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Randy Stringer Announces Candidacy For Iuka Police Chief

To the Citizens of Iuka:

On April 18, 2000, a special election will be held to fill the position of Chief of Police for the city of Iuka—the position left vacant by the retirement of Chief Amos Bates. My name is Randy Stringer and I would like the opportunity to serve you in this position as your next Chief of Police.

For those of you who do not know me, I would like to take this time to tell you a little bit about myself. I am a native of Tishomingo County and have lived here all my life. I am married to Rhonda Stringer and we reside on Eastport Street in Iuka. My parents are Robert and Eleanor Stringer of Midway Community. My grandparents were the late Herman (Bunch) and Maureen Stringer and Marshall McKee. My grandmother, Myrtle McKee still resides in Iuka.

I am a graduate of Tishomingo High School and Northeast Mississippi Community College where I earned an associate's degree. I am also working toward completing a degree in criminal justice. I am a graduate of the Mississippi Law Enforcement Officers Training Academy, Pearl, Miss. I have fourteen (14) years experience in law enforcement. I began my career in Belmont where I worked for two years. The last twelve years I have spent with the Iuka Police Department. The last few years, I have served with former Chief Bates as his Assistant Chief. Since his retirement, I am serving as your acting Chief of Police.

I am a Christian with strong moral values. My wife and I are active members of and attend Iuka Baptist Church.



Randy & Rhonda Stringer

I will continue programs that Chief Bates implemented such as school traffic, escorting funerals and checking on our elderly residents. I will also initiate new programs that will develop our police force for the 21st century. Professionalism will become a priority with each member of the Iuka Police Department. We will also work on developing strong relationships with the community, because that is where information is gained. I pledge that all information given to me will be kept highly confidential. Information from the public is essential to solving crimes.

As a law enforcement officer, my work ethic is to treat others as I would like to be treated.

We, as citizens, take a lot for granted. Iuka is a great place to live with a low crime rate—together, let's keep it that way.

Between now and April 18th, I will try to see as many of you as possible. However, due to my work schedule, I may miss some. Please consider this as my personal plea for your vote on April 18th.

Many thanks and God bless each of you.

Randy W. Stringer

Time For Farmer's Market Is Just Around The Corner

President of the Tishomingo County Farmer's Market L.D. Phifer would like to prompt area vegetable farmers to start planning their crops and making preparations for this year's Farmer's Market.

This year, the Farmer's Market will be located at the east end of Jay Bird Park on Tuesdays

and Fridays, from 6 a.m. — until. All produce to be sold at the market must be grown in Tishomingo County. We anticipate the Farmer's Market opening sometime at the end of May or first part of June.

For more information, contact L.D. Phifer at 423-6932 or County Agent Danny Owens at 423-7016.

Spring Is In The Air...



Swingin' in the Sunshine—Three-year-old Matthew Pruitt and two-year-old Anna Parker were able to enjoy some time swinging in Mineral Springs Park in Iuka this week as the sun emerged and area temperatures edged up to a comfortable level for outdoor activities. The first day of spring was Monday, March 20. For those who are experiencing "Spring Fever," the weatherman is predicting warm weather for the rest of the week. Matthew is the son of Joey and Treva Pruitt. Anna is the daughter of Tonya and Stacy Parker. Both are from Iuka.



Three-year-old Mason Thomas of Iuka was busy climbing on the jungle gym in Mineral Springs Park in Iuka when we caught up with him for this photograph, Tuesday. Mason is the son of Mark and Sarah Thomas.

Shooting Victim's Stepson Arrested On Charges Of First Degree Murder

by Angela Lambert

Hardin County Tennessee officials issued a warrant for the arrest of a Tishomingo County teen-ager Wednesday, March 15, in connection with the shooting death of his stepfather in December of 1999.

According to Hardin County, Tenn. Sheriff's Department Investigator Sgt. Russ Alexander, new evidence obtained from autopsy results for Iuka resident Mark Biggs, who was fatally wounded on Christmas Eve while he was hunting in a remote, heavily wooded area of Hardin County, revealed that the story told by Biggs' stepson about the shooting did not coincide with the facts they obtained.

Biggs' stepson, Bradley J. Guthrie, 19, of 155 County Road 227, Iuka, had told authorities that he accidentally shot Biggs from a distance of about 35 to 40 yards, mistaking him for a deer in the brush. According to Alexander, when the autopsy results were returned, they indicated that the shot had occurred from a much closer range—between 3 and 4 feet away from the victim. Alexander said this was determined from the gun powder residue found on the victim's body at and around the wound site.

The authorities' initial investigation of the shooting found that the bullet from the 7mm Mauser, the gun being used by Guthrie that day, entered Biggs' body through his front, left shoulder, at an angle, penetrating the chest cavity.

The Investigator said that the differences in the story told by Guthrie and the results of their investigation are what led to the

warrant for Guthrie's arrest being issued by the Hardin County Circuit Clerk's office.

"At the time of the shooting, we did not have the evidence we needed to prosecute the case as a homicide," Alexander said. "Several tests of the weapons, along with tests on the victim, were ordered. When the results were returned to us on Feb. 24, the findings and other evidence were taken directly to the District Attorney's office."

The Tennessee Bureau of Investigation was called in by the Sheriff's office upon the return of these tests, according to Alexander.

Guthrie remains in custody, charged with first degree murder. Alexander explained that the suspect turned himself in to authorities in Alcorn County on March 15. Bond there was set at \$750,000. He was transported from there to Hardin County jail where he remains under a \$500,000 bond. Guthrie's initial court date is set for March 31 in Savannah, Tenn.

Another person present at the time of the shooting, Guthrie's friend, 19-year-old Brian Robinson of Iuka, has not been connected with the shooting, according to Hardin County Chief Deputy Bobby Gray.

Sgt. Alexander stated that the investigation into this homicide has been, and is still, ongoing by his department, as well as the TBI. The officer said that the investigation has been greatly aided by the assistance of Tishomingo County Sheriff David Smith and members of the Sheriff's Department. He said he appreciated all of their help in this matter.

"Heaven Gates & Hell's Flames" To Be At Mission Lighthouse



Mission Lighthouse Church of Iuka will present a drama "Heaven Gates & Hell's Flames", a dramatized real life presentation you'll never forget. This play has played before capacity crowds and has a cast of fifty, with sound and lighting effects. The play will begin Sunday, April 2 at 6 p.m., Monday, April 3 at 7 p.m. and Tuesday, April 4th at 7 p.m. Free admission. Nursery and Children's Ministry will be provided. The church is located one mile out Snowdown Road in Iuka, turn on County Road 252. For more information please call 423-1526 or 423-1719.

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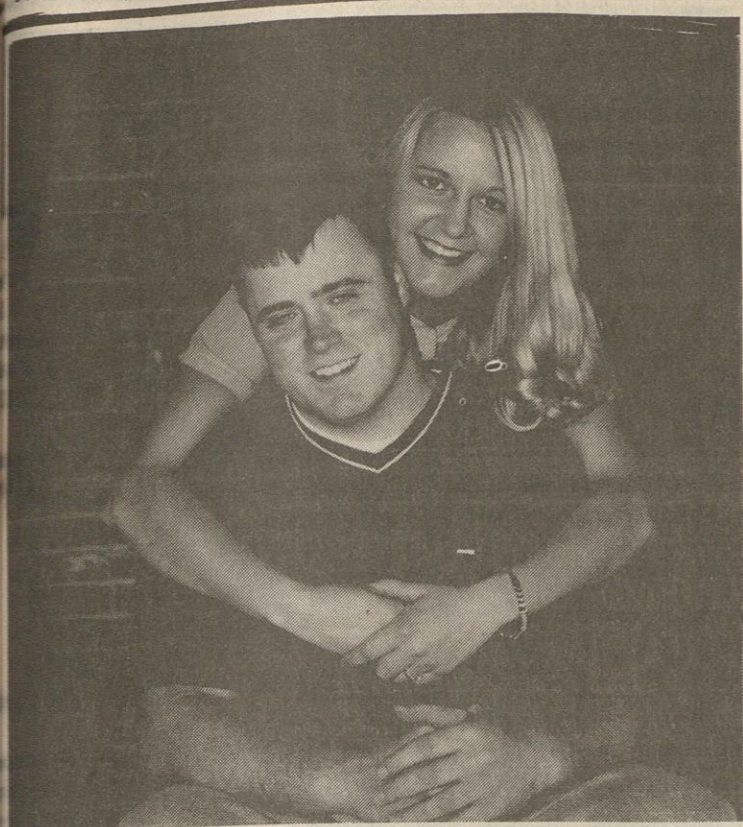
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Davis - Plants To Exchange Vows April 7th

Rocky and Kim Davis of Rogersville and Rick and Kim Walker of Florence would like to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Melina Shawn Davis to Michael Timothy Plants both of Florence AL.

The bride-elect is a 1997 graduate of Lauderdale Co. High School of Alabama, she is currently attending N.W. Shoals Community College. She is currently active in the A.T.C. Distribution Group. Maternal grandparents are Nancy Romine of Lexington AL and the late Earl Jackson of Rogersville. Paternal

grandparents are Bud and Gloria Davis of Rogersville.

The groom-elect is the son of Joni Massengill of Paden MS and Joe and Patsy Plants of Pt. Pleasant, West Virginia. He is a 1996 graduate of Lauderdale Co. High School and is employed by Marley Flex Co. Maternal grandparents are Martha Jane Shackelford Love, and the late James M. Love of Belle Glade, FL. Paternal grandparents are Gladys and Walter Plants of Pt. Pleasant, West Virginia.

Wedding will be held on April 7th at 7 p.m. at 1st Assembly of God, Florence AL 3610 Helton Dr.

GFWC-MFWC Twentieth Century Club News

The Twentieth Century Club met on March 9, 2000, at the Iuka Library with Joy Kitchens as hostess and Zenobia Oaks as Program Leader. Joy Kitchens, President called

the meeting to order and led club members in the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag. Then she opened the meeting with a prayer for the devotional. Zenobia Oaks read minutes of

prior meeting and called the roll. Club members responded by naming a public servant.

Joy Kitchens read a note from MFWC District 3 President Shelia Owens requesting someone from Iuka 20th Century Club to answer roll call with a one minute speech, at the District 3 Convention on March 25th, in West Point, MS.

She also reported that the Cub Scouts Blue and Gold Banquet will be held March 18th, at 6:00 p.m., at the Tishomingo County High School cafeteria. They requested as many club members as can to attend to represent the 20th Century Club. The Cub Scouts are one of the club main project and the club has financially supported the Cub Scouts for a number of years.

The club hosted the February Birthday Party at the Living Center and it was a big success. The honorees stated it was the best party ever.

The yard of the month judging will begin in April and will continue thru September.

The next order of business was the election of new club officers. The following were elected: President - Joe Farrow; Vice-President - Nancy Daugherty; Secretary - Fredda Sanderson; Corresponding Secretary - Maxine Wade; Treasurer - Willadeen Thorne; Reporter - Joy Kitchens; Parliamentarian - Zenobia Oaks. The new officers will take office in April and serve for two years.

Following the business session Zenobia Oaks presented the program on the Historic Independence Hall. Independence Hall is by every estimate, the birthplace of the United States. It was within its walls that the Declaration of Independence was adopted. It was here that the Constitution of the United States was debated, drafted and signed. Independence Hall was built in 1732 thru 1753. The Provincial Government paid for construction as they went along, so it was finished piecemeal. It wasn't until 1753, 21 years after the groundbreaking, before it was completed. The building has undergone many restorations, notably by Greek revival architect John Haviland in 1830, and by a committee from the National Park Service, in 1950, returning it to its 1776 appearance.

Following the program the hostess served a delicious buffet with coke or coffee.

The next club meeting will be April 13, 2000, with Willadeen Thorne as hostess and Nancy Beard as Program Leader.

Committee Meeting

The Tishomingo County Republican Executive Committee will hold their March meeting at Halsen in Belmont on Tuesday, March 28, 2000 at 7:00 p.m. All Republicans are invited.

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Junior Auxiliary Presents Gospel Concert March 25

Mark your calendar for Saturday, March 25, when the Tishomingo County Junior Auxiliary will present a gospel concert featuring "Steel Faith" and "Paid In Full."

Also performing will be local talent, Debbie Kirk and Ricky & Dena Pike.

The show, to be held at Tishomingo County High School Auditorium, will begin at 6 p.m.

Tickets for the event will be \$8 in advance and \$10 at the door. Groups of 10 or more may purchase tickets for \$7.50 in advance.

A special incentive is offered to Church groups who come to the singing. The church which has the greatest number of people in attendance will receive a \$50 donation to their youth group.

Tickets for the singing may be purchased at BancorpSouth, Peoples Bank and First American National Bank in Iuka, or New Life Christian Supply in Corinth. Also you may purchase tickets from any Junior Auxiliary member or by calling 423-6690 or 423-6814 or 423-7100.

Proceeds from this concert will be used by the Junior Auxiliary to meet the needs of children, youth and senior citizens in our area through the club's service projects. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Junior Auxiliary is a non-profit organization dedicated to community improvement. Concert Chairman is Nelda Wilemon.

I.M.S.-P.T.A. Meeting And Variety Show

I.M.S.-P.T.A. Meeting and Variety Show will be Thursday, March 23rd at 6:30 p.m. in I.M.S. Cafeteria. The Variety Show will be held in Howard Auditorium at 7:00 p.m., the talent supplied by the 7th and 8th graders. No admission will be charged, but donations will be accepted. All parents, teachers, and interested people are welcome and encouraged to attend both the meeting and the show.

CPR Class To Be Held At Midway VFD

The regular monthly meeting of the Midway Volunteer Fire Department will be held April 6, 7 p.m. at the fire department building. A CPR class will be held

in conjunction with this meeting. Please call Harry Bowman at 423-3457 or Debbie Trussell at 423-3916 in order to register. There is no charge for this class and is open to all members of the Midway fire district.

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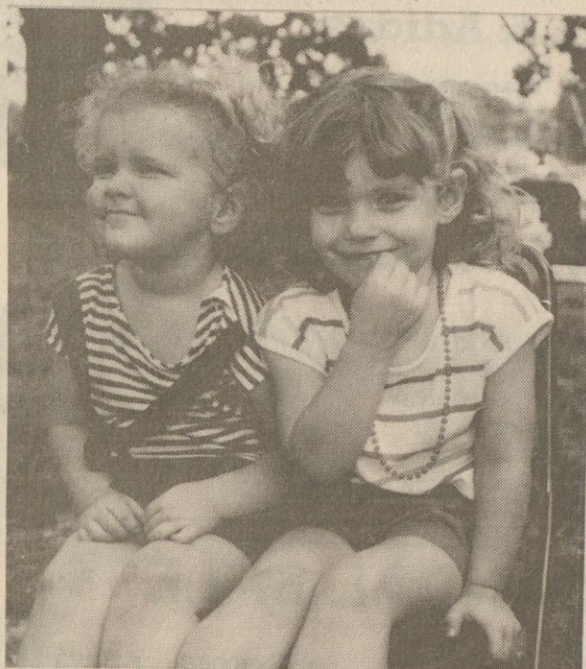
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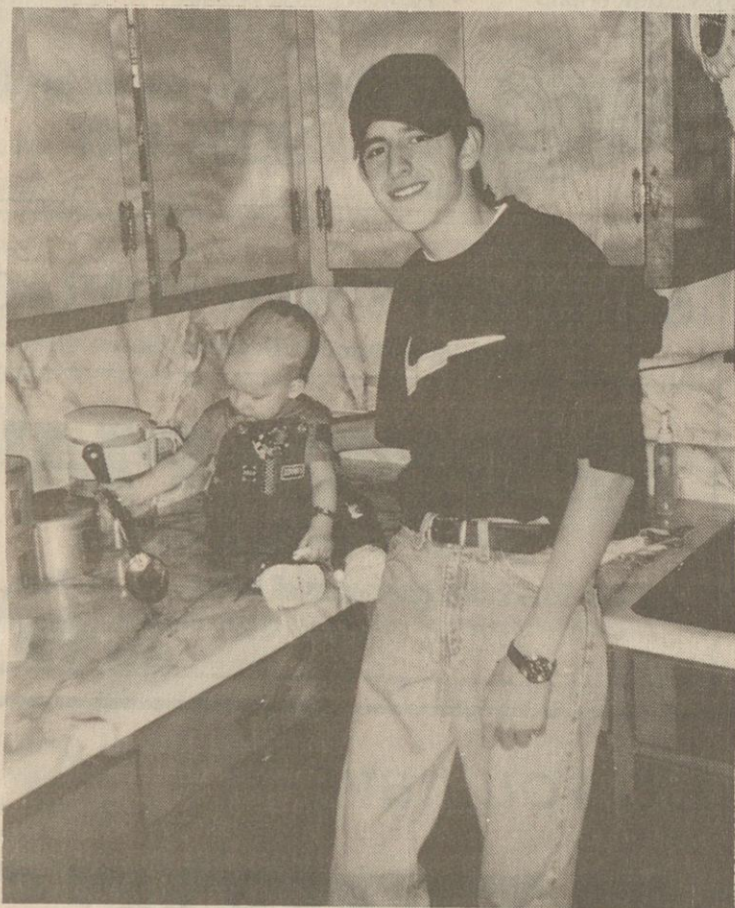
Happy Birthday Kimberly
March 23rd

Love ya,
Mom, Dad, and Derrick



Happy Birthday, John
5 Years Old - March 24th

Love,
Daddy and Mama



Happy Birthday "Lil" Tommy

We love you,
Grandma & Pa, Reneta, Adam, Brit,
Adam T and Lisa



Happy Birthday
Dennis, Timmy, & Tammie

3-5 3-8 3-27

Love,
Mom, Dad, Aunt Mildred



Five Generations

Mrs. Bea Stephens recently enjoyed having members of her family with her. Mrs. Stephens, standing, is the great-great-grandmother of month old Lyndsay Notgrass. From left to right is, Cherri Polk Notgrass with Lyndsay, and Sissie Parrish.

Gospel Music At Holcut Museum

A gospel music at the Old Holcut Museum will be Saturday, March 25, 2000 at 6:00 p.m.

Hamburgers & Hotdogs will be served.

Featured group will be Eddie Shook and Spiritual Hearts.

For more information call M.B. Phifer....423-6179.

Revival At Wheeler Grove

Wheeler Grove Baptist Church will have revival on April 2-5, 2000.

Bro. Danny Lanier, co-pastor of Northcrest Baptist Church of Meridian, MS will be the guest speaker.

Services will begin at 6:30 Sunday night at 7:00 p.m. Monday thru Wednesday. Everyone is invited.

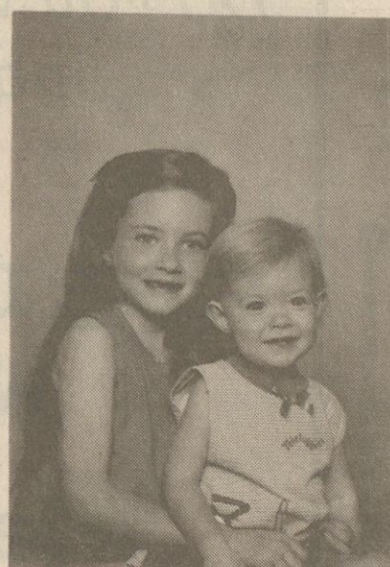
Bro. Kara Blackard, pastor of Corinth, MS invites everyone.



"Spring has Sprung"
Happy Birthday
"Kimbo"

March 23rd, 1971

Love,
Mom and Dad



Happy Birthday
Ashley

Feb. 1st - 7 years old

Shannon

March 27th - 2 years old

Love,
Paw, Nanny, Mommy,
Daddy, Uncle JJ,
Aunt Kristy and Papa

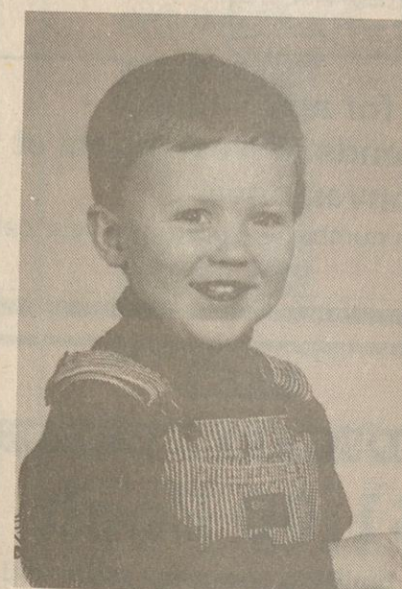


Happy 5th Birthday
March 29th

Matthew Wilson

To a little boy who loves
to fish, ride bikes, and
watch Scooby-Doo.

We love you,
Mommy and Daddy
Samantha, J. W.
Mama and Papa



Happy 3rd
Birthday

March 27th

Nicholas (Nickey)

Monaghan

We love you,

Parents Tammy and Tommy

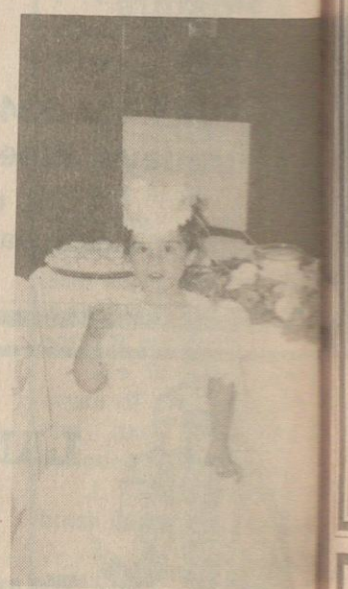
Monaghan

Grandparents Charles and

Cudell Bray and

Rodney and Debbie Monaghan

Little Sister Keely



Happy 5th
Birthday

to our granddaughter

Victoria A. Gilchrist

March 17th, 2000

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Burnsville Happenings

By: Donna Burns

Hope everyone had a great spring break. I know I did I took naturalist training at Crow's Neck. I love to teach so I teach at Crow's Neck with some other great naturalist, they are a great group and very smart. If you haven't been to the environmental center you need to visit. They have some really cool ways to learn about things. So besides being a Librarian I do other things. I love nature and working there let's me be close to it.

Happy birthday to Harold Burns, Brook Newcomb, William

Barnett, and my late brother.

National Library Week is April 9-15 so look for some great programs at your local libraries.

We are so sorry at the passing of Brian Lambert; we loved this young man very much and will deeply miss him. Our prayers are with his family.

May each and every one of you have a great weekend and remember to tell some special person that you care, life is too short to not let the people you know you care.

New Lebanon Cemetery Notice

It is mowing time again. All flowers need to be removed from graves (not markers) by March 30, 2000. We appreciate your help in the past.

Cemetery Committee

Gospel Singing At Palestine

There will be a Gospel singing at Palestine Church on Saturday night, March 25. Beginning at 7 o'clock.

Featured singers will be "The Mink Family".

Everyone is welcome

Local Received Bachelor Degree

Jonathan E. Frey received a bachelor of business administration degree in accounting from The University of Memphis during December 18 commencement ceremonies, graduating cum laude.

While at the U of M, Frey was a member of Gamma Beta Phi.

He is the son of Harold and Jane Frey of Memphis.

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By: Willard Strickland

Mr. Joe Nunley was rushed to the hospital last week. We hope things get better his way.

Chester and Ruth Dawson is both home from the hospital. Hope they both continue to do well.

Archie Berryman and Sue were in Memphis last Friday for Archie to get test run. Hope they get good reports.

Jennifer and Paprick Foret's grandbaby will be undergoing surgery on Wednesday. Pray for them that all goes well for the baby.

The Tishomingo American Legion and Aux. met on Thursday night at the Dennis Restaurant for a monthly meeting with 14 pre-

sent. Visiting here last week were Leslie Borden and niece from Louisiana, Sue Berryman, Willa Dean Cox, Christie Robertson, Magaline Lindsey.

Sorry to here that Jessie Pruitt has been on the sick list again. Hope he can be better soon.

Glad to know that Mr. George Crow is improving slowly.

Elder and Mrs. Francis Kennedy attended church on Sunday in Savannah at the Freewill Baptist Church where he filled his regular appointment.

Mr. James Kennedy, Warren and Francis, of Golden visited with them on Sunday afternoon.

Tishomingo Homemaker Volunteers Club

March Meeting

"Everywhere is walking distance if you have the time." This was the thought of the month read by Ms. Eva Mae Strickland, president of the Tishomingo Homemaker Volunteers Club, when the club met at her home on Thursday night, March 9. As the club did not have a February meeting due to deaths in the club member's families and sickness of the club members, she also read the thought of the month for February: "It cost about \$125 a mile to push a grocery cart through a store."

Mrs. Sabrina Welch gave a good devotion on "Love", using for her scripture I Corinthians 13:4-9, and Mrs. Sue Berryman led in prayer.

Ms Michelle Strickland led the group in the pledge to the flag.

The secretary, Ms. Shirley Thorne, read the minutes of the January meeting and did the roll call, and the treasurer, Mrs. Willard Strickland, gave the financial report.

Valentine cards were sent to all the nursing home residents at the Tishomingo Living Center and the Tishomingo Manor Nursing Home and also all the students at the Tishomingo Industries during the month of February.

Congratulations to Chad Strickland for winning the Valentine basket the club sold chances on!

Club members were encouraged to participate in the Quilt Fair on March 24 and the Fashion Show on April 6 at the Midway Community Center.

Plans were made for the club to serve refreshments at the Tishomingo Library on Wednesday afternoon, April 12, during National Library Week.

Plans were also made for the club to have a bake sale on April 15 at the Tishomingo Bank Annex with the proceeds going to the club.

Mrs. Jeannette Thorne gave an informative report on "The Dangers of Talcum Powder". Using powder in underwear is the second leading cause of cervical cancer among women. Using powder on a baby can cause respiratory problems. It is best to use corn starch.

Eva Mae gave an informative report on "Safety in the Home". Using light bulbs that are not the right size or type may cause over-

heating and lead to fire, as well as running electric cords under carpet. Attaching cords to walls and baseboards can damage cords and lead to fire and shock hazards. Outlets or switches that are unusually warm or hot to the touch may indicate an unsafe wiring condition. Using circuit fuses that are not the right size can overload the wiring and start a fire.

Shirley gave an interesting program on "Heart and Brain Attacks". The basic cause of heart disease is atherosclerosis or hardening of the arteries. Some risk factors cannot be changed such as age or sex and a family history of heart attacks. You are at risk if your cholesterol is over 240 or your BP is greater than 140/90. You should avoid smoking and excessive alcohol use. Don't have an inactive lifestyle. Have regular medical checkups by your doctor. A brain attack or stroke is the third leading cause of death and the leading cause of long-term disability. Someone has a stroke every minute, and someone dies from a stroke every 3 1/2 minutes. If you have sudden weakness or numbness on one side of the body, sud-

den difficulty speaking, sudden blurred vision, sudden severe or unusual headache, or sudden unsteady gait, seek help immediately.

The meeting was adjourned with Michelle reading the creed, and everyone enjoyed a potluck meal.

The door prize was won by Shirley.

Also present, not already mentioned, were Ms. Louise Puckett and Mrs. Kathy Byram. We were glad to have Ms. Katie Strickland and Mrs. Opaline Crouse visiting with us, as well as Chad Strickland and Jeffery Welch.

Anyone is welcome to come meet with us at our next meeting on Thursday night, April 13, at the Tishomingo City Hall at 6:30 p.m. We hope to see you there!

Census Questionnaire Assistance Center Set Up At Tish. City Hall

A Census Questionnaire Assistance Center has been set up at Tishomingo City Hall. A representative will be here Monday and Thursday 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. to help with any questions you might have about filling out your Census Questionnaire. This is the only help center in Tishomingo County.

In Service

Navy Chief Petty Officer Stephen K. Hubbard, son of Annie R. and Stanley W. Hubbard of Route 4, Iuka, MS, recently was promoted to his current rank while serving with Commander, Submarine Group Nine, Naval Submarine Base, Silverdale, Wash.

Hubbard was promoted based on sustained superior job performance and proficiency in his designated specialty.

Hubbard, a 1978 graduate of Burnsville High School, Burnsville, joined the Navy in October 1984.

The Wizard Of Oz

The Act I Drama Club sponsored by the 4-H drama Program would like to thank you so very much for your donation. Without your help this play would not have been possible. We strive to keep our youth in our area given the opportunities to show off their talents. This gives them a chance to learn more about the arts. We plan for a spring production and hope you will attend. Once again your donation is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,
The 4-H Drama Club
Barbara Hudson Director

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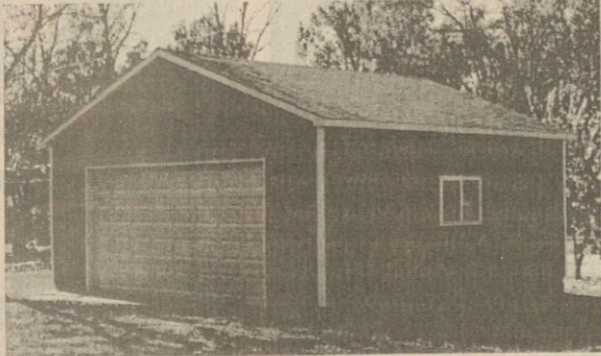
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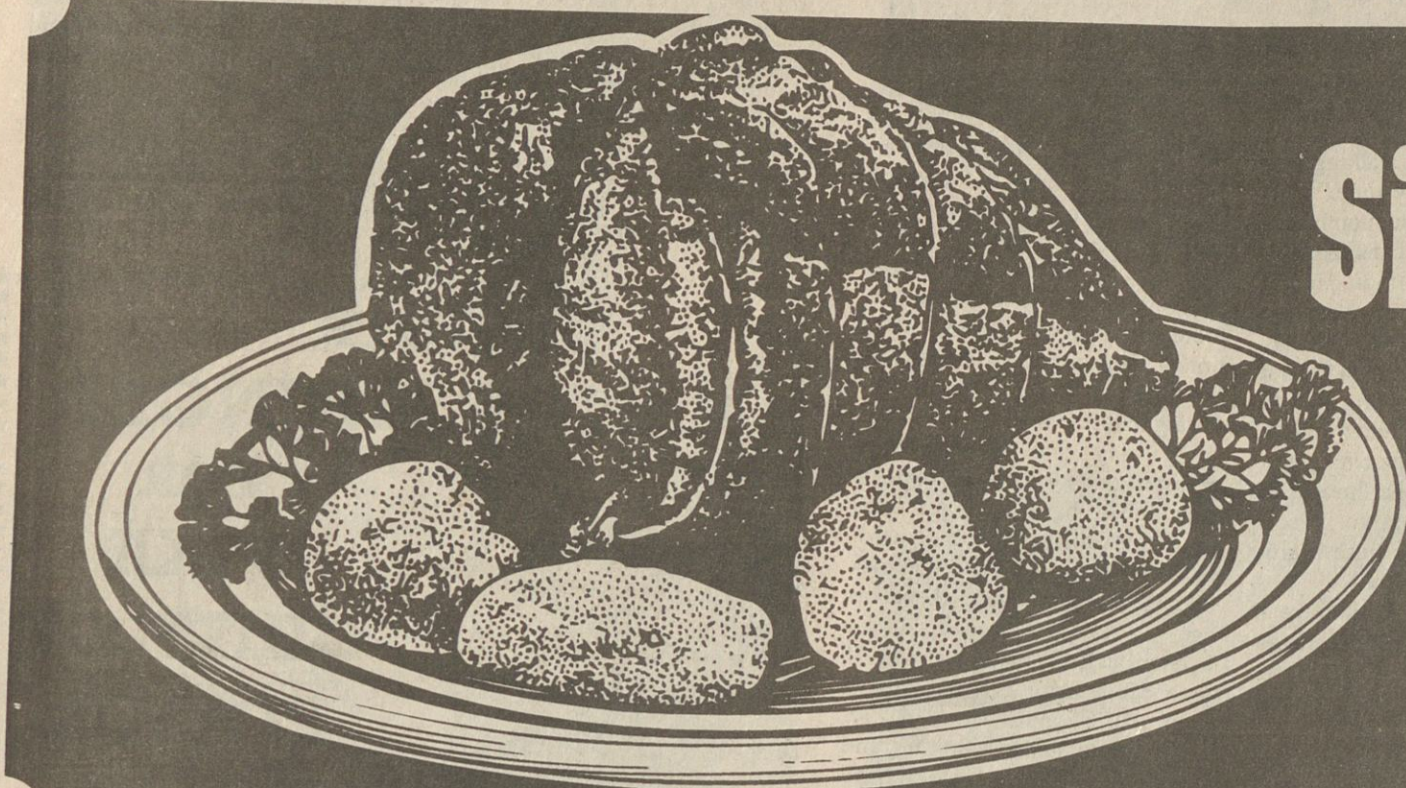
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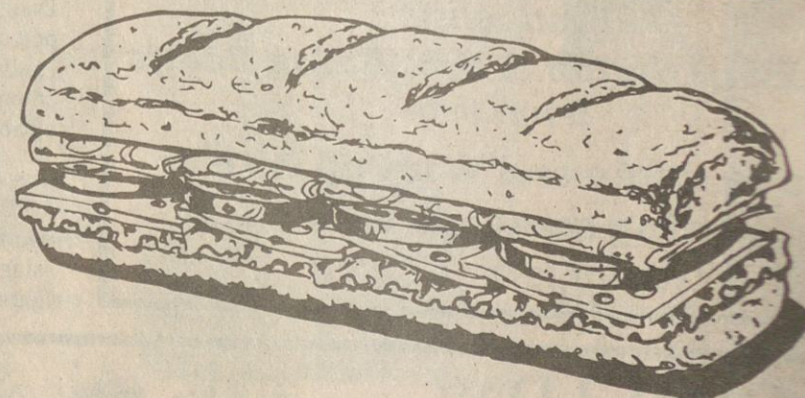
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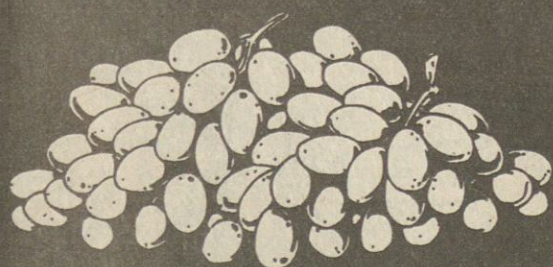


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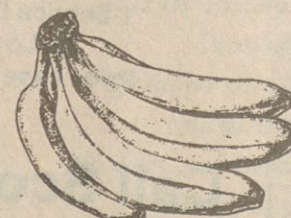
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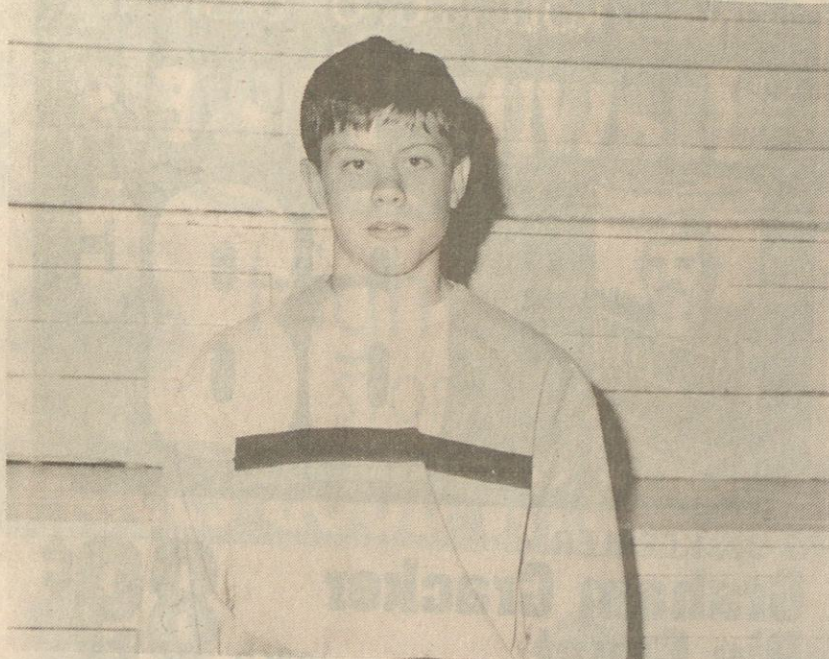
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Billy Tucker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Tucker, will represent Burnsville Junior High School in the Mississippi 2000 Geography Bee in Jackson on April 6-7.

LIFE Organization Available To Assist Tish. Co. Residents With Disabilities

by Angela Lambert

Helping people throughout the state, including those in Tishomingo County, who have significant disabilities to live as independently and as fully involved in their communities as they can and want to be is the purpose for the organization Living Independence For Everyone (LIFE).

And who would understand the problems and hurdles the disabled face more than a person who has a disability? LIFE Tupelo Satellite Office Director Michael Sullivan, who is blind, said that this is why his staff is made up of those with disabilities.

LIFE, according to Sullivan, is an advocacy organization for persons with all kinds of disabilities and is interested in helping those in Tishomingo County with disabilities.

"We have not had many referrals from Tishomingo County," Sullivan stated. "We hope to let the people in your county know about us so they can contact us if they need assistance."

Sullivan explained that one thing LIFE does is to help the disabled find used equipment. Also they help provide or help coordinate the provision of

devices, aids, modifications or other services or forms of support that will help the disabled live more independently. They also provide peer counseling and guidance designed to foster independent living attitudes among the disabled, according to Sullivan.

The LIFE organization has three central offices—LIFE of North Mississippi in Oxford, LIFE of Central Mississippi in Hattiesburg. Additionally, there are satellite offices in Biloxi, Greenville, McComb, Meridian and Tupelo.

Sullivan stated that LIFE is a private non-profit organization, partially funded by a grant from the U.S. Department of Education, Rehabilitation Services Administration, through proceeds from Mississippi Charitable Bingo, and through additional fund raisers.

Anyone in Tishomingo County who would like to find out if LIFE can be of assistance to them or if you know of someone who might benefit from the services of this organization, please contact them at the Oxford office at 1-800-748-9398. You may contact Michael Sullivan at the Tupelo Satellite Office by calling (662) 844-6633.

Update Of The Forthcoming Book

Tishomingo County, Mississippi
A Pictorial History

The book is in the final layout and design stage and will be going to press soon. We expect the book will be ready for distribution in June.

The large 8 1/2 x 11 inch hardbound book will contain over 1,000 historic photos within its 200 plus pages and feature categories such as Historic Homes, Landmarks, Schools, Veterans, Children Long Ago, Rural Life, Early Transportation, People and Families, Street Scenes, Houses of Worship and much more.

Before the books are shipped, you will receive a notification card from us stating when the books can be picked up (if you requested) and when they will be shipped to you (if you paid to have your books shipped). If you would like to order additional copies, we urge you to pre-order your books now since a limited number are being printed. Don't miss out on getting additional copies because they are guaranteed to sell out fast as many of our other books have recently.

The books are \$50.00 each (price includes shipping) and all checks or money orders should be mailed to: Tishomingo Pictorial History Book, 204 North Main Street, Iuka, Mississippi 38852.

Circuit Clerk's Office To Be Open For Absentee Voting

The Tishomingo County Circuit Clerk's Office will be open Saturday, March 25, and Saturday, April 1, 8 a.m. until noon, for absentee voting in the Democratic 2nd Primary Election. There is a run-off in the U.S. Senate race between Troy D. Brown, Sr., and Rickey L. Cole. Election day is Tuesday, April 4, 2000. In this run-off election, if you voted in the Republican Primary on March 14, you will not be eligible to vote in this Democratic party run-off election.

If you are unable to go to the polls or if you will be out of the county on April 4, you may vote an absentee ballot in the circuit clerk's office until Saturday, April 1, at 12 noon. You may also vote during the week 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Should you need an absentee ballot mailed to you, call 423-7026 for an application.

If you have questions regarding the election, call Donna Dill, Circuit Clerk, at 423-7026. M-23-30



Tri-State Law Enforcement Meeting—Members of law enforcement agencies throughout the tri-state area met Tuesday, March 14, at Tishomingo County High School for the monthly meeting of Tri-State Law Enforcement. During the meeting, the officers shared information on crimes committed in their jurisdictions which might have similarities and common suspects. This particular meeting proved to be productive in coordinating information on break-ins in the tri-state area which led to arrests and the return of several items.

Thank You For Your Participation

The try-outs for our production of "The Wizard of Oz" were very successful thanks to the support and contributions of many.

A special thanks to the Tishomingo County News—Vidette for running the announcements of our try-outs and also to all the area businesses which have supported us.

We had over 100 children try out for parts in the production. Thanks to all who participated.

The play date will be sometime in April. We are planning a Friday show and a Saturday matinee.

Some of the characters and those chosen to fill the parts are as follows:

Dorothy—Faith Moore, understudy—Amie Kirk, Tin Man—Mathew Willes, Scarecrow—Mary Aday, Lion—Casey Phillips, Oz—Beau Nichols, Witch of the West—Tina Parker and Kaleigh King, Glenda the Good Witch—Sara Hudson, understudy—Allie McCabe, Little Glendas—Sarah Catherine Haines, Ashton Puckett, Amanda Mullins, Toto—Braxton Phelps.

A special thanks to Angie Lambert, Charlotte McVay, Dee Dee Haines, Mariann Beals, Christy Phelps, Melissa Powers, Becky Nichols and to the huge cast of characters (over 100!).

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The sale will be held at the east front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse to satisfy that certain Deed of Trust recorded in the Tishomingo County Courthouse in Book 95 at page 741. For complete legal description and details of the sale please refer to the Substitute Trustee's "notice of Sale" legal section of this newspaper.

For more information, please contact the Community Development Manager at (601) 287-7223 extension 4 or 3101 Mullins Drive, Corinth, MS M-23-30-A-6-13-chg

Miss Norris Named State's Presidential Scholar

Megan Norris of Jackson was selected by the White House Commission on Presidential Scholars to be Mississippi's female scholar. Each year a male and female student is selected from each state and these students are honored at a week-long recognition program in Washington, D.C. The selection is based on academics, leadership, and contributions to school and community, and eight essays. Megan is the daughter of John and Mitzi Norris, formerly of Iuka.



Megan Norris receives the Presidential Scholar medal from President Bill Clinton

attended discussions at Ford's Theater and other sites. Miss Norris participated in a symposium with George Lucas, creator of Star Wars and Indiana Jones.

Megan has been recognized for her community service. She was the recipient of the National Service Scholarship from the White House and was a Jefferson Award nominee from WLBT television station. She was featured in an article in the Clarion Ledger about using sign language to "sign" songs at the VA Medical Center where she volunteered for four summers.

Miss Norris is a Pichitino, Frederick A.P. Barnard, and National Merit Scholar at the University of Mississippi where she is a freshman majoring in English and International Studies. She is in the McDonnell-Barksdale Honors College. She was elected to the Honors Senate where she serves as secretary.

Megan is also a Robert C. Byrd, Mississippi Eminent Scholar, Mississippi Private School Education Association ACT Distinguished Scholar and an Advanced Placement Scholar with Distinction. She also received the Horatio Alger-LouisFeinstein Enriching America Award Scholarship and Target All Around Scholarship.

Attention: Bass Fishermen

The First Tri-Lakes Bass Masters Club will meet tonight, Thursday, March 23rd at 7:00 p.m. at the Tishomingo County Electric Power Association.

The first club tournament will be Saturday, March 25th on Pickwick Lake. Pick your partner club.

Anyone interested can contact, Jim Thornton at 423-3675 or Bobby Lowery at 423-3504 or Jerry White at 423-3664.

New members welcomed.

In Service

Army Pvt. Samuel C. Loague has arrived at Fort Benning, Columbus, Ga., to complete basic military training.

During the training, the soldier will receive instruction in drill and ceremonies, map reading, tactics, military customs and courtesies, physical fitness, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Loague is the son of Sue and Jerrel Gillentine of 705 Floyd Collum Road, Golden, MS.

His wife, Heather, is the daughter of Loyd Ozbirn of 705 Old Vinard, Red Bay, Ala.

He is a 1994 graduate of Red Bay High School.

TCHS Diamond Braves Update

The 2000 season for the Diamond Braves has been one of up and downs. On any given day the Braves can beat anybody.

Saltillo rolled over the Braves in the opener. The young Braves have learned from this defeat. Jarrad Robinson had 2 HR's in this game for the Braves. Saltillo won 12-2.

Tishomingo County in their next game beat Alcorn Central 12-10. Jordan Vaughn led the Braves to their first win as he hit a Grand Slam and was the winning pitcher. Jarrad Robinson and Jason Crum also added HR's. Jacob Dawson had 2 hits.

In the next game South Pontotoc handed the Braves a 10-0 slashing. The Braves were held to only one hit in this loss to the Cougars.

In their very next game the Braves redeemed themselves with a 12-0 win over Corinth.

Jarrad had a NO-HITTER in the win. Several Braves also added to the fireworks. Nick Dawson had 3 hits, and Blake Lomenick and Ryan Barnett had 2 hits each. Chris Faires had 3 hits including a HR. Robinson struck out 13. This was Coach Jerry Long's 400th career win.

Continuing on a winning note, the Braves beat New Albany 4-0. Jason Crum pitched a good game in this win. The Braves' defense shined with a player thrown out at third and another one thrown out at home. Blake Lomenick, Seth Howie, Jarrad Robinson, and Damon Dial all had doubles.

In their next game, the Braves let down and were defeated 12-1 by Kossuth. The only highlights were Jacob Dawson's 3 hits and a Jarrad Robinson HR.

Tishomingo County then played Booneville, last year's 2A state defending champs, 2-1 in a good game. Jarred Robinson pitched a 1 hitter while striking out 14. Robinson and Damon Dial had doubles for the Braves. This big win for the Braves was Coach Long's 200th win at TCHS.

The next game saw the Braves fall 5-3 to Baldwin. Freshman Chase House started in his first high school game, and he pitched well in the loss. Braves had several opportunities, to win but couldn't get that Big hit. Jarrad Robinson hit HR #5.

Spring Holidays saw the Braves at the Daily Corinthian Diamond Classic. The Braves came in third in this tournament after a week of play. In the first

game TC beat Biggersville 9-2. The Braves broke open the game in the first inning of play for the win. Jason Crum threw a good game for the Braves. Nick Dawson, Jarrad Robinson, Jason Crum and Brandon Gray all had 2 hits each.

The next game was a squeaker with TC winning 8-7. The Braves won in extra innings. Seth Howie threw a good game. Jarrad Robinson came into the game to pick up the win in relief. Damon Dial and Jacob Dawson hit HR's, Robinson, Dial, and Jason Crum all had 2 hits each.

The Braves next took on Olive Branch, and they were defeated 23-10. The Braves played well in their loss. Olive Branch just outthit the Braves to win. Jarrad Robinson hit HR #6. Robinson and Brandon Gray each had 3 hits. Blake Lomenick and Damon Dial both had 2 hits apiece.

TC next played the Wheeler Eagles. Jarrad Robinson hit 2 more HR's and picked up his 4th win. He had 3 hits. Nick Dawson, Blake Lomenick, and Seth Howie had 2 hits each. Jacob Dawson hit a HR.

Come out and support the Braves.

Be Brave! Challenge A Tennis Brave!

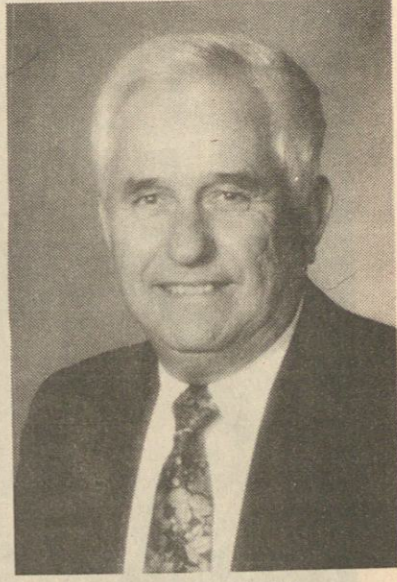
The TCHS Tennis Team will sponsor its annual Pay to Play on Saturday, March 26, beginning at 10:00 a.m. on the school's courts. Local citizens are invited to pay \$10.00 and play a team member. For more information, contact Coach Gary Beals at 427-9534 or any team member.

Spring Portraits Scheduled

Spring Portraits have been scheduled for the following dates: Tishomingo Elementary & Middle School - Wednesday, March 29th; Burnsville Elementary & Middle School - Tuesday, April 4th; Tishomingo County High School - Wednesday, April 5th; Iuka Elementary School - Tuesday, April 11th; Iuka Middle School - Wednesday, April 12th.



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CPR Class To Be Held At Midway VFD

The regular monthly meeting of the Midway Volunteer Fire Department will be held April 6, 7 p.m. at the fire department building. A CPR class will be held in conjunction with this meeting. Please call Harry Bowman at 423-3457 or Debbie Trussell at 423-3916 in order to register.

There is no charge for this class and is open to all members of the Midway fire district.

Iuka Dixie Youth Baseball 2000

All boys ages 4-12 years will have their last change to register on March 23rd at the Tishomingo County Electric Power Office from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Tryouts will be March 25th at the Iuka Dixie Youth Baseball Park. Time: 10:00 AM ages 11-12 Field #1; Time: 10:00 AM ages 9-10 Field #2; 12:00 AM ages 7-8 Field #1; and 12:00 AM ages 4-6 Field #2.

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Early Birthday Celebration - Jimmy Jackson (center) of Texas, a native of Iuka, was honored last week at the 9:30 Coffee Club at Cozy Corner Gift Shoppe with an early birthday celebration. Mr. Jackson was in Iuka on business, and his old friends decided to throw him a party in honor of his birthday in August. L. O. Bishop brought his delicious bar-b-q with all the trimmings and the group enjoyed the meal and reminiscing about old times. Some of those present were, from left: O. C. Nelson, Ed Neelly, Bill Murtagh, L. O. Bishop, Mike Webb, and Bob Brown.

Old Tishomingo Traces

By: June Bullard

The Vidette, Feb. 1, 1923:

Mr. J.H. Scruggs has recently moved here from Vicksburg, and has gone into business in the Massey block. Mr. Scruggs is a Tishomingo County boy and his friends will be glad to know that he has returned to his old home.

Mrs. Elmira TROUTMAN, who moved from Michigan to Iuka about 40 years ago and made her home here for many years, died in Sheffield, Ala., Monday morning at one o'clock. The remains were brought here by her son-in-law, Mr. W.R. Gay, of Town Creek, Ala. and laid to rest in Oak Grove Cemetery Tuesday morning.

Ann Briggs, (c) familiarly known as "Aunt Cook," one of the oldest members of her race, died at the home of her daughter, Harriet Crenshaw in Iuka last Saturday and was buried in the colored cemetery here. Said to be about 96 years of age.

Mr. Charles Statham has closed out his Variety Store here and he and Mrs. Statham left Friday for Memphis where he will embark in a similar business.

Mr. J.B. Barnes died at his home in this county, as a result of a stroke of paralysis, Tuesday, Feb. 1. The interment was at Harmony Cemetery, services being conducted by Rev. Ray.

Mr. Charles Harris noted traveler and inventor, stopped off in Iuka Tuesday to see his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Bonds. Mr. Harris has toured the entire globe three times and has just returned from a trip to South America. He is on his way to South Carolina where he has business interests. This is a first trip to see his relatives in 34 years. Mr. Harris speaks seven languages fluently, and is quite an interesting story teller.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. Jourdan Kirby, Jan. 24th, 1923, and claimed his loving wife, Ella, aged 21 years. The funeral service was conducted by Bro. Ray and her body laid to rest in Toe Nail Cemetery to await the resurrection morning.

J.W. Scott of the Second District is a candidate for Tax Assessor. Mr. Scott is at present principal of Hubbard Salem School. He is an educator of ability, a splendid citizen, a thorough gentleman and in every way qualified to fill the position that he seeks at the hands of the voters. Having made the race for Tax Assessor four years ago, he is well known to the people of the county and we feel needs no recommendation from us. Remember his candidacy on Election Day.

Mr. D.L. Anderson again wishes to announce to the voters of the First District that he is a candidate for Supervisor. Mr. Anderson has held this office two terms and knows every detail of the business. He has been a resident of the county for the past fifty years and his previous experiences in this office fit him for the place because he know the county's needs and also knows the conditions of the

people who have to supply these wants. His numerous friends will be glad of an opportunity to cast their votes for him.

The Vidette, Apr. 22, 1909:

Mr. L.D. Massey a prominent farmer on the Tennessee river front, near Eastport was in town Saturday. He says more work of improvement on the river farms has been done this season than for many previous years, on his own, T.A. Long's, C.C. Hester's and J.H. Walker's and others. Everybody seems imbued with a spirit to better his condition by improving his farm and increasing his crop.

Our friend J.T. Whitfield, of Route 2, Burnsville, was in to see us

last week. Jim's health is not robust like it used to be when he was the champion fox hunter, but he is still lively and can talk entertainingly with his friends.

Rev. G.W. Gardner, of Elm, Miss. was in town Monday and stated that last Sunday he organized a Sunday School at Barnes Chapel with 14 students, and the following officers elected: Charles Wood, superintendent; D.L. Wood, secretary and Ed Hicks, teacher.

The Tishomingo County Pantograph, March 24, 1910:

Mrs. Lucinda B. Luker was born in Wake County, N.C., Apr. 7, 1838. She lived in Iuka a few years, some 18 years ago. Mrs. Luker was first married to a Mr. Thompson, having one child as a result of this union, Mrs. H.R. Clinkscales of Goldenrod, Texas. Her second husband was Mr. A.H. Luker. They had two children, Archer and Clara who married J.T. Cain, Jr. She was stricken by paralysis resulting in death Mar. 20, 1910. Her body was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Cain, Jr., Dean Cain and Mr. Overton of Bradford, Tenn. She was buried at the Iuka Cemetery, Mar. 21, Rev. J.B. Randolph holding services.

LIBERTY PUBLIC SCHOOL
The writer has recently finished his second term as principal of Liberty Public School in Tishomingo County. While meditating over my two years work at that place, I feel that I must write a few words in regard to the school interest that has been created in that community. I have never seen a set of more enthusiastic patrons than we have at Liberty, and a nobler set of boys and girls has never graced the benches of a schoolroom in Mississippi. I feel that I have had the co-operation and support of every patron and pupil in the district, and to this I owe my success as teacher of the school.

When I began teaching there two years ago, there was one room twenty by thirty feet supplied with long benches, a stove, a \$5.00 Rand-McNally wall map and about thirty square feet of blackboard. At that time, there were about ninety educable children in the district, and the general average for the whole term, I think, had never exceeded forty - anything they had never kept an assistant a full

term. During the first winter I taught there, the patrons of the school supplied the room with homemade double seats and desks, which made study so much more comfortable to the boys and girls. We then enlarged the area of our black board to about seventy square feet. The average also increased until we were able to keep an assistant the full term, our term average being about forty five. Last winter our school was considerably better than it was the preceding winter. The number of educable children in the district was only eighty, but we made a general term average of fifty three. We improved our school house and surrounding last winter. We decorated the walls of the room with beautiful and appropriate pictures, which were brought by the boys and girls. We also enlarged the play ground.

For the purpose of establishing a school library we had a box supper the proceeds of which amounted to \$14.32. Supt. Carmack has promised \$10 to be given by the state for the same purpose and in a few days, I am going to make an order for about \$25 worth of books.

This summer we are going to build another room twenty by thirty to our school building. This will give room enough to seat comfortably, all the pupils in the district.

I wish to thank the patrons for

their co-operation, the pupils for their obedience and the interest they have shown and the members of Cross Roads Church (South) for their kindness in letting us use the church house last winter for our primary grades.

With best wishes to all, I am, yours truly, O.W. Hughes.

Natchez Powwow 2000 To Be March 25-26

The Natchez Powwow 2000 will be held Saturday, March 25, and Sunday, March 26, at the Grant Village of the Natchez Indians, with crafts and food booths open Saturday, 10-8, and Sunday, 11-4. Admission will be \$1 per person.

Gourd dancing and intertribal dancing will be held Saturday at 1 and 7 p.m. and Sunday at 1. First prize in a Special Men's Fancy Dance Contest is \$1,000 and second to sixth place winners will receive \$100 each. Bring lawn chairs and blankets.

For more information, contact Powwow 2000 chairman Dr. Chuck Borum, 151 Jefferson Davis Boulevard, Natchez, MS 39120, tel. (601)442-0200 or (601)446-5117; or Grand Village at (601)446-6502.

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Cortney's Community Chat

By Cortney Compton

Good people are good because they've come to wisdom through failure. We will all fail at something in our life. Failure teaches us how to better ourselves. If we learn from our mistakes. We will not make the same mistake twice. Yes, we all want to succeed at everything in life, but success can be found even in failure.

My failures have always encouraged me to work harder only to try again. Sometimes I succeed. Sometimes I fail again! I've learned what works best for

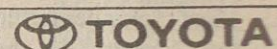
me. I'm not very athletic at all. I'm great at expressing personality through words. I like to take pictures and see my smile. It takes talent to play a game. I'm just not blessed with talent!

We all have wonderful talents. We just have to find what we're good at, and stick to it. Failure may make us grow along life's way. Just don't give up on what makes you the best. Remember, failure offers us wisdom that we all can learn from.



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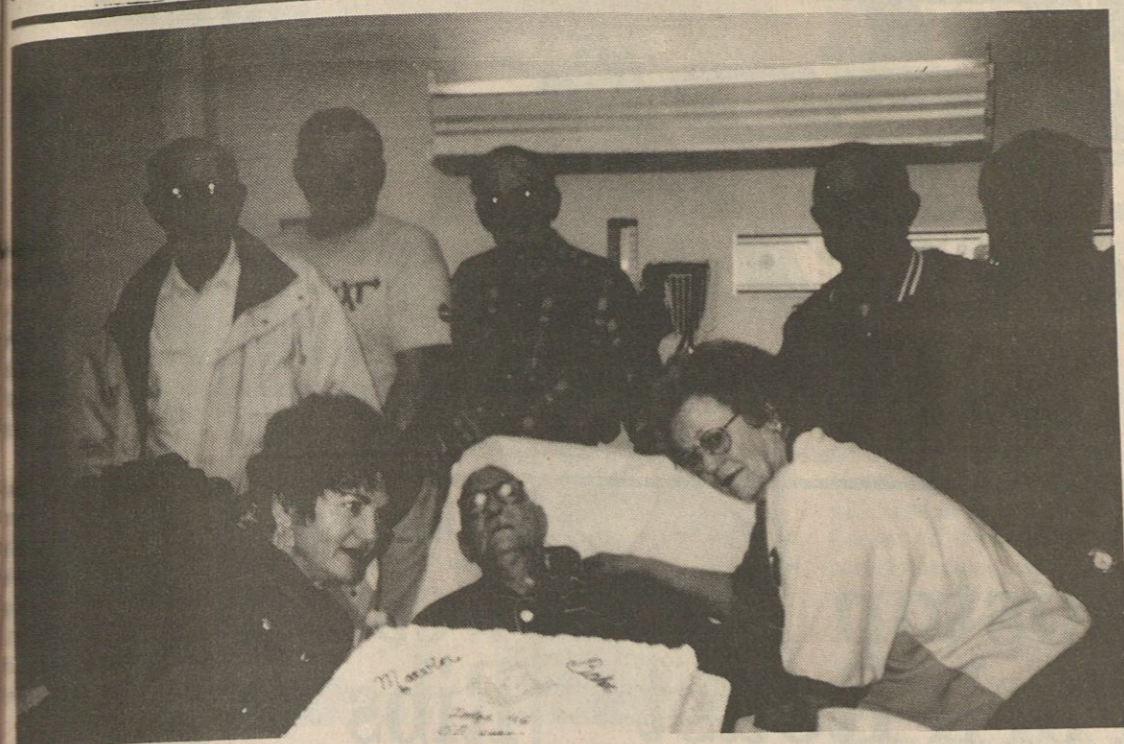
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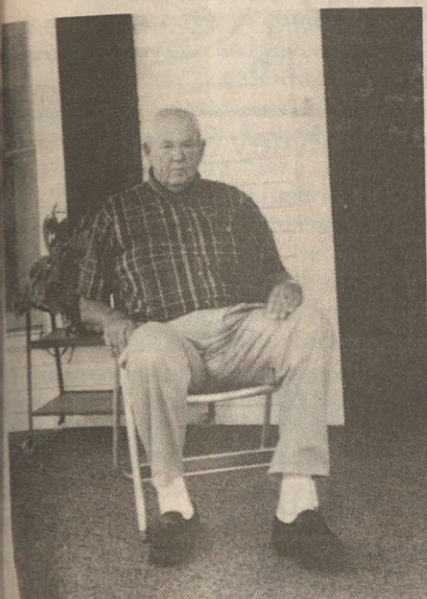
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Marvin Baker Honored As Master Mason - Marvin Lester Baker of Iuka was recently honored as being a Master mason for more than 50 years. The Masons of Georgia, represented through the Grand Masonic Bodies of Mississippi, presented Mr. Baker with a 50-year certificate, pin, and a Masonic apron. He first began as a Mason in 1947 in Savannah, Georgia, Lodge #46. Conducting the ceremony at Iuka Hospital where Mr. Baker is a patient, were friends of the recipient and Masons of Iuka Lodge #94.

Shown above, standing L to R are Harold Gist, Bobby Howell, Tome Minga, Sr., J.E. Hudson, and Lodge Secretary Carl E. Booker. Flanking Mr. Baker's bed are on Left his daughter Gwen Dowland of Gallatin, Tennessee, and on Right his wife Elizabeth Baker.

In Memory of Roy Daniel My Grandfather



My Pa-Paw Roy
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have anything to gain.

I miss my Papaw
so very much.

I know he is in heaven above.
I can still remember
all of his love.

I wrote this poem so he can see,
Just how much his love meant to me.

Breah Stanfield
February 27, 2000

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We would like to thank our friends and family for helping us celebrate our 50th anniversary. We can't put in words what it meant to us. All we can say is God really blessed us with both.

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Annual Easter Egg Hunt At Tishomingo State Park

Tishomingo State Park will host its annual Easter Egg Hunt on Easter Sunday, April 23, 2000 at the playing field, across from the swimming pool. Registration will begin at 1:30 p.m. with the hunts to follow at 2:00 p.m. Children from zero to twelve years of age can participate in this event. There will be four different age groups. Prizes will be awarded in each age category. Field games will be offered immediately following the hunt, weather permitting. Refreshments will be served throughout the afternoon. All eggs will be provided by the park, but children do need to bring their own baskets. Make plans now to bring the kids and enjoy a fun-filled day at the park.

Tishomingo State Park is located two miles South of Tishomingo, MS off Hwy. 25, and at mile marker 304 on the Natchez Trace Parkway. For further information please contact the park office at 662-438-6914.

Spring Dulcimer Day Tishomingo State Park

The 22nd Annual Spring Dulcimer Day will be held on Saturday, April 15, 2000, at the Loochapola Lodge. The program will begin at 11:00 a.m. and last throughout the afternoon.

The festival is co-sponsored by the Ala-Sippi Dulcimer Association and Tishomingo State Park.

This year's festival is dedicated to the memory of Mr.

Hollis Long.

Musicians and singers from the local area and several surrounding states will be performing for your enjoyment. Musicians will be available to answer questions and demonstrate the Dulcimer. Crafters will also have handmade instruments and Dulcimer Accessories for sale.

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Hamburgers and hotdogs will be for sale throughout the afternoon.

Note: If you have handcrafted items that you would like to sell, display, and/or demonstrate, please call the park office to make arrangements at (662)438-6914.

Iuka Dixie Girls Softball Registration

Registration for all area girls, ages 4-18, interested in playing t-ball or softball, will be held at the Softball Complex on the following dates: Thursday, March 16 - 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. and Saturday, March 18 - 8:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m.

Girls whose fourth birthday is on or before June 1, 2000, or whose 19th birthday is not before June 1, 2000, will be eligible to participate. Registrants should bring a copy of her birth certificate if one is not on file with the league. Fees will be \$25.00 for one child in the family, \$40.00 for two, and \$50.00 for three.

Tryouts will be Saturday, March 18, from 10:00 until 12:00. Opening day is scheduled for Saturday, April 8.

Census

Census 2000 is a nation-wide event taking place right now. Questionnaires will be distributed to anyone living in Mississippi. This is your chance to help make it a better state to live in. Census workers are in the process of locating all types of housing units throughout the state. Work is being done by census workers to get needed information distributed to every person in Mississippi, regardless of their housing situation, so that they may be accounted for. So, be a part of Census 2000 by filling out your Questionnaire, that in return will benefit the state of Mississippi.



Let's Make Music Concert This Thursday—A special choral music concert will be held this Thursday evening, March 23, in the Tishomingo County High School Auditorium at 7:00 p.m. The Tishomingo County "Let's Make Music" Concert is being presented by the music programs of Iuka Elementary School and Burnsville Elementary School. Approximately 100 students under the direction of Mrs. Jean Hathorn and Mrs. Cathy Tyson will perform a variety of music selections. This group of young musicians will be made up of the Burnsville 5th and 6th grade Honor Choirs, the Iuka Elementary 4th grade Honor Choir, and the Iuka Elementary 4th grade music classes. The public is invited to attend this concert, highlighting the music in our schools. Admission is free. Pictured is Cathy Tyson, choral music instructor at Burnsville Elementary School, as she works with Hannah Thomas and Ashlee Clark to put finishing touches on plans for the "Let's Make Music" Concert to be held at 7:00 Thursday, March 23 in the Tishomingo County High School Auditorium.

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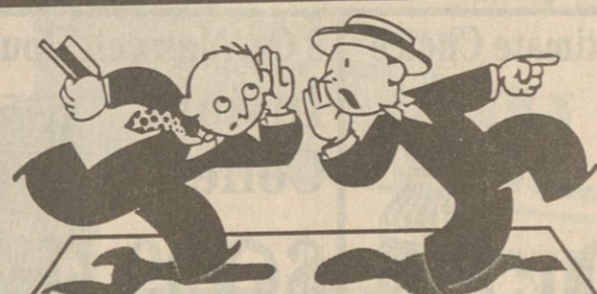
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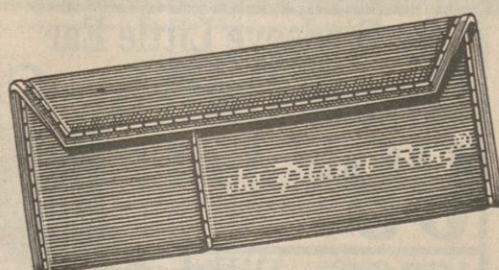
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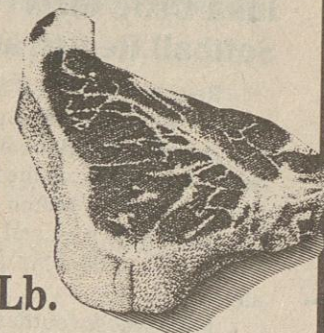
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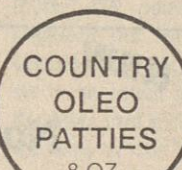
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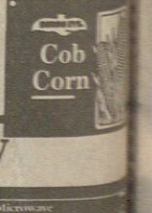
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Relay For Life—Charles McVay, project manager for the American Cancer Society, is shown with Bennie McBride and Anne Holtsford, co-chairmen for the Cancer Survivors committee. Also shown is Art Gaines, co-chairman of the Logistics committee, along with Ronnie Stricklen.

Role Of American Cancer Society Vital To Cancer Research Education & Advocacy

Almost everyone has been touched in some way by cancer.

If one has not had an immediate family member stricken by cancer, then a close friend has had the disease. The American Cancer Society serves many functions, among them funding research projects, education programs, and advocacy (lobbying). Many people want to know why the American Cancer Society doesn't pay for patient treatment and expenses. Mr. McVay stated that if the American Cancer Society paid for treatment of patients there would be no money left for research and education which benefit everyone.

"Through research, causes and treatments for cancer have been discovered," said Mr. McVay. "The American Cancer Society has also played a big role in the education of the general public about cancer and the importance of early detection and treatment," Mr. McVay continued.

Bennie McBride, co-chairman of the Cancer Survivor's committee for the Relay for Life, has a special reason for being interested in fighting cancer. She is a cancer survivor. Bennie was diagnosed with breast cancer in May, 1994. At that time, she underwent a mastectomy and was treated with chemotherapy. Bennie stated, "I know from experience how important it is for every woman to do monthly breast self-examination. That is how I detected the lump in my breast." Bennie went on to say that the educational material provided through the American Cancer Society was vital to her in knowing what to do. Fran Park is another cancer survivor. She was diagnosed with breast cancer in October, 1999. She also had a mastectomy and will soon have reconstructive surgery. Fran said, "I am thankful for research that has discovered many new drugs that treat cancer." Fran is on a

regimen of tamoxifen, a relatively new drug used to fight breast cancer. "No one in my family has ever had cancer," said Fran, "and if I had not learned how important it is to have a yearly mammogram, I would not have discovered that I had breast cancer."

Cancer survivors will be specially honored at our Relay for Life, and so we want to identify as many of you as we can. If you are a cancer survivor or know someone who is a survivor (of any type cancer, not just breast cancer as focused on for this article), please contact Bennie McBride at 423-9344 or at McBride's Garden Center, 423-5451. We want you to participate in our relay by walking the first lap, if possible.

In supporting the American Cancer Society Relay for Life, you are helping your friends and families. Please consider putting together a team for the relay or supporting the relay through your contribution to a team or paying for a luminary bag to be placed in honor or memory of a loved one. You may contact Beth Davis at 423-9543 to sign up for your team. Terry Shea in the office of John White, attorney, 123 S. Fulton St., Iuka, will accept your contribution of \$10.00 or more for a luminary bag. You may mail your check to Terry Shea, P.O. Box 557, Iuka, MS 38852. If you would like to help in any way, please call Janet Fulton at 423-5712 or call 1-800-ACS-2345. The Relay for Life will be held Friday, May 5, 2000, beginning at 6:00 p.m. in Jaybird Park.

Heaven Anthem In Concert

Heaven Anthem will be in Concert Saturday, March 25, 7:00 p.m. at Bethlehem Baptist Church located on Co. Rd. 55 Tishomingo.

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Friends of Jessie Pruitt are planning a benefit lunch and gospel singing for Sunday, April 2nd at the Iuka Youth Center. The fund raiser will be to help Jessie and his family in the financial hardships they will face in the future as he battles cancer.

A home-cooked meal of chicken and dressing and all the trimmings will be served from 12 noon until. There will be carry-outs for those on their way home from church at \$5.00 a plate.

A gospel singing will be held in the afternoon featuring Debbie Kirk and Ricky Ryan. Area groups are invited to participate in this benefit.

If you want to help in any way, call 423-9670 or 423-5097.



1986 Nissan Stanza belonging to Brian Lambert



1991 GMC Pickup Truck belonging to Kevin "TD" Whirley

Victim Undergoing Surgery Following Wreck

by Angela Lambert

A Leedy man was scheduled for major surgery Wednesday, March 22, to repair damage to his leg and hip caused by a two-vehicle accident last Wednesday, March 15, near Burnsville which left the driver of the other vehicle dead.

According to family members, Kevin "TD" Whirley, 34, was transferred to Elvis Presley Trauma Center in Memphis, Tenn. from Magnolia Hospital in Corinth following the accident.

Tishomingo County Sheriff's Department Deputy Donald Thomas, the officer who investigated the accident, said that from his investigation, it appeared that the victim who was killed in the accident, 19-year-old Brian Lambert of Burnsville, was driving his 1986 Nissan Stanza at excessive speeds on County Road 215, when he topped the hill on the wrong side of the road and collided with Whirley, who was driving a 1991 GMC pickup

truck. Lambert died at the scene, according to reports.

Brian Lambert, who died Tuesday, March 14, 2000, was survived by his mother, Donna White Lambert of Burnsville; two brothers, Casey Lambert and Jeremy Lambert, both of Burnsville; his grandmothers, Nannie Mae Lambert and Inez White, both of Burnsville. He was

preceded in death by his father, Jerry Don Lambert, and two

grandfathers, Luther Lambert and Millard White.

Services were Friday at Antioch Freewill Baptist Church with Bro. Talmadge White and

Bro. Billy Paul Feltman officiating. Burial was in Antioch Cemetery. Cutshall Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

A Very Special Thank You

On December 31, 1999, I was diagnosed with three aneurysms - one was in my aorta and one was in each leg. Since that time, my family and I have been overwhelmed by the outpouring of love and concern shown for us.

After two months of worry, eased by the encouragement of friends, on March 1, I underwent a new procedure at Ochsner Clinic in New Orleans which repaired these aneurysms without invasive surgery. This procedure gives new hope for those who do not want to undergo the extensive surgery associated with aneurysms.

I know that I was blessed to have found these aneurysms early and to have undergone this surgery with no complications.

Because of the concern of Dr. Kelly Segars, Dr. Clyde Redmond in Florence, AL and his assistant, Tara Ray, I was able to make the decision to have this surgery. I am thankful to them for their guidance and help.

I also know that I am blessed with the best friends anyone could ever have!

And to these friends, I want to say, "Thank You" for every prayer spoken on my behalf; for every card sent; for every phone call; for every visit; for the beautiful flowers and fruit baskets delivered; and for every dish of food brought to my home. I also want to thank Bro. Jimmy Curtis for his many visits and calls. Also, I'd like to thank my many friends in other congregations throughout the area for remembering me in their prayers and services.

Most of all I want to thank God for my many friends and the many blessings He has sent to me.

Johnny Biggs and Family
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We at Sardis extend a welcoming hand to all who wish to come together in the name of the Lord Jesus. We've been blessed with another week of life and the opportunity that goes with it of spreading God's Word and enjoying good fellowship with one another.

Sunday's lesson was from Proverbs chapters 6 and 10, and it was about using the ant as an example of what the believer's relationship to work should be. The ant gathers food through the summer and stores her food up from the harvest for wintertime. No one has to tell the ant when to get up and start working, or when to stop working and rest. This is different from a lazy person, who will barely work even when someone is standing over them. Unlike the ant, who will have plenty to eat come winter, this person will be begging at the doors of his neighbors. "He becometh poor that dealeth with a slack hand: but the hand of the diligent maketh rich. He that gathereth

in summer is a wise son: but he that sleepeth in harvest is a son that causeth shame." (Proverbs 10:4-5).

Some of us behave as if there will never be a change in our ability to provide for ourselves and our families. The ant has a winter where gathering food is almost impossible. For people there is the winter of age when, if we have made no preparation, it will be a long and cold one. We should learn to provide for ourselves while it is still harvest time (Proverbs 6:9-11). A negative work ethic is one where the sluggard prefers his world of idleness and would rather sleep than work. Even when he promises to do his job he deceives himself and those counting on him. Poverty comes "as an armed man." The sluggard will not be able to avoid the dismal life of poverty. A positive work ethic is to learn from the ant and work diligently and faithfully. The sluggard must learn this lesson or be stricken with poverty.

We learn from these examples to work for today because yesterday is over and tomorrow may not come. So we must do what is needed to be done today.

Verse of the week: "Even when we were with you, this we commanded you, that if any would not work, neither should he eat." (II Thessalonians 3:10).

On a personal note, my brother-in-law Rebon Wilson passed from this life on Thursday, March 16, 2000. The burial was at Mt. Gilead. He lifted us with his lively personality and warm spirit. He was well known in the Tishomingo County area and will be missed by many. The streets of Iuka will never be the same. Help us pray that God will ease some of the pain for his children Jeanette and Vernell and all of our family.

In church Sunday, Brother and Sister Stockton's daughter Lora sang a special called "Love Grew Where the Blood Fell".

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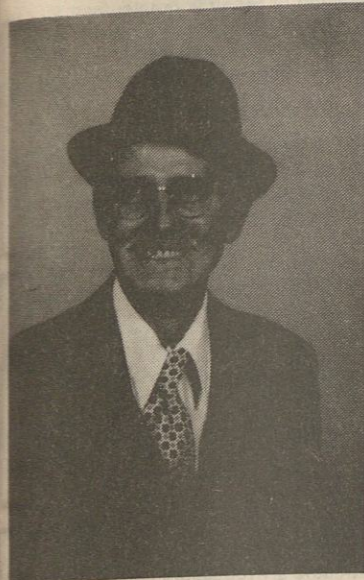
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Services Held For Joseph Triglath

Joseph Emanuel Triglath, 77, died Saturday, March 18, 2000, at his residence. He was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church in Iuka, where he served as the Sacristan. He volunteered at the Samaritan Food Pantry in Iuka. He was a U.S. Marine veteran of World War II and was an active member of the VFW.

Services were at 11 a.m. Tuesday at St. Mary Catholic Church with Father Tom Burns officiating and Sister Delores Partsch assisting. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery. Cutshall Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his wife, Virginia Wright Triglath of Iuka; one son, Staff Sgt. Joseph Eugene Triglath of Enterprise, AL.; one daughter, Deborah Triglath Walker of Iuka; three stepsons, Gaines Bearden of Denver, Jeff Bearden of Holcomb and William Bearden of Memphis; 11 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Jimmy Phillips, Don Leverette, Phillip Dixon, Cliff Fielding, Andy Helton and Guy Hogue Jr.

Honorary pallbearers were Dr. Scott Segars, Bill Murtagh, Roger Bolduc, Joe Bellevia, Dan Perryman, James Smith, Clifford Trammell, Joe Mize, Thomas Dixon, John Williams, Roy Williams, Louis Williams, Dave Gurno and David Mize.

Memorials may be made to Superior Home Health Hospice in Corinth or St. Mary Catholic Church in Iuka.

Rites Held For Mellie Mae Griffin

Mellie Mae Griffin, 72, died Friday, March 17, 2000, at the North Mississippi Medical Center. She was born July 2, 1927, in the James Creek community near Tremont to E.L. and Nora Prestage Suggs. She was a retired beautician and a member of the VFW ladies Auxiliary and the Liberty Church of Christ. She was preceded in death by her husband, Brooks Griffin.

Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday at Liberty Church of Christ with Minister Tim Spivey and Bro. Roger Kennedy officiating. Burial was in Lindsey Cemetery. Senter Funeral Home of Fulton was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include one daughter, Tawanna Martin of Belmont; one son, Griff Griffin, and his wife, Debra, of Belmont; four grandchildren, Clint Martin, Courtney Martin, Natalie Griffin and Alexandria Griffin; two aunts, Lela Pearce of Fulton and Noma Stanford of Amory.

Pallbearers were Don Lee, Roger Moore, Jeff Stephens, Tom Nunley, Robert Parker and Vincent Pacetti.

Honorary pallbearers were Houston Moore, Bob Russell and James E. Sartain.

Burial Services For Hazel Carroll

Hazel Wylodean Carroll, 67, died Monday, March 13, 2000, at the Helen Keller Hospital in Tusculumbia, Ala.

Services were at 3 p.m. Thursday at Ludlams Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. C.I. Puckett officiating. Burial was in Colbert Memorial Cemetery in Tusculumbia, Ala.

Survivors include two daughters, Anita Howard of Tusculumbia, AL, and Karen Carroll of Iuka; two brothers, Dalton Johnson of Florida and Pete Johnson of Tennessee; three grandchildren; one great-grandchild.

Services Held For Earl Dean Black

Earl Dean Black, 63, died March 19, 2000. He was a lifelong resident of Cherokee and a member of the Harris Chapel Baptist Church where he served as a Deacon. He was preceded in death by his wife, Jane Black.

Services were Tuesday, March 21st at 2:00 p.m. at Morrison Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Jackie Thompson and Bro. Jeff Davis officiating. Burial was in Harris Chapel Cemetery. Morrison Funeral Home of Cherokee was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include one son, James "Bubba" Black of Colbert Heights; two daughters, Phelicia Nix of Iuka and Gina Hollins of Cherokee; one brother, Donald George of Sheffield; one sister, Frances Heathcoat of Dyersburg, Tenn; four grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were Johnny Thompson, Danny Hayes, Earl Dean White, Bobby Thompson, Kenneth Thomason, and Oscar Thompson.

Burial Services For Jeffrey Timmons

Jeffrey Timmons, 31, died Friday, March 17, 2000; at his home in the Ozark community. He was an employee of Berkline Corp. of Baldwin and a member of Calvary Baptist Church of Marietta.

Services were at 2 p.m. Monday at Calvary Baptist Church of Marietta with Bro. Toby Mears and Bro. Don Rouse officiating. Burial was in the Kirkville Cemetery. Waters Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his wife, Natasha Hale Timmons of Ozark; one son, Corey Nigel Timmons of Ozark; his mother, Ranea Barnes, and stepfather, Vernon Barnes, of Marietta; one brother, Jay Timmons of Golden; two sisters, Rebecca Mills of Tremont, and Shona Sheffield and her husband, Tim, of Baldwin; his mother-in-law and father-in-law, Janis and Roger Hale of Marietta; a brother-in-law, Michael Hale, and his wife, Chris; two sisters-in-law, Courtney and Tiffany Hale; six nephews; one niece.

He was preceded in death by his father, Ezra Timmons; and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Griffin, and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Timmons.

Pallbearers were Randy Griggs, Johnny Wilburn, Doug Smith, Ken Parks, Chris Gray and Joe Scott.

Honorary pallbearers were Billy Tremble, Ray Thornton and Doug Pruitt.

Funeral Services For Mr. Earl Nunley

Earl Nunley, 79, died Thursday, March 16, 2000, at the Iuka Hospital. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II and a retired construction worker.

Services were at 3 p.m. Saturday at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. C.I. Puckett and Bro. Gene Vance officiating. Burial was in Pleasant Hill Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Annette M. Nunley of Iuka; three daughters and sons-in-law, Edwina and Mike Welch, Donna and Tim Trickey, and Tracie and Chuck Jones, all of Iuka; three brothers, Olen Nunley, Johnny Nunley and Tommy Nunley, all of Iuka; two sisters, Artie Crowell and Barbara Waddle, both of Iuka; three grandchildren, Justin Trickey, ReAnna Welch and Bailee Jones all of Iuka.

Pallbearers were Justin Trickey, Pete Trickey, Charles Welch, Chris Trickey, Donald Berryman and C.E. Walker.

Honorary pallbearers were Elmo Park, J.T. Alsop, John H. McVay and the Rev. Perry Murphy.

Services Held For Alene Highland

Alene Highland, 62, died Saturday, March 18, 2000, at her home. She was a retired employee of General Electric and a member of the Women's International Bowling Congress.

Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Gene Vance officiating. Burial was in Patrick Cemetery.

Survivors include her husband, William "Cooter" Highland of Iuka; two sons, Mike Hubbard of Middleton, Tenn., and Tony Hubbard of Bonner, Mont.; one stepdaughter, Vicki Leatherwood of Booneville; one stepson, Ronnie Highland of Iuka; one sister, Maureen Roland of Iuka; seven grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Earnest and Thelma DeFoor, and two sisters, Villa Wegner and Earnesteen Hubbard.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Services Held For J.W. Bonds

J.W. Bonds, 78, died Sunday, March 19, 2000, at his home. He was a retired carpenter, and a member and deacon of Yellow Creek Baptist Church. He was a Mason and a former Boy Scout leader.

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Stanley McGill officiating. Burial was in Patrick Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Imogene Bonds of Iuka; three daughters, Carmen Jones of Adamsville, Tenn., Martha Merder of Jasper, Ind., and Rosemary Hurd of Monroe, La.; one son, Jimmy Bonds of Iuka; two sisters, Mattie Floyd of Iuka and Alice Belue of Gary, Ind.; 10 grandchildren; six great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Bobby Bonds, Luther Bonds, James Bonds, Jerry Bonds, Larry Bonds and Ellis Floyd.

Funeral Services For James Elbert Hogeland

James Elbert Hogeland, 76, died Monday, March 13, 2000. He was a lifelong resident of Cherokee and a member of Asphalt Rock Baptist Church. He was a retired Boilermaker from the Tennessee Valley Authority. Mr. Hogeland was preceded in death by his parents, William Albert and Mollie Belle Hogeland, by his son, Delbert Gene Hogeland, by his brother, Rubert Hogeland and his sister, Lilly Woods.

Services were Wednesday, March 15th at 2:00 p.m. at the Asphalt Rock Baptist Church with Bro. Billy George & Bro. Clyde Vinson officiating. Burial was in the Mynot Cemetery. Morrison Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his wife, Jewell M. Hogeland of Cherokee; two sons, William and Dwight Hogeland, both of Cherokee; three sisters, Dorothy Murphy and Ruby Posey both of Cherokee and Inez Parrish of Tishomingo, MS; six grandchildren, two great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Rodney Hogeland, David Hogeland, Chris Hogeland, Darin Hogeland, Dane Hogeland and Todd Porter.

Funeral Services For Kenneth Askew

Kenneth Houston Askew, 60, of LaGrange, GA, died March 15, 2000. He was a native of Cherokee and a member of Mhoontown United Methodist Church. He was preceded in death by his mother, Pauline Askew.

Graveside services were Saturday, March 18th at 2:00 p.m. at the Mhoontown Cemetery with Rev. John Malone officiating. Morrison Funeral Home of Cherokee was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his father, Sam Askew of Cherokee; two sons, Kenny Askew of Russellville and Paul Askew of Connecticut; one daughter, Felicia Ferguson of Birmingham, AL; one brother, Ronnie Askew of Cherokee; one sister, Janis Deaton of Tusculumbia; grandchildren, Chris and Ashley Askew.

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Zack's Devotional Corner

"Hate the evil, and love the good, and establish judgment in the gate: it may be that the Lord God of judgment will be gracious unto the remnant of Joseph."

(Amos 5:15).

Serving God is either black or white - there is no gray area. A thing is either good or it is evil. May God open our eyes and give us discernment so that we may clearly recognize what is good and what is evil. Having recognized this, let us learn to have a holy hatred of evil and a reverential love of that which is good.

Evil sometimes masquerades as good and we are deceived by it and fail to hate it. How deceptive Satan is and how attractively he packages evil so that we will feel kindly toward it. Being lulled to sleep, we will see evil destroy the usefulness of our lives and the happiness of our families and of our churches. Truly, "The fear of the Lord is to hate evil..." (Prov. 8:13).

Let us follow the lead of the Savior. It was said of Him "Thou hast loved righteousness, and hated iniquity..." (HEB. 1:9).

(Elder Zack Guess)

Thanks To All

Words are inadequate to express our sincere appreciation to everyone for the many wonderful things you did for us during our great loss.

To the Segars Clinic, Dr. Kelly, Dr. Scott, Dr. Gupta, Dr. Glenn, and all the staff for being so good to our loved one over the past several years, especially the past six weeks. He depended on Dr. Kelly Segars for all his medical needs, because he trusted him. Dr. Gupta was there for him the month of February and he looked forward to his visits as long as he knew what was going on. He would reach out his hand to the doctors and nurses to shake, and we knew he was happy to see them.

To the hospital staff, it would be impossible to name names in fear of leaving someone out. To the nurses in I.C.U. and on the floor, the aides, the E.R. staff, the cleaning ladies and all the other employees of the hospital, your kind words meant much to us. We'll always remember you all for being so good to Daddy and to us.

To Brothers W. T. Dexter, and Nelson Hight for the comforting words we'll always treasure. To the pallbearers, Eric Bonds, Joshua Brown, Tracy Harmon, Don Monroe, Justin Knight and Stan Bowles, we love all of you and thank you for being there for Papa. To the honorary pallbearers, we appreciate your being there during this time, Daddy mentioned all your names thru the years, as his friends, he loved all of you.

To everyone who brought food to our home, gave monetary gifts, the beautiful flowers, the many many cards, phone calls, visits to the hospital and funeral home, especially all your prayers sent up in our behalf. To Cutshall Funeral Home staff, for the excellent services rendered. You all made our hearts rejoice for your kind words and things you did to help us during our great loss. Please forgive us if we have left out anyone or anything. We love all of you, and pray God bless you all.

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I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for each act of kindness shown to me during the illness and death of my husband, Clyde Jones. Thank you so much for the beautiful flowers and the food brought.

May God bless each of you,
Verlie Jones

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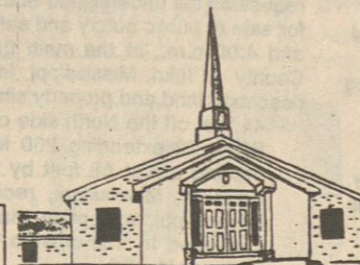
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Regional Science Fair Winners—The following students from Burns Elementary competed at the NEMCC Regional Science Fair and placed in their class. Emily Shelby, 3rd place; Brennen Hendrix, 1st; Emma Swanson, 2nd; Cory Blakney, 3rd place; not pictured, Joe Burns, 1st place. These students will compete April 3rd in Greenville at the State Science Fair.



Regional Science Fair Winners—The following students from Burns Elementary competed at the NEMCC Regional Science fair and placed in their class. Jessie Long, 5th place; Carrie Burcham, 3rd place; Jennifer Jones, 4th place and Shana Price, 4th place.

Conservation Corner

By James L. Cummins, Jr.

Over the past year, much talk has centered around the mysterious Largemouth Bass Virus (LMBV). Although it presents a multifaceted resource problem, not many facts have been presented.

LMBV is one of more than 100 naturally occurring viruses that affect fish, but not warm-blooded animals. The virus has been found only in largemouth

bass. Although many scientists believe that the disease is stress-induced, they do not know how the virus is transmitted or how it is activated into disease. In addition, they know of no cure or preventative technique, as is commonly the case with most viruses.

LMBV has been found at various levels in largemouth bass collected from Bay Springs,

Columbus, Enid, Ferguson, Sardis and Tunica Cut-Off Lakes in Mississippi. Samples from seven other lakes across the state showed no LMBV, indicating that the virus is either absent or present at very low levels in these lakes. LMBV was first seen in Mississippi after significant number of largemouth bass were found dead at Sardis Lake in September 1998. The only other fish kill known to be caused by LMBV before that kill occurred in 1995 at Santee Cooper Reservoir in South Carolina.

"LMBV is just another variable in the ecology of fish. Bass will adapt to it," said Dr. Larry Hanson, representing the College of Veterinary Medicine at Mississippi State University. Hanson recently attended a workshop of the Bass Anglers Sportsmen's Society's Conservation Department on the virus.

The best available information indicates that largemouth bass carrying the virus are safe to handle and eat. Anglers should take the following measures to help prevent the disease and reduce the likelihood of spreading LMBV, to include: (1) Reduce stress on bass by handling them gently and reducing the length of time they are held in live wells during tournaments or other outings; (2) Hold bass tournaments during cool weather; (3) Do not transfer fish from one body of water to another; (4) After dressing fish, don't discard the remains back into lakes or streams, and; (5)

Wash and dry live wells between fishing trips.

Right now, the best thing anglers can do is to be aware of this problem and encourage others to use caution when handling and moving fish. The only known fish kills from LMBV occurred in hot weather and in lakes where a lot of bass fishing occurs. LMBV is a new phenomenon and there is much to be learned about the disease.

Research on largemouth bass recently collected by the Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks and the Mississippi Fish and Wildlife Foundation from Lake Ferguson is currently being conducted. The Southeastern Wildlife Disease Study Group in Athens, Georgia is also involved in the research.

James L. Cummins, Jr. is Executive Director of the Mississippi Fish and Wildlife Foundation in Stoneville, Mississippi. Known as "Wildlife Mississippi," the Foundation is a non-profit, conservation organization founded to conserve, restore and enhance fish, wildlife and plant resources throughout Mississippi.

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FSA Farm News

By Phillip A. Horn

Clickman Announces Payment Begin To Livestock Producers

Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman announced that farmers and ranchers will begin to receive about \$190 million in payments this week for 1999 grazing losses because of droughts and other natural disasters under the Livestock Assistance Program (LAP) and also for 1999 livestock death losses under the Livestock Indemnity Program (LIP).

LAP payments will be made to more than 214,000 livestock producers in 44 states. LIP payments will be made to more than 700 livestock producers for the loss of more than 79,000 head of livestock. LAP payments are based on reimbursing farmers for part of the value of supplemental feed costs incurred because of grazing losses suffered during a minimum of a three month period where there was at least a 40 percent grazing loss. Payments will be made at the rate of 46 percent of the eligible feed costs or death losses.

A producer can receive LAP and LIP benefits and also receive benefits under any other program administered by the Secretary of Agriculture for eligible grazing losses. Sign-up for assistance under these programs began November 15, 1999 and ended on

February 25, 2000.

Payments under LAP and LIP are being made by USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA). For more information on this or other USDA programs, contact your local USDA Service Center, listed in the telephone book under "United States Government, U.S. Department of Agriculture". You can also get information from the FSA Home Page at: www.fsa.usda.gov.

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Census

Census day is April 1st. The
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Everyone's important, so please
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elderly. So when you receive your
questionnaire, please fill it out.
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difference.

Thank You

Words are inadequate to
express our heartfelt thanks for
each of the many kind deeds
shown to us in the passing of our
aunt and friend, Louise Hodge.

A special thanks to Bro. Jim
Manley, Iuka Baptist Church and
the Pallbearers.

Thanks to the staff of
Tishomingo Manor for the loving
care shown. To Cutshall Funeral
Home for their kind service.

May God bless each and
everyone for we owe so many so
much.

Etoile Fields
Jean Raden
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Charlene Bates

HOMESTEAD LEGAL NOTICE

The deadline for filing your 2000 Homestead Exemption is April 1, 2000. If you
filed on the same residence last year and no changes have been made it is not
necessary to file this year. If there are any changes to be made please come into the
office and file a new application. If you became 65 before January 1, 2000 and have
not filed for the special exemption, you will need to bring proof of age. If you became
disabled before January 1, 2000 you will need to bring your Social Security Awards
Letter. If you are filing on a new residence you will need to bring your warranty deed,
your and your spouse's social security number, and your Mississippi license plate
numbers. Your warranty deed must be acknowledged by December 31, 1999 and
recorded by January 7, 2000. The Homestead Exemption Law allows you to file on
one residence only. If you are married, your and your spouse's name must both be
on the Homestead application. You must be living in the residence January 1 of the
year in which you are filing. If you have any questions concerning Homestead
Exemption, please call the Tax Assessor's Office at 423-7059. Our office is open
Monday through Friday. Our hours are 8:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M. Remember the filing
deadline is April 1. This is a reminder that this year April 1st falls on Saturday,
therefore according to state statute 27-33-31 (b) and The Attorney Generals opinion,
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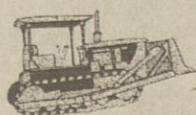
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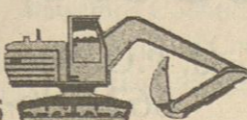
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WATER LINE EXTENSIONS - PHASE III
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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for the construction of WATER LINE EXTENSIONS - PHASE III
will be received by the Town of Burnsville, Mississippi, at the Town Hall until 6:00
PM, on April 25, 2000, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

Contract Documents, including Drawings and Specifications, may be
examined at the office of Dean McRae Engineering, Inc., 400 W. Eastport Street,
Iuka, Mississippi. Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained at the office
of Dean McRae Engineering, Inc., P.O. Box 573, 400 W. Eastport Street, Iuka,
Mississippi, 38852, upon payment of a \$25.00 fee, which is Non-Refundable.

Work shall consist of installation of approximately 3700 linear feet of 6" PVC
water lines, fire hydrants and related valves, services, and ancillary items.

Each bid submitted must be marked on the outside "Bid for Water Line
EXTENSIONS - PHASE III". Any bid in excess of \$50,000 must contain on the
outside of the envelope the contractor's current certificate of responsibility number,
and no bid shall be opened or considered unless this number appears on the
outside of the envelope or unless a statement is included on the outside of the
envelope indicating that the bid enclosed does not exceed \$50,000.

This project is financed by a Community Development Block Grant and is
subject to the rules and regulations thereof.

Bids may be held for up to 60 days from the date of opening for review of bids
and qualifications of bidders prior to Contract award. The Town reserves the right
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The SGA Of Burnsville Junior High will sponsor its annual History Day on Friday, May 12. The students are planning a walking tour of the town. Anyone interested in helping should contact Mariann Beals at 427-9534. Pictured are Zack Glover, Louis Ferguson, Tyler Bobo, Mrs. Beals, Carrie Burcham, Ashlee Clark and Billy Tucker.

Janet Cummings Marlar Selected To Who's Who Of American Women

Janet Cummings Marlar, formerly of Burnsville, Mississippi, has been selected for the fourteenth consecutive year to Who's Who of American Women. Janet's Biographical Profile will be published in the 2000/2001 Edition which chronicles America's most accomplished women.

Janet founded the International Heritage Commission for the City of Memphis in 1987, for her work in this endeavor she received eleven Certificates of Recognition for Outstanding Achievement for the City of Memphis, was appointed an Honorary Member of the Memphis City Council, and recognized by President George Bush in his 1000 Points of Light Program in Memphis in 1989.

Janet, also, founded the Janet C. Cupples Citizenship Awards for Memphis Inter-City School Students in 1985, for this work she received the "Outstanding Service to Public Education Award" in Memphis in 1986, "The Award of Merit", Memphis' Highest Honor in 1987, and her program was



recognized by General Colin Powell in 1997 Chairman of America's Promise, President

Clinton's Alliance for Children.

Janet has served on the Sheffield Technical Center's Advisory Board, in Memphis, Tennessee, Memphis Cablevision Education Task Force, Youth Mentor Memphis Youth Leadership Development Institute, and was selected "Outstanding Female Neighborhood Leader" by Memphis Neighborhood Watch, Inc. in 1987.

Since retiring in 1994, Janet and her husband, Fred, have resided in Glen, Mississippi where she spends her spare time working on the Burnsville High School Class of 1960 Reunion Committee as Secretary and Public Relations. Janet was a student of Burnsville High School, Northeast Mississippi Community College, Memphis State University & Sheffield Technical Center in Memphis.

Janet's profile, also, appears in WHO'S WHO IN AMERICA, WHO'S WHO IN THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST, WHO'S WHO IN MEDIA AND COMMUNICATIONS, AND WHO'S WHO OF EMERGING LEADERS IN THE UNITED STATES.

Patch Adams To Highlight NMHS Foundation's Centre Club Banquet

The physician whose life story inspired the hit movie "Patch Adams," starring Robin Williams, will be the Health Care Foundation of North Mississippi's featured speaker April 11 at the 21st Annual Centre Club Banquet. The donor recognition dinner

will begin at 6:30 p.m. at the Bancorp South Center.

Adams, a nationally known, popular speaker on wellness, laughter, humor and life, is founder and director of the Gesundheit! Institute, a holistic medical community in Arlington, Va., that has provided free health care for thousands of patients since 1971. Adams is actively raising funds to build a permanent home for the Gesundheit! Institute. His vision includes a 40-bed hospital, theater, craft and exercise rooms, vegetable gardens and an orchard. Adam's goal is to operate a facility that won't charge money, carry malpractice insurance or accept third-party reimbursement, and will possibly be the first silly hospital in history.

Centre Club membership is open to individuals and companies that contribute a minimum of \$100 annually to the Health Care Foundation of North Mississippi, formerly North Mississippi Health Services Foundation. Each Centre Club member will receive one ticket to the April 11 banquet. Additional guest tickets will be made available to members for \$10 each. Deadline for reservations for members and their guests is April 4.

"Throughout its existence, Centre Club has never raised its minimum giving level for membership," said Linda Stokes, Foundation manager. "In order to keep our expenses at a minimum and to provide more people access to the evening's festivities, we're selling guest tickets to our members. This change was made in response to members' requests for additional guest tickets. In years past, members received one complimentary guest ticket."

The Foundation is the charitable fund-raising arm for North Mississippi Health Services. The Foundation is a separate organization directed by a community based board of directors and is primarily responsible for providing contributions for patient and family assistance, community outreach and wellness programs, school health centers, medical

education and training scholarships, and up-to-date lifesaving technology and equipment.

For more information about the Centre Club Banquet, call (662) 841-3613 or 1-800-843-3375.

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—Jean

Home Economics Tips

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The overall dingy appearance of a wash load can be caused by more soil in the wash load than the detergent can suspend in the water.

Unsuspected soil can be a particular problem if the items being washed have stains or soils (body oil, perspiration, food spills, concentrated fabric softener and

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These areas are unsuspended soil and build up to the point where they become noticeable.

OTHER CAUSES

- Overloading the washer
- Using too cool a temperature
- Not using enough detergent
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