul served Moselle, Marion, Justice Heights, Laurel, Woodville, Morton, Poplar Springs Drive, Meridian, First United Methodist Church, Picaune, and St. Luke's United Methodist Church, Jackson. Paul was out of the parish ministry for four years as Executive Secretary of The Mississippi Church Council of Alcohol Education. In preparation for this work, he graduated from schools of alcohol studies at Millsaps College, the University of Georgia and Rutgers University. Between the Picaune and the St. Luke's appointment, Paul served for six years as Director of the Mississippi United Methodist Conference Council on

Ministries. He gave distinguished service to the entire Conference in this office. During these years he was ex-officio member of the Conference Council on Finance and Administration as well as many other boards and committees.

Paul retired from the active relationship in the ministry in June, 1986. He and Myrtis built a lovely home on Gann Street and moved to Iuka to be near their son Glenn Ray, his wife, Dianne and daughter, Christe' Rhea. Paul served as retired supply minister of the Iuka South Charge of the United Methodist Church in 1987-88. He is greatly appreciated and loved by the people there and the work there was very gratifying to him. Paul and Myrtis loved their home in Iuka and enjoyed the work of landscaping and beautifying the property and adding conveniences. This work was practically complete by mid-October this year. On October 18 while raking leaves and winterizing the front yard, Paul suffered a fatal heart attack and instantly passed into the life eternal with our Heavenly Father. The earthly part of his life of love and service to God, church and humanity was over.

Respectfully submitted  
December 12, 1988  
David Harris, brother

## Card of Thanks

We wish to express our deep appreciation and thanks to all our friends and relatives for the love shown during the loss of our loved one. To those who brought food and sent flowers we are grateful. A special appreciation to Bro. V. M. Scott and Bro. David Gregg for their words of comfort. Thanks to Dr. Al Flannery and nurses at Tishomingo County Hospital and Cutshall Funeral Home.

May God's richest blessings be with each of you is our prayer.

Family of  
A. Odell Dempsey

## James Lynch

James Elgin Lynch, 73, died Monday, December 19, 1988 at the North Mississippi Medical Center. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II and a retired farmer.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, December 21 at the Deaton Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Eulon Pruitt officiating. Burial was in Joel Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Lucille Lynch of Dennis; three

daughters, Wanda Holder of Golden, Sue Sparks of Belmont, Shirley Stidham of Red Bay, AL; four sons, James Lynch, Lee Lynch, Paul Lynch, and David Lynch, all of Dennis; one sister, Ora Bell Pruitt of Iuka; one brother, George Lynch of Belmont; 18 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Jimmy Lynch, Donnie Lynch, William Lynch, Ray Lynch, Bobby Pardue, Wade Pardue.

## Lewis Dexter

Lewis A. Dexter, 70, died Saturday, December 24, 1988, at his residence on Pleasant Hill Road. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and a member of the Church of Christ.

Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday, December 25, at the Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel with Haskell Sparks and Perry Taylor officiating. Burial was in the New Prospect Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Minnie Dexter of Iuka; three daughters, Mary Alice Scott and Carolyn Busby, both of Iuka, Martha Kenaum of Nashville, TN; one son, Jesse Dexter of Iuka; three sisters, Alice Hester, Estelle Nunley, and Jimmie Hampton, all of Iuka; one brother, M.J. Dexter of Iuka; five grandchildren, Michael Don and Machele Busby and Amy Scott of Iuka, Jimma and Jennifer Kenaum of Nashville, TN.

Pallbearers were Lester and Robert Dexter, Donnie Holland, Shane Price, Frank and Leroy Vess.

## Troy Greene

Troy Edgar Greene, 64, died Sunday, December 25 at the Magnolia Hospital of a sudden death. He was an employee of Hover Stone Co., a member of the New Lebanon Baptist Church, and was a Mason.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, December 27 at New Lebanon Baptist Church with the Rev. Gene Gilbert, the Rev. D.W. Jones, and the Rev. Mavis Phifer officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. McMillan Funeral Home was in charge of the services.

Survivors include his wife, Frances Emmogene Williams Greene of Tishomingo; four daughters, Kay Lowrey, Carolyn McCombs, and Linda Shields, all of Booneville, Regenia Brown of Corinth; one son, Jeffrey William Greene of Memphis; three sisters, Leola Bolin of Power Spring, Ga., Irene Estes of Booneville, Ann Angle of Memphis; one brother, Bobby Greene of Memphis; seven grandchildren.

## Supporting Special People In Mississippi

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## Marriage Enrichment Seminar

The luka Church of Christ has just concluded the showing of the Brecheem-Faulkner Marriage Enrichment films. Excellent crowds and a number of visitors attended these sessions. Marriages were enriched and homes cemented together. It's truly a fantastic series of lessons presenting God's wonderful plan for marriage. A lot of surveys and research went into the preparation of these messages. Many illustrations and much humor provided easy and enjoyable listening. There are many

problem areas in marriage and these were discussed along with the solutions. The only regret the church has is that every couple in luka did not attend. A special thanks goes to those who did participate.

There will be a live seminar held in Jackson, Mississippi on the weekend of February 10th and 11th. The cost is only \$20 a couple and you receive a manual which accompany the lessons. If you are interested in attending or sharing this news with others, please call the luka Church of Christ (423-6891) and request a mailout. If you are having marital problems or would just like to insure marital success in your life, why not plan to attend?

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Students completing the course from Tishomingo Hospital were: Anne Nunley, RN; Gail Southward, RN; Lori Pardue, RN; Gail Smith, LPN;

Rhonda Akers, Word Secretary; Karen McDuffy, Student Nurse; Londee Kent, CPR and Water Safety Instructor and Chris Borden, Students from Magnolia Hospital were Jeff Robbins and Mary Newcomb. Other students include: Marilyn Hutchinson, LPN; Segars Clinic; Benny Gray, luka Fire Dept. and Donna Lewis, luka Family Clinic. The National Registry Exam will be given on January 16th & 17th in Jackson, MS.



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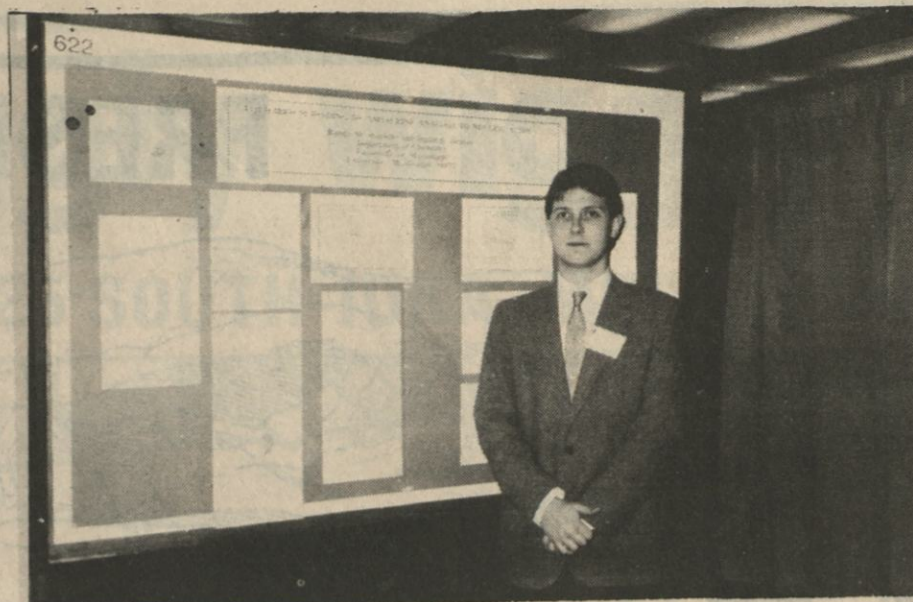
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## Iuka Graduate Attends Meeting

Iuka graduate Randy Mack Wadkins recently attended the 40th American Chemical Society Southeast Regional Meeting in Atlanta, Georgia. The meeting was held November 9-11 at the Radisson Hotel in downtown Atlanta and was hosted by the Georgia section of the American Chemical Society, a professional organization for chemists in many disciplines. The meeting brought together hundreds of scientists from throughout the Southeastern United States.

Randy is a 1982 graduate of luka High School. He is currently a graduate student working on his Ph. D. in biophysical chemistry at the University of Mississippi where he obtained his bachelors degree in 1986. At the meeting, Wadkins presented, his recent research conducted in his laboratory at the university. The Analogs to Nucleic Acids, co-authored by his research director, Dr. David Graves. The research is an investigation into the way in which anticancer drugs work.

Amsacrine is a drug used in clinical treatment of leukemia in Europe and Canada and is currently undergoing trial tests in the U.S. However, the exact mechanisms of its anticancer properties are unknown.

Randy is the son of Mack Lloyd and Jeanette Wadkins of luka and grandson of Pauline and the late Willard Wadkins and Jim and Nancy Hudson also of luka.

## Commissioner Resigns

Statement By Sam W. Waggoner

It is with great sadness that I announce I am today submitting my resignation as Highway Commissioner, to be effective December 31, 1988.

I am resigning because I have made a mistake, and I must now pay the price for that mistake.

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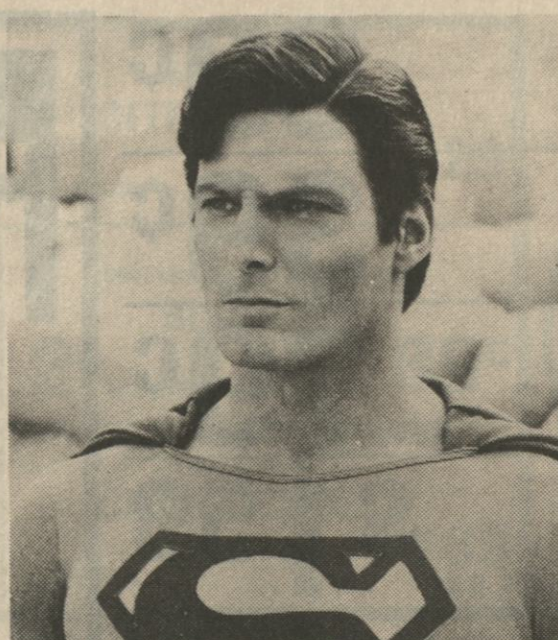
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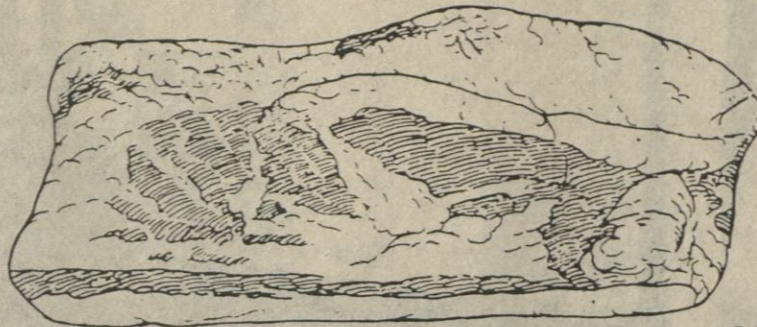
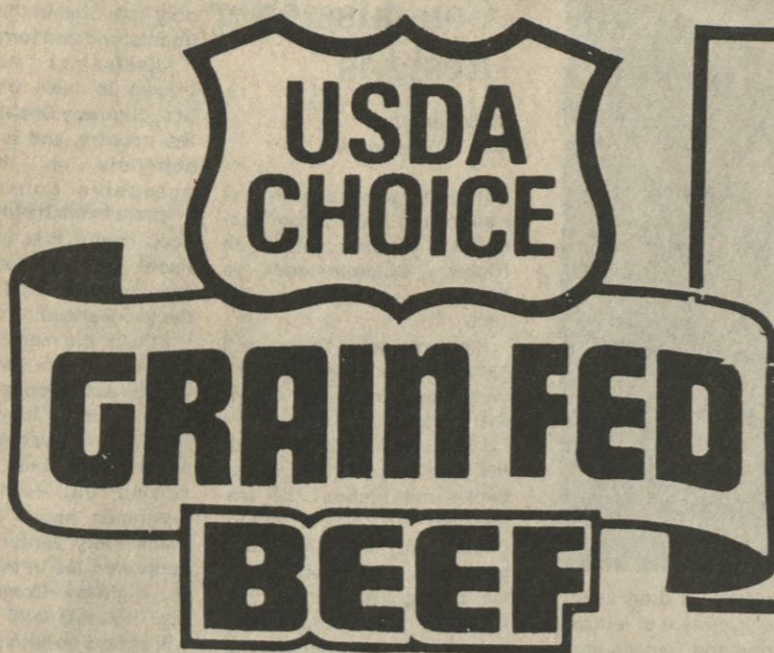
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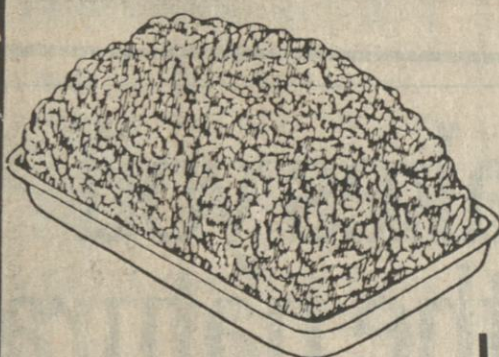
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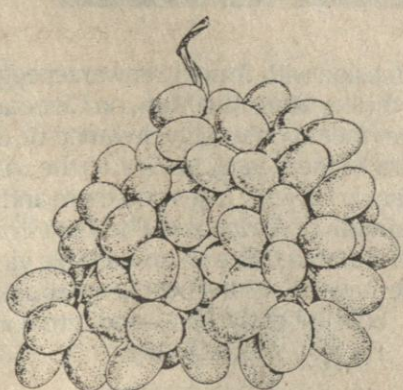
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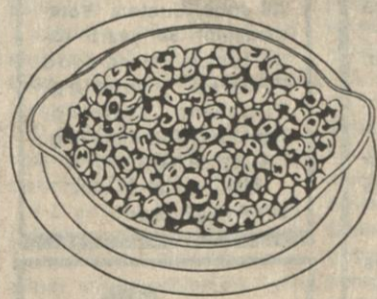
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## Canadian Musician Awarded Grant For Education

When Canadian John Paul Cormier performed with The Sullivan Family at the Booneville Community Center last year, he knew he wanted to return. Why? He wanted to enroll in Northeast Mississippi Community College's Country/Western Music Program, one of only three such programs in the country.

"It took me a year to get back here, but I finally made it," Cormier said.

One of the obstacles in the way of his return was the funds for his education. Booneville attorney Donald Franks heard Cormier perform at the Community Center. When he learned that John Paul wanted to enroll in the Northeast program, he offered to assist him. (Franks is a promoter of country/western music and has been very supportive of the Northeast program.)

Securing the money for college is no longer a concern! Cormier has been awarded a grant of approximately \$20,000 by the Canadian Council to pay for his education. A jury of twelve people made the selection based on recorded and printed music he submitted.

According to Cormier, the grant is for the promotion of talented Canadians. He was the only grant recipient this year. He received the award for his acoustic music and for composition.

A native of Nova Scotia, Cormier came to the United States at age 16 to promote his own album of bluegrass music. While on the United States tour, he met The Sullivan Family, an Alabama gospel group, who needed a mandolin player. He traveled with them for seven months.

Nineteen-year-old Cormier plays a variety of stringed instruments—fiddle, banjo, guitar, dobro, mandolin, acoustic bass and electric bass. He also sings five parts—bass, baritone, lead, tenor and high baritone.

According to Franks, John Paul "struck me as one of the finest pickers I'd ever heard when he performed at the Community Center last year, and I knew we could use him in 'Campus Country'."

Cormier recently won the Mid-Southern Open Fiddle Championship in Eastview, Tennessee, and was named

one of the top "flat pickers" in the United States in competition in Winfield, Kansas. In 1985 he placed first in the Canadian guitar and fiddle championship.

Shirley Taylor, director of Northeast's country/western program and the college's twenty-member performing group "Campus Country", says Cormier is "one of the finest technical players and has one of the best 'ears' of any student I've ever had."

"John Paul has played professionally and has a real style on stage," she added.

"He is so fluent in stringed instruments that he has instructed others in the group," Taylor said.

"Members of the group aren't the least bit jealous of his talent. They just seem to be excited about having someone of his caliber in the group."

Cormier is featured on the banjo and on vocal in Campus Country's bluegrass group. For the contemporary country he plays fiddle, dobro and mandolin.

Other than performing with "Campus Country", Cormier says his favorite thing about Mississippi is the women.

"They're all so beautiful," he said. "I like the weather here, too," he added. He indicated that he would really like to teach at Northeast after he finishes college.

our fatal crashes."

In Mississippi, a blood alcohol content level (BAC) of .10 percent is high enough to charge a driver with driving under the influence. According to Hughes, an average-sized person consuming about four beers in an hour or less could register .10 percent in a BAC test.

The second life-saving recommendation made by Hughes is for everyone in the car to wear seat belts. It is a Mississippi state law that all children under age 2 must be buckled in an approved child restraint device.

"I know of only one accident where a properly restrained child was killed," Hughes said. "I know of several where a properly restrained child was the only one to survive."

He said buckling up is not a law for adults—just good sense.

Other common sense safety tips include driving defensively, always looking ahead and down the road and always being on the alert for drunken or careless drivers.

Travelers can report accidents or suspected drunken drivers by asking the telephone operator to contact the nearest highway patrol station.

"Highway patrol stations do accept collect calls if they are to report accidents or violations," Hughes said. "The caller must give their name and tell the operator the nature of the call, but it will be put through collect."

Holiday travelers, especially those traveling at night, should always inform someone of their expected arrival time and planned travel route.

"Always check car belts, hoses and tires before you start on a long trip," Hughes said. "If you should have trouble on the road, try to get

the vehicle off the road and clear of traffic. Put up the hood, turn on the flashers or do something to let others know you are in trouble."

Hughes said some MHSP officers will be patrolling in cars without the large blue light on top, but these cars will have blue lights in the grill or on the dash and an MHSP decal on the car.

"Any officer pulling cars over the violations or writing tickets will be in uniform," Hughes said.

For drivers in a hurry this year, Hughes warned that speeders will be used to spot speeding or careless drivers, and that 27 state patrol cars, scattered throughout the state, will be equipped with VASCAR units.

These units determine the speed of vehicles without the use of radar, thereby rendering "fuzzbusters" or radar detectors worthless.

If drivers still believe getting there fast is worth the risks, they better add cash to their Christmas wish list.

Hughes said minimum ticket amounts are between \$40 and \$50 with excess speeding tickets costing \$100 or more.

### "First Down Franks"

10 frankfurters  
1/2 cup finely crushed corn chips  
1 cup grated American cheese  
1/2 cup medium onion, chopped  
1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce  
4 tablespoons tomato sauce

Mix corn chips, cheese, onion, Worcestershire and tomato sauce. Split frank lengthwise and fill with the above. Bake at 300 degrees for 20 minutes.

## Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

RE: LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF ROBERT L. SKINNER, DECEASED, PATSY ROSE SKINNER, EXECUTRIX

NO. 10852

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Testamentary upon the estate of Robert L. Skinner, deceased, having been granted on the 21st day of December, 1988, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to the undersigned, Patsy Rose Skinner, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the said estate to present the same to the Clerk of the Court for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, on this the 21 day of December, 1988.

PATSY ROSE SKINNER, EXECUTRIX OF ESTATE OF ROBERT L. SKINNER  
D-29-J-5-12-chg

## Ask Ochsner

Q. What are the general effects of drinking alcohol? With the holiday season approaching, it would be an interesting subject to address from a medical standpoint.

A. Dr. Thomas Feagin, head of the section of community internal medicine at Ochsner Clinic, says that the general effects of drinking alcohol depend on body weight and whether the drinker has or has not eaten while drinking. Drinking alcohol can act as a general anesthetic and reduce inhibitions, but, by just consuming it in small amounts, it will impair your decision-making capabilities.

Based on consumption of a single drink (12 ounces of beer, 4 ounces of dry wine or 1 ounce of hard liquor), and given a person of average size and weight, here is the general effect of drinking:

- 1-2 drinks - a sense of comfort and relaxation.
- 3 drinks - reduced inhibitions and exaggerated behavior.
- 4 drinks - clumsiness and slurring of speech, and nearing the point of legal intoxication.
- 5 drinks - obvious intoxication; drinker will usually fall asleep.
- 7-8 drinks - if consumed quickly enough to raise blood alcohol level to 0.3, death can result from respiratory function failure.

The effects of alcohol on the brain and nervous system include behavioral aggressiveness, mental deterioration, poor judgment and an increased risk for accidents. It is known to contribute to violent behavior, and is responsible for auto, pedestrian and fire fatalities, suicide attempts and child abuse.

If you happen to make it home after a binge of drinking, hangovers are inevitably faced by most party-goers. Dr. Feagin thinks that heavy smoking or exposure to heavy concentrations of tobacco smoke while drinking also contributes to the headache experienced by the person who drinks too much. Time is probably the most reliable hangover remedy. But, Dr. Feagin says taking buffered aspirin and drinking a couple of glasses of water before going to bed would help reduce the hangover effect.

And, of course, if you drink, don't drive!

The first system of writing was invented by the Sumerians in ancient Mesopotamia about 3500 B.C.

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response to the Complaint filed against you in this action to J. Barry Finch, Attorney for Plaintiff, whose address 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 afterward.

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

D-15-22-29-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 Pounds, 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

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D-15-22-29-J-5-chg

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

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## Getting Home Safely

"To be home for the holidays"—that's the wish that tops many Christmas lists, but if being home means traveling by car, it may be a dangerous wish.

Last year, 28 people lost their lives on Mississippi roads during the designated Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year holiday periods. For family and friends of the victims, the dream of Christmas at home turned into a nightmare.

Lt. Col. Billie T. Hughes, assistant chief of patrol with the Mississippi Highway Safety Patrol, said the primary recommendation he makes to travelers is "don't drink and drive."

"We particularly target drunken drivers, not only during the holidays but year-round," Hughes said. "Statistics show they are involved in more than half of

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