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Investigation Underway About Money Missing From City Hall

by Pamela McRae

An investigation is underway regarding approximately \$1,000 missing from the Iuka City Hall since the August 17th fire.

The only official comment was from the Mayor, David Nichols, who said that the matter is under investigation by the Mississippi State Highway Patrol Investigator's office.

Allegedly, about \$1,000 of Iuka City Court money, consisting mostly of fines paid, was left in the court clerk's office. About \$600 of it was cash, and several checks were included in the bag that was apparently not put in the vault. Officials have said it was kept out, rather than deposited, so that there would be change for city court, which was scheduled for August 19th. The money was allegedly still in the clerk's office at the time of the fire, though officials have not said exactly when it was noticed missing.

Some city hall employees have been administered a polygraph test (with no negative results), but higher ranking officials will also be asked to take the supposed "lie detector" test, officials said, on the condition of remaining anonymous.

Very few people allegedly knew where the funds were kept, sources say.

Numerous people were in and out of the city hall in the time after the Sunday morning fire.

Procedures of depositing such funds have been adopted since the incident, city officials said.

\$150,000 Grant To Dennis Water Association

The Appalachian Regional Commission has approved a grant of \$150,000 to the Dennis Water Association in Tishomingo County for water system improvements to residential and commercial customers along the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway, federal lawmakers said Thursday.

U.S. Rep. Roger F. Wicker and Sens. Thad Cochran and Trent Lott said the funding will provide improved water service to 1,300 households and potable water to two existing industries which employ 40 people. The work will enable one of the industries to add a second shift and hire eight new employees. The project will also make it possible to expand 250 acres in the area for future commercial development.

The water system presently does not have the well capacity to serve the needs of residential households in the area or to meet Mississippi Health Department standards.

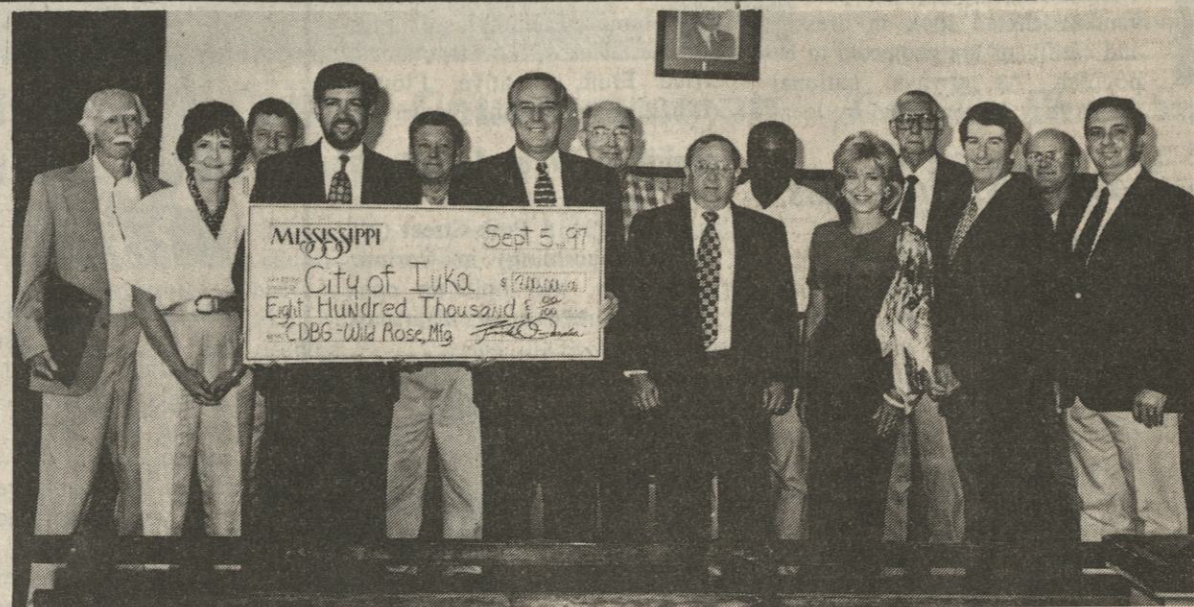
Total project cost is estimated to be \$1,834,310. Matching funds include a \$363,000 grant and \$1.1 million loan from Rural Development; \$100,000 from Tishomingo County; and \$90,310 from the Dennis Water Association.

City of Iuka Municipal Court Sessions

Due to the fire that occurred at the Iuka City Hall on August 17, 1997, court sessions for August have been rescheduled. Until further notice, Municipal Court will be held at the Tishomingo County Courthouse. The regular court session will be held the third Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. Contested court will be held the fourth Tuesday of each month at 1:30 p.m.

Anyone who received a traffic citation or an affidavit for a misdemeanor and were scheduled for city court on August 19 or August 26 should be in court on September 16 for regular court and September 23 for contested court.

If you have any questions concerning your court date, please contact the Municipal Court Clerk, Iuka City Hall at 423-3781.



Present at the awarding of the CDBG Grant from MDECD Executive Director Jimmy Heidel, last Friday were many county and city officials. From left are, George Craddock, Martha Segars, Supervisor Dale Price, Iuka Mayor David Nichols, Supervisor Danny Ryan, Jimmy Heidel, Supervisor Leon Cook, Gene Jourdan, Alderman George Long, Alderwoman Beth Davis, Alderman Jackie Bryant, State Representative Ricky Cummings, David Bonds, and Jimmy Ramsey.

Iuka Receives \$800,000 CDBG Grant for Wild Rose Furniture Site

by Pamela McRae

Iuka city officials, state officials and economic development professionals were on hand last Friday to witness Jimmy Heidel award an \$800,000 grant to assist in the development of a site for Wild Rose Furniture Manufacturing Ltd.

Heidel, the executive director of the Mississippi Department of Economic and Community Development in Jackson announced in a short ceremony that the \$800,000 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) was awarded to bring the furniture manufacturer to the Iuka Industrial Park.

"We are happy to be on the team with Iuka and Tishomingo County in locating Wild Rose Furniture to the area," Heidel said. "We are equally proud that this international company has selected our state to expand its operations and create new job opportunities for the people of this community."

"This check represents not only our dedication to the project but a commitment to the hard-working people of this community," he said.

Wild Rose is based in Calgary, Alberta, and plans to locate a new 110,000-square-foot facility in the industrial park. The Canadian company specializes in contemporary master and youth

bedroom furniture, entertainment units and home office furniture. Initially, the international company will invest \$1.8 million in equipment and inventory, and future projections include an additional 110,000-square foot expansion.

This CDBG grant, along with a \$400,000 Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) grant will fund installation of water, sewer and drainage infrastructure, as well as site development at a site on Seago Road in Iuka. The ARC grant will be finalized at the end of this month, said Iuka's grant consultant Jack Griffith, of Jack Griffith Associates in Corinth.

Iuka has been granted a waiver to go ahead and consider the ARC grant as money at their disposal for the project, said Griffith, but a contract has not yet been awarded, though a contractor has been identified as a low bidder.

The State of Mississippi is also assisting the financing of the location with a \$1.5 million Small Enterprise Development loan through the Mississippi Business Finance Corporation, the finance arm of MDECD, according to the MDECD release.

The Wild Rose project was highest-rated project in the state of those requesting economic development funding, according to Griffith. The rating is based on

a number of factors, including the amount of money invested by the industry, and the jobs projected to be created factored in with the present unemployment in the area.

Two-hundred jobs are estimated to be created over the next three years. Wages should be comparable to those at other local furniture manufacturers, from \$8-\$14 an hour, officials have said.

Remarkable also, is the amount of the CDBG grant, which are typically no more than \$500,000, making the Iuka award 60 percent higher than usual, according to Griffith.

"I am elated about the decision concerning Wild Rose locating in Iuka," said Mayor David Nichols.

"This \$5.5 million investment bringing an international company to Iuka, and the 200 jobs it will create will ensure that our local economy will continue to grow," the mayor said.

The site and infrastructure improvements are estimated to take about 60 days, after the contract is awarded and a notice to proceed is issued. The low bidder on the site work was Gray Corporation.

Construction on the facility is scheduled to begin after sitework is complete, said officials familiar with the project.

Citizens Gain Understanding, Voice Concerns at County Tax Increase Hearing

by Pamela McRae

More than a dozen concerned citizens met with the Tishomingo County Board of Supervisors Monday morning to air concerns about the proposed tax increase of one mill.

Citizens voiced general concerns and disappointment with the general perceived increase in taxes for the county in recent years. The meeting served as an educational experience for many, who learned that recent increases in taxes are often not within the power of the Board of Supervisors.

Reason for Increase

The reason given by the supervisors for the one mill increase is increased administrative costs, which come under the designation of the "general county" fund. The general fund covers everything not covered by the "road and bridge" fund, or the "education" fund, which are self-explanatory.

In the general fund, the proposed increase is to cover legislature-mandated salary increases for county offices, like the sheriff, county clerks, tax assessors and collectors, and supervisors. It also is to help with increases in county administrative cost increases, like office equipment and contractual services.

An additional financial concern is some pending litigation against the county.

Explanations Given

Dale Price, president of the board, and Hayden Ables, Chancery Clerk, both spoke for the board as they tried to explain the county budget process to the citizens.

Several people at the meeting expressed frustration at, in some cases, a 20 percent increase in taxes from year to year, not including city, state or federal taxes. With a fixed income of a retired person, some said, it is getting very hard to make ends meet.

Price explained that the increases in recent years were not proposed by the county board, but by the school district, which, by law, can request up to a certain amount each year, and if there is not significant public protest, then the schools' requests are granted. The school district is required to advertise their request each year, like the county, and there is a hearing that concerned citizens can go to voice their concerns to the school board, but reportedly only one or two people went to the advertised meeting last June.

This year the school district's requested budget is \$2,521,588, which is a \$462,164 increase over the \$2,059,424 requested last fiscal year.

Some areas are very hard to budget for, explained Price. For instance, it can't be known how many people will be in the jail for the entire year, or how many trials will be held here, requiring in some cases, significant cost to the county.

Economic Development a Major Concern

Citizens referred several times to the lack of jobs in the county, saying that if there was more industry it would help ends meet.

Ables pointed out that Tishomingo Countians pay significantly less than citizens in surrounding counties. He mentioned that compared to Tishomingo County's 70 mills, Alcorn County citizens pay 91-93 mills, and Prentiss County citizens in Booneville pay 120 mills.

Businessman Anthony Lambert then said that there is no comparison between Alcorn and Prentiss counties and ours, because "they have industry, they have jobs!"

That began a conversation about what the county board was doing to bring in industry. The board is in the dark as much as anyone else about any possible progress at the Tri-State Commerce Park, Price said.

He mentioned that industry recruitment is mostly handled by the Tishomingo County Development Foundation, which receives \$55,000 a year from the county, and the Tishomingo County Development Authority.

Recent successes for the development organizations were listed as Bauhaus in Iuka, the incoming Wild Rose Furniture plant, some industries in Belmont, and a couple industries that have since folded.

Requests for Board Supervision

Businessman Paul Morris asked simply that the board continue to take steps to control any costs within their control. As a businessman, he said, he has to pay close attention to his costs and he can't just raise prices every time some of his expenses increase. Sometimes increases just have to be absorbed in his business, he said.

Ables assured everyone that "the men that sit at this table every Monday [the supervisors] give an outstanding effort to control costs in this county."

Eye-Opening Meeting

Generally, citizens went away from the meeting more educated. It is yet to be seen if citizens will make an effort to get involved in some of the areas where they have concerns.

Many Critical Cases and Pleas Heard in Busy Circuit Court Week

by Pamela McRae

Last week in Tishomingo County Circuit Court a number of pleas were heard by Judge Tommy Gardner. Circuit Court action continued Monday and Tuesday with a civil trial, several pleas and some hearings under Judge Frank Russell.

Tuesday Bond Hearing

Tuesday morning, in what was supposed to be a bond hearing, Merlin Hill, of Tishomingo, was arraigned on three indictments of capital rape, and eight counts of sexual battery with a child.

Hill's attorney, Greg Beard, was initially going to ask for bond to be set for Hill, who has been incarcerated at the county jail since his arrest April 22. His initial bond was \$1 million.

Assistant District Attorney Jim Pounds successfully argued that Hill could not have a bond hearing, since his attorney had previously filed a motion for a psychiatric evaluation.

"If the defendant has legitimate psychiatric problems, until that evaluation is completed,

the defendant has to, by law, remain in the county jail," said Pounds. That could take a few months, Pounds said.

Judge Frank Russell ordered Hill be sent to Whitfield Psychiatric Hospital for evaluation as soon as a bed is ready, and then to be sent back to the Tishomingo County Sheriff when the evaluation is completed.

Pleas Heard

Last week the following pleas were heard:

Randy D. Smith, 34, of Tishomingo, plead guilty to two felony indictments, possession of marijuana and manufacturing marijuana in connection with his October 2, 1996 arrest. Smith received two sentences of 10 years each, to run concurrently. He must serve 5 years in the custody of the Mississippi Department of Corrections, and 5 years on probation. He also had to pay court costs and \$330 to the Tupelo Crime Lab.

Larry Joe West, 35, plead guilty to two counts of aggravated assault and one count of possessing a firearm as a

convicted felon, in connection with an incident in April 1996 in which he was accused of firing a gun several times into an occupied apartment in Belmont, striking three people inside. West received a sentence of 40 years with the MDOC, 20 to be served and 20 years suspended, with five years post-release supervision.

Vincent Copeland, plead guilty to an indictment for possession of marijuana, less than one ounce, with intent to distribute, which was enhanced by the fact that the incident occurred within 1,500 feet of a church. He was sentenced to six years with MDOC, which were suspended, and he was ordered placed in the house arrest program. He was also ordered to pay a \$2,000 fine, lab fees, and Mississippi Bureau of Narcotics fees.

Three Plead Guilty in Marijuana Conspiracy Case

In the December 1996 case involving several people accused of conspiring to sell, transfer or distribute marijuana, two pleas were heard, and one was sentenced by Judge Frank Russell.

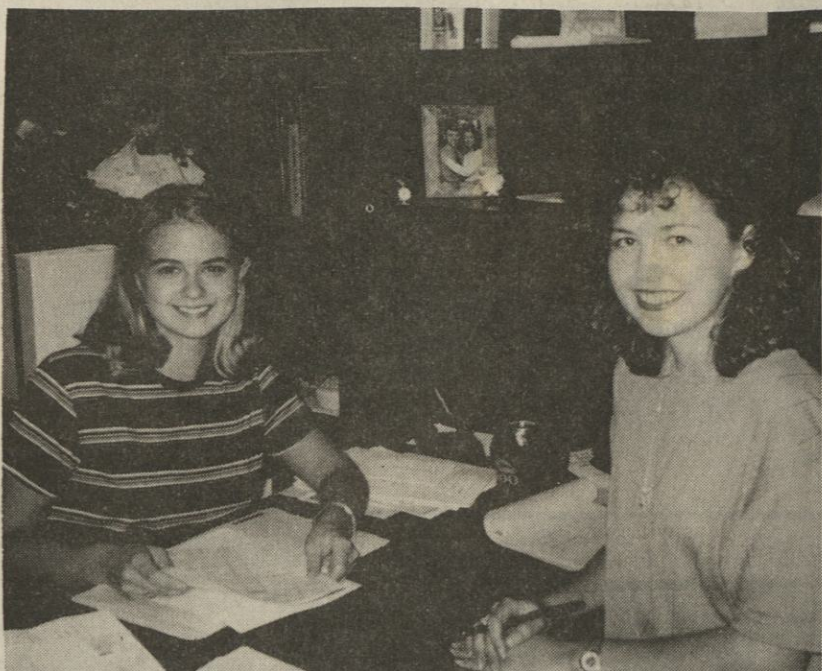
Jimmy Grimes, of Burnsville, previously plead guilty to an indictment on conspiracy to sell marijuana, an indictment of possession of marijuana with intent to sell, and an indictment of possession of a firearm by a convicted felon.

He was sentenced Monday to 10 years with the MDOC for the conspiracy charge, two suspended and eight to serve; five years for the possession charge, to run concurrent; and three years for the firearm charge, also to run concurrent.


Under the same conspiracy indictment, Daniel Armadarez, 21, plead guilty both to the conspiracy indictment and a count of possession of marijuana with intent to sell, transfer or distribute. His sentence was deferred until the next circuit court session, in January 1998, and was released on his current bond.

Also in the same conspiracy case, Ronald Montgomery, 21, plead guilty to the conspiracy charge, and to a charge of

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TCHS Co-Op Employer Of The Week - The TCHS Cooperative Education program has selected the employer of the week. This week's employer is the Law Office of Joey Cobb. Pictured above is (l to r) Amy McMeans, student, and Mrs. Gina Underwood, paralegal. Amy is a senior of TCHS. She has been receiving training in the paralegal field. Amy's parents are Ms. Kathy Frederick of Burnsville and Mr. Thomas McMeans of Iuka. TCHS Cooperative Education would like to express appreciation to the Law Office of Joey Cobb for participating in the program.



**Home Economics
Tips**
By:
Betty M. Fulwood

Fall Fashions And Labels

The emphasis lately has been on back-to-school shopping, but now with Labor Day signaling the end of Summer, it is time to get serious about Fall clothing for all family members.

Whether you sew your own or buy ready-made, you will be seeing a new look in care labeling this season. Beginning July 1, 1997, the Federal Trade Commission is allowing apparel manufacturers to use symbols instead of written instruction on garment care labels.

According to a recent report from the Soap and Detergent Association, four out of five consumers read care labels before they buy clothing, and follow label instructions when washing garments. Upcoming changes in care labels will affect how we read these labels.

The symbols were developed by the American Society for Testing Materials (ASTM), using a system that is simple and easy to learn. Like any new "language," they may look a bit strange in the beginning, but do have some advantages. For one, they should be a real benefit to non-English speaking people. The new symbols also benefit U.S. apparel manufacturers in that one label for the three NAFTA countries (Canada, Mexico, U.S.) will reduce manufacturing and inventory costs.

As to benefits for the average U.S. consumer, by reducing words to symbols, labels will be smaller, which means they will be more

comfortable when sewn into the neck of a garment and less

obtrusive when sewn elsewhere.

In learning the symbols, a guide sheet is available from our office and from the Soap and Detergent Association, and, I am sure, from other sources. For 18 months after the initiation date of July 1, garments that have care labels with symbols will be accompanied by additional information that shows both symbols and written instructions.

Members of the textile, apparel and appliance industries as well as retailers and related media, and educational organizations like MCEs, will be working with the FTC to help consumers become familiar with the new symbols. They may even prove to be unacceptable.

Along with labeling information from the Soap and Detergent Association comes projections for new Fall fashions. According to them, suits in a mannish mode, with pants outweighing skirts, will be a good investment for women, as the newest influence in women's fashions comes from Wall Street Classic. Underneath the suits, turtlenecks and simple shirts fit basic job requirements, but trendier solutions, such as sheer camisoles, beaded chiffon blouses, or delicate sweaters get the fashion nod.

For men, the story is similar insofar as promising classic styles rooted in fashion's past. The physique-hugging looks are due to

fade in favor of comfortable styles in natural, rustic fabrics like tweeds, corduroy and stonewashed twill. Chunky turtleneck sweaters and cardigans, wool bomber jackets, and full, cuffless trousers comprise the new look in separates.

The "littlest ones" will look like snow babies in fleece and knit, boiled wool and faux fur, reflecting the snowboarding/sportswear influence on styles for the young adult set. Older kids move off the slopes and into other fields with colors like apple, grape, squash and pumpkin. Plaid pants, jeans with a flared boot or full wide cut, close-to-the-body shirts and a hand-crocheted look in dresses and cardigans are projected to be popular. As always, national trends may be tempered by local ones.

**Adult Night Class
Registration**

The Tishomingo Vocational Center would like to announce adult night class registration for the first semester to be held September 15, 1997 at 6:30 p.m. Persons who would like to upgrade a skill or gain a new skill are invited to come and register for the night classes. A listing of the classes may be obtained by visiting the center or calling 438-6689 or 438-6675.

The Tishomingo Vocational Center does not discriminate because of race, creed, sex, or handicapping condition.

Gary L. Taylor, Voc. Dir.

In Service

Army Pvt. Marcus M. Thompson has graduated from basic military training at Fort Leonard Wood, Waynesville, Mo.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Thompson is the son of Wandy Thompson of 13995 Highway 72, Cherokee, AL.

In 1994, he graduated from Cherokee High School.



**Tay Whitaker
Iuka Animal Clinic**

Dr. James F. Perkins
Hwy. 25 South - Iuka, MS
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Household Poisons

A pet that has been poisoned becomes sick very fast...within minutes to hours. In most instances, pets will recover even without medical intervention. But, pets known to have consumed antifreeze, rodenticides (rodent bait), or specific human medications, like heart and blood pressure medication or birth control pills could be in trouble. Don't wait until the pet becomes sick. Call a veterinarian immediately for advice.

Poinsettias and liquid fertilizers applied to grass are among the most common sources of presumed pet poisoning. In fact, they are not. Poinsettias, even if consumed in large quantities (Yes! Dogs will do this) causes little more than mild intestinal upset. Dogs and cats will not become ill after consuming grass that has been sprayed with liquid fertilizers if the liquid has dried. Even if it hasn't, serious injury is not likely.

If a pet has become poisoned and its condition is getting worse, NEVER try to treat it at home. Immediately take the pet to a veterinarian. Administration of specific drugs and supportive treatment are critical and must be given as soon as possible.

Poison Control Centers are available specifically for pets. Centers provide useful information and insights about specific compounds and can tell you if they are poisonous to pets or not. But, if a pet does become poisoned, DON'T call a Poison Control Center. Get medical attention first.

Ag Fest '97

The Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service and the Mississippi Agricultural & Forestry Experiment Station will be sponsoring Ag Fest '97 on Thursday, September 11, 1997 (today) from 2-6 p.m. at the North Mississippi Research & Extension Center, Verona.

Field tours will include: Vegetables & Fruits, Ornamentals, Greenhouse, Agronomy, and 4-H Pizza Farm.

Seminars will be held on: Gardening in Mississippi, Garden Weed Control, Turf Maintenance, Home Composting, and Horse Care.

Home Economics topics include: Herbs, Sweetpotatoes, Dried Fruit, Creative, Flower Arranging, and Drying Flowers.

Open Speaker Meeting

Timber Hills Haven House, located at 1515 Polk Street (old Thurston building) in Corinth, Mississippi, will hold an open speaker meeting, Thursday,

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By Michael D. Cooke
Attorney at Law



**Plan Your Medical Care
Before A Serious Illness**

If you were so ill that you could not tell others your wishes, who would make your medical decisions? Would your family members know your desires about using life-support equipment? Fortunately, there are documents you can prepare to help plan your medical care if you ever have a serious illness and cannot communicate.

One such document is a "living will." This states your desires about using life-support equipment if you are terminally ill and cannot communicate. In my next column, I'll discuss the other main document used to plan medical care in advance, "durable powers of attorney for health care."

Michael D. Cooke

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September 11, 1997. Tammy Wadkins will be the featured speaker. Speaking will begin at 7:00 p.m.

Ms Wadkins will speak on drugs, (crack, cocaine, etc.) and alcohol.

Substance abusers, parents and spouses are all welcome to attend this meeting. For more information call 423-3161.

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Dr. Phillip Gray
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Smoking And Vision

There are a lot of results from smoking - all of them bad. Here's another one to add to the list. If you use tobacco to excess, this can sometimes have an adverse effect on your vision due to circulation problems. In extreme cases, it may even cause "tobacco blindness," this is a form of amblyopia in which central vision becomes impaired resulting in a loss of ability to read or discern detail. In less extreme cases, heavy smoking may cause a blurring of vision along with a numbness or tingling of the fingers.

The nicotine and other chemicals in tobacco are believed to interfere with the normal circulation of the blood throughout the body. This includes the tiny blood vessels in the eyes. This is a much more serious problem for heavy smoker.

Cutting down, or preferably stopping the use of tobacco, is also considered important in reducing the likelihood of heart disease and lung cancer as well as vision problems caused by poor circulation.

**Your Dental
Health**



Procedure

Bonding is often completed in one visit and does not require the use of anesthesia or drilling. The process involves preparing the tooth surface with an etching solution that allows the composite resins to adhere. To match your teeth, various color resins are carefully blended so the bonded tooth will look natural.

The resin is applied, contoured into the proper shape and hardened using a special light or chemical process. It is then smoothed and polished to appear natural. Sometimes a follow-up appointment will be required for final polishing and finishing.

Tips To Keep In Mind

Because bonding material is not as strong as natural tooth enamel, it can chip and may have to be replaced periodically. Bonded areas of the tooth are prone to stain. For these reasons, bonding requires careful home and professional maintenance. You can help maintain your bonding by following these tips:

- Avoid acids (such as vinegar, tomatoes or pineapples) and alcohol which can damage the resin.
- Avoid items that can damage bonding material such as cigarettes, coffee, tea or berries. Do not put excess pressure on resins. Chewing ice, popcorn kernels and hard candy can cause damage.

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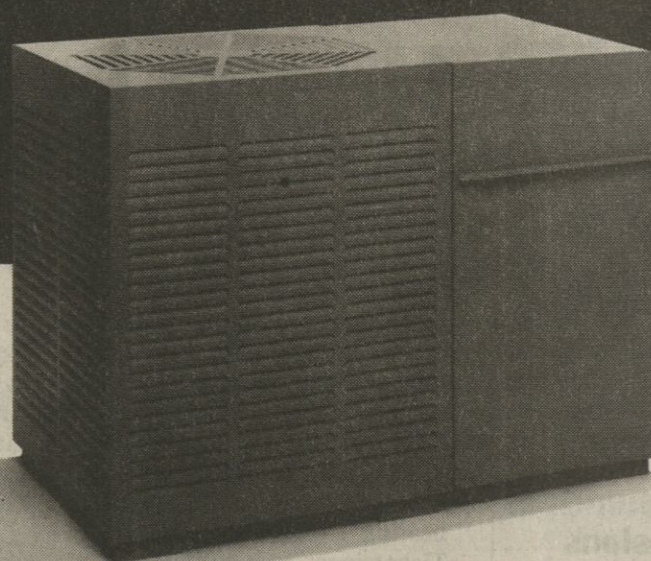
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Picketing at Tishomingo County Courthouse on Behalf of Alcorn Co. Child Molestation Victim

by Pamela McRae

Drivers in Iuka and visitors to the Tishomingo County Courthouse were greeted by an unusual site last Friday, several people picketing outside.

Their signs read "What if it was your child?", and similar messages. According to Patricia Hudson, who is the mother of the child molestation victim reported that they were protesting to influence the probation revocation hearing on Kenneth Ray Nunley.

In the Alcorn County case, Nunley plead guilty to two counts

of sexual battery of a child under 14 years old and received two ten-year sentences, which were suspended for five years probation and was ordered to receive therapy for sexual deviants, Hudson said. Allegedly, Nunley did not attend the therapy and while living in Tennessee, failed alcohol and drug tests.

Nunley has been in custody in Alcorn County for about two months, after breaking probation.

The probation revocation hearing was heard last Tuesday, but Judge Tommy Gardner had

not issued a judgment on Friday when the protesters were there, although he did see them. Gardner still hadn't issued one by Tuesday afternoon, according to Assistant District Attorney Arch Bullard.

People were very supportive of the protesters, some shouting support as they drove by, and some bringing cold drinks. One Iuka lady, Kathy Ward, even held a sign, though she didn't even know the protesters before that day.

(Hubbard) Johnson, Petey & Doris (Osborn) Lambert and Petey & Tim, Stephen & Michelle (Aday) Osborn and Billy & Chelsea.

From Iuka, MS: Robert & Mildred (Osborn) Aday, Rodney & Kenlynn (Bumley) Aday and Daniel & Dillon, Sheila (Hubbard) Barrow, Jerome & Julie (Johnson) Borden and Jacey, Benny & Felicia (Johnson) Brasel and Nichole and Hunter, Herbert & Peggy (Hubbard) Booker, Beth (Booker) Brown and Katie, Kevin Booker and Gaye Gardner, Darrin Clark and Zack & Zeaf, Jeffery Clark and Justin, Josh & Ashlee, Patsy (Johnson) Clark, John & Trena (Johnson) Curry and Kayla, Brian Giannola & Jennifer and Jarrett, Pearl (Hubbard) Gray, Deborah (Long) Grisham and Franklin & Timothy Stidham, Edward & Alma (Odom) Hubbard, Sue Hubbard, Joseph Johnson & Mandy Todd, Terry Johnson, Tom & Michelle Johnson and Will, Tommy & Charlotte Johnson and Eric Grosso, David & Cindi (Hubbard) Murrah and Eric Smith, Mary Lee (Hubbard) Osborn.

From Corinth, MS: Jim & Cheryl Hubbard and Zac, Josh, Sasha, & Emily, Jacob Thomas McAnally, Johnny Shults, Myrtle (Hubbard) Shults, Sue (Weathers) Hubbard Sprouse.

From Glen, MS: Rita Carter. From Booneville, MS: Fay Bennett.

From Rienzi, MS: Billy Hubbard.

From Baldwin, MS: Lawrence & Mamie Burns, Betty & Joe Dobbs and Candy, Monea Robertson.

From Saltillo, MS: Claude & Tacey (Clark) Clayton.

From Mendenhall, MS: Mike

& Judy (Hubbard) Mooney.

From Raymond, MS: Ritchie & Robin Morton and Tyler, Anna & Blake.

Pascagoula, MS: Horace Hubbard.

From Lucedale, MS: J. Kiva Hubbard, Judson & Linda Hubbard and Kyle Purvis, Miona (Hubbard) Moore and Keegan, Ariel, Maya & Savannah.

From Sheffield, AL: Kenneth & Jackie (Cummings) Hubbard and Shawn & Archie.

From Adamsville, TN: James & Sylvia (Osborn) Honeycutt, Randy & Lisa (Honeycutt) McKee and Melissa & Nicholas.

From Ardmore, Oklahoma: Helen and Gene Hubbard.

From Las Vegas, Nevada: Jim Hubbard.

Tiny Tot Show Set For October 3rd

The Tiny Tot Show has been set for Friday night, October 3, 1997. Age divisions for this contest include 0-23 months. Age divisions will be broken down into the following categories: 0-6 months, 7-12 months, 13-18 months, and 19-23 months (as of Oct. 3).

All contestants (0-23 mos.) should be present at 6:00 p.m. at the fairgrounds in the room directly behind the stage.

The Tiny Tot show is open to any boy or girl in Tishomingo County. To enter the show all boys and girls must wear "Dressy Clothes" and shoes.

Out-of-county judges will be selected to judge this contest. Boy winners and girls winners will be selected in each division. Judging will be based upon the child's attractiveness, poise, and personality.

Each winning boy and each winning girl from each group will receive a charm and trophy from the Tishomingo County Fair Association. Each alternate will also receive a trophy.

To enter call the county Extension office at 423-7016. A entry fee (\$5.00) will be charged when you pick up your number that night.

King & Queen Of The Fair

The King and Queen Contest will be staged at the Tishomingo County Fair on Tuesday night, September 30, beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Age divisions are as follows: Wee King, 2-3 years; Wee Queen, 2-3 years; Tiny King, 4-5 years; Tiny Queen, 4-5 years; Little King, 6-8 years; Little Queen, 6-8 years; Junior Queen, 9-12 Years, Teen Queen, 13-14 years; and Fairest of the Fair, 16-21 years old.

Contestants must be residents of Tishomingo County, single, never married, no mothers. Please register by Monday, September

29, (423-7016). The entry fee is \$5.00 and can be paid when you pick up your number that night. To register call the County Extension office at 423-7016.

Each first place winner will receive a crown and a trophy from the Tishomingo County Fair Association. Alternates will also receive a trophy from the Fair Association.

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grown up together. Plans are under way for another reunion next year, since this one was so successful.

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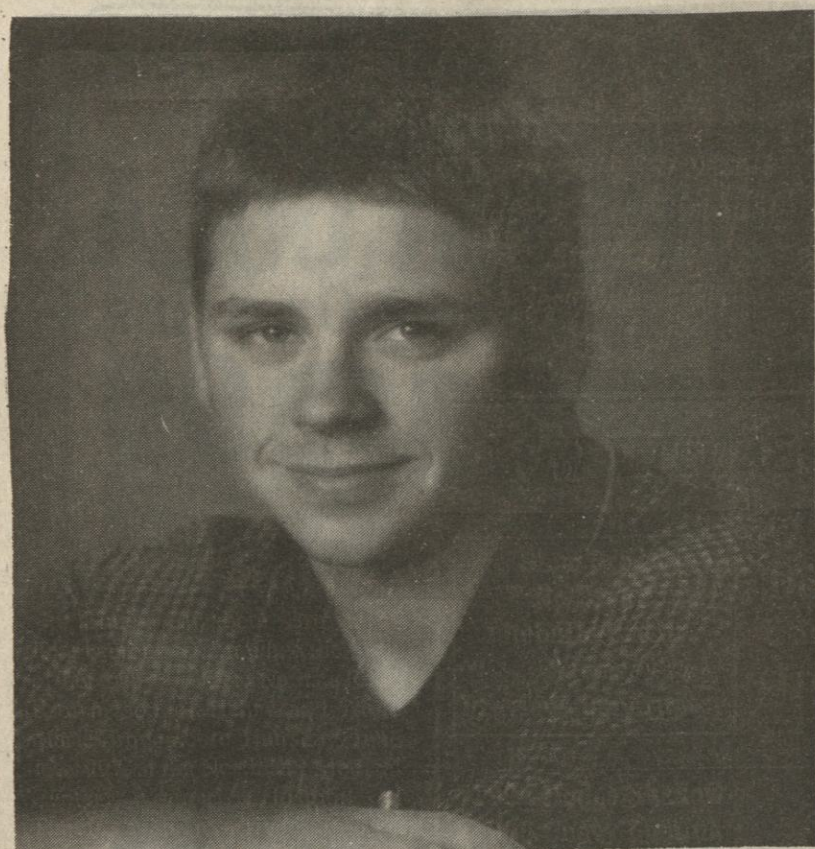


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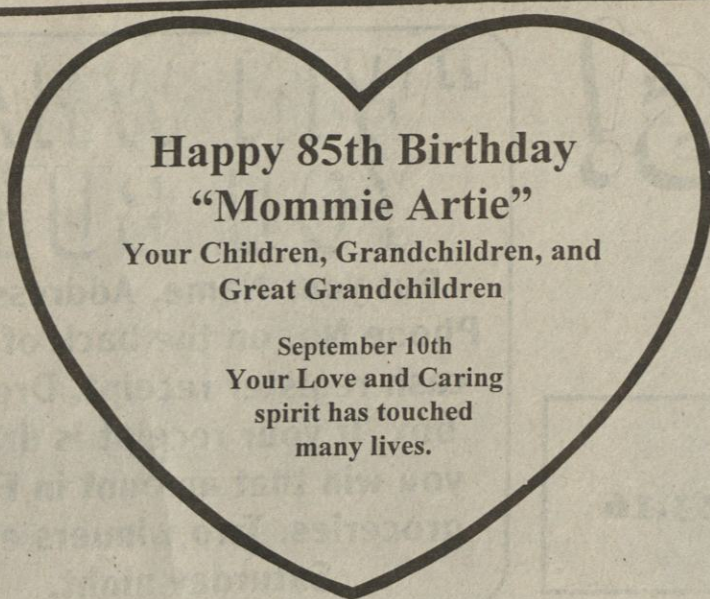


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Mom and Dad



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For more information, please contact Judy Walker at 423-3047 or Vicky Durham at 423-9571.



Happy 52nd Anniversary

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Happy 4th Birthday Haley!

Love,
Mommy, Daddy, & Nathan

Marc Ramey Enlist In Air Force Program

Marc B. Ramey, Jr., son of Wanda and Mark Ramey, of Golden, MS, enlisted in the Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program today according to SMSgt Jim-Bob McCarty, Air Force Recruiter in Tupelo, MS.

Marc, a 1997 graduate of Tremont High School, is scheduled for enlistment in the regular Air Force on 4 Feb 98. Upon graduation from the Air Force's six-week basic training course near San Antonio, Texas he is scheduled to receive technical training in the Electronic Aptitude Career Field.

He will be earning credits toward an associate degree in applied sciences through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and technical training schools.

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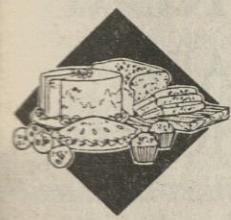
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Whitetail Deer Seminar—(Free Admission) This seminar will be held September 13, 1997, 1:00-6:00 P.M. at the Crow's Neck Environmental Center (south of Hwy. 30 at Paden). There will be no fee for this informative seminar which will include topics such as: food habits, food plot plantings, forest management, diseases, parasites, data collection, population management, and game laws. The seminar is sponsored by the Mississippi Department of Wildlife Fisheries & Parks and the Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service. Pictured are (L to R): Jerry Hazlewood, Wildlife Biologist with the MS Dept. of Wildlife Fisheries & Parks, and Marnia Hazlewood, Wildlife Secretary. This 8-point was killed my Marnia around the Holcut area. For more information, call 601-423-1455.



Recipe of the Week



SWISS BACON ONION CORNBREAD

4 slices bacon
1 large onion, chopped
2 eggs, beaten
1 1/3 cups milk
2 cups Martha White® Self-Rising Corn Meal Mix
6 oz. (1 1/2 cups) shredded Swiss cheese

Heat oven to 425° F. Grease 13x9-inch baking pan. In large skillet, cook bacon until crisp; drain and crumble. In same skillet, cook onion in no more than 1/4 cup of the bacon drippings until tender. In large bowl, combine eggs, milk, corn meal and cheese; stir until smooth. Add crumbled bacon and onion; stir. Pour into greased pan. Bake at 425° F. for 25 to 30 minutes or until golden brown. 12 to 15 servings.

Sardis Church News

By: Ova Reno

Mother means selfless devotion, limitless sacrifice, and love that passes understanding. (Unknown) Acts 20:35. I have showed you all things, how that so laboring you ought to support the weak, and to remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how He said, it is more blessed to give than to receive.

This past Sunday we had our annual Homecoming and singing. So we just had preaching service. Bro. John read from the Book of James 1:1-7, Verse 4. But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing. You cannot be perfect without Christ. I have heard people say they believed if

they did the best they could that God would understand. If that was so WE didn't need Jesus, My Bible says For God so loved the world that he gave His only Son that whoso ever believed on Him and received the new birth would not perish but have everlasting life. No one but Jesus can give eternal life. If you are depending on yourself you are heading for hell and there will be no help for you after you leave here. Come to Jesus today, and be saved.

The Sardis Cemetery looked like a big flower bed after the decoration. It was beautiful.

Fault Finding: Don't be too hard with the man who sins, or pelt him with words or stones,

unless you are sure' yea, double sure that you have not sins of your own; for you know perhaps, if the Tempter's voice should whisper as soft to you, (or me) as it did to him when he went astray would cause you to falter too.

Caddy Love send me your address, please.

Bro. John took his message from the Book of James 1:1-7, Verse 4. But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing. You cannot be perfect without the help of Jesus when you say you believe if you think you are doing the best you can that God will understand. It is a lie and if you don't repent and be saved you are on your way to hell and you will find there is no help after you die.

We are sorry Imogene McCoy had an operation. We pray for her quick recovery. We received word this morning that Eloise Southward was in a serious condition. Let's pray for her.

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Donors Sought For Dimple Ryan Memorial Blood Drive

Blood donations are being taken in memory of Dimple Ryan, an Iuka resident, this Friday. Dimple recently passed away following a battle with cancer which required a large quantity of blood products.

Friends and neighbors are being asked to give the gift of life as a tribute to Dimple Ryan, to make blood available the next time a local patient is in need. Blood is being collected on Friday, September 12, from 12-8 p.m. at Iuka Methodist Church.

"The living gift of life is such a worthy offering to make in the name of a friend," said Kendal Summers, blood center spokesperson. "When seconds count, there is no substitute for lifesaving blood. We hope many people from Iuka will honor Ms. Ryan's memory by making blood available to another family in need."

The Dimple Ryan Memorial Blood Drive comes at a critical

time for the blood center. A shortage that began before labor day continues to keep lifesaving blood in short supply in local hospitals.

"We will be able to see over 100 people at Friday's blood drive," continued Summers. "100 donations in Ms. Ryan's memory would be such a fitting tribute to her memory...and would come at a time when the need for blood is

great."

Persons interested in donating blood should call Tony Mobley at 423-6338 to arrange a donation appointment.

Meeting Of U.D.C.

United Daughters of The Confederacy, John Marshall Chapter #394 will meet September 16, 1997 at 7:00 p.m. at Iuka Library. Hostess: Karen Bryant.

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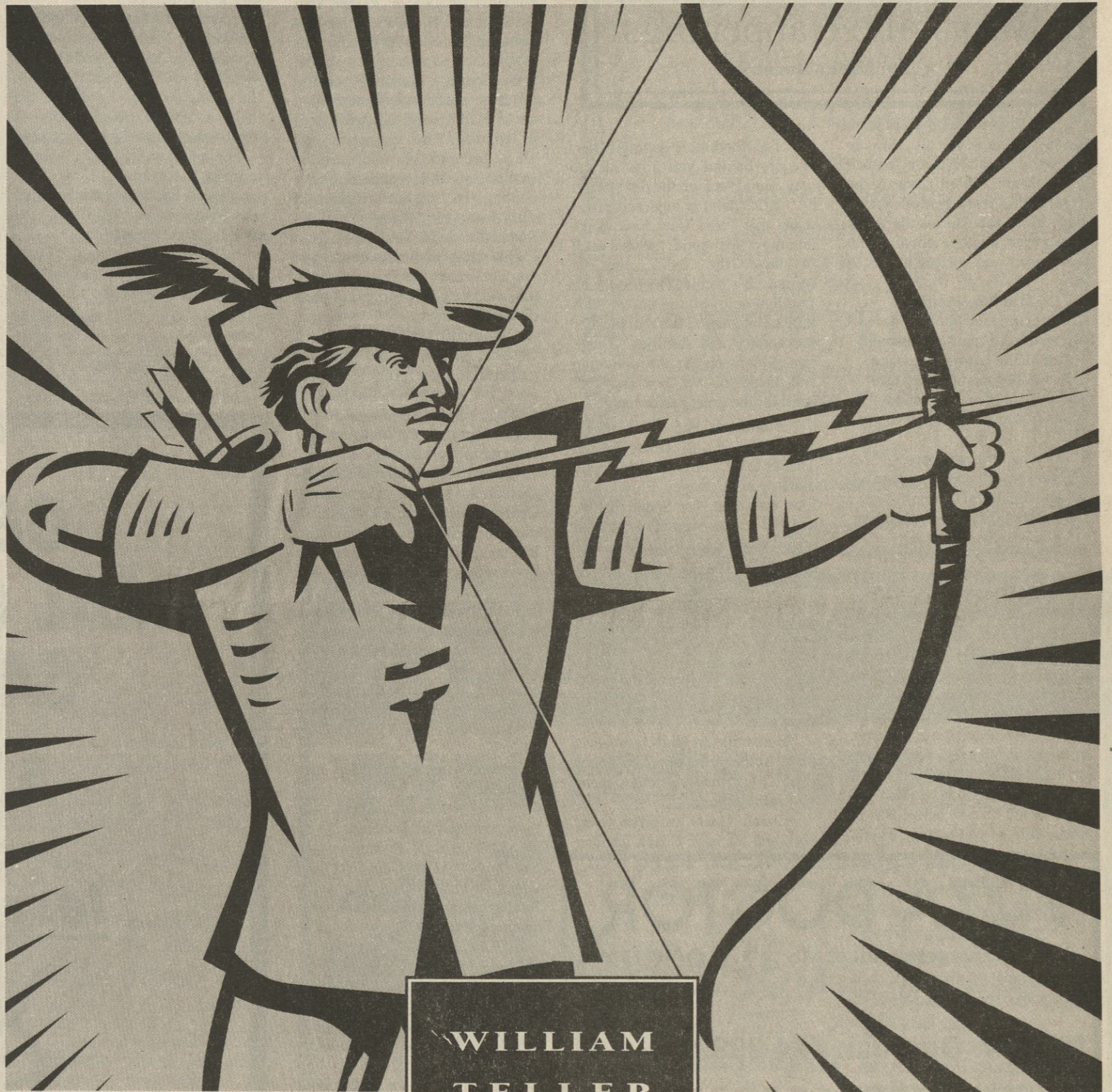
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Tulon and Jennie Rusing will be honored on their 50th Wedding Anniversary on September 20, 1997 from 4:00 - 6:00 in the afternoon at the Tishomingo Baptist Church. Family and friends will host the reception. No gifts please.

Burnsville Happenings

By: Donna Burns

The end of summer is upon us, and fall is in the air. How do you tell it is fall? Maybe football games, bands, school, colors of the trees. Well, I recently met a young lady from the Burnsville sixth grade who wrote a poem about this season and what it means to her.

Out My Window

I have a window in my room
In which the sunshines through
And in the morning I awake,
To see the sun upon my face.
And out the window I spy
A leafy tree in the corner of my eye.

The birds and bees,
The flowers and trees I see are all
beautiful to me.
But I'll stay inside to see because
of my allergy.

Thanks to Jessica Wilson for that very nice poem.

Burnsville PTL Open House. The Burnsville Elementary P.T.L. will meet Thursday, September 11th at 7:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria. New officers will be installed. Afterwards the parents are invited to meet their child's teachers and at this time you may arrange conferences. All parents are urged to attend. so don't miss the opportunity to meet the teachers and take an active part in your child's education. Thank

you.

T.C. football is getting better. We are behind you boys all the way. Good luck on the next game.

T.C.'s band is loud and proud again this year. They look good, and they "feel good"! It was great to have the band play at Monotech's picnic. The Monotech families enjoyed the show. This kind of interaction is a real plus for the county and families. Thank you, Monotech for the invitation and thank you Mr. Fox and T.C. band for the great performance.

Monotech had their picnic September 6 at Goat Island. Thanks to all who helped and a big thank you to Nancy Floyd. The food was great, Ten Speed thanks, and the games were fun and the prizes were nice. I think all that came had a real nice time. Robin Lambert you might want to insure your legs! The Petting Zoo was a big asset, thanks Ronnie Martin and thanks to those who gave prizes. Your community involvement is what makes you and our area the success it is and will always be.

Burnsville Jr. High football is going well and the boys are doing great! It is a pleasure to see them working together.

Coach Beals inspires team work and his asst. Coach Rhodes

and Coach Cochran are a big help with these young men.

You know a team is only as strong as it's weakest player and if you work together and not try to hurt or be mean to the weakest link, you will find a stronger and better team will develop. It becomes like a well oiled machine. Team work is just that working together as a team and from team work develops respect and kindness for one another. Many times acts of kindness or just being considerate goes unnoticed it seems, but somewhere, sometimes you will get back more than you give. A special thanks to three boys who did the right thing. We are proud of you.

The Burnsville band was sad to see our new band director resign due to health reasons. Mr. Wilson thank you for trying and we hope your health improves. Our new band director is Chris Holmes. We are glad to have you and look forward to working with you.

Not to overlook Monotech's horseshoe contest and men's tug-of-war they were great. But, boys the women's tug of war was a fine show of strength. All of you ladies did a fine job! Hope everyone had as much fun as I did.

The Burnsville Public Library has Book Remarks on Plaque Year by Stephanie S. Tolan. Tolan lays out a patch work quilt of emotions that in the end tells of a town that surrenders it's humanity because of terror, predidist and events that are in a whirlwind and wildly out of control. The characters and place become too real and the chance of this happening are chilling. To find out the plot and story I suggest, "Plaque Year" by Stephanie S. Tolan. Tolan is a spellbinding author that will get you hooked on her stories and the realistic plots of people and their destructive ways.

Pleasant Grove Church of Christ had their monthly get-together Saturday. The food was great, but what was really the best was the fellowship. Hope to see you next month for food, fun and fellowship.

Don't forget about the Bar-B-Que at the Midway Community Center September 13, 1997. It starts at 10:00 a.m. until sold out. It is sponsored by the Tishomingo Homemakers Council. Plates are \$5.00 each. You can not say enough good things about these ladies and the good work they do for the county. So show your support by coming by and enjoying some fine Bar-B-Que. Thank you ladies for your hard work and the support you give the county.

Burnsville cheer leaders nice uniforms!

May you each and everyone have a wonderful weekend.

This Friday, Rainbow 4-H, Seedlings 4-H & Dog Care 4-H Clubs will meet at the Burnsville Public Library after school for a special guest.

Bluegrass Show Scheduled For Sat.

The Adamsville Bluegrass Show is scheduled for Saturday night, September 20. The show will be held in the Adamsville (Tn.) Community Center. It begins at 6:00 p.m. and is free to the public with a donation being taken for expenses.

The performers for this show will be Crossroads of Corinth, MS; Flatwoods of Pickwick, TN; the Adams Bros. of Ripley, MS and Tupelo Grass from Tupelo, MS. The show is held the third Saturday night in each month. For more information contact Bill Wagoner at 901-632-3815.

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Iuka Lions Club News

Welcome to the wit and wisdom of the Iuka Lions Club. In all due respect, I found out who led the Lions roar at our 8/19 meeting, and you can ask me a year from now who led the Lions roar on 8/19/97, and I can tell you, it was Lion J.R. Long. That one cost me.

We want to take a minute to remind you, there will be a blood drive in memory of Dimple Ryan, Friday, September 12th, from 12 - 8 p.m., at the Iuka Methodist Church. You can come anytime, but for you, it might be helpful to have an appointment which can be made by calling Toney Mobley at 423-6338 or 423-9670. Now, don't forget. Let's all show up and get the blood bank back on it's feet.

Breaking News! The Lions Club will sponsor the "Tenth Annual Peace Poster Contest". Yes, somebody will win a prize. I thank this contest will be for the Middle School. The theme will be "A World in Harmony". Now, you tell those kids to start thanking up ideas. Watch your newspaper for dates and rules, etc.

We also want to mention the up-coming March of Dimes and remind you to get your group together, young and old, to "Walk for Someone You Love". It can help a lot of people, lots of Children affected by birth defects. Come on, now, let's get involved, around September 23rd. You might call Trisha Balentine at First American Bank, 423-3656, she will help you get started.

We want to welcome "Lion" Rob Nabors into the Lions Club, and we look forward to having him serve you with us. Welcome Lion Rob.

Now meeting news - Lion

Toney Mobley got there on time and called the meeting to quiet, Lion Cowell had the minutes, both directors and regular, Lion Don also gave our invocation. Well now, let's see what happened here, our President, Lion Toney looked straight at Lion Jerry Lambert and said, and I quote, "Lion J.R., will you lead our pledge to the Flag?". Nobody laughed "till it was over. It just don't pay to get in a hurry, Lion Toney. Then Lion Ned gave the Treasurer report, he did good.

We enjoyed having as our guest, Zone Chairman, Lion Loyed Beard from Booneville. His visit was unofficial, it's fun when officials make those kind of visits. Come again, Lion Beard.

Also, we were glad to have Lion Bob Marshall back with a good report that Ms Ruby is recovering at home. It will be a while, but she can do it. Take care

now, Ruby, do what the Doc says. Well, we had the Lions roaring all over the place. Time to go to the next meeting, Tuesday, September 16th, 7:00 PM, Country Cupboard, dinner will be served. See you there.

Hall Family Reunion

The annual Hall Family Reunion will be Sunday, September 14th at the Youth Center at Mineral Springs Park in Iuka. Doors will open at 9:00 a.m.

All family members and friends of the family are invited to come, bring a covered dish and enjoy the day of good fellowship.

Notice: Reunion

Well, its here again, Cornelison reunion at Youth Center in Iuka Spring Park, September 21, 1997. Come and bring a cover dish. Bring pictures James, or anything that would be enjoyed. Everyone is welcome. Come and enjoy the day.

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This old photo is being shared with us by Mrs. Marie Ramsey. It is a post card that was published by Iuka Mineral Springs Company (no date given). At the top of the picture are these words: "Some Fishing," Iuka Lake, Tishomingo Estate, Iuka Mineral Springs, Miss." The post card had a place for a 1 cent stamp. If you know anything about this picture please contact Marie Ramsey at 601 W. 3rd St. in Iuka or Daisy at the Tishomingo County News.

Note To The Editor

Dear Charlotte,

You cannot imagine how much I look forward to, and enjoy the paper each week! Being an almost "shut-in" now it is a high light in my week.

You will not know this, but back in 1938/39, when I was a Senior at Burnsville High School, I wrote a column for Mr. Sparks, who owned the "Vidette" then - I called it "The Burnsville Bits"! It was fun; and I read Courtney now and enjoy her.

Also appreciate all the different phases of life you print. All can enjoy it.

The enclosed picture is one I have had for years, do not know where I got it; but think it is interesting.

If you think it is worthy of printing, do so. I do not know anyone on it!

Also, on the Baptist Church picture, somehow Dot Gober (my cousin's wife) left off these names: Buster and Marie Ramsey, Billy Don, Jimmy Floyd, and Corrie Ruth Ramsey. Buster and I joined that church in 1947. Moved my letter from New Liberty; and Bro. Benton baptized Buster in March, 1947. 50 years ago!

Marie Ramsey

Letter To The Editor

There are a few situations that exist and I feel that the citizens of Iuka should know about them. Some of them are older issues and some of them are new. All of them need to be resolved.

A while back, Chief Bates changed the shift hours of the Iuka City policemen from twelve hour shifts back to eight hour shifts. A lot of times this causes officers to work their shifts alone. He also started the officers back on rotating shifts with complete disregard as to the seniority that the officers have acquired. This situation has come to a boiling

point and morale among the men is at an old time low. I called the Attorney General's office in Jackson and was told on three different occasions that the new city board of alderman could set the police policies and procedures. I then called alderwoman Beth Davis about 3 weeks ago and asked if indeed she was the new police commissioner. She stated that she was. She also said that she was aware of the situation and that it should be taken care of. She stated that she already had implemented plans to handle the situation.

I believe the board has met on at least four occasions since my call and she has yet to take any action. One of the other board members finally brought up the issue and asked that it be discussed. It is time for Alderwoman Davis to stand up and do her job. She should not be influenced one way or the other, by the Mayor, Chief of Police or anyone else. She should simply follow the laws of the State of Mississippi.

A couple of the police officers told me that they had been informed by Chief Bates that they would have to start pulling dispatch duty. These men were hired as law enforcement officers, not radio operators. We need them on the streets! An officer told me that between the hours of 7:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. and 11:00 P.M. - 7:00 A.M., that we have no dispatcher. So if something happens to you or your loved ones, you may just be out of luck. He also told me that there was a two car collision last Friday and one of the people involved was injured. He said the Sheriff's department called the Iuka Police Department by both the radio and on a cell phone. They never got a response, so the Mississippi Highway Patrol had to come and handle the wreck. He told me that the Chief of Police himself had the phone at the time of the emergency. Why didn't Chief Bates respond to the call? A phone is no good if you're not going to answer it.

I was also informed that Chief Bates had moved his office, (before the fire), into the fire departments office. Why would

the Chief need a room with a view? If I had to discuss something personal with him, I surely wouldn't want to do it out in the open.

When the Chief moved into the outer office, it put the fireman in an boxed-in area with only one way out. You see; the Chief locked all the police department doors and no one could get in, not even some of our own police officers. What is the purpose of this? The fireman on duty the night of the fire could have easily suffocated in the smoke because he had no back door to run out of and he couldn't get into the police station for help. This would indeed have been a tragedy.

And while I'm speaking about the fire department, another thought comes to mind. As I was going down the street the other day, I noticed a fire engine going to one of the Nursing homes. But there was no fire; they were simply washing off the parking lot. When I called the fire station to inquire about this, I was told by the fireman that it did indeed violate state law but that Mayor Nichols had told them to do it anyway. Do they get away with this everywhere or does it happen only in Iuka? If Wal-Mart or Fred's called, would the Mayor tell the fire department to hose down their lots too? I think not.

The latest issue to arise concerns, a sum of money, (Taxpayers money) missing from city hall in Iuka. I was told this happened right after the fire. I was told by an city employee that the three clerks who work at city hall were asked to take a polygraph, (lie detector) test. They did and passed them. I feel it is only fair and in the best interest of the city that the Chief of Police, Mayor, city workers and, anyone else who had access to the money should also have to take the test. It would seem as though there is a thief among them. I'm not accusing anyone specifically, but what's good for the goose etc., etc.

I would like to say to Alderman Long; the next time that you write an article, don't keep us in the dark about the subject matter. Give us times, places and events because somebody has to look out for their neighbors and

friends and we can always use helpful information in order to make Iuka a better place to live.

Sincerely,
Steve Rye

Hayes-Humber Reunion A Success

On August 31, 1997, descendants of Robert Hayes and Rebecca Emaline Humber gathered at the Paden Community Center for a day of visiting, reminiscing, enjoying good food and learning more about relatives.

Those in attendance were: Thurman and Ocene Humber, Earl, Brenda, Amy and Lisa Schultz, Tulion, Gladys, Mark, Heather and Keith Wright, Memphis, TN; John and Dorothy Humber and Misti Cross, Knoxville, TN; Larry Humber Anglin, New Iberia, MO; Tad Anglin and Michelle, Cartersville, IL; H.V., Jean and David Luttrell, Paden, MS; Susan and Anna Jean Derrington, Nashville, TN; Tuck and Peggy Hoover, Ed and Yvonne Starkey, Tishomingo, MS; Donna, Ellis and Jake Starkey, Cleveland, MS; Bob, Wilmer and Glenn Hodge, Eve Parsons, Mike, Sarah, Tyler and Mason Thomas, Iuka, MS; Blane and Janie Hodge and Dustin Pate, Clemson, SC;

Carol and Cory Tillman, Cookeville, TN; Jay and Gay Bennett, Belmont, MS.

Special guests were Bro. Raymond Buchannon, Tishomingo, MS, Lloyd Gene and Dorothy Tucker, Ruth Wynn and Wanda Walker, Iuka, MS and Sarah Walker, Huntsville, AL.

This event is scheduled again for the Sunday before Labor Day of the following year. Hopes are that more of the Humber relatives will be able to attend.

Daniel Reunion

September 20th if God be willing, the Daniels will have their annual gathering.

It will be in Iuka, in Mineral Springs Park, we welcome you with a sincere heart.

Theres gospel singing & memories to share, eat all you want, for theres food to spare.

There are so many, who now have gone, but in our hearts, they still live on.

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Ross E. Collins, Jr., M.D. serves as Medical Director for both the Adult Services program of Charter Parkwood Hospital in Olive Branch, MS and the Rapha Program at Charter Lakeside Hospital in Memphis, TN. He has been in private practice since 1989 following completion of his residency and fellowship at Vanderbilt University Medical Center.

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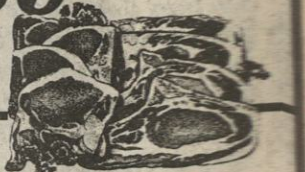
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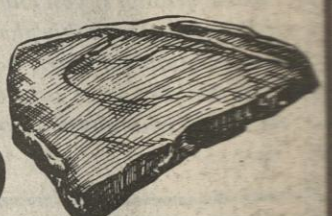
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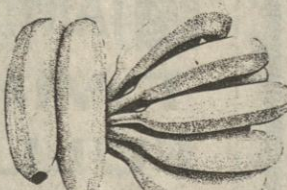
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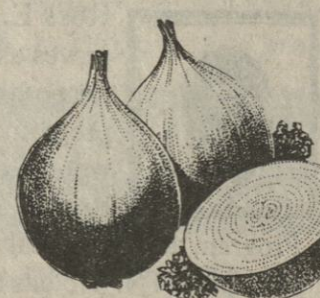
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45th Annual Tishomingo County Fair & Livestock Show Kicks Off September 30th

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Kicking off this year's Fair will be a Horse & Mule Pull on Saturday night, September 30, beginning at 1:00 p.m. Admission will be Adults - \$2.00 (13 yrs. & over) and Children - \$1.00 (12 yrs. & under). Entry fee will be \$15.00 with 100% payback and \$500 added. The Tishomingo County 4-H Show Choir will be on hand selling concessions during the event.

Some of the activities planned throughout the week will include: Gospel Singing, King and Queen Contest, Tiny Tot Show, Petting Zoo, and, of course, J Bar B Rodeo on Friday and Saturday nights. Wednesday will be Senior Citizen Day beginning at 1:00 p.m. with free refreshments. The 4-H Pet Show will begin at 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday. Beginning on Tuesday Night, Bluff City Shows will be on the Midway with rides and thrills for all. Thursday night will be "Armband Night" - buy an armband for \$8.00 and ride as many rides as you want as often as you

want (from 6:00 - 11:00 p.m.).

In addition to these attractions you can see 4-H, Home Economics, educational, and commercial exhibits, as well as livestock.

Mark your calendar, and bring the entire family to the 1997 Tishomingo County Fair September 30 - October 4. SEE YOU THERE!



1996 Queen of the Fair, Miss Danielle Nunley, welcomes everyone to the fair!

Open House Tonight At Iuka Middle School

The PTA at IMS invites you to join your students and meet their teachers from 6 to 8 PM Thursday, September 11, 1997. Travel room to room and see what's new at the school and check on your child's progress.

PTA Board members will be on hand to greet you and update you on plans for this school year. Parents of seventh graders are urged to make a special effort to stop and discuss the upcoming "Wednesday Evening Meal" plans scheduled for September 17, 1997, from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Be sure to pick up a newsletter and information about the General Mills Box Tops For Education drive. This program gives money directly to the school for box tops collected. So save those General Mills box tops and turn them in to the school.

Melva Stephens Lard To Present Wild Flower Program At Library

The Friends will celebrate their eighth birthday Tuesday at the library at 12 p.m. with a free lunch and birthday cake. For their 1998 membership drive the friends have prepared a cross word puzzle. All 1998 members who correctly work the puzzle will be eligible for a drawing for a 19 inch color TV, a gift of Walmart, together with ten "book lovers" desk calendars.

A special feature of the luncheon will be the announcement of the Friends 1997 Best Friend Award, based on the concept that while a person may have many friends, there can be only one "best friend". The award will be presented by Mayor David Nichols. Previous winners include: Iuka Guaranty Bank 1991, Mayor and Board of Aldermen 1992, Rep. Harvey Blendenman 1993, Eileen Bruce 1994, Olen Jourdan 1995 and Mike Nelson 1996.

The program for the lunch will feature Melva Stephens Lard, the author of "A Bouquet From Heaven". Described as "a delightful look at the gift we often overlook" her book shares fascinating details on thirty species of wildflowers together with scriptural messages which she relates to the flowers. The book has been beautifully illustrated by Steve McGuire an artist best known for his work in the Ozarks of southern Missouri and Northern Arkansas.

The Friends were organized October 6, 1988 as a support group for the Iuka Public Library. Beginning with only twenty members and twenty dollars they have since become the largest civic organization in the city, boasting over 350 members of whom 139 are life members.

During this time the Iuka



MELVA STEPHENS LARD

Friends have become the pattern for success for Friends organizations through out the state. Among their contributions has been the automation of the Iuka Library. Completed by volunteers in 1992 it remains the only library in the 13 member Northeast region to be fully automated using computers for book check outs and record keeping. The list of their other contributions to the library is endless. Perhaps their most lasting effort would be the role they played in supporting the library expansion project which doubled the size of the library and making it the pride of Iuka. The Friends are an association operating through a board of directors consisting of Rosemary Cross, Clea Gann, Ed Gregory, Dora Morris, Lucille Pruitt, and Frank Thomas, with Bette Nelson and Fredda Sanderson serving as ex officio members. The officers are Kathy Milligan treasurer, Gail Smith secretary and Bill Stahl President.

\$40,000 to Accident Victims in Civil Suit

by Pamela McRae

An Iuka couple received a judgment and \$40,000 in a civil suit in Tishomingo County Circuit Court last Friday.

Lessie Sanders and Danny Sanders, of Iuka, sued Robert McAfee, of Florence, for negligence in connection with an accident in 1995 that occurred at the intersection of Highway 172 and Highway 25, near Town and Country Furniture.

Lessie Sanders, driving a Chevrolet Lumina, was hit near the rear wheels by a Mercedes driven by McAfee, said the plaintiff's attorneys. She was hospitalized for eight days and suffered physical and emotional damage.

Danny Sanders was suing for loss of consortium, as well. Plaintiff's co-counsel Mark Segars explained that loss of consortium is essentially the loss of the services of your spouse, domestically and personally.

In the two-day jury trial under Circuit Court Judge Tommy Gardner, McAfee admitted liability in the accident; that he was the cause, said Segars. The jury did find for the plaintiffs.

Plaintiff co-counsel Phillip Whitehead said, "We are very pleased that the jury ruled in our favor."

"In liability cases such as these, the plaintiffs' or their counsel are not allowed to mention that the defendants have liability insurance to cover the damages suffered by the plaintiffs," said Mark Segars. "If the jury had been given this information, we believe that the damage award would have been much higher," he said.

Both parties have ten days to file post-trial motions.

Tishomingo County Special Municipal Separate School District Progress Reports

Progress Reports are being sent out this week. These reports are sent to notify parents about students who are in trouble academically. Also, some students may receive a report if they are performing below their ability.

Notice!

The Grisham Family Reunion will NOT be held this year due to error in scheduling at the Iuka Mineral Springs Youth Center.

The next date for the reunion will be the second Sunday, September 1998.

Tishomingo Cracks Down on Overdue Court Fines, Utility Bills

by Pamela McRae

In its continuing efforts to straighten out the finances of the town, the Tishomingo Board of Aldermen and the city judge adopted new policies on collecting delinquent court fines and utility bills.

Regarding the more than \$3,000 in uncollected utility bills, the board adopted a collection policy consisting of a reminder letter sent to the delinquent utility customer, followed up by legal action if it is not cost prohibitive, town officials said.

For the approximately \$6,000 in court fines that have not been paid, Tishomingo City Judge Phillip Whitehead made the decision to send names of those who have not paid court fines to the Mississippi Department of Public Safety, Driver License Division. The state will then attach a "failure to appear" or "failure to pay" to their drivers licenses, which will put their licenses on a suspended status until the fines are cleared up in Tishomingo.

Police Chief Appointed

John B. Strickland, Jr., who has served as a policeman in Tishomingo since 1995, was officially appointed Police Chief by the board Tuesday night. He had been "acting" police chief since

Teamwork & Cooperation Help Area Law Officers Solve Cases

by Pamela McRae

More than fifty law enforcement officers from the tri-state area got a chance to enjoy a meal together and compare notes on unsolved cases at a meeting last Tuesday of the Tri-State Law Enforcement Association.

Sheriffs, policemen, investigators, state troopers and officers from Alabama, Tennessee and as far as Monroe and Tippah Counties in Mississippi joined forces with FBI agents, and agents from the Alabama Investigation Bureau, constables, Mississippi state investigators, and other investigative agencies for a few hours and came up with, at the very least a few really good leads on previously unsolved cases. And they enjoyed a good steak dinner at the Tishomingo County High School cafeteria.

Of local interest was some positive information about four-wheeler theft cases, fraudulent check cashing operations, and even new leads on the identity of the bones found some months ago in the Piney Flats.

Effectiveness of Teamwork

Formed a little more than a year ago, largely in part due to the efforts of Tishomingo County Sheriff David Smith, and Sheriff Jimmy Taylor of Alcorn County, the association has met a few other times as a group. But the greatest evidence of its effectiveness has been demonstrated in several recent cases that were resolved with the hard work and unprecedented cooperation between agencies that has been fostered by the association.

The most recent success of the association has been the arrests made in connection with the July 20th murders of Harold Pugh and his 11-year-old son Joey Pugh in Colbert County, Alabama, which are presumed linked to a Belmont, Mississippi bank robbery, that happened the next morning, July 21st. The cross-state-line nature of the investigation called into action

many different local, state and federal agencies, and Tuesday night Colbert County Sheriff Buddy Aldridge gave credit to all the different people involved.

"You have never seen a group of people work as hard, for as long as they did," Aldridge told the more than fifty officers present.

Another recent case involved a man hunt for an escaped prisoner from Alcorn County. The prisoner escaped when he wrestled a deputy's gun away as the deputy was driving him to a



Buddy Aldridge, Sheriff of Colbert County Alabama had the floor for a few minutes last Tuesday night at a meeting of area law enforcement officers. He used the time to express his gratitude to all the area agencies and officers who helped in the recent investigation that lead to the arrests of five men believed to be responsible for the murder of Harold and Joey Pugh, a Belmont bank robbery, and an armed robbery of a Colbert County package store.

dental appointment. The man had been convicted of at least three murders, and fired the gun at the deputy's head. The safety being on was the only thing that saved the deputy, Smith said. Since the fugitive has a sister in Tishomingo County, officers from both counties and several agencies joined in the search, and the man was found just a little more than 24 hours later.

Tishomingo Co. Benefits Most

Sheriff David Smith, who served as host for the dinner, said his county benefits more than any of the others for the ties formed through the association, since Tishomingo County borders not only three Mississippi counties, but also counties in Tennessee and Alabama. He often has to deal with "line jumpers" who go into another jurisdiction after committing a crime, so working with other agencies and sheriff departments is a day-to-day operation at the Tishomingo County Sheriff Department.

"We can do so much more for the people when we work in numbers," said Smith. "Teamwork is the most effective way to work."

And apparently it was, listening to the conversation between officers as they compared notes.

Just the mention of an unknown body found burned recently in western Alabama, brought recognition from a

Monroe County, Mississippi official. Since then, there has been an arrest made in the case.

The familiarity of each officer with the common law breakers in his own county turned into valuable information that could be used to solve cases.

Jimmy Taylor in Alcorn County had located some guns, and brought up the subject at the meeting, which lead to those guns being identified as ones that were needed in a murder case in Baldwin. The guns were the physical evidence needed to help prove the case on the subject, from Alcorn County, that is charged with capital murder.

Similar "mode of operations" (MOs) of check fraud suspects, and suspected four-wheeler thieves gave some counties the best leads they had in months. Especially since habitual offenders' photos and records were on file in another office, they could soon access the information that they learned about at the meeting.

Appreciation was expressed to the many sponsors and people who made the event possible, including First American National Bank, Piggly Wiggly, Bank of Mississippi, Coca Cola Company of Corinth and Pat Smith and Betty Marlar, of the Tishomingo Co. Sheriff's Department who served as hostesses.

City Hall Work Will Go Through Normal Bidding Process

by Pamela McRae

Making plans for repairs to the recently fire-damaged city hall topped the list of actions at the regular meeting of the Iuka Board of Aldermen September 2nd.

There had been some consideration given to declaring some damaged parts of the building an "emergency," in an effort to speed along the process of rebuilding the city hall by avoiding the normal procurement process for contracting services. Under the less-restrictive emergency purchasing statute of the state code, contracts would still be competitively bid, but formal advertisements in newspapers are not required, which would cut down the time required for bidding the work.

But last Tuesday night, under the advice of the city attorney, the board conservatively voted to proceed with normal state guidelines for bidding design and construction services, even though it will mean much longer than the originally announced optimistic plans for a 30-60 day return to a refurbished city hall, which caught fire August 17th.

"This will delay the project substantially, but the board felt it was best under the circumstances," said Mayor David Nichols.

"This will help us avoid mistakes that could be made if we get in too big of a hurry," said Alderman George Long, who voiced concerns with quality of

materials and quality work that could mean wasted money on the 4,000-square-foot building.

Different construction contracts for separate components of the building will be bid separately, with Public Works Director Don McNeely performing the job of general contractor, explained officials. This will allow the city to avoid the cost of a general contractor.

City employees have been doing all cleanup work to date.

Costs of the renovations are not known, and will depend upon the insurance settlement. The interior floor plan will remain essentially the same, Nichols has said.

In other business, the board passed a resolution allowing some development of Jay Bird Park.

They also voted to officially change the location of Board meetings to the temporary Iuka City Hall facility on Eastport Street. Also officially changed until the city hall renovations are complete was the location of Iuka City Court, which will be held at the Tishomingo County Court-house.

Budget Hearing

At a Monday night hearing on the Iuka City Budget for the next fiscal year, only one person showed up, and he had no comment on the budget, said Nichols. The new budget will be formally adopted September 15th, and published afterwards.

Tishomingo Town Board ACTIONS

the previous administration.

Budget Approved

The 1997-98 fiscal year budget for the town was approved Tuesday. The total budgeted expenditures for the year are \$578,500, according to City Clerk Karen Kennedy. The millage rate of 25.25, the same as in recent years, was

also approved.

Town Looking for Utility Maintenance Operator

The town is now officially looking for someone to fill a full-time maintenance position that is either certified, or willing to get certified, in gas, sewer and water system operations and maintenance, said Mayor James Tenneyson.

Work Sessions Keeping Town Looking Great!

Work on the exterior of the City Hall will continue September 11 at 6 p.m. Work will be done by volunteers and everyone is encouraged to come lend a hand. The goal is to paint the outside, and later the inside, so visitors, and citizens will have a city hall they can be proud to visit.

There will be another work session September 16th, after city court about 7 p.m., for city hall work, and general planning for keeping the town looking great.

Iuka City Board ACTIONS

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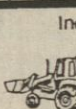
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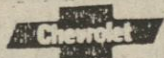


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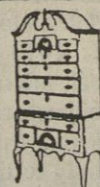
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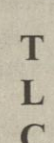
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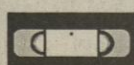
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Obituaries

Services Held For Elsie D. Borden

Elsie D. Borden, 89, died Thursday, September 4, 1997, at the Tishomingo County Hospital in Ripley. She was a homemaker and a member of Shiloh Baptist Church.

Services were at 1 p.m. Saturday at Shiloh Baptist Church with the Rev. Gary Hodum and the Rev. Sammy McMillan officiating. Burial was in Shiloh Baptist Church. Coleman Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include three sons, Norman Borden of Corinth, Jerry Borden of Iuka and Bobby Borden of Florence, AL; five daughters, Wila Floyd of Jackson, TN, Nadine Leatherwood of Biloxi, Joyce Tapp of Chattanooga, Tenn., Linda Crum of Ripley and Wanda Hodum of Collinwood, Tenn.; two sisters, Nellie Mae Ward of Corinth and Inez Riddell of Niles, Ohio; 26 grandchildren, 31 great-grandchildren, four great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Kennie C. Borden; a son, Ezra Borden; a daughter, Imogene Floyd; a granddaughter, Jennifer Williams; a great-grandson, Steve Willis; two brothers, Elbert Davis and Luther Davis; and a sister, Velma Ballard.

Her grandsons were pallbearers.

All Day Service & Revival At Fairview

On Sunday, September 14th, there will be an all day service. Singing will begin at 10:00. Preaching at 11:00. Lunch will be served at noon and singing in the afternoon.

Revival will begin on Monday night, September 15th and continue through Friday night, September 19th.

Services will begin at 7:00 p.m. each night. There will be a different speaker each night. Everyone invited to any or all of these services.

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Services Held For Sheila Belue

Sheila Fay Kennedy Belue, 33, died Sunday, September 7, 1997, at Booneville Baptist Hospital as the result of an automobile accident. She was an employee of Quartet Manufacturing Co.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Fairview Church of God with the Rev. Marshall Tennison and the Rev. Ray Pace officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. McMillan Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include her parents, J.T. and Audrey Pace Lambert of Tishomingo; three sons, Tony Kennedy, Nicholas Kennedy and Dustin Kennedy, all of the home; one brother, Richard Lambert of Tishomingo.

Mollie Hardcastle

Mollie Lucille Hardcastle, 83, died Saturday, September 6, 1997, at the Tarrace Manor Nursing Home. She was a native of Mississippi and a member of Friendship Baptist Church in Russellville, AL. She was retired from Blue Bell Incorporated after 22 years of service.

Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Deaton Funeral Home Chapel in Red Bay, AL, with the Rev. Eugene Digby officiating. Burial was in the Ridge Cemetery.

Survivors include one daughter, Rose Mary Goddard of Tishomingo; two sons, James McCalmon of Marietta, Gene McCalmon of Russellville, AL; six grandchildren, six great-grandchildren.

Burial Services For Mrs. Mary Stelter

Mary Stelter, 69, died Monday, September 8, 1997 at the Iuka Hospital. She was born in Alexandria, Indiana and was a retired factory worker. She was a loving mother and wife.

Services will be at 1:00 p.m. Thursday, September 11 at the Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Lester Shows officiating. The body will be cremated.

Survivors included her husband, Fred Stelter of Iuka, her mother, Mildred Gettle, Alexandria, Indiana; 3 daughters, Linda Etchinson, Indian, Darlene Knowles, Iuka and Deborah McBee, Iuka; 1 son, Harold Eugene Doyle, Gurney, Illinois; 1 sister, Barbara Cummings, Indiana; 10 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

Fundraiser At Walmart

Fairview Church of God will have a fundraiser at Wal-Mart in Booneville on Saturday, September 13th at 11:00 til 3:00.

There will be a bake sale, hamburgers, hotdogs and cokes. There will be singing, featuring: Heaven's Anthem, Anointed, Promise Land and the Kennedy Family.

All proceeds will go toward the new Christian Life Center/Gymnasium.

Everyone is welcome! Come out. Bring your lawn chair and enjoy the food and fellowship.



Cortney's Community Chats By Cortney Compton

Do you pursue happiness? I hope you do! We often go through life rushed, accepting the quickest solutions, and rarely experiencing happiness. I was watching a television special this weekend. The topic of the show was how to find true happiness. So what is true happiness? Where do you find it? And how do you experience it?

That all depends on the kind of person you are, your interests, and your environment. Did you know that by laughing your extending your life, a little bit more. Or that's what I heard. Naturally, by enjoying life through happiness we overlook our problems only seeing joy. No happiness doesn't magically appear. We must learn to laugh more, share more, and love more. Then we will find more than enough happiness through our

pursuit of everyday living.

So start enjoying your life today, and I promise you will find some happiness along the way.

Remember it's up to you:

*One song can spark a moment,
One flower can wake the dream.
One tree can start a forest,
One bird can herald spring.
One smile begins a friendship,
One handclasp lifts soul.
One star can guide a ship at sea,
One word can frame the goal.
One vote can change a notion,
One sunbeam lights a room.
One candle wipes out darkness,
One laugh can conquer gloom.
One step must start each journey,
One word must start each prayer.
One hope will raise our spirits,
One touch can show you care.
One voice can speak with wisdom,
One heart can know what's true,
One life can make the difference,
You see, it's up to you.*

Christ Gospel Youth Choir To Present Musical "Jesus Is The Answer"

Christ Gospel Youth Choir of Jacinto, MS presents their 1997 musical "Jesus Is The Answer" Friday, September 12, 1997 at 7:00 p.m. We invite the public to come out and enjoy a night of fellowship with son and praise in the Lord. Refreshments will be served immediately after the musical.

The church is located approximately 2 miles west of Jacinto Courthouse located on Hwy. 356. Those singing will be Denisha Morgan, Tina Robinson, Jessica Johnson, Tim Curry, Rebecca Curry, Quinten Dixon, Kaleena Osborn, Josh Davis, Michael Davis, Brenda Bullock, Lisa Hicks and Israel Lytal. Choir leaders are Jennifer Mooney and Mary Osborn.

For more information call 427-9510, 427-9001 or 462-7127.

Sunday School/Church Workers Seminars....

Sunday School/Church Workers Seminars will be September 19th - 21st at the New Lebanon Free Will Baptist Church.

Friday, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. "The Art of Communicating or is Anybody Listening?"

Saturday, 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. "Commissioned To Communicate."

Sunday, 10:00 - 11:00 A.M. "Trends In The American Community That Will Affect The American Church."

Sunday, 11:00 A.M. & 6:00 P.M. Dr. Alton Loveless will preach.

For more information call 462-8069 or 462-7591.

Revival At Snowdown

Snowdown Methodist Church will have their Revival Sunday, September 14th thru Wednesday, September 17th starting at 7:00 p.m.

Bro. Lester Shows will be preaching.

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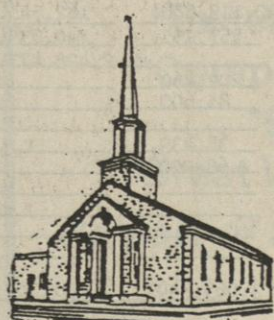
I would like to use this means and opportunity to express to you a heartfelt "thank you." I gratefully appreciate your prayers, calls, cards, visits, flowers, and your thoughts while I was sick and in the hospital. I am feeling much better and hope to be back in full swing in a few more days.

May God bless each of you.

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Revival

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Gospel Singing

Gospel Singing at Burnsville Tabernacle will be Saturday, September 13, 1997 at 7:00 p.m.

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Singing At Old Pleasant Hill

Singing at Old Pleasant Hill Church, North Crossroads will be Saturday night, September 13 at 7:00 p.m. The special singers will be the Faithful Beleavirs. Bro. Larry Dandiver and the church welcomes you.

Men's Club To Meet

The Parish Men's Club will meet at Harmony U.M.C. September 11th at 7:00 p.m.

Bro. James Curtis, the pastor of Iuka U.M.C. will be the speaker.

Right on Time....

I headed out that rainy morn,
As the saying goes when it rains it pours.
To the Tupelo hospital to get my love,
As dark the clouds they loomed above,

Though problems seemed to multiply,
I was glad to know the Lord is right,
He never fails or lets us down,
And after all my husband was still around.

I gave the dog a playful scratch,
I said, "Uboo watch after things 'till I get back"
And driving off I never guessed,
The troubled time that lie ahead.

Around the curve in pouring rain,
And there a truck was in my lane,
I heard the screech and felt the pain,
And then only stillness in the rain.

Later memories were vague, scattered, torn.
At times I knew, I felt forlorn.
Why dear Lord did this happen now?
But I knew I was gonna make it through some how.

So many weeks of pain, and therapy,
Oh what my friends have meant to me,
The letters, the cards, the calls,
The faithful nurses in the hall.

All the love has let me know,
I got my flowers while here below,
Thank you friends both one and all,
You were there to break my fall.

And now as my body begins to mend,
Even though it's not the end.
I want to thank each and every one,
For all the many things you have done.

I would like to tell you lest you forget
God's apparently not through with me yet,
He was with me on that lonely road,
And though it was hard, I was never alone.

When faced with that impossible circumstance,
I couldn't laugh, I couldn't dance,
I held the wheel in gripping fear,
And thought the very end was here,

But just as I thought I was sure to die,
I know the Lord came down from on high,
The McKameys sing a song that stays on my mind.

Coming Down The Road was Jesus Right On Time.

To all the friends, family, doctors, nurses and therapists,
Evelyn Moore and husband Jimmy

Thank You

The family of Pete Selman would like to express our appreciation for the kindness and love shown to us during the illness and death of our loved one.

Thanks for all the visits, phone calls, food, flowers, gifts, and prayers.

We would like to thank the staff of Iuka Hospital, Segars Clinic, Hospice, Schofield Medical Service, Rev. Howard Stanford, Rev. Earl Martin, family, friends, Cutshall Funeral Home, and all pallbearers.

Thank you for all the care and comforting words.

A special thanks to Rev. Earl Martin who visited every day while he was in the hospital.

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Tishomingo County Municipal Separate School District CHILD FIND PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN AND DISTRICT CONFIDENTIALITY LETTER

The Tishomingo County Special Municipal Separate School District is participating in an ongoing statewide effort to identify, locate, and evaluate children through the age of twenty-one who have a physical, mental, communicative and/or emotional disability. Early identification of children in need of special educational experiences is most important to each child. Furthermore, this information gathered from contacts with parents and other agencies will be used to help determine present and future program needs as progress is made toward the goal of providing a free appropriate public education to all children with a disability.

Information which could identify an individual child will be maintained by this agency and will be provided to other agencies only in accord with the Family Rights and Privacy Act and EHA-B. As a parent, you are guaranteed the right to inspect any such information about your child and to challenge its accuracy. Access to this information is forbidden to an unauthorized person without informed consent.

Please contact Betty Barnes, Child Find Person for the Tishomingo County Special Municipal Separate School District, if you know of any children who may have a disability by calling 438-7471 or writing to her at the following address: The Education Center, P.O. Box 98, Tishomingo, MS 38873.

The Child Find Person implements child identification, location and evaluation of children birth through twenty-one who have disabilities, regardless of the severity of their disability, and

who are in need of special education and/or related services. The Child Find Person works with the local Head Starts, Human Services, Health and Mental Health agencies, as well as local education agencies, physicians and other individuals to identify and locate children out of school and in school who may be in need of special education services.

Once a referral is made, it is the responsibility of the Child

Find Person to insure that the Referral-to-Placement procedures are followed. She works with Local Survey Committees at each school to implement this procedure. The following activities briefly describe the procedures.

Prior to evaluation, a copy of the Parent Information Pamphlet and Procedural Safeguards are given to parents. District personnel explain the Parent Information Pamphlet to parents and insure that they understand the Procedural Safeguards.

After parental consent for testing is obtained, a nondiscriminatory evaluation is conducted. Students are evaluated in all areas related to the suspected disability by personnel.

Parents are notified when a student is ruled eligible for a special education program. An Individual Educational Plan is developed for the student before the student is placed. Parents must sign permission for placement. Parents, teachers and/or students participate in this process. All students receiving special education services are reassessed at least once a year and reevaluated at least once every three years.

We now have twenty-five special education classes in our district which provide services to students who have a physical, mental, communicative and/or emotional disability. It is the goal of the Tishomingo County School District to provide free appropriate education to all children with disabilities through age twenty-one by the year 2000.

Free Electricity/ Refrigeration Training

The Northeast Extension Center is offering quality Electrical/Refrigeration training free to dislocated workers. Students who are currently receiving unemployment benefits can continue to receive this money while in training. The Pell Grant is available to eligible students.

To find out if you are eligible to fill one of the slots in this program call the Extension Center at 286-8871 the Job Service at 296-3308 or in Iuka call 423-9231.

County of Tishomingo, State of Mississippi, the following described property situated in the County of Tishomingo, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

Part of the NE 1/4 of Section 19, Township 3 South, Range 11 East, beginning at the Northeast corner of said quarter section; thence West 851 feet to the Easterly right-of-way of Eastport Road; thence with said right-of-way South 61 degrees 40 minutes West 286.1 feet to an iron pin; thence continue with said Easterly right-of-way, more or less, South 50 degrees 13 minutes West 86.96 feet; thence South 58 degrees 33 minutes 40 seconds West 128.7 feet to the point of beginning hereof; thence South 49 degrees 37 minutes East 162 feet; thence South 40 degrees 23 minutes West 142 feet; thence North 39 degrees 47 minutes West 200 feet to an iron pipe on the Easterly right-of-way of Eastport Road; thence with said right-of-way North 58 degrees 33 minutes 40 seconds East 149.5 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 0.59 acre, more or less.

SUBJECT to a power line easement.

I WILL CONVEY only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee. WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this, the 29th day of August, 1997.

JOHN C. UNDERWOOD, JR.
SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE
S-18-25-O-2-9-chg

Legal Notice

Timber Hills Mental Health Services' Commissioners/Board of Directors will be accepting sealed bids for the purchase of a computer system to service the four (4) county mental health region. The proposed system will provide linkage for the 4 satellite offices located in Alcorn, Prentiss, Tippah, and Tishomingo Counties to the Agency's main office in Corinth.

Interested bidders may obtain a list of items to be purchased and specifications by contacting Charlie Spearman, Sr., or Kim Hodges at (601)287-4424 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Bids must be received by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 16, 1997.

S-4-11-chg

Legal Notice

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
WILLIE LEE STRICKLIN, AS ADMINISTRATOR
OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLIE MACK STRICKLIN, DECEASED NO. 96-0357
SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: The unknown heirs, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, or statutory beneficiaries under MISS. CODE ANN. § 11-7-13 of Charlie Mack Stricklin, deceased, and any and all persons claiming or having a legal or equitable interest in the Estate of Charlie Mack Stricklin, deceased.

You have been made a Respondent in the Petition filed in this Cause by WILLIE LEE STRICKLIN, ADMINISTRATOR, seeking authority to compromise doubtful claim of estate and statutory beneficiaries for damages under MISS. CODE ANN. § 11-7-13, and for other relief. Respondents other than you in this action are Johnnie Mae Stacy, Junior Stricklin and Jimmy Holland.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the Petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 a.m. on the 17th day of October, 1997, in the Chancery courtroom of the Tishomingo County Courthouse in Iuka, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition.

You are not required to file answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire. Issued under my hand and seal of said Court, this the 8th day of September, 1997.

RICHARD HAYDEN ABLES,
Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County,
Mississippi
Hayden Ables
By: N. Lomenick, D.C.
S-11-18-25-chg

Legal Notice

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF TISHOMINGO

FORECLOSURE NOTICE

WHEREAS, on the 8th day of July, 1996, James C. Bray, and wife, Pamela Y. Bray, executed a Deed of Trust under the terms of which the hereinafter described real property was conveyed to Harold S. Jackson, as Trustee, to secure the payment to The Peoples Bank & Trust Company of an indebtedness therein described which Deed of Trust is recorded in Trust Deed Book 216, at pages 494-497, of the records of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the performance and conditions of the said Deed of Trust, and the holder thereof has declared the entire indebtedness secured thereby due and has requested the undersigned to sell said lands as provided by the said Deed of Trust.

NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned will, between the hours of 11:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M., on the 29th day of September, 1997, at the East front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse in Iuka, Mississippi, offer for sale and will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property located in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to-wit:

Lot 72, PICKWICK LAKE CORPORATION SUBDIVISION, a Subdivision located in the NW 1/4 of Section 18, Township 2, Range 11, as per map or plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in Map Book 2, at page 46, reference to which said map or plat is hereby made in aid of and as a part of this description.

LESS AND EXCEPT: One-third (1/3) of all mineral rights as reserved by the Grantor in a Warranty Deed from C.H. McCulley to R.H. Burress, recorded in Deed Book B-40, at page 633.

BUILDING RESTRICTIONS: Minimum 400 feet — house trailers permitted—septic tanks required for health and sanitation purposes (outdoor facilities not allowed).

The undersigned will convey only such title as is vested in him as Trustee.
Harold S. Jackson,
Trustee

HAROLD S. JACKSON
ATTORNEY AT LAW
125 SOUTH FULTON STREET
POST OFFICE BOX 414
IUKA, MISSISSIPPI 38852
MISSISSIPPI BAR NO. 2962

S-4-11-18-25-CHG

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF TISHOMINGO

Legal Notice

FORECLOSURE NOTICE

WHEREAS, on the 10th day of November, 1994, James C. Bray, and Pamela Y. Bray, executed a Deed of Trust under the terms of which the hereinafter described real property was conveyed to Harold S. Jackson, as Trustee, to secure the payment to The Peoples Bank & Trust Company of an indebtedness therein described which Deed of Trust is recorded in Trust Deed Book 200, at pages 354, of the records of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the performance and conditions of the said Deed of Trust, and the holder thereof has declared the entire indebtedness secured thereby due and has requested the undersigned to sell said lands as provided by the said Deed of Trust.

NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned will, between the hours of 11:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M., on the 29th day of September, 1997, at the East front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse in Iuka, Mississippi, offer for sale and will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash the following described property located in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to-wit:

Lot 71, PICKWICK LAKE CORPORATION SUBDIVISION, a Subdivision located in the NW 1/4 of Section 18, Township 2, Range 11, as per map or plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in Map Book 2, at page 46, reference to which said map or plat is hereby made in aid of and as a part of this description.

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Legal Notice

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TO THE OWNERS OF THAT PORTION OF THE LAND HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED IN TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI:

You are hereby notified that the Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, will meet at 10:00 a.m., at the Board of Supervisor's Room in the Tishomingo County Courthouse on October 6, 1997, to resolve the question of public convenience and necessity of the incorporation of the South Tishomingo Protection Grading District, Inc. and whether it is economically sound and desirable to create said District, and all parties in interest are invited to appear before the Board at that time and express themselves in connection therewith.

You are further notified that the proposed boundaries of the District are as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of the South half of Section 32, Township 7 South, Range 10 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi; thence run South along the East section line to the Southwest corner of Section 5; thence run West along the North section line of Section 7 to the East bank of the Tenn-Tom Waterway; thence run South along the East bank of the Tenn-Tom Waterway to the West line of Section 11, Township 7 South, Range 9 East; thence run South along the West section line to the Southwest corner of Section 14; thence run East along the South boundary line to the Southeast corner of Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 10 East; thence run South along East section line to the Northeast corner of Section 14; thence run West along the North section line of Section 14 to the Northwest corner of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 14; thence run North along the half section line of Section 11, Township 7 South, Range 10 East to the North section line of Section 11; thence run East along the North section line of Section 11 to the Southeast corner of the West half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 2; thence run North along the quarter section line to the Northeast corner of the West half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 2; thence run West along the half section line of Section 2 for a distance of 1,600 feet, more or less; thence run North along half section line for a distance of 1,400 feet, more or less, to a point; thence run West for a distance of 1,600 feet, more or less, to a point; thence run South for a distance of 410 feet, more or less; thence run West for a distance of 1,100 feet, more or less, to a point; thence run North for a distance of 1,100 feet, more or less, to a point; thence run West for a distance of 1,230 feet, more or less; thence run North for a distance of 3,100 feet, more or less, to the Northeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of Section 34, Township 7 South, Range 10 East; thence run along the half section line to the Northwest corner of the Southwest Quarter of Section 32, Township 7 South, Range 10 East and the Point of Beginning.

This the 8th day of September, 1997.

ATTEST:
Hayden Ables, Clerk

Dale Price, President
Tishomingo County Board of Supervisors

S-11-18-25

Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
OF PEARL BALLARD, DECEASED CAUSE NO. 97-0296

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned having been appointed Administratrix, CTA of the estate of Pearl Ballard, deceased, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi in Cause No. 97-0296 on the docket of said Court, on the 8 day of September, 1997, hereby gives notice to all persons having any claims against the said estate to bring 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 this period will bar the said claim.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SIGNATURE, on this the 8th day of September, 1997.

HAROLD S. JACKSON
ATTORNEY AT LAW
125 SOUTH FULTON STREET
POST OFFICE BOX 414
IUKA, MISSISSIPPI 38852
MISSISSIPPI BAR NO. 2962

Eva Sue Sanders
Administratrix

S-11-18-25

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF TISHOMINGO

Legal Notice

FORECLOSURE NOTICE

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of January, 1994, Braxton E. Luttrell, et al, executed a Deed of Trust under the terms of which the hereinafter described real property was conveyed to J.R. Garner, as Trustee, to secure the payment to City Finance Company of an indebtedness therein described which Deed of Trust is recorded in Trust Deed Book 192, at pages 108-109, of the records of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, the City Finance Company has heretofore substituted the undersigned, Richard O. Clark, as Substitute Trustee, in the place and stead of J.R. Garner, by instrument dated the 5th day of September, 1997, which instrument is of record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in General substitute Book 1, at pages 510-511; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the performance and conditions of the said Deed of Trust, and the holder thereof has declared the entire indebtedness secured thereby due and has requested the undersigned to sell said lands as provided by the said Deed of Trust.

NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned will, between the hours of 11:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M., on the 3rd day of October, 1997, at the East front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse in Iuka, Mississippi, offer for sale and will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property located in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to-wit:

Being part of the NE 1/4 of Section 21, Township 3 South, Range 11 East, described as follows: Beginning at the Northeast Corner of said quarter and run thence South on the East line 56 rods to the point of beginning, which point is also the Northeast Corner of the Travis L. Letson and wife, Azline A. Letson, property; from this beginning point thence run North along the East boundary 210 feet to a point; thence run in a Westerly direction parallel to the North boundary line 420 feet; thence run South parallel to the East boundary line 210 feet; thence run East along the North boundary of Travis L. Letson property 420 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Richard O. Clark,
Substitute Trustee

RICHARD O. CLARK
ATTORNEY AT LAW
125 SOUTH FULTON STREET
POST OFFICE BOX 319
IUKA, MISSISSIPPI 38852
MISSISSIPPI BAR NO. 6274

S-11-18-25-O-2-CHG

Legal Notice

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on June 8, 1983, William E. Hawkins, Sr. and Sharon B. Hawkins, executed a deed of trust to Lawrence G. Kerley, Trustee for the benefit of the United States of America, acting through the Farmers Home Administration, United States Department of Agriculture, which deed of trust is recorded in Deed of Trust Book 109 at Page 406 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of the County of Tishomingo, State of Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, the aforesaid deed of trust was assigned to Bankers Trust Company, not in its individual capacity, but solely as co-trustee of the Rural Housing Trust, 1987-1, by instrument dated December 11, 1995, and recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book B-189 at Page 147; and

WHEREAS, the aforesaid, Bankers Trust Company, not in its individual capacity, but solely as co-trustee of the Rural Housing Trust, 1987-1, the holder of said deed of trust and the note secured thereby, substituted John C. Underwood, Jr., as Trustee therein, as authorized by the terms thereof, by instrument dated November 9, 1995 and recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Substitution of Trustee Book 1 at Page 507; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said deed of trust and the entire debt secured thereby, having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, and the legal holder of said indebtedness, Bankers Trust Company, not in its individual capacity, but solely as co-trustee of the Rural Housing Trust, 1987-1, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, Substituted Trustee's fees and expense of sale;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John C. Underwood, Jr., Substituted Trustee in said deed of trust, will on the 13th day of October, 1997, offer for sale at public outcry for cash to the highest bidder, and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 1100 A.M. and 4:00 P.M.) at the Main Front door of the County Courthouse at Iuka,

TISHOMINGO COUNTY Combined Budget for Publication For the Fiscal Year Ending September 30 1999								
Governmental Fund Types				Proprietary Fund Types		Fiduciary Fund Type		
General	Special Revenue	Capital Projects	Debt Service	Enterprise	Internal Service	Nonexpendable Trust	Total	
REVENUES								
Amount necessary to be raised by tax levy	658,322.	1,051,712.	30,740				1,740,774	
Taxes and ad valorem other than tax levy	15,000.						15,000.	
Licenses, commissions, and other revenue	150,000.	206,000.					356,000.	
Fines and forfeitures	200,000.	22,000.					222,000.	
Intergovernmental revenue:								
Federal sources								
State sources:								
State grants	275,000.	86,000.					361,000.	
State shared revenues	1,300,000.	653,400.					1,953,400.	
Local sources								
Charges for services	2,000.	300,000.					302,000.	
Use of money and property	200,000.	58,100.				140,000.	398,100.	
Miscellaneous revenue	40,000.	74,000.					114,000.	
Other financing sources	90,000.	415,000.					505,000.	
Total Revenues	2,930,322.	2,866,212.	30,740.			140,000.	5,967,274.	
Beginning Cash Balance	1,035,018.	3,780,500.	36,000.			2,626,000.	7,477,518.	
Total Revenues and Beginning Cash Balance	3,965,340.	6,646,712.	66,740.			2,766,000.	13,444,792.	
EXPENDITURES								
General government	2,113,686.	162,541.					2,276,227.	
Public safety	557,155.	240,739.					797,894.	
Public works		2,428,473.					2,428,473.	
Health and welfare	202,460.						202,460.	
Culture and recreation	85,600.						85,600.	
Education	38,439.						38,439.	
Conservation of natural resources	68,000.						68,000.	
Economic development and assistance								
Capital projects								
Debt service			30,740.				30,740.	
Other expenditures						140,000.	140,000.	
Other financing uses								
Total Expenditures	3,065,340.	2,831,753.	30,740.			140,000.	6,067,833.	
Ending cash balance	900,000.	3,814,959.	36,000.			2,626,000.	7,376,959.	
Total Expenditures and Ending Cash Balance	3,965,340.	6,646,712.	66,740.			2,766,000.	13,444,792.	



Mayor Declares Constitution Week

Mayor David Nichols was joined by several guests Monday to declare September 17th through the 23rd as DAR Constitution week. Pictured with Nichols are Mrs. Jane Robinson and some of her 5th grade students, who will participating in Constitution Week activities. From left are, Helen Nixon, Mildred Hill, Calroline Walker, Whitney Bowling, Jane Robinson, Ashley Helton and Casy Phillips.

Braves First Home Game Friday Night!

Braves Overcome By Cardinals

By Lana Harrelson

On Friday, September 5, the TC Braves were defeated by the Cardinals of Belmont, 13-7.

The first score came late in the first half when Doug Matney returned a fumble 32 yards for a TD. Bran Taylor's PAT was good to put the Cardinals up 7-0.

The Cardinals scored again with 53 left in the game. Bran Taylor ran the ball 2 yards into the end zone to score.

The Braves tried unsuccessfully late in the game to rally. With only 50 seconds left on the game Grant Smith connected with Brad Cornelison for a 21-yard TD. Ryan Glover's PAT was good. The Braves then recovered the ball on an onside kick; however the Braves' hopes were quickly dashed when the Cardinals intercepted with 8 seconds remaining.

The final score was Belmont, 13 - TCHS 7.

Friday night the Braves will be at home for the TC versus Alcorn Central Contest. Come join

the tailgate party, enjoy the fall weather, and yell for the Braves as they take on the Bears from Alcorn Central. Game time is 7:30 and admission is \$4.00 for all.

Attention: TCHS Parents! Tutoring Available

Tutoring sessions in English and Math are available at the high school for any students who want or need extra work in these areas. The tutoring sessions will be offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays each week from 3:00 until 5:00. The sessions will be taught by TC faculty members.

Help The TCHS Juniors!

The Junior Class of Tishomingo County High School is currently involved in their major fundraising project for the year - selling magazines. If you would like to purchase a magazine, you may contact any TC Junior, or call the school at 423-7300. Help the TC Juniors.

Prepared Childbirth Education & Newborn Care Classes

September 22 through October 27
Mondays • 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.
Iuka Hospital • Education Room 1

Instructor:
Theresa Stricklen, RN

Cost \$45 - Includes all instructional materials

To preregister or for more information, call
(601) 423-6051 or 1-800-843-3375.



Mississippi Farm Bureau Federation Opposes Term Limits. A term limits initiative proposal has been filed in the office of the Secretary of State. The following is information on this proposal - Initiative Measure #9.

Why Term Limits are BAD

- We already have term limits - elections! We need to protect our constitutional right to extend or limit terms at the ballot box.
- It limits good officeholders as well as bad. Let the people decide when turnover is necessary.
- It shifts power to the bureaucrats. Many times when we have been unable to get a response from a government worker, we have called upon an experienced elected official to get the response. Unresponsive bureaucrats will gain more power if we automatically terminate elected officials with experience.
- Its ultimate goal is to limit all officeholders, including city, county, state, & federal officeholders.
- Out-of-state money funds term limits efforts.
- It diminishes the benefit of experience.
- It creates more "lameducks" earlier.
- People are put out of office, regardless of the will of their constituents.
- The Mississippi Constitution guarantees that a legislator is chosen by voters in his/her district. The state does not have the constitutional right to order the district to have term limits.
- Term limits will not solve problems presented by low voter turnout and lack of voter interest. When you are presented with a statement of how "bad" government is, ask the question: "how would term limits solve it?"
- The effect of term limits is that government would have to be started from scratch every eight years.
- Patriots have shed blood to preserve the right of American citizens to vote freely, and not be "handcuffed" by arbitrary limits on elected leadership.
- The objective for now is to minimize the number of signatures placed on the initiative petition in our county. The best way to do this is to share information about term limits with the people in our county. The more people know, the less likely they are to promote term limits.

March Of Dimes WalkAmerica Kick-Off Nears

The Kick-Off Celebration for the 1997 Tishomingo County WalkAmerica will be held at 12:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 23, at Iuka United Methodist Church.

The WalkAmerica Kick-Off is a time for team captains from area companies to come together to learn more about WalkAmerica, receive fundraising materials, and celebrate the March of Dimes mission of improving the health of babies of preventing birth defects and infant mortality.

WalkAmerica is the March of Dimes' largest annual fundraiser. Each year, teams from local companies and individual walkers come together to raise money for the March of Dimes. The money raised during WalkAmerica goes toward local programs, education, community services, and research which affects mothers and babies in Mississippi and across the United States.

Persons interested in attending the Tishomingo County WalkAmerica Kick-Off and learning how to form a team may contact Lisa Overby or Lana Harrelson at Tishomingo County High School at 423-7300 or Tanya Finch with the March of Dimes in Tupelo at 844-6901.

You Are Cordially Invited...

The 7th Grade Class and the IMS PTA requests the pleasure of your support (and taste buds) to "Have Dinner On Us," (for a small charge, of course) to provide you with an evening of NO cooking, and to provide our children with funds for our school.

When: Wednesday, September 17, 1997 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Where: Iuka Middle School Cafeteria. Menu: Subs, chips, pickle, tea.

Cost: \$5.00 Adult, \$3.00 Child.

Two reasons you should go:
1. Your support means the children won't be coming door to door to sell you things you don't want.

2. You get home from work and get ready for church and have no time on Wednesday to prepare dinner.

P.S. Look for Spaghetti Dinner next month.

Tishomingo Cub Scout News

Tishomingo Cub Scout Pack 70 finished off the summer with some fun activities in the past couple of weeks. Scouts Blake Jourdan, Tucker Cain, Delvoir Johnson, Nathan Belue, and Edric Parrish and their families enjoyed a pool party at Tishomingo State Park. On another day, some of the boys experienced the beauty of Tishomingo State Park when they hiked on the trails. Scouts participating in the hike were Nathan Belue, Edric Parrish, Tucker Cain and Delvoir Johnson. Thanks to the parents who helped out with these activities. Leaders

and scouts in the pack are planning on another fun, exciting, and educational year! For information on joining contact Cubmaster Anita Belue at 438-7244.

Attend Meeting Monday Night To Join Scouts

Any boy in grades 1-4 that is interested in becoming a cub scout and any one interested in being a leader should attend a very important meeting on Monday night, September 15th at 6:30 p.m. in the Iuka Elementary Lunch Room.

We are asking that all pack 26 Cub Scouts attend for sign-up.

Thanks
Jeff Gillis, Cub Master

Unemployment Rises In County....

According to Jimmy Rowland, Manager of the Mississippi State Employment Service, unemployment in Tishomingo County rose to 11.5 percent in mid-July. This compares to 8.0 percent in June and 11.5 percent in July one year ago.

The civilian labor force for the county numbered 10,360, 160 less than June, but 100 more than July, 1996. Approximately 9,170 Tishomingo County residents held jobs in July while 1,190 were unemployed.

Manufacturing jobs in the county numbered 3,340, 480 less

than June, but approximately the same as July of last year. Nonmanufacturing jobs numbered 3,3290, approximately the same as June but 40 less than July, 1996.

It has not always been easy to get a haircut in Copenhagen, Denmark. The world's longest recorded strike-concerning the employment of barbers' assistants - ended there on January 4, 1961 after 33 years.

Auction
Late-Model Construction Equip. & Trucks
Wednesday, Sept. 17th & Thursday, Sept. 18th @ 9AM
Philadelphia, Miss.
Note: Selling for Kille Heavy Hauling, Glenn Miller Const., Jellene Const., Stone County of Miss., Pocket Rental, Hulse Rental, S & C Rental, other area contractors, financial institutions and others.
NO MINIMUMS NO RESERVES
WEDNESDAY - DAY 1
(20) Truck Tractors
(27) Dump Trucks
(24) Specialty Trucks
(45) Trailers
(4) Forestry Equipment
(30) Farm Tractors
(20) Pickups & 1-ton
(12) Utility Vehicles & Autos
(2) Airplanes
Farming Attachments
Misc.: Golf Carts, Copiers, etc
THURSDAY - DAY 2
(45) Crawler Tractors
(41) Excavators & Cranes
(15) Motorgraders
(5) End Dumps & Scrapers
(15) Wheel Loaders
(40) Loader Backhoes
(10) Skid Steer Loaders
(10) Tractors
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Thursday, Sept. 18, 1997

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Bus Trip To Football Game

The TCHS Athletic Booster Club has chartered a bus for fans to attend the TCHS vs Caledonia football game on September 26. Anyone interested in this trip to support the football team may sign up with the Booster Club at their Membership Table at this week's football game or you may call 424-0040 for more information.

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County Schools Lunch Menus

September 15-19, 1997

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Tater tots
Sugar cookie, sliced peaches
Milk
TUESDAY
Chicken pot pie
Tossed salad
Sweet peas, rolls
Mixed fruit, milk
WEDNESDAY
Corn dogs, baked beans
Cole slaw
French fries, apple pie, milk
THURSDAY
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Yard Sale—203 South Fulton Street, Saturday, September 13 begins at 9:00 until? In front of Weathers Body Shop. 3 families. S-11-Pd

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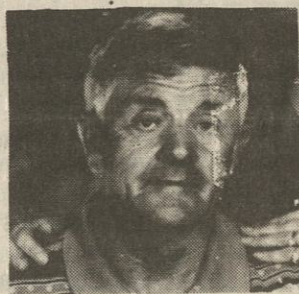
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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL
AND TESTAMENT OF MINNIE LEE PATTERSON
DECEASED.

CAUSE NO. 97-0281

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the estate of Minnie Lee Patterson, deceased, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in Cause No. 97-0281 on the docket of said Court, on the 26 day of August, 1997, 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 26th day of August, 1997.

Thomas Edward McClung

Richard O. Clark, Solicitor
For Petitioner
125 South Fulton Street
Post Office Box 319
Iuka, Mississippi 38852
(601)423-5227
Mississippi Bar No. 6274

A-28-S-4-11-chg

Legal Notice

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Separate and sealed bids for the construction of Boring & Encasement will be received by the City of Iuka, MS, at the Iuka City Hall, until 10:00 A.M., September 30, 1997, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

The Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations: Iuka City Hall and Cook Coggin Engineers, Inc., 703 Crossover Road, Tupelo, Mississippi 38801.

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained at the office of Cook Coggin Engineers, Inc., P.O. Box 1528, Tupelo, MS 38802.

The contract will be awarded as an entire job and individual items will not be let for separate work.

Bids will be accepted only under the name of the Bidder to whom contract documents have been issued by the Engineer.

No Bidder may withdraw his bid within 90 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

All applicable laws, ordinances and the rules and regulations of all authorities having jurisdiction over construction of the project shall apply to the contract throughout.

Each Bidder is responsible for inspecting the site and for reading and being thoroughly familiar with the Contract Documents. The failure or omission of any Bidder to do any of the foregoing shall in no way relieve any Bidder from any obligation in respect to this Bid.

A conditional or qualified Bid will not be accepted. Award will be made to the lowest responsible, responsive Bidder.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all Bids.

David L. Nichols, Mayor
A-28-S-4-chg

Legal Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF LOT 16
SANDY CREEK SUBDIVISION

CIVIL ACTION FILE NO. 97-0104

SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO:
Carolyn M. Ronk
46 C.R. 378
Iuka, MS 38852

W.M. Henson
Shiloh Road
Route 2 Box 497-B
Corinth, MS 38834

George A. May, Jr.
805 South Tree
Collierville, TN 38017

Sara A. May
805 South Tree
Collierville, TN 38017

Any and All persons having any interest in Sandy Creek Subdivision

Any and all unknown parties in interest.

You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Phillip Whitehead and Fred Tull, Plaintiffs, seeking to Reform and Amend the Building Restrictions and Protective Covenants affecting Lot 16, Sandy Creek Subdivision, Tishomingo County, Mississippi. Defendants other than you in this action are: Roy's One Stop, Inc.; Willie Joe Page; Michael Jason Speth; John R. White, as Trustee; Volunteer Bank, a Tennessee banking corporation; Cole Lumber Company; Martha Jo Howell; Ethel Archer Davis; John Robert Davis; Judy Carrington Davis; William E. Huff; Cima Marine Limited Partnership, a Mississippi Limited Partnership; Billy G. Trimble; Terry A. Trimble; Veteran's Choice Mortgage, Inc., a Georgia Corporation; Jimmy B. Fisher, as trustee; Trans Financial Mortgage Company, a Tennessee Corporation; Tennessee Valley Authority, an Agency of The United States of America; First American National Bank, Beneficiary; Mark Segars, as Trustee; Bank of Mississippi, Beneficiary.

You are required to mail or hand deliver a written response to the Complaint filed against you in this action to James T. Belue, Attorney for Plaintiffs, whose post office address is P.O. Box 584, Iuka, Mississippi, 38852, and whose street address is 123 East Eastport Street, Iuka, Mississippi, 38852.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 28TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1997, 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 26th day of August, 1997.

Hayden Ables
Clerk of The Chancery Court of
Tishomingo County, Mississippi
A-28-S-4-11-18-chg

Legal Notice

TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on April 19, 1993, Roland L. Sockwell, single, executed a Deed of Trust to W. Stewart Robison, Trustee for Mid-State Trust II and Jim Walter Homes, Inc., Beneficiary, which Deed of Trust is recorded in Land Deed of Trust Book 185 at Page 363-364, in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi;

AND WHEREAS, this Deed of Trust was assigned by Jim Walter Homes, Inc. to Mid-State Trust II, a business trust, by instrument recorded in Book B 160, at Page 401, in the office of the Chancery Clerk aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS, this Deed of Trust was assigned by Mid-State Trust II, a business trust, to First Union National Bank of Florida, as Successor Trustee to Southeast Bank, National Association, by instrument recorded in Book B161, at Page 498-499, in the office of the Chancery Clerk aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS, this Deed of Trust was assigned by First Union National Bank of Florida, as Successor Trustee to Southeast Bank, National Association, to Mid-State Trust II, a business trust, by instrument recorded in Book B 188, at Page 145, in the office of the Chancery Clerk aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS, default having been made in 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 17th day of September, 1997, offer for sale at public outcry and sell during legal hours between the hours of 11:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. at the main front door of the County Courthouse of Tishomingo County, at Iuka, Mississippi, for cash to the highest and best bidder, the following described land and property, situated in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to-wit:

Lot No. 36 of Rolling Hills Subdivision, more particularly described as follows: A part of the NW 1/4 of Section 13, Township 2 South, Range 10 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of the NW 1/4 of said section; thence run S. 4°10'32" E. 1153.71 feet to the true point of beginning; thence run S. 4° 10' 32" E 250 feet; thence run N. 47°18'42" W. 271.19 feet; thence run in a northeasterly direction along a circular arc 67.11 feet to a point that is west 160 feet from the point of beginning; thence run east 100 feet to the point of beginning, containing 0.65 acre.

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

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this, the 13th day of August, 1997.

W. Stewart Robison, Trustee
A-21-28-S-4-11-chg

Burnsville High Class of 1947 Reunion Set For Oct. 10

Plans have now been completed for the 50th Burnsville High School Class of 1947 Reunion. Because of exenuating circumstances that happened prior to and during World War II, many who would have been members of this class were unable to complete their studies with us.

It would be nice to have each of you to return for this event.

This Open Invitation is being extended to Teachers and Students alike.

So mark it on your calendar to be with us. Please bring any and all old pictures of yourselves and others as we renew this great friendship that helped to mold our lives. Please call Reba Cummings Thornton 601-423-6718 or Alvie Blakney 601-427-8960, for more information.

Class members: Aline Adams, Curtis Butler, Nola Mae Bugg, Frieda Bivins, Alvie

Blakney, Lottie Brown, Charles Biggs, Billy Bain, Pony Bullard, Lamar Booth, Rufus Booth, Barney Cummings, Reba Cummings, Odie Curtis, Hubert Coker, Billy Coker, Edward Davis, Jr. Dotson, Lucian Epperson, Betty Foote, Annie R. Gross, Jewell Hall, M.D. Hall, Maurine Hale, Herman Hendrix, J.D. Honeycutt, Juntia Honeycutt, Helen Johnson, Bonnie Kennedy, Hubert Lambert, William Lentz, Edward Marlar, J.C. Marlar, Bobbie McCoy, Willie E. McMasters, Maydell Myers, Laura M. Pruitt, Hildred Pruitt, Bertha M. Puckett, Altha Robinson, Emily Robinson, Hubert R. Robinson, Ollie M. Ray, Laurane Seago, Charles "Bud" Rushings, James F. Rhodes, Charles Skinner, Kathleen Smith, Virginia Spoons, John Ed Tuberville, Mayona Till, Otis Todd, Erlene Whitaker, Elton White and Howard Woodruff.

Circuit Court

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possession of more than a kilogram of marijuana with intent to distribute. His sentence was also deferred.

Other Cases Heard

Dusty Matlock, 18, of Counce, Tennessee plead guilty to one indictment of burglary of a dwelling in connection with a March 27th incident at the home of Tommy Buse in Piney Flats. His sentence was deferred until October 9th at the Corinth Circuit Court but the district attorney noted that \$800 in restitution is due to the burglary victim.

Edward "Boots" White, 66, plead guilty to an indictment of possession of a firearm by a convicted felon, in connection to a May 19, 1996 incident in which Tony Curtis Smith, 41, of Booneville, died of a .22 caliber rifle shot in the chest.

White was sentenced to three years with MDOC, and was placed in the house arrest program for at least a year. He was also required to pay court costs.

Larry Dale Turner plead guilty to two charges of driving under the influence of alcohol, third offense within a five year period. Admitting in court that he had probably had 12 DUIs in his lifetime, Turner was sentenced to five years with MDOC, and will actually go to Parchman and serve two years, plus pay a \$5,000 fine and court costs, and receive drug

and alcohol counseling. For the second charge, he also received five years, to run consecutive with the first sentence, which are suspended, pending he violate no laws, and he was placed on five years post-release supervision.

Rites Held For

Donna Cunningham

Donna Faye Cunningham died Monday, September 8, 1997, at her home after a long illness. She was a retired homemaker and cafeteria worker for the New Site School, and a member of the Baptist Church. She was the daughter of Joel and Lillie Johnson.

Services were Tuesday, September 9, 1997, at Salts Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Russell Clouse officiating. Burial was in the Little Brown Cemetery.

Survivors include her husband of 49 years, Gene Cunningham of Booneville; one daughter, Jill Sparks of Booneville; one son, Donnie Cunningham of Booneville; one sister, Clara White of New Site; three brothers, Bill Johnson of New Site, George Johnson of Baldwin and Joel Johnson Jr. of Booneville; two grandchildren, Cathy Sparks and Byron Sparks, both of Belmont.

Bar-B-Que Lunch

The Tishomingo County Homemaker's Council will be sponsoring a Bar-B-Que luncheon on Saturday, September 13, at the Midway Community Center beginning at 10:00 a.m. Plates can be purchased until they are sold out.

The Midway Volunteer Fire Department will be cooking the meat and beans, and the Homemaker Volunteers will be making the slaw and desserts.

Tickets can be purchased from any Homemaker for \$5.00 per plate.

This is a fund-raising project to help restore the Midway Community Center.

Tishomingo County Retired Teachers To Meet September 13th

The Tishomingo County Retired Teachers Association will meet Friday, September 13, 1997 at 11:00 a.m. at the Sportsman's Cafe in Tishomingo.

After lunch the business meeting will be held at the conference room of the Bank of Mississippi in Tishomingo, MS. Attorney Phillip Whitehead will discuss the Durable powers of Attorney and Living Wills. The devotion will be given by Bro. Robert Powell.

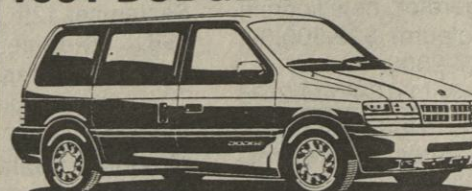
President Ruth Dawson invites all Tishomingo County retirees to attend this meeting.

Certain diseases and medications can give you a suntanned look. If that happens, see your doctor.

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red, moonroof, full power	
'97 MERCURY MARQUIS LS	\$20,500
starting at	
'97 CHRYSLER LHS	\$21,500
white, leather	
'96 THUNDERBIRD	\$17,300
v-6, full power	
'96 CONTOUR	\$12,300
starting at	
'96 MYSTIQUE	\$12,700
air, auto., low miles	
'96 EAGLE VISION	\$16,000
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.....CARS.....

'96 LINCOLN TOWN CAR	\$AVE Thousands
tan, signature ed.	
'96 OLDS 88 ROYALE LS	\$18,000
red, full power, loaded	
'96 NEON	\$11,700
white, auto., air	
'96 CROWN VICTORIA LX	\$17,200
white, v-8, local	
'96 DODGE AVENGER	\$13,900
2 door, black, 1 owner	
'96 PONTIAC FIREBIRD	\$15,900
SWB, air	
'95 HONDA ACCORD LX	\$15,900
4 dr., auto., local, 1 owner	
'95 CONCORDE	\$15,000
starting at	
'95 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL	\$20,500
CD, leather	
'95 CHRYSLER CONCORDE	\$13,000
v-6, full power, teal	
'95 EAGLE VISION	\$13,000
v-6, full power	
'95 MAZDA 626	\$14,000
silver, loaded	
'95 LINCOLN MARK VIII	\$21,500
rosewood, ivory lth., full power	
'95 LINCOLN MARK VIII	\$18,600
pearl, tan leather, moonroof	
'95 PROBE SE	\$11,200
red, v-6, auto.	
'95 DODGE STRATUS	\$13,500
4 door, auto., air	
'95 CIRUS	\$13,500
white, automatic, sunroof	
'95 THUNDERBIRD	\$11,900
leather, v-8, green, full power	
'95 CADILLAC SEDAN DEVILLE	\$17,500
burgundy, leather, full power	
'95 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL	\$20,500
leather, full power	
'95 FORD PROBE	\$10,500
auto., air, red	
'94 GRAND AM	\$9,000
2 door, red	
'94 CHRYSLER LHS	\$16,000
burg., power moonroof, leather	
'94 TAURUS	\$10,600
white, v-6, loaded	
'94 GRAND AM	\$9,300
4 door, white, auto., air	
'94 GRAND AM GT	\$8,250
black, local	
'94 MAZDA PROTEGE	\$7,800
4 door, tan, auto., air	
'94 BUICK SKYLARK	\$7,900
4 door, blue	
'94 BUICK SKYLARK	\$7,900
2 door, blue	
'93 FORD TEMPO GL	\$6,600
4 door, air, auto., power locks	
'93 COUGAR	\$9,800
leather, full power, cd, keyless entry	
'93 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE	\$11,900
white, full power	
'93 SABLE	\$9,500
white, v-6	
'93 CHRYSLER NEW YORKER	\$10,600
green, leather, local	
'93 GRAND PRIX SE	\$11,600
2 door, red, full power	
'93 BUICK CENTURY	\$8,600
4 door, v-6, full power, local	
'93 OLDS CIERRA	\$8,700
Gray, V-6, Extra Clean	
'93 FORD THUNDERBIRD	\$9,000
white, v-6, automatic, air	
'93 TAURUS STATION WAGON	\$9,000
v-6, local	
'93 GRAND AM SE	\$6,900
white, 4 door, auto., air	
'93 CADILLAC SEDAN DEVILLE	\$9,800
dark blue, leather, local	
'92 DODGE SPIRIT	\$6,900
4 door, air, auto.	
'92 COUGAR	\$8,600
red, v-6, full power, local	
'92 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE SE	\$9,900
charcoal, loaded	

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Report From Congress

By: U.S. Rep. Roger F. Wicker

Wicker District Tour Highlights Issues On The Minds Of First District Residents

"In this era of satellite communications and electronic mail, I still prefer an old-fashioned handshake and person-to-person contact."

Thus went my press release as I set out on my 24 county tour of the Mississippi's First Congressional District during August.

As it turns out, I didn't realize how right I was or how beneficial - not to mention how much fun - it would be for me as an elected representative to travel the highways and back roads of our state.

I found that even a lifelong resident of north Mississippi can learn a lot more by listening to the people who live, work, and raise families in our part of the country. In hundreds of conversations I had the chance to discuss how the programs and policies of the federal government affect our people every day.

I talked about farm programs with several area farmers. Many of them said they were optimistic that shifting from government price supports to a market-based farm economy will benefit producers as well as American consumers.

Although our Mississippi economy is doing well with an unemployment rate just over five percent, legitimate concerns were expressed about the loss of jobs in the apparel industry. To meet the encouraging aspect of this story is the way local communities and their leaders are swinging into action to seek new employment opportunities in other manufacturing sectors.

A visit with the school lunch coordinator at a courthouse resulted in an invitation to share lunch at a nearby elementary school. I saw how effectively the staff stretches their resources to provide well-balanced meals, and I talked with faculty and staff members about discipline and the impact of federal regulations on school operations.

At another location, the principal in a small school district outlined his vision of bringing the internet to every classroom. He has enlisted the enthusiastic support of local volunteers, parents, and area businesses to assist in rewiring the building.

I met with members of the National Guard at several locations and pledge my continued support for maintaining the strong federal role of the Guard as part of the Total Force. I also heard from retired military personnel who expressed concerns about the erosion of benefits and health care options.

I participated in one of the many local festivals which have been so successful in recent years. The hard work of over 200 volunteers, 18 civic clubs, and community leaders has been a key

Yard Sale

Saturday, September 13th, 6 a.m. - until at the home of Alfred and Wanda Farris 8385 Allsboro Road just west of 72 Hwy. Furniture, dishes, glassware, lots of misc. items, something for everyone.

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factor in the emergency of this event and others like it throughout our state.

My district tour also provided one more point - the best plate lunches in all the world are served in north Mississippi. There is no match for catfish and chicken, sweet potatoes, okra, peas, and cornbread, cooked Mississippi-style, and served with a glass of iced tea.

I believe these visits and dozens of other conversations with people from all walks of life have given me a greater appreciation of the issues important to our north Mississippi neighbors as Congress prepares to meet the challenges of the future.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Eloise Southward

Eloise Southward died Tuesday, September 9, 1997 at her home in Tishomingo. Arrangements were incomplete at press time and are being handled by Cutshall Funeral Home in Iuka.

Burial Services For Mr. Melvin Clayton

Melvin Clayton, 72, died Tuesday, September 9, 1997, at the Manderley Health Care Facility in Osgood, Ind. He was a former resident of the Holcut community and a former employee of the Mississippi Forestry Commission.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, September 11th at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Hal Holt officiating. Burial will be South Crossroads Cemetery.

Survivors include two daughters, Mary Ruth Arnold of Paden and Kathy Strickland of Vina, AL; two sons, Harold Clayton of Paden and Dairl Clayton of Cairo; one sister, Ruthie James of Phil Campbell, AL; one brother, Roy Clayton of Lincoln Park, Mich.; eight grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Charline Roberts

Cordelia Charline Roberts, 80, died Tuesday, September 9, 1997, at her home after a long illness. She was a lifelong resident of Prentiss County, a retired homemaker and a member of the Pentecostal Church.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, September 11th at Salts Funeral Home Chapel with Ministers Richie Ables and Jerry George officiating. Burial will be in the Booneville Cemetery.

Survivors include her husband, Roy Roberts of Booneville; five daughters, Juanita Kelly of Flint, Mich., LaRue Jackson of Golden, Audrey Wheelington of New Site, Brenda Berryman of Booneville and Delia Boatrite of Florence, AL; three sons, R.L. Roberts, L.C. Roberts and Charles Roberts, all of Booneville; one sister, Olita Proulx of Boise, Idaho; 43 grandchildren, 68 great-grandchildren, 10 great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two sons, Arthur Lee Roberts and Jessie Eugene Roberts; one sister, Audrey Lee Kennedy; and one brother, Jessie Lee Ridge.