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Fun On The Water Ends In Tragedy For Iuka Teen

A 15-year-old Iuka boy is dead following a Sea-Doo watercraft accident near Mill Creek last week, and two other teens have been charged with grand larceny and will possibly face additional charges in connection with the death.

According to Tishomingo County Chief Deputy, Rodney Pannell, his department received a 911 call around 8:18 Wednesday morning, June 26, reporting a body floating some 100 feet off Pierson's Point. It had been spotted by some residents of Mill Creek from their fishing boat.

The young body was pulled from the water and the identification process began.

Within minutes of the discovery of the body, Colbert County officials reported finding a Sea-Doo submerged in some six inches of water near the Railroad Bridge on Bear Creek Tuesday evening.

Tishomingo County officials were also aware that the parents of Zackery Woodruff of Iuka had reported him missing on Tuesday evening to the Tishomingo County authorities.

The body was identified by family members Wednesday morning as that of young Zack.

The mysterious disappearance and death of Zack was solved Thursday after 23 juveniles were questioned and a second Sea-Doo was found in the woods near Indian Creek.

Deputy Pannell said that Zack and two friends, Jake Rice, 17, and Micah Bivens, 17, both of Iuka, had apparently stolen two Sea-Dos from a cabin in the "Hills of the Bear" area near Eastport Monday afternoon and were playing on the water crafts when they apparently collided. Woodruff was knocked into the

water and did not resurface. Rice and Bivens tried to find Woodruff, then apparently panicked and hid the two stolen jet skis and went home. The accident happened around 3:00 Monday afternoon.

A two-seater Sea-Doo was found at Indian Creek and the three-seater was in Bear Creek.

Rice and Bivens have been charged as adults with grand larceny in Tishomingo County with the theft of the watercrafts. They are currently out on bond.

According to Deputy Pannell, a preliminary autopsy gave the cause of death for young Woodruff as freshwater drowning with no trauma. However, on Monday, July 1, County Coroner Mack Wilemon received positive identification from Dr. Michael West, a Forensic Odontologist of Hattiesburg. His report stated the cause of death is "still under investigation."

The site where the body was found was just over the state line in Colbert County, AL. Pannell added that authorities in Colbert County will determine what charges, if any, will be filed in relation to the death.

According to a news article in the *Times Daily*, Colbert County Sheriff Ronnie May said county prosecutors are considering negligent homicide charges against Rice and Bivens.

Funeral services for Zack Woodruff, 15, were held at 1 p.m. Tuesday, July 2, 2002 at Snowdown United Methodist Church. Bro. Dwain Whitehurst and Bro. John Gwatney officiated with burial in Snowdown Cemetery. Cutshall Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Zack would have entered



Tishomingo County High School as a sophomore in the fall. He was a drummer and loved to play music. He enjoyed fishing, riding motorcycles, snowboarding, and being with his friends. He was known for his ability to make people laugh.

Zack was baptized through Snowdown United Methodist Church.

He is survived by his parents, Danny and Kim Woodruff of Iuka; one brother, Ryan (R.J.) Woodruff, and one sister, Vanessa Woodruff, both of the home; his grandmother, Helen Paulson Harvey of Wakefield, MI; grandparents, Ray Gene and Drusilla Woodruff of Iuka; one uncle, Johnny and Melynda Woodruff of Iuka; six cousins: Nathan & Chad Woodruff of Iuka; Cathy Paulson, Scott Pratt, Eric Paulson, and David Paulson, all of Waukegan, IL.

He was preceded in death by his grandmother, Elizabeth Woodruff and an uncle, Johnny Longoria.

Pallbearers were: Justin Sparks, Jeremy Barnes, David Bartlett, Chase Williams, Justin Brown, Landon Courtney, Matt Cook, Corey Degraw, Zach Crum, and Dale Aldridge.

The Tishomingo County Electric Power Association IBEW Local # 852 were out in full force Monday morning after the 12:00 a.m. deadline came and went with no settlement in their quest for continued insurance coverage by their employer, TCEPA.

Picket lines were set up on all sides of the power association's building on Constitution Drive and Paul Edmondson Drive.

Passing cars showed their support by honking their horns as they passed the striking workers. Many workers and friends stayed throughout the night Sunday.

Workers are hopeful of being back on the job as quickly as possible.



TCEPA On Strike

Members of IBEW Local #852 at Tishomingo County Electric Power Association are on strike.

These workers are seeking continued insurance coverage, which up to this time has been completely paid for by their employer, TCEPA.

Twenty-eight of the forty-five employees at the Tishomingo County Electric Power Association are members of IBEW Union #852.

In October of 2001, workers negotiated and settled all areas, except insurance, of a four-year contract. This contract gave workers a 3% per year raise in salary for the contract time; however, insurance issues were not settled because both management and employees wanted to look at some optional ways to avoid the increasing costs of the insurance.

According to Robert Grisham, TCEPA Manager, insurance premiums had increased \$130 per month over the last year for family coverage. The provision in last all's contract provided a way for employees and employer to look at health care and make some changes since health care insurance for the last year was up more than \$100,000. Grisham added also that health care premiums for the association now exceed \$400,000 per year.

One option suggested by the negotiation committee, made up of board members Gary Taylor, Lucian Epperson, Cliff Daniel, and Harold Sparks, was a proposal to share insurance costs between employees and employer. Both

employees and employer were apprehensive about increasing the costs of insurance during an already bad economy. Workers were asked to pay part of the insurance premiums for their families, which had always been provided by the power association.

Both Grisham and the union representatives agreed to continue the insurance negotiations until June 30, when the insurance contract fiscal year ended.

Because TCEPA had always paid the workers' insurance, they felt that one of their benefits was being taken away from them.

IBEW #852 local union negotiators—Jerry Gray, Lanny Jordan, Terry Booker, and Sheldon Lambert—have met on several occasions with Grisham and the TCEPA board negotiators to try to find an answer to the insurance problem.

After several rounds of negotiations, the company's best and final proposal included:

For a family plan, the association would pay \$765.05 and the employee would pay \$65.00.

1. The company would pay 1/2

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE MEMBERS/CONSUMERS OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY ELECTRIC POWER ASSOCIATION

The union employees of Tishomingo County Electric Power Association that are represented by IBEW Local 852 have voted to reject the company proposal for sharing of the cost of increases in health insurance premiums over the next three years.

The board of directors of the Association made a good faith offer to continue the present health insurance coverage with the employee contribution limited to 7.8% of the total premium as of July, 2002, and a 50/50 sharing of further premium increases from the three subsequent years. Prior to July 1, 2002, the Association had paid the entire health insurance premium for each employee and their family, accounting for an annual cost in excess of \$400,000 in the most recent twelve months. Following an almost 21% premium increase in 2001, the union was informed that the Association would no longer pay the entire cost.

and the employee would pay 1/2 of the increases thereafter; maximum increase of \$50 per month employee contribution in any one plan year.

III. Coverage remains as similar as possible except for changes made for all plans within the EPA's of MS group.

IV. Cafeteria plan
V. Company could implement plan modification to hold total premium increase in any one plan year to \$100 per month.

This was the only proposal offered to the workers before June 30th. This proposal could have increased from \$65.00 per month to \$215 per month over a three year period.

With seemingly no solution in sight, workers became very frustrated on Thursday, June 27, when they got to work and found the locks on the doors changed.

On Sunday morning, June 30, at 7:00 a.m. negotiations resumed with a mediator from Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service of Birmingham, AL on hand to help find a solution. The employees and the power association negotiations board met for about five and a half hours trying to solve their differences. One proposal was for the employees to return 5% of their 9% raises over the next three years to the company to be used to pay insurance costs. This plan was rejected.

Another frustration for the workers occurred on Sunday afternoon, June 30, about 3:00

The compensation of employees of Tishomingo County Electric Power Association is determined after comparing wages and benefits with surrounding north-east Mississippi and west Tennessee rural electric co-operatives. Increases in costs due to changes in wages or benefits must be recoverable under the present rate structure or rate increases must be considered.

In the interest of economical development and fairness to the vast majority of our members/consumers who pay a substantial portion of their health costs, the board feels it must implement a plan to slow the increase in costs associated with providing a quality health insurance program to the employees of TCEPA. Failure to do so would inevitable have rate impacts for industry and residential consumers.

Robert Grisham,
TCEPA Board of Directors

p.m. when a construction crew from Pineville, Louisiana, arrived in Iuka prior to the actual expiration of the contract at 12:00 p.m. that evening.

On Monday about 12:30 this crew was called in for their work detail; however they chose not to cross the picket line. The men returned to the power company some time later to pick up their trucks and leave the area.

County.

TCEPA striking workers told the *News* Monday that in the event of power outages during the strike, they will make sure hospitals, nursing homes and anyone on life support will have power.

Robbie Grisham, of TCEPA, said that he hopes that everyone involved can soon reach an agreement that provides quality health care for the workers at a price that will not have to increase electric rates.

Jerry Gray, IBEW #852 spokesman, said, "The men are ready to go back to work. They feel that they were pushed into coming out and walking—to strike. He added they feel they were forced into striking when all they wanted was to keep what they had in the first place. Through the last several contracts, they felt they had accepted less money per contract in order to keep their insurance paid. We would not be doing this if we did not feel that the company has the money to pay our insurance. We love our work and feel that we have the support of the public."

HAPPY FOURTH OF JULY



Red, White, and Blue - Happy Birthday To You! Old Glory is everywhere! It has been seen waving with pride throughout the nation following the September 11, 2001 terrorists' attacks on New York City and Washington D.C. It has never meant so much to so many as it has this year. When a soldier was asked what he thought about the many flags and the outpouring of patriotism since 9-11, he replied, "We should have been flying them all along!" How true, but how fast we forget.

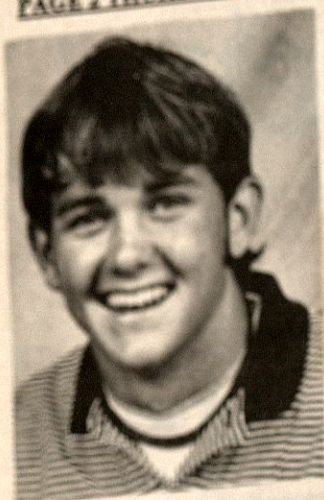
Let us never forget again what the flag and our independence mean to us.

These children are being taught at an early age the meaning of the "red, white, and blue". They are looking forward to a fun day of watermelon eating, ice cream, and firecrackers to celebrate the 226th birthday of their country. The cousins are Ashleigh Nicole McRae, Tanner Brett Wilmeth, and Makenzie Caroline Gray.

Ashleigh Nicole, age 2 years old, is the daughter of Nicky and Carrie McRae of Burnsville. She is the granddaughter of C. W. and Peggy Gray and Fred and Delma McRae all from Burnsville.

Tanner, age 5 years old, is the son of Richie and Carolyn Wilmeth. His grandparents are C. W. and Peggy Gray and Larry and Brenda Wilmeth all of Burnsville.

Makenzie Caroline, 11 months old, is the daughter of Jerry and Bridget Gray of North Crossroads. She is the granddaughter of C. W. and Peggy Gray from Burnsville and Dale and Shelia Price of North Crossroads.



Ryan Barnett



Elizabeth Bell



This Is Only A Test - Tishomingo County High School counselor Kathy Ward (l) receives instruction from Northeast Mississippi Community College director of guidance Donnie Sweeney on administering the ACCUPLACER placement exam for high school seniors who plan to attend Northeast this fall and are required to take the placement exam. Letters are being sent to all students with application on file who have not yet taken the ACCUPLACER. The notice letter explains the maximum ACT score in math and English to avoid the ACCUPLACER test prior to registering for a math/English class. Students who still need to take the ACCUPLACER exam may do so at no charge in the Northeast Counseling Center in Waller Hall weekdays from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. or any afternoon during the school's three upcoming summer Orientation sessions. Orientation at Northeast is scheduled for July 16, 18, and 23. Each session begins at 8:30 a.m. at Estes Hall and a \$25 fee is due upon arrival. For more information about Orientation 2002 at Northeast or the ACCUPLACER exam contact the Counseling Center at (662) 720-7313. Visit the Northeast web site at www.nccc.cc.ms.us.

Tri State Educational Foundation Scholarships Awarded

Shawn Phelps, Executive Director of the Tri State Educational Foundation has announced a record number of scholarship awards for the upcoming semesters. Mr. Phelps states that 92 awards have recently been made which total over \$300,000.00. And that over a brief two and one-half year period the Foundation has assisted over 200 students with scholarships and several school districts with grants which amount to well over \$600,000.00.

The non-profit Foundation was started three years ago in Iuka to help the citizens of Tishomingo County and counties within 50 miles of Iuka to go to college, to receive vocational training, or job retraining.

Four of those receiving scholarship from the immediate area are: Ryan Barnett, Elizabeth Bell, Megan Bennett, and Jennifer Biggs.

Additional names and photos will be released next week.



Megan Bennett



Jennifer Biggs

Give a man health and a course to steer; and he'll never stop to trouble about whether he's happy or not.

—George Bernard Shaw

CARPE DIEM

A Prayer for Our Community and Our Nation

O God and Father of us all, we thank you for our heritage, for the values that make us a free people, and for the faith that gives our lives meaning. Remind us to be thankful for each day you entrust to us, give us courage to live every day with love and integrity, and awaken daily our compassion for those in need. Make us mindful that our heritage is made up of yesterdays that have been lived well and give us resolve to ensure the heritage of our children by living our days as we should. We ask your forgiveness for our failings, your divine healing of the pain and suffering in our world, and your wisdom in making right choices in our lives. Be with us all this day and tomorrow and the days to follow. Guide us always in the way of justice and peace. These things we ask, believing that through your grace, we can and must make a difference. Amen.

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CONSERVATION CORNER by James L. Cummins

Visitors to Gulf Coast beaches this Fourth of July and this summer have to be thinking a little more about the possibility of encountering a shark following two widely publicized attacks last year, but the chance of becoming a victim remains pretty slim.

"The probability of your being bitten by a shark is extremely low," said Dr. Glenn Parsons, an associate professor of biology at the University of Mississippi who has studied Gulf sharks for several years. "If you add up all the hours people spend in the water around the world and look at the number of shark attacks, and then add up all the hours people spend in cars compared to the number of accidents, you'll want to spend a lot more time in the ocean and less time in a car."

The number of shark attacks has risen in recent years; 79 incidents were recorded worldwide last year, including

34 in Florida waters; but more people are killed each year by bees, crocodiles and lightning than by sharks. Last year, a bull shark attacked an 8-year-old boy in Florida, biting off his arm and leaving him in a coma. A surfer was attacked near the same location nine days later, but managed to fight off the animal.

Although the risk of being attacked is low, Parsons suggests that swimmers take a few simple precautions to reduce those odds even more:

- * Swim between 10 a.m. and 6 or 7 p.m. Sharks are most active during feeding times when the light is changing, such as early in the morning and at dusk.
- * Don't swim if you have open cuts or are menstruating. Sharks have keen senses, and bodily fluids in the water may attract them.
- * Don't swim near piers where people are fishing or

putting bait in the water. Stay clear of areas where the water is murky. "When the water is cloudy the possibility that a shark might mistake a foot or a body part for a fish is increased," Parsons said. "It is hard to find clear water in a lot of places along the Coast, but if you go out to the barrier islands, for example, the water is a lot clearer."

- * Don't swim alone in deserted areas. Swimming in a group or in areas with a lot of people reduces the chances you'll be attacked.
- * If possible, plan beach trips before July or after August. Fewer shark attacks are reported in spring or late summer.

Some experts offer other tips such as not wearing

brightly colored swimwear, shiny jewelry, and avoid excessive splashing but Parsons said the value of such measures is questionable. "In terms of the effect on your overall safety, I'm sure it's extremely important. It's far more important to use common sense and not swim in the water during the time sharks are most active. A shark has been sighted in the area."

Reunion

Hey! Hey! Hey! It's time of year again. The kids of Jim and Liddiekins will meet at the Center at Mineral Springs on Sunday, July 7, 2002. One, come all and enjoy the day!

Swimming Lessons

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Don't Fall For Cheap Sunglasses

If you merely want to shade your eyes from the sun while you're driving or playing tennis, cheap sunglasses may do the trick. On the other hand, eye-care professionals recommend using good sunglasses because they have better quality lenses and sturdier frames. They'll wear longer and give you better vision.

People who wear eye glasses or contact lenses to correct vision problems often like to wear sunglasses, too, especially on hot, bright summer days when the light is intense. No problem here. Your optometrist can prescribe the same correction to be used in sunglasses as you use in your regular glasses. It's done all the time.

Don't be fooled into thinking that over-the-counter sunglasses can do anything more than reduce the glare of the sun. They provide no vision correction whatsoever. If you experience blurriness, eyestrain or headaches, you should have an eye examination to find out why. Don't take chances with your eyesight.

How To Purchase The Least Expensive and Safest Water Heater Available

When you need to install a water heater in your new residence or replace an existing water heater, purchase a new electric water heater and apply for TCEPA's water heater rebate. You'll reduce your costs and have the peace of mind of no dangerous gases generated by an improperly installed or malfunctioning water heater.

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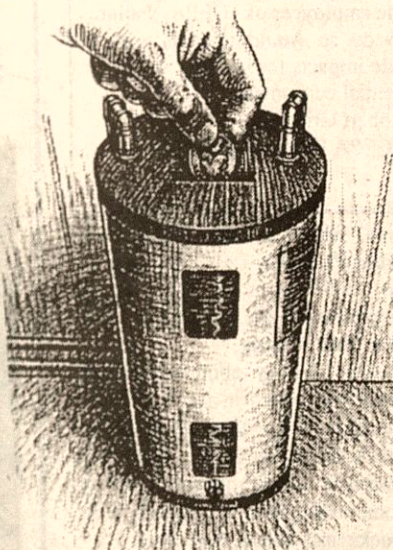
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All installed units must be inspected prior to awarding of the cash incentive.

Tishomingo County Electric Board of Directors reserve the right to discontinue the program without notice.

For more information you may call TCEPA at 662-423-3646.



Oral Cancer Cut Your Risk

Did you know that dentists are on the front line of cancer detection? They spot early changes in patients' oral tissues that indicate cancer.

More than 30,000 people are diagnosed with oral cancer in the United States each year and 8,000 die from this disease annually. The greatest chance for cancer prevention and cure is in early detection, improves a patient's chance of survival markedly.

Dentists receive training in the detection of oral lesions in dental exams.

Seeing a patient on a regular basis allows them to catch changes early. Dentists can easily tell which patients are smokers, and see oral problems that are a direct result of smoking. A high percentage of cancer patients share certain characteristics. Twice as many men as women are diagnosed with oral cancer, and 50 and older. Oral cancer is directly linked to tobacco and excessive consumption of alcohol.

You can help yourself from oral cancer by living a tobacco-free life, maintaining a balanced diet, using good oral hygiene, and performing regular examination and visit to your dentist regularly.

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Iuka's 9-10 Year Old Team Members include: Front: Charlie Dean, Josh Lyles, Keifer Wimberly, Alex Hampton, Luke White, Devin Ham, and Back: Jonathan Phifer, Daniel Aday, Alex Smith, Jesse Johnson, Payton Brown, Harrison Brown, and Zack Patrick

Iuka's Woodall Baseball Park To Host 9-10 Year-Old Dixie Youth Tournament

The Dixie Youth District II tournament for 9-10-year-olds will be held at Iuka's Woodall Baseball Park on July 8th-13th. This will be the first time for the Iuka Baseball program to host a District Tournament in the new facility.

The games will begin on Monday, July 8, and will be completed with the championship game on Saturday, July 13th. Game times will be at 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. each night on Fields C and D at the Woodall Complex.

Admission to the games will be \$2.00.

The winner of the Iuka tour-

namment will advance to the Mississippi State Tournament to be held in Yazoo City beginning on July 20th.

Both winners and runners-up from the sub-districts being played this week at Belmont, Hatley, Hamilton, and Bruce will advance to the District II tournament. Teams from Tishomingo, Belmont, Corinth, Smithville, Columbus (1, 2, 3, 4) Hatley, Amory (1, 2), Hamilton/Shady Oaks, Water Valley, Bruce/Ackerman, and Calhoun City are in competition for district play-off spots.

July 8th games in the District II tourney will include:

**6:00 (Field C) Iuka vs. Hatley

2nd Place winner.

**6:00 (Field D) Hatley 1st place winner vs. Belmont 2nd place winner;

**8:00 (Field C) Bruce 1st Place winner vs. Hamilton 2nd Place winner

**8:00 (Field D) Belmont 1st winner vs. Bruce 2nd Place winner

**6:00 on Tuesday Hamilton 1st place winner vs. the winner of Belmont 1st place and Bruce 2nd place winner on Monday night.

Everyone is invited to come out and watch some good baseball during the week.

to apologize. I am very defensive of my dad and the power co. men.

You see, no one ever thinks about the families of the power co. men. I remember as a child standing at the end of our carport crying/begging my daddy not to leave us and go work in the lightening, thunder, hail and rain - but he had to, and I remember not going to sleep at night until my daddy came home. During the last ice storm my dad left us at 9:30 p.m. on that Wednesday night and we did not see him again until that Friday night at 10:30 p.m.

I am 34 years old now and my dad doesn't pull call any-

more but if the power outage is large enough and he has to go out and work, I still pray and stay awake waiting for him to come home, and I pray for the safety of his co-workers. The power co. men and their families are one big family, and as the saying goes, "When you mess with one of us, you've messed with all of us."

I wonder how many people in this county would risk their lives climbing a 50 ft. power pole in the boiling heat, freezing rain, lightening, and hail to restore electricity? I would not. Our men had guns/knives pulled on them during one of the ice storms, a few years ago by a few consumers demanding for their power to be turned on, how many of them thanked the men when the power came on?

I want to thank our local churches, businesses and consumers of our county, who have always in times past: prayed for, encouraged, fed, and helped our power co. men in other ways. Please continue to pray for and support our power co. men.

In closing, I want to tell my dad and all his co-workers that I love, support, and am proud of you. I just ask that no matter how trying and difficult things may get - "Two wrongs never make a right." Pray for and seek God's guidance in all you say and do.

Sincerely,
The very proud daughter of a hard-working, dedicated line-man of 43 years service to T.C.E.P.A and this county.
Deborah Wright

Tishomingo 54th Annual Street Dance

The Tishomingo 54th Annual Street Dance will be July 6, 2002, at 7:30 p.m. This year's event will feature "The Skip Oliver Band." This group has been planning together for about 8 years.

The Tishomingo Chamber of Commerce will be sponsoring this event. The Chamber will have a food booth set up the night of the dance. Also the Crow's Neck Environmental Educational Center will have a booth set up for our enjoyment.

There will be a firework show at 10:00 p.m. at the old baseball field. The firework show is being sponsored by Jimmy Cornelius. Jimmy always displays a beautiful firework show for us.

The Chamber will be selling t-shirts for this event. The shirts cost \$12.00 each. These t-shirts can be bought now and they are on display at the Sunflower Grocery Store in Tishomingo. Quantities are limited, so go by and get one!



Clark-Sims

To Wed July 13th, 2002

Clyde and Kathryn McLerran of Corinth, Mississippi and Kent Clark of Iuka, Mississippi proudly announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, April Star Clark to Kenneth Hugh Sims, Jr., son of Kenneth and Betty Sims of Cairo, Mississippi.

The bride-to-be is the granddaughter of Morris and Shirley Timbes of Cairo, Shirley Clark of Tishomingo and the late Harvey Clark and James and Oleta Copeland of Corinth.

The prospective groom is the grandson of Ocene Whitehead of Cairo and the late Bro. Sidney Whitehead and the late J.R. and Geneva Sims of Cairo.

The bride-to-be is a 1997 graduate of Tishomingo County High School in Iuka. April is working on her Child Development Technology degree at Northeast Mississippi Community College in Booneville. She is presently employed at Just Kids Learning Center in

Corinth as a 2 year old teacher.

The prospective groom is a 1995 graduate of New Site High School in New Site, Mississippi. Kenny is presently employed by VF Imagewear (Redcap) in Tupelo, Mississippi.

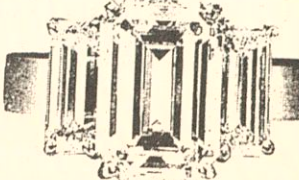
The couple will exchange vows on July 13, 2002 at 2:00 p.m. at Clausel Hill Methodist Church in Cairo, Mississippi. A reception will follow in the center next door.

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



Eastport Marina—Fireworks at 9:00 p.m. on July 4.

Pickwick Landing State Park—There will be entertainment and events during the afternoon. Fireworks set to music will be broadcast over WKWX 93.5 FM at 9:00 p.m. In effort to provide safety,



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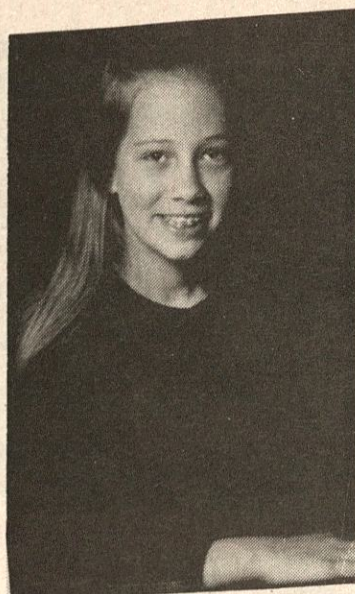
Happy 1st Birthday Belle Butler

July 8
Love,
PawPaw, Nani, Brady, Mother,
Aunt Chaylee and Aunt Ruma



Happy 5th Birthday to my Precious Angel July 4th

We love you,
Mommy and Daddy
Josh



From a Tot to a Teen

July 3rd
All your friends and family



Happy Birthday David 7-6-42

Love,
Pamm and Angel



Elaine Guthrie

Here I am at 40 and still party with my dad and
Kenneth Oddell

July 2
Love,
Mom and Dad



Congratulations to our "All Star"

Haley Yarbrough!

We're so proud of you!
Love,
Uncle Chris and Aunt Amanda



Happy 4th Birthday July 9th Kali Dawn

Love,
Grandma, Poppa,
Aunt Jessica,
Uncle Bryan



July 5th Kylee Shana Barry Happy 1st Birthday Little "Mae Mae"

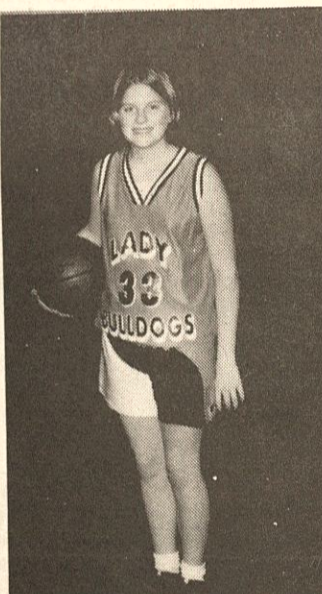
We love you very much,
Daddy, Mama, Sissy
(Krista) and all your family
(Parents: Shannon &
Candace Barry)

Pharr/Ginn Family Reunion...

The Pharr/Ginn family reunion will be Saturday afternoon, August 10, 2002 after 12:30 p.m. at the Old Pharr Homestead, 160 Fire Station Rd., (Old Hwy. 25) Golden, Ms 38847.

Hosted by the descendants of Earl C. Pharr and Zula Ginn Pharr. The families of Basil (Charlene Kent) Pharr; Johnnie M. (A.C.) Lindley; Millie Pharr (Wesley) Jackson; Susanne Pharr (Merle) Gardiner; Max E. (Anna Glover) Pharr; Rae Pharr Taylor.

All relatives and friends are welcome to visit and spend the afternoon and evening reminiscing.



Happy 15th Birthday July 7th Jessica

Love,
Mom, Dad, Bryan,
Melissa, Brandon, &
Kali



Kylee Happy 1st Birthday July 5th Lil Sis

I love you so much
Big Sissy (Krista Thorne)

Buchanan Reunion

The 9th annual Buchanan Family Reunion will be held Saturday, July 13, 2002.

The cousins from Robert W. Buchanan and Joseph S. Buchanan will meet at Tishomingo Park, Pavilion #1.

We will eat at 5:30 p.m. bring sandwiches, chips, drinks or a special treat for the dessert!!!

Be early for visitation. For information, contact Mary E. Blunt, 662-4311.

Lupus And Fibromyalgia Support Group To Meet...

Lupus and Fibromyalgia support group will meet Wednesday night of each month at Iuka Library Conference Room (204 N. Main).

First meeting will be 10th, Wed. night at 7 p.m. For more information, call 423-2069 or 423-9999. Terri Booker.



Happy 4th Birthday July 9th Kali Dawn

Love,
Mommy & Daddy

You should always believe
all you read in newspapers,
as this makes them
more interesting.
—Rose Macaulay



Happy 9th Birthday July 5th Steven Datsis

What's Going On In July At Tishomingo County Families First?

Tishomingo County Families First Resource Center is looking forward to a busy month. We have many activities scheduled throughout July. Hopefully you will find one or more activities that will be of benefit to you or your family. All programs are located at the Families First Resource Center in Juka, which is located on the High School Campus unless otherwise noted on the list below. For additional information on any of the events, please call 662-423-7318.

Christmas in July: Mary Baldwin of the Tishomingo County Extension Office will be doing holiday arts and crafts with children. July 8th from 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Anger Management Workshop: Jerry Porter of The Fatherhood Initiative is sponsoring this event entitled, "Anger is one letter short of danger". The workshop will be held on July 9th from 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Computer Class at Belmont High School: Donna Hester will be facilitating a computer class for all ages from 6:00-8:00 p.m. on the following Thursday nights in July 11th, 18th, and 25th.

Children's Computer Class at FFRC: Donna Hester will be facilitating a computer class for children grades K-8 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. on the following Tuesdays in July 9th, 16th, 23rd and 30th.

Adult Computer Class at FFRC: Donna Hester will be facilitating a computer class for students from grade 9 through adults from 5:30-7:30 p.m. on the following Tuesdays in July: 9th, 16th, 23rd and 30th.

Seven Habits for Highly Effective Families: Trained facilitators will be holding a series of four sessions for any adult from 6:00-8:00 p.m. on the following Tuesday nights in July: 9th, 16th, 23rd and 30th.

Molding Lifetime Values: Carolyn Gowen and Pat Trainum of the Abstinence Coalition will be teaching middle school and high school girls about building self-esteem, making good decisions, and abstinence through the art of making pottery. You may attend one or all sessions. They will be held from 2:00-4:00 p.m. on the following Thursdays in July: 11th, 18th, and 25th.

Cancer Support Group: The Cancer support will have its regular monthly, meeting from 6:30-8:00 p.m. on Tuesday July 16th.

Child Abuse Awareness Workshop: Jerry Porter of The Fatherhood Initiative will host a workshop entitled "It's never too late to have a happy childhood". The workshop will be from 6:00-8:00 p.m. on

July 23rd.

LOOKING FOR A GOOD WORKSHOP?

We've got it!!! Jerry Porter of The Fatherhood Initiative will be hosting two separate workshops in July at the Tishomingo County Families First Resource Center. The topics are anger and child abuse. These two topics are constantly seen and heard about in the media. They are so closely related in many instances that it is hard to separate the two. Mr. Porter who represents The Fatherhood Initiative, has plans to address these issues with hopes that the quality of life for individuals and families can and will improve.

The first program will be held on July 9th from 6:00-8:00 p.m. and is entitled "Anger is one letter short of danger".

This program is designed to educate of the dangers of anger. You will learn methods to control anger and how to communicate with people who are angry.

The second will be held on July 23rd from 6:00-8:00 p.m. and is entitled "It's never too late to have a happy childhood". Unfortunately, many people you meet can testify that this very fact is true in their

lives. Come and learn how to deal with emotions and situations that may have left you feeling this way. Learn to make the most of the rest of your life and to be a positive influence in the lives of your family. For information on these programs call 662-423-7318 or 662-287-1326.

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After the fireworks are over at Pickwick, the celebration continues as Pickwick Plantation, known as the historic Red Sulphur Springs Hotel in Pickwick will host its first annual July Fourth Celebration July 5-6. The Pickwick Plantation Pigout will include a Memphis in May sanctioned barbecue contest, hot rod car show and a music festival.

Gates open at 8 a.m. each

day with the admission charge allowing access to the car show, barbecue contest, lots of food and live entertainment each evening. Friday's music theme is the Blues, with Scott Allen, Gabby Johnson and The Dealers scheduled to perform. Saturday, festivalgoers will be treated to music from the 80s and 90s, including performances by Carol Plunk, Tenn O See and Cherry Bomb.

Proceeds from the music festival will benefit the Hardin and McNairy County band programs. Bring you lawn chair or blanket and enjoy a weekend of fun at Pickwick.

For more information about this event, contact Shannon Speth at 731-645-6558.



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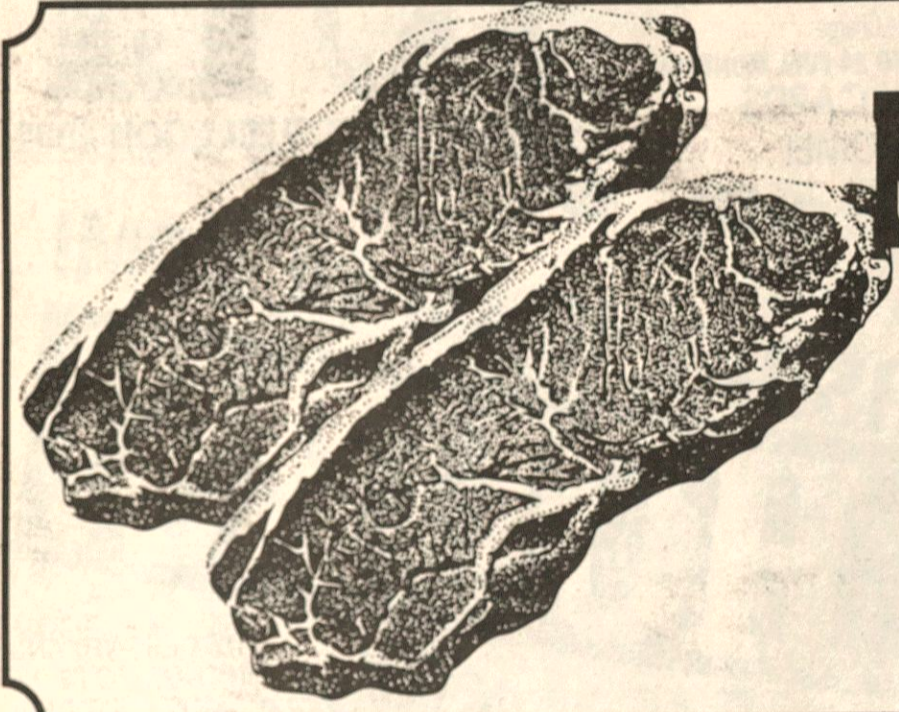
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New Arrival

Brad and Kim Kuykendall of Belmont proudly announce the birth of their daughter, Jade Madison on June 18, 2002, at North Mississippi Medical Center. Jade weighed 7 lbs. 5 oz. and was 18 1/2 inches long. She was welcomed by sister Carlie age 9.

Her grandparents are J.A. and Opal Gray of Tishomingo and Malcolm and Jane Kuykendall of Belmont.



What a handsome young man you were!

Happy Birthday
July 4th
to Nick Tapp

Love you,
 Daisy and Johnny

It's easier to peel a hard boiled egg that is still warm. If you allow it to cool, the shell can stick to the egg.

Burnsville School Second Semester Honor Roll

8th grade, all A's - Tamara Bullard and Louis Ferguson.

A's and B's - Tyler Bobo, Carrie Burcham, Emily Feltman, Zachary Glover, Stephanie Johnson, Bethany Lovelace, Jessica Penney and Josh Reeves.

7th grade, all A's - Jonathan Hendrix.

A's and B's - Brandy Bell, Clarissa Brumley, Justin Deese, Caroline Ervin, Daniel Giles, Daniel Holder, Jackie Koehlinger, Caitlyn Leonaitis, Cody McCoy, Holly Pagitt, Jacquie Woodruff.

6th grade, all A's - Chelsey Glidewell and Chris Tucker.

A's and B's - Chelsey Adams, Ashley Brown, Summer Carmack, Aislynn Hamm, Kimberly Johnson, Laura Beth Kenaum, Andrew McCameron, Chelsea Roberts, Dusty Stewart, Ryan Wilson, Amanda Wood.

5th grade, all A's - Dakota Mackey.

A's and B's - Breanne Dille, Makayla Finch, Allison Floyd, Billy Kroening, Jessie Lambert, Marissa Lambert, James Menshy, Michael Roach, Bethany Swanson, Wesley Trimm.

4th grade, A's and B's - Daniel Aday, Morgan Burns, Tanner Clarkson, Josh Ervin, Ethan Jones, Angel King, Jessica Kramer, Shandy Lambert, Caitlyn McCoy, Katelyn McGee, Andrea Melino, Kim Patrick, Jacob Powers, Jonathan Roberts, Sarah Spoon, Jonathan Whirley, Erin Williams, Morgan Williams, Jeremy Wilson, Derek Wright.

3rd grade, all A's - Haylie Crum, Stephanie Giles, Nick Hendrix, Hunter Lambert, Dana Mackey, Jacob McDuffy, Dustin Mooney.

A's and B's - Megan Allred, Andrew Bullard, Sarah Carmack, Kayla Crawford, Lacey Davis, Caleb Ervin, Cierra Goad, Summer Hersey, Mariah Lambert, Sarah Leonaitis, Jade Morris, Ross Nash, Chelsea Osborn, Ethan Owens, Brittany Skinner, Kelsey Stewart, Rebecca Ward and Kalee Wright.

2nd grade, all A's - Danielle Blakney, Jennifer Childers, Amber Gowen, Ashley Gowen, Jeremy Johnson, Claudia Monroe, Summer Short, Luke South, Kayleigh Tucker.

A's and B's - Brooke Arnold, Brea Browning, Bethany Butler, April Cooper, Ashley Crum, Bobby Felker, Barry Finch, Dannah Glover, Cody Grissom, April Hamm, Cody Hutson, Katelyn Morris, Cherranda Reynolds, Hunter Shea, Joey Smith, Carley Stewart, Hunter Thornburg, Megan Wigginton, Miranda Wigginton.

1st grade, all A's - Brittany Barnes, Ali Johnson, Mackensley Johnson, Lindsey Ligon, Jake Spoon, Hannah Voyles, Reid Williams.

A's and B's - Wesley Brown, Slade Davis, Caleb Dille, Chris Dorman, Amy Feltman, Cody Hayes, Destiny Hazelwood, Ben Kennedy, Josh Miller, Hannah Stricklen, Haley Walker, Ben Wells, Robbie Wright.

Twenty-Five Graduate From Week-end College At NEMCC

During recent commencement exercises at Northeast Mississippi Community College, 25 students were awarded diplomas as the first graduates of Northeast Mississippi Community College's Week-End College Program.

Initiated in the fall of 2000, the Week-End College was designed to offer night and week-end classes to working adults so they might pursue a degree and lay the groundwork for career advancement.

With the weekend class schedule, Northeast launched the first two years of an elementary education degree program designed for full-time workers in northeast Mississippi.

"Northeast recognizes the fact that adult students have a need for non-traditional options in the pursuit of a college degree," commented Johnny Allen, dean of instruction at Northeast.

"Many obstacles may prevent them from attending regular college classes. Northeast designed the Week-End Col-

lege Program to remove those obstacles and make a quality education available for those who would like to complete a two-year associate degree program."

Divided into five, eight-week terms, the academic year for the week-end college allows students to enroll in two classes (six semester hours) each term, earning 32 semester hours in the academic year.

Admission requirements, according to Allen, are the same as for regular college admission. Scholarships and financial aid are available based on eligibility.

For more information about the weekend college, contact Tiffany Johnson at 662-720-7296 or tjohnso@nemcc.ms.us. Visit the Northeast web site at www.nemcc.ms.us.

Week-end college graduates from Tishomingo County are: Jimmie Floyd of Burnsville; Kristy Holley of Dennis; Lorie McCalmon of Golden; Valerie Perrigo of Iuka; and Brian Phelps of Iuka.

Parents Of Michael Burcham Urge "Safety on the Water"

We would like to let parents, children, and teenagers know about our son, Michael, whom we lost June 2nd in a swimming accident at the Steel Bridge.

We could think of so many wonderful things to say about our son, but most of all we want readers to understand our son was an excellent swimmer, he earned Merit Badges in many different water sports while he was an active Boy Scout.

You can't be too careful! Parents, please warn your children and others who plan a trip to the lake. It can be lots of fun or it can change the lives of family and friends forever.

We would like everyone to be aware of the possibility of

danger in the water about it before entering. If we can only prevent hurt and loss of one family life, it would mean so much to us.

We would really thank Logan Flynn, Scott, and Larisa Pittman did everything in their power to save him. Three friends were also good swimmers never gave up. Michael was within 20 to 30 feet of the cove was a 100 ft. Something went wrong. This could have been anyone. Please be carefuling the 4th of July and you are on the water.

Parents of Michael Burcham
 Michael Sr. and Rhonda Burcham

A poem written by Michael Burcham, a very special person
...And We Die Young

We die young as we grow old,
 Forever leaving parts behind trying to hold youth.
 We forget ourselves; our personalities die,
 And we grow old, empty, living a lie.

Shadows cross the faces of everyone you meet,
 Always the worst before the best lying underneath.
 Why can't we just lift the light high
 Instead of holding ourselves at night as we cry?

In our youth, we desperately struggle
 Trying to gain some hold on our tomorrows,
 But each moment passes in the blink of an eye,
 And we grow old, empty, living a lie.

Instead of holding ourselves at night as we cry
 And growing old, empty, living a lie,
 We should seize every moment of day and night
 And not forget ourselves in our search for light.

Let us all die
 Without a tear in our eyes.

Students Participate In Families First

Tishomingo County Families First Resource Center located on the Tishomingo County High School campus in Iuka provides many services. Among these is an after school tutoring program located at each school in the county. We have many students who participate. Christy Pharr was in charge of the tutorial program at Belmont Elementary School. One of her students, Conn Daniel, enjoyed writing when completing his work. We are submitting some of Conn's work to share his view of patriotism with our community. We at Families First hope all of you have a safe and enjoyable holiday with your families.

The American Cause
 by
 Conn Daniel

I think the American is liberty and freedom. During Samuel Adams time there was taxation without representation. They had no liberty or freedom. Thousands fought and died for this cause. All prevailed. Those who fought and died are my heroes. People like Samuel Adams didn't fight but without them there would be no America. That is what I think the American can cause is.

"America"

by Conn Daniel

- Great are the people who brought us America
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REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS

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- Excellent people and public relations skills, serving as an extension of the Executive Director
- Possess good organizational and communication skills, both oral and written
- Possess basic bookkeeping skills
- Ability to work independently following standard operation procedures and policies
- Able to handle multi-tasking successfully

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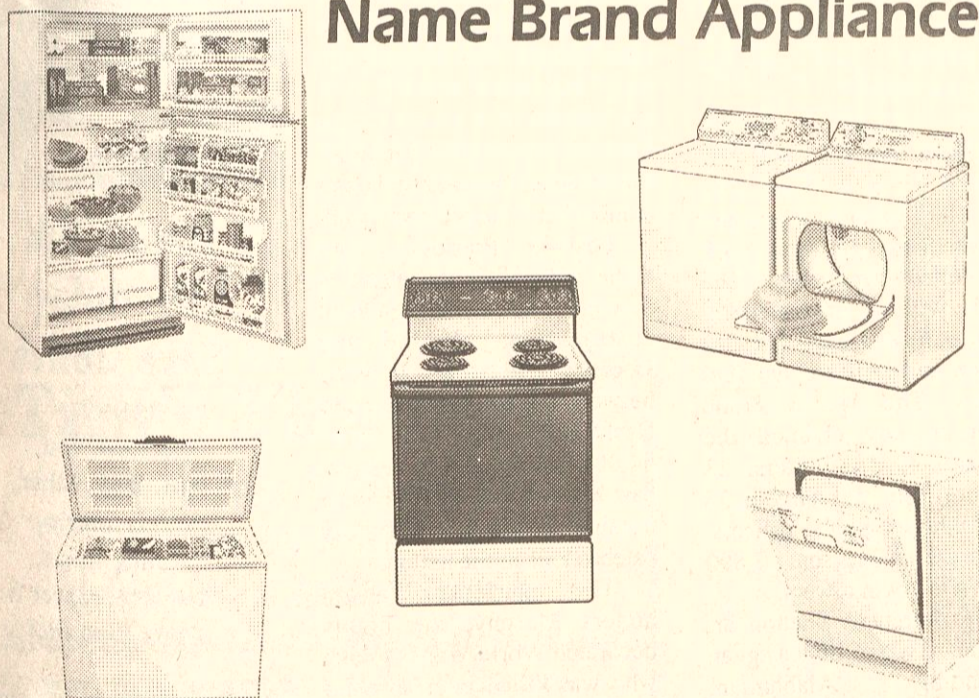
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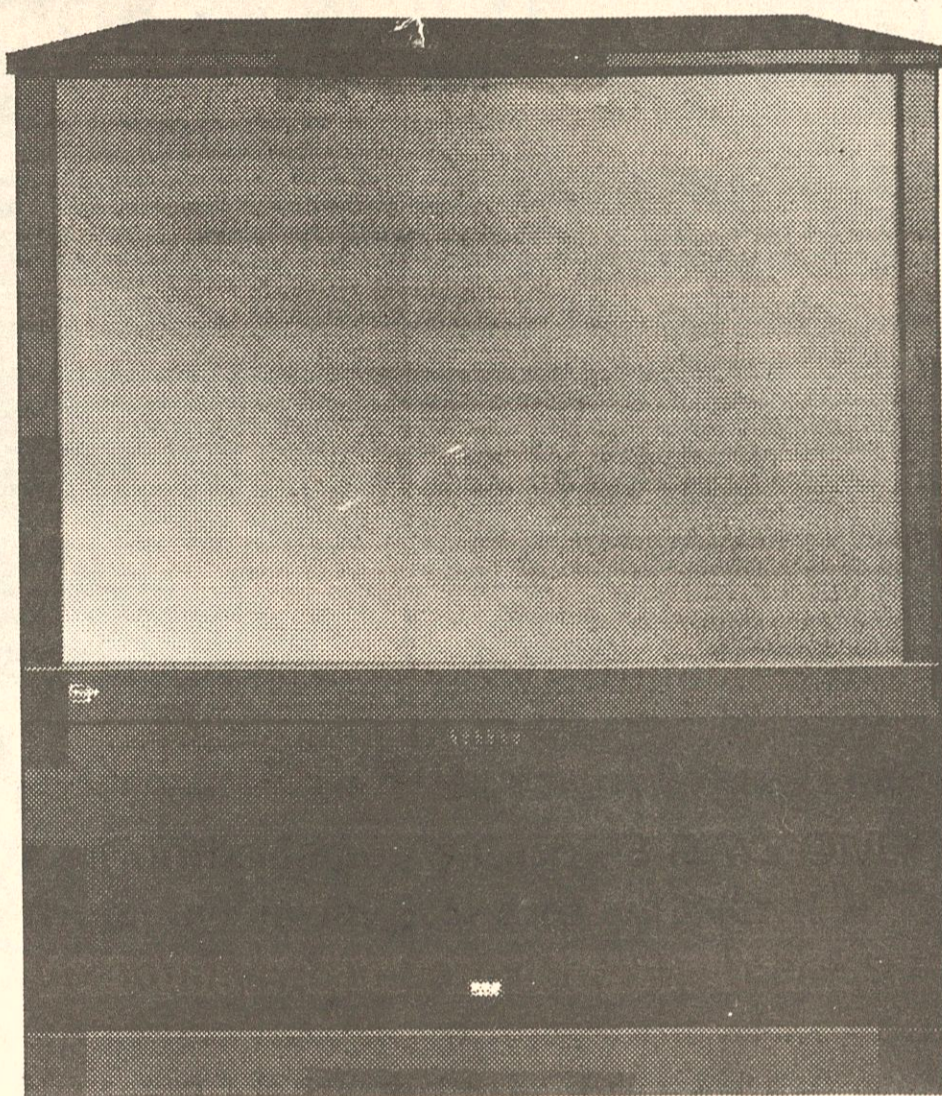


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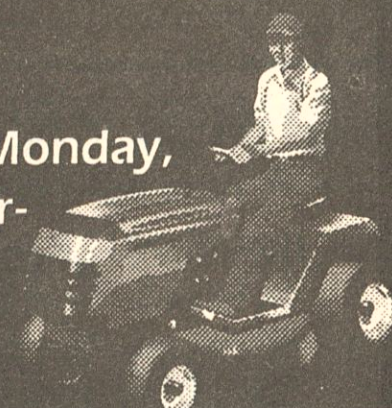
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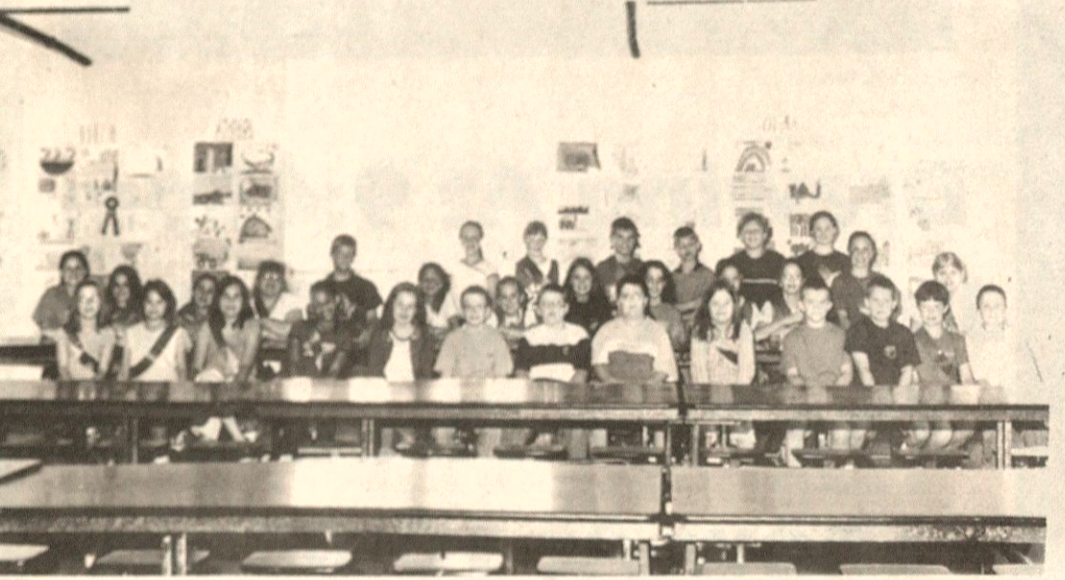
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4th Grade Honor Choir Performs at 4th Grade Recognition



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Iuka Elementary School Recognition Program

Iuka Elementary School recently held a recognition program to honor the 4th graders that will be moving up to the middle school next year. Each Student received a certificate of achievement and the honor roll for the year was recognized.

Mrs. Cutshall recognized the top 4th grade Accelerated Readers in each room. Kaycee Bullard welcomed everyone, Harrison Brown sang the Star Spangled Banner and Alex Hampton read a poem to end

the program. Mrs. Hathorn's honor choir also sang. Coach Cain recognized some of the 4th graders for sportsmanship and Mrs. Parker recognized the Most Improved students in each room along with the citizenship recipients.



Kaycee Bullard and Alex Hampton received All A's for the entire year.



Happy Belated 10th Birthday Ethan Jones

5-1-92
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12:30-Gov. Ronnie Musgrove
is scheduled to speak, and
candidates up for reelection—
judicial posts, all city posts, as
well as U. S. Senator Thad
Cochran and U. S. Representative
Roger Wicker have been
invited.

TRIAD ESSAY CONTEST WINNER

BELMONT STUDENT CAPTURES 1ST PLACE IN TRIAD ESSAY CONTEST; GRANDMOTHER IS SUBJECT OF PRIZE WINNING ESSAY

Tishomingo County Sheriff David Smith announced at the 2nd Annual Quality of Life Fair on May 23 the winner of the event's essay contest.

Tia Adams, a student at Belmont High School selected her Grandmother, Mrs. Anita Nichols, also of Belmont, as the subject of her prize-winning essay. "My grandmother has faced many obstacles in her life," Adams wrote. "Despite this," Adams wrote, "I am completely overwhelmed by her positive attitude, and the courage she possesses." Adams states that her grandmother has dealt with many personal illnesses in her life as well as the loss of other close family members.

Adams went on to say that her Grandmother "has always stressed how important it is to have God" in the student's life.

Sheriff Smith added that Adams' essay was chosen over 52 other entries. The prize winning essay in it's entirety follows.

"The Senior Citizen Who Has Most Impacted My Life"

Tia Adams
For: Mrs. Hester
5-9-2002

"My Grandmother"

There have been numerous people throughout my life who have impacted me in some way. These people have played major roles in the shaping of my character, attitude, and beliefs. I feel extremely blessed to have so many positive, influential figures in my life. Although all

have played key roles, the one who has impacted me the most is definitely my grandmother, Anita Nichols.

My grandmother, has faced many obstacles throughout her life. In 1992, my grandmother was diagnosed with ovarian cancer. She underwent countless treatments and went through surgeries hoping to rid herself of the cancerous trace. With time, she overcame the sickness and was able to continue her daily activities she enjoyed so well. In November of 1997, my grandfather was diagnosed with lung cancer. he was admitted into the hospital in early November, and died within one month. This was a very difficult time. Only one year later, my grandmother's mom was also admitted into the hospital and passed away within weeks. This also was very difficult for my grandmother to cope with. She lost two of the most important people in her life in a time span of only fourteen months.

Just recently my grandmother was diagnosed with stomach cancer. A trace of the previous cancer had seeped into her stomach, where it began to cause serious problems. Throughout the past four months, she has been undergoing powerful chemotherapy treatments in an attempt to overcome the sickness.

Despite his, and all other obstacles she faces, my grandmother continues with her life

as though nothing has happened. I am completely overwhelmed by her positive attitude, and the courage she possesses. The unbelievable strength and strong will she holds during difficult times never ceased to impress me.

Not only is she my mother, but also a very friend. I can talk with my grandmother about things I can't talk to anyone else about. She has experienced the things I am experiencing in life today, and I often look to her for advice. It is not know that at the end of a day, I can come home to an outstanding woman like my grandmother and know that she will help me work through problems.

My grandmother is a hero. From the time I was a small child and even today, she has always stressed how important it is to have faith in my life. I thank her for introducing me to the one I could not live without, and for bringing her family up as an outstanding Christian church. She has always tried to do what is right, and I feel blessed to have a Christian influence like her in my life.

My grandmother's positive attitude, her strong will, and undying love for everyone had an indescribable impact on my life, and I will take absolutely nothing for granted for the key role she has played in shaping who I am today.

Decatur To Honor America's 9-11 Heroes At July 4th Spirit Of America Festival

The spirit of America stands tall in Decatur, Ala. this Independence Day in a tribute to New York firefighters and policemen, the "let's roll" passenger of Sept. 11 and the CIA agent slain in Afghanistan. The 36th Spirit of America Festival, a two-day tribute to the nation's birthday, will be held July 3-4 at Point Mallard, a municipal park on the Tennessee River.

The Audie Murphy Patriotism Award will be accepted by New York City Fire Chief Daniel A. Nigro and officials from the New York City Police Department. The awards will be presented by Decatur Fire Chief Charles Johnson and Police Chief Joel Gilliam. The World Trade Center tragedy claimed the lives of 343 firefighters, 23 police officers and another 37 Port Authority police officers. They were among some 2,800 killed in the twin towers.

The Barrett C. Shelton Sr. Freedom Award, honoring an outstanding Alabamian, recognizes Johnny "Mike" Spann, 32, of Winfield, Ala. The award will be accepted by his widow, Shannon Spann (and parents Johnny and Gail Spann). Mike Spann was the first combat casualty in Afghanistan when he was killed last Nov. 29 in battle at a prison uprising in Mazar-e-Sharif, Afghanistan.

The H. J. Heimlich Humanitarian Award recipient will be the Beamer Foundation established in honor of Todd Beamer who lost his life when a hijacked airplane headed for a suicide mission September 11 crashed in a Pennsylvania Field. Beamer's last words before he and fellow passengers attacked the terrorists were "let's roll". The

and women in the unpopular war. When then President Ronald Reagan came to the festival in 1984, he told a crowd of 50,000-plus, he remembered the time "when some people said patriotism was out of style. Well, I guess here in Decatur it was never out of style." Referring to the protesters, Reagan said "when other people were burning the flag, you were waving it. I don't know if a president has ever thanked you for that. Please accept my gratitude and admiration," the president said.

Festival President Tom Little noted that the event is free and financed through local contributions. Although Decatur, located midway between Birmingham and Nashville, only has some 54,000 residents, its festival has become one of the most notable Fourth of July celebrations in the nation.

The patriotism award honors Murphy, the highly decorated World War II soldier who was killed in an airplane crash five weeks before he was to speak at the 1991 festival. Among the recipients were Olympic great Jesse Owens, five-star Gen. Omar Bradley, chief Warrant Officer Michael

Duran, U. S. Sen. Strom Thurmond, educator M. Collins, and Secretary of Alexander Haig.



Happy 5th Birthday Jake Jones

7-6-97
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well as U. S. Senator Thad
Cochran and U. S. Representative
Roger Wicker have been
invited.

phrase has become a unifying force in America. Accepting the award will be Doug MacMillan, Todd's best friend, and Executive Director of the Foundation.

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Thrasher-Wilbanks To Wed July 6th, 2002

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Thrasher of Belmont announce the engagement of their daughter, Amber Nicole Thrasher to Jeremy Hugh Wilbanks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wilbanks of Walnut, Ms.

Miss Thrasher is the granddaughter of Ms. Marilyn Brown and Ms. Imogene Thrasher and the late Grady Thrasher of Burnsville.

Mr. Wilbanks is the grandson of Proctor Wilbanks and the late Jewel Wilbanks, and the late Elma Reed and the late Terry Reed.

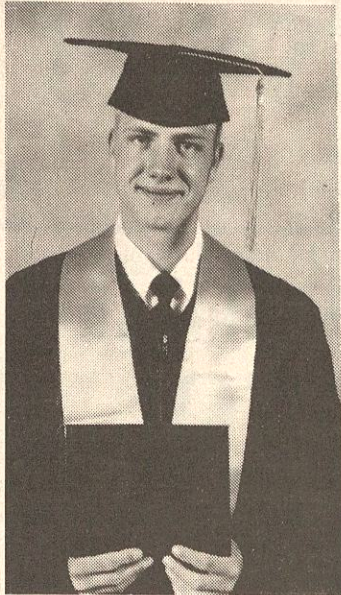
Miss Thrasher is a 1998

graduate of Belmont High School. She is currently employed at Peoples Bank of Corinth.

Mr. Wilbanks is a 1993 graduate of Kossuth High School. He is currently employed at Caterpillar Inc. of Corinth.

The couple will exchange vows at 2:00 p.m. on July 6, 2002 at Burnsville Tabernacle Church. A reception will follow immediately in the fellowship hall. All friends and family are invited to attend.

The couple will make their home in Walnut, Ms.



Jacob Murphy Graduates With Honors From Military Academy

Congratulations to you son! You got your high school diploma and graduated with honors from a top notch military academy.

You've set your goals, chosen your college and have already begun the career of your choice.

You have accomplished something truly wonderful and you should be very proud of yourself. You can do anything you set your mind to and your graduation is proof of that. Never doubt yourself.

You will do even more wonderful things with your future. The world is yours - go out and experience it and don't waste your talents ever. Just be true to yourself and do your best and good things will come.

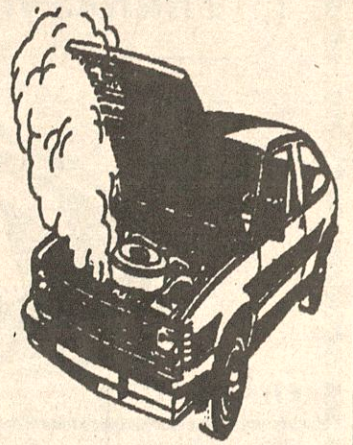
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The descendents of James Alford, Charlie, Carlia (McDuffy) Brown and Elmer would like you to meet and visit as long as you like at the McDuffy family reunion.

The reunion will be at the Woodman of the World Building, Hwy. 25 South in Dennis, MS. on Saturday, July 6th.

Doors will be open at 10 a.m. Lunch will be served at noon. Bring a dish for lunch. Let's get to know our family again. Visitors welcome. Follow Balloon signs on Hwy. 25 South for more information, call 423-9662 or 423-6512.

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claimed 7 habits and show them how to apply the habits by setting up a principle-centered framework to build strong family relationships, increase understanding, and create a life that's mutually beneficial to all.

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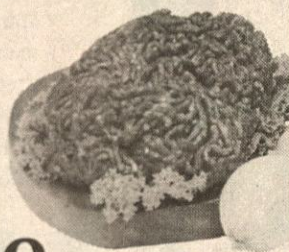
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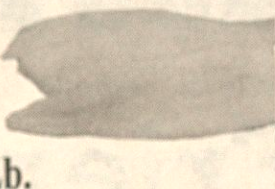
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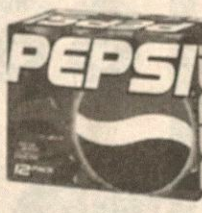


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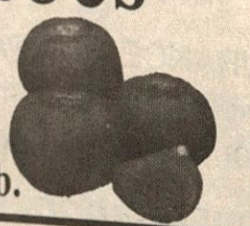
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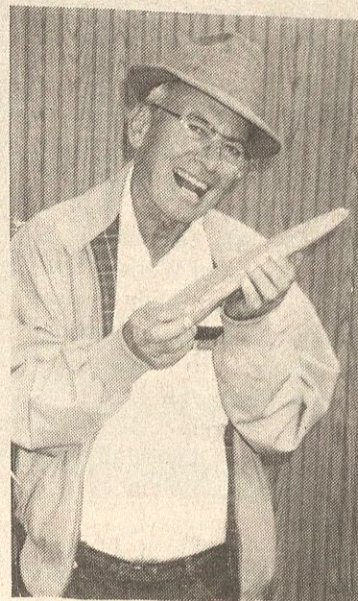
Funeral Services Held For J. C. Lambert, Jr.

J. C. Lambert, Jr., 78, died Wednesday, June 26, 2002, at Southern Magnolia Estates. He was a member of Antioch Freewill Baptist Church and an Army veteran of World War II. He was a barber in Iuka for 11 years, and owned and operated J. C. Lambert Hardware in Burnsville for 40 years. He was honorably discharged from the Civilian Conservation Corps. He was well known for contributing generously to his community.

Services were at 1 p.m. Thursday at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel in Iuka with Bro. Junior Jones and Bro. Jerry Copley officiating. Burial was in the Antioch Cemetery.

Survivors include a son, Anthony Lambert of Iuka; a daughter and son-in-law, Beverly A. and Elmer Murray of Iuka; two brothers, Billy Joe Lambert and Cody Lambert, both of Burnsville; three sisters, Clidell Epperson of Burnsville, Georgie Bonds of Alabama and Tommy Brown of Iuka; nine grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Maxine Lambert; two sons, William Clyde



Lambert and Michael Dewayne Lambert; three brothers, Richard, Robert and Leland Lambert; and a sister, Annie Lee Lambert.

Pallbearers were Michael Davis, Craig Hall, Brad Murray, Terry Lambert, Josh McDuffy and Jay Thomas Lambert.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, NCICFUL, P.O. Box 102454, Atlanta, GA 30368-2454.

J. C. Lambert

Born April 13, 1924 - Died June 26, 2002

He was born to Willie Lee and Chigger Jim Lambert in Burnsville. He had nine brothers and sisters. He married Maxine Marlar on October 31, 1942. She was 14 and he was 18. He was in the Army and went to serve in World War II. After being honorably discharged from the Army he and Maxine moved to Memphis where he went to Barber College and worked at the same time. Maxine was also working two jobs and taking care of their first born son. After returning to Iuka, J. C. began working at the barber shop in Iuka and at one point was the manager. His brother

Richard Lambert and Reggie Bonds were also barbers there. Ms. Hattie Choate had a beauty shop upstairs. He worked there until he and Maxine began the hardware and building supply in Burnsville in 1962 on a piece of property that was a literal hole in the ground and with \$500.00 they had managed to save. He had a barber shop on the premises with which he made a living while they took the \$500.00 and bought paint. Each sale was reinvested into the business and turned it into a successful business. It is still operating to this day.

J. C. was a lifelong member of Antioch Freewill Baptist Church in Burnsville. He leaves a legacy of hard work and love that dictates the history of his life.

As his daughter, I want to say that Daddy's love in life was his family, people and work. I have people coming to me on a regular basis telling of some way he helped them or their family. He was a big cut-



up who loved to pull pranks and tell jokes. I had someone since his death tell me that going to get a haircut at the shop in Iuka when he was a kid was not just a haircut, but entertainment. Even when Alzheimer's took a portion of Daddy's personality from him, most of the time he had that sweet loving attitude that was always trying to help someone else.

The caregivers at Southern Magnolia Assisted Living Center would often go in and tell Daddy they needed a back rub. He would stand for 15 or 20 minutes gently scratching their back.

We children had a wonderful loving father who although not perfect, was a carrying, loving father. I just want to get across this one point, he was a good man. Burnsville lost a friend that wanted it to progress and be all it could be. Iuka lost a man that loved it and it's people. We all lost a kind and generous business man but most of all we've all lost "A Good Man."

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,

In 1994 after the ice storm devastated much of Tishomingo County, large bucket trucks from electrical power associations throughout the south came to our county to help in the clean up.

These workers and our men from our own local power association worked day and night to restore electricity to the homes and businesses of the area.

Sometimes tempers flared, and we were all impatient, but we knew that these devoted men would not give up until every home in Tishomingo County once again had electricity.

Now today, these same men, who are active members of our community, are standing on the side of the road, being replaced by contract linemen from Louisiana.

The large bucket trucks from Louisiana rolled into Iuka on Sunday and were parked at the TCEPA lot some seven hours before the strike was scheduled to begin. The TCEPA trucks were moved out into the lot, and the Louisiana trucks were parked under the garages.

Our home boys were locked out of their "jobs" on Thursday and replaced by contract labor on Sunday. It is rumored that these men from Louisiana were paid \$50,000 or more, up front, just to come to Tishomingo County.

Why couldn't this money be

used to help pay the additional insurance costs Mr. Grisham is indicating the workers need to pay.

If this strike is not settled soon, how much will this contract labor cost the members of the association? If the strike lasts four weeks, it could cost as much as \$100,000 or more! What will our community gain from this strike?

Will the men from Louisiana spend this \$100,000 in Tishomingo County? Will they be active members of our community? Will their children go to school here? Will they attend our churches and contribute to our charities? Will they pay taxes, buy tags, or contribute to our county in any way?

The membership (the consumers) need to think about these questions and call your TCEPA board members or Robert Grisham and ask for further details on how this strike is going to benefit anyone.

A customer of the TCEPA

P.S. When my power goes out, I peep out the window in the dark watching for the big white truck with the TCEPA emblem on the side. I know in that truck are local men I know personally or are related to. I feel safe. That is what is important!

These men are not striking for more money. They just want to keep a benefit that they have had for over 30 years.

Tishomingo Alumni Meet For The 54th Year

The 54th Annual Reunion of the Tishomingo Alumni Association will be Saturday, July 6th. Registration will be from 2 until 4:30 in the Tishomingo Middle School. The banquet will be in the Tension Building (next door to the Tishomingo Baptist Church). Seating for the banquet will begin at 5 p.m. The Tishomingo Middle School cheerleaders, under the leadership of Mrs. Darrah Roberts, will start serving at 5:30.

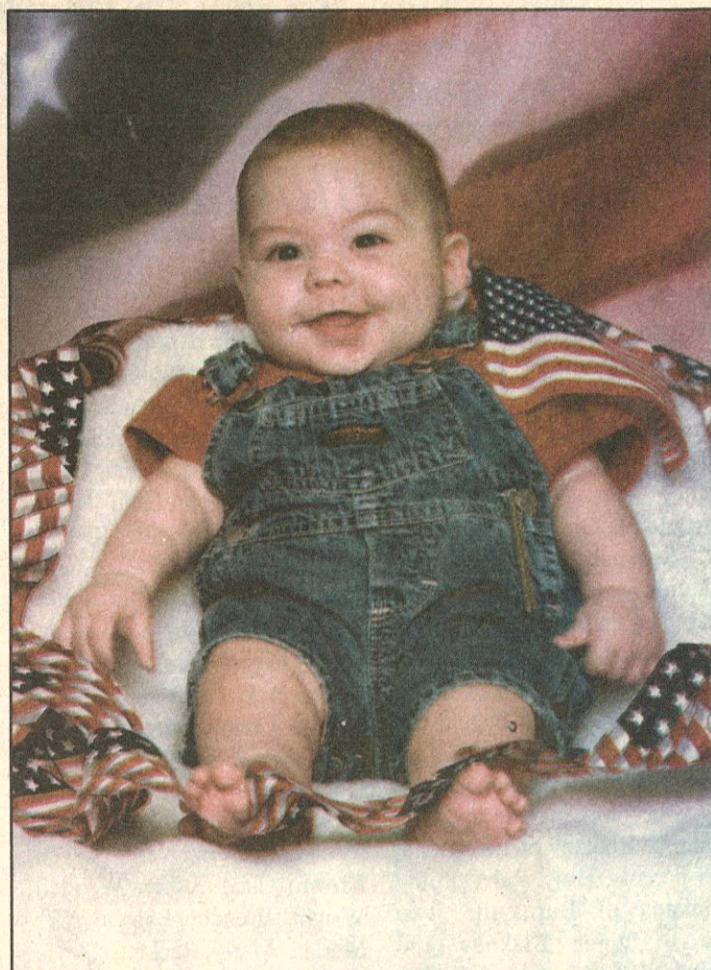
Each year the alumni awards two \$300 scholarships to graduating seniors. This year's recipients are: Eric Bostick from Belmont High School and Daniel Parrish from Tishomingo County High School.

Donations are given to the school library each year and to the principal for a Special Project. The Project this year is to help with the cost of covering the walkways connecting the band hall and new gym to the middle school building. Mr. Atkinson, principal, uses the money from the school system wisely, but he can always use some extra help with the cost of supplies and labor.

The honored classes this year are all the ones that end with a 2 or 7, such as: 1987, 1982, 1977, 1972, 1967, 1962,

1957, 1952, 1947, 1942, etc. Letters were mailed to the graduates of these classes and to those who paid dues last year. If you did not receive a letter, you may still reserve seats at the banquet by contacting one of the officers: President Zora Lee Hill (438-6484), Vice-president Charles South (438-6383), Secretary Margaret Underwood (438-6440), or Treasurer Barbara McRae Oaks (438-6922). If you wish to mail dues and/or donations the address is P.O. Box 474, Tishomingo MS 38873. A quick way for contact in this technological era is to e-mail Margaret at mu2@frontiernet.net. Donations can be made to honor a special person/group or in memory of a special person/group. All dues and donations are tax deductible!

Don't miss out on a chance to renew friendships, enjoy good food, tour the school and win a door prize. Our merchants in Tishomingo County gladly contribute our door prizes. Many have contributed year after year. Dues are \$3 per person and the meal is \$7 per person. After the banquet you may want to go a few blocks over to the street dance sponsored by the Tishomingo Chamber of Commerce.



Happy 4th of July!

Braxton Davis born on January 31st, 2002, proudly shows his patriotism in support of his father, Maj. Christopher Davis who is currently serving his country in Kuwait with the United States Army. Braxton is the son of Maj. Christopher and Lori Davis of Iuka. He is the grandson of Faynell and the late Tip Davis of Iuka, Sandra Wadkins of Iuka, and Amos Rutledge of Burnsville.

Proposals For Pickwick Lake Development

The Tishomingo County Development Foundation is soliciting new proposals to develop, operate and manage a 31 acre commercial recreational development and associated facilities on Pickwick Lake under a 40 year renewable lease.

Copies of the prospectus can be obtained by depositing

(\$50.00) for each prospectus received at the TCDF office (old courthouse) at 203 E. Quitman Street, Iuka, MS 38852. (662) 423-9933. Sealed proposals will be received at the TCDF office on or before 2:00p.m. September 4, 2002.

Alvia J. Blakney
Executive Director, TCDF



Happy Belated 3rd Birthday
Wishes go out to Kensie & Kallie Roberts daughters of Randy and Dana Roberts from Grandparents Kenny & Judy Schaper

No Car Wash Blues For Iuka Dixie Girls

The Iuka Dixie Girls All Stars will sponsor a Car Wash this Saturday, July 6th at Wal-mart from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. All proceeds will be used for expenses to the Dixie Girls Softball State Championship in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi. The Iuka Dixie Debs (ages 16-18) were honored to receive their bid to advance straight to the state playoffs. The Angels (ages 9/10), Ponytails (ages 11/12) and Belles (ages 13/15) will have to fight their way to the championship by battling district teams from Corinth, Belmont and Tishomingo in a double elimination series.

The girls are also selling raffle tickets for a deluxe Charcoal Bar-B-Que Grill (compliments of Wal-mart!). Each ticket is just \$1.00 and all proceeds will be used to help defray the expenses of State Competition. Stop by and get your car washed and buy a raffle ticket or two (or 10!). It's all for a good cause, for a good bunch of kids!

District Playoffs will begin on Monday, July 8th at 6:00 p.m. at the Iuka Dixie Girls Softball Complex. Your support and encouragement is greatly appreciated. There's no greater motivation than knowing your family, friends and community are behind you!

Schedule:

Monday - July 8, 2002

Tishomingo Belles vs Corinth Belles - Monday, July 8th - 6:00 p.m.

Iuka Ponytails vs Belmont Ponytails - Monday, July 8th - 6:00 p.m.

Belmont Angels vs Iuka Angels - Monday, July 8th - 6:00 p.m.

Iuka Belles vs Belmont Belles - Monday, July 8th - 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday - July 9, 2002

Iuka Angels vs Belmont Angels - Tuesday, July 9th - 6:00 p.m.

Belmont Ponytails vs. Iuka Ponytails - Tuesday, July 9th - 6:00 p.m.

Belles Loser of Game #1 vs Belles Loser of Game #2 - Tuesday, July 9th - 6:00 p.m.

Belles Winner Game #1 vs Belles Winner of Game #2 - Tuesday, July 9th - 8:00 p.m.



Pictured left to right: Coaches: Wesley McGill, Danny Allen, and Mikey Shea. Players: Devin Reader, Whitney Sanders, Erin James, Crystal Rast, Sara Shea, Hannah Thomas, Carrie Keeton, Ashton Puckett, Kristin Duncan, Chelsey Glidewell, and Jamie Leigh Fisch.

-OBITUARIES-

Rodney Blakney

Rodney Blakney, 25, died Wednesday, June 26, 2002, at the Iuka Hospital. He worked eight years with his father until becoming employed with Ferrous Metals. He was a graduate of Tishomingo County High School. He enjoyed deer hunting and playing basketball.

Services were at 1 p.m. Saturday at Antioch Freewill Baptist Church with Bro. Mike Edwards and Bro. Glenn Jones officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. Cutshall Funeral Home of Iuka was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his wife, Jennifer Blakney of Burnsville; his parents, Billy and Dorothy Blakney of Burnsville; two sons, Hunter Blakney and Caleb Blakney, both of Iuka; three step-daughters, Ashley

Avery, Morgan Griffith and Heather Griffith, all of Burnsville; three brothers, Billy Blakney of Knoxville, Tenn., Tim Blakney of Manchester, Tenn., and Cory Blakney of Burnsville; three sisters, Linda Ligon and her husband, Keith, of Iuka, and Brenda Kramer and her husband, Mike, and Lisa Blakney, all of Burnsville; five nieces, Nicole Blakney, Kasie Ligon, Jessica Kramer, Shannon Kramer and Ashley Kramer; two nephews, Justin Kramer and Casey Kramer.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Barry Morris.

Pallbearers were Steven Brown, Chad Fisher, Wendell Wright, Brandon Brown, A.T. Marlar, Marty Puckett, Doyle Rorie and Randy Floyd.

Scott Stephens

Scott Stephens, 91, died Wednesday, June 26, 2002, at the North Mississippi Medical Center. He was a member of Tishomingo Baptist Church and a retired employee of Illinois Central Railroad, where he was a section foreman. He enjoyed spending time with family and friends, and working in the yard.

Services were at 11 a.m. Saturday at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel in Iuka with Bro. Jim Pinkerton officiating. Burial was in Tishomingo Cemetery.

Survivors include a son, Ray Stephens and his wife, Sue, of Huntsville, Ala.; a daughter, Sissie Parrish and her husband, Billy, of New Albany; two brothers, Pat Stephens of Paden and Leland Stephens of Lubbock, Texas; four sisters, Willard Crane of Bridgeport, Ala., Grace Thorne of Mem-

phis, and Beulah Bellamy and Marie Bratsch, both of Pensacola, Fla.; three grandchildren, Cherri Polk of Olive Branch, Carla Sims of Harvest, Ala., and David Stephens of Huntsville, Ala.; four great-grandchildren, Amber Polk of Southaven, Corey Polk of Memphis, and Joy Sheppard and Alan Sheppard, both of Harvest, Ala.; one great-great-grandchild, Lindsey Polk of Southaven.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Bea Stephens; and four half brothers, Bryan, Clint, Noonan and Pate Stephens.

Pallbearers were Cory Polk, David Stephens, Chris Sims, Don Bratsch, Mike Timbes, Wayne Martin and Quethel McNatt.

Memorials may be made to the Tishomingo Baptist Church, the American Heart Association or a charity of the donor's choice.

William R. Hunt

William R. Hunt, 74, formerly of Cincinnati, Ohio, died Friday, June 28, 2002, at the Tishomingo County Living Center after an extended illness. He was retired from Powell Valve Company in Cincinnati and attended Hilltop Church of God. He was the widower of Dorothy Cooksey Hunt.

Services were at 11 a.m. Monday at the McMillan Fu-

neral Home Chapel. Burial was in the Fairview Church of God Cemetery.

Survivors include four stepsons, Jimmy Barnes of Oxford, Joey Barnes, Jerry Barnes and Johnny Barnes, all of Iuka; eight step-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Wade Davis, Mario Barnes, Corey Barnes, Brandon Morgan, Bobby Hendrix, and Clarence Tucker.

Hazel Miles

Hazel Miles, 78, of Iuka, MS, died July 1, 2002 at the Iuka Hospital. She was a member of Magnolia Baptist Church. Mrs. Miles loved fishing, sewing, and going to yard sales.

Services will be Thursday, July 4, 2002 at 11 a.m. at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Howard Stanford officiating. Burial will be in Snowdown Cemetery. Cutshall Funeral Home will be in charge of the arrangements.

She is preceded in death by an infant son, Billy Wayne Miles; her parents, Frank and Ada Allred; four brothers, Euil,

Huey, D.C. and Noonan Allred; and a sister, Josephine Terrien.

Survivors include her husband, John Robert Miles of Iuka; two sons, Robert Miles of Kenosha, WI and Charles Miles (Shelia) of Iuka; one daughter, Geraldine (Don) West, Kenosha, WI; two sisters, Azilene Clark and Avanel Cooper, both of Iuka; seven grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Bruce Whited, James Allred, Ernest Allred, Billy High, Joey Pruitt, Jamie Pruitt, Reuben Massey and Marlin Clark.

Visitation will be Wednesday, July 3 from 5-9 p.m. at Cutshall Funeral Home.

Ruel F. Cornelius Sr.

Ruel F. Cornelius Sr., 73, died Monday, June 24, 2002, at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Booneville.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Ludlam Funeral Home in Iuka with Ministers Hal Holt and Charles Gilbert officiating. Burial was in the Bethlehem Cemetery in Tishomingo.

Survivors include his wife, Laverne Cornelius of Tishomingo; two sons, Ruel Cornelius and his wife, Karen, of Iuka, and Randy Cornelius

and his wife, Heather, of Hamilton, Ala.; two daughters, Susan Barksdale and her husband, Mark, of Vina, Ala., and Jennifer Cornelius of Tishomingo; a brother, Pat Cornelius and his wife, Margret, of Tishomingo; a sister, Marie Woodruff of Memphis; a sister-in-law, Beth Cornlius of Brandon, and granddaughter, Rachel Cornelius of Hamilton, Ala.

Pallbearers were Benny Kaye, Billy Alsup, Joe Clark, Joseph McNatt, William Heron and Johnny Poole.

Jesse W. Rathbun

Jesse W. Rathbun, 61, died Saturday, June 29, 2002, at St. Francis Hospital in Memphis, Tenn.

Services were at 3 p.m. Monday at the Ludlam Funeral Home Chapel in Iuka with Minister Jim Brown officiating. Burial was in New Prospect Cemetery.

Survivors include his

mother, Margaret Rathbun of Baxley, GA; his wife, Audrey Rathbun of Iuka; one son, Mike Miller and his wife, Marigay of Bartlett, Tenn.; one daughter, Michelle Crum and her husband, Vernon, of Dennis; four grandchildren, Stacey Price, Ashley Price, Ben Crum and Andrew Miller; and one great-grandchild, Stephen Clark.

Thank You

We, the family of J. C. Lambert, want to extend our thanks to so many people. To Southern Magnolia Estates - words can't express to you Trev what it means to us that you held him in your arms, sang to him, prayed for him and cried with us. Thanks to your staff who cared for him on a daily basis. Thanks to Dr. Kelly Segars for not being just his doctor, but his friend.

Thanks to Cutshall Funeral Home for the professional and caring way they carried out our wishes.

A huge thanks to sister-in-laws Bonnie Beaumont and Virginia Marlar for all the help and care you gave to him and to us.

A special thanks to Thelma Ann Stephens for her love and care of him and the many times she has been there for us.

Thank you First Free Will Baptist Church family for the food, flowers, calls, cards and we know, prayers.

Thank you friends of his who came to pay your respects and the ones that couldn't come out for the flowers and prayers.

Thank you Bro. J. R. Jones for the good message you brought to comfort us with our loss.

Thank you to Bro. Jerry Copley who did not have the privilege of knowing him but gave us comfort and gave the world the message is it well with your soul - it was with J. C.

Thank you Patty and Heather Copley who sang so beautifully "Prayer Changes Things". Thank you Nita Howell for "Beulah Land" and comforted us knowing he was already in Beulah Land.

Thanks to the pallbearers, Jay Thomas Lambert, Brad Murray, Terry Lambert, Michael Davis, Craig Hall, Tim Wigginton and Josh McDuffy.

We thank all of you for your love for him that spilled over to us.

With love,

The J. C. Lambert Family

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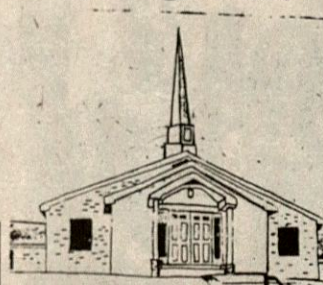
Fifth Street Baptist Church

610 West Fifth Street
Iuka, Mississippi 38852

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday
Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.

Bro. Tony Curtis, Pastor
Telephone Numbers:
Office - 423-9556
Home - voice/TDD 424-9541



Wednesday
Prayer & Bible Study.....7:00 p.m.
Thursday
Bus Visitation.....5:30 p.m.
Church Visitation.....6:00 p.m.

William Floyd Williams

William Floyd Williams, 88, died Saturday, June 29, 2002, at his residence in Glen. He was born April 3, 1914, in Waterloo, Ala. He was a U. S. Army veteran of World War II. He retired from Sandy Lumber Company and was a member of the Chapel Hill Methodist Church. He enjoyed gardening, reading, watching all sports, and especially his family. He liked playing dominoes and checkers.

Services were at 11 a.m. Monday at New Liberty Baptist Church with the Rev. Edward Kennedy officiating. Burial was in the Chapel Hill Church Cemetery. McPeters Funeral Home of Corinth was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his wife of 54 years, Bertha Phillips Williams of Glen; one son, Hershel Williams and his wife, Edith of Iuka; four daughters, Ann Campbell and her husband, James, and Betty Derrick and her husband, Jerry, all of Corinth, Brenda McLarty and her husband, Eugene, of Ox-

ford, and Billie Jones and her husband, David, of Ardmore, Ala.; 11 grandchildren; Melissa W. Lambert, Angela Williams, Gwen C. Waller, Michael Campbell, Stephen Campbell, Jeremy Derrick, Brandon Derrick, Bob McLarty, Shannon McLarty, Daniel and K. C. Jones; great-grandchildren, Savannah Wallace, Danielle Doss, Nicholas Campbell, C. J., Abby Alehia McLarty.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph P. and Letha Weaver Williams; three brothers, Leslie, Clifford and Willard Williams; five sisters, Lillie Wiginton, Ann Stricklen, Noma Hollander, Edna Haney and Myrtle Hollander.

Pallbearers were Randy Holland, Eddie Williams, Ronnie Williams, Al Phillips, Dale Phillips and Larry Holland.

Honorary pallbearers were Joe Phillips, Thomas Phillips, Leonard Phillips and Gene Maricle Isbell.

Sardis Church News

By: Louise White Family

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.

VERSE OF THE WEEK: "Let these also first be proved; then let them use the office of a deacon, being found blameless" (1 Timothy 3:10).

Our lesson was about the need to thank God for godly men who fulfill their responsibilities as leaders in church.

God does not recognize our man-made titles and positions. He only recognizes those who humbly seek to honor Him in faithful service to others. Throughout the Bible service is associated with greatness. Moses was a shepherd until God called him to lead Israel, and Joshua who served under Moses was chosen to lead Israel across Jordan in to the Promised Land.

God has qualifications that are specific of those who serve as deacons and in leadership roles in the church. The qualifications show the spiritual nature and importance to the ministry of a church. They should have a dignified character and a Christian commitment and faithfulness. Deacons who serve faithfully are to be respected by the entire church. They serve in a

position that their church chose for them. Working with the church to accomplish goals. There are trying circumstances where they are called on to stand with their past. Sometimes they have to render service that is less than pleasant. They render the service because of their love for the Lord and for the church. We need to be thankful for those who God's grace have proven themselves worthy.

June 30 is the Fifth Sunday singing and dinner on the ground at Sardis and we hope everyone will come out to join in praising the Lord. The meal around noon followed by singing until around 3 p.m.

Homecoming At Snowdown Methodist Church...

Sunday, July 7, Snowdown will have their annual homecoming. Services will begin at 11:00 o'clock. Rev. Dw. Whitehurst will bring the message.

Lunch will be served at 12:00 o'clock. Singing in the afternoon.

All piano players and singers invited.

Correction...

Billy Alsup's name was incorrectly in last week's Tishomingo News as attending a Birthday Party honoring Fredda Myrick.

According to Mr. Alsup did not attend.

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Sunday Evening Worship.....	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study.....	7:00 p.m.

Phone 423-6019

Southwood Baptist Church
Southwood Dr.
(located between Hwy. 25 & Pleasant Hill Road)

Sunday School.....	10:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship.....	11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship.....	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting.....	6:00 p.m.

Brother Billy Credille - Pastor 662-454-7296

Iuka Baptist Church
105 W. Eastport St.

Sunday Services
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 10:55 a.m.
Church Training 6:00 p.m.
Worship Service 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service
Mid-Week Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Bro. Jerry Michael Williams, Minister of Youth/Education
Rev C. I. Puckett - Senior Adult Ministries
Mrs. Glenda Jones, Minister of Music

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Burnsville Library News

By: Debra Harrell

Last week ended our Summer Reading Program which was June 4-25, 2002 11:00 - 12:00 every Tuesday. We had a very busy month of June.

We started off the first day with Registration for the program. Each child that registered had to set a reading goal for the summer. Each week the children came and registered for the Grand Prizes, placed stickers on their baskets for Perfect Attendance, Named the Mascot (which was a Betta), entered contests, played games, made crafts and checked out books.

The first week's theme was "I Scream for Ice Cream"! Our craft was making ice cream placemats. We played the picnic basket relay game. We concluded the hour having a story "The Greatest Picnic in the World" Second week's theme was "Be Careful, Be Safe" We made first aid kits and curly snakes. Iuka and Corinth Hospital donated an assortment of items for the kits. I would like to say Thank You to both hospitals for helping with your donations! Our contest this week was "Guess How Many Gummy Lizards are in the Jar"? William McMullin from Corinth Library came and told the children some of his stories for storytime. They all enjoyed William and his stories!

The third week's theme was "Beach Fun" we had Crazy Sunglasses day, played the beach ball pass with your feet game and choose a Boat game in which you got a small, medium or large prize. Mrs. Linda Inlow read a story "Froggy Learns to Swim". Our contest this week was "Guess How Many Fish are in the Jar"?

The Fourth and final week's theme was "Let's Have a Picnic." All activities were outside and it was HOT! We played several games! We had Ring Toss, Water balloon Relay Race and Bobbing for Apples. For our picnic, we cooked hotdogs on an indoor grill, had chips cookies, watermelon to eat, and pink lemonade to drink. After everyone finished eating, we then went inside to give out the awards and certificates.

Winners were "Name the Mascot" - Angel King; "Guess How Many Fish" - Brittany

Skinner; "Guess How Many Gummy Lizards" 2 winners Tom Hamm and Porsha Dunn; Grand Prize ages 6-12, Brittany Skinner, prize consisted of a tote bag, beach ball, Frisbee, water gun, water slide. Grand Prize ages 0-5, Veronica Shea, prize was a child's table and chairs set with an umbrella. Congratulations to all winners!

We had a good summer program. I appreciate all the ones who came, hope you come again next year and bring your friends.

I would like to say Thank You to the Library Board members who came and helped. They donated craft items, donated their time. Couldn't have done it without them. Also, my Subs helped a lot! I would like to say Thank You to them! Jan Spoon, Ruth Stone and Joy McCoy. I also had some parents donate their time in helping. Thank You all so much!

This is the last column article that I will be writing for about 6 weeks. I will be out recovering from surgery. When I return to work, I'll start back writing the article. Melissa Lambert, Jan Spoon and Ruth Stone will be filling in at the Library until I return to work.

I hope that everyone has a

Safe and Happy July 4th.

Library Hours are: Monday-Friday 11:00-3:00, Saturday-Sunday Closed.

Closings

Tishomingo County Offices- All County offices in the Courthouse will be closed July 4th and July 5th.

MS State Offices- All Mississippi State offices will be closed.

Landfill- The landfill will be closed July 4th and July 5th. Garbage pickup will be as usual on both the 4th and the 5th.

Crowe's Florist- Crowe's Florist in Tishomingo will close, Saturday, June 29th, at noon and will reopen on Monday, July 8th, at 8:00 a.m.



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June Yard of the Month Is A Beauty!
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IUKA HOSPITAL AND WELLNESS CENTER TO OFFER DRIVER REFRESHER COURSE

Iuka Hospital and Wellness Center will offer 55 Alive, classroom refresher for experienced motorists age 55 and over, July 10-11 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

This AARP driving course, which will be held at the hospital's Conference Room, 1777 Georgia Drive, addresses the physical changes that affect a person's driving ability and behavior, and ways to compensate for those changes. Topics also include license renewal requirements, local driving problems, rules of the road. The registration fee is \$10, and participants must attend both days of the program. Lunch will be provided.

Mississippi state law requires insurance companies to give a discount to individuals who complete this course. Certification is good for three years.

The mature driving program is an opportunity to help older drivers learn how to handle adverse driving conditions

and traffic hazards, as well as the effects of aging and medication on driving. The course teaches the normal age-related changes that interfere with vision, hearing and physical strength that typically influence driving ability and attitudes, as well as the impact of medication and alcohol when driving.

Problems with vision (especially side vision), impaired hearing and slower reaction time often lead to the type of traffic violations committed by older drivers, including failure to yield the right-of-way, improper left turns, incorrect passing, and entering and

leaving expressways. Course participants learn ways to prevent accidents, as well as proper use and maintenance of a vehicle. No driving test is involved.

To register or for more information, call Iuka Hospital at (662) 423-6051 or the Wellness Center at (662) 423-1980, or 1-800-THE DESK (1-800-843-3375).

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Card Of Thanks

The family of Ruel F. Cornelius, Sr. would like to say "Thank You" for all the cards, flowers, food, thoughts, and prayers from friends and loved ones during the illness and death of our husband, father, and grandfather.

A special thanks to Heart to Heart Hospice for all you've done. Thanks to the doctors and nurses of Baptist Memorial Hospital's Senior Care Unit and ICU for the care and compassion you gave.

Thanks to the staff of Ludlam's Funeral Home, Bro. Hal Holt, Bro. Charles Gilbert, The Detroit Church of God Choir, and the pallbearers for standing by and comforting us.

Thank you and may God bless you all.

Laverne Cornelius
Susan and Mark Barksdale
Randy, Heather and Rachel Cornelius
Ruel Jr. and Karen Cornelius
Jennifer Cornelius

Thank You

Thank you, dear friends, for helping us celebrate our 50th Anniversary. Your presence, cards and well wishes are greatly appreciated and will always be treasured in our hearts. Herschel and Joyce Robertson

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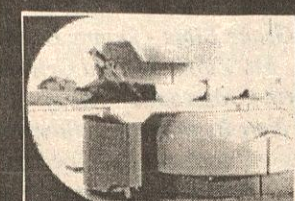
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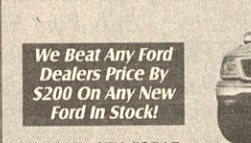
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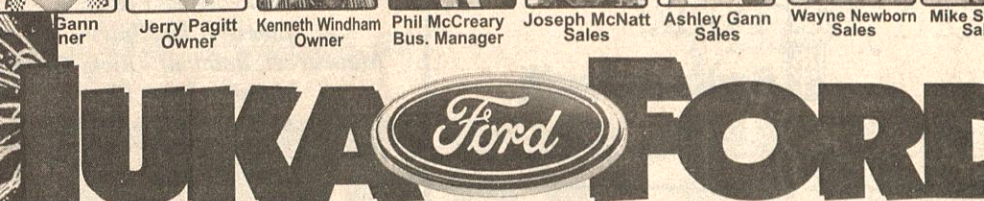
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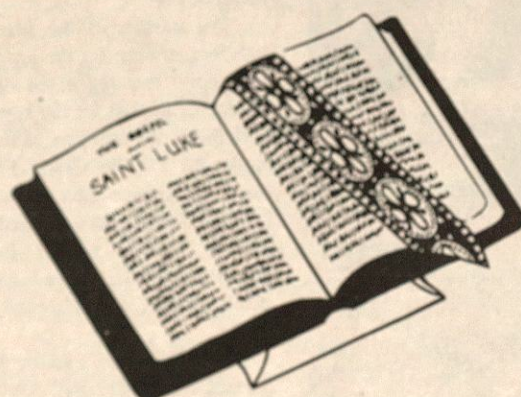
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First Freewill - Jerry Copley
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Highland - Jeremy Harris
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Landmark Baptist - Hal Holt
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Shady Grove - Grover T. Laird
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Mt. Glory - Joe Hardwick
Mt. Joy - Bill Flippo
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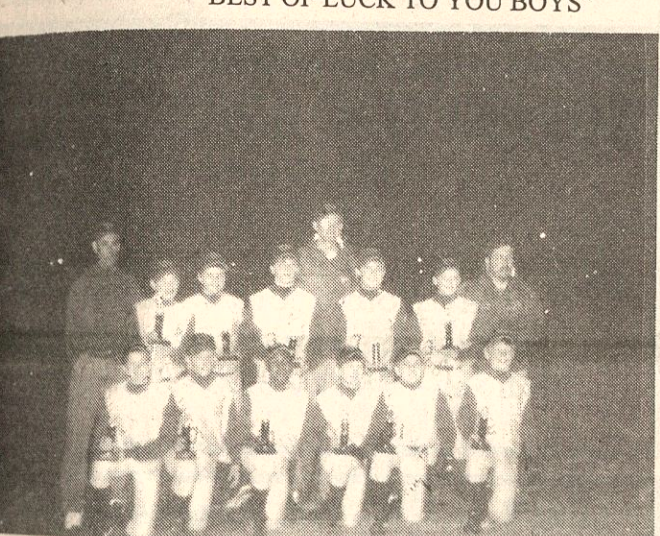
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the Northeast Mississippi Tornados Ballteam- Coaches Ricky Davis- Iuka, Head Coach Nikki White-Pontotoc, and Frank Dodds- New Albany. Back row- Sam Cruse- Tupelo, Sawyer Wheatley- New Albany, Gardner Richey- Baldwyn, Mathew Davis- Iuka, Lance Walden- Pontotoc. Front row- Austin Holt- New Albany, Nathan White- Pontotoc, Tyler Pritchard- Iuka, Jordan Gurley- Corinth, Drew Dodds- New Albany, David Bowen- Randolph.



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The Northeast Mississippi Tornados are going to compete in the 2002 11 year old USSSA world series, July 20-28 in Kansas City, Kansas at Overland Park. The team consist of 11 boys from northeast Mississippi. These boys rank number 1 in the State. Two of these young men are from Iuka. They will also travel to Madison, MS July 5-7 for state competition. These boys have come together and made a competitive ball team. "Best of Luck to you Boys." We are very proud of you!!

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The library cannot act as a babysitting service for these small children, especially as the children come and go from the library during the time that they are waiting for their parents. The librarian does not know what instructions these children have from their parents.

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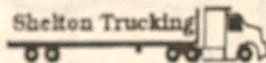
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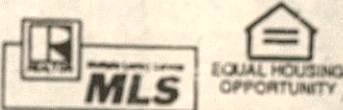
Lovely - 2 BR House With Vinyl Exterior Located on 1 Acre Lot In a Nice Residential Neighborhood With All City Conveniences, Belmont - \$43,500

Large - Well Located Home - Ideal For Large Or Growing Family, 2 BR, 3 Unfinished BRs In Walkout Basement, Decks, 2.2 Ac Lot, N. Cross Roads - \$103,000

Cheaper Than Rent - Nice 3 BR Frame Located on Large Lot With Mature Shade Trees, Outside Storage, Hwy. 365 South - \$37,100



1115 Highway 25 South
Iuka, MS 38852



Dianne Ables,
Realtor/GRI/Certified Residential Appraiser - 423-5262
Vicki Carmon, Realtor - 423-1423

New listing in Belmont! Motivated owners want quick sale! Brick & vinyl siding home with metal roof, 3/4 basement/living quarters. Tons of storage space! Decorated to perfection! \$76,000.

New listing! Presently used for residential but property is zoned commercial. 3 bds., 1 bath, hardwood floors, fp, fenced back yard, conveniently located on Quitman St. - \$55,000.

All the city conveniences with a country atmosphere. 3 bds., 2 baths, open kitchen/living/dining room, additional spacious family room, fenced backyard and barn located on 3 ac., just north of the city limits - \$64,500

Great starter home! Low maintenance vinyl siding, 3 bds., 1 bath, single carport - close to downtown - \$39,900.

Gorgeous 2 level custom built brick home privately located on 5 ac. minutes from the water, gourmet kitchen gas log f.p., lots of ceramic tile, extensive moldings throughout, office, screened porch, 2 bds., 2 1/2 baths down, 3 bds., and bath up. \$179,500.

Live in a resort area all year round! 3 bds., 1 bath, frame w/vaulted living room, skylights, fireplace, c/h/a, wrap deck and partial basement. Located close to Goat Island. \$52,000.

Great neighborhood just south of Iuka - 3 bds., 1 1/2 bath, brick with open kitchen/living/dining area .90 acre lot on Pleasant Hill Rd. - \$49,500.

Great for growing family! Spacious 1 1/2 story country home with 4 bs., 2 1/2 baths, huge family room, 30 acres partially fenced, pond and barn. \$149,000.

Well established neighborhood inside city. Spacious vaulted family/dining room, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, fp, double garage, fenced yard. Located on 2 lots in Pine Lane - \$85,000

For Rent
2 bd., 1 bath house in Burnsville - \$325 per month.



1012 W. Quitman St.
Iuka, MS 38852



Like New! Mobile home located on Pleasant Hill Road, 2-bedroom, 1-bath, 1.3 acres, \$22,900.00

Brick and Vinyl Sided Home in Bart Smith Subdivision. 2-bedroom, 1-bath, 1-car garage, hot tub, \$45,000.00

Remodeled Home on Eastport Street in Iuka. 3-bedroom, 3-bath, 1/2 basement, large lot, \$85,000.00

Building Lots at Coleman Park - \$6,000 each

Good Location! Large brick home on 1-acre. Outside storage buildings or shop, basement apartment, beautiful landscaping, paved drive, \$114,000.00

Reposessed Home on 365 North! 4-acres with storage building, 3-bedroom, 2-bath. \$69,000.00

Well-Built Home on 2-Lots in Iuka. 3-bedroom, 2-bath, hardwood floors, oak cabinets, 2 car garage. \$109,000.00

Adorable One Owner Home near the water on Hubbard Branch Road. Gorgeous deck, double garage, garden spot, landscaped yard, full length front porch. Inside has cathedral ceiling in living room with open loft area upstairs. A Must See At \$109,000.00

Put the Finishing Touches On This Home near McDougall Branch. With three bedrooms and two baths, this home is priced to sell at \$75,000.

Three bedroom, two bath with BONUS ROOM upstairs. \$84,900.

Small Subdivision has this adorable three bedroom and two bath split plan home with vinyl siding and an attached carport. Great floor plan. Owner ready to sell! \$75,000

Graham Ridge Subdivision - Beautiful two bedroom, two bath, handicapped accessible, convenient in-town location. \$64,995.

Country Setting with great farmhouse on 14 acres. Located off Hwy. 30, this three bedroom and three bath home has it all. Barn, pond, fence, garden, pool, deck. A Must See! \$99,000

Located in Magnolia Circle is this adorable three bedroom, two bath brick home. Corner lot in great neighborhood. Single attached carport. Priced at \$55,000

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Gary Williams, Broker.....423-8118
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Marcell Senter, Realtor.....423-6677
Mack Milligan, Realtor.....423-3545
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Coleman Park Road - Seven acres, three bedrooms, two baths plus bonus room and pond. \$145,000

Woodall Mountain has this brick home that comes with two lots! It has three bedrooms and two baths with a great floor plan. Double garage attached garage. Spanish styled brick front entrance and great yard. Ready to move into. \$109,000

Located On Dogwood Lane, this brick home has an efficient apartment attached at back. Home has three bedrooms and a single attached garage. Spanish styled brick front entrance and great yard. \$89,900

Resort Two Story Home priced to sell. Clean, cute waterfront cabin has three bedrooms and two baths with deck in secluded wooded Windbus Hollow. Open living areas both up and down. Take a look! \$99,000

Waterfront Home on level lot located at Eastport Beach. Four bedrooms and two baths. main level has open floor plan with hardwood floors and gorgeous panoramic view of Bear Creek. Walk down to your own dock and pier. has shop and boat storage underneath. Priced at \$315,000

60-Acres on Rock Crusher Road - \$89,000.00

59-Acres on Hwy. 350 - \$69,000.00

40-Acres at Leedy, South of Burnsville - \$17,000.00

2 1/2 Acres on Hwy. 25 across from Littrell Lumber - \$17,000.00

46 - Acres on Hwy. 25 South - \$110,000.00

130 Acres and Nice Brick Home with Basement - \$189,000.00

Waterfront Lot at Eastport - \$44,000.00

2 Waterview Lots located near Tennessee State Line \$15,000.00
2-Bedroom, 1-Bath, Mobile Home on corner of Hwy. 25 & 350. Owner agent \$16,000

Reposessed Property in Cherokee! 4-room house and 1-acre \$10,900.00

Reposessed Home in Belmont! 3-bedroom, 1-bath brick with carport \$24,500.00

-CLASSIFIEDS-

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI ESTATE OF LOUSIE HODGE, DECEASED

NO. 2002-035

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 27th day of June, 2002, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to the undersigned Executrix of the estate of Louise Hodge, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of this Court for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred.

THIS the 27th day of June, 2002.

Charlene Bates
Executrix of the Estate of
Louise Hodge, Deceased

Nicholas B. Phillips
Phillips & Dawson, P.A.
Lawyers
131 South Fulton Street
P.O. Box 566
Iuka, Mississippi 38852
Telephone: (662) 423-1989
Facsimile: (662) 423-0089
MS State Bar #: 4167

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TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

WHEREAS, on the 23rd day of March, 2001, Marcie Tigner, D/B/A Flowers and Things executed a Security Agreement and UCC-1 Financing Statement, which was filed for record in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi on the 29th day of March, 2001 and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Mississippi on the 28th day of March, 2001; and,

WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said Security Agreement and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said Security Agreement and the legal holder, the Northeast Mississippi Planning and Development District, having requested the undersigned to sell said personal property in accordance with the terms of said Security Agreement for the purpose of gaining the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees and expenses of sale.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Fred C. Permenter, Jr., will, on the 12th day of July, 2002, offer for sale at public outcry and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M.) at the East front door of the County Courthouse in the County of Tishomingo, Iuka, Mississippi, to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described personal property, to-wit:

EQUIPMENT:

Three (3) Tanning Beds

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Arrangements (Center)
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Five (5) Bakers Racks
Two (2) Glass Top Tables
Four (4) Shelves
Round Plant Display
Work Station
Four (4) Shelves

Waterproof/acetate
Funeral Silks
Miscellaneous
Mixed Flowers
Saddles
Foam
Flowers
Tanning Products
Arrangements
Swags
Books, Bears, Pick

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto affix my signature, on
this the 12th day of June, 2002.

FRED C. PERMENTER, JR.

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Contract Documents may be examined or obtained at the office of the Architect by interested bidders, their subcontractors and suppliers. The Architect's address is as follows:

SINGLETON ARCHITECTS, P.A.

4735 Old Canton Road
Jackson, Mississippi 39211
Telephone: 601-981-2363

Fax: 601-981-2388

Bid preparation for all bids will be in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders bound in the project manual. The Owner reserves the right to waive any irregularities and to reject any or all bids.

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
OF JAMES E. THOMAS, DECEASED

NO. 2002-212

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 25th day of June, 2002, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to the undersigned as Joint Executors of the estate of James E. Thomas, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the clerk of said court for probate and registration according to law within ninety (90) days of the date of the first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barred.

This the 25th day of June, 2002.

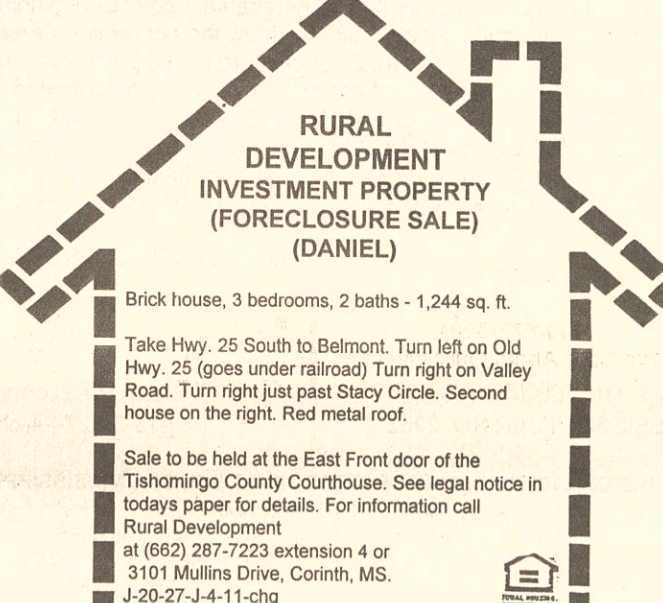
James E. Thomas, Jr., Joint Executor
Franklin W. Thomas, Joint Executor

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MISSING
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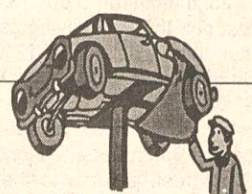
Sale to be held at the East Front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse. See legal notice in today's paper for details. For information call Rural Development at (662) 287-7223 extension 4 or 3101 Mullins Drive, Corinth, MS. J-20-27-J-4-11-chg

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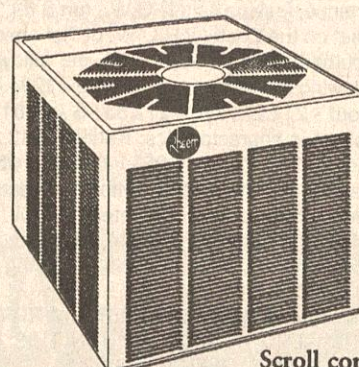
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LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN RE: THE ESTATE OF GRACE VALERIE CARSON,
DECEASED NO. 2002-202

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF GRACE VALERIE CARSON

You have been made Defendants in the suit filed in this Court by Edward L. Carson, seeking determination of heirs.

Defendants other than you in this action are: None.

You are required to mail or hand deliver a written response to the Petition filed against you in this action to Daniel K. Tucker, attorney for Plaintiff, whose address is Ronald D. Michael, P.A.; 1700 North Second Street; Booneville, Ms. 38829; 662-728-6276.

Your response must be mailed or delivered not later than thirty days after the 17th day of June, 2002, which is the date of the first publication of this summons. If your response is not so mailed or delivered, a judgment by default will be entered against you for the money or other relief demanded in the Petition.

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

Issued under my hand and seal of said Court this the 17th day of June, 2002.

Hayden Ables, Chancery Clerk,
Tishomingo County
1008 Battleground Drive
Iuka, MS 38852
BY: N. Lomenick

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SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS Tammy Allred executed a Deed of Trust to First Tower Loan, Inc. dba Tower Loan of Fulton as beneficiary, with Jack R. Lee as Trustee, which Deed of Trust is dated March 24, 1998 and recorded in Book 235 at Page 466 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, by instrument dated, July 19, 1999, Tower Loan did appoint John E. Tucker as Substitute Trustee in place and stead of Jack R. Lee, said instrument having been filed for record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo, Mississippi, on July 21, 1999, and recorded in General Substitute Trustee Book #2 at Page 79 of the Land Records in said office; and,

WHEREAS default having been made in the payment under said Deed of Trust and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared due and payable in accordance with the terms thereof, and the holder of that Deed of Trust having called upon me as Substitute Trustee to execute the trust and make foreclosure thereof according to law and the terms of said Deed of Trust;

NOW THEREFORE, I, John E. Tucker, Substitute Trustee, do hereby give notice that I will offer for sale and sell to the highest and best bidder for cash the following described real property at the East Door of the Courthouse of Tishomingo County, Mississippi at Iuka, Mississippi on July 5, 2002 during legal hours, such property lying and being situated in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, and more particularly described as follows:

Part of the West Half of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 28, Township 6 South, Range 10 East beginning at the point of intersection of the East line of said West Half with the Westerly line of the paved road and run thence with said Westerly line South 14 degrees West 210 feet; thence with the Westerly line Southwesterly 250 feet thence North 55 degrees West 178 feet to the true point of beginning; thence parallel with said Westerly line of paved road northeasterly 198 feet, thence West 220 feet, thence South to a point due West of the point of beginning, thence East 200 feet more or less to the point of beginning. Containing 1 acre, more or less.

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

Dated this June 5, 2002.
John E. Tucker, Substitute Trustee
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ADOPTED - Tishomingo County Sheriff's Department K-9 Officers Wayne Ivey and Fire Bud (Center) receive a check from sponsors Hal Crandall (Left) and Debbie Crandall (Right) as Penny Pinchers in Belmont joins the "Adopt-A-Deputy" Program. The program which pairs area businesses with Deputies is designed to purchase much-needed uniforms and increase the Department's visibility in the community. Penny Pinchers selected Deputy Ivey and Firebud because of their efforts to eliminate drugs in the Tishomingo County area.

Personnel Changes Emphasis of June 24 School Board Meeting

Personnel additions and changes were the main items on the June 24 agenda for the Tishomingo County School Board meeting. The regular meeting was held at the conclusion of the yearly budget hearing.

In this regular board meeting, the following positions and/or transfers were approved:

Andy Chumbley was approved as Belmont Middle School Principal; and Coke Magee was approved as Tishomingo County High School Assistant Principal. Other personnel approved and/or transferred included: Michelle Busby Harrell at Tishomingo Elementary for class reduction position; Jeff Horn at Belmont School as Spanish teacher for the non-English speaking students and Assistant Girls' and Boys' Basketball coach; Erica Taylor as English teacher at Tishomingo County High School; Paula Jackson as fifth-grade teacher at Tishomingo Elementary; Holly Garner as third-grade teacher at Iuka Elementary; Heather Booker as teacher at Iuka Middle; Janice Cutshall as temporary Families First Director; and Cathy Harrison as Belmont Middle School secretary.

The following resignations were accepted: Kathy Ward from Families First center; Lisa Holt from after-school tutorial program; Ronnie Lawson from teacher/coach position at Burnsville; Joyce Carr from special ed position at Tishomingo Elementary.

As of Monday night, a decision had not been made on the principal's job at Iuka Elementary. Mr. Moore said they are continuing to interview and hope to have someone in place within the next few weeks.

In other action, the board approved: the transfer of two students; a fund raiser for the Belmont Junior High Cheerleaders; issuance of standard monthly purchase orders; July 4 and 5 as holidays, acceptance of money donations from Wal-Mart for Teacher of the Year, Burnsville PTO for remodeling of restrooms in the main building and seventh and eighth grade building, a \$1000 donation Iuka Youth Basketball League to Iuka Elementary School to be used for physical education classes, deletion of certain fixed assets, and the purchase of four used school buses from Magnolia Sales, Inc. at a price of \$12,000 each. A sale of a small section of property on the Superintendent's office lot was not considered due to the lack of a motion.

The board also approved a Long-Range Capital Improvement Plan to be funded by 3-mill money already in the budget. This plan would provide renovations/or repair/or establishing of auditorium-type facilities at all schools to be used to showcase children. Improvements would also provide another serving line at Burnsville.

The board entered executive session to consider the status of several students with excessive absences.

Retired Teachers Meet

The TCRT met June 14, 2002 at Cafe Memories in Iuka, MS with President Dexter Montgomery presiding. The devotion was given by Bro. Stanley Magill. He read Psalms 46 and spoke on Peace, Promises, Power and Prayer.

Debbie Arnold, Edward Jones, Investment Representative, explained the advantages and disadvantages of long and short term investments. She discussed the highs and lows of investment with emphasis on the state of the economy at the time of investing. Thanks to Ms. Arnold for the information given.

The business session was conducted by the president. He expressed thanks to Shirley

Harrison, Becky Copeland and Barbara Moore for the hard work and time spent on our 2002 Handbooks. We appreciate your contribution to our association very much.

The president asked that each member read and study the TCRTA by-laws.

A thank you card from Gina Lyn Holland, 2002 recipient of the Retired Teachers Scholarship, graduate of TCHS, was read, to the retirees. Gina is planning to attend Northeast Community College in the fall.

Our District One meeting will be July 10, 2002 in Fulton, MS. The next regular retired teachers meeting will be Sept. 13, 2002.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN RE: THE ESTATE OF GRACE VALERIE CARSON, DECEASED NO. 2002-201

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration having been granted on the 17th day of June, 2002, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of Grace Valerie Carson, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of the said Court for probate and registration, according to law, within ninety (90) days from the date of first publication or they will be forever barred.

This the 4th day of February, 2002.

EDWARD L. CARSON
ADMINISTRATOR

DANIEL K. TUCKER, MSB# 8780
1700 NORTH SECOND STREET
BOONEVILLE, MS 38829
662-728-6276

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF TISHOMINGO

FORECLOSURE NOTICE

WHEREAS, on the 22nd day of March, 1996, Gary Alan Williams, d/b/a Quick Clean, executed a Promissory Note and Deed of Trust under the terms of which certain real property was conveyed to Harold S. Jackson, as Trustee, to secure the payment to The Peoples Bank and Trust Company of an indebtedness therein described, which Deed of Trust was recorded on the 2nd day of April, 1996, in Trust Deed Book 213, at pages 421-424, in the records of Tishomingo County, Mississippi in the office of the Chancery Clerk thereof; and subsequently executed a Deed of Trust to The Peoples Bank and Trust Company recorded in Trust Deed Book 225 at pages 185-188 on the 1st day of May, 1997; and

WHEREAS, on the 18th day of April, 2000, Gary Alan Williams executed a Promissory Note and Deed of Trust under the terms of which certain real property was conveyed to Harold S. Jackson, as Trustee, to secure the payment to The Peoples Bank and Trust Company of an indebtedness therein described, which Deed of Trust was recorded on the 18th day of April, 2000, in Trust Deed Book 261 at pages 448-451, in the records of Tishomingo County, in the office of the Chancery Clerk thereof; and

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

NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned will, between the hours of 11:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 o'clock P.M., on the 8th day of July, 2002, at the East front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse in Iuka, Mississippi, offer for sale and will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property located in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to-wit: Part of the SE 1/4 of Section 13, Township 3 South, Range 10 East, Beginning at a point on the West line of said quarter where the South right-of-way line of Highway No. 25 intersects said West line and run thence South on said West line 390.0 feet to the Northwest corner of Mrs. Olene Grisham land and run thence East 200.7 feet to the point of beginning hereof, said point of beginning being a railroad spike located 50 feet from the center line of new Mississippi State Highway No. 25; thence from said point, continue East 162.43 feet; thence S. 24 degrees 12' E. 77.32 feet; thence S. 87 degrees 09' W. 164.91 feet to the Easterly line of said new Mississippi State Highway No. 25; thence with said Easterly line N. 18 degrees 39' W. 83 feet, to the point of beginning.

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

HAROLD S. JACKSON, TRUSTEE

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

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI (VACATION TERM, 2002)

CLARENCE BURLESON PLAINTIFF
VS. CAUSE NO. 2002-205
ALL UNKNOWN PARTIES DEFENDANTS

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: Any parties claiming an interest in and to the following described real property.

You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Clarence Burleson, seeking to Remove Cloud and Confirm Title of certain real property in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, described as follows:

TRACT 1

Situated in the Southwest quarter of Section 11, Township 6 South, Range 10 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to wit:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of the Southwest quarter of Section 11, Township 6 South, Range 10 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi (metal "T" fence post found) and the POINT OF BEGINNING for this description; thence run N 00° 21' W, along the East line of said quarter section, 2640.00 feet to a metal "T" post set; thence run S 89° 04' W. 2018.00 feet to a metal "T" post set on the East Right-of-way of Mississippi Hwy. #25; thence run S 00° 13' W, along said R. O. W., 210 feet to a metal "T" post set; thence, leaving said R.O.W., run East 210 feet to a metal "T" post set; thence run S. 00° 12' 53' W, parallel with said R.O.W., 210 feet to an iron rebar set; thence run S. 00° 12' 53' W, parallel with said R.O.W., 210 feet to an iron rebar set; thence run WEST 225.00 to an iron rebar set on said East R.O.W.; thence run Southwesterly along said R.O.W., the following calls: S00° 13' W 521.35 feet, a curve to the left having the characteristics of Radius - 4034.09', Chord Bearing - S 04° 24' W, Chord Length - 588.21', and Arc Length - 588.73' to an iron rebar set, S 08° 08' E 257.73 feet to an iron rebar set; thence, leaving said Mississippi Hwy. #25 R.O.W., run S 31° 45' E, along the Northerly R.O.W., of Tishomingo County Road #23, 521.81 feet to a steel post found; thence, leaving said R.O.W., run East 1143.45 feet along a fence to a fence corner found; thence run SOUTH 397.65 feet; thence run N 88° 27' E 643.22 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING, containing 108.80 acres.

TRACT 2

Situated in the Southwest quarter of Section 11, Township 6 South, Range 10 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to wit:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of the Southwest quarter of Section 11, Township 6 South, Range 10 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi (metal "T" fence post found); thence run N 00° 21' W, along the East line of said quarter section, 2640.00 feet; thence run S. 89° 04' W 2018.00 feet; thence run S 89° 04' W 165.03 feet to a metal "T" post set on the West Right of Way of Mississippi Hwy #25 and the POINT OF BEGINNING for this description, thence, leaving said R.O.W., run S 89° 04' W 409.34 feet to a metal "T" post set on the Easterly R.O.W. of Tishomingo County Road #23; thence run Southerly along said R.O.W. the following calls: along a curve having the following characteristics: Radius - 1234.81'; Chord Bearing - S 04° 57' W, Chord - 212.27', Arc - 212.53'; S 00° 01' W 480.49 feet, a curve having the following characteristics: Radius - 642.34'; Chord Bearing - S 16° 12' E, Chord - 358.81' Arc - 363.64'; S 32° 25' E 486.84 feet to a metal "T" post set at the intersection with the Westerly R.O.W. of Mississippi Hwy #25; thence run along said Westerly R.O.W. the following calls: N 34° 25' E 60.23 feet to a metal "T" post set, along a curve having the following characteristics: Radius - 3417.43', Chord Bearing - N 03° 35' E,

YOU ARE REQUIRED TO MAIL OR HAND DELIVER A WRITTEN RESPONSE TO THE COMPLAINT FILED AGAINST YOU IN THIS ACTION TO, HAROLD S. JACKSON, POST OFFICE BOX 414, 125 S. FULTON STREET, IUKA, MISSISSIPPI 38852

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE 27TH DAY OF JUNE, 2002, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGEMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

You must also file the original of your response with the Clerk of this Court within the reasonable time thereafter.

Issued under my hand and seal of said court, this 25th day of June, 2002.

HAYDEN ABLES
Chancery Court Clerk
1008 Battleground Drive
Iuka, Mississippi 38852

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI CAUSE #02-0206 CO-ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF

MYRTIE D. BYRAM, DECEASED

Letters of Administration having been granted by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, on the 21st day of June, 2002, to the undersigned as Co-Administratrix of the Estate of MYRTIE D. BYRAM, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and to have same probated and registered with the Clerk of the Court within ninety (90) days from the date of first publication hereof, or they will be forever barred.

This, the 21st day of June, 2002.
JAN DAVIS, CO-ADMINISTRATRIX OF THE
ESTATE OF MYRTIE D. BYRAM, DECEASED
CARLA ROBERTS, CO-ADMINISTRATRIX OF THE ESTATE OF MYRTIE D. BYRAM, DECEASED

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SOLICITOR FOR CO-ADMINISTRATRIXS,
JAN DAVIS and CARLA ROBERTS

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NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, the United States of America, acting by and through the United States Department of Agriculture, is the owner and holder of the following real estate deed(s) of trust, securing an indebtedness therein mentioned and covering certain real estate hereinafter described located in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, said deed(s) of trust being duly recorded in the Office of the Chancery Clerk in and for said County and State:

GRANTORS	DATE EXECUTED	TRUST DEED BOOK	PAGE
Kevin W. Daniel and wife, Manda W. Daniel	December 17, 1998	245	17

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed(s) of trust, and the United States of America, as Beneficiary, has authorized and instructed me, Trustee, to foreclose said deed(s) of trust by advertisement and sale at public auction in accordance with the statutes made and provided therefor.

THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that pursuant to the power of sale contained in said deed(s) of trust and in accordance with the statutes made and provided therefor, the said deed(s) of trust will be foreclosed and the property covered thereby hereinafter described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the East front door of the county courthouse in the city of Iuka, Mississippi, in the aforesaid County and will be within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 AM and 4:00 PM) on July 15, 2002, to satisfy the indebtedness now due under and secured by said deed(s) of trust.

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

The premises to be sold are described as:

Part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 36, Township 6 South, Range 10 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, described as follows: Commencing at the Northwest corner of the Southeast Quarter, run North 89° 09' 02" East 1183.63 feet to a point on the centerline of County Road 993; thence run South 01° 47' 25" East 20.00 feet to an iron pin on the Southern right of way of County Road 993; thence run South 01° 47' 25" East 84.52 feet to an iron pin; thence run South 09° 56' 40" East 5.57 feet to an iron pin and the Point of Beginning. Run thence North 89° 15' 54" East 89.91 feet to the Western right of way of a paved road; thence run South 00° 44' 06" East 93.78 feet to an iron pin; thence run South 89° 33' 39" West 89.78 feet to an iron pin; thence run North 09° 56' 40" West 94.61 feet to an iron pin and the Point of Beginning. Containing 0.18 acres.

June 20, 2002

Date

Bobby L. Garrett
Trustee

Duly authorized to act in the premises pursuant to said real estate deed of trust set forth herein above and as recorded in the records of the aforesaid County and State.

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF TISHOMINGO

FORECLOSURE NOTICE

WHEREAS, on the 17th day of September, 1997, Willie Carter and wife, Doris Carter, executed a Promissory Note and Deed of Trust under the terms of which certain real property was conveyed to Harold S. Jackson, as Trustee, to secure the payment to The Peoples Bank and Trust Company of an indebtedness therein described, which Deed of Trust was recorded on the 23rd day of September, 1997, in Trust Deed Book 229, at pages 460-463, in the records of Tishomingo County, Mississippi in the office of the Chancery Clerk thereof; and

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

NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned will, between the hours of 11:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M., on the 8th day of July, 2002, at the East front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse in Iuka, Mississippi, offer for sale and will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property located in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to-wit:

Parcel A
A Part of the South one half of the NE 1/4 of Section 30, Township 3 South, Range 11, East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of said one-half of the NE 1/4 of said section; thence run East 50 feet, more or less, to the East side of a gravel road and the true point of beginning; thence run South 10 degrees 30 minutes East along the East side of said road 420.0 feet; thence run East 384 feet; thence run North 412.96 feet to the North boundary line of the said one-half of said NE 1/4; thence run West 460.5 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 4.00 acres, more or less.

Parcel B
Part of the S 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Section 30, Township 3 South, Range 11 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of said 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of said section, run thence East 50 feet, more or less, to the East side of a gravel road; thence run south 10 degrees 30 minutes East along the said East side of said road a distance of 420 feet to the South and West corner of the Willie J. Carter Parcel A; thence run South 240.87 feet; thence run West 339.36 feet to the North and East margin of a gravel road; thence run North 10 degrees 30 minutes West with said road a distance of 244.97 feet to the true point of beginning containing 2.00 acres, more or less.

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

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

HAROLD S. JACKSON, TRUSTEE

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LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF FINAL SETTLEMENT OF CONTRACT

Notice is hereby given that the contract between the Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, on the one part, and Bonds Company, on the other part, dated 4/25/01, for the construction of Project No. SAP 71 10 M being a section of A & B road in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, has been fully and completely performed and final settlement thereunder has been made.

This notice is given under Section 31-5-53, Mississippi Code of 1972, in pursuance of the authority conferred upon me by order of the Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, in Minute Book 80, Page 441.

Dated this 24th day of June, 2002.

Hayden Ables
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
Tishomingo County, Mississippi

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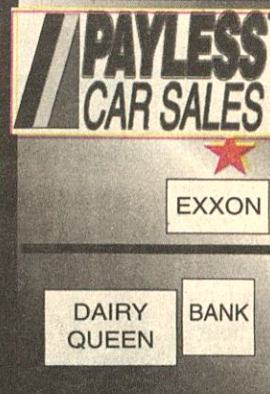
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