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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1990 NO. 28

From Our Entire Staff



Here's hoping good times follow wherever you go. We wish you a Merry Christmas... You've been a pleasure to know!

Sweet

idings To

John H. Biggs, Editor Daisy D. Biggs Charlotte McVay Nancy Hughes Becky Parsons Gene McVay **Cindy Blair Debbie Daugherty** Jane Miller L. D. Daugherty

Public Hearing January 10th

The Mississippi Environmental Quality Permit board will conduct a public hearing in luka on January 10 to explain and hear comments on NASA's application for an air emissions permit to construct the ASRM production facility at Yellow Creek. The hearing is scheduled for 7 p.m. at Howard Auditorium at luka High School. Before the permit is issued, public comment is solicited by the board and considered in the final decision.

The impact of the emissions of air contaminants from the project has been evaluated and the staff of the Permit Board believes that, with proper constraints and limitations on NASA, this project will operate within all state and federal air pollution control laws and standards and will protect public health and welfare. Therefore, the staff of the board has preliminarily decided, based on available information, to recommend to the board that a permit be issued containing numerous regulatory constraints specifically

carbon monoxide, nitrogen oxides, sulfur oxide, volatile organic compounds, hydrocarbons, and hydrogen chloride. Air toxics were considered in the review of the application. NASA has also submitted an application for open burning of waste propellant. However, that application is being reviewed separately and will be the subject of a seperate action.

In addition to commenting at the public hearing, anyone wishing to comment on this project can do so by mailing comments directly to Jay H. Barkley at the Department of Environmental Quality, Office of Pollution Control, P.O. Box 10385, Jackson, Mississippi 39289-0385. Such comments should be submitted as soon as possible, but will be considered as long as they are received on or before January 17.

A copy of the draft permit, permit application, and an information packet are available for review at the **Iuka Public Library on 204 North Main** St. in luka. The material is also available at Hardin County Library in avannah, and the Lauderdale Public

"While Visions of Sugarplums Danced in Their Heads"..... It's probably not sugarplums that little Wezley Whitaker is daydreaming about, but toys, toys, and more toys. Christmas morning is the long-awaited time when all boys and girls experience the thrill of surprises and delights. Wezley is the two-year old son of Linda and Willie Whitaker of Iuka. He is the grandson of Louise Parker and the late W. O. (Joe) Parker; and Howard and Helen Whitaker, all of Iuka. Great Grandmother is Mae Ticer of the Cairo Community.

Journey To Bethlehem Live Christmas Drama

Bro. Gary Carter and Congregation extends a warm welcome to you and your family to watch the Youth of New Salem Baptist Church in their presentation of a LIVE CHRISTMAS DRAMA on Saturday, December 22, and Sunday, December 23, at 7:00 p.m.

Turn east onto Harmony Road (by Sonic) on Highway 25 North and go approximately 61/2 miles, turn right at New Salem Baptist Church sign and 90 ¼ mile. The play will take place in a field on the right side of the road before you get to the church. Dress warmly and come on out and experience the true meaning of Christ-

Blood Mobile To Be In Tishomingo

The United Blood Services Blood Mobile will park at The Tishomingo Apparel (Angelira) plant on Thursday, December 27, from 10 A.M. to 1 P.M. for a special, very important, holiday blood drive. Employees of the plant and residents of Tishomingo are urged to participate. Blood platelets are desperately needed for cancer and leukemia patients during this long holiday week-end.

Please give the most important gift of all "The Gift Of Life!"

U.B.S. expressed their sincere appreciation to Mr. Davis and plant employees for their faithful dedication to the community blood program.

Christmas Play At Eastport Baptist

Eastport Baptist Church will have a Christmas Play at 6 P.M. Sunday night, December 23. Everyone is invited to attend. For the kids Santa Claus will be there. Pastor Ellis Floyd.

Christmas Cantata

We at Yellow Creek Baptist Church are having our Christmas Cantata, Sunday, December 23, at 11:00 a.m. The Cantata this year is Church, Family Christmas. The adults, Junior and Childrens Choir will do this Cantata. Everyone is welcome. Have a Very Merry Christmas.

Holiday Closings

The Tishomingo County News office will be closed December 24 and 25 for the Christmas holidays. All ads or news items for the December 27 issue should be submitted on Friday, December 21, or early Wednesday December 26. The office will also close January 1, New Years Day.

Other local closings are: all offices in the Tishomingo County Courthouse, closed December 24 and 25; luka City Hall, closed December 24 and 25, and January 1; luka Public Library - closed December 24 - 26, and January 1; luka Guaranty Bank closed December 25-26 and January 1; First American National Bank closed December 25 - 26 and January 1: SouthBank - closed December 25-26 and January 1; The Peoples Bank close at 1 p.m. on December 24. closed Christmas Day and January 1.

Homecoming at First Baptist Of Belmont

The First Baptist Church of Belmont, will be having homecoming Sunday, December 23. Friends and all former members are welcome. Services begins at 10:30 a.m.Lunch and fellowship will follow.

Notice

The Eastport Millcreek Volunteer Fire Department will meet Thursday, December 27, at 7:00 p.m. All member need to be present.

Billy Joe Yarber

A special 1990 Christmas edition is included in this issue of the **Tishomingo County News.**

The section contains pages of special Christmas greetings and messages sent by individuals and businesses to readers in Tishomingo County and the surrounding areas.

Listed below are those sending holiday greetings your way:

luka Guaranty Bank, Mann's Texaco #4, Daugherty Refrigeration, Kirk's Tire Store, Bet's Family Restaurant, Sanderson Plumbing & Heating, Raceway Mini Mart, Dale's Cycle Shop, Chuckwagon, Sears Merchant, Carpet's Plus, Murrah's TV Sales & Service, State Farm Ins.-**Donnie Brown, Fashion Flair Beauty** Salon, McBride's Garden Center, Virginia's Beauty Shop.

The Clothes Cottage, luka Animal Clinic, Nelson's Supermarket, The Style Shop, Weather's Body Shop, The Corner Barber Shop, Curtis Drugs, Jone's Lumber Co., Farm Bureau Ins., The Balloon Gallery, Mid-Town Jewelry, Four Seasons Tanning Salon, Nick, Adrienne & Casey Phillips, Wal-Mart, Moore's Body Shop, The Country Cupboard, Dr. Phillip Gray-family & Staff, Deposit Guaranty.

Ludium Funeral Home, Segars **Clinic, Ripley Industries, Tennessee** River Pulp & Paper, Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Sanchez, Friendly Florist, Mid-South Drapery, Tishomingo County Circuit Court Clerk, McNatt Ford, **Tishomingo County Chancery Clerk**, City Of Burnsville, Milligan Ready Mix, Sweeny's Auto, Fashion Flare Beauty Salon, Shelia's Beauty Salon. Williams Pest Control, Carpet's Unlimited, Cutshall Funeral Home, The Tishomingo Shoe Co., D. B. Johnson Construction Co., luka Flower Shop, Mr. & Mrs. Mack L. Wadkins, Mira's Boutique, Page Motors, Alusisse Flexible Packaging, David Nichols-CPA, Styles-Unlimited. J. C. Jourdan Lumber Co.,

Tishomingo County Electric Power Association, Bonds Company, Inc., Tishomingo Board of Supervisors, Super B. Drugs, J. C. Lambert & Sons, Wilson's Discount Jeans, Jone's Pool Co., Tishomingo County Sheriff's Department, Coca Cola Company.

luka Monument Co., Horace Ledgewood, First American National Bank, State Farm Ins.-Harold Lomenick, Brown's Ins. Agency, Belue's Exxon, CM + Construction, Mathis Printing Co., Dr. George Barnes & Family, Parson's Truck Parts & Garage, luka Hardware & Employees, Bill Wheeler, Jack's Hamburgers, Richard, Cheryl, & Nathenial Clark.

People's Bank, The Video Shack & Family One-Hour Photo, City Fianance, Moore's Jewelry, luka Hospital & Nursing Facility, Discount Drugs & House of Fashion, Lisa's Framing & Stitching, Ables Real Estate, Grace Long Real Estate Company, Dailey's **Body Shop & Wrecker Service, Action** Motors, New Orleans Famous Fried Chicken, Town Of Tishomingo, Sonic Drive-In, ASRM Team.

Quality Clothing & Screen Printing, Irwin B. Schwabe, Jerry's Small Engine, Family Outlet, Hopkin's Chevron, Stephen H. Blair, D.M.D. & Staff, Southern Air Comfort, Daisy & Johnny Biggs - Charlotte, Jimmy & Jessica Haley McVay, Dr. Kenneth Draper & Staff at the luka Clinic, Dr. Joe Barlow, S & S Satellite, WOCO, City of luka.

Country Squire, Western Auto, J. A. Tucker Furniture, P.O. Beard Agency, Paul D. Callens Real Estate, Kiddie Land, Sports Plus, The Bob Wimbish Family.

Christmas Program

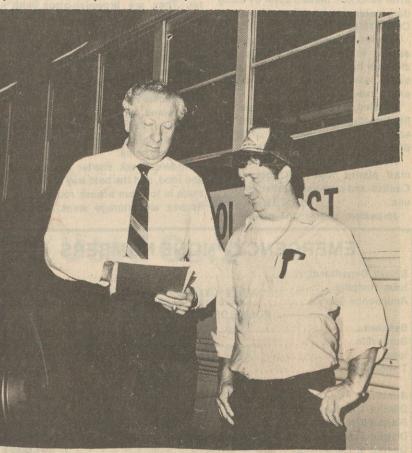
The First Baptist Church, in Burnsville, will have a Christmas program on Sunday, December 23, at 5:30 p.m. The public is invited to come and join us in this special Christmas celebration.

stated in the draft permit.

The applicant's proposed operation will consist of processes and emission facilities for the casting and curing of solid propellant. Emissions or air pollutants associated with manufacturing operations include particulate matter,

Library in Florence.

Additional information or questions concerning the permit application may be directed to Jay Barkley at the above address or telephone (601) 961-5171.



Tansportation For Servicemen.....

The luka School District will furnish transportation for local members of the National Guard's 155th Armored Brigade stationed at Camp Shelby near Hattiesburg to come home for Christmas. Several school buses will leave luka Sunday, December 23, at 9 a.m. and return with the guardsmen late that evening. The buses will then be used on December 26 to transport the guardsmen back to active duty. Company C, the local unit, was called to service on December 7. Several school drivers are donating part of their holiday to drive the buses, said luka School Superintendent Dr. Jerry Stone. Stone (left) and Charles Maxwell, school mechanic, look over a checklist in preparing the vehicles for the trip.



Open House at Old Courthouse

The Tishomingo County Development Foundation and the Old Courthouse Museum will have a Christmas Open House, today, Thursday, December 20, from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. The public is invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

Page 2 Thursday, December 20, 1990



Shawn Yarber (left) has just presented Mr. Harvey Pendergrast, (president) of the Burnsville area Chamber of Commerce, with some 150 or more toys for distribution to the less fortunate children at Christmas.'

Shawn selected cleaning and refinishing toys as his Eagle Project in Scouting. He hopes to make Christmas more joyful for the

children of this area. He wishes to thank the boys who helped him clean the toys.

Also he thanks the people of Piggly Wiggly in luka and B & J in Burnsville for their contribution and help in making this effort a big success.

Shawn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby L. Yarber and a Boy Scout in Troop 75 of Burnsville with Duane Hamm as Scout Master.



(Left to Right) Mark Hinton, Tommy Bonds, Shawn Yarber, Brien Sharp,

County Agents Column By Wm. M. Hopper

POINSETTIAS YEAR-ROUND

Poinsettias are beautiful to give and receive each Christmas. With proper care and good cultural practices, these festive plants can be kept year-round to bloom every Christmas.

Let the soil in the pot dry, but don't let the stem shrivel. Keep the plant in a warm area as it becomes semidormant. When the danger of frost is gone in early spring, re-pot the poinsettia and place it outdoors.

Keep the plant moist and wellfertilized during spring and summer. When cooler weather arrives in fall, move the plant back indoors. Put it in an area where it will get good sunlight

Troop 75 who helped with Shawn's project.

Kevin Hinton and Jason Hamm of

prized for their bright red berries. Those berries -- and other parts of the plant -- contain a poisonous substan-

Azalea plants have toxic leaves. twigs, flowers and pollen grains. Mistletoe and holly berries also contain poisonous materials. Keep these plants out of reach from young children and pets. **COLD WEATHER PESTS**

Silverfish. firebrats and cockroaches are more noticeable in homes when cold weather settles in. They are also bothersome because they carry germs, breed and hide.

Control these pests with a spray containing Diazinon, Dursban or Malathion. Spray closet, cabinets, walls, storage rooms, bookcases and fireplace areas. Remove dishes, towels, clothing and food before spraying to avoid contamination. Boxelder insects are another pest attracted to the indoors during winter. They are brownish-black with long red stripes on the throat. And while these insects won't harm clothing, food or structures, they do leave excrement and produce a foul smell if mashed.



A Big Leaf - Among the mustard greens raised by Mrs. Franklin Javnes of Rt. 1, luka, was this leaf, 15 inches by 24 inches in size. This year's garden was the first ever planted by Mrs. Javnes.

1 c. cocoa

1/2 c. instant coffee powder

Combine all ingredients, and mix

well. Store mix in an airtight con-

tainer. To serve, place 2 tablespoons

mix in a cup. Add 1 cup boiling water,

and stir well. Top with a marshmallow

or whipped cream, if desired. Yield:

ORANGE REFRESHER MIX

or enough for 55 cups of Orange

refresher. To use, add 2 - 3 t. mix to 1

SPICED TEA

cup hot water. stir to dissolve.

enough for about 60 (8 oz.) servings.

2 c. powdered orange drink mix

1 (3 oz.) package presweetened

powdered lemonade mix

1 1/3 c. sugar

1 t. cinnamon

1 1-lb. jar tang

3/4 v. instant tea

1 t. ground cloves

2 c. sugar

1 pkg. lemonade mix

1/2 t. ground cloves

baits and traps can also help.

Remember that young children put things in their mouths and they also touch what interests them. Follow directions on the label when using baits and traps

WATCHING THE SCALES

Scales infestations on fruit trees and ornamental shrubs should be controlled when the trees and shrubs are dormant -- after leaves have dropped and before buds begin to swell.

Two applications of a dormant oil may be necessary at least one week and not more than 10 days apart to control these pests. Complete coverage of limbs and trunks is necessary for good control.

Chatting With Your Home Economist

By Nellie R. Horton "CHRISTMAS"

The Holiday Season is here! This should be a season of happiness and hospitality. Many times it's a challenge to plan your holiday time in order to cope with the many types of holiday get-togethers.

I do hope you are planning time to enjoy your family and friends during this special time of year.

My wish for you is that the "Holiday Season" will be one of joy and happiness for you and your family.

> **BEVERAGE MIXES** HOT CHOCOLATE MIX

1 (8 gt.) pkg. instant nonfat dry milk 1 (6 oz.) jar powdered creamer 2 c. powdered sugar

1 (16 oz) can instant chocolate drink mix.

Combine in large bowl. Mix well. Put in large air-tight container. Makes

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cover tightly. Place 2 teaspoons in cup in boiling water to serve. Yield: 30 servings.

GIFT IDEAS FROM BEVERAGE MIXES For gift giving, place hot chocolate mix or hot mocha mix in a small coffee pot or in a large mug. You might put the spice tea mix or the orange refresher mix in a small teapot or a pretty glass jar. For a special gift, fill small plastic bags with each of the beverage mixes and place in 4 mugs on a mug tree.

4-H Communications By: Mary Cox

HAVE A SAFE & HAPPY HOLIDAY With Christmas just five days away, now is the time we are going over our lists and checking them twice, to be sure we've completed all of our shopping and baking for gifts. I hope that each of you can take the time to reflect on this past year and the goals you have reached and perhaps the progress you've made toward other goals.

Remember those who may be far from family and friends. Try to include them in your holiday celebrations. Fast approaching, remember that you are not the only one with deadlines to make and budgets to meet. Try to treat others around you in a way you would like to be treated. Remember family members that may not be close and give them a phone call. Just hearing a voice can help you get over the Holiday Blues, especially if you're

away from family. Do you remember the Highway Safety Slogan a few years back "Arrive Alive"? So often joyous occasions turn into tragedies because of carelessness while traveling.

Here are a few safety tips for being on the road: *Get plenty of rest before you start.

*Stop for ten minutes after every two hours of driving. *Be aware of changing weather con-

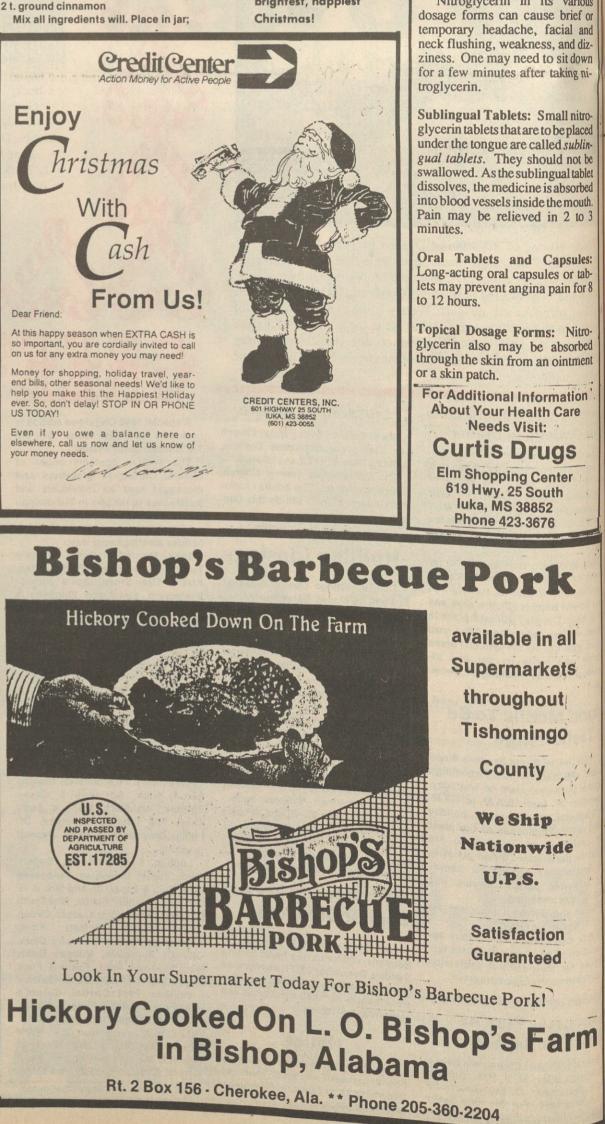
ditions, and plan time for possible Combine all ingredients in a medium bowl. Mix well. Put in airtight delays *Do not drink and drive and avoid container. Makes about 31/2 cups mix

riding with a person who has been drinking. *Select a desigated driver for that

special celebration.

I hope everyone has a safe and happy holiday and a wonderful new year.

> May this be your brightest, happiest





killed this 9-point deer on Thursday December 13. The kill weighed in . 134 lbs.

Mt. Gilead Homemakers **Celebrates** Christmas

Martys Restaurant in Corinth wa the scene of the Mount Gilean Homemakers Club Christmas Park December 13, 1990.

After enjoying a delicious meal, the members went to the home of Mrs Mattie Faye Woodruff where secret pals were revealed and Christmas oil ts exchanged.

After an hour of fellowship the members wished each one a Meny Christmas and a Happy New Year and departed their separate ways.

May the love of the Christ Child bless your Christmas and all the dave ahead

Pharmacy & Your Health

Nitroglycerin Relieves **Angina** Pain

Nitroglycerin is a blood vessel dilator medicine that is used to prevent and/or reduce the severity of discomfort and pain associated with angina pectoris. Angina is thought to be caused by an insufficient flow of blood through the vessels of the heart. Nitroglycerin relieves chest pain by relaxing the muscles that surround the blood vessels in the heart, thus allowing more blood and oxygen to reach the heart.

Nitroglycerin in its various

during the day and a temperature no lower than 60 degrees at night.

From mid-September until blooming time in late November, protect the poinsettia from stray light after sundown. Make a cover by using dark material or a cardboard box. **CHRISTMAS STORIES**

Stories circulate each holiday season in Tishomingo County that children have died from eating poinsettia leaves. Those stories simply aren't true.

If eaten, poinsettia leaves are not life-threatening. They shouldn't be eaten, of course, because some individuals could be allergic to them.

However, there are several Christmas plants that are poisonous. Caution and care are required in their use.

Jerusalem cherry pot plants are

Control boxelders with Diazinon or Malathion

Rats and mice can be pests yearround, but like other house invaders, they get noticed when it's cold and people are home.

Rodents seek shelter for warmth and food, and the best way to control them is to close access routes into houses and storage areas. Special

EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS

Shariff Department	100 0105
Sheriff Department	
luka Hospital	
Ambulance Service	423-5766
POLICE DEPARTMENTS	
Belmont	454-3381
Burnsville	427-9526
luka	423-6340
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FIRE DEPARTMENTS	
Burnsville Fire Department	423-1862
District 1, Coleman Park	423-1862
District 2, N. Crossroads	
District 3, Midway	
District 4, Tishomingo	423-1862
District 5, Belmont	423-1862
luka	
Miss. Forestry Service, Woodall Tower.	
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DRUG AND ALCOHOL ABUSE.	402 2220
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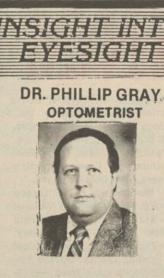
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Mail Rates Tishomingo and Adjoining Counties \$10.00 per year Other Areas \$15.00 per year about 17 cups of mix (100 cups hot chocolate). To use, add 3 t. of hot chocolate mix to 1 cup hot water. Stir to dissolve.

HOT MOCAH MIX 2 c. sugar

2 c. instant nonfat dry milk 2 c. nondairy creame



CAUSES OF EYESTRAIN

There is a collection of symptoms that people lump under the term "eyestrain." This includes tiring of eyes when reading, a tight or pulling sensation around the brows, and a general feeling of fatigue centered in the eyes.

Most often eyestrain simply indicates that an individual has reached his or her threshold of eye use and is ready for a rest. Your eyes do have limits, and the limits vary from person to person. By and large, you must live with this, but there are some common-sense measures you can take to maximize the amount of time you can read or use your eyes intensely before tiring. Getting enough sleep is important, as is a good diet. Good lighting can help, and so can taking a break from time to time.

If you do find that your eyes are getting tired more often and more easily, however, visit your optometrist. He or she can rule out muscle imbalance or the need for glasses -- or prescribe them if necessary.

Dr. Phillip Gray 105 S. Fulton St., luka Phone 423-3785



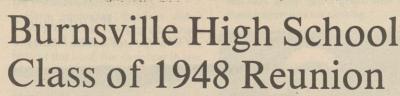
Gene's Photography

.. always means

Message From Camp Shelby

Members of the 3rd Platoon - Compnay C - Iuka, sent the news office a beautiful Christmas Card and wished to share this message with their families and friends.

Thinking of special blessings Thinking of our far at Christmas ... Thinking of our far during the Holiday



BURNSVILLE REUNION -- The Burnsville High School Class of 1948 held a 42- year reunion on Saturday, November 24, at the Holiday Inn in Corinth. Sixteen graduates attended the reunion, and a good time of fellowship was enjoyed. The class plans to gather again in 1993. Front row, (I to r), are Euda Lewis, Thelma Moore Hawkins, Mazie Borden King, Moise Bullard Johnson, Ercell Woodley Karch, Maxine Smith Allen, and Waunell Marlar Loving. Back row

(I to r) Bill Coker, Laverne Kennedy Buchanan, Charles Honeycutt, Dewey Linton, Johnny Biggs, James A. Woodley, James Blakney, V.W. Grisham, and Ann Gordon. Two members of the class are deceased: Estel South and Billy Glenn, Others unable to attend the reunion were W. T. Whitaker, Sherrell White, Eugenia Bonds Vampit, Bobbie Sue Bobo Craney, Lois Scruggs Barnes, Florence Jones Shields, and Dorothy Hall Wills

Letters To Santa

Dear Santa.

Dear Santa,

I have been good. I want a nintendo and I want a ninja turtle sword and I want a wrestling tape.

Dear Santa Claus, I have been a very good girl. For

eat and I want lots of surprises. And

make this a happy Christmas for all.

Christmas I want a Barbie doll. I want I love Santa

Cressie Dear Santa, For Christmas I want a doll house and a baby uh oh and a baby that can

girl.

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Dear Santa,

I forgot to tell you I want some snake skin boots and I forgot to tell you I love you. The end. **Daniel Davis**

Dear Santa.

I want a baby uh oh and I want a gocart and I want a lot of presents.

Connie Faye Borden Dear Santa Claus, For Christmas I want a radio and a baby. Her name is baby uh oh that

wets her diaper and a Barbie doll, she is a ice skater and that is all.

Santa. Here is what I want for Christmas. I want a ninja turtle pizza thrower and Santa I want some clothes and I want ninja turtle clothes and bring me Santa Leonardo and bring me Santa donatello and bring me Santa Michaelangelo. Bring me Santa the ninja turtle van, bring me Santa the whole ninja turtle city.

Alan Reid Cutshall Dear Santa,

I want a bird for Christmas. Santa I been so good.

Lindsey Timbes Dear Santa Claus,

I want a play stove for Christmas. I have been good, **Connie Faye Borden**

Dear Santa Claus.

I want some presents and a bow and arrow and I have been good. The End.

Dear Santa, I would like to have a Barbie Doll Set with a car, pool, house, and Ken

the man Barbie Doll and the other Barbie dolls. I will leave you some milk and cookies on the table, so you will have

something to eat and also bring me lots of surprises. Thank you Santa

and I love you Santa, Love, Becky Puckett Dear Santa,

My name is Valerie Blair, and I am 2 years old. I am sort of scared of you, Santa, but I still want you to come to my nouse, when I'm asleep. Please bring me a baby doll and some books and a puzzle.

Love. Valerie

If you are real and have magic, I want to see you bring my Dad home without being hurt!!!!!

Samantha Whitaker

Dear Santa.

Emily

Kevin

Santa.

How is it going up at the North Pole? Well, fine down here at Tishomingo. But what I want for Christmas is a skooter and a remote control car. And don't forget I will leave you some cookies and milk on the table.

Love. Joshua Craig Ryan

Dear Santa, I want a Donatello with storage shell, a set of army men, a model airplane, a skateboard, and a Merry Christmas.

Love. **Steven McCallus**

Dear Santa, I want a truck and a play car and a Mr. Hammer suite and a Ninja turtle

and some clothes and a color T.V. and a nintendo game. Love.

Craig

Dear Santa,

I want a bike, two new doll suits, a tape, a head set, doll diapers, a purple turtleneck, a western fun Barbie and van, and a mauve colored bean bag, and one think I need is some dress shoes. I have been very, very good this year!

Love, **Amy Deaton**



Neal Dear Santa Claus.

I want a real bow and arrow and some presents and I have been good and I want some goodies.

Kevin I want dolls for me and Nat and T.J.

and a playhouse for me and Nat and T.J. I want a pink kimr, a black kimr, and a blue kimr. I have been a good Annie

a kite.

thinking of you! Mary chistones + stores abor ye End Platon Company C, 1/1982 Cumon (Steel on Steel) Have a Joy-filled Christmas

E. Carter Randy about Sean & Meets Timotay c. Poole Dani J. Hall

of our families and peiends Holiday Season. God Bless you

Hwy. 25 South

MCNATT FORD

April Park

Iuka, MS

Pre-Christmas Sale! All Inventory Reduced!! **Remaining 90's Must Go Before January 1st!**

\$0 Down! Save Now! 2-1990 F150's - Auto or 5 Spd. 3-1990 Festiva - Auto, or 4 Spd.. 2-1990 Taurus G.L ... 3-1990 Tempos

Santa Comes Early With These Specials On Used Cars

87 Town Car - Signature Series - REDUCED	\$7995.00
87 Escort Wagon - Auto, One Owner - REDUCED	\$3495.00
86 Taurus Wagon - Biege - REDUCED	\$4900.00
90 Aerostar - PW, PB, Extended Length - REDUCED	\$12900.00
87 Dodge Dakota 4x4, Auto - REDUCED	
88 Pontiac 6000 - V6, Blue - REDUCED	\$6990.00

PLUS

89 Mustang - Moonroof, Auto	90 Club Wagon
85 Crown Victoria · Local, One Owner.	86 Bronco - 4x4
87 Chrysler LeBaron, Local Car	90 Topaz - Like New



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Happy Birthday!

What a wonderful Christmas! Only seventeen short years ago. December 25, 1973



Happy 24th Anniversary! December 24th

> We love you, Lisa, Priscilla, Greg and Penny



Happy 29th Anniversary to Doris and Jimmy

> Hope you have many more happy years together! Love and Best Wishes, Mom and Dad and MeMaw





Happy 1st Anniversary To Lisa and Alan Latch December 23rd We Wish You Many More Happy Years With Love. Mom, Dad and Joe Nanny, PaPaw, MeMa



Twas two weeks before Christmas and all through the courthouse Not a creature was stirring not even a mouse.

The trees were sitting in UNO WOULDI LACANthe corner all bare in hopes that Mrs. Thorne and her students soon would be there.

I at my desk, Mr. Wadkins on the phone, Mrs. Cutshall in her office was typing all alone.

When at the front door there

They said, "My, those are the

I said, "Thank you, they were

donated by Mr. Dewitt Bean."

The students had strung popcorn

Shane Kramer and Trey Cutshall.

They all worked hard and had

Mrs. Thorne, the students,

All did a great job making

and Mr. and Mrs. Harrelson.

prettiest cedar trees we've every seen."

and cranberries on a line. Which they wrapped

I replied, "It was done by Troop 26 Boy Scouts...

ornaments for the tree, paper dolls and snowflakes

around the trees while having a big old time.

"How," they ask "did you get these big

see what was the matter. When what to my wondering

arose such a clatter I sprang from my desk to

eyes should appear? Mrs. Thorne and her students

full of good cheer!

trees in the hall?"

an awful lot of fun,

Happy 18th Birthday Beth! December 23rd

Mobi



Guess who's cooking Christmas Dinner? Happy Birthday! December 26th We love ya!! David, Marecia, Stephen, Gina, and Grandchildren



Guess Who? Happy Birthday Pops! December 22nd Love. Charles Jr.



Happy Anniversary December 22nd 12 Wonderful Years Love,

Wayne



Happy 20th Birthday Eagle

Love, Mom



BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT...Jonica Brook was born November 30, 1990, at Magnolia Hospital. She weighed 8 Ib. 11 oz. She was welcome home by her brother Jason. She is the daughter of John and Joyce Heavener. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Willie Thacker of Burnsville, Chestine Lambert of luka and Clarence Heavener of Hardwick, Georgia.

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for duty at the Naval Submarine School in Groton CT. Here he will receive instruction in computer technology in order to become a sonar technician aboard a submarine. Chris is the son of Gerry and Kathy Austin of Rt. 2 Burnsville, MS. He is a 1990 graduate of Burnsville High

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IN SERVICE...U.S. Navy Seaman Christopher A. Austin has completed Basic Training at the Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, III. While stationed at Great Lakes, he had the opportunity to sing with the Navy Choir. An elite group that performed at various Navel functions. After completing training he was promoted to his current rank of E-3. After spending a few days at home, he reported School and joined the Navy in Sep-

by the Girl Scouts and children at luka Elementary. The wreaths and poinsettas look great as into the building you enter, tember, 1990. Thanks to Friendly Florist,

luka Flower Shop, and McBrides Garden Center. Everyone loved all the old fashioned toys The girls liked Miss Willie Hiett's Dolls (from luka Baptist Church) and the iron trucks from Mr. Ed Beck were enjoyed

For the candy canes we would like to thank, All the nice folks at luka Guaranty Bank. luka Police got our misteltoe, and on the Christmas trees hang little red bows.

Mrs. Thorne, like a mother Hen gathering her chicks She said, "Let's go people! Quick! Quick! Quick!

So everyone left, It was all done. I was sure happy, that we all had fun. And I heard them exclaim as they walked out the door, We'll come back and do more."

So now at the Old Courthouse All is calm and ready to view,

Please come to our Christmas Open House Thursday Evening, December 20, from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

We can't wait to see you!

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Marie's Hamburgers Closes After 19 Years

When Marie Philbin opened Marie's Snack Bar in downtown luka almost 19 years ago, she served hamburgers off the grill for only ten cents apiece.

This Saturday will be her last day to open the door of the well-known cafe on Front St. Marie will turn off her grill for good when the last customer leaves on December 22.

Although she is ready to retire from cooking and running the business in the crowded, one-room building, Marie says she will miss her customers.

"This is like a second home for me, since I've been here so long," she said. "I've made many friends, and we're kind of like one big family."

Since January of 1972, from Monday through Saturday (excluding Thursday and Sunday), Marie has heated the grill for early morning customers wanting eggs, sausage, grilled cheese, or "Whatever they'd like me to fix." By mid-morning, the usual lunch crowd is ordering, and Marie hovers over the grill, preparing famous hamburgers, her cheeseburgers, hot dogs, and other specialties. Coffee, sweet rolls, snacks and soft drinks are available anytime for drop-ins stopping by to

chat or share some news

"This is probably the information center of the town," Marie said with a smile. "We always hear plenty of gossip and all the happenings."

Getting to know people has been part of the job, Marie said, since she has always chatted with her customers over the counter as she cooks.

"I gues I've learned what everybody likes when they come by," she said. It's customary to hear "fix me two just like I like them" from the regulars, Marie's husband Dexter (Deck) added.

Sounds of laughter and goodnatured talk can usually be heard from Marie's door. Some friends wave or yell a friendly hello as they pass by. A collection of photographs on the walls of the cafe contains dozens of snapshots of some of Marie's friends -- city officials, deliverymen, regular customers, and visitors who stop in to sample her cooking.

The little building, furnished with several stools and a couple of tables against the wall, dates back to the 1950s when it was a cab stand operated by Tom Akers. The late Clarence Edmondson and his wife

Della put in the snack bar and ran it for 17 years. After that, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy James were proprietors of the snackbar. Ann Johnson, Marie's sister, assumed ownership of the cafe for 31/2 years until 1972, when the Philbins became owners.

Marie confesses that she didn't know a lot about running a business when she started out, but with the help of the Lord, her daughter-in-law, who worked with her for a while, and her husband, she developed a "real good little business."

luka is home for the Philbins, but after Dexter joined the U.S. Air Force in 1951, the family spent the next 20 years moving here and there before returning home. The couple has four children: Barbara lives in Dallas, Texas, Janet lives in Jackson, MS., Michael lives in Atlanta, and Stephen lives at home. Marie speaks proudly of her four grandchildren -- three girls and a boy.

Marie is unsure of her long-term plans after she closes the door of the snack bar and switches the wooden pineapple sign to read CLOSED for the last time Saturday afternoon. One thing is certain, however: she leaves Sunday for a relaxing Christmas holiday in Texas with her daughter and grandchildren.

New Arrival

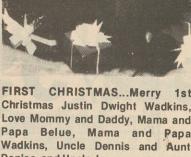
William and Debbie Westerfield of luka announce the birth of a daughter, Jessica Madelaine, on November 16, 1990, at North Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo. The little girl arrived at 12:07 p.m. weighing 8 lbs. 11 ounces and measuring 21 inches.

Proud grandparents are Bob and Carolyn Ruff of Brandon and Paul and Louise Westerfield of Jackson, MS.

Harmony Club **Christmas** Partu

2 Years Old -December 11, 1990.. Benjamin Patrick Phifer celebrated his second birthday with a party on December 8. Those celebrating with Benji were his parents, Benny and Sheila Phifer, his brother - Brandon Blythe, his grandparents · Bobby and Linda Phifer and Tulon Rast, his great grandma's · Angie Aldridge, Lucille Phifer, and Lessell Hudson, his uncle J.T. Rast and his great aunt and cousin Kay and Mikey Patrick and his friends - Shelaina, Jerad and Bentley

McClain. Benji had a great time and thanks everyone for coming.



away prizes.

Annie Mae

Supply

Helen Brock, sweat shirt from 1/2 price store.

Hurbert Taylor, haircut from Sis'. Perry Brown, \$20.00 gift from Penny Pincher.

Brent Pennington, drop light from Tish. Auto Part.

Lanelle Young, Apples from Poman's Produce.

Delenda Crane, \$10.00 gas from Nell's Mkt.

Maurice Walden, buffet lunch from Lucy's

Barbara Oaks, oil change from Jackson Gulf.

Wanda Durham, \$10.00 gift certificate from Denson's.

Pam Bates, Paul Mitchel Set from gerry's.

Peggy Page, G.E. Clock from Gatlin's.1/4

Myra Dean, blood pressure kit from Dr. Butler.

Imogene Hamilton, \$30.00 gas from Hopkins.

Peggy Hill and Helen Warner, \$25.00 cash from Mid South and Heil Co.

Leucia Anderson, skil saw from Fairless.

Pat Green, coin set from 1st American.

Linda Pruitt, 10 free movies from Joe Video. Terry Phifer, silver dollar from

Tishomingo Bank. Joan Walden, \$100.00 groceries

from Sunflower.

NEMCC Sets Evening College Registration

Northeast Mississippi Community College will conduct registration for spring semester evening classes on Thursday, January 8 at 6:00 p.m. in Patterson Hall.

Evening classes at all locations begin Monday, January 14.

Registration fees are \$30.00 per semester hour plus a \$15.00 registration fee.

Approximately thirty courses will be offered on the Booneville Campus.

Northeast's Extension Center in Corinth will offer approximately fifteen courses, and English Composition II will be taught at the Tishomingo County Vo-Tech Center.

Students unable to register January 3 may do so at Northeast's Office of Continuing Education from 8:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays and from 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. on Fridays. Registration will be open until Thursday, January 22, at 4:30 p.m.

For additional information, contact the Office of Continuing Education at 728-7751, extention 296





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The Extension Harmony Homemakers Club met for their Christmas Party on December 17, 1990 in the lovely home of Becky and Earl Walker.

Becky opened the meeting by giving the thought for the month, "All of us are born for a reason, but all of us don't discover why. Success in life has nothing to do with what you gain in life or accomplish for yourself. It's what you do for others."

Becky gave a reading, "A Christmas Pageant." Also ten things we could do to help others and ourselves to help make Christmas more meaningful. Each member was asked to tell the worst disappointed Christmas we had ever experienced. Then she read an article on a disappointment at Christmas.

Secret Pal gifts were opened and secret pals revealed. Names were drawn for next year.

Every member was present except one inactive member who is ill and couldn't attend. A box of gifts from the members was fixed for her and Joyce Robertson will deliver it to her. Julie Walker was our guest and ser-

ved as Santa.

Everyone gathered around the piano and sang a number of Christmas Carols, after which delicious refreshments were served.

The meeting adjourned with the January meeting to be with Marquita Greenaway.









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Greg, Kim, Todd, Corey and Aaron

The Hawn Family Says Goodbye to Iuka

Greg and I would like to take this time to say a special thank you to our friends at Fifth Street Baptist, to the luka School District, and to the community for your kindness and generosity to us during our last two and a half years here in luka. We have enjoyed the opportunity to work with the youth and we will miss them very much. There are so many of you that have become such a special part of our lives, we want you to know that we have many precious memories to take with us. We love you and our prayer, as we leave is that God will bless and keep you until we meet again.

Mattie B. Shelton

Mattie B. Shelton, 82, died Friday at the Helen Keller Hospital in Sheffield. She was a member of the St. Peter's No. 2 MB Baptist Church and a homemaker.

Services were at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the St. Peter's No. 2 MB Baptist Church with the Rev. Jonathan Temple officiating. Burial was in the Carter's Branch Cemetery. Deaton Funeral Home of Belmont was in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include one daughter, Bertha Allen of Sheffield; one son, O.T. Luster of Cherokee, AL.; one sister, Flossie Anderson of Flint, Mich.; 18 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Floyd Brock, Louis Brock, Thruman Brock, Johnnie Brock, Leonard Brock and Truman Southward.

Riley James Pirtle

Riley James Pirtle, 62, died Monday December 17, at his residence. He was service manager for BEA Stable Company. He was a veteran, 32nd Degree Mason and a member of the New Lebanon Freewill Baptist Churin the Barton Cemetery. Morrison Funeral Home of Tuscumbia was in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include her husband, James L. Jackson of Tuscumbia; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Narmore of Tuscumbia; one daughter, Pam Byram of luka; one sister, Martha Daniel of Memphis; two grandchildren

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Hulcy McManus

Hulcy McManus, 65, died Sunday December 16, 1990 at the luka Hospital. He was a Baptist.

Services were at 1 p.m. Tuesday at the Ludlam's Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bill Hobson, the Rev. Doug Christy and the Rev. Greg Hawn officiating. Burial was in the Memorial Gardens.

Survivors include his wife, Oralee McManus; his mother, Johnnie Mc-Manus; one daughter, Brenda Frazier; two sister, Grace Monroe, all of luka and Eileen Hamilton of Pensacola, Fla

Pallbearers were David Edwards, Jerry South, Luther Davis, Jim Robinson, Billy Lambert and Thomas Kay.

Honorary Pallbearers were Gaylon Lovelace, Eddie Woodruff and Howard Faulk.

Stony P. Skinner Stony Paul Skinner, 76, died Thur-

sday, December 13, 1990, at the North Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo. He was a mason and a retired employee of the Memphis Transit Company

Services were at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Gene Gilbert officiating. Burial was in the Bishop Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Artie Skinner; three sons, Billy Paul Skinner, Bobby Skinner and Jerry Skinner, all of luka; three sisters, Violet Brumley of Jackson, La., Flora Dees and Veneda Nicholson, both of luka; two brothers, Ferrell Skinner and Charles Skinner, both of luka; 8 grandchildren and seven greatgrandchildren.

Service Mens Notice

The Veterans Service Office of Tishomingo County is trying to make up a list of Vietnam Veterans. I need to know the name, service number, dates of service and branch of ser vice. Information of deceased Veterans must also indicate the date of death, if killed in action or missing in action. Please mail the above information to: Veterans Service Office, 1008 Hwy 25 South, Courthouse Room 211, luka, MS 38852.

Mirtie V. Watkins

Funeral services were held November 20, for Mirtie V. Watkins 87, at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel.

California from a lingering illness. She was a Baptist. She lived most of her life in luka, MS. In her last years she lived with her daughter in Californial. Her husband Henry Watkins preceded her in death in 1944.

She leaves two daughter, Mamie Barrett, Juka, Marie Walls, Fresno, California; one son , Oscar Walker, Hodges, AL.; two sisters, Millie Bobo, Cherokee, Al. and Alfa Mae Rast, luka; 6 grandchildren, 4 great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Lance Inlow, Monroe Rast, Dan Murphy, Roger Dale Barrett and Mack Wilemon.

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Services were at 3 p.m. Wednesday at the New Lebanon Freewill Baptist Church with the Rev. Gene Gilbert. the Rev. D.W. Jones and Brenda Duncan officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. Salts Funeral Home was in charge of arrangemnets.

Survivors include his wife, Dimple Pirtle of Booneville; one daughter, Brenda Gil Feltman of Paducah, Ken.; one son, Terry Pirtle of Booneville; four sisters, Lorene Whaley of Augusta, GA., Mary Lou Slack of Jackson, AL., Ella Mae Gasaway and Ruth Hutchens of Tuscumbia, AL.; one half brother, Lester Nunley of Tishomingo; two grandchildren and one great grandchild.

June E. Jackson

June Elizabeth Jackson, 57, died Wednesday December 12,1990, at the Humana Hospital in Muscle Shoals. She was a native of Cherokee, AL., and a member of the Valdosta Baptist Chruch.

Services were at 2 p.m. Friday at the Valdosta Baptist Chruch with the Rev. Joe Stone officiating. Burial was

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RNSVILLE BAND



Burnsville Jr. High Beauties .. Crowned Most Beautiful during the

Burnsville Junior High beauty review on October 16 was Miss Candy

Clarkson (center). Alternates were, from left, April Davis, 4th alternate;



Dylan is the son of Mike and Kathy

Letters To Santa

Kindergarten K-3 Mrs. Tana's Class **luka Elementary**

Joshua Parsons · A Ninja Turtle · Leonardo. A threewheeler and a bike. Cody Arnold - A desk and a Leonar-

do Ninja Turtle. Krista Larson - "Pretty ponies - not

real ones' Stephanie Archer - "A Barbie dream house

Sarabeth Hudson - A pretend pony Stephen Borden - A bide and a little Christmas tree. A picture of Santa **Claus and a gorilla**

Samuel Hathorn - A cowboy hat and boots and a cowboy belt that will hold two guns.

April Smith - A Barbie Dream House and a Barbie Car Van. A baby that sucks her bottle and a Barbie Doll Joseph Mitchell - Robo Cop

Blake Taylor - A calculator Andrew Crawford - A fourwheeler

and a G.I. Joe and a motorcycle and a real sword Stephanie Long - A Barbie car

Brandon Blythe "All Ninia turtle



I want a doll for Christmas and

Burnsville

for them.

Dear Santa,

Band Returns

The return of Burnsville band last

year started a long and hard journey

back to the top. Burnsville had not

had a band in three years, so the new

band members had their work cut out

They had to start over from the

beginning. During the first year they

did not even have a Band Booster

Club supporting them. This year

everything seemed to take a turn for

the better. A new band director, Mr.

For Christmas I want a Batman toy,

Timothy Strother

I am 6 years old

I love you,

O.J. Farris

Samantha

teenage mutant ninja turtles,

some more things. I want a Barbie, doll clothes and Jeans. A Shirt and a Barbie car, and anything else you want to bring me.

I have been a good boy every day. I am in a new school. My family used to live in South Carolina, now I am in Mississippi. I like Mississippi. My brother and I feed my animals. Love.

Amanda Jones

I want a jambox, I want it black and white and I want some new bike tires and I want a cat. Its name will be Tiger and \$60,000.

> Love, **Duran Dale Nunley**

Charles Crum, took on the responsibility of training the new band members (approximately 34). It took a lot of hard work and dedication by Mr. Crum as well as the band members to achieve their goals. A new Booster Club was formed during the year. New uniforms made and paid for by the new Booster Club.

The hard work paid off for the band, they placed first place in two parades, and second in one parade. **Congratulations Band!**

Special thanks to Mr. Charles Crum, who helped make all of this possible!

Dear Santa.

I would like for you to bring me all the stuff I wrote down on this paper. I want a house of my own and nintendo games, like Total Recall, Ninja Gaiden, a 18 karat gold necklace and earrings and lots of money. Love, Daniel

Dear Santa.

I would like you to bring me a football, a car, ninja turtles, a cat and camera and film for my camera.

Love. Larry

Dear Santa,

Hi Santa. I have been a good boy this year. I want a big black hat and a coat that has Tishomingo on it and a disk box. I cannot wait until you come and most of all I want a fire truck and all the ninja turtles and a football. I want a bigfoot and a car and a big book and some clothes. I want a big coat. I want 10,000 dollars and a year of Pepsi.

> Love. Eric

Dear Santa,

I want a remote controlled truck. A jam box, a remote controlled airplane, a new bike, some skates, a game boy, Super Mario 3, Super Mario 2, a atary, a bunch of cars and trucks, and abounch of nintendo games and power glove.

> Love **Jason Dingler**

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Ghostbuster pack Jacob Whitlock - A ninja turtle -Leonardo and a toy truck and a toy Christina Watson · A magic doll and a ballerina doll

Batman car and a Barbie Doll

car Lindsey Wahlstrom · A barbie car

and a baby doll

Dear Santa.

dog

on the Block bedspread, a game, Electria Youth perfume, casette player, tape, color T.V., shoes and boots. And I will leave you some milk and cookies and I will leave Rudolph some carrots.

Dear Santa.

Kristy Watson · A baby doll and a Daniel Ray - A football and a race

I would like a telephone, New Kids



DYLAN IS ONE! Dylan Grant Wallace celebrated his first birthday with family, friends, and Sesame Street characters on December 16, 1990.

Wallace of Cherokee, Alabama. His proud grandparents are James (spot) and Mavis Shook of Midway and Christine Wallace of Cherokee.

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank our friends and relatives for all of your thoughtfulness and considerations during the illness and death of our Mother.

For your prayers, visits, calls and food, we thank you. We appreciate the concern and care given her at the luka Hospital. Especially, thanks to Bro. Travis, Martha McGill and Hubert Ray Robinson. May God bless you.

The Family of Lilla Davis

Card of Thanks

Words can never express our gratitude for the love and support we received during the long illness and death of our loved one Odis Milton Wanner.

We thank you so much for the prayers, visits, cards, phone calls, food, and finally for the beautiful flowers. We would especially like to recognize the pallbearers who were Grandsons, Son-in-Law and Nephews. We realize this was a very emotional time for you and we Thank You. There are others to whom we will be forever grateful:

Dr. Scott Segars (for his care & support) Everyone at luka Hopsital (You are the Best) Bro. Green and the congregation at New Bethel Church The Posey Quartet **Deaton Funeral Home**

If we have ommitted anyone - please forgive us.

Marjorie Wanner Pat and Charlie Poff Nancy and Don Lubinski Brenda and Eugene Lubinski Sherron and Gerald Henley Grandchildren: Shelly, Michael, Kenny, Kelly, Christina, Keith and John Great-Grandchildren: Amber, Larry, Jade, Lauren, Anthony, Chad and Nathan

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stuff and all Batman stuff" Tasha Morrill - A ballerina doll and a

Barbie keeper Kenneth Barrett · A ninja turtle

pillow and a ninja turtle gun. Brittany Daniel - "A burp baby and a surprise baby and a Barbie Dream House and a Barbie Tent and **Sleeping Bag**

Robert Martin - a fourwheeler Jonathan Davis · G.I. Joe Walkie

Love, Tracey Campbell Dear Santa, I want a playdo set. Lacey wants a

go go my walking pup. Amy wants one too. I want a jambox and more Nintendo tapes. I want a lot of stonewash pants and a lot of clothes. I want a lot of surprises. I might leave you some cookies. Merry Christmas Santa.

Heather Clingan

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Debbi's Style Shop

Hwy. 72 W. Burnsville, MS is proud to announce that we have a new hair stylist on staff - Patricia (Rogers) Morris, formerly of luka Pat is a graduate of Ray's University of Styling in Florence, Ala. with 5 years experience Call 427-9769 for appointments - Walk-in welcomed

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Tishomingo's Christmas Trade Days Drawings December 15 & 22

at 2 p.m. at Deaton Funeral Home

24 Participating Merchants No Purchase Necessary You Must Be Present To Win **Sponsored by the Tishomingo Chamber of Commerce**

Santa Claus Will Visit Tishomingo Throughout The Day ** From 9:00 - 10:00 At The Businesses From 10:00 - Noon and 3:00 - 4:00 At City Hall

in Killen. AL is looking for people who are interested in starting a conservative work in luka.

Call collect: George Hutto (205) 757-1450 or (205) 757-9531 or write: P. O. Box 208 **Killen, AL 35645**



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WAL-MART MATCHES CHURCH FUNDS -- John Pickle, manager of Wal-Mart of luka, presents a check to Charlotte Funderburk of Red Bay Freewill Baptist Church as a matching grant for the church.



Dear Santa,

My name is Jason Ortner. I'm 4 years old and have tried to be a good boy. Please bring me a bicycle a Batman car, some Ninja Turtles and surprises. Bring my sissy something too!

I Love You Santa Claus

Dear Santa,

My name is Jennifer Ortner. I have tried to be a good girl. Please bring me a barbie car, Ken and Barbie, a stereo for my room. Please bring my little brother some turtles too!

I will leave you some milk and cookies.

I Love You Santa Claus Dear Santa,

My name is Lucretia Dwan Haley. I am seven years old and in the 2nd grade at Tishomingo Elementary. For Christmas I want a Bicycle, Baby Sparkles, a baby stroller, and lots of surprises. I will leave you some cookies and milk under the tree.

Love, Lucretia

Dear Santa,

My name is Amy. I am 10 years old and I live in Tishomingo. I attend Tishomingo Elementary School where I am in the 4th grade. I have been a very good girl and have worked hard in school this year. Please bring me a Waterbed, Baby Alive, Nintendo, Jambox, and some surprises. I will leave you some milk and cake under the tree.

I Love You Amy Whitlock

Dear Santa,

My name is Kinsley. I have been a very good little girl this year. I am 4 years old and live in Tishomingo. I attned the luka Baptist Church Kindergarten and Miss Patricia is my teacher. Please bring me a Nintendo,



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a Baby that burps, a Car, a Walkman, and some surprises. I will leave you a cup cake and milk under the tree. I Love You

Kinsley Brook Whitlock Dear Santa,

My name is Jon-Paul. I am 3 years old and live in Tishomingo. I have been a good little boy all year! Miss Sherry is my teacher at the luka Baptist church Day Care. Please bring me a guitar, a remote control truck, a car, a walkman, and some surprises. I will leave you some cookies and milk but please don't make a mess like you did last year.

> I Love You Jon-Paul Whitlock

Dear Santa,

My name is Justin Wadkins. I am 9 months old and have been a very good boy. I would like for you to bring me a Busy Guitar, a Disney Projector, a Piano, and a Rocking Horse. I also would like lots of surprises and clothes. I love you and Rudolf. May God Bless Each Of You.

> Love, Justin

Dear Santa,

My name is Priscilla Devin Prather. I am 3 years old. I have geen a good girl this year. I would like Baby UhOh, Fisher Price Kitchen, bacon, eggs, and sandwiches for my kitchen, and surprises. I will be at my house in Charleston, S.C. for Christmas, but you can leave somethings at Nana and Daddy Bears, because I will be there the 27th. I will leave milk and cookies Christmas Eve.

> l love you, Priscilla Devin Prather

Curtis Drug Company

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Dear Santa.

I want a power glove. I want a pair of boots. I want a jam box. I want a remote control cat.

Dear santa, I want a Rhaphael, Michaelangelo, Buster Stockman, and Bart Simpson and Big Rhaphael and Little Rhaphael Love,



Before Christmas! Thursday - Friday - Saturday - Monday

Boggs - Pickle Plan January 10th Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Don Boggs are proud to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Delana Rosetta Boggs to Joey Wayne Pickle. The wedding will take place January 10, 1991 at Eastport Baptist Church at 6 P.M. Following the ceremony there will be a reception in he fellowship hall.

Delana is the granddaughter of Beatrice J. Adcock and the late lames E. Adcock, and the late Erlene and Felton Boggs of Haines City, Florida.

Joey is the son of Ruth Pickle of luka and Tommy Pickle of Selmer, TN, and stepmother Bonnie Pickle of Selmer, TN. He is the grandson of Henry S. Jernigan and the late Estelle Jernigan of Selmer, TN., and Mary Ruth Pickle and the late Ervin Pickle of Selmer, Tn.

No formal invitations are being sent, but all friends and relatives are invited to attend.



Thank you,

Britney McCoy Dear Santa,

Love.

Please bring me a helicopter and

Christopher Hamm Dear Santa, I am a very good girl. I would like a complete make-up kit, a tractor and a ball (basket) and some surprises.

IT'S A GIRL - IT'S A BOY!!!...Phillip

and Sandy Kirk are proud to announ-

ce the birth of twins. A daughter,

Taylor Ryan Kirk, and a son Cameron

Phillip Kirk. They were born Novem-

ber 28, 1990, at Tupelo Womens

Hospital. Taylor weighed 7 lbs. 15 oz.

Please bring me a Walkie Talkie, a

baby doll with hair that grows and a

tractor. My baby sister would like the

bring me a train and a lot of surprises.

We love you,

l love you,

Brittany Bell and Sister

same. We are good girls.

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa.

l love you, Jessica McCarley Dear Santa,

I'm a very good boy. I really want a back pack, a roasting pot, chalk board, a lot of surprises. I love Christmas and I love you. Thanks.

Damain Eskesen Dear Santa, I would like a Barbie doll and

stacking blocks and a good present. I have been a nice girl.

Love you, **Tonya Shouse**

Dear Santa, I have been a very good boy. I want a GI Joe boat and car and some nice surprises.

I love you, **Jonathan Cole** Dear Santa.

I want a motor boat and a car and gun and I love Santa.

Thanks. **Jacob** Cole Dear Santa.

I have been a good boy. Would you please bring me a little ball, a knife and a fireman's truck and that's all. Thank you,

Ricky Voyles

weighed 7 lbs 9 oz., and was 19" long. They were welcomed home by their big sister Leslie Ann. The proud grandparents are Major and Bernice Kirk of luka and Pete and Mae Hobbs of luka.

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a gun and truck and a car and a gun for my brother and a tractor and another car for my sister.

Shane Kennedy

I love to play with baby dolls. Would you please bring me a special one. A wood truck for my baby brother. We would like surprises. My mother wants a new apron.

Dear Santa, Im a good boy. Would you please

601-423-9684

We love you,





Dear Santa, I have been a good boy. I want a Batman helicopter and a Robin.

P.S. Please don't forget my baby

prother.

army men. I am a good boy

Geno Webb P.S. Bring my two babies each a car.

Love. **Drew Dawson**

Tiffany Woodruff

Have a Very, Very Merry Christmas!

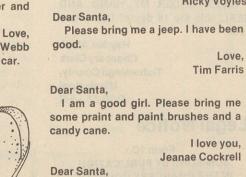
We would like to thank all of you who have shopped with us this past year. We appreciate your business.

Our employees, Beth Solomon, Janeva Harwell and Fay Edwards wish you a Merry Christmas and remind their customers the Christmas Sale is still in progress.

May you have the Happiest Holidays ever.

Earl and Donna Solomon





I am always a good girl. Please bring me a ballerina and quints. Thanks a lot,

Jessica Wilson Dear Santa, I am a good girl. Could you please

bring me a telephone and an airplane and a big horsey. Thank you,

Nicole Blakney



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1 Group Ladies Tops - Skirts - Skirt Sets - Pants	\$5.00 per piece
New Shipment Ladies Purses All Styles	\$5.00 off

Sale Continues On

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Mens Levi Rinsed Jeans	
Mens Levi 505-550 Whitewash - Snowash	\$26.95
Mens Levi Sport Jeans	
Mens Jordache Fashion Jeans	\$24.95
Mens Jordache Jeans · 1 Group	\$10.00
Mens Duckhead Pleated Pant	\$18.95
Mens Duckhead Plain Front	\$17.95
Men's Shirts\$5.9	5 or 2 for \$10.00
Men's Casual Pants (reg. or pleat)	\$10.00 each
Mens Socks	6 pr. pkg. \$3.50
Mens Denim-Lined Coats	the state of the backwork of the state of th

NOTE: Close Monday Christmas Eve at 3:00 p.m.



Legal Notice

FORM 1C SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF **TISHOMINGO COUNTY** MISSISSIPPI

Plaintiff(s) G.M, Gober Civil Action, File No. 11,580 VS. Joyce Juanita Gober Defendant(s) SUMMONS

THE STATE OF Mississippi TO: Joyce Juanita Gober, an adult non-resident citizen of the State of Mississippi, and is not to be found therein after diligent search and inquiry personally made by the plaintiff, and whose present place of residence, street address and post office box is unknown to plaintiff after diligent search and inquiry personally made by the plaintiff to ascertain the same.

You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by G. M. Gober, Plaintiff(s), seeking a divorce for the cause of desertion. Defendants other than you in this action are none

You are required to mail or hand deliver a written response to the Complaint filed against you in this action to Richard O. Clark, Attorney for Plaintiff(s), whose address is P.O. Box 319, luka, Mississippi 38852.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 28th DAY OF JANUARY, 1991, 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 18th day of December, 1990.

> Hayden Ables **Chancery Clerk of** Tishomingo County, Mississippi 1008 Hwy. 25 South luka, Mississippi 38852 D-20-27-J-3-C

Trustee's Notice Of Sale STATE OF MISSISSIPPI **COUNTY OF TISHOMINGO**

Whereas, on October 24, 1989, Michael Dee, a/k/a Mike Dees, executed a deed of trust to J. Barry Finch, Trustee for the benefit of luka Guaranty Bank, which said Deed of Trust is now on record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, at luka, Mississippi, in Book 146, page 347, of the records of Deeds of Trust of said County; and

Whereas, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust and the holder of the Note and Deed of Trust having requested the undersigned Trustee so to do, I will, on the 21st day of December, 1990, offer for sale at public outcry and sell during legal hours, being between the hours

Legal Notice

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF FORREST WRIGHT, DECEASED

Letters of Administration having been granted on the 14th day of December, 1990, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of Mrs. Forrest Wright, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration, according to law, within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This the 14th day of December, 1990.

> **Mary Fisher Wright** D-20-27-J-3-C

Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF **TISHOMINGO COUNTY** MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

OF J. C. LONG, DECEASED NO. 11,570

Notice To Creditors

The undersigned having been duly appointed as the executrix of the estate of J.C. Long, deceased, by the **Chancery Court of Tishomingo** County, Mississippi, in Cause No. 11,570 on the docket of said Court, on the 5th day of December, 1990, 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 nineth (90) days, and failure to probate and register for this period will bar the said claim.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SIGNATURE, ON THIS THE 5th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1990.

Doris Elaine Long Calhoun

Harold S. Jackson Attorney At Law Post Office Box 414 luka, Mississippi 38852 (601) 423-5227

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Resolution

There came on for consideration by the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen of the City of Burnsville the matter of declaring a vacancy in the office of Alderman of the City and ordering an election to be held in said City to fill said vacancy for the unexpired term and providing for notice of said election.

After discussion of the subject matter, Alderwoman Bonnie Bobo moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF BURNSVILLE, TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, DECLARING A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF ALDERMAN OF SAID CITY AND OR-DERING AN ELECTION TO BE HELD IN SAID CITY TO FILL THE SAID VACANCY FOR THE UNEXPIRED TERM AND PROVIDING FOR A NOTICE OF SAID ELECTION.

Whereas, the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Burnsville, Mississippi, do hereby find, determine and adjudicate as follows:

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Burnsville do hereby declare that the vacancy in the office of Alderman of said City has occurred by virtue of the death of Alderman, Michael D. Lambert.

11 And further that the unexpired term of the said Alderman exceeds thirtyone (31) months. III

Legal Notice Legal Notice

NOTICE TO DEALERS TO FUR-

NISH TISHOMINGO COUNTY AND

THE ROAD DISTRICTS THEREOF

THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES, AND

TO BANKS FOR THE KEEPING OF

COUNTY FUNDS AS A COUNTY

DEPOSITORY, FOR THE PERIOD

BEGINNING JANUARY 7, 1991 AND

Notice is hereby given by the Board

of Supervisors of Tishomingo Coun-

ty, Mississippi, that it will until 10:00

a.m. on Monday, January 7, 1991

receive bids from dealers for general

office supplies, Janitorial supplies,

road and bridge maintence material

and supplies, machinery upkeep,

metal, concrete, and plastic culverts,

and fire department supplies, and will

also receive bids from banks for

keeping of County funds as a County

Depository, under sec 27-105-305

Mississippi Code 1972, as may be

amended, for 12 months period

beginning January 7, 1991 and ending

January 6, 1992. Said bids to be filed

with the Clerk of the Board of Super-

visors of said State and County at the

Chancery Clerk's office, Tishomingo

County Courthouse luka, Mississippi

until the aforesaid time and date, and

under the statue, all bids shall be

awarded to the lowest responsible

bidder. The Board of Supervisors

reserve the right to reject any and all

This the 10th day of December,

bids.

1990.

Hayden Ables

ENDING JANUARY 6,1992.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF **TISHOMINGO COUNTY** MISSISSIPPI PLAINTIFF EDITH S. SPARKS

CAUSE NO. 11,562 VS. ARTHUR UNDERWOOD, ET AL AND **UNKNOWN PARTIES DEFENDANTS** SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI **COUNTY OF TISHOMINGO**

TO: ARTHUR UNDERWOOD OF WAUKEGAN, ILLINOIS, VIRGINIA HOUSE 3742 BISHOP BRIDGE, MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE 38118: BRENDA HAAR, 1424 HICKORY AVENUE APT. 4, HAROHAN, LA. 70123; AND DAVID UNDER-WOOD 6528, QAUIL HOLLOW ROAD, APT 1A, CHAROLOTTE, N.C. 28210; adult non-resident citizens of the State of Mississippi, whose present street addresses and post office box addresses are unknown after diligent search and inquiry but that whose last known street address and post office box is herein listed, AND ALL UNKNOWN PARTIES CLAIMING ANY LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN THE HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED REAL **PROPERTY:**

Part of the SE1/4 of Section 30, Township 4, Range 11 East, described as beginning at the Northwest Corner of said quarter section and run thence East 35 rods to a stake; thence run South to the Milford Rutledge Public Road; thence in a northwesterly direction with the meanderings of said road to the West line of the said SE¼ of Section 30, which is approximately 35 rods; thence North on the quarter section line to the point of beginning. Containing 20 acres, more or less.

You are hereby summoned to answer and defend the Cause No. in the **Chancey Court of Tishomingo Coun**ty, Mississippi, of Edith S. Sparks, wherein you are defendants. Said suit is brought to quiet and confirm title of Edith S. Sparks, in and to the above described real property. The plaintiff knows of no other adult or individuals who claim any interest or has exercised any control or claim to be the owner of the hereinabove described real property.

NOTICE TO DEFENDANTS: The Complaint filed in the foregoing Cause Number is important and you must take immediate action to protect your rights. You are requested to mail or hand deliver a copy of a written answer either admitting or denying each allegation in said Complaint to Harold S. Jackson, Attorney for the plaintiff, whose address is P.O. Box 414, luka Mississippi 38852. This Answer must be mailed or delivered within 30 days from the date of the first publication of this Summons and failure to appear or answer will result in a judgment by default to be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint. You must also file the original of your Answer with the Clerk of the Chancery Court within a reasonable time thereafter

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL, this the 18 day of December,

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FARM EQUIPMENT AND REAL ESTATE DISPERSAL **OPEN SALE** Sat., Dec. 29, 1990--10:00 AM Booneville, Mississippi LOCATION: Waddell & Huddleston Farm headquarters in the Hobo Station Community. From Booneville at intersection of Hwy. 45 & 4 go east on Hwy. 4 for 91/2 miles to sale site on north WADDELL & HUDDLESTON FARMS, INC. are dissolving their

partnership and have commissioned Yokley & Lundy Auction Company to sell this "Super Nice" group of farm equipment and also 450 acres of row crop land. Lunch & loader available. This is a super group of farm equipment and has been under the close supervision of Mr. Waddell and his manager, Mr. Danny Henly. The condition of this equipment is from good to excellent. Don't miss this Super sale!

TRACTORS: JD 4850 1988 MFWD 18x42R1 duals TRC 1592 hrs., EXLI; JD 4840 1982 2483 hrs. 20x38R2 duals TRC W/BELL 300 gal front spray tank & rack, Nice; JD 4640 1981 C/A P/shift 18x38R2 duals 3904 hrs., Nice; JD 4440 C/A P/shift 18x38R2 singles 5234 hrs., Nice; FORD 5000 dsl. Sharp; IH Super A

w/Woods L59 belly mower, Good. COMBINES: CASE-IH 1660 SN37088 655 hrs. M/Hog 1020 20' flex, EXLI; Com Header:--MF 1183 8 row narrow; Com picker--FORD 2 row; Backhoes-CAT 416 1988 1036 hrs., EXLI; CASE

TRUCKS: FORD F-700 gas 1979 tandem axle 550 bu. metal bed 5x2 trans. 370 V-8, Nice; FORD F-350 gas 1979 4-speed, Good; GMC 1978 gas with 1200 gal. S/steel tank & 60' boom for N/sol application; CHEVY 1-ton 1975 flat bed; CHEVY C-70 1979

without bed; GMC 6000 gas 1978 w/20' van body. TRAILERS: Loboy--S/MADE 18' tandem axl w/ramp, Nice; S/MADE 18' triple axle w/ramps, Good; Van Traller--DORSEY 42' 1978, Nice; S/MADE 24' gooseneck trailer w/ramps, 8000 Ib. axle, Nice; Truck bed -- 91/2' bed for 1-ton.

IRRIGATION EQUIPMENT: (2) IRRIFRANCE Model 110 1180' 3¾'' hard hose traveling irrigation rigs (one has never been used); **Irrigation pipe**-4000' of 8'' high pressure pipe (has never been used), 8000' 6'' high pressure pipe (used very little); (2) NELSON Model 200 guns w/tapered nozzles; Power units-(2) JD 239 4 cyl. dsls w/Turbo, (one w/22 hrs. & other has 94 hrs.). These units are mounted on trailers w/Capari 6" hi pressure pumps; (2) Pallets of fittings for pipes (never used). Super equipment all like new!!

FIELD EQUIPMENT: Chisel plows-JD 11-tine 3PTH; Flip plow--MF 4-btm; Disc--(2) IH 490 25' & 21' Nice, JD AW 12', (2) JD 71/2' offset; Do all--JD 4 row; Hipper--Piper 4-row; Planter--BURCH 8 row on Orthman hyd. fold bar w/Orthman markers; Roller--4 row pull type; Cultivators--(2) BRILLION 8 row hyd. fold & 6 row narrow Nice, FORD 2 row, (2) JD RG 4 row, Cropmaker Harriman 4 row; Ditcher--AMCO PD-10 1000 RPM, AMCO PTO

CATTLE & HAY EQUIPMENT: NH 477 hay bine; (4) covered cattle feeders, Exil; Spray boom: SPRAY-RITE 3PTH w/300 gal. tank & 50' boom

MISCELLANEOUS EQUIPMENT: Tool bar 8 row hyd. fold w/Orthman markers; Fuel trailer -- 560 gal.; Cotton trailer 20'; Winch 10-ton PTO for truck

MANY MORE ITEMS ARE EXPECTED FOR THIS SALE THAT WILL NOT APPEAR IN OUR ADSII

REAL ESTATE AUCTION 12:00 Noon

AUCTION #1: 360 acres of prime bottom land (located in the noted twenty mile bottom) in the Pratts Community. Features include 250 acre cotton base, recently constructed drainage ditches, good farm roads, paved road frontage, cattle barns, county water available, beautiful building sites. This will be offered in 2 tracts and as a whole. Terms are 15% down day of sale with balance due on maximum 30 day closing. AUCTION #2: 98 acres more or les with 53 acres under cultivation with balance in young and some marketable timber. Beautiful building sites and ideal small farm for the growing family. Property is approximately 4 miles west of Marietta, MS. Terms are 15% down day of sale with balance due within 30 days closing

AUCTION #3: 80 acres more or less located in the Marietta area Features include 15 year growth Lobiolly pines plus natural growth hardwood timber, beautiful building sites, city water, over 1/2 mile paved road frontage, one acre lake, (2) 2200 bu. Reed-Joseph grain bins w/dryers and augers. Sale subject to power line easement and 2nd party retained mineral rights. Terms are 15% down day of sale with owner financing available to qualified buyer AUCTION #4: 3.4 acres of prime development property located on busy Hwy. 45 south in Booneville. Features approximatey 250' Hwy. 45 frontage; city sewer & water; police and fire protection; natural gas; 50' outlet onto Franks Road; zoned mutiuse; close to schools, churches, shopping centers, etc. Terms 15% down day of sale with owner financing and attractive interest rate to qualified buyer. For more information such as maps, specific location, terms and



privacy keyed offices. Only four available. Phone 601-534-3351 after 6 p.m. S-27-TFN-chg

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Clerk Of The Board OF Supervisors

of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., at the east front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse in luka, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, for cash to the highest and best bidder, the following described property situated in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Part of the NE 1/4 of Section 17, Township 3 South, Range 11 East, described as beginning at the northeast corner of said quarter section and run thence west on the north boundary thereof 995 feet to a stake and to the point of beginning hereof; thence run west on the north boundary of said quarter section 197 feet to a steel stake; thence run S. 23° E. 412 feet to the north right-of-way of the new Mill Creek Road; thence run east with the north right-of-way of said road 197 feet to a stake; thence run N. 23° W. 412 feet to the point of beginning, containing 1.86 acres, more or less.

I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Trustee.

Witness my signature, this 27th day of November, 1990.

/s/ J. Barry Finch N-29-D-6-13-20-C Trustee

Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF **TISHOMINGO COUNTY** MISSISSIPPI **VACATION TERM, 1991** In The Matter Of The Estate Of Harold Gordon Swift, Deceased, Kenneth Charles Swift, Administrator Cause No. 11,576

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Harold Gordon Swift, deceased, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in Cause No. 11,576 on the docket of said Court, on the 11th day of December, 1990, 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 11th day of December, 1990.

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ATTEST:

City Clerk

Katherine Skelton

Kenneth Charles Swift Harold S. Jackson Attorney At Law Post Office Box 414 luka, Mississippi 38852 (601) 423-5227

By virture of the provisions of the law of the State of Mississippi, namely, Section 21-11-9 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, it is necessary to order an election to be held in said City to fill the aforesaid vacancy.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Burnsville, Mississippi, as follows:

That an election be and the same is hereby ordered to fill the vacancy in the office of Alderman in the said City on Tuesday, January 8, 1991, and if no candidate shall at said election receive a majority vote, the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes shall have their names placed on the ballot for an election to be held on Tuesday, January 15,1991.

The polls shall be open for the qualified electors of said City at the City Hall in said City from the hours of 7:00 o'clock A.M. until 7:00 o'clock P.M. on the above date and said election shall be conducted as provided by law in such cases. III

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At least thirty (30) days notice of such election shall be given and each candidate shall be required to qualify at least ten (10) days before the election in the same manner as if the said election were a general election under the provisions of Section 23-1-63 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, by paying a fee provided by Section 23-1-33D of said Code to the municipal election commission and said notice shall be substantially in the following form:

SEE EXHIBIT"A"

IV

The aforesaid notice as set out herein as Exhibit "A" shall be published in the Tishomingo County News, a newspaper published in the County once each week for three (3) consecutive weeks and by posting a copy of said notice at three (3) public places in said City.

Alderman Tommy Epperson, seconded the motion to adopt the foregoing Resolution and the question being put to a roll call vote, the result was as follows:

- Alderwoman Bonnie Bobo voted: Aye
- Alderman Toney Thorne voted: Aye
- Alderman David Nixon voted: Aye
- Alderman Tommy Epperson voted: Aye

The motion having received the affirmative vote of 4 aldermen present the Mayor declared the motion carried and the Resolution adopted on this the 4th day of December, 1990.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF ALDERMAN IN THE CITY OF BURNSVILLE, MISSISSIPPI

Notice is hereby given by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Burnsville, Mississippi, to the qualified electors of said City that an election shall be held in said City on Tuesday, the 8th day of January, 1991, to fill the vacancy in the office of Alderman of said City. Each candidate shall be required to qualify at least ten (10) days before the date of said election aforesaid in the same manner as if said election were a general election and under the provisions of Section 21-11-9 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, and by qualifying with the municipal election commission. If no candidate shall receive a majority vote at the election, the two (2) candidates receiving the highest number of votes shall have their names placed on the ballot for an election to be held one week thereafter, being January 15, 1991. The polls, situated in the City Hall of said City, shall be open from the hour of 7:00 o'clock A.M. until the hour of 7:00 o'clock P.M. on the aforesaid dates and the candidate receiving a majority of the votes cast in said election shall be

By Order of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Burnsville, Mississippi, on this the 4th day of December, 1990.

Bobby H. Johnson, Mayor

Havden Ables

Chancery Clerk Tishomingo County, Mississippi D-20-27-J-3-C

Legal Notice

Form 1C SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI DAVID H. WIMBERLY, PLAINTIFF(S) VS.

CORRIE RUTH CARSON WIMBERLY **DEFENDANT(s)**

CIVIL ACTION, FILE NO. 11,565

SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI TO: CORRIE RUTH CARSON WIM-BERLY, AN ADULT NON-RESIDENT OF THE State of Mississippi whose present street address and post office box address are unknown after diligent search and inquiry personally made by the plaintiff to ascertain such, but that her last known street address is 601 W. 3rd Street, luka, Mississippi 38852.

You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by David H. Wimberly, Plaintiff(s) seeking a divorce. Defendants other than you in this action are none.

You are required to mail or hand deliver a written response to the Complaint filed against you in this action to Richard O. Clark, Attorney for Plaintiff(s), whose address is P.O. Box 319, luka, MS. 38852.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 6th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1990, 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.

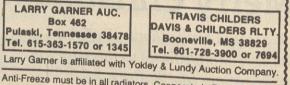
You must also file the original of your Response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward.

Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 30th day of November, 1990.

> Hayden Ables **Chancery Clerk of** Tishomingo County, Mississippi 1008 Hwy 25 South luka, Mississippi 38852

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WORLD OF CHRISTMAS .- The home of George and Ruth Ragan on Hwy 72 west of Burnsville has attracted a lot of visitors during the month December. An array of several housand lights, and many different

would like some clothes, some toys

and some surprises. Don't forget my

Nom & Dad. They have been good

I want a baby brother so much, and

want a baby doll, I want a baby pup-

py and a cat. I want a few stickers too,

some cookies and milk for you.

want a few presents, and I will put

I want Masters, a bopping bag, Nin-

a turtles, the Batcave, Batmobile,

Rock'em Sock'em Robots, vanishing

vault, Hot Potato, clothes, and for

everyone to have a Merry Christmas.

I Love You,

Love,

Love.

Casev Crabb

Cathia Butler

William Monroe Walden

this year.

Dear Santa.

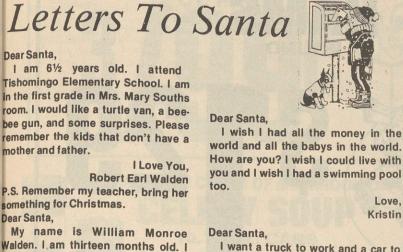
Dear Santa.

Dear Santa,

Wrap Your

12/22/90.

Christmas scenes are beautifully displayed around the home. This is the Ragan's third year to create their Christmas displays, which include reindeer, Santa, snowmen, a cross, church, toy soldiers, and nativity



drive, and a Barbie and a Ballarina Doll. I want some candy and surprises, too. My cousins Chaz and Amanda and

some toys for all the other kids, too.

My name is Thomas Kirk Dill. I am 19 mo. old. I have been a good boy this year. Mommy says I am much better since my new brother was born. For Christmas I would like a red 4x4 jeep, an all pro basketball goal, and remote bulldozer. I have learned to say my prayers and I am praying God will bring my daddy home from Camp Shelby (to stay). Will you please say a prayer for my daddy too. I love you, **Thomas Kirk Dill**

Dear Santa,

My name is Derek Jamesan Dill. I was born November 27, 1990. I have been a good boy for mommy. I sleep Dear Santa.

I have been a good girl. Will you bring me this stuff?!! I would like a: cassette player, a tape, some bluejeans, a color t.v., a New Kids on the Block Bedspread, a phone, a baby uh oh, a phone number book and a jack for my phone.

P.S. I will leave you some milk and cookies and I will leave all the raindeer some carrots. Love.

Tracey Campbell

I want a three piece computer and 4 disks. These are the disks, Money Works, Speedway, Math, and Word Muchers, plus Basic Skills. I love Santa,

From Cliff Johnson

Dear Santa.

I have been a good boy. This is my Christmas list. I want a motecontrol Big Foot, motecontrol airplane, Mouse Trap, train that glows, a car that races and tall tree monkey. Tyler

Dear Santa,

My name is Samantha Lynn Michael. I am 8 years old. I want a Magic Nursery Doll and some stuffed reindeers, and lots and lots of goodies. And don't forget my brother Nark Anthony Lambert.

I Love You Santa, Samantha

In Appreciation

On behalf of Company C, 1st 198th Armor, I would like to express by great appreciation to the luka Separate Municipal School District and the City of luka, in providing bus transportation to the soldiers of the unit during this holiday period. It has been our prayer that we soon join our loved ones to celebrate the birth of our Savior. Your support and sacrifice has answered this prayer and insured a joyful holiday, during this most trying time. We recognized the burden placed on families, with fathers, sons, and husbands absent from their families. We pray that this absence is short and the conflict peacefully solved. However, our soldiers are committed to the mission and each man knows his duty.

Continue to hold us in your prayers as we serve our State and Nation. Again, thank you for your support. We salute you.

James Oliver, Captain Armor Commanding

5th Sunday Rally

The South Parrish 5th Sunday night rally will be at Tishomingo United Methodist Church December 30, at 5:30 p.m.

The Posey Quartet will present the program at 5:30 p.m. Fellowship and refreshments will follow at 6:30 p.m.



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Personals

Belated Happy Birthday Judy Gail M. Hudson. I love you! Mother Happy Birthday Jamie A. Moore,

with love Mo Mo Moore. Happy Birthday Melissa G. H. Brown November 27. Love you, Mo Mo, L. M. Moore.

Happy Birthday Christhar O. Carlisle. with love MoMO Moore.

Belated Happy Birthday Opal Chris C. Adams. I love you! Your sis L.M. Moore.

Tishomingo Homemakers Christmas

The Tishomingo Homemaker's Club met December 7 for a night of fellowship, food, and gift giving.

We first receive a blessing by visiting with the residents at the luka Nursing Facility and presenting each resident with a gift.

In route back to the restaurant, we stopped at Wal-Mart for a few minutes of shopping.

Back at the Southern Style **Restaurant in Midway, Shirley Thorne** opened the program by reading the thought for the month:"All of us are born for a reason, but all of us don't discover why. Success in life has nothing to do with what you gain in life or accomplish or yourself. It's what you do for others." She then read "Twas the Night Before Jesus Came", and Jean Starkey led in prayer. Jean then suggested that we all forget our problems at home and enjoy an evening of fun, and that we did.

Plans were made to take fruit to the clients at Timber Hills the week before Christmas.

After an enjoyable meal, the highlight of the evening came when we exchanged our gifts and discovered who our secret pal had been this year. We then drew for our new secret pals for 1991.

We welcome our newest member, Gail Strickland.

Those enjoying this special occasion were Johnnie Strickland, Kathy Bryam, Ruth Gatlin, Willard Strickland, Letris Byram, Princie Morgan, Eva Mae Strickland, Johnnie Hopkins, Gail Strickland, Jean Starkey, and Shirley Thorne, JoAnn Blackburn was unable to attend, and we all missed her.

Our next meeting will be January 15 at Willard's house.



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Medlev

Dear Santa,

Love. Kristin

Ryan want lots of toys, too. And save I Love You Santa, **Brianna Jo Barnett**

day and night. For Christmas I would like a swing and surprizes. Because I am so young I don't need a lot, but I do need my daddy home from the National Guard. He is in Camp Shelby for training. Please bring him home for my first Christmas.

I want a truck to work and a car to

Dear Santa.

I couldn't wait to Christmas came. i love you and your raindeers. I forgot to tell you what I want for Christmas. But I will get one of your helpers to give it to you. But I know three things that I want and this is the list, bike,

bring me some trucks, books, and some surprises. I have been a good boy. I'll leave some cookies and milk out for you. Dear Santa,

Alabama.

Dear Santa.

weeks to set up, has been lighted

since December 1, and is turned on

each evening at about 5:30 p.m. The

Ragan's have been visited by

motorists from Corinth, Tupelo and

My name is Daniel Cummings, and

Love, Daniel

I'm 10 mos. old. I would like for you to

Dear Santa Claus from Carla Renell

I have been a good girl I hope and I

hope I get what I want Santa Claus. I

want a baby doll and a baby carrier

and some clothes and a ring and stuff

So, By By Santa Claus

Love, Ashley

like that. So I hope I get what I want!

knitting and weaving set, a sticker

set. I love Rudolph. Tell hime that

Ashley misses him and I miss you

too. Did you know that New Kids On

The Block was out, well their hot. One

I want some tapes, New Kids of the

Block, Tonight, Janet Jackson and

Tiffey. I want some the lid, well you

know the pins, penails! I want a satel,

my horse is going to have a colt and

she is fat! I want some make-up! I

want a Nintendo for my sister! I want

the game Girl Talk, the new one! Well

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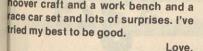
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Dear Santa.



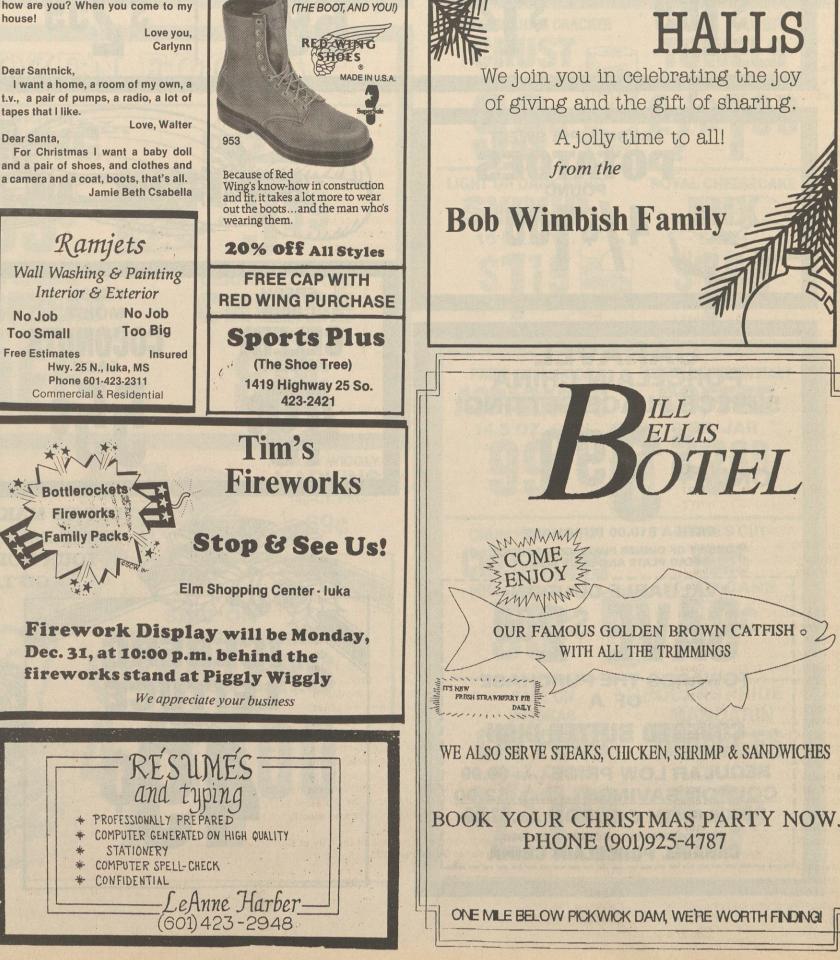
I want a 22 automatic rifle and a

pogo stick and a pool table and a

Ryan Barnett P.S. I'm leaving you some cookies and milk. P.S.S. Money.

I love you, **Derek Jamesan Dill**





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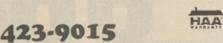
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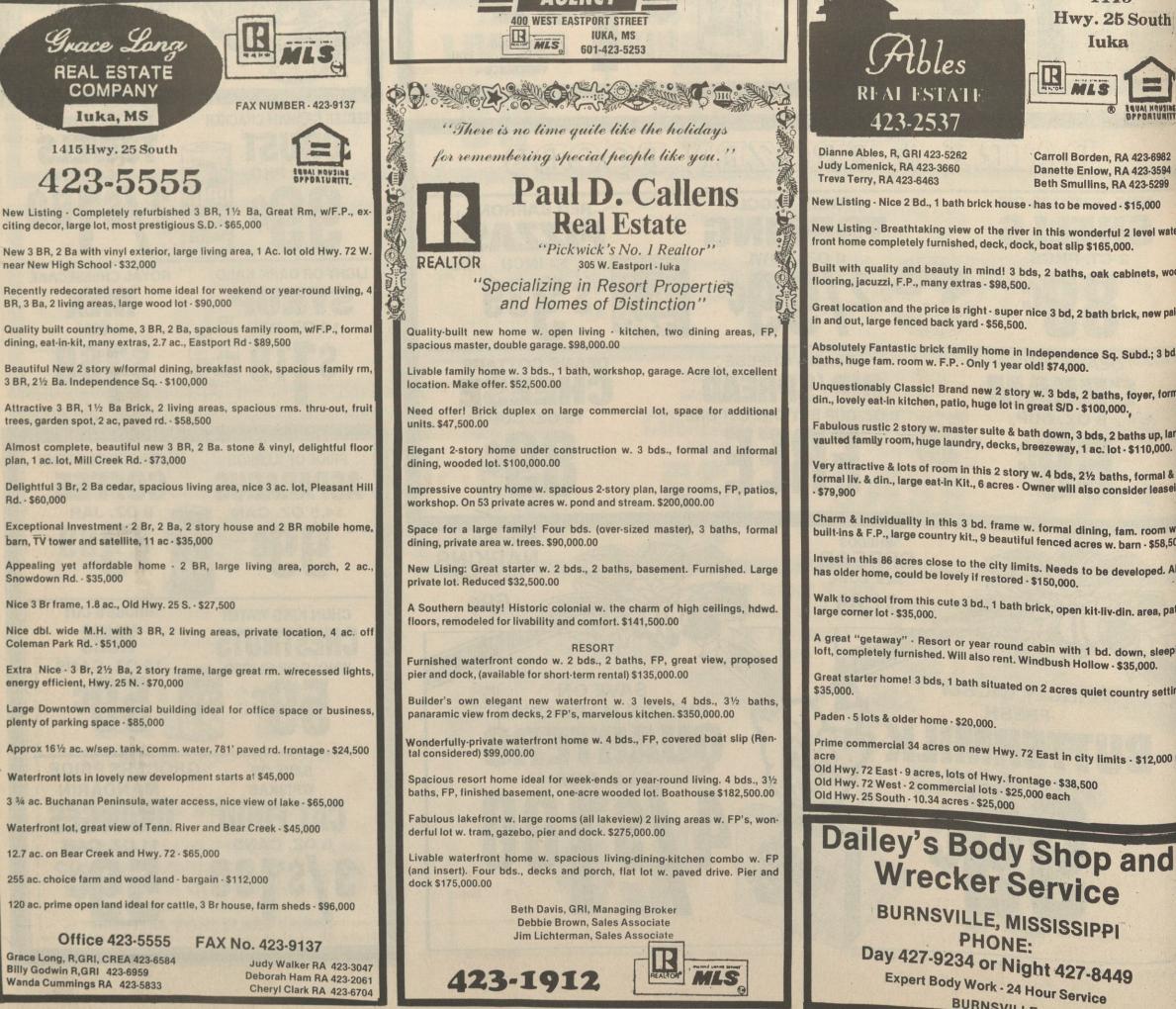
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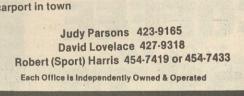
CLOSE TO LAKE - this 2 BR, 1 Ba, home has 2 lots in quite neighborhood, just N. of town. \$32,000

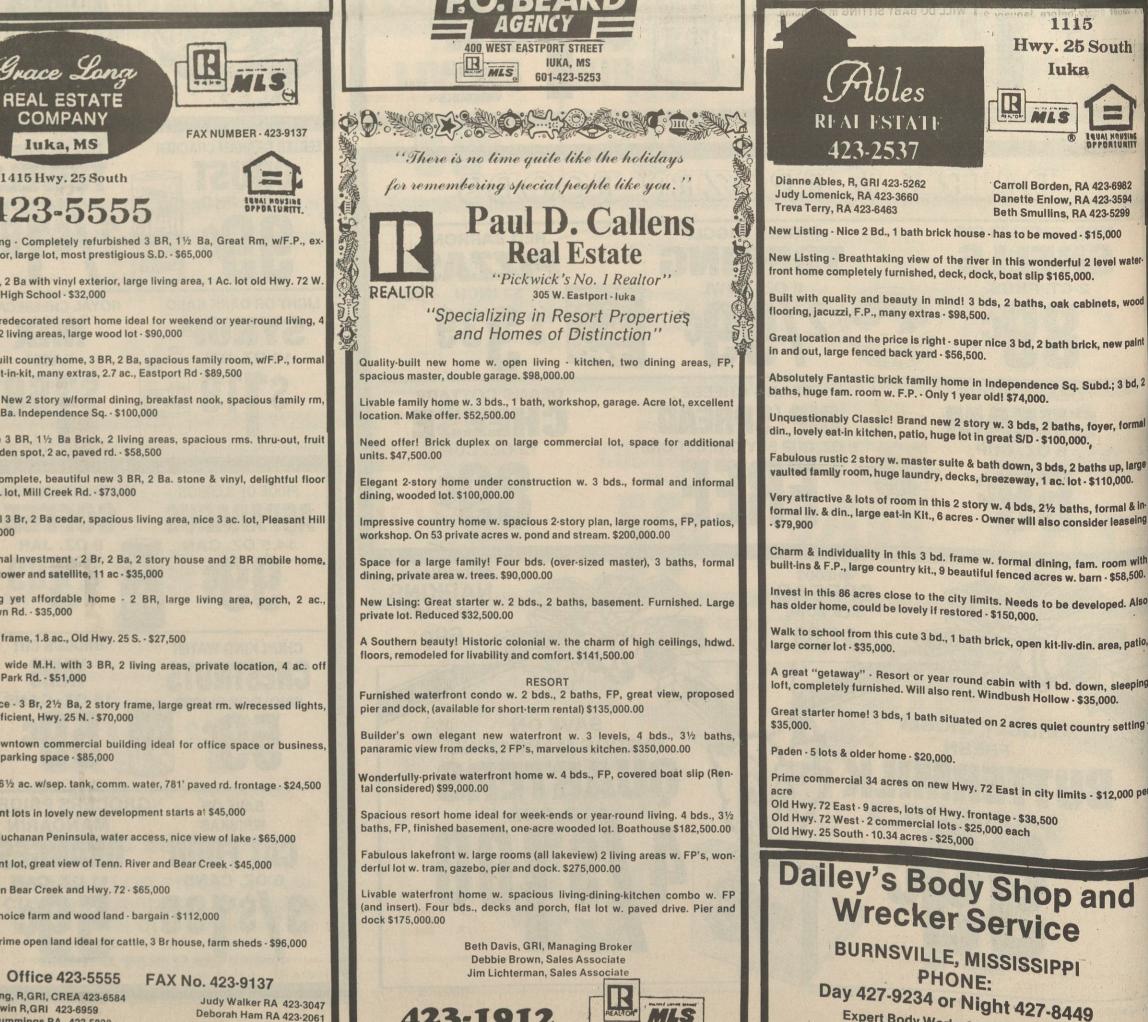
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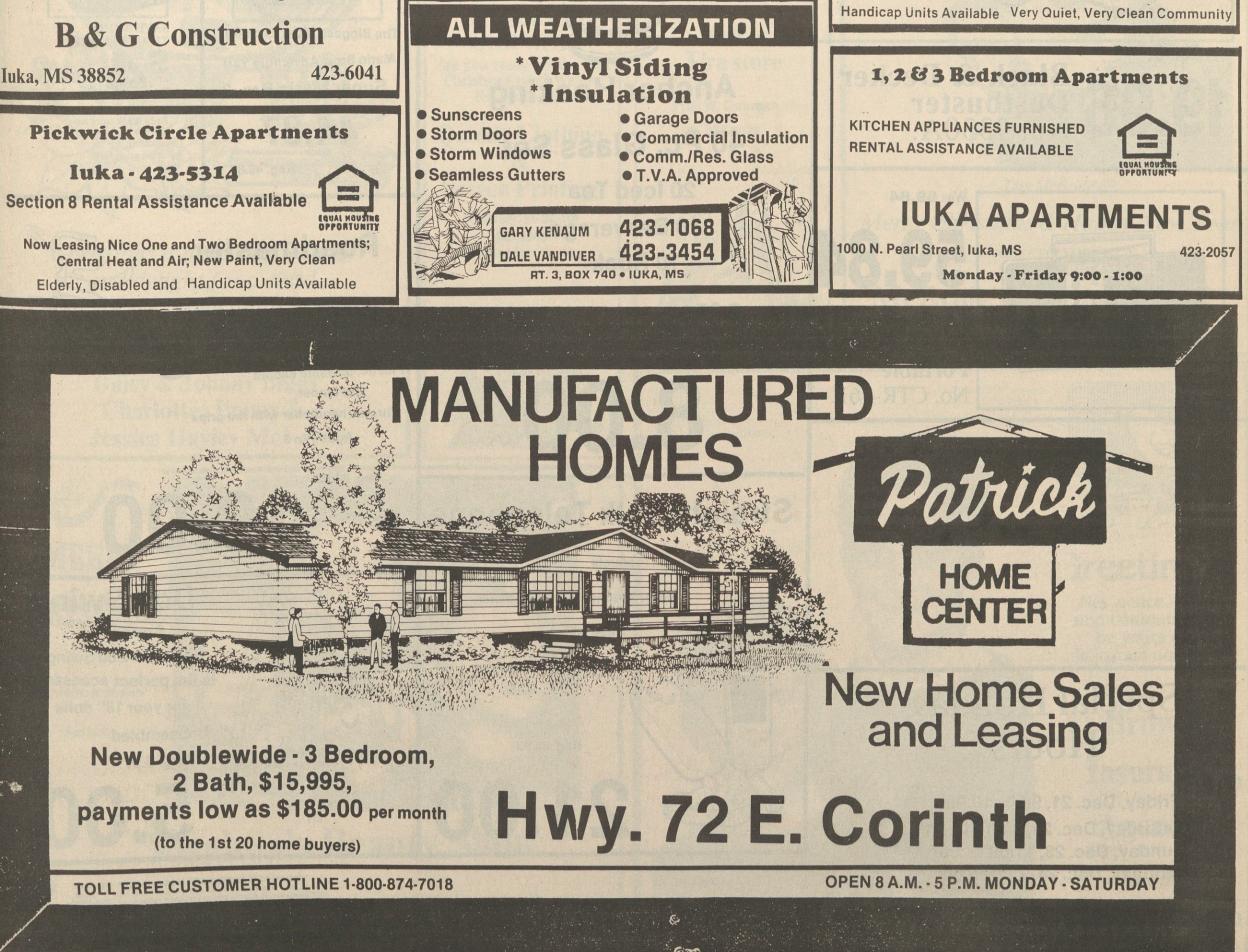
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The legends of the season add to its beauty

There are countless legends that have grown up around the season of Christmas.

In Italy, the legend of La Befana tells of the Three Kings who came to her home, in search of the Infant Jesus. They invited La Befana to join them on their journey to Bethlehem, but she refused, for she was too busy cleaning her house. The following day, the old woman set out to overtake the Three Kings, but she never did, nor did she ever reach Bethlehem. She would stop wherever there was a child, leaving a gift, in hopes that she would find the Christ Child. That is why Italian children await gifts brought by La Befana on January 5th. If they've been naughty however, she will leave them lumps of coal instead! A legend that originated in Sweden tells of the Christmas rose. According to the story, a monk was tending his garden when a woman appeared, saying that she was the wife of a robber living in the forest. She told the monk of some beautiful flowers that bloomed in the forest on Christmas Eve. He persuaded her to lead him to the forest in exchange for obtaining a

pardon for her husband. On Christmas Eve, the snow disappeared and the forest bloomed, as the woman had said. But the snow began to fall again, and the monk, heartbroken, died clutching one of the blossoms. Its root was planted in the 2 monastery garden, where it bloomed into a beautiful rose, and the robber was pardoned.

Another legend tells of a woodcutter and his wife and children who lived in a hut in the forest. The family was poor, but their home was filled with love.

One Christmas Eve, as the family ate a humble meal, there was a knock at the door.

The woodcutter opened the door to find a small boy, shivering with cold. A blanket was wrapped about him and he was given some of the modest repast. That night, the boy stayed with the woodcutter's family, and the next morning, the woodcutter found the boy standing in the middle of the room, surrounded by a dazzling light. It was the Christ Child.

He took a stick from the fireplace and thrust it into the ground outside the hut. Promising the woodcutter that the stick would become an evergreen tree to bear fruit so that the family need never suffer from hunger during winter, the Christ Child disappeared. A beautiful legend concerning the poinsettia comes to us from Mexico. It seems that a poor young boy had



nothing to offer the Christ Child on Christmas Eve, as was the custom in his village.

Thinking that at least he could pray, he knelt outside the church window. Rising to his feet, he discovered a beautiful plant with scarlet leaves right in the spot where he had knelt. He took the flower and placed it on the altar. The plant became known as "The Flower of the Holy Night" in Mexico.

Christmas... A time for Remembering

clothes we wear, in many aspects of our modern life.

At Christmastime we are engulfed with the tides of nostalgia. We tend to go back in spirit to our old, childhood memories - the neighborhood children, the beloved postman who brought us gifts - our little world when we thought we were the center of the Universe, and that we

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ourselves were immortal. It was a time of slower pace, when

we seemed to see, hear and savor more...the ordinary things such as the squeak of the snow under our boots, the frosty feel of a snowflake on our cheek - the tingle as our ears burned in the wintry wind.

With what joyous anticipation we watched Father uncover the sleds, noted with pride the name "Flexible Flyer, for they were the fleetest on the icy hills.

We remember the delicious fragrances coming from the kitchen as Mother prepared the fruit cakes, baked the cookies and foolishly set them aside to cool, not beyond our childish reach. We remember the great Bird and its crusty brown goodness, and the crunchy, tart whole



you for the many blessings we enjoy.

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cranberry sauce accompanying.

And caroling! We looked forward to it to gathering with friends and caroling on street-corners as the lamps overhead flickered and lighted up each rosy face. How proud we were to "sing in part", to give each jolly song, each hymn its special best.

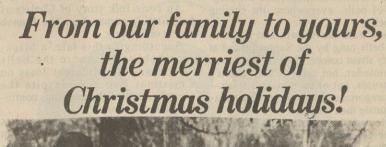
And when we came in from our various rounds, we remember the all

encompassing warmth as we stood over the floor grate! The heat rushed through our corduroys and serge garments and our boots.

These are the senses of home, the wondrously comforting "little" things that meant Christmas to many of us, Many years ago. We Return to them, nostalgically.

"The Robin"

The Robin legend was designed by Jonathan King in London in 1867. The robin wears a red vest because he fanned the embers of the stable fire, to keep the Christ child warm, legend says.



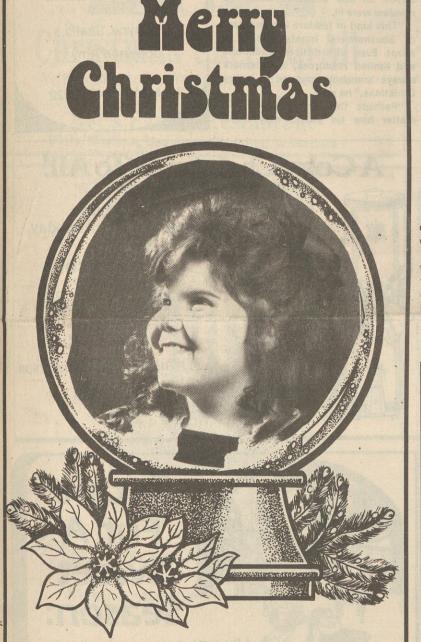


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The joyous bells heard this Christmas have roots dating back to historical times

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The traditional glass balls hung from the tree have a particular feel to them, smooth and cool to the fingertips, and markedly in contrast to the roughness of bark or the stinging prick of pine needles.

But, most of all, we hear Christmas in a myriad of ways-the joyful car-ols, the laughter of children as the holiday excitement builds, and the ringing of bells...everywhere, the ringing of bells

Just walk downtown, and listen to the bells rung by the Santas posted at every street corner. Their bells serve as a reminder, not only of the season's pleasures, but of the season's spiritthe importance of giving to those less fortunate than we are.

Merry little bells decorate Christmas stockings and hang from tree branches, tinkling every time the tree is touched. And, great, sonorous bells call the faithful to prayer, their ringing adding an important top note to the Christmas tableau

Like so many other aspects of the Christmas season, bell-ringing has ancient roots. During many pre-Christian mid-winter celebrations, bells were rung because it was believed that repeated loud noise would drive away the lurking evil spirits that caused the frightening phenomenon of winter, and ensure the rebirth of life which occurred in spring

Early Christians believed bells to have powers over their physical wellbeing as well as their spiritual health, so much so that in the early centuries A.D. priests regularly blessed bells before they were hung in the church steeple

Even after being taken down and buried (in wartime, for instance), church bells can still be heard ringing on Christmas Eve, according to legend, at least by true believers.

In medieval times, the church bells were rung to announce Christ's redemption of the world. And, in parts of England, church bells would ring each morning for three days before Christmas as a reminder of that holiday's approach.

One English custom, still practiced in some localities even today, is Tolling the Devil's Knell, also called The Old Lad's Passing Bell, which occurs on Christmas Eve.

The sonorous sounds of church bells ringing the Devil's Knell-a death knell, because folklore holds that the Devil died at Christ's birth—precede the joyous ringing after midnight has struck, to mark the day of Christ's birth.

An eerie folk story of Christmas bell-ringing comes from the French region of Brittany

According to this tale, a blacksmith chose to ignore the bells which rang for Midnight Mass on Christmas Eve and, despite the sacred nature of the evening, continued with his work.

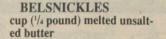
He was interrupted by a customer, an old, crooked man carrying a broken scythe, which he asked the smith to repair. This the blacksmith did, not knowing that the old man was the personification of Death, and his scythe the tool he used for his work

By dawn of Christmas Day, the blacksmith was dead, a victim of his own blasphemy, for by working on such a holy day he had grievously

flouted its sanctity.

Church bells were not the only bells associated with traditional Christmas celebrations. In many communities, carolers were accompanied by hand bell-ringers when they made their rounds.

In other communities, bell-ringers donned masks and went from door to door on Christmas Eve. These bellringers, called Belsnickles, were often repaid with a plate of cookies, also called Belsnickles, a recipe for which [reproduced from Mimi Sheraton's classic cookbook of Christmas sweets, Visions of Sugarplums (Harper & Row)] is given below.



- cup sugar
- whole egg egg yolks
- 1 to 11/2 cups flour
- teaspoon baking soda Pinch of salt
- Granulated sugar, for sprinkling

Pour butter over sugar and beat until creamy. Add eggs and beat well. Sift flour twice with baking soda and salt. Resift gradually into butter mixture, adding only enough flour to make a dough you can roll. Beat thoroughly until mixture holds together. Chill several hours. Roll out to paper thinness on a lightly floured board. Cut into 1-

inch rounds, sprinkle liberally with granulated sugar and place on a but-tered baking sheet. Bake in preheated 400° oven for 8 to 10 minutes, or until faintly golden around the edges.

Makes 4 to 5 dozen cookies

Today, some of our most popular holiday songs evoke the cheerful chiming of bells at Christmastime.

"Jingle Bells," which dates from the middle of the 19th century and which was written for a Boston Sunday School event, is probably the most famous of these, but also very well-known is the enchanting "Silver Bells," a paean to the joys of Christmas in the city, which was per-formed in the 1951 Bob Hope movie, The Lemon Drop Kid, but popularized by Bing Crosby.

More meaningful by far is the poem 'Christmas Bells," by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, which has, since its composition during the Civil War, been set to a variety of tunes. In it, the joy the Christmas bells evoke is contrasted with the pain caused by war and killing. The poet cries out in anguish, but the bells peal their reassuring response

'The Wrong shall fail, The Right prevail,

With peace on earth, good-will to men!

It is this message that Christmas brings to the world each year, reminding us anew of the importance of love, compassion and kindness-the most basic fabric of the Christmas spirit.

Dixie Doin's: Feasts. **Festivities Adapted For** Southern-Style Christmas

Centuries-old European customs are the most commonly practiced during the Christmas season, but anencyclopedia co-edited by two University of Mississippi professors credits Southerners with having created in few holiday traditions of their own.

For example, according to the "Encyclopedia of Southern Culture," the wide-spread acceptance of poinsettias as the Christmas flower dates from 1825, when a Charleston, S.C., man with that name brought the redleafed plant from Mexico as a gift.

Southerners also replaced the European firs and cedars with pines recreation as the Christmas tree in the South. Other regional touches include the substitution of turkey and seafood for the traditional European beef and goose at holiday feasts. Parties and the exchanging of gifts at Christmas were toned down by the Puritans, who regarded excessive holiday festivities as almost sacrilegious. That all changed once One of the joys of Christmas is remembering. It's always nice for us to recall the pleasant association we have with our customers. Many thanks.



THE JOYFUL RINGING OF BELLS ushers in the merriment of the Christmas season. Here, in an 1874 illustration from Harper's Weekly entitled "Santa Claus is Coming!" by Thomas Worth, a bearded angel rings the bells as Santa arrives in his reindeer-driven sleigh. SX901859

back-country rural areas, plantation houses became the scene of sometimes extravagant Christmas partying, eating and drinking. Bourbon-soaked fruitcakes baked from family recipes and eggnog with rum quickly became Southern favorites at Christmas. Games -- including an early-morning hunt for deer, rabbit, duck or quail -- became a standard activity by men and boys on Christmas

The French in Louisiana originated the use of fireworks at Christmas and burning of bonfires along the Mississippi River on Christmas Eve. To this day, in the South fireworks can be seen and heard on Christmas Day as much, or even more so, than on the Fourth of July.

"Perhaps the reason Southerners seem to go all out for Christmas is that they have always enjoyed having a good time," said Dr. Bill Ferris, director of the Center for Southern Studies at Ole Miss and co-editor with Dr. Charles Wilson of the "Encyclopedia of Southern Culture," "It dates back to antebellum days when living was much more simple and people got together for relaxation and

Bayou on one occasion when his reindeer were ill.

"This kind of folklore is exemplary of Southerners' innate ability to adapt. Even with difficult situations and limited resources, Southerners always somehow manage to enjoy Christmas," he said.

"Perhaps this explains why, no matter how far people may move



away from the South, if they away from the South, they always con family in the South, they always con home for Christmas," he added

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The Wassail Bowl is the center adult festivities in Scotland. Its origination adult rest in antiquity, but tradition endowed the Wassail Bowl legendary romance. It is ornament in design and decorated with bra ches of greenery. The mixture with is warm and sweet, and wine sometimes added to the ale and sugar and spices.



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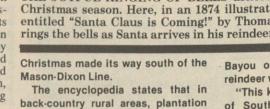
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"Though Southerners are not exempt from the stress and pressures life can bring, they find celebrations and festivities as ways to ease the tension," Ferris added.

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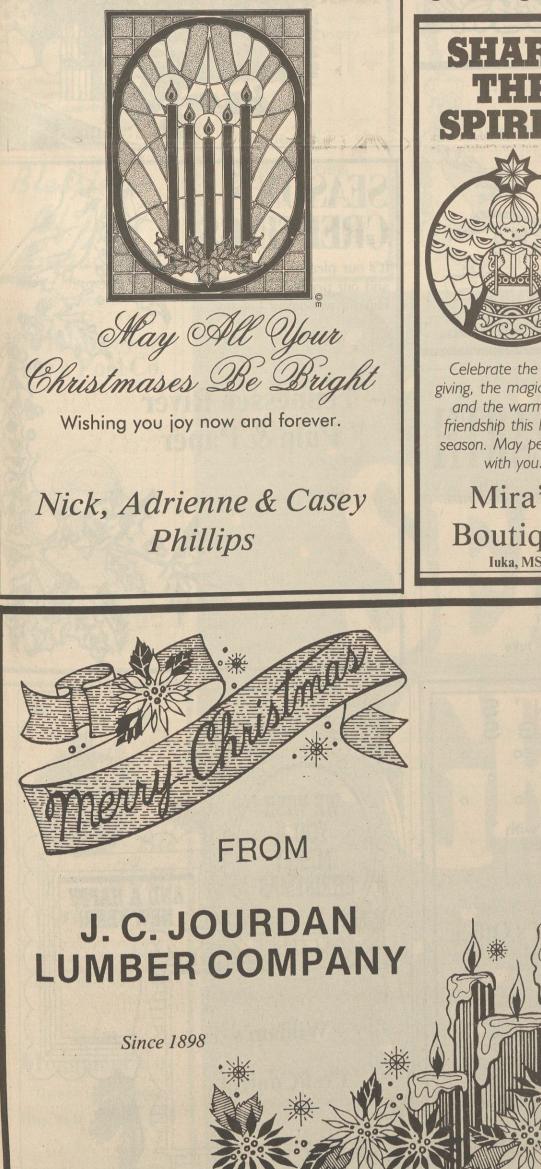
In the days before Christmas, Mother would be busy at the old wood tove, baking special breads, pies, akes and sugar cookies, or making naple sugar candy. Sister would be helping mother in the kitchen, while prother kept the wood box filled with vood.

Dad would go into the woods and hop down the Christmas tree, bring-



wooden doll.

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Nearby someone held a ten-foot pole that had a wet sponge tied on the end, should a fire start.

The bells would ring out over the countryside, bringing families in their sleighs or bobsleds, eager to worship paper cones filled with homemade the new-born King. What a delightful, jingling sound the bells on the horses The Christmas season actually bewould make, as they trotted through gan much earlier in the old days, for the snowy countryside. The bobsled or most gifts were handmade and so had sleigh would be filled with hay, and the to be worked on months in advance. youngsters would snuggle under lap The boys often made wooden objects, robes and gaze at the stars above, or while the girls might embroider handhop on one of the heavy runners for an kerchiefs or aprons. Mother, of course, exciting ride. kept her needles busy as she knit or

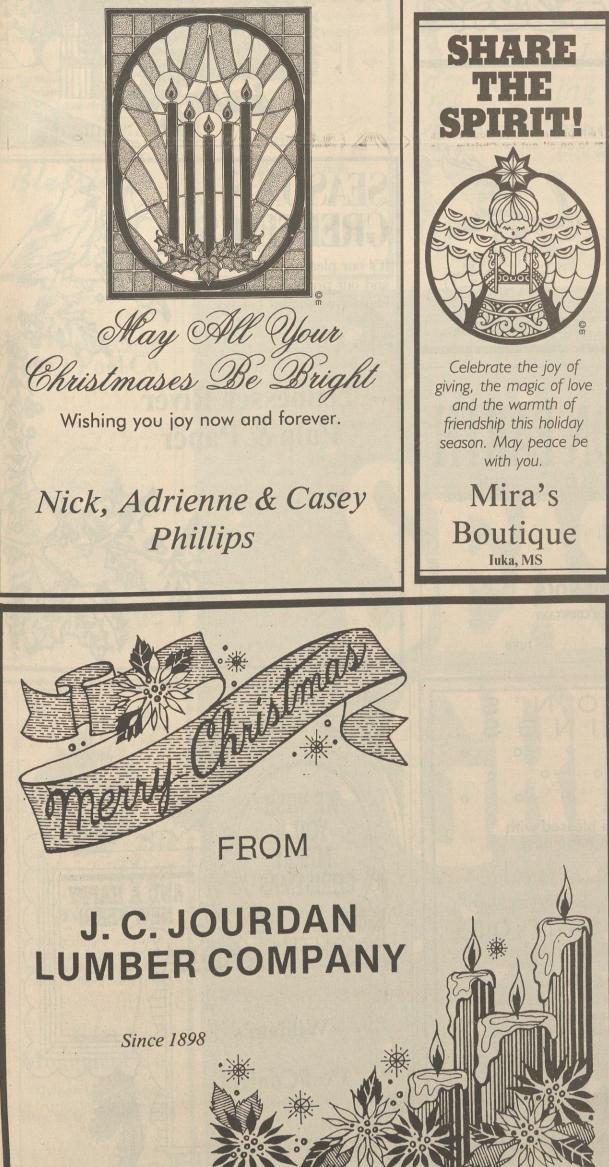
A Christmas play would be percrocheted garments for the whole faformed at the church by the children, mily. Dad would whittle whistles or and afterwards Santa would make an animals, or make a hobby horse or appearance, rewarding the youngsters with goodies. On Christmas Eve, at the old coun-

After hanging their stockings over the fireplace on Christmas Eve, the children would go to bed, happy with anticipation. They slept in big, fluffy beds, with feather ticks and feather comforters. If it was an especially cold night, mother would wrap a hot iron in flannel to warm their feet.

On Christmas morning, the youngsters would dash downstairs to find their stockings filled with nuts, apples, peppermint canes, hard ribbon candy, tin horns and a real orange in the toe of each stocking!

After Christmas dinner, the youngsters would go sledding or skating. Later, by the lamplight, the family might gather around the organ and sing carols, or perhaps dad would read a favorite scripture passage or a poem. Christmas of long ago was a simple, unhurried, and happy time.





Poinsettias Make Home Festive For Holidays

The Aztecs valued poinsettias for their red brilliance centuries ago, and little has changed since then except the varieties and patterns of color introduced by today's plant breeders.

Down through history, decorators have graced hallways, tables and windows with the colorful plants. And in 1990, consumers are finding new ways to use poinsettias to make their home a little more festive for Christmas.

"Christmas just wouldn't be Christmas without the beautiful poinsettias," said Dr. David Tatum, extension ornamentals specialist with the horticulture department at Mississippi State University. Because of the choice in color, size, shape and texture, there is a poinsettia out there to fit every mood, color scheme and pocketbook."

Poinsettias are native to Mexico, and were first cultivated in the present-day region of Taxco. The the Aztecs called plant 'Cuetlaxochitl'' symbolized purity and it also had practical value. The colorful leaves, or bracts, were used to make a reddish-purple dye; the milky juice,or latex, was made in medicine to combat fever.

In the 17th century, some Franciscan priests settled in Taxco, and fell in love with the vivid red plant classified by a German taxonomist as Euphorbia Pulcherrima. Because the blooming time fell near Christmas, the priests used poinsettias in the Fiesta of Santa Pesebre, a nativity celebration.

Poinsettias were imported to the United States in the early 1800s by Joe Robert Poinsett, the first United States ambassador to Mexico. Poinsett was a noted botanist, and he shared the plant with other horticulturists and botanical gardens. Named in his honor, the plants were initially marketed as the Euphorbia poinsettia.

What really kicked off the popularity and worldwide availability of the poinsettia were the efforts of Albert Ecke, a German immigrant who settled near Los Angeles in 1902. Ecke and his family saw an opportunity to sell poinsettias in the fresh flower market. Ecke's descedants still produce poinsettias, and they own patents for the majority of the poinsettia varieties grown commercially today.

"The most popular color, of course, is red," Tatum said. "But because of the Eckes, the consumer can choose from a variety of hues such as petal pink, deep rose, gold, ivery and cream.'

Because of a marbled characteristic introduced into new varieties by plant breeders, consumers need not choose red over white or pink

over yellow. Consumers can buy poinsettias that carry two or more colors and create a dazzling effect by the hearth or through a walkway.

"Some older homes that have been restored are decorated in deepburgundies and dusty colors," said Dr. Lester Estes, professor of horticulture at MSU. "The marbled poinsettias and new shades go splendidly with those color schemes."

Tradition says that poinsettias be used as centerpieces on dining and coffee tables. New sizing and container arrangements have opened up decorating possibilities in nontraditional areas.

"Placing poinsettias in the

bathroom and the bedroom is a perfect way to add festivity to a household." Tatum said.

"Miniature poinsettias can be arranged with lighted candles to create a warm, rosy glow in windows and kitchen nooks. Hanging baskets in the den or dining room can also heighten the mood."

Hanging Stockings

St. Nicholas, so legend says, secretly gave gifts of gold for the dowries of poor spinsters. He tossed the gold down a chimney on Christmas Eve, and on one occasion the gift landed in a stocking hung by the fireplace to dry.



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Many contemporary holiday traditions begin in the home

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Buildings don their Yuletide finery, as garlands in red and green and innumerable evergreens festoon lighted windows and welcoming doorways.

Shoppers return home, day after day, laden with mysterious packages. And, indoors, boxes of ornaments are brought down from the attic and lovingly uncrated, as the tantalizing aroma of home-baked cakes and cookies fills the air.

Indeed, the traditions of Christmas are many and varied, and each is an immutable part of the season. Yet, each individual family has its own traditions, too, and it is these that are often the most treasured.

While one family trims its tree with heirloom ornaments, brought over from Europe generations ago, another brings memories to life with homemade ornaments saved from year to year, the collection growing as the family does.

Yet another family ties special ornaments to beautifully wrapped Christmas presents. After the gifts have been opened, the new decorations, symbols of both givers and recipients, are hung on the tree, where they will appear again and again in following years.

In one family, it wouldn't be Christmas without Grandma's buttery spritz cookies; another schedules an afternoon of baking that they can enjoy together. While mom lights the oven and oversees the process, the kids happily roll and cut, and later decorate, their own gingerbread men.

Some families go out each year to a tree farm, where they can select the perfect evergreen, chopping it down

decorating living trees in their own front and back yards, with garlands of lights to beguile the eye, and birdseed balls to encourage those birds that haven't migrated to visit throughout the winter.

Some families keep a living tree indoors during the holiday season, then plant it after all the Christmas decorations have been taken down. Others dry the branches and trunks of their cut trees, saving them to throw on the fire the following Christmas. Both achieve a sense of continuity, something that is very much at the heart of the Christmas spirit

Stuffing the stockings is the centerpiece of one family's holiday festivities. Each Christmas Eve, after Midnight Mass and a late supper, everybody hurries about, hiding treasures in the long, bulging stockings that have been hung carefully on hooks over the fireplace

Another family, in a modern home without fireplaces, has made it a tradition to lay the already-filled stockings at the foot of each child's bed during the night, to be opened first thing in the morning

Some families organize skating parties each Christmas; others have evenings of caroling, culminating around a steamy bowl of wassail. And, while some go out for innumerable visits to family and friends, others take joy in staying home with those dearest and closest to them.

Above and beyond the customs that have been handed down through generations, individual family traditions make the holiday season truly special. These are personal expressions of the Christmas spirit, a spirit that lives and flourishes in an atmosphere of loving and giving, caring and sharing, a spirit that is as old as Christmas itself, yet forever new. SX901854

sidered ceremonially unclean. "It was just such an act that led

Mattathias Hasmonean, an orthodox Jewish priest, to kill a fellow Jew sacrificing a pig and the Greek officer supervising the sacrifice," he said. 'Mattathias fled from Jerusalem and organized an army of guerillas which fought the Greeks and other enemies of Judaism. After Mattathias' death, his son Judas Maccabbeus became the next great leader of the renegades.'

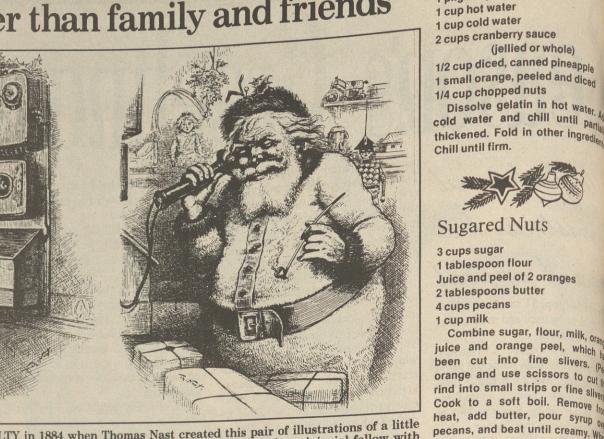
Maccabbeus led this troops to victory, overthrowing the Greeks. Legend has it that in the temple at Jerusalem, they found a vessel of oil with which they lit a lamp to begin a victory celebration. The oil-- and the celebration -- lasted for eight nights. It was decided that an eight-day festival of lights would occur on the anniversary of the victory each year thereafter, Harrington added.

"Hanukkah is a more somber festival, though it doesn't require participants to fast, in such as in Purim. There are close connections between Hanukkah and the old pagan winter solstice festivals in which lights or

Here's Hoping Your

Holiday Plans Run

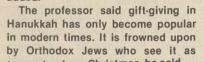
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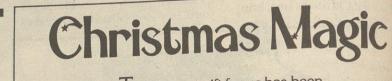
THE PHONE WAS STILL A NOVELTY in 1884 when Thomas Nast created this pair of illustrations of a little girl calling Santa, who picks up the receiver in his toy-and-package-filled workshop. A jovial fellow with creamy put on waxed paper ruddy cheeks, capacious belly and white beard, Nast's Santa, who graced the pages of Harper's Weekly for separte nuts. over 20 years, was the basis for today's most familiar image of St. Nick.

> fires were lit to celebrate the returning of the sun," he said.

'Still, there aren't nearly as many pagan religious elements in Hanukkah as there are in Christmas. That's largely because the Jews did not proselytize, so that they could avoid the influence of pagan religious customs in Judaism. Christianity, however, did proselytize and incorporated many pagan religious customs in the process," Harrington added.

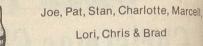


borrowing from Christmas, he said. Hanukkah commemorates a victory seen as a sign that God soon restore the kingdom of Isreal and use this kingdom and the Jews to bring all people to His worship," said Dr. Harrington.



The greatest gift for us has been getting to know you and your families. Happy holidays.

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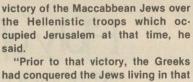


Judy, Diane, Ginny

Origin, **Purpose** Of Hanukkah Different **From That Of Christmas**

Though gift-giving is traditionally associated with both Christmas and Hanukkah, a University of Mississippi professor says there are more differences than similarities between the two religious holidays.

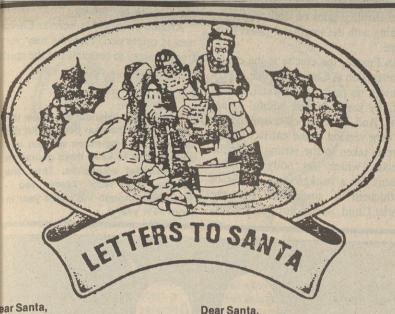
The eight-day Hanukkah festival, which begins on Dec. 12 this year, is an exclusively Jewish event, said Ole Miss Associate Professor of Philosophy and Religions Michael Harrington, It originated around 167 B.C. as a celebration of the military



area and were attempting -- with support form key Jewish leaders -- to turn Judaism into a Hellenistic religion," explained Dr. Harrington. "Such efforts included identifying the one God of Israel with Zeus, the chief of the many gods in Olympian religion.

Harrington said the Hellenistic regime also sought to alter traditional Jewish ritual law by forbidding circumsicion, allowing Jews to eat pork, and offering animal sacrifices con-





ear Santa For Christmas I would like to have its of barbies and some fashion lothes and some tapes.

Brady Moore

Live.

ear Santa, For Christmas I would like to have a arbie tape and a lot of Barbies. Love,

Tiffany Long ear Santa.

For Christmas I would like to have linja Turtles, with hide out, a Big oot Truck, Bingo game and lots of urprises. Love,

ear Santa,

indo game.

Brandon Holiday

For Christmas I would like to have a

by dumptruck, a remote control car, ninja turtle and some surprises. Love.

Johnny Massengill Jear Santa.

For Christmas I would like to have new kids on the block doll, building locks, and a shivers doll.

Love. **Tara Hone**

)ear Santa, For Christmas I would like to have lincoln logs and super mario 3, nin-

> Love, **Randy Dillard**

ear Santa,

For Christmas I would like to have a ool set, guitar with a microphone, a ean bag and a computor.

Love. Frankie Stidham

ear Santa, For Christmas I would like to have a redding fantasy Barbie and a Magic ey Set and a Magic Nursery Baby.

Love, **Katie Strickland**

ear Santa. For Christmas I would like to have legaMan II, some ninja turtles, and a olished rock kit.

Love, **Eric Bostick** Blessings Of The

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like to have a new bike and a new stero, a new T.V. for my room, a barbie tape, nintendo tape, and a VCR.

Dear Santa. For Christmas I would I like to have

teenage mutant ninja slash, Roffthel space cadet, Donatella, tape and Ray

> Love. **Seth Howie**

Dear Santa. For Christmas I would like to have

Fillet.

little miss hair-do, little miss makeup, and lots of barbies. Love.

Courtney Stanford Dear Santa.

For Christmas I would like to have a remote control boat, lots of ninja turtles, and a bunch of surprises. Love,

Dustin Crabb Dear Santa, For Christmas I would like to have a

nintendo tapes, roger rabbit movie, three Christmas movies, ninja turtle tapes and a dog.

Love, Timothy Smith Dear Santa.

For Christmas I would like to have a remote control car, a football suit, a bike and some surprises. Love.

Love, **Clayton Cox** Dear Santa.

For Christmas I would like to have a remote control car and boat, he man powered sword and spear, also some surprises.

Love, **Bud Durham**

Stacy Kennedy

It's Time To Sew Up



For Christmas I would like to have a

Love, **Kasey** Cagle

Dear Santa.

i am 8 years old and have been a good girl this year. What I want for Christmas is my pretty ballerina, gogo dog, bike, baby doll, sewing kit. Your Friend

Dear Santa,

I want a video game and a tape to go to it, and it will have to be Mario Brothers III. I want a walking Santa Claus black doll, and a toy Christmas tree, and I want a robot and a microwave, a ice cream maker. Tell Frosty the Snowman I like him and that I saw his movie. I wish you a Merry Christmas.

I Love You, Santa Claus, **Andrea Shumpert**

Dear Santa, I want a pretty ballerina and a car that goes(they have one at Walmart) I want a necklace and a ring for my Mama. I want a watch with diamonds for my Mama and Daddy and me cause I had one last Christmas and I lost it. And a lot of surprises. Oh, and Rub-a-Dub Dolly.

You are sweet and nice to little kids. I forgot I want a Santa Clause doll. I am going to have you some Christmas cookies and some milk and I might have something for Rudolph. I want a Mario Brothers III and a Ninja Turtle game.

Love You, dear Santa Claus, **Emily Selman**

Dear Santa,

I want a barbie doll, a play puppy, a book to read, and a table. I Love You,

Dear Santa,

I want a Nintendo, Mario Brothers, a doll that I saw in a magazine that lights with a hair bow, earrings and it has a bracelet and it has a heart on its suit. I want a baby that crawls and it falls fown and it cries when it falls down. And I want a Barbie Doll. I want a teddy bear and I want a train, and that's all. I want Rudolph Red Nosed Reindeer. Love,

Chaylee Butler

I would like a dog, a lunchbox, **April Carlisle**

Dear Santa.

fingerpaint, a Santa Claus picture, a Choo Choo Train, and a M.C. Hammer suit. And I want shoes for my M.C. Hammer suit. And I want Lego blocks. My PawPaw said he would take me out to see deer prints. I like deer. Please give my sister a barbie doll.

> Love. **Brandon Barnes**

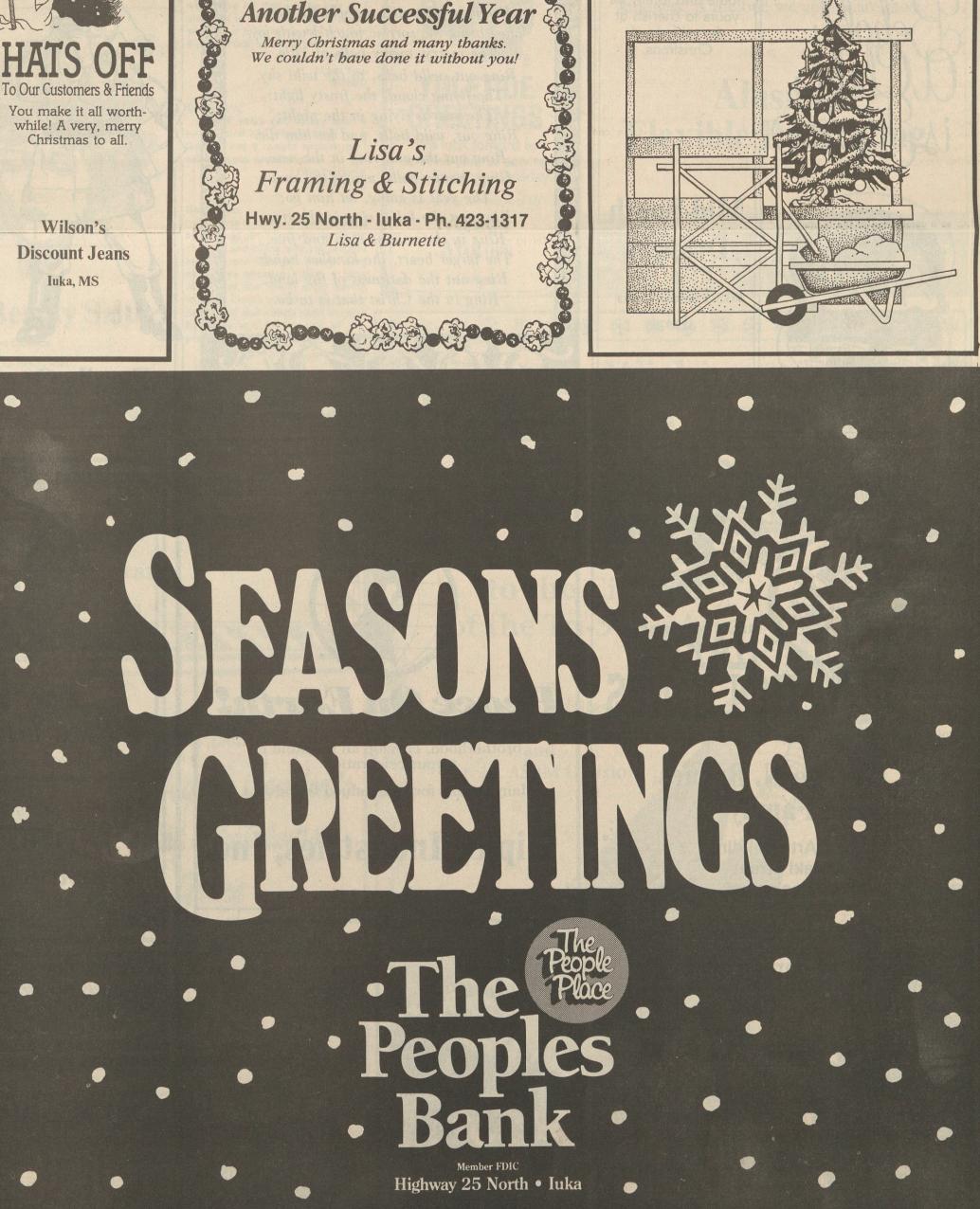
Dear Santa, I want some drums and some toys and Nintendo tape and a note to send back to me. And a teddy bear and lego blocks and a pet monkey.

> Thank You, **Michael Bogan**



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For Christmas I would like to have a

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For Christmas I would like to have a

baby alive and a baby upsy daisy and

a pretty cut and grow doll and a

trampoline and nintendo and some

nintendo game and some ninja turtles

Love.

Love,

Chris McKee

Daniel Parrish

toy car and a ninja turtle sweat suit

and some surprises.

and lots of surprises.

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa.

surprises.

Dear Santa.

You make it all worthwhile! A very, merry

go-go my walky pup and a baby alive and a shark attack game and candy land bingo game.

Love, Sonya

Jessica Hayley McVay

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Cannot compare to the love of family and the warmth of good friends. Hope your season is filled with both!

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& Christmas Blessings ?

Christmas traditions of other countries

The magic of Christmas reaches lar to our cider, with pan dulce or across continents to touch people of all races and tongues in a special way. Wherever you may travel, you will find the holiday season celebrated in a way that is special to the country you are in. For instance, in Sweden, St. Lucia's Day, December 13, ushers in the holiday season. Tradition dictates that the and wish them a happy holiday. These eldest daughter of the family must rise at dawn to serve coffee and cakes to morning! Children in Argentina don't her family. As St. Lucia, she wears a white robe and a halo of lighted candles. Public appearances by St. Lucia are quite common in Sweden today, where white-robed girls can be seen in schools and civic buildings on the saint's day

Holiday festivities begin with a parade in Mexico on December 16. For nine consecutive nights, "Joseph" and "Mary" search for a room at the inn, a reenactment known as "Las Posadas" in this country south of the border. At the end of the nine nights, the searchers are finally given posada, and a fiesta follows. For the children, the highlight of the fiesta is the breaking of the pinata, a clay container stuffed with candies and other goodies.

In Argentina, families attend midnight mass on Christmas Eve, then sit down to a big dinner with pork as the main course. After dinner, it's customary to enjoy a glass of sidra, simi-

panetone, as it is also called, due to the strong Italian influence in that country.

Another midnight libation is clarico, a blend of white wine, sugar and natural fruits of the season. After several toasts, it's time to visit friends visits go on until the wee hours of the receive their presents until January 6th. The night before, they put their shoes outside the door or window, a long with a tray holding a glass of water and some grass for the camels of Los Reves Magos, the Three Kings. In the morning, the grass and water will be gone, and in their shoes will be presents. Instead of Christmas trees in their homes, most Argentinians will have a presepre or nativity scene.

The holiday season begins two weeks before Christmas Eve in Portugal, when families go looking for their Christmas tree. In small towns, this usually means a trip to the forest, but in the cities, artificial trees are often used. The tree is decorated with lights and ornaments a few days before Christmas Eve. In Portugal, Christmas is a family affair, with everyone getting together for midnight supper, which may feature turkey. The young children place their shoes around the

May the love of

home and family be yours to cherish at the miracle of Christmas. **Mid-South** Drapery 203 S. Fulton St. in Iuka

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hold toys, candies and other gifts.

fireplace for Santa to fill during the at night, by the light of torches and night. In the morning, the shoes will candles. Special candles are sold in the shops, with the proceeds going to char-Down under, Christmas comes in ity. The custom of community carolthe summertime, a contrast to the ing goes back to the Cornish miners snowy scenes of Europe and many of the last century, who would gather parts of the United States. Australians on Christmas Eve in the Australian celebrate the season with a Christmas mines to sing carols, by the light of Day picnic and with another holiday candles stuck to the brims of their safetradition, the community sing. This ty hats. Today, some of the communigathering is always held out of doors, ty sings attract over 100,000 carolers.

Christmas and **New Year Bells BY ALFRED TENNYSON**

The time draws near the birth of Christ: The moon is hid; the night is still; The Christmas bells from hill to hill Answer each other in the mist. Four voices of four hamlets round, From far and near, on mead and moor, Swell out and fail, as if a door Were shut between me and the sound: Each voice four changes on the wind. That now dilate, and now decrease Peace and goodwill, goodwill and peace, Peace and goodwill, to all mankind. This year I slept and woke with pain. I almost wish'd no more to wake, And that my hold on life would break Before I heard those bells again: But they the troubled spirit rule, For they controll'd me when a boy; They bring me sorrow touch'd with joy, The merry, merry bells of Yule. Ring out, wild bells, to the wild sky, The flying cloud, the frosty light: The year is dying in the night; Ring out, wild bells, and let him die. Ring out the old, ring in the new, Ring, happy bells, across the snow: The year is going, let him go; Ring out the false, ring in the true. Ring in the valiant man and free, The larger heart, the kindlier hand; Ring out the darkness of the land. Ring in the Christ that is to be.

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The caroling goes on until midnight, ending with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne.

In France, the creche is the center of attraction at Christmas time. Every church, no matter how small, has its nativity scene for the faithful to admire. And, each French household has its own version of the nativity. Much care is taken in the setting up of the creche, which has holly or other greens for a background. A star of Bethlehem is suspended over the Christ Child, as candles add a reverent glow to the setting. Around the world, wherever Ch mas is celebrated, customs may, from country to country, but the of the season is ever the same

Unique Calendar

The Moslem calendar is unique; the 12 months of the year began with approximate new moon without a intercalation to keep them geared the seasonal equinoxes. Thus months, and New Years, ton retrograde through the entire year about 331/2 years.







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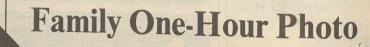
May universal good cheer and the spirit of

brotherhood, envelop all mankind in

joyous celebration.

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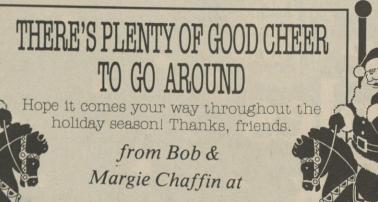
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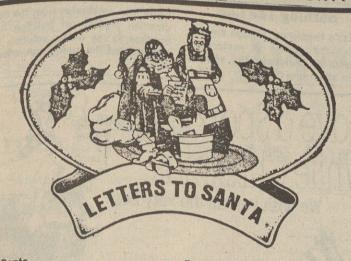
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Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

please get my Mama a cover sheet to go on her bed. Get me a go-cart, a remote control race car, a remote control big foot, and a remote control fire truck, and all the Nija Turtles, and even the jeep of the Ninja Turtles. Fill my stockings full, please. Thank your elves for getting me something last vear. How's your reindeer flying your sleigh and how's your reindeers doing with your elves. Get my Mama and Rhonda a vacuum cleaner. I'm going to get you some cookies and milk

> Love, **Chris Grimes**

Get me a microscope and fill my stockings full. Get my brother a little bitty toy man. Tell Rudloph I hope he likes his carrot we left him last year. Santa, we will leave you some cookies. Bring my Mama something and bring my Daddy some tools. I love you and I thank you for all the toys you brought me. I wish you a merry Christmas. Tell your reindeer merry Christmas, too, especially Rudolph.

Love Santa. **Austin Carr** Dear Santa, Thank you for all the

toys you give me. Please bring me a baby-alive, a radio, a game called dotsey, and a lot of surprises. Please bring my Pawpaw a shirt.

I Love Santa Claus, **Kristian Gooden**

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Love, laughs, joy and contentment... Christmas and you are a natural.

Dear Santa.

I want a toy dog, a little bear, a little doll that has hair, and little doll that has pink hair like my little sister's. I love you Santa Claus.

I Love You, Jessica Nobles Dear Santa Claus,

Love.

Dear Santa.

lots of surprises.

bring us this list of toys:

Andrea Cole - baby doll.

Wayne Ellsworth - bike.

Daniel Johnson - bike.

David Trim - radio.

Allen Keller · T.V.

Christy Masaro - baby doll.

Rebecca Webb - baby doll.

Misty Hodges - nintendo.

Angela Taylor - Baby doll.

Sabrina Barbar - baby doll.

Casondra Bennett - guitar.

Tim McCorkle - race track.

Ashley Phifer - baby doll.

Ashley Pruitt - baby doll.

Darren Rich - ninja turtle.

Jason Thacker - bat man suit.

Jennifer Jones - Shark attack game.

Please bring us some suprises. Also

My name is Micheal Day, I am 5

years old. I live in Tishomingo, Ms.

For Christmas I would like you to

Love.

Ms. Compton's

Kindergarten Class

bring Ms. Compton and Ms. Wilkins

Jonathan Seratt - bike.

Alyson White - skates.

something.

Ami Cummings - power wheel.

Stephanie Luttrell - cooking set.

Matthew Hudson - Choo Choo train.

Amber Carmack-ninja turtle bean bag.

Dear Santa.

My name is Harold Wayne Brock II.

I am 3 years old. I have been a good

boy this year. I want a choo-choo

train, building blocks, race track and

We have been good boys and girls

this year. We go to school at Bur-

nsville Elementary School. We are in

Mrs. Betty Compton's and Mrs. Jean

Wilkins' Kindergarten class. Please

I want a Barbie car and a Barbie and I want a new bike. I also want a chalkboard with chalk.

Rosemary Luttrell Dear Santa,

I want a red rose and a new stocking and a Raggedy Ann and Andy stuffed doll and a coloring book. I love you Santa Claus. Tell Rudolph and the elves that they are sweet and kind.

> Love, **Ginger Massey**

Dear Santa.

Hi. My name is Kristen Danielle

Thanks,

P.S. If it seems as if you are gonna be extra good to me at Christmas I'll be sweet and leave you a cookie along with Rudolph's carrot.

Guenther, I am 23 months old and I've been an absolute angel all year. (well, with a few exceptions) anyhow, for Christmas I'd like a baby doll, clothes, table and chairs and all of the other things I deserve.

Dear Santa.

P.S. We will leave you some cookies and milk on the table. Also some carrots for your reindeer.

Kris

bring me 8 reindeers and 1 with a shiny nose, and would you also bring me a sleigh for my deers to pull. I would like for these to be real so I could sit in the sleigh. Santa would you please bring me some toys, too. A dump truck, loader, skidder.

Thanks Love You Micheal

Dear Santa.

I am 6 years old, I have been a nearly good boy. Please bring me a jambox, and a remote control car, I will leave you something too. Love You Lots,

Jesse Walters

Dear Santa.

My name is Leslie. I have tried to be a very good girl. Thank you for my kitchen set and all the toys you brought me last year. This year please bring more toys because I have a baby sister and she would enjoy having toys too. Please bring me a boy friend barbie doll and a baby sparkles, also bring me and Catline lots of sur-

Dear Santa.

Dear Santa.

cars.

race cars.

and sink.

bear.

Christmas.

Dear Santa,

Love,

H.B.

The boys and girls in Miss Pat and

Miss Judy's room at Burnsville Head-

start have been very good. Here is our

Zachary Bray . Power Wheels and

Johnathan wilson - Whole bunch of

Anna Skelton - Play stove, refrigerator

Emily Powers - Slide and swimming

Lacey Frederick - Kitty cat and teddy

Natasha Thompson - Baby you give a

Shanna Waldrop - lots of presents.

Kristy Grisham - Purse and billfold.

Jesse Julen · Ninji Turtle bean bag.

P.S. We would like for you to be extra

good to Mrs. Delma Lovelace this

I am 4 years old. I have been a good

boy this year. Please bring me a bike

and some ninja turtle skates.

Love.

Love.

Zachary Puckett

Merry Christmas

Burnsville Headstart

Sammy Linton - Choo-Choo train.

list of toys for you to bring.

Kyle Stricklen - Race Track.

Justin Johnson - Jeep.

Josh Kennedy - Batman.

Don Flanagan - Race cars.

Josh Zinman · Motorcycle.

Kathleen Appleby - Bicycle.

pool for barbie dolls.

bottle and pacifier.

Ronny McNatt - 2 guitars.

I want a toy car, truck, and a real reindeer. I also want a suit like Michaelangelo's, some socks, a teddy bear, and a toy dog and sleigh. So I want make it so hard on you and your elves.P.S. one more thing I also want a bike, too. Merry Christmas. Love.

Joshua Carlisle

Dear Santa, I want a Nintendo, then I want a I'm walking GoGo Dog, then I want you to send me a note back. Thank you. If you have already written a note from over where you live you don't have to write it again.

Dear Santa

I want a Nintendo tape, a Ninia Turtle one, and a baby puppy, and a white sword, and a toy remote control car, and those things that goes on dirt and on water, that's all. Send me a letter back

> Love. **Steve Bolton**

Lighting The Tree

Martin Luther started the custom of lighting the tree, legend says.

To symbolize stars glowing forth on a snow-filled winter's night, he placed lighted candles on his family's traditional Christmas tree.

Stacie Sparks TO THE WORLD May the spirit of peace and friendship visit your home

Bye Santa,

this Christmas season.

Richard, Cheryl, & **Nathenial Clark**



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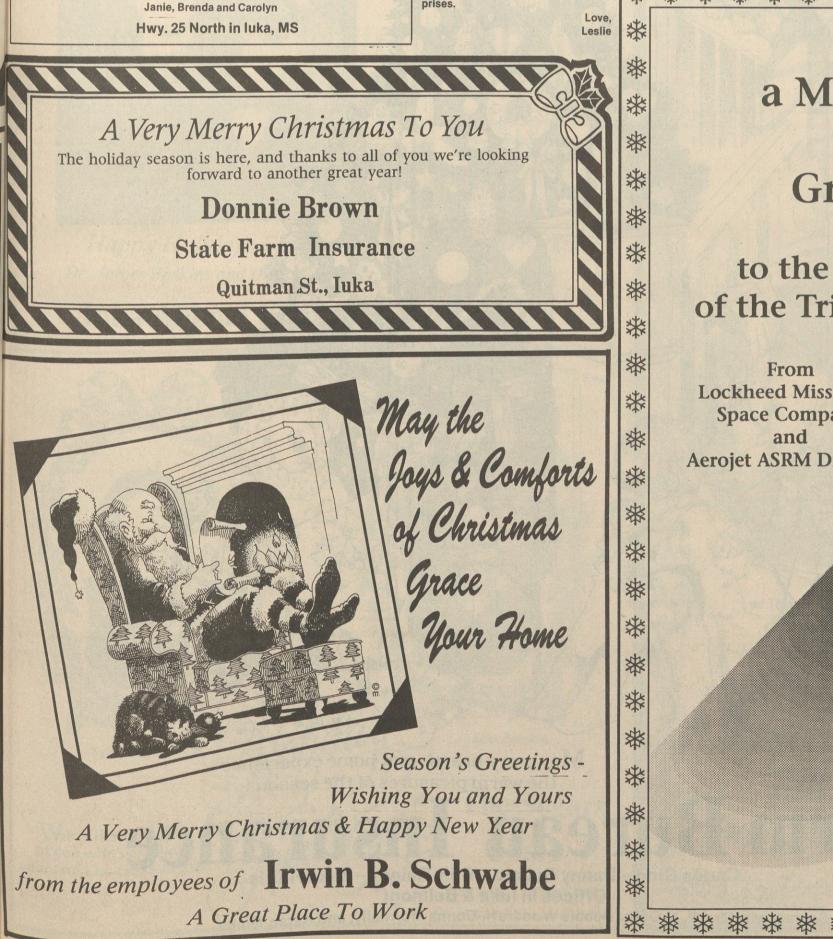
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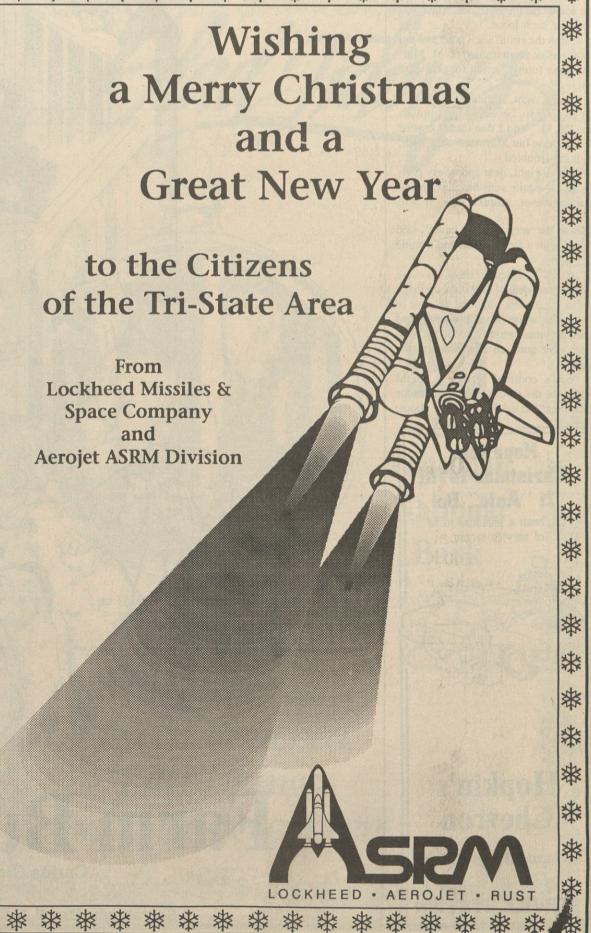
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another year of serving

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L. M. Alcott's "Christmas at Orchard House"

You've been a joy to know and a pleasure to serve.

Best wishes for a happy holiday season.

Horace Ledgewood & Staff

at

Tishomingo County

Tax Assessor-Collector Office

dawn of Christmas morning. No stockings hung at the fireplace, and for a moment she felt as much disappointed as she did long ago, when her little sock fell down because it was so crammed with goodies. Then she remembered her mother's promise, and slipping her hand under her pillow, drew out a little crimson-covered book. She knew it very well, for it was that beautiful old story of the best life ever lived, and Jo felt that it was a true guidebook for any pilgrim going the long journey.

She woke Meg with a "Merry Christmas," and bade her see what was under her pillow. A green-covered book appeared, with the same picture inside, and a few words written by their mother, which made their one present very precious in their eyes. Presently Beth and Amy woke, to rummage and find their little books also one dove-colored, the other blue; and all sat looking at and talking about them, while the east grew rosy with the coming day. In spite of her small

vanities, Margaret had a sweet and pious nature, which unconsciously influenced her sisters, especially Jo, who loved her very tenderly, and obeyed her because her advice was so gently given.

"Girls," said Meg seriously, looking from the tumbled head beside her to the two little night-capped ones in the room beyond, "mother wants us to read and love and mind these books. and we must begin at once. We used to be faithful about it; but since father went away, and all this war trouble unsettled us, we have neglected many things. You can do as you please; but I shall keep my book on the table near, and read a little every morning as soon as I wake, for I know it will do me good, and help me through the day."

Then she opened her new book and began to read. Jo put her arm round her, and, leaning cheek to cheek, read also, with the quiet expression so seldom seen on her restless face.

"How good Meg is! Come, Amy, let's do as they do. I'll help you with the hard words, and they'll explain

things if we don't understand," whispered Beth, very much impressed by the pretty books and her sisters' example.

"I'm glad mine is blue," said Amy; and then the rooms were very still while the pages were softly turned, and the winter sunshine crept in to touch the bright heads and serious faces with a Christmas greeting.

"How nice my handkerchiefs look, don't they? Hannah washed and ironed them for me, and I marked them all myself," said Beth, looking proudly at the somewhat uneven letters which had cost her such labor

Jo was the first to wake in the gray while Meg went to conduct mother to about the little spiders and how they the seat of honor.

> Beth played her gayest march, Amy threw open the door, and Meg enacted escort with great dignity.

Mrs. March was both surprised and touched; and smiled with her eyes full as she examined her presents, and read the little notes which accompanied them. The slippers went on at once, a new handkerchief was slipped into her pocket, well scented with Amy's cologne, the rose was fastened in her bosom, and the nice gloves were pronounced a "perfect fit."

Why the Christmas **Tree Wears Icicles And Tinsel**

One of the most beloved stories is

helped trim the tree.

According to the old tale, one Christmas morning after the tree had been trimmed, it reposed there in all its glory, awaiting the children.

Every old house (and many a new) has spiders; curious creatures that they are, they wanted to see the lovely tree, too ... not just from the floor, but up close. So they crept all over it until they had satisfied themselves completely that the tree was indeed a wondrously beautiful thing. But as they crept, they left cobwebs...beautiful, also, to Nature's eyes, but not so attractive to mothers'.

When the Christ Child came to bless the tree, he realized that the mother of the household would be dismayed. So He touched the webs...and they all turned to silver.

Ever since that time, Christmas trees are hung with shining tinsel.

Shining icicles are also part of the pretty Christmas picture. Another old story gives a reason.

One wintry night the Christ Child was wandering through a forest. It was cold and he knew he must find shelter for the night. The trees were bare. But a pine tree with low-hanging branches offered some protectionform the wind.

When the pine tree, with its prescience that is known only to God, realized it was caring for the Christ Child, tears of joy fell from its branches. As they fell, they froze into icicles.

In the morning the pine tree had been transformed into a vision of dazzling brilliance.

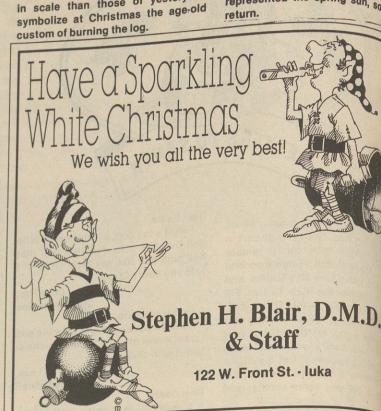
And that is why at Christmastime we trim the tree with icicles.



CHRISTMAS EDITION - TISHOMINGO COUNTY NEWS **Burning The Log** Today's fireplaces, though smaller

in scale than those of yesteryear,

The Yule log was adapt Christmas celebrates from the dinavian practice of building bonfires at the winter solstice represented the spring sun, su return.





with peace, happiness and good plain fun! Many thanks

From James & Peggy Wadkins and all the girls at

Chuckwagon Restaurant

'Bless the child! she's gone and put 'Mother' on them instead of 'M. March.' How funny!" cried Jo, taking up one

"Isn't it right,? I thought it was better to do it so, because Meg's initials are 'M.M.,' and I don't want anyone to use these but Marmee," said Beth, looking troubled.

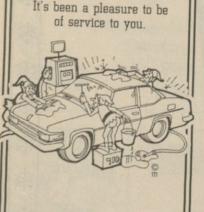
"It's all right, dear and a very pretty idea - quite sensible, too, for no one can ever mistake now. It will

please her very much, I know," said Meg, with a frown for Jo and a smile for Beth.

inora very splendid show, our arere was a great deal of love done up in the to bundles; and the tall vase of red roses, white chrysanthemums, and trailing vines, which stood in the middle, gave quite an elegant air to the table.

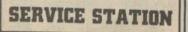
"She's coming! Strike up, Beth! Open the door, Amy! Three cheers for Marmee!" cried Jo, prancing about,

> **Hope Your Christmas Is All** It "Auto" Be!



Hopkin's Chevron

Gerald, Peggy & Jeff





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From St. Nicholas to Santa

Christmas and Santa Claus are syn-ers, who consider St. Nicholas their panymous in many countries, but this was not always so. The jolly old gent s actually the result of an evolving process through the centuries, although he does have his origins as a real person. To be more accurate, he is probably a combination of St. Nicholas, and an ancient yule god. St. Nicholas was a fourth-century hishop of Myra in Asia Minor, who had won a reputation for generosity. According to the legend, the good bishop had saved three young maidens from spinsterhood or worse, by providing their impoverished father with dowries for each of the daughters. He suppos-

edly left three bags of gold on the man's

window ledge. This is why pawnbrok-

tron saint, traditionally have three golden balls outside their shops.

Another legend about St. Nicholas tells of the holy man's discovery of three murdered youngsters; the saint brought them back to life, hence his association with children.

In Holland, St. Nicholas became Santa Klaas, eagerly awaited by youngshoes with hay, water and carrots for the saint's horse, and place them before the fireplace.

In the morning, these clogs would be filled with sweets and small presents if the youngsters had been good, or birch rods if they had been naughty.

fireplace or chimney can be traced to the famed cartoonist Thomas Nast to pre-Christian times when hearth gods illustrate Moore's conception of Sanand gods of the yule log were honored. In ancient times, there was always a yule figure associated with mid-winter festivals; he was seen sometimes as an old man whose head of Santa Claus, however. As time went was wreathed with mistletoe or holly. The northern tribes worshipped the god Woden, who rode across frozen wastes to bring presents to his devotees in the middle of winter.

In some cultures, this pagan yulesters, who would fill their wooden figure evolved into Father Christmas as Christianity took root. In Sweden, Father Christmas still retains a gnomish aspect, but the English see Father Christmas as a tall, wine-flushed reveler.

The Dutch who came to America brought with them their tradition of the benevolent Santa Klaas. It remained for an imaginative professor of Oriental and Greek literature to bring together the elements of the stately bishop of the Dutch and the elfish figures of Northern Europe.

His name was Dr. Clement Clarke Moore, and during the Christmas season of 1822, he wrote a poem for his children that brought to life his own conception of Sante Klaas, now named Santa Claus. He called his poem The Visit of St. Nicholas, and in it he described Santa as "a jolly old elf" with twinkling eyes and merry dimples. Interestingly enough, Moore is said to have based his description of Santa on a Dutchman who lived nearby. The man was short and chubby and smoked a pipe. Moore was certainly familiar with the writings of Washington Irving, who had described St. Nicholas, the patron saint of the Dutch colony, and the saint's annual ride over the tree tops in a wagon filled with gifts.

Clement's poem was published a year later and had immediate success



Santa Claus' connection with the with the public. It remained only for ta Claus to firmly plant that image in the public's mind. Nast's illustrations were closer to the gnome-like figures of the past than contemporary versions on, other artists changed the furry suit and furry round hat to a red suit and a cap with a tassel.

> Today, the image of a jolly and chubby Santa Claus is one that is universally accepted as a symbol of good cheer and generosity to children all over the world.

When Families Gather, It's Christmas!

Through the years, the ways of celebrating Christmas have taken on many different forms.

Today's Christmas tree is apt to be plastic or aluminum, rather than nature's own fir, spruce or pine. The glow of tiny beeswax candles on a tree is only a memory, replaced now

by strings of twinkling electric lights. Jolly Santa, once transported only by reindeer-drawn sleigh, may now arrive by helicopter or jet plane.

But in spite of changes, the essence of the season, the basic spirit of Christmas, stays the same.

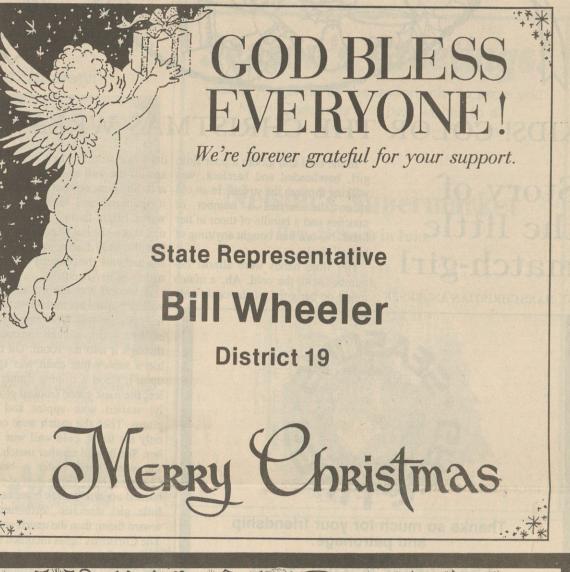
Christmastide is, above all, a time

for togetherness and rejoicing. And a modern Christmas, just like an oldfashioned Christmas, calls for gatherings of family and friends, with much merriment, fun and feasting.

Right now in this community, families are celebrating the holiday with just such gatherings, such merriment, fun and feasting.

Like families of yesteryear, they celebrate with gifts and greens, with the warmth of a glowing hearth and the gleam of a lighted tree, with stockings hung by the chimney with care and even with candles, though these beckon brightly from candleholders rather than from the tree.

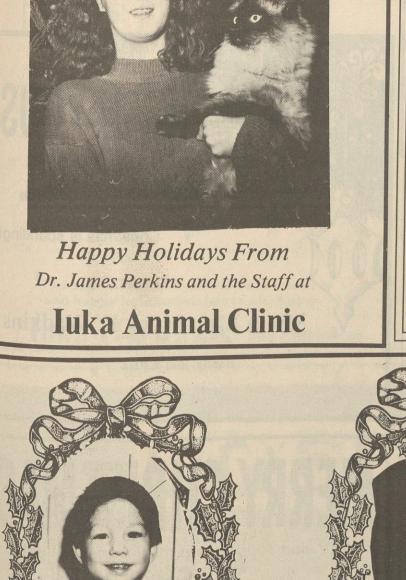




We Wish You A Merry Christmas!



Christopher Grant and Lindsey Brooke Phifer The Clothes Cottage Pleasant Hill Road - Iuka



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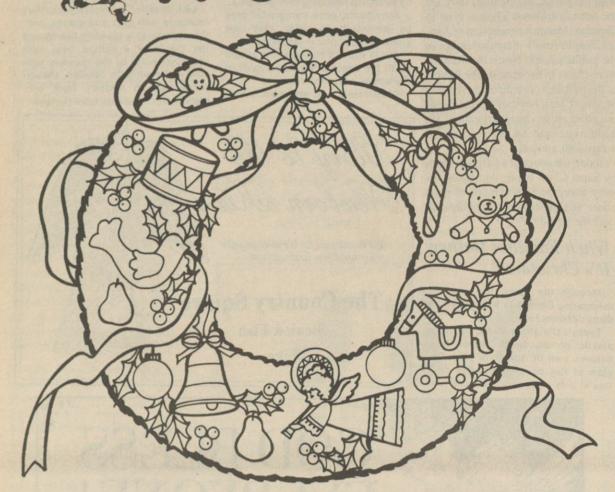
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Lee Thorne and Wezley Whitaker

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A Child's Christmas.



KIDS! COLOR THE CHRISTMAS WREATH!

her all day!

Story of the little match-girl

BY HANS CHRISTIAN ANDERSEN



In the cold and gloom a poor little draw one from the bundle and rub it girl, bareheaded and barefoot, was against the wall and warm her hands walking through the streets. In an old at it. She drew one out. R-r-atch! How apron she carried a number of it sputtered and burned! It was a matches and a bundle of them in her warm, bright flame, like a little canhand. No one had bought anything of dle, when she held her hands over it. But the little flame went out...and

Her little hands were almost be- she had only the remains of the burnt numbed with the cold. Ah, a match match in her hand. might do her good, if she could only

A second was rubbed against the wall. It burned up, and when the light fell upon the wall it became transparent like a thin veil, and she could see through it into the room. On the table a snow-white cloth was spread; upon it stood a shining dinner service; the roast goose smoked gloriously, stuffed with apples and dried plums. Then the match went out and only the thick, cold wall was before her. She lighted another match. Then she was sitting under a beautiful Christmas tree. Thousands of candles burned upon the green branches. The little girl stretched forth her hand toward them; then the match went out. The Christmas lights mounted higher. She saw them now as stars in the sky; one of them fell down, forming a long line of fire.

"Now someone is dying," thought the little girl, for her old grandmoth the only person who had loved her, and who was now dead, had told her that when a star fell down a soul mounted up to God. She rubbed another match against the wall; it became bright again, and in the brightness the old grandmother stood clear and shining, mild and

She took the little girl in her arms, and both flew in brightness and joy above the earth, very, very high, and up there was neither cold, nor hunger, nor care - they were with God.



RUDOLPH

One of the most beloved figures in modern Christmas lore, Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer, was born when a Montgomery Ward advertising copywriter named Robert L. May was told to create a booklet which could be given to children at Christmastime.

That was in 1939, and "Rudolph with his nose so bright," the nose which made him a laughingstock among the other reindeer, has charmed generations of children for over 50 years.

Interestingly enough, the words of the song, "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer," were not included in the original booklet that told Rudolph's story, and were not written by May.

Rather, 10 years after May's original creation, his brother-in-law, composer Johnny Marks, put Rudolph's tale to music, and wrote the lyrics with which we are familiar today.

Cowboy-singer Gene Autry recorded the tune, which was released in the fall of 1949 and quickly became a smash hit. SX901861



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The best

Christmas

gift of all!

Sally's brother Timmy was writing

a letter to Santa, when she asked him,

"Timmy, would you write Santa a let-

ter for me, too?" Sally didn't know

you want Santa to bring you?" Sally thought and thought. "I don't know what to ask for," she told her brother. "That's easy," said Timmy. "Why

I don't think I want a fire engine," Sally said. "Then how about a transform-

what you want to ask Santa first. I

two dolls, a toy stove and sink, a dollhouse, crayons and a coloring book,

and lots and lots of stuffed animals.

She thought about it every day un-

til it was Christmas Eve, and she still

had not thought of something she

For the first time she could remem-

ber, Sally was not excited as she and

didn't already have.

Sally looked at all her toys. She had

have to write my own letter now!"

how to write, you see.

a transformer."

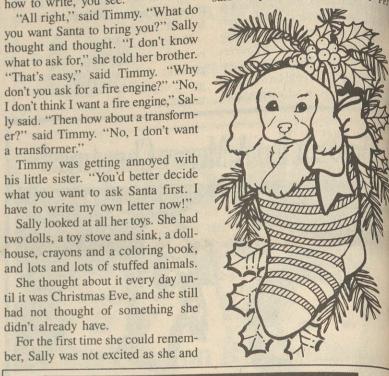
Timmy hung their stockings over chimney.

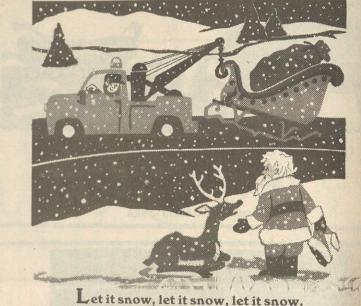
On Christmas morning, Timmy the first one out of bed. He dash into the living room and soon he can running into Sally's room to wake h up. "Sally!" he said, "Come see wh Santa brought you!" Sally jumped of bed and ran to the living room There, under the tree, was a big h marked "To Sally from Santa"

Sally ran to the box and looked Inside was an adorable puppy! Sal scooped the puppy up and hugged in The puppy licked Sally's face and wagged its tail happily.

Just then, Sally's parents came in the living room. "Look what San brought me," Sally said, showing them the puppy. Sally's moth smiled. "I guess Santa knew there was something you didn't already have "Yes, and it's the best present event

said Sally, hugging her new puppy

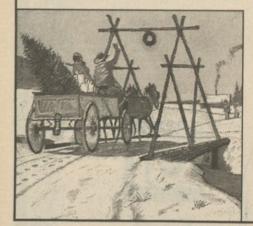




Let it snow, let it snow, let it snow. Happy holidays and many thanks for thinking of us. **Parson's Truck Parts & Garage**

Have a Holiday Filled with Old-Fashioned Love & Joy

The simple pleasures are still the best. and for us that means having the chance to say thanks to all of you.



Merry Christmas From Everyone At The Family Outlet







We've come a long way since the horse-drawn carriage, but our commitment to family traditions and old-fashioned values remains the same. Happy holidays and heartfelt thanks to our many good friends.

From All The Employees At McNatt Ford, Inc.





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She brought forth her firstborn son, and



A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU," read the first commercial Christmas card, above, from the collection of the Pierpont Morgan Library in New York. Designed in 1843 by John Calcott Horsley at the initiative of Henry Cole, 1,000 copies of the hand-colored ithograph were printed in postcard form, to be sent to the recipients via England's recently inaugurated "penny post." This innovation llowed people to forward traditional New Year's greetings (previously lelivered by hand, an arrangement which could be as costly as it was inreliable), both inexpensively and efficiently. SX902459

We Join You In Prayer ______and Celebration

> Christmas is a time to reflect on our blessings, and we're honored to count your friendship among ours.

Tishomingo County Circuit Court Clerk

Gerald Parsons

Deputies: JoAnn Bolton

and Glenda Bolton

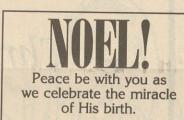
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POISED IN FRONT OF THE FIREPLACE, Santa Claus looks back over his shoulder in "A Visit From St. Nicholas," by Robert W. Weir, an oil painting on wood from the collections of the New York Historical Society. Painted circa 1837, it's the earliest known color painting of Santa. Weir, who taught drawing at West Point, was a friend of Clement Clarke Moore... athor of the immortal Christmas poem, "A Visit From St. Nicholas."

Who's coming down the chimney?



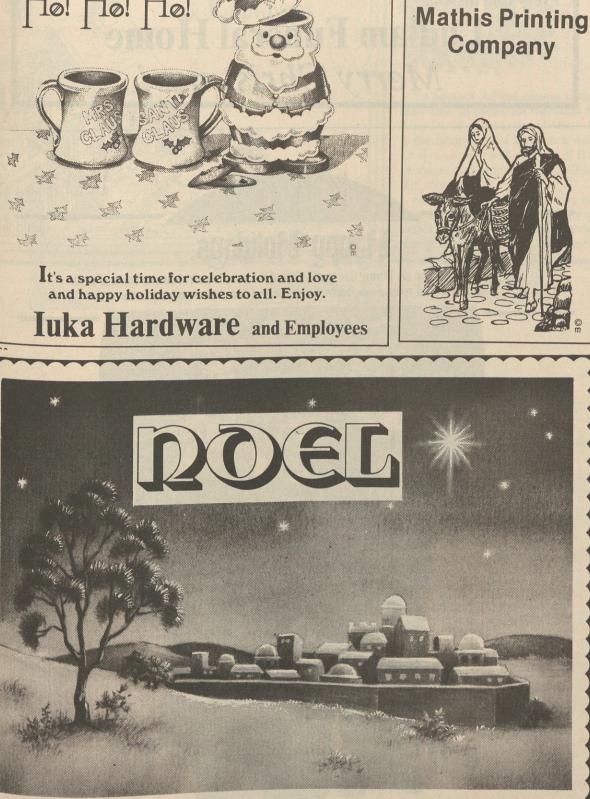
ONE OF THE EARLIEST ILLUSTRATIONS of Santa Claus is this one from *The Great Pictorial Annual Brother Jonathan*, dated January 1, 1845. The reindeer and sleigh were already part of his image, though the great white beard and face full of wrinkles were still to come. *SX901869*



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We wish you a season of beautiful Christmas moments and lasting memories to treasure always.

Tishomingo County Board of Supervisors

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HRISTMAS

May the mystery of faith unfold to protect and provide your family with peace.

To all we wish a happy, healthy holiday.

Tishomingo County Electric Power Association

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

Make holiday entertaining healthful and fun

2/3

1/2

1/4

juice

cherries

ger ale

cup unsweetened grapefruit

Tablespoons lemon juice

cup sugar cup drained maraschino

cups ice cubes can (12 ounces) chilled gin-

Put grapefruit juice, lemon juice and

In every family, it is important to SPARKLING HOLIDAY PUNCH maintain holiday traditions for the next generation ... and those to follow. Many fond memories are created during caroling parties, family decorating sessions and cookie baking. Every family has its own unique traditions...and as children grow and begin their own families, some old traditions take hold and new ones begin.

Update your recipes

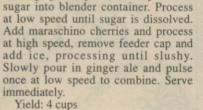
As families get busier, some traditional customs need to be modified to fit into their schedules. And, some traditional holiday foods might need to be updated to reduce their calorie and fat content. People are getting fit and trying to stay that way. They are watching their weight, blood pressure and cholesterol levels, too.

Creating warm memories for the family during the holidays doesn't have to be difficult or time consuming. A simplified holiday treat will take the stress away from the baker ... and the family will still love the tradition it represents.

Start a new tradition

Sometimes creating a tradition can be as easy as updating an old favorite. The home economists at Oster have updated three holiday favorites that your family will love. Why not try all three soon?

Here's a nonalcoholic replacement for champagne punch. Sparkling and delightful, it is sure to please.



If your family loves egg nog, but the cholesterol level scares them away, they'll love this low cholesterol, lower calorie version.

LOW CHOLESTEROL EGG NOG

- carton (8 ounces) frozen egg substitute, thawed
- cup water cup instant nonfat dry milk powder
- tablespoons sugar (or 6 packets sugar substitute)

- Put egg substitute, water, instant nonfat dry milk powder, sugar, vanilla, nutmeg and 6 ice cubes into Osterizer blender container.
- Cover and process at a high speed until smooth. With motor running, remove feeder cap and gradually add remaining ice cubes
- Continue processing until smooth. Pour into cups, sprinkling with addi-
- tional nutmeg. Yield: 4 servings

If making gingerbread cookies takes too much time, why not make delicious gingerbread bars? They're quick and easy ... and the house will smell so good!

GINGERBREAD COOKIE BARS

- 1¹/₂ cups all purpose flour
- 1/4 teaspoon baking soda
- teaspoon salt 1/4
- 11/2 teaspoons ground ginger
- teaspoons cinnamon 11/2 teaspoon ground cloves
- cup shortening
- cup sugar
- eggs
- cup molasses
- cup buttermilk or sour milk

Preheat oven to 350° F. Grease and lightly flour a 13x9x2 inch pan. Assemble mixer.

Sift flour, baking soda, salt and spices together and set aside.

Cream shortening and sugar together in large bowl at a medium speed until fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition.

Mix buttermilk or sour milk with molasses. Add to creamed mixture alternately with the dry ingredients, mixing well.

- Pour into prepared pan and bake 25-30 minutes or until toothpick inserted
- in center comes out clean. Cool completely. Frost with Apple

Yield: 24 bars



Happy Holidays to all our special friends. We wish you a bright and beautiful Christmas.

WOCO Convenience Store

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7.1 billion greeting card market

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world's largest forest products

Georgia-Pacific will manufch

more than two million tons of print

bowl, combine all ingredients at a low speed until smooth. Increase speed to medium and mix until a spreading consistency is reached. SX901960 Yield: 11/3 cups

APPLE CREAM CHEESE

FROSTING

cups powdered sugar

Assemble mixer. In small mixer

GET CARRIED AWAY

WITH YULETIDE CHEER

Merry Christmas and many

thanks for your patronage.

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tablespoons butter or mar-

tablespoons apple juice con-

Yule Rules

The yuletide season is the busiest

time of the year when it comes to



We couldn't have asked for a finer community to do business with. May your home be blessed with contentment, prosperity and joy this holiday season.

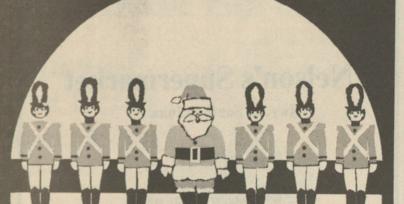
Grace Long Real Estate Co. and Staff

Grace, Billy, Judy, Wanda, Deborah and Cheryl



Christmas Greetings of Love and Peace

Season's Greetings to those who have put their trust in us. We are here serving the northeast area. We appreciate each and every one of you.

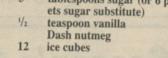


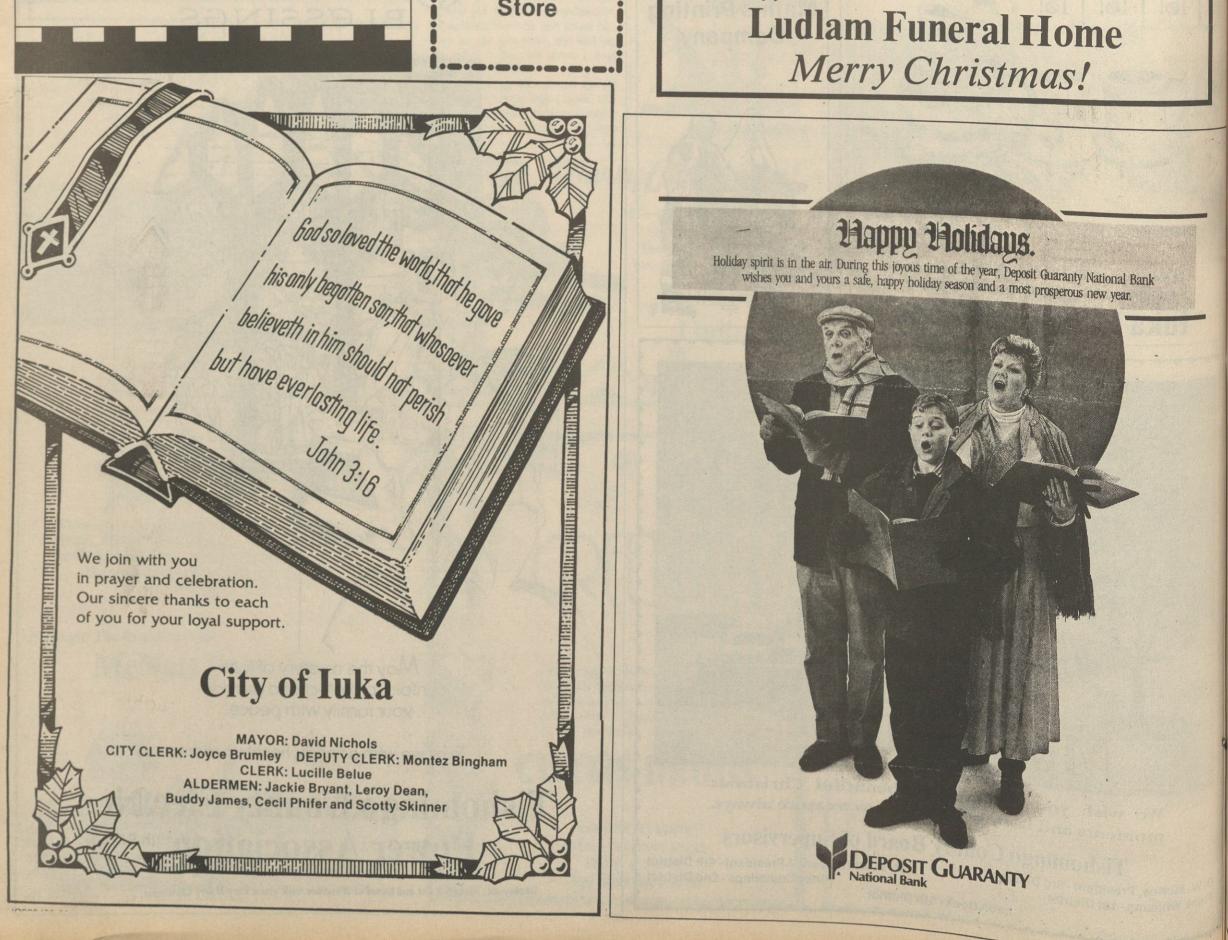
Merry Christmas To Our **Customers And Friends** Hope your season is filled with joy!

Weather's Body Shop

Benny, Bonnie, Ben, Tina, Jerry,

Tim, Teresa and Jay





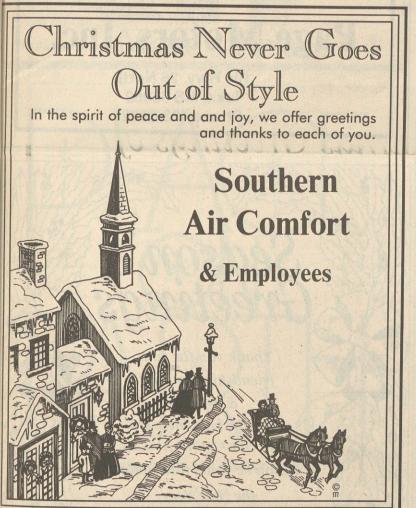
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current events.





Now when Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, in the days of King Herod, behold, Magi came from the East to Jerusalem, saying, "Where is he that is born king of the Jews? For we have seen his star in the East and have come to worship him "... And behold, the star that they had seen in the East went before thee, until it came and stood over the place where the child was. And when they saw the star they rejoiced exceedingly.



Advent is time of anticipation

In the Christian liturgy, Advent is the four-week period leading up to Christmas. It is a time of preparation and of waiting; as such, it can provide an opportunity for families to anticipate the coming of Christmas with special observances.

An Advent wreath is a beautiful reminder of the joy that is to come. It takes its origins from pagan times, when the sun-worshipping tribes of northern Europe would wind greens around a cartwheel and decorate it with lights to appease the sun god during dark winter days.

Today, Christians look upon the Advent wreath as a symbol of the light which is to come at Christmas time. The wreath's circular shape symbolizes God's unending eternity. The evergreen represents our immortality and God's unchanging nature. The four candles remind us of the hundreds of years mankind waited for the coming of Christ.

During the first and second weeks of Advent, violet candles are lit, symbolizing longing and expectation. A rose candle, symbolizing joy and hope because Christmas is near, is lit during the third week of Advent. A violet candle is lit during the final week of Advent to complete the cycle of anticipation.

On Christmas Eve, four white candles replace the rose and violet candles, as a sign of the coming of the light of the world, Jesus.

Another Advent custom that children enjoy is the Advent calendar. This calendar features tiny little windows for each day of the Advent season. As the youngster opens each window, he or she finds a special message or picture inside. Not only does the calendar help youngsters to "count down" to the big day, it can also be instructive and entertaining.



either attached to a real tree or to a the favorite styles of the moment. tree made of construction paper. The Toys, too, show the influence of Jesse tree is another way of enhancing the Advent season for the whole family.

Exchanging Gifts

Exchanging gifts at Christmas is one of the most time honored of customs, and toys, dolls and games for the children have always ranked high on the gifts list.

In the not-so-long-ago, however, just one important present - a doll for a little girl, perhaps, and a toy accordion for her brother - was all that youngsters might expect at Christmas.

Though Santa is more bountiful nowadays, the gifts he brings are like those of yesteryear in at least one way. They reflect the interests and fashions of their times.

Dolls, yesterday and today, dress in



Glen, MS

more complex types of wheel toys take advantage of modern technological developments.

Toy racing cars, for instance, came

in with the automobile, while today

Season's Best



With Well Wishes.

All The Best!

A special "Thanks" for giving us the opportunity to serve you, and for making our year a successful one. May your holiday season and the coming year be filled with joy and prosperity.

Carroll Borden

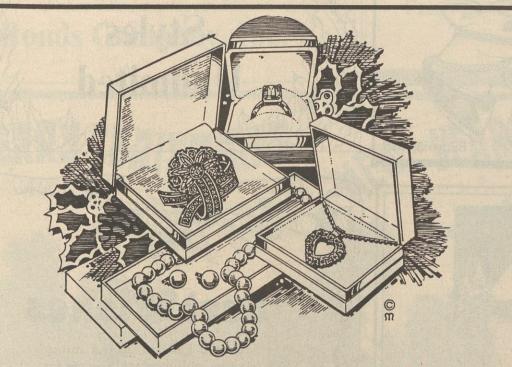
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Yet another Advent custom is the Jesse tree, so named for the father of King David, an ancestor of Jesus. It is the family tree of Jesus in a way, for it is adorned with symbols of His ancestors and prophecies foretelling His coming.

Among the symbols that can be used are tablets of the law, the key of David, Noah's ark, the apple and the Star of David. These symbols can be



Your friendship and support are the most precious gifts, and we thank you for them. Have a lovely holiday.

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Bill and Judy Moore Philip & Paula Moore Kathie Moore

Happy Holidays

In every home, in every heart, the lights of friendship glow! Merry Christmas! and a Happy New Year! **STATE FARM INSURANCE**

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Harold, Judy, Brandi and Molly, Velma and Alice Wish You The Best for the Coming Holiday Season!

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New Year's Was Once Spring Affair

was once a Spring affair in Egypt and Rome. Ancient Egypt used the overflowing of the Nile as a calendar and The Babylonians began their New Year in March, and the early Romans

Year's time -- the origin of which is lost in antiquity -- seems logical and appropriate

In the old days Roman youths went wishing everyone a prosperous New

Scottish lads always had a howling good time going about on New Year's

Eve switching the trunks of trees and petitioning "a good, howling crop."

Reflecting the fear of starvation, peasant families in various parts of the world baked a special New Year's cake which they dashed against the

CHRISTMAS EDITION - TISHOMINGO COUNTY NEW prayerful that whoever enter house during the ensuing hunger nor want should be that



Delicious yuletide customs from Scotland entice America

should auld acquaintance be forgot, "And never brought to mind, "Should auld acquaintance be forgot, "And days of auld lang syne!"

Fittingly, the most traditional of all Jew Year's tunes, Robbie Burns' mmortal anthem, hails from Scotland, he land where seeing the Old Year out he land which the new Year in has en serious business for hundreds of

But, while virtually every person in the English-speaking world has undoubtedly hummed a bar of Robbie Burns' New Year's melody on at least one occasion, very few people know of the many and varied New Year's customs that have originated in his homeland

Some of these have their origins in folk traditions; still others date from the Reformation, when the devout

A DESCENDANT OF THE OATEN BANNOCK that was an intrinsic part of pagan Yuletide celebrations, Scottish shortbread is the traditional New Year's and Christmas treat. Its circular form, as seen above in by the fire, / Pity us poor boys / Out in Christopher Baker's photo from Martha Stewart's Christmas (Clarkson the mire. N Potter), is meant to mirror that of the sun.





Scots, taking a clerical rebuke to heart, chose to observe Christmas Eve and Day with all due solemnity, transferring the merriment to the less sacred occasion of New Year's Eve and Day (so much so that many Scots refer to them as "Daft Days")

Known as Hogmanay, New Year's Eve was treated in Scotland as an important opportunity for making sure that fortune smiled on you in the year to come

Good luck was ensured in a variety of ways. In many communities, it was customary to light bonfires to burn the Old Year out prior to the beginning of the New Year. In some coastal towns, an old fishing boat was set on fire: its embers were considered to bring good luck, causing those present at the ceremony to compete for them.

Children had an important role to play in the Hogmanay festivities. Throughout Scotland, groups of local youngsters would wrap themselves up together in a large sheet, then parade through town, crying out a traditional rhyme: "Get up, goodwife, and shake your feathers, / And dinna think that we are beggars; / For we are bairns come out to play, / Get up and gie's our hogmanay." For their efforts, they would be given cheese or oaten cakes, also called hogmanay.

On New Year's Day, in some places, the boys would hit the streets again, asking at each house for food or money, by singing the following song: I wish you a Merry Christmas / And a Happy New Year, / A pocketful of money / And a cellar full of beer, / And a good fat pig / To serve you all the year. / Ladies and gentlemen / Sitting

Truly, New Year's Eve was a bustling occasion in most Scottish households, as everyone in the home strove to complete the Old Year's business before midnight, returning all borrowed objects, paying all debts, winding clocks, sweeping out all the old dust, and so on. In addition, the householders would search for stray dogs on their property and evict them, as they were believed to bring bad luck.

Similarly, it was believed to be lucky to wear a new garment on New Year's Day, and it was an especially good omen if its pockets were filled with money, as this could indicate a prosperous year to come.

However, the most prevalent of Hogmanay customs was certainly firstfooting, for it was believed that the first person who walked through the door of a house after the New Year began would have a major effect on the fortunes of its occupants.

In Scotland, it was considered lucky



for the first-footer to be a red-headed tines of a fork).

Bake for about 25 minutes; do not allow to brown. Cool 10 minutes in tin, then turn onto rack.

Remember that it's considered bad luck to cut the shortbread with a knife. Break it for serving and have a happy Hogmanav! SX901856

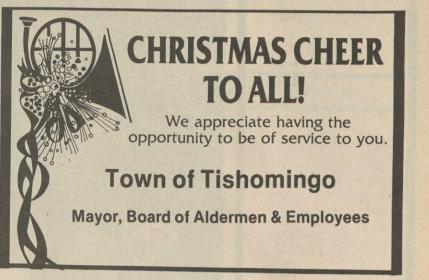
Bulgarian Holiday

New Year's Day is a great day for Bulgarian children who receive their presents and small sums of money in

return for the gifts they ceremoniously present.

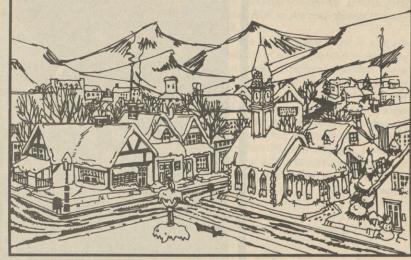
Teen-agers go visiting, and wishing neighbors a happy New Year, expect treats and refreshments. But unlike our "trick or treat" of Halloween, should the supply of goodies run short, the situation is accepted graciously.





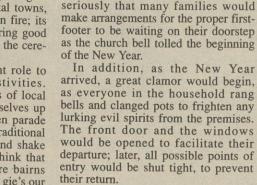


New Orleans Famous Fried Chicken









unluckiest of all.

There are several traditional Hog-manay delicacies. The beverage of choice is het pint, a blend of warm ale and whiskey that's been flavored with nutmeg. This "cup of kindness" would wash down quantities of homemade cheese and home-baked delicacies, such as black bun, ankersocks and shortbread

male. He would carry with him some

sort of offering, traditionally a piece of

wood for the fire in one hand (house-

hold fires on Hogmanay were as care-

fully tended as the communal bonfires)

and a stalk of mistletoe in the other (it

was his privilege to kiss all the women

of the household beneath his branch of

object. A female first-footer was the

In fact, this tradition was taken so

Black bun, a spiced cake studded with dried fruits and nuts, and laced with brandy, was perhaps the richest of

the offerings; the oddly named ankersocks were loaves of rye gingerbread.

Shortbread, a buttery cookie traditionally baked in a circular form with ridged edges, is the descendant of the oat bannock that was intrinsic to pagan Yule rites, and whose shape was meant to mirror the sun and its rays.

The following recipe for Scotch Shortbread is reproduced from Martha Stewart's Christmas (Clarkson N. Potter, Inc.), a personal celebration of the season with Stewart's own inventive recipes, plus instructions for creating striking homemade decorations, ornaments and gift wrap.

SCOTCH SHORTBREAD Makes 1 giant cookie

cup (2 sticks) unsalted butter

pound sugar 1/4 pound sifted all-purpose flour

Preheat the oven to 350° F. Butter an 8-inch round baking tin and line bottom with parchment paper.

mistletoe). After wishing the family a Happy New Year, he was thanked for his efforts with a glass of whiskey and a slice of cake. It was considered unlucky for the first-footer to be dark or blond-haired. or to carry a knife or other sharp

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