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Supervisors Vote To Create An Additional Economic Development Bd.

by: Angela Lambert

During a Monday morning meeting at the Tishomingo County Courthouse, the Tishomingo County Board of Supervisors voted to establish a new board which would work to recruit industry and business into the county.

The motion to create this new group was made by third district supervisor Danny Ryan and was seconded by second district supervisor Arlie South.

Board of Supervisors President Dale Price, of the first district, confirmed that the vote to begin this new board was 4 to 1—Ryan, South, Price, as well as fourth district supervisor David Sanders, voted in favor of the motion, while fifth district supervisor, Leon Cook, voted against it.

While specific details of this new board have not been ironed out by the Board of Supervisors, Price did report that it will be made up of one or more persons from each supervisor's district. He also said that it would be county operated.

Presently, the county has four official organizations which deal directly with business and industry recruitment. These include the Tishomingo County Development Foundation, Tishomingo County Development Authority, the Tri-State Commerce Park Board and the Yellow Creek State Inland Port Authority.

Recruitment efforts are also undertaken by some individual cities' Chambers of Commerce throughout the county.

While the newly created board would be funded through the Board of Supervisors, Price said no specific details have been decided at this time. He said the Board hopes to make these decisions about the organization within the next month or so.

The Tishomingo County Supervisors, as well as several other local entities and Foundation members are presently funding the Tishomingo County Development Foundation and Authority.

When asked for a specific reason for the creation of yet another recruitment organization within the county, Board members declined to comment. They also had no comment at this time on how the members of the new organization would be chosen.

Two of Tishomingo County's largest industrial sites are not under the marketing of county officials.

One industrial park, the 900-plus acre industrial park, located along the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway in Burnsville is owned by the State of Mississippi and is presently being marketed to industry by the Yellow Creek State Inland Port Authority.

The approximately 4,000-acre Tri-State Commerce Park (the former NASA site), is also state-owned and is under the marketing of the Mississippi Economic Development Foundation, as well as the local Tri-State Commerce Park Board.

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Tishomingo County Is Among Miss. Counties Declared Eligible For Federal Disaster Assistance

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has declared 27 Mississippi counties including Tishomingo County, eligible for disaster assistance resulting from damages sustained from weather-related events in 1997, Rep. Roger F. Wicker said Thursday.

The Congressman said Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman approved the disaster declaration to cover losses sustained during periods of excessive rainfall and damaging hail, as well as extended periods of drought and excessive heat throughout calendar year 1997.

The counties cited as primary disaster areas include: Adams, Alcorn, Calhoun, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Franklin, George, Greene, Harrison, Itawamba, Jackson, Jefferson Davis, Lamar, Lawrence, Lee, Lincoln, Montgomery, Newton, Pearl River, Pike, Pontotoc, Prentiss,

Stone, Tishomingo, Union, Walthall and Wayne.

The designation makes all family-sized farm operations in these counties eligible for low-interest emergency loans from Farm Services Agency (FSA). Each loan application is considered individually, based on the extent of loss, repayment ability and other factors, he said.

Thirty-two additional counties were designated as contiguous disaster counties, making them also eligible for FSA loan assistance. The counties include Amite, Attala, Benton, Carroll, Clarke, Clay, Copiah, Covington, Forrest, Grenada, Hancock, Jasper, Jefferson, Jones, Kemper, Lafayette, Lauderdale, Leake, Marion, Marshall, Monroe, Neshoba, Oktibbeha, Perry, Scott, Simpson, Smith, Tippah, Webster, Wilkinson, Winston and Yalobusha.

The Public is cordially invited to attend a reception honoring Mrs. Glendyl (Boots) Bolton on her retirement with thirty-five and one-half years of service to Tishomingo County and its citizens. Boots has worked in the Chancery Clerk's Office and the Circuit Clerk's Office during this time, October 1, 1962, to March 31, 1998. The reception will be held on Friday, March 27, 1998, 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., in the Courtroom of the Tishomingo County Courthouse.

First Industry Announces Opening At Former NASA Site

Yellow Creek Lodges, Inc. To Build Recreational Vehicles At Tri-State Commerce Park

by: Angela Lambert

A new tenant moving into the Tri-State Commerce Industrial Park at Yellow Creek (formerly known as the NASA site) will build a travel trailer which they hope will fill the needs of basically three types of customers.

These customers include those who want affordable seasonal/vacation housing, those who have a need for emergency housing or those who just need a home-away-from-home because of an out-of-town job or for any other reason.

Locally-owned Yellow Creek Lodges, Inc., who will construct high quality recreational vehicles, hopes to begin operations as early as mid-April and will hire between 10 to 30 people at its onset, according to the company's general manager Mike Singleton.

"We will be taking application at our location, site building 1032, beginning next Thursday," Singleton said. Applications will be taken between the hours of 8 a.m. and 12 noon.

Singleton said the company will be hiring as many local people as possible. He stressed that they are looking to hire top-quality people.

Their product, which is transportable to the owners' site via any dual axle vehicle, will feature a rustic appearance on both the exterior and interior, according to Singleton.

"Our park models and lodges will feature log or cedar siding on the exterior and will be extra-large in size, as compared to most travel-type trailers," Singleton said. "They will have approximately 400-square-feet of living space, plus a loft."

Singleton explained that their product will be marketed primarily to licensed R.V. dealers throughout the Southeast and Southwest United States.

He said there are a couple of companies already manufacturing this type of small mobile home; however, these companies are not located nearby and do not market to the areas in which his company will be marketing.

Ownership of Yellow Creek Lodges, Inc. is shared by Singleton, Tommy Epperson of Epperson Trucking and Freddie Wilson of F.D. Wilson Trucking.

"This company is a team effort," Singleton said. Singleton, in addition to being the general manager, serves as the operating partner. Epperson is the company's president, while Wilson is its vice-president.

At the beginning of operations, Singleton said the company hopes to manufacture three products per week. He explained that the company will increase production as the business dictates.

Product Appearance
Rustic, yet luxurious. That is the phrase which would best describe the look of these unique travel trailers.

Models will be available in 10 ft. X 40 ft. or 12 ft. X 32 ft. sizes and will feature 10½ ft. ceilings, with 8 ft. sidewalls, according to Singleton. In addition to one or two lofts or balconies which may be used for sleeping, the models will have a kitchen, bathroom, and one or two bedrooms.

Such amenities as stairwells and entertainment centers will also be included in the models.

While the rustic-look will be the normal style, custom styling can be substituted upon request using vinyl siding of various colors. All trailers will include corrugated metal roofs.

Singleton said that both furnished and unfinished models will be available.

He explained that one item to be included on all the models which he is excited about is a new

floating flooring known as Imagin. This is a durable, laminated flooring which comes in wood tones, marble and other styles. This will be installed throughout the trailers, except for the lofts, which will be carpeted, Singleton explained.

Cost for the trailers will range from \$16,000 to \$30,000 each, depending upon the features chosen, Singleton said.

These trailers are designed primarily to be moved to sites and parked for extended periods of time (hence the name, Park Models and Lodges), the spokesman said.

"This is not the kind of trailer you would pull, park one night and then hook it up and move it somewhere else the next night and so on," Singleton expressed. "However, it is a very economical way to, for instance, enjoy a season at the lake or on the beach. It would also be great for someone who was in need of emergency housing or who works away from home for extended periods."

Singleton said the company probably already gotten the first three weeks worth of products sold and anticipates that the business will begin to pick-up even more as the summer travel season approaches. He said they will do extensive advertising and additionally, will have their own website on the Internet.

The key to establishing this industry at the Yellow Creek site, has been due to the help of those such as Jimmy Heidel of the Mississippi Dept. of Economic and Community Development, Jerry Wilemon of the Tri-State Commerce Park, Dr. Kelly Segars, and Jimmy Marlin of the Tri-State Commerce Park Board and Second District Supervisor Arlie South, Singleton said.

Crappie USA Tournament Planned For This Weekend At Pickwick/Bay Springs

by: Angela Lambert

If fishing for crappie is your specialty, then get out your boat, load up your fishing equipment and head for the water!

Crappie anglers from the local area and several surrounding states will converge on Pickwick Lake and Bay Springs this weekend to participate in the Crappie U.S.A. national tournament.

This fishing tournament will begin on Saturday, March 28, following a pre-tournament seminar and registration to be held Friday from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Tishomingo County High School.

This is a pick-your-own partner style event with a 10-fish limit. Tournament hours Saturday will be from 6:30 a.m. until 3 p.m. with a weigh-in beginning at 3 p.m. at the Victorian Inn located on Hwy. 72 in Iuka. The public is invited to attend the weigh-in.

Entry fees will be \$60 per team in the Regular Division; \$85 per team in the Wittnauer Division with an optional \$5 Big Fish

pot. Teams may fish in both divisions and the top ten teams from each division, not previously qualified, will advance to a regional event in late April in northern Mississippi's Tunica Cutoff. There they'll fish their way toward the "Superbowl" of crappie fishing, The Crappie U.S.A. Classic.

Two local fishermen have already qualified for this prestigious event. Joe Miller and Karney Seymour, both of Iuka, qualified recently by placing third in the one-day tournament held in Shreveport, LA. This is not the first time for Miller, owner of Iuka's Video Magic and Miller's All-Pro, to qualify for this event. He has previously qualified eight times for the Crappie Classic since 1989. Miller is also one of 10 owners of the Crappie U.S.A. Tournament Trail and his business, Miller's All-Pro, is the exclusive source for all the Crappie U.S.A. apparel.

Kids can also take part in a special event Saturday. A Crappie Kids fishing rodeo for young

anglers ages 12 and under will be held from 9 until 11 a.m. at the Victorian Inn in Iuka.

The rodeo is free and kids can register between 8 and 9 a.m. This event is designed to introduce the anglers of tomorrow to the great sport of fishing today. Every boy or girl who enters wins a prize, whether they land a fish or not. Also, kids winning various age brackets will have their names entered for valuable scholarships to be drawn for at the Crappie U.S.A. Classic.

The next stop on the Crappie U.S.A. Tournament trail will be at Kentucky lake (South) out of Paris Landing State Park on April 4. The tour continues at Kentucky Lake (North) on April 11 and then to Alatoona Lake, GA on April 18.

For additional information on Crappie U.S.A. and the American Crappie Association, you may visit their website at www.crappieusa.com or write to them at Crappie U.S.A., P.O. Box 848, Brentwood, TN 37024-0848.



Joining With Community—Local Department of Human Services representatives are asking local officials and residents to join with them in observance of National Child Abuse/Neglect Prevention Month during April. Pictured are (from left) Linda Cruver, Jill Long, First District Supervisor Dale Price, Sonya Sanderson and Courtney Fulghum.

National Child Abuse/Neglect Prevention Month

On behalf of the Tishomingo County Family and Children's Services Division of the Department of Human Services, I would like to invite everyone to join Mississippi's Blue Ribbon campaign. For the second year, Mississippians are joining together in a statewide effort to call attention to the problem of child abuse and neglect. The Mississippi Department of Human Services is spearheading this effort in support of April being designated National Child Abuse/Neglect Prevention Month. All across the state, groups are planning awareness campaigns in hopes of making other Mississippians understand the depth of this problem.

Volunteers are spreading blue ribbons throughout their communities to show visible support for this cause. The blue ribbon became a symbol of child abuse and neglect in Virginia in 1989. A Chesapeake grandmother used one as a memorial for her 3 year old grandson, who was murdered by his mother's abusive boyfriend. Bonnie Finney, the grandmother, tied a blue ribbon on her own van as a reminder of the bruises of child abuse. She then recruited friends, neighbors, and finally the local child abuse prevention agency to do the same. This campaign was officially accepted by the Virginia Child Abuse Prevention Month

Coalition in 1990, and has since spread across the country.

Please help us by joining this effort. Ms. Finney's idea is a wonderful way we can visibly tie communities, states, and the nation together in working to solve the problem of child abuse and neglect. I encourage everyone to wear a blue ribbon to show their support for the children not only in

our state but for children across the country who are victims of neglect and abuse. Many, many thousand cases of child abuse are reported annually to the Mississippi Department of Human Services. MDHS Executive Director, Donald Taylor states, "we sincerely hope this campaign will not only increase awareness, but also motivate people within the community to call our agency when they suspect a child is being abused or neglected. Once reported, then we can take action and remove the child if in fact there is evidence of abuse or neglect."

We are aware of and appreciate the invaluable contribution you make to children's lives each day.

For more information, please contact your County Home Extension office or your County Department of Human Services.

Proclamation:

Iuka Mayor David Nichols had recently signed the following:

Whereas, child abuse prevention is a community problem and finding solutions depends on involvement among people throughout the community;

Whereas, statistics of children who are abused and neglected escalate each year;

Whereas, the effects of child abuse are felt by whole communities, and need to be addressed by the entire community;

Whereas, effective child abuse prevention programs succeed because of partnerships created among social service agencies, schools, religious organizations, law enforcement agencies, and the business community;

Whereas, youth-serving prevention programs offer positive alternatives for young people and encourage youth to develop strong ties to their community;

Whereas, all citizens should become more aware of child abuse and its prevention within the community, and become involved in supporting parents to raise their children in a safe, nurturing environment;

Now, therefore, I, David Nichols, Mayor of Iuka, do hereby proclaim April as Child Abuse Prevention Month in Iuka, Mississippi and call upon all citizens, community agencies, religious organizations, medical facilities and businesses to

increase their participation in our efforts to prevent child abuse, thereby strengthening the communities in which we live.

David Nichols

Friends From Holcut

Calling, all friends from Holcut. Where art thou? We did meet all 10 of us and we did have a good time, and we did wonder what happened to all our former Holcutters?

When I arrived Ella Mary Helton was there having lunch by herself. Well, I was a bit early, so I decided to order lunch and we two could chat. I was just about ready to eat and looked up to see Gene and Alla McCoy and Imogene McCoy arrive. Well we decided we would have a crowd so we put a bunch of tables together, Weldon and Bethany showed up. We were still expecting all chairs to be filled. Mr. Hearl McAnally arrived assuring us Deloris was not feeling to good. By now we were all ordering food, talking and laughing and still looking for the tables to fill up. In walked a very special guest Ms. Mattie Faye McNeil Howie. We all sure enjoyed her entertaining us. Well I explained I may not have been so special and I used to follow her and her sis Marie around. And I didn't realize till I got older, how I may have been a pest but never did I enjoy myself anymore than going to Mr. Sam and Ms. Little house and that special Molassis cake Ms. Little cooked.

Well we were still looking and in come one of our mentor Ms. Illa Tucker Trim. Seems she had company. She was waiting to leave as soon as possible. We were so glad to see her and she said since we were delighted. She had just the right poem to read to us. My, we sure enjoyed that, Mrs. Illa. Now if any one things we don't get entertained, you are wrong. Gene, Hearl and Weldon can really share with us. Well, I think they were really talking to each other more. But never a dull moment. Alla still had some good jokes, and some truths to tell us and we all joined in to be sure to not be left out. If we need to we can always ask Ms. Bethany for advice. You see Bethany stays out of the rut, she just keeps on going to school. I've been expecting her to tell us to bring paper and pen for exams. Please don't! Ms. Bethany, I'll bet she can keep Weldon in line.

Well, we all had a refill of drinks but by now those other chairs were still empty. I'm sorry gang for what ever reasons you didn't show up, but we all did

have a real good time. Thanks Ms. Mattie Fay for coming. We could always sing a song, but the rest of Jack's customers might wonder what was going on. If you just happen to be from Holcut. This is enough said. Never a dull moment.

Hope all our absentees will show up next time. We will always welcome friends from Holcut.

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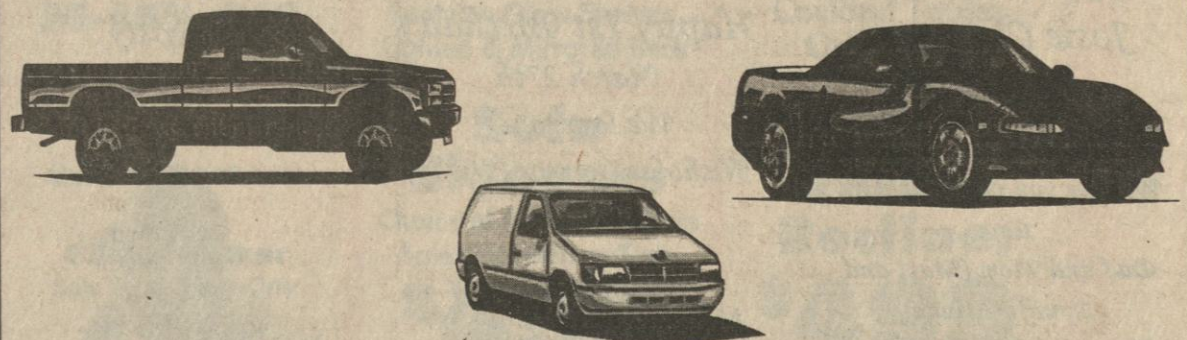
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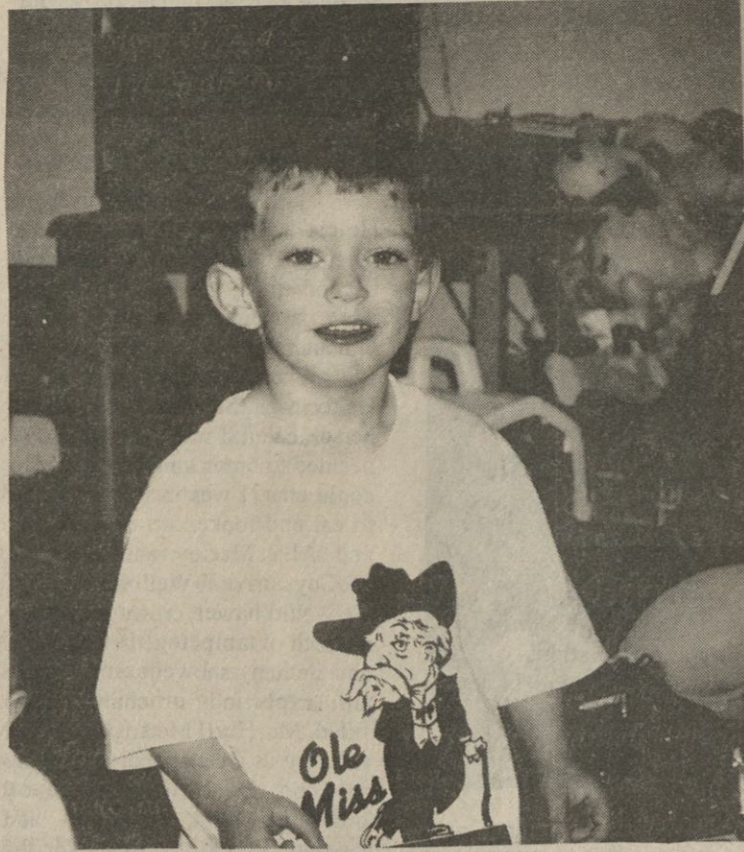
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 Michael, Sharee, Ashlee, and Justin



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 to our little Rebel!
Mark-Anthony McKinney Beals
 Love,
 Momma, Daddy, & Ashton
 Nanny and Pop
 Memaw



Happy 15th Birthday
April Lovelace
 March 29th
 and
Happy Early Birthday
Anthony Lovelace
 April 22nd
 We love you,
 The Lovelace Family



Happy Belated 17th
Wedding Anniversary
 March 20th
Jerry and Debra Lewis
 Love,
 Maria, Jackie, & Mom



Wow!
Look Who's 28!!
 Love,
 Mom & Dad
 Rita, Sean-Bo



Happy Birthday
Mommy!
 Love, Katlin

Happy 1st Year Anniversary
Kristy & Ricky (Hudson)
 Hope Y'all have Many More
 We love ya'll
 Joshua, Jessica, & Makayla



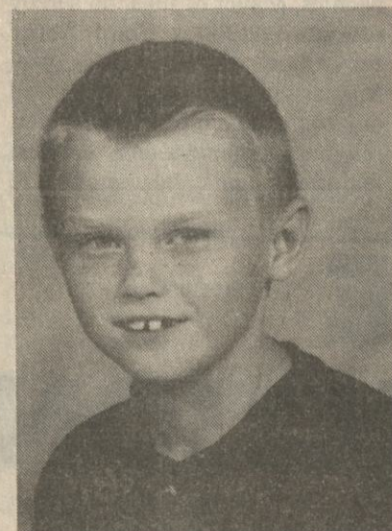
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Josie Cheyanne
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 February 21,
 We love you very much!!!!
 Love,
 Dad and Mom (Matt and
 Jennifer Hinds)
 Nana and Papa (Rick and
 Shelia Owens)
 Papaw Bill Hinds
 Mamaw Martha Kenaum
 Papaw Jimmy Kenaum



Happy 1st Birthday
 March 27th
 We love you -
Nicholas Connor (Nicky)
 Monaghan
 Parents:
 Tammy and Tommy
 Monaghan of Saltillo, MS
 Grandparents:
 Charles and Cudell Bray of
 Burnsville, MS
 & Deborah & Rodney
 Monaghan of Saltillo, MS



March 29
Happy 1st Anniversary
 I love you "Rickey"
 Roses are Red
 Violets are Blue
 I would be lost
 Without you!!!
 Your Wife,
 Kristy



Happy Birthday
 To A Very
 Special Grandson
Jeremy Daniel Whirley
 will be 9 years old
 March 30, 1998
Happy Birthday Grandson
 Love you,
 Mama, Paul, Mom, Dad,
 Matthew & Johnathon



Who would have thought
 time could pass
 this quickly.
 But it sure has and now
 she's sixty



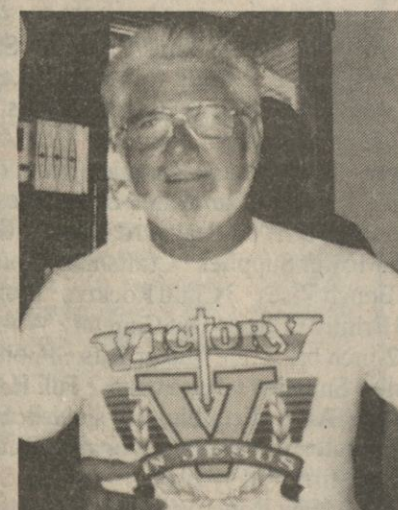
Happy 6th Anniversary
 To My Wonderful
 Husband - David Terry Robins
 March 27th
 If there were no words
 No way to speak
 I would still hear you!
 If there were no tears
 No way to feel inside
 I'd still feel for you
 And even if the sun refused
 shine;
 Even if romance ran out of the
 You would still have my heart
 Until the end of time
 You're all I need
 My Love, My Valentine!



Happy 18th
Birthday
 March 29
Nikki
 We love you!



Happy Birthday
Tyler Bobo
 3 Years Old
 March 27
 Love,
 Daddy



To my Kenny,
 Your hair may be silver
 But you sure make me quiver
 From my head to my shoes
 Even at "62".

Happy Birthday
 March 27th
 From Your Dolly

All of my life, I have been wait
 For all you give to me
 You've opened my eyes and
 Shown me how to love myself
 I've dreamed of this a thous
 times before;
 In my dreams, I couldn't love
 more I will give you my heart
 the end of time!
 You're all I need
 My Love, My Valentine.
 And even if the sun refused
 shine
 Even if romance ran out of the
 You would still have my heart
 Until the end of time
 'Cause all I need is you
 My Valentine
 Your're all I need
 My Love, My Valentine!
 I Love You with All My
 Faithfully Forever
 Your wife & best friend

New Arrival
Tara Madison Hutcheson
 Shelby Lynne, 3, is proud to
 announce the arrival of her sister,
 Tara Madison. Tara was born
 February 13 at 12:08 p.m. at
 Baptist Memorial Hospital in New
 Albany. She weighed 6 lbs. 13
 ozs. and was 19 1/2 inches long.
 Her parents are Michael and
 Wanda (Russell) Hutcheson of
 Paden Community. Her
 grandparents are Wilburn and
 Brenda Russell of the Cairo
 Community, Pauline and the late
 Melvin Hutcheson of Paden and
 Helen Butler of Booneville. Her
 great-grandparents are Dellie and
 the late Herman Russell, Bobbie
 and the late S.L. Edge all of
 Booneville and Jr. and Nina Frost
 of Cairo.

**Anniversary Celebration/
Dedication At Calvary
Family Worship Center**

The Calvary Family Worship Center, located on the Ridge Road between Red Bay, Ala. and Belmont, Miss., will have special 25th anniversary services March 26-30.

Dedication revival services will be Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday, March 26, 27, 28 and 30. These services will feature Bro. Curtis Silcox, a powerful camp meeting speaker of Fayetteville, Tenn. and also Bro. Chris Owensby.

Sunday's dedication service will feature at 10 a.m. Lindell Cooley and the Brownsville Praise Team, who have blessed over one million visitors who have attended revival services at Brownsville Assembly of God. The revival in Pensacola, Fla. is in its third year, the longest revival in the history of the U.S. according to *The New York Times*. Over 200,000 souls saved! Also at 2 p.m. Sunday, Bro. Henry Melton of Florence, Ala. will be speaking.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

For more information call Bro. Gene Cooley at (601) 676-2917 or 676-9860.

Bluegrass and Gospel Music

Come out and enjoy a night of Bluegrass and Gospel music Saturday, March 28, beginning at 7 p.m. at the old Holcut Museum, located on Hwy. 365, south of Burnsville (7 miles), then left on old 364 (2 miles). There will be no admission charge and groups to be featured will include the Hatchey Bottom Boys, The Shock Family and the Cairo Bluegrass Boys. Refreshments will be offered by the Cairo Volunteer Fire Department.

For more information, you may contact Cecil Burcham at 462-5917, M.B. Phifer at 423-6179 or Jerrel Keele at 427-9027.

Tish. Homemakers Club's Bake Sale

The Tishomingo Homemaker Volunteers Club will have a bake sale on Saturday, April 4, at the Tishomingo Bank Annex beginning at 8 a.m. For the best selection, you are asked to please come early. You may place your order ahead of time by calling Ms Eva Mae Strickland at 423-5438, Ms Shirley Thorne at 423-5335, or Mrs. Willard Strickland at 438-6975, or contacting any club member.

The proceeds from this bake sale will go to the club to be used in the many projects the club participates in each year including sending Valentine's Day cards to the nursing home residents, serving refreshments during National Library Week, taking the students from Timber Hills out to eat, and sponsoring two nursing home residents.

When you purchase something from our bake sale, you are enabling us to help others while you are helping yourself by buying your, or your family's, favorite dessert already baked and ready to eat or freeze for future use. With Easter just around the corner, now is a perfect time to buy.

We look forward to seeing you at the bake sale!

Special Notice....

The Tishomingo County Rescue Squad is sponsoring All-Pro Championship Wrestling on Friday, April 3, 1998, at the Tishomingo County Rescue Squad Building in Iuka, MS; behind the Tishomingo County Courthouse. Bell Time is at 8:00 p.m. at the doors open at 7:00 p.m. Concession will be available so you don't have to rush and eat before you get there. The money from this fundraiser will go toward the purchase of equipment. Your continued patronage will be greatly appreciated. The main event will be the Fly Boys going against lightning express. And the Seim Main Event will be a heavy weight match with bruise brother, "Smash" going against Crazy J.C. Carter. Other matches will be announced. All pro is a family type organization and we hope to see you there. If you would like more information please call 423-9109 or 423-1086.

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County Agents Notes

By: Danny Owen

Effect Of Recent Cold On Plants

The cold weather experienced couple of weeks ago has damaged some landscaped plants. As a general rule, broadleaf evergreens are generally more sensitive to cold damage. Such plants include pyracantha, azalea, ligustrum, photinia, boxwood, and others. Generally, these plants are not seriously damaged by temperatures ranging from the low to mid 20 degree F range.

However, unseasonable mild temperatures through January and February, pushed many woody ornamental plants and orchard crops (peaches and plums) ahead of schedule. Consequently, the abrupt change to much lower temperatures

meant that these plants were more vulnerable to cold temperatures and accompanying cold winds. Thus, it's likely many plants which weren't provided cold temperature protection were damaged. What can you do at this point in the season? The best rule of thumb is wait and see how much of your affected plantings greens up in early spring. At that time, dead twigs will be evident, and these can be removed by pruning. Also, damaged plants should be mulched. It's likely we'll experience hot and dry conditions during the summer. Cold damaged plants tend to suffer moisture stress, so mulching will help conserve moisture, and reduce soil temperatures — both of which will increase chances of plant survival. Avoid over-fertilizing shrubs which are under stress. A limited root system, or injured lower stem area, shouldn't be pushed with excessive fertilization (especially high Nitrogen

fertilizer), since this practice can create additional problems. Look for split bark on the trunk and branches. Then layers may curl and peel back — this is a cold weather damage symptom. In many instances, plants exhibiting these type symptoms won't recover and replacement will be necessary. We can't control the weather, but there are a few tricks which will improve chances of plan survival from cold damage. Mulching at the appropriate time (after the first freeze in the fall), with pine straw, bark, or other materials will help, as will proper fertilization during the fall months to promote winter hardiness. According to horticulturists, a light application of muriate of potash at a rate of one teaspoonful per small plant and one tablespoonful per large plant (about five feet) will act as a good plant "anti-freeze." Avoid using high nitrogen fertilizers, such as ammonium nitrate, urea, or 13-13-13-, during the fall.

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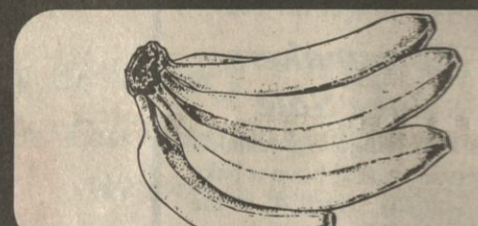
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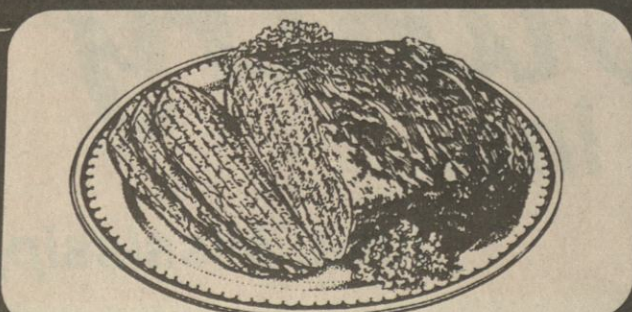


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TCHS FBLA Prepares For State Competition

The Tishomingo County High School Future Business Leaders of America are eagerly awaiting their state competition held in Jackson. The chapter has approximately 30 students representing the school, community and themselves at the conference this year. The students earned this honor through hard work and dedication started in August of this year. The chapter has been fortunate each year to have a large membership and to have earned many awards. An outstanding accomplishment of the chapter is that they have received the most sought after award of any chapter - Mississippi Sweepstakes Award - for seven years running. This award is no one easily acquired. Dedication from all members has made this possible. Pictured above is Melissa Pounders, a four-year member, of FBLA.

Melissa is a dedicated member and is pictured here working on the Community Service Project. The chapter is very involved in school and community activities throughout each school year. If you have a project or idea and are seeking youth involvement, you may want to consider asking for help from the Future Business Leaders of America at Tishomingo County High School.

Sardis Church News

By: Ova Reno

Children are likely to live up to what you believe of them. Proverbs 23:7. For as he thinketh in his heart, so is he: Eat and drink: sath he to thee; But his heart is not with thee. Reference: Verse 7. The stingy man says to eat and drink: but he does not mean it from the heart. On reflection you will see that you were not welcome, and you will regret your acceptance of his invitation. Read verse 8 of 23 proverbs.

The secret is to become wise before you get old (copied). We are still having a wonderful time on our Wednesday night Bible study. Just come and see. Lesson March 22, Central Truth: Praise God for His grace in knowing you personally. Isn't it just wonderful that Jesus knows all of us personally. We don't have to worry about the fiery darts that Satan sends our way. Jesus just gathers them all and sends them back to Satan. Devotional. Born with a purpose. Jeremiah 1:4-10. Verse 4. Before I formed thee in the belly, I knew thee; and before thou cameth forth of the womb, I ordained thee. (see how God knew Jeremiah) He knows us just as

well. Jeremiah did just what God asked him to do. THIS DEVOTIONAL WILL lead you to our lesson text. "Does God know me?" Psalm 8:1-9, Hebrews 2:5-9.

Psalm 8:4 - What is man that thou art mindful of him? and the son of man, that thou visited him? For thou hast made Him a little lower than the angels, and hast crowned him with glory and honor. 6. Thou madest him to have dominion over the works of thy hands; thou hast put all things under his feet: all sheep; and oxen, yea, and the beasts of the field; the fowl of the air, and the fish of the sea; and whatsoever passeth the paths of the seas. O LORD, our LORD how excellent is thy name in all the earth. Hebrews 2:5-9. Almost the same as above. Read it all. I received a letter from Caddy (Louise) Love in Florida. She is like the rest of us, she has her ups and downs. Said she was some better than she was.

Our sympathy goes to all of those that lost loved one's last week, especially Waymon Wiggington. He was my cousin

and was one of our ole west Belmont bunch. He can't come back to us, but we can go to him. Our west Belmont bunch just gets smaller and smaller. I can remember the old folks under our bush arbor meeting place shouting: I'm getting home sick for heaven, I couldn't understand that then, but I can now.

Pancake Breakfast Planned By Cairo Firefighters

The Cairo Volunteer Firefighters will offer a pancake breakfast on Saturday, April 4, from 6 a.m. until 9 a.m. at their new fire station, located on Highway 365 in Cairo.

The breakfast will feature pancakes, sausage, juice and coffee. Cost per plate will be \$3.00.

Everyone is invited to attend. Come enjoy this wonderful breakfast and while supporting the fire department.

New Arrival

Billy and Julia Cain Long of Tishomingo are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Zachary Lucas Long, born at 3:57 a.m. December 28, 1997. The baby boy was 19 1/4 inches long and weighed 7 lbs. 9 ozs.

Proud grandparents are Ed and Sue Cain and William and Joyce Long, all of Tishomingo.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor,
I am searching for information about my maternal grandfather's ancestors or relatives. Neal Albert Roden lived most of his life in Cherokee, AL, and married Blanche Glover in Iuka, MS. I think that he was born in Texas but I am unsure of his parents' names. Brothers and sisters names: Wesley, Bill, Tilford, Marion, Waverly, and Offie. He once told me that he had Choctaw Indian ancestry on his mother's side. Any information

that your readers may contribute would be appreciated. I can be contacted by mail, telephone, or

e-mail: Judith W. Brown, 501 South 14th Artesia, NM 88210 or call 505-748-3923 or jbrown@bulldogs.org.

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March 30, 1998

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Fall, 1935**

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To grace our little town
A loving smile, a twinkling eye
But never with a frown
She always had a happy word
To brighten up your day
And each encounter with this saint
Would smooth your weary way.

Tho' times were often very hard
And days were rough and long
She always cheered your lagging soul
With story, joke or song
She welcomed every wandering kid
Who passed her kitchen door
And listened to their bragging tales
Like she's never heard before.

And people in our little town
Would marvel at the sight
And wonder at the inner joy
That kept her spirit bright
She lost a baby daughter
In the fall of forty eight
The other family members
Tried hard to compensate

She had many sleepless nights
And prayed to God above
For the safety of her children
And did it all with love
Passing years took her sight
And her shoulders bent with age
But her name's in Heaven's Welcome Book
And it's written on every page.

She never aspired to greatness
Nor tried to achieve some fame
The loss to the family that she raised
Will surely be Heaven's gain
We're so very proud - and love her
There'll never be another
We all extend birthday wishes
To our beautiful, precious mother!
The Johnny Randolph Children
Written by: Eddy Randolph



**"Happy Birthday"
Alexandria Grace Rhodes**

5 Years Old - March 31st
Daughter of Roy and Donna Rhodes
Granddaughter of Lester & Jerdine Pruitt
The late Clyde & Ernestine Rhodes



**Happy 1st Birthday
to our special little boy
Nicholas Ryan
Gilchrist**

March 29, 1998
We love you very much,
Love,
Daddy and Mommy
Pa & Nanny Gilchrist
Pa & Meme Layton
Nicholas is the son of
Rodney & Tamra Gilchrist



Coach Of The Year

Coach Craig Dailey, formerly of Burnsville, was recently selected as the Mississippi Private School Association's District 1A girls and boys Coach of the Year. This is the fourth consecutive year he has received this honor in the Varsity girl's division. This honor is voted on by all MPSA District 1A coaches. Craig currently resides in Marks, Mississippi where he coaches Jr. High boys, Varsity boys, and Varsity girls. All three teams have had very successful seasons. The Varsity girls finished with a record of 27 wins and 6 losses, District 1A Champions, North State A runner-up, and State A final 4 participation. The Varsity boys finished with a record of 29 wins and 3 losses, District 1A champions, 3rd in the North State A tournament, and State A Elite 8.

Craig has lived in Marks for the past 5 years with his wife Bridgett and son Dakota. He is the son of James and the late Nelta Dailey. Pictured are from left: Coach Craig Dailey and Assistant Coach Sydney Guest.

Benefit Auction

Tishomingo County Rescue Squad Building will have a benefit auction April 4, 1998 at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is invited. If interested in bringing merchandise or information call 423-9109. Auctioneer David L. Rice.



My, how you have grown
20 years old
April 1st
Happy Birthday
Love you,
Mom & Dad
Teresa & Jay
Tina



Please join us as we celebrate the
40th Anniversary
of
Charles and Mary Boothe
at Burnsville 1st Baptist Church
April 5, 1998
2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
(No Gifts Please)



Congratulations Andy

January 2, 1998 Andy Anglin, 9 years old, killed his first deer, point weighing 110 pounds while hunting on the Eastport-Mill Creek Hunting Club with his dad, Timmy Anglin. Timmy killed an 8 point weighing 125 pounds on December 26 while hunting on the New Wildlife Refuge.

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Brittany Henry, Finalist In Teenager Scholarship Program

On March 13-14, Brittany Henry competed as a finalist in the Mississippi National Teenager Scholarship Program held at the beautiful Eagle Ridge Conference Center in Raymond, MS. Brittany, a freshman at Belmont High School, was selected as a finalist based on academic, leadership and community service achievements. During the weekend, Brittany met over 70 wonderful girls from various parts of Mississippi who participated in interview, essay, talent and evening gown divisions. Brittany placed first in the essay competition with her essay entitled "What's Right About America." Her essay focused on America as a product of the gifts of its multi-cultural population and as a celebration of diversity. Brittany was also selected among the top ten finalists in the Junior Division of the pageant. When asked about her weekend, Brittany replied, "It was a lot of fun making

friends with girls from all over Mississippi who have so much in common. I want to thank all of my sponsors who helped to make this experience possible." Brittany's sponsors included: Piggly Wiggly, Big Star, Traci's Photography, Belmont and Tishomingo Journal, Yarber Drugs and Images Salon of Belmont; Pat's Magic Mirror and grandparents O.C. and Della Mae Henry of Dennis; Howell's Jewelry of Red Bay; Bank of MS, NAPA Auto Parts, Sunflower and Heil Co. of Tishomingo; Russell's Body Shop, Dr. Phillip Gray, Tishomingo County News, Dr. Margaret Glenn and Donnie Brown, Start Farm Insurance of Iuka.

Brittany is the daughter of Larry and Tammy Henry of Belmont. She is an active member of Lads to Leaders and Leaderettes, the Belmont Marching Band Danceline, TSA and FBLA.

District 240 Street Iuka, MS 38852. Phone number is 423-6272. The deadline is April 9.

The Tishomingo County SWCD is willing to provide assistance to any teacher who wants to initiate or expand a conservation education program. Printed educational materials, people to develop outdoor classrooms or present programs, mini-grants, conservation tours, etc. are available upon request.

School Photos

Iuka Elementary
Thursday, March 26
Iuka Middle School
Friday, March 27
TCHS
Tuesday, March 31
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The Barrons To Be Honored On 50th Anniversary

James Ruel Barron and Beatrice Hancock Barron will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday, March 29, 1998 with a reception given in their honor at the Booneville Church of Christ Annex from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. The reception is hosted by their daughters Judy Barron of Madison, Alabama; and Myra Barron Rainey and her husband Billy and their daughters Ferrin and Carlynn Rainey all of Iuka.

Ruel and Beatrice Barron owned and operated Barron's Grocery in Booneville for more than 40 years prior to their retirement.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend this reception given in their honor. No gifts please.

Martin Reunion

There will be a Martin Family Reunion, Saturday, April 25, 1998 at the Paden Community Center at Paden, MS. This reunion is for the descendants of William Marion & Tobitha Parlee Martin and their children: Lee Martin, John Martin, Elizabeth Martin Wright, Virgie Martin Scruggs, Mattie Martin Gortney, Effie Martin, Pearl Martin McAnally, and Hattie

Martin Johnson. The reunion will start at 9:00 a.m., with a pot luck meal at noon, and lasting all afternoon. So bring a dish and join us and bring the whole family to join in one the fellowship. If you have any questions regarding Martin Family Reunion, contact Tammy Greene at 438-6914 (daytime) or 438-6849 (after 5:00 p.m.) M-26-A-2-9-16-23

Teacher Of The Year Contest Announcement

Nominations are now being accepted for the Conservation Education Teacher of the Year Awards according to Freeman Floyd, chair of the Tishomingo County Soil & Water Conservation District. The recognition program is open to all pull-time educators at kindergarten through high school levels who have implemented innovative soil and water conservation activities for reaching students and other audiences.

Recipients in both the elementary (grades K-6) and secondary (grades 7-12) categories will be honored at the local and state levels with certificates. The local district will award the winning teachers a \$50 cash prize.

The national first place educator in each category receives

\$1000 cash and an expense-paid trip to San Diego, California for the 1999 annual meeting of the National Association of Conservation Districts.

Co-sponsored by NACD and Zeneca Ag Products, the recognition program creates an awareness and appreciation of the value of conservation education. It stimulates efforts by teachers to advance the proper use, protection and enhancement of the nation's soil, water and related natural resources.

"Any teacher in a public or private school who emphasizes conservation education as a regular part of the instructional program is eligible for nomination," said Mr. Floyd. Interested teachers can obtain additional information and entry forms from Tishomingo County Soil & Water Conservation



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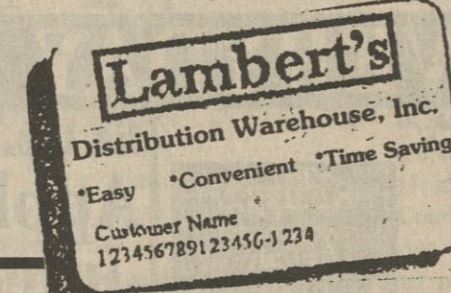
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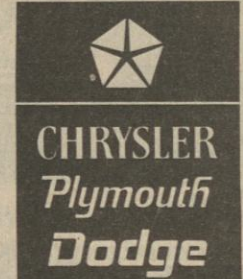
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Piece of Tishomingo County History Removed— Rick Whitfield (above) has purchased a piece of Tishomingo County history recently—the Woodall Mountain Lookout Tower. Whitfield, who's dad worked in the tower (left) with the Mississippi Forestry Commission for 27 years, plans to reassemble the landmark on his property near the Paden/old Holcut area at Hurricane Creek.

Photos submitted by Ray Solomon.

Woodall Mountain Tower Comes Down

County Resident Moves Local Landmark To New Location

by: Angela Lambert

Many Tishomingo Countians have fond memories of spending a Sunday afternoon climbing the lookout tower at the State's highest spot—Woodall Mountain.

Several years ago, a fence was placed around the tower to prevent all but those who had special access from climbing it.

Now, this piece of local history is no longer standing at its 806 ft. location.

Tishomingo County resident Rick Whitfield purchased the local landmark at an auction held recently by the Mississippi State Forestry Commission. The State agency is in the process of auctioning off all of the towers in the state. Apparently, they no longer have a use for the structures.

So, why would a private individual want to buy such a massive structure? For Whitfield, the answer is simple. His dad, Talmadge Whitfield, was a ranger with the Forestry Commission and used this 60-ft. tower for 27 years. Rick's purchase of the

tower is in honor of his dad.

Iuka resident Ray Solomon was present and photographed the lowering of the Woodall Mountain Tower, which took place at noon Sunday, March 22. He explained that the tower was built in 1956. Before this time, a wooden structure had stood in its place. Now a Mississippi Highway Patrol tower is all that is needed at the location.

He explained that Whitfield plans to rebuild the tower near the old Holcut/Paden area on the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway at a place referred to as Hurricane Creek. The property, owned by Whitfield, is reportedly the third highest peak in the state.

Twenty-one people helped take down the tower Sunday. It was then disassembled and moved to its new home on Monday, Solomon said.

The tower may be gone, but at least it is not forgotten. It has been saved by a Tishomingo Countian who cared enough about the memories of the past to ensure its place in the future.

Drug Charges Brought Against Iuka Resident

by: Angela Lambert

Tishomingo County authorities arrested an Iuka man Saturday on drug charges.

Ronald Erikson, 41, of 300 N. Main, Apt. B, Iuka, was arrested Saturday, March 21, and charged with possession of marijuana with intent to distribute, according to Tishomingo County Sheriff David Smith.

Smith explained that Iuka Police Officer Robert Till, who had been gathering evidence against Erikson, tipped off the Sheriff's Department of a drug pickup involving the suspect. At that time, the Sheriff and Officer Rodney Pannell waited for the subject to leave for work.

"With the information we had gotten, we stopped Erikson after he left for work," Smith explained. "When we asked him for consent to search his home, he then admitted having the illegal substance there."

Smith said a search of the home netted a quarter pound of marijuana found in several separate bags. Also confiscated during the search was a sawed-off shotgun and another automatic firearm, the Sheriff stated.

Erikson has been released from the Tishomingo County Jail on a \$5,000 bond, the Sheriff confirmed.

Fundraiser At Iuka Gospel Church

Iuka Gospel Chapel on Snowdown Road (across from Long's Garage) will be having fund raising supper on Friday, March 27, 1998 beginning at 5 p.m. At the cost of \$5.00 per plate for adults and \$3.00 for children, you will enjoy the following homemade items: Turkey & Dressing, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Cranberry sauce, Dessert, Tea or Coffee. Dine in or carry out available.



Recovered and Returned—Belmont Police Chief Donald Reno (left), Investigator Sammy South (center) and Officer Greg Mitchell (right) recently have recovered and returned several items from separate thefts in the Belmont.

Belmont Police Recover Stolen Items and Make Arrests

by: Angela Lambert

Policemen in Belmont have made several arrests recently in three burglaries and one drug sting.

Burglaries

In the first of the burglaries, Jason Darracott, 26, of Red Bay has been arrested in connection with the theft of several items taken from a vehicle parked at a Belmont apartment complex, according to Belmont Police Chief Donald Reno.

Reno explained that Darracott has been charged after he took items from the vehicle of Tony Hall at the Capital Apartments. Items totaling from \$700 to \$1,000 included four drills, a saw, miscellaneous tools, brief

case, tool box, tool tray filled with tools and other items.

In another incident, compact disc players and other items were stolen from cars of students who were out of town supporting their school at the North-Half Basketball Finals. Reno said those items were recovered and returned to their rightful owners. Individuals responsible for these crimes were charged and processed through Belmont City Court, the officer explained.

In a separate incident, a battery and stereo speakers were stolen from a Belmont resident. Chief Reno said these items, too, were recovered and returned to the owner. The individuals responsible were arrested, charged

and processed through the Belmont court system, as well, according to Reno.

Drug Arrests

A month long drug sting has resulted in the arrest of six individuals on drug charges, Reno said.

Charges have been made for possession of marijuana, paraphernalia, possession of a controlled substance and possession of marijuana—more than an ounce. Three of those arrested have pleaded guilty in Belmont City Court, Reno said. He explained that the names of those involved are not being released at this time because of an ongoing investigation within the city.



Drugs Recovered—Marijuana, paraphernalia and other drug related items were confiscated during a recent drug sting operation in Belmont. Pictured are (from left) Officer Greg Mitchell, Chief Donald Reno and Investigator Sammy South.



Susan Bonds, Peggy Belue - Teachers and students from left, Jasmine Pope, Drew Gatlin, Devoir Johnson, and Kayla Borden Tishomingo County Reading Bee Planned For April 8th

Give a child a book and give him the world. The Junior Auxiliary of Tishomingo County is sponsoring the Tishomingo County Reading Bee. The Reading Bee is open to all 4th grade students. This week your 4th grader will be bringing home the book "Gulliver's Travels" by Jonathan Swift. After reading the book the children will have a reading bee within their school to see which class can answer the most questions. The winning class and each school will be awarded with a pizza party. The Reading Bee will be held at each school on April 8 with the pizza party held April 9. Your 4th grader will have two weeks to read this wonderful book. The story of "Gulliver's Travels" is an amazing story of a young man whose life and adventures defy imagination. The Junior Auxiliary hopes to give your child the love of books. We hope that with your help all our children will read and enjoy this year's Reading Bee.

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Girl's Softball Tryouts and Draft This Saturday

Any girl from age 4-18 who wishes to play in the 1998 Dixie Girls' softball league must register before the upcoming tryouts and draft.

Registration for girls 4-12 will be held Saturday, March 28, from 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. followed by tryouts and draft of the teams at 10:00 a.m. All girls in these age groups should be at the field by 10:00 a.m. with glove and shoes.

Registration for girls 13-18 will be held Monday, March 30, beginning at 5:00 p.m. followed by tryouts and draft of the teams at 6:00 p.m. All girls in these age groups should be at the girls' field by 6:00 p.m. with glove and shoes.

Also, anyone wishing to help prepare the field for opening day is urged to be at the field on Saturday.

Burnsville Area Chamber Fish Fry

The Burnsville Area Chamber of Commerce will host a Fish/Chicken/Chicken Livers/meal on Saturday, April 4, at the Burnsville School Cafeteria. Also, "The Life Time Believers", a gospel singing group will entertain from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. in the old Burnsville Gym. The meal will be served from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. The price of the meal will be \$7.50 per plate. Since the Chamber will be charged a per plate price there will be no seconds or refills.

Tickets will be available at the following businesses, Burnsville City Hall, First American National Bank, Shirley's Dolls & Stuff as well as any chamber member.

We invite all area residents to come to the Burnsville School cafeteria and enjoy a good meal and entertainment on Saturday, April 4.



TCHS Beta Club Travels To State Convention — On February 27-28, the TCHS Beta Club attended the State Beta Convention held at the Coliseum in Biloxi, MS. There, they attended three general sessions, two dances, voted in a state-wide Beta officer's election, competed in subject area testings, entered an art contest and participated in a Quiz Bowl. Brad Marlar, Adam Gray, Brent Bonds, and Jarod Dawson were the four representatives of TCHS in the Beta Club Quiz Bowl at State Beta competition. These students received sixth place out of 42 teams from across the State of Mississippi. Those students attending included: Ms. René Fowler, Jamie Wilson, Kristy O'Neal, Nikki Darwin, Rebecca Skinner, Sara Strickland, Emilie Cooke; (row 2) Chantel Erwin, Selina House, Mary Cooke, Jessica Luttrell, April Bostick, Beth Darwin, Melissa Pounders, Brent Bonds, Joey Beck, Jarod Dawson, Bradley Marlar, Adam Gray and Jason Clark. The group was also accompanied by acting principal, Terry King, and bus driver Oralee McManus.

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Your mother's health is far from being good, yet she is not confined to her bed but keeps about as usual. The rest of your relations here are well. My sight failing so much prevents me from writing half as much as I could wish. You must put up with short letters from me. Give my love to your dear children and to sister Hitt. May God bless you abundantly prays your most affectionate father, Finch Scruggs.

Finch Scruggs died in Tishomingo County on August 8, 1863. According to the late Jobie Scruggs, a great-grandson who owned the old homeplace, Finch is buried in the Scruggs Family Cemetery located behind the Jobe Scruggs Home. Nancy died April 18, 1868 in Yalobusha County. She is buried in a family cemetery at the original homestead of her son Dr. Albert M. Scruggs in the Hardy Station Community near Water Valley. She once had a large monument over her grave, but timber cutters came through and demolished it. All that is left is the base of the monument which I saw in 1990. Preserving history even for prominent people is difficult enough. But history should be preserved for all people.

Saturday, March 28, 1998 beginning at 10 a.m. at the Booneville High School Gym.

The competition will include a free throw shoot, horse championship, slam dunk and 3-point competition. Also a 3 on 3 half-court tournament will be held.

Play is open to those 14 years old and younger. Winners will receive trophies.

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Old Tishomingo Traces

By: June Bullard



Nancy Thomas Scruggs wife of Finch Identified by the late Marie Bonds from an old tintype



Finch Scruggs Identified by the late Marie Bonds from an old tintype

The Scruggs Family were among the earliest settlers in Tishomingo County. The name first appears on county land records in 1836, but other records indicate that they did not reside here until 1841. The majority of the Tishomingo County Scruggs' are descended from Finch but a few descend from his brother Allen of Lawrence County, Alabama.

Finch Scruggs, my 3rd great-grandfather, was born 13 July 1772 in Buckingham Co., Va. He was a son of James Scruggs, but his mother's name is unknown to me. Finch married Nancy Thomas in Cumberland Co., Va. on 19 July 1792. Nancy, a daughter of Jesse and Mary Thomas, was born 27 October 1773 in Powhatan County. They had eleven children - nine sons and two daughters. Of the nine to reach adulthood, two were doctors, one a judge, two farmers, and four were ministers in the Methodist Church. One of the minister sons was a missionary to the Cherokee Indians during the time Sequoyah was developing the Cherokee alphabet.

Finch and Nancy were native Virginians. They were in Cumberland County in 1794 when their first child Mary S. was born. From 1797 to 1803 they lived in Buckingham County. By 1803 they were in Williamson County, Tennessee. There Finch was found on many land records and was the executor of his father-in-law Jesse Thomas' estate. From 1806 to 1808 their records are found in Davidson County. From 1811 to 1820 they are back in Williamson County.

They were in Lauderdale County, Alabama by 1821 just two years after Alabama attained statehood. There Finch was active in the Canaan Methodist Church. He performed many marriages and preached the gospel to some of the first families of this recently formed

county. In 1837 he was appointed advising executor of his good friend Samuel Savage's estate. At that time Savage was reported to be the richest man in Lauderdale County, and his son George was in partnership in a general merchandise store with Finch's son Allen F. This business was on the site where Lamar Furniture Company is today.

By 1841 Finch and Nancy Scruggs are living in Tishomingo County. Although he is approaching old age, Finch is actively involved in the formation of this fledgling county. One of the items that showed his devotion to Nancy was a deed record dated June 1, 1848 in which the following sentiments are found: "...I, Finch Scruggs of the county of Tishomingo and State of Mississippi being desirous the better to provide for the maintenance and support of, and in consideration of the love and

affection which I have and bear for my dear wife Nancy Scruggs have and do hereby these presents give, grant and convey to her...to her sole and separate benefit two negro slaves..."

In a letter dated January 23, 1855 to his son Allen F. living in Missouri Finch again demonstrates his family devotion as follows:

"My dear son, I have long desired to write to you, but now knowing where to direct my letter until I received yours bearing the unfortunate intelligence of the death of your wife. I was very much plagued with a very bad cold that afflicted me as I thought differently from anything I had ever experienced. After suffering for some time with a swimming in the head so that I could not get to and from my bed without assistance. But thanks to my Heavenly Father I am so far recovered that I can get around without aid, but I am still very feeble. My strength and flesh have declined

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My Friend, My Hero, Tommy Dean

A Series Of Articles By Christian Evans

PADRES shortstop



After prayer meeting last Wednesday night, I decided to walk home. Walking west on Eastport Street I was met by the distant bright lights of Tommy Dean Field. I thought it was funny, I had just talked to Tommy Dean a few minutes ago at church. He always gives a handshake and a big grin as bright as the lights from the field that bears his name.

Most folks who hear Tommy Dean's name think of baseball. Though the game has been a big part of his life, there is much more to the former professional athlete, much more!

Tommy is the youngest boy in the large family of seven children in the Pleas and Gola Dean family. The boys were Bob, Billy, Jackie, Scotty and Tommy with twin sisters Joan and Jean. They were raised in the Rocky Springs Community three miles from J.P. Coleman State Park. This has always been a loving and extremely closeknit family. The Dean children were raised on honesty, hard work and a whole lot of love. This was especially true when it came to the love each of the Deans have for the Lord and how He has touched each of their lives. Each Dean knew they were apart of a family larger than their own, God's family.

The Deans were all competitive in sports. They all excelled in any game played. Tommy, like his siblings, did not like to be left out of anything. From flag football to

a "friendly" game of hoops, young Tommy gave it his all. When it came to baseball this natural athlete found his sport.

"He was a dedicated athlete," says former Iuka High School Baseball Coach Bryson Mann, "You didn't have to say much to

him. You could just stand back and watch him play." Coach Mann saw early that Tommy was working for a dream. He came to practice early and after practice brother Scotty would hit balls out for him to catch. Tommy was a high school stand out. He made the all star teams and did well in the summer leagues. The scouts thought he was good recruiting material for the "big leagues".

After graduating in 1964, Tommy signed with the Dodger organization in that same year. He played in the Florida State League for the 1965 season. The next year he went up the trail to B-Ball playing in Albuquerque, New Mexico. There were a number of leagues to work through in those days and Tommy felt in his heart that his dedication would pay off. Baseball was still fun despite the long hot summers, the road trips and endless hours of practice.

Tommy was finally signed into the AA minors on a team in Spokane, Washington. This was a farm team for the Los Angeles Dodgers. Hall of Fame Dodger Manager Tommy LaSorda told a Dean family member years later how he went to Spokane to watch Tommy play. He called the home office and recommended the young shortstop had impressive hands and LaSorda called him up to play for the Dodgers.

Those talented hands landed him a spot in the Majors that lasted seven years. Tommy spent spring training with the Dodgers before being traded on opening day in a deal with the San Diego Padres. Tommy spent five good seasons with the Padres.

Tommy was faithful to his upbringing. He was a country boy and a Christian who didn't smoke or drink. He once told that when the team went into a restaurant that the Manager would order for

the team. "Beer for everyone but that guy," and would point to Tommy. "He'll have a tall glass of

milk!" Yes, he was faithful to his family values and his religious values. He missed his family but stayed busy trying to be the best he could be.

When he did make it home, Tommy spent time with a beautiful young girl from home. Diane Phifer was a striking lady whose looks caught Tommy's eye, her voice caught his ear and her sweet personality and sense of humor caught his heart. She shared his values, hopes and dreams. Now it was time to meet the family. Tommy asked her to join him one Sunday with the Dean family at the Rocky Springs Methodist Church.

The first Sunday at Rocky Springs was a true test of their relationship. The congregation, made up of a lot of Tommy's kinfolk, got up to sing the first hymn. Diane has a strong, beautiful operatic voice that could be heard over the crowd. She unexpectedly started snickering and laughing as all heads turned. She had to sit down and compose herself. As Tommy told the story years later he grinned saying, "I had heard Diane sing but that was the first time she had heard me sing." Tommy snickered, "It says in the Bible to make a "joyful noise" and that is about all I could ever do. So with Diane singing beside me, I thought her lovely voice would drown me out." Diane was caught off guard when she heard Tommy sing and according to Tommy, "Right there in front of all my relatives and everybody at Rocky Springs, the girl lost it!"

Things must have gone better after that. Eventually Diane Phifer became Mrs. Tommy Dean. They were blessed with a son, "little Tommy", as I always knew him and later a daughter, Ginger. They were the apples of their Daddy's eye. After marrying Diane and the kids came along, being out on the road anywhere always seemed like a long way from home. Tommy played three years with San Diego before retiring in 1971. He now had a family of his own to raise and wanted to do that back home.

He went to work at Hall's Printing, which is now World Color, in Corinth, Ms. The company prints National Geographic magazine. Tommy has worked for them almost twenty five years and likes his job.

Tommy and Diane are members of Iuka Baptist Church. The Deans are involved in many church activities. Diane attends Sunday School and sings in the choir. Tommy is a deacon and is active on several church committees and is a faithful member of the Pete Byrom Sunday School Class. He also is a member of the Men's Brotherhood and helps out with many other church programs and activities.

I really got to know Tommy this past year through the

AWANA program sponsored by our church. I knew that his own children were raised in a loving Christian home and nurtured by their parents to live up to their full potential. I had no doubt that he would be a good leader and have a positive influence on these kids. I wasn't wrong either!

After one AWANA meeting, we stood outside waiting for the children to be picked up. Tommy and I began talking about the importance of helping these kids and serving the Lord. Tommy said even though he had always been active in church, one event in his life had drawn him closer to serv-

ing his Lord. Several years back his sister, Joan Dean Holly, was diagnosed with Cancer. She fought bravely and the family grew closer than they had ever been. Their parents had been together over sixty years and you are sort of prepared for them going. In this case, a younger sister's battle for each day made Tommy aware of his own mortality. Joan put all her fears in God's hands and let His will be done. Her faith inspired Tommy to look at himself and listen to what God wanted him to do in His service.

Tommy said he then became active in many church activities and felt that each door God had opened for him was another blessing. His son, now grown and living in Dallas, Texas, was involved with a group like AWANA and on a recent trip to visit, Tommy Sr. went with his son to a meeting. He saw first hand how many kids needed love and guidance in their lives and was under conviction to do something back home. When the call came out asking for AWANA leaders, Tommy volunteered. "These kids have really been a blessing to me," he says, "I can be dead tired and come to a meeting and these boys and girls will fill me with their energy and I leave each week with a blessing." I feel the same way as a leader in this group.

I remember when Tommy spoke to the group about his baseball career. He brought pictures of him playing against Earnie Banks and a bat signed by Cardinal Pitcher Stan Musial. Tommy had stories of playing against the legendary Willie Mays and had a

baseball signed by Micky Mantle. He told of a game in July 1969 that was paused when the Apollo spacecraft was about to land on the moon. Tommy recalled, "They counted down from 10 slowly, FIVE, FOUR, THREE, TWO . . ONE . . Then that whole stadium in Atlanta got real quiet, everyone

was silent." Tommy smiled real big and told how the crowd came to their feet as if someone had hit a home run with the bases loaded in the ninth when the announcer said, "They made it!"

Tommy told the kids that the celebration he witnessed would be nothing compared to the day Christ returned. He ended his testimony by saying, "I am on the greatest team ever known, a team that is always victorious and if you are on that team you will never be defeated!"

Our community baseball field is named in honor of Tommy Dean. He never made a million dollars playing baseball. He will likely never get rich at World Color yet he has provided a good living for his family, gave them support and love which led them

to lead successful lives of their own. I believe his riches await him in Heaven for all his humble works faithfully done here.

Whether there is a crowd or not at church at any service, I can say I have a seat saved with Tommy Dean that comes with a firm handshake, a warm grin and a sincere "How are you doing?" Anytime you see Tommy Dean, on the field or off, he is a REAL HERO!

P.S. Anyone with information, interesting stories, or photos of the tornado that hit Tishomingo in the early 1930's, please contact me at 423-5734.

Farm Bureau Scholarship

Each year the Tishomingo County Farm Bureau offers a \$400 Scholarship to a graduating senior from Tishomingo County High School, Belmont High School, and Tishomingo County Vocational Center. Parents must be a Farm Bureau member to qualify. An application may be picked up in the office at each school or at the Farm Bureau Office in Iuka or Belmont. M-26-A-2



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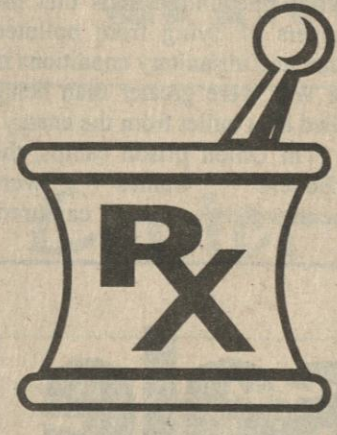
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March Is Youth Art Month—Some of the art students in Ms. Lesa Allen's TCHS Art Classes, (pictured L to R) Chad Daugherty, Bryan Robinson, Matt Alred, Carol Anne Emmons, Brian Casabella, Rachel Seago, Deanna Hill, Seth Massey and front, Mr. King and Deresa Patrick are shown presenting Mr. King with a Youth Art Pin to celebrate Youth Art Month. These students represent only a small number of the art students at TC who are enrolled in the Art I, II, and III courses. Ms. Allen, a member of the Mississippi Alliance for Arts Education, a state-wide coalition fighting for high quality arts education for all students, states that she is very proud of the TC Community which is very supportive of the local art program.



I.E.S. Spelling Bee Winners—Fifty-four students from grades 1-4 at Iuka Elementary School participated in the annual spelling bee held recently. Two students from each grade were recognized as winners in this PTA sponsored event. Winners along with teachers assisting in the spelling bee were (back, from left) Mrs. Simpson, third grade; Mrs. Brown, third grade; Mrs. Shea, second grade; Mrs. Wafford, second grade; Mrs. Yow, first grade; (front, from left) Tabitha Ledbetter - 2nd place in fourth grade, Daniel Perez - 1st place in fourth grade; Chloe Milligan - 2nd place in third grade, Jake Segars - 1st place in third grade; Chad Dalton - 2nd place in second grade, Jared Helton - 1st place in second grade; Dalton Wright - 1st place in first grade and Thompson Segars - 2nd place in First grade. Not pictured is Mrs. Wahlstrom.

Hayden Ables Speaks To UDC

The lovely home of Mildred Hill was the location of the March 17th meeting of the John Marshall Stone Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

The guest speaker was Mr. Hayden Ables, Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County. After each lady introduced herself, Mr. Ables spoke to the group. He began with an interesting story. About 1855 or 1856, a little girl was born in the proximity of Waterloo, Alabama. Her father had died, leaving only her mother, one younger & one older sister in the family. He had been part owner of a store where he had worked. Two years later while her mother was working in the same store, she met a man named Glover. Mr. Glover was a widower with four children. They later were married Mary Snider, the little girl of the story and the combined family moved down river to settle on his home place in Habersham in about 1861. Their home was on a farm with crops, livestock & more land to be cleared. Mary was living there with her sisters and her half brothers & sisters. One day soldiers came by the homeplace to buy livestock. A short time later on April 6, 1862 the family heard the rumble of distant thunder. They went out on the porch to check on the storm. The storm became louder & louder. They sky turned black. The little girl was very frightened. The father came in from the field and got the family together. For most of two days the storm raged. The screams of human & animals could be heard. The little girl was very afraid. After three days the storm seemed to have ceased except for the screaming of animals & weeping of humans. Soldiers in gray passed by the house unlike the soldiers in

blue who had been there before. The soldiers in blue came. Her new Dad took his family to relatives in Enville, Tennessee. After about a year they were able to go back home. Their fences and all the livestock were gone. Most of the

house had been torn down and used for various shelters and other things. Years later the storm the little girl heard and saw became known as the Battle of Shiloh. Mary told this family story to her daughter. Each generation told their children this story, and its was passed on down to Mr. Ables.

The next topic was about graves. The United States set up a Bureau of Graves Registry after the War Between the States. They started going back over the battle sites trying to identify and locate burial sites of soldiers. General Grant's policy was to bury the soldiers where they fell. The time being the factor. This is what was done in all the major battles until the great outcry after the Battle of the Wilderness. There were leaves and under brush in the forest. The woods caught fire. The wounded were burnt alive. Families came seeking relatives that were in the battle. Seeing the shallow burial sites of the soldiers with their decomposing arms and hands sticking up out of the ground caused the outcry. The fate of Union soldiers was well documented. Confederate soldiers that didn't return home presumed to have died in the War. There are still many mass graves in various places still unidentified.

After reading letters and diaries one understands that the dangers of dying from polluted water and unsanitary conditions in the War were greater than being killed by a bullet from the enemy.

In Union prison camps, the prisoners names were documented, where captured,

wounds or illnesses, date of death, place of burial and graves were marked in most instances.

Marquita Greenaway, president, presided at the meeting. The Pledge of Allegiance & salutes to the Mississippi & Confederate flags were said in unison. Mildred Hill, chaplain, led the prayer. Mrs. Greenaway gave the treasurer's report.

The spring district workshop of the UDC is April 4th at the Executive Inn, Tupelo in the Churchhill Room. The members who plan to attend are Mary Ellen

Ahlstrom, first vice president; Vickie Durham, registrar; Marguerite Nixon, Mildred Hill and Marquita Greenaway.

Sharon Coats, Vickie Durham & Mildred Hill are the members of the nominating committee for the chapter officers for the next two years.

Mrs. Hill was a gracious hostess serving an abundant assortment of delicious finger foods, coffee and cokes with a St. Patrick Day theme.

The guests were Mrs. Martha Dobbins and Mrs. Lessie Newcomb. The other members attending were Ruth Wynn, secretary; Karen Bryant, second, vice president; and Jeanie McKee.

Mary Ellen Ahlstrom has been nominated to be Division Registrar. The chapter wishes to extend their congratulations to her for her accomplishments that have brought honor to her heritage, her chapter and the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

The next meeting will be Saturday, April 25th at two o'clock at Oak Grove Cemetery. The Confederate Memorial Day meeting will be held at the grave of John Marshall Stone.

FIP Sign-Up Underway

There will be a sign-up opportunity for private, non-industrial forest landowners in Mississippi for the USDA Forestry Incentives Program (FIP), March 23-27, 1998.

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THURSDAY
 Hot dog, baked beans
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FRIDAY
 Chicken and noodles
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Cain Family Reunion

The annual "Cain" Family Reunion will be held Sunday, April 19, 1998 at the youth center at Iuka Park. Descendants of the Cain family are invited to attend. For more information call, Carol Cain at Henry 901-754-9133.

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A Special Birthday Celebration—Southern Magnolia Estates Retirement Home in Iuka would like to wish Dottie Hodge (left) and Claudia Carter (right) a very "Happy Birthday." Dottie's birthday was February 19 and Claudia's was February 12. Pictured also is Miss Aimee Kirk (center). Congratulations, ladies!



Celebrating Valentine's Day - Valentine's Day was a special event at Tishomingo Manor this year. The residents and staff selected a king and queen for the day and a good time was enjoyed by all as they were entertained with piano music, refreshments, and fellowship. From left are King Reese Elliott, Queen Flora Clark, Queen Hazel Rowland and King Tom Senter.



March Birthdays At Tishomingo Manor - Celebrating March birthdays at Tishomingo Manor are, seated, left to right, Vera Stephens, Nettie Williams, Lucille Page, Reetha Blaylock. Standing, left to right, Gracie Selman, Thelma Green, Ettie Hill, and not pictured: Minnie Wroten and Herman Jourdan.

Tupelo on April 4 at a cost of \$16 per attendee.

After the business session, hostess Pruitt served a delicious St. Patrick's Day cake with sprite or spiced tea. The white elephant door prize was won by Jewell Kitchens.

The next meeting will be April 9 with Marguerite Nixon as hostess and program leader.

Clean Green Day At Iuka Elementary

The Iuka Elementary PTA and Project Seed will work together this Friday, March 27th on a beautification project for Iuka Elementary. All students, teachers and volunteers will join in to plant flowers, clean up trash and give our school a bright new look for Spring. If you are interested in working outdoors and making the school a place the children are proud of you should either contact your child's teacher for a time to work or come by the school by 9:00 a.m. on Friday. You do not have to be a parent to participate. Come join us!



The Chalybeate Beauty Pageant was held on Saturday, February 21 at 7:00 p.m. Kayla Wilbanks was crowned "Most Beautiful" in the Princess Division in which 1st - 3rd grade girls competed. Kayla is in the 1st grade at Chalybeate Elementary and is the daughter of Larry and Donna Wilbanks. Her grandparents are Mary Elizabeth Blunt, Tishomingo, and the late Jimmy Lee Blunt and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilbanks of Walnut. Her great-grandparents are Travis and Eloise Hearn of Tishomingo, Mary Ramsey of Iuka and the late V.C. Ramsey and the late Mr. and Mrs. John Blunt. Kayla was crowned by her big sister, Courtney, who was the 1997 Most Beautiful in the Princess Division.

Burnsville Happenings

By: Donna Burns

4-H Contest will be Saturday, April 20th, 25th. The title for this year is "Gobal Reach, Local Touch".
Easter is April 12th this year. School is out April 10th and April 13th.

Congratulations to Jolene and Brandon Fretwell on the new baby boy born February 4, 1998 place Helen Keller in Sheffield, AL at 9:10 p.m. the weight was 8 lbs. and 15 oz. and 20" long and his name is Braxton Lowe Wilkins Fretwell. Proud uncle is Justin Wilkins and grandparents Jesse and Jean Wilkins all of Glen, MS. Welcome home little blue bundle.
Good luck to TC Band on their trip to Atlanta. Hope you do well at the band contest.

We are now entering the last 9 weeks of school. Hope everyone is doing well.
The Science Fair for district was today at Northeast. Hope everyone did well.
The 31st of March is the P.T.O. meeting for Burnsville School. Come out and support your school.
National Library week is

lifestyle such as: eat right-making sure to eat five servings of fruits and vegetables every day, exercise regularly wear seatbelts, stop smoking, and stay actively involved in the family and community.

After the program, President Beard led in a business session. Secretary Willadeen Thorne read the minutes and called the roll. Members attending were Nancy Beard, Nancy Daugherty, Mildred Hill, Bea Matthews, Libby Murtagh, Jewel Kitchens, Joy Kitchens, Zenobia Oaks, Jewel Pruitt, Willadeen Thorne, Sue Turner and Maxine Wade. Then, Treasurer Nancy Daugherty presented the financial report and asked for all outstanding bills to be turned in.

Afterwards, Zenobia Oaks reported on the February birthday party the club held at the Tishomingo Living Center.

Then, the election of officers for 1998-2000 was conducted. Blank slips of paper were given to each member and they elected officers by the majority vote of secret ballots. The new officers are: Joy Kitchens-president; Maxine Wade-vice president; Zenobia Oaks-recording secretary; Mildred Hill-corresponding secretary; Willadeen Thorne - reporter, and Nancy Daugherty-parliamentarian.

In other business, President Beard announced that the District Three Convention will be in

GFWC-MFVC Twentieth Century Club News

The club met in the Iuka Hospital on March 12 at 1:30 p.m. to elect new officers and learn how to live a healthy lifestyle. Jewel Pruitt was program leader and hostess.

President Nancy Beard called the meeting to order and led the club in the pledge of allegiance to

the American Flag. Then, Jewel Pruitt had the prologue to the Gideon Bible read as the devotional.

Afterwards, she presented Cheryl Clark, Iuka Hospital Public Relations Director, as her speaker. Cheryl Clark listed important guidelines for living a healthy

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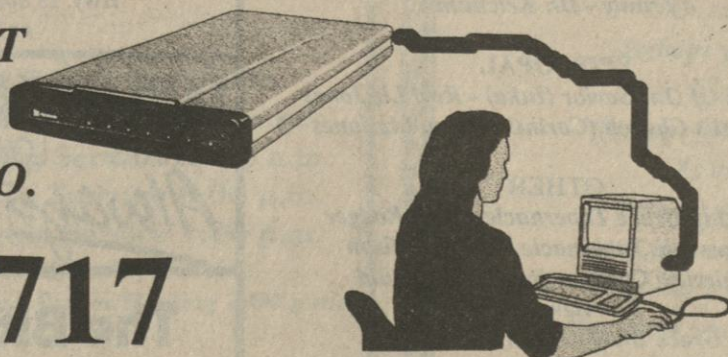
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THE EVILS OF DRINK!

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Obituaries



Funeral Services For Mrs. Artie E. Timbes

Artie E. Timbes, 96, died Thursday, March 19, 1998, at the Magnolia Hospital. She taught school in Tishomingo County for 45 years. She was a member of Eden Baptist Church, where she was the adult women's Sunday school class teacher and a supporter of the mission program. She married Odell Timbes in 1923; he preceded her in death.

Services were at 3 p.m. Thursday at Paden Baptist Church with Bro. Marc Howard, Bro. James Thorne and Bro. Warren Jones officiating. Burial was in Tishomingo Cemetery. Cutshall Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include one grandson, John T. McGill of Louisville, Ky.; two sisters, Hattie Crawford and Mary Byram, both of Corinth; one brother, Vernon Grimes of Tucson, Ariz.; two sisters-in-law, Mamie Grimes of Tishomingo and Martha Grimes of Corinth; several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by daughter and son-in-law, Grace Elizabeth and Willis McGill; a granddaughter, Barbara McGill; her parents, George and Lou Grimes; one sister, Attie Lou Frederick; and five brothers, Lowell, Lester, Elmer, Vard and Lloyd Grimes.

Pallbearers were Marion Hill, Charles South, Charles Pardue, Jerry Crawford, Jae Shadburn and Wyle Frederick.

Funeral Services For William Harville

William Calvin Harville, 92, died Sunday, March 22, 1998, at Tishomingo Manor Nursing Home. He was a member of New Hope Church of Christ, where he was an elder for 50 years. He was a retired employee of the Magnolia Hospital.

Services were at 1 p.m. Tuesday at New Hope Church of Christ with Lennis Nowell and Paul Watson officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. Memorial Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his daughters, Marie Reiner of Corinth, Pauline McFatridge of Tucson, Ariz., Bernice Skinner of Memphis, Wanda Sue Fowler of Glen and Johnnie Lowery of Clinton, Tenn.; his sons, Clifton Harville of Corinth and William Harville of Glen; his stepdaughter, Margie Brock of Corinth; 26 grandchildren; 44 great-grandchildren; six great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Adam Fowler, Travis Little, Archie Harville, Tinnin Skinner, Tony Skinner, Alan Harville, Richard Harville, Billy Breeden and Danny Lowery.

Funeral Services For Rev. Lindsey Jones

The Rev. Lindsey Earl Jones, 72, died Thursday, March 19, 1998, at the North Mississippi Medical Center. He was a minister of the gospel and a member of First United Pentecostal Church. He was retired from Consolidated Aluminum after 21 years.

Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday at First United Pentecostal Church with Bro. Frank Williamson, Bro. Gerald Grisham and Bro. Randall Jourdan officiating. Burial was in Hubbard Salem Cemetery. Cutshall Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his wife, Joyce Jones of Iuka; one sister, Christine Bonds of Iuka; one sister-in-law, Olene Jones of Iuka; several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Leon Holt, Hugh Van Presley, Randall Jourdan, Jerry Moss, Sherman Pruitt and Willie Carter.

Honorary pallbearers were Joe Hussey, Scott Segars and Kelly Segars.

Funeral Services For Jesse Harris

Jesse Ray Harris, 57, of Long Bay Estates, Myrtle Beach, SC, died Sunday, March 1, 1998 at his residence. He was born January 13, 1941 in Burnsville, MS to Jessie Lucile Roland Harris and the late Leonard Raymond Harris. He was preceded in death by his sister, Billie Celi.

Survivors include his wife, Dianne Jones Harris of Myrtle Beach, SC; his mother of Selmer, TN; a son, Allen Harris of Myrtle Beach; two stepsons, Randy Truss and Sonny Truss of Myrtle Beach; and a brother, Dickie Harris of Selmer.

Services were held at 4 p.m. Wednesday at McMillan-Small Funeral Home with Rev. Kirk Lawton officiating. Burial was in Ocean Woods Memorial Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Mercy Hospice at P.O. Box 1409, Myrtle Beach, SC 29578.

Burial Services For Garrett Dean Horn

Garrett Dean Horn, newborn son of Jeff and Kari Horn of Iuka, died Tuesday, March 17, 1998, at the North Mississippi Medical Center.

Services were at 3 p.m. Saturday at Ludlum Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Tim Wood officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Survivors include his parents, one sister, Lindsie Horn of Iuka; his grandparents, Jackie and Kian Horn of Belmont, Greg and Judy Herring of Florence, AL, Sandra Horn of Iuka, and Joe and Sandra Patrick of Iuka.

Funeral Services For Minnie Lee Woodall

Minnie Lee Woodall, 94, died Tuesday, March 17, 1998, at the Magnolia Regional Health Center. She was a member of the First Pentecostal Church.

Services were at 3:30 p.m. Thursday at McPeters Funeral Home Chapel with Joe D. Kelley officiating. Burial was in Patrick Cemetery in Tishomingo.

Survivors include three daughters, Flora Smith and Faye Holloway, both of Corinth, Willie White of Jackson, Tenn.; one son, Billy Joe Woodall of Corinth; three grandsons; eight granddaughters; six great-grandsons; 19 great-granddaughters; six great-great-granddaughters.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles R. Woodall, and three sons, Ernest, William and Raymond Woodall.

Pallbearers were her grandsons, David Harville, Scottie Harville, Tony Woodall, Billy Hamrick, Glen Jarnigan and Wayne Castell.

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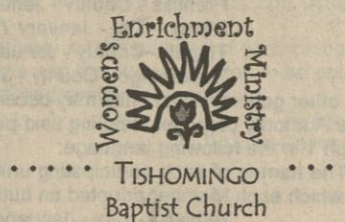
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Burial Services For Stella Mae Harville

Stella Mae Harville, 82, died Thursday, March 19, 1998, at the Tishomingo Manor in Iuka. She was a member of New Hope Church of Christ and a homemaker.

Services were at 1 p.m. Saturday at New Hope Church of Christ with Paul Watson officiating. Burial was in Liberty Hill Cemetery. Coleman Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangement.

Survivors include her husband, James C. Harville of Glen; one son, Jerry Harville of Glen; seven grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a son, Donovan Harville, and a daughter, Virginia Dowd.

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The pastor, Bro. Dan Minnix, and the entire congregation extends a warm welcome to come and enjoy the music of the Sounds of Joy. The service will begin at 6:00. There will be a time of food and fellowship following the performance.

Services Held For Johnny Schrock

Johnny Michael Schrock, 41, died Monday, March 2, 1998, in Starkville. He was born July 24, 1957, in Columbus. He was disabled.

Graveside services were at 2 p.m. Thursday at Oaklimb Cemetery in Crawford with Steve Gibson officiating. Tisdale-Lann Memorial Funeral Home of Aberdeen was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his father and stepmother, Abraham and Mary Amstutz Schrock of Prairie; eight sisters, Fannie Schrock and Amanda Schrock, both of Starkville, Lovina Maxwell of Atwood, Kan., Dena Whitford of Milton, Wis., Jean Biehl of Phoenix, Ariz., Barbara Abbott of Cabazon, Calif., Dorothy Smith of Beaumont, Calif., and Josephine Gibson of Toone, Tenn.; six brothers, Moses Allen Schrock of Dallas, Ore., Frank Schrock of Atlanta, Ga., Rudolph Schrock and Joseph Schrock, both of Starkville, Stephen Schrock of Prairie and Howard Schrock of West Point; two half sisters, Carolyn Blackford of Prairie and Beth Boren of Mantachie; two half brothers, Amos Schrock of Prairie and Eugene Schrock of Iuka.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Lydia Amstutz Schrock. Pallbearers were Steve Gibson, Charles Whitford, Frank Schrock, Steve Schrock, Eugene Schrock and Amos Schrock.

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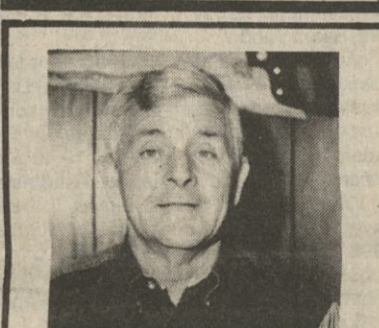
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Garage Sale—Friday, March 27, at the home of Hurtleen McAnally on Pleasant Hill Road. Sale starts at 7:00 in the morning. M-26-NC

Front Porch Sale—Thursday & Friday, March 26 & 27. Nothing before 7 a.m. corner of N. Fulton and E. Ash Street. Some furniture, silk flowers, household items, clothing, some quilts and blankets. Cancel if raining. M-26-chg

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Legal Notice IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI HOILE DWAYNE WALKER AND JERI WALKER MCCARTHY, Plaintiffs, VS. PAUL WAYNE WALKER, Defendant CAUSE NO. 12,343

NOTICE OF SALE Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of and as directed in an Order for Partition Sale by Commissioner of the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, rendered on the 18th day of February, 1998, in Cause Number 12,343, styled HOILE DWAYNE WALKER AND JERI WALKER MCCARTHY VS. PAUL WAYNE WALKER, I, Michael D. Cooke, Special Commissioner, will offer for sale and will sell on the front steps of the Tishomingo County Courthouse, Iuka, Mississippi, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on Friday, the 10th day of April, 1998, the following described real estate lying and being situated in Tishomingo County, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

The Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 15, Township 3, Range 10 East, containing 40 acres, more or less.

Fifteen acres of land in the Northeast corner of the Northeast quarter of Section 21, Township 3, Range 10 East, described as follows: Described as beginning at the Northeast corner of said quarter and run West on North line 60 rods; thence South parallel to East line 40 rods; thence east parallel to North line 80 rods; thence North on East line to Point of Beginning.

ALSO: Six acres in the Northwest corner of the Northwest Quarter of Section 22, Township 3, Range 10 East, described as beginning at the Northwest corner of said quarter and run South on west line 412 yards to the North right-of-way line of Lee Highway; thence in an easterly direction along said right-of-way 70 yards; thence North parallel to west line 412 yards more or less to the North line; thence West on North line 70 yards to the Point of Beginning.

Part of the Northwest quarter of Section 22, Township 3, Range 10 East, described as beginning at the point on the North right-of-way line of Highway #72, (Lee Highway) where the west line of said quarter intersects said right-of-way, run thence east along said right-of-way 210 feet to the southeast corner of the 6 acre tract now owned by O.A. Walker, then this point is the point of beginning, run thence north along the east line of said 5 acre tract to the north line of said quarter, thence east along north line 210 feet, thence south parallel to the west line to the north right-of-way line of said highway, thence west along said right-of-way 210 feet to the point of beginning, containing 6 acres more or less.

The said land will be sold as a whole and not in parcels, and the successful bidder will be required to deposit with the Special Commissioner at the time of said sale, a sum of money equal to 10% of the amount of the bid as security for the faithful performance of the bid on the part of the successful bidder, said money to be applied on the purchase price in the event of confirmation of sale. If the successful bidder fails to pay the amount of his/her bid and comply with the Decree of Confirmation, the amount deposited with the undersigned will be forfeited and the land resold. Said sale will be made subject to confirmation by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, who will hear the Report of Sale and Application for Confirmation thereof at the Courthouse in Iuka, Mississippi, on the 17th day of April, 1998, at 9:30 a.m.

Title to said property is believed to be good, but I will sell and convey only such title as I hold as Special Commissioner. WITNESS MY SIGNATURE this 3rd day of March, 1998. MICHAEL D. COOKE, ESQUIRE SPECIAL COMMISSIONER M-19-26-A-2-9-chg

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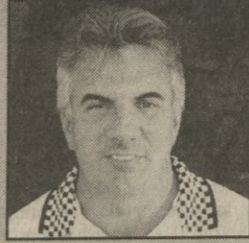
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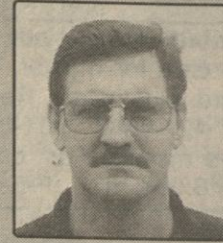
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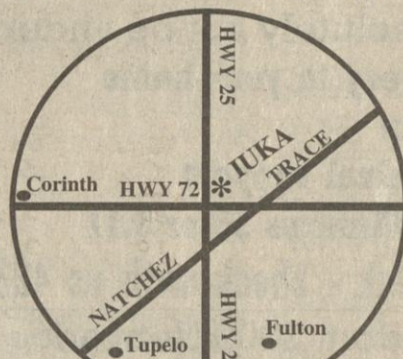
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\$2,000 DOWN CASH OR TRADE \$321 A MONTH*
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- XLT TRIM
- SPEED CONTROL
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- AM/FM CASSETTE STEREO
- ALUMINUM WHEELS
- AUTOMATIC

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\$2,000 DOWN CASH OR TRADE \$199 A MONTH*
\$1,000 DOWN CASH OR TRADE \$241 A MONTH*
\$0 DOWN CASH OR TRADE \$285 A MONTH*



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- AIR CONDITIONING
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flareside, full power, loaded



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off road pkg., 4x4, leather



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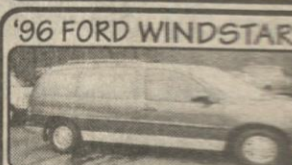
'96 FORD F-150 4X4
Eddie Bauer, V-8, super cab



'96 RANGER XLT
super cab, pw & pl, tilt, cruise



'96 FORD F-150 XL
v-6, auto., 30,000 mi.



'96 FORD WINDSTAR LX
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'96 FORD WINDSTAR LX
power car, low milage, loaded



'96 FORD AEROSTAR LXT
automatic, full power



'95 NISSAN PATHFINDER
automatic, air, sunroof



'93 MERCURY VILLAGER
touring pkg., full power.



'90 JEEP CHEROKEE
4 door, full loaded

'98 MERCURY MYSTIQUE
\$13,800

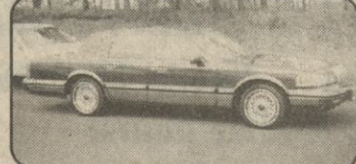


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