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IES Science Fair Winners

These students recently won awards in the 2003 Iuka Elementary School Science Fair. Winners include: Class I Botany - 1st Breanna Davis; Chemistry and Biochemistry - 1st Kinsley Darwin, 2nd Jordan Wafford, 3rd Laken Jones, 4th Adam Degraw, 5th Victoria Gilchrist; Math, Computers, Earth and Space - 1st Lisa Eaton, 2nd Katelin Wallace, 3rd Josh Davis, 4th Dane Degraw, 5th Rayanna Davis; Physics and Engineering - 1st Mason Thomas, 2nd Dustin Allen, 3rd Sara Lyles, 4th Andre Remedios, 5th Alish Prather; Zoology, Medicine, and Health - 1st Katey Johnson, 2nd Kaylee Baitinger; Scientific Model - 1st Noah Robertson, 2nd Alex McCarley, 3rd Joseph Hicks, 4th Braxton Phelps, 5th Jacob Wafford; Scientific Collection - 1st Mark Baldwin, 2nd Anna Harwell, 3rd Amber Huffman, 4th Jordan Woodruff, 5th Christian Kubicki; Class II Chemistry and Biochemistry - 1st Tage Philamlee; Math, Computers, Earth, and Space - 1st Lori Casabella, 2nd Jerrica True, 3rd Skyler Ray, 4th Jay Castleberry, 5th Carlea Barnes; Physics and Engineering, 1st Nathan Gilchrist; Zoology, Medicine, and Health - 1st Allison Wadkins.

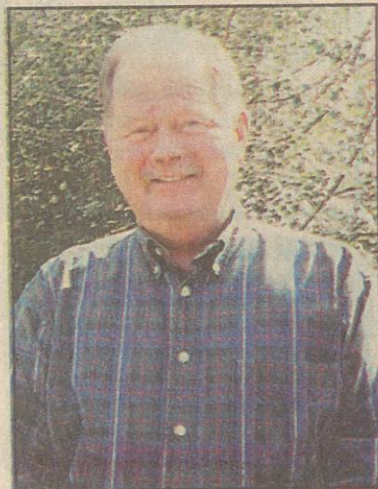
Kelly Bennett To Run For Sheriff

Kelly Brown Bennett of Belmont, MS is the son of Mrs. Eloise Bennett and the former Mr. A. D. (Bill) Bennett. He has two sisters both of Tupelo, MS; Mrs. Lynda Wilemon, wife of Reverend Donald E. Wilemon and Mrs. Tamri Durham, wife of Mr. Larry Durham. He had one brother who is deceased. His name was Hassel Bennett.

Kelly is a lifetime resident of Tishomingo County and is the father of two daughters; Kelly Sue Bennett of Tishomingo, MS and Megan Bennett Clark of Belmont, MS. Both were graduates of Belmont High School.

He is currently employed at Tiffin Motor Homes in Red Bay, AL.

Kelly would like to announce his candidacy for sheriff and let the people of Tishomingo County know that he is 110% for the people. He is very capable of organizing



Kelly Bennett

an administrative TEAM together in order to make our county a better place to live and a better place for our children to grow up in. He would like to encourage each of you to play a key role in the future of our county. "Voice your opinion by voting."

Paid for by Kelly Bennett.

Correction On Employment Figures At Tri-State Park

It has been brought to our attention that employment figures released in last week's story on the return of Tri-State Park to Tishomingo County were not accurate.

According to sources some 250 plus people are currently employed at the site which includes Alliant Tech, North American Data and Waterway Inc. These figures fluctuate daily and are hard to report.

Boys & Girls Club Celebration Day

This Saturday, April 5

Mineral Springs Park

Festivities Begin at 10:00 a.m.

IES Honor Choir

Lots of Food—Catfish, Hot Dogs, Hamburgers

Activities for Children

Political Speeches

Recognition of Sponsors

Auction at 1:00—Terrific Items

Brooks & Dunn Ticket Drawing at 2:00 p.m.

(Tickets Will Be Sold Up Until Drawing Time)

Celebration Day Will Be Held Rain or Shine!

See inside article for details!



It's That Time Again!

Day Light Saving Time!

Set your clocks forward one hour upon retiring Saturday night.

Day Light Saving Time begins the first Sunday in April and continues until the last Sunday in October giving us more daylight hours to work and play during warmer times.



Kindergarten Registration For All Tishomingo County Schools Thursday, April 17

Kindergarten registration for all Tishomingo County Schools will be held on Thursday, April 17, at each of the county elementary schools.

Registration will be held from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. for children who will be 5 years old on or before September 1, 2003.

Parents need to bring the following items:

- 1. Immunization Certificate from the Health Department (Form 121).
- 2. Child's Social Security Card
- 3. Certified Birth Certificate
- 4. Two Proofs of Residency
- 5. Documentation for any special services needed.

You may call any of the elementary schools (Belmont, Burnsville, Iuka, Tishomingo) for more information

All current kindergarten students will stay at home that day. All students will resume classes on Monday.

Sheriff's Department Arrests Iuka Man On Fraud Charges

An Iuka man was arrested during the early morning hours Friday by a Sheriff's Department deputy while trying to fraudulently withdraw money from a Burnsville bank's Automated Teller Machine.

According to Tishomingo County Sheriff David Smith, a local resident reported to the First American National Bank that money was being withdrawn from an account by someone other than the account holder. A bank official then contacted Deputy John David Murphy at the Sheriff's Department and informed him that money had been withdrawn from the bank's Burnsville branch ATM.

Deputy Murphy passed on

this information to Deputy Scott Woodruff who watched the location during the time the suspect had been withdrawing the money on previous mornings.

At approximately 5:30 a.m. Friday, Deputy Woodruff arrested John R. Lovelace, 23, of Hwy. 25, Iuka, (formerly of Hwy. 365 Burnsville). According to the sheriff, the man was attempting to take more cash from the ATM when Officer Woodruff apprehended him.

Lovelace has been charged with four counts of false I.D. and four counts of fraudulently obtaining goods. At press-time, he was being held in the Tishomingo County Jail on \$20,000 bond.



New Welcome Signs For City of Iuka

Iuka Mayor Jackie Bryant, City Clerk Benny Gray, and the Iuka Board of Aldermen, are happy to announce that the City of Iuka will have four new signs on the 4-lanes welcoming everyone to Iuka.

The new signs will border the city on the four boundaries near the city limit signs on Highways 72 and 25.

The signs will be approximately 10' x 10' and will be constructed of brick columns

with a roof over the top. An inset will feature the Iuka City Seal and a "Welcome to Iuka—Gateway to Mississippi" logo.

Shown viewing the design of the insets for the new signs are City Clerk Benny Gray, Alderman Ellis Ray Strickland, Alderman Martha Biggs, Mayor Jackie Bryant, Alderman Amos Bates, and Alderman George Long.

The signs will be erected before the end of spring.

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VOTE

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Senate District 5

Charles Walden

Sheriff

Kelly Bennett

Circuit Clerk

Donna Henry Dill (I)

Chancery Clerk

Hayden Ables (I)

Tax Assessor

John I. Williams

Diana Hester Turner (I)

1st District Supervisor

Mack L. Wadkins

Dale Price (I)

2nd District Supervisor

Arlie L. South (I)

Terry Bullard

Lamar Skinner

Nicky McRae

3rd District Supervisor

Dale Vandiver

Danny Ryan (I)

4th District Supervisor

David Sanders (I)

Norman Ellis

Floyd L. (Snake) Ware

Jerry Don Keith

5th District Supervisor

Leon Cook (I)

Justice Court Judge - North

Cleta Newcomb Dean

J. R. Blakney (I)

Justice Court Judge - South

Donny Joe Sparks (I)

Kenneth "Chubby" Clingan

Constable - North

Russ Robinson

Tim Bivins (I)

Constable - South

Sammy South (I)

Jeff Kemp

(I) Incumbent



IES Kindergarten Students Support Our Soldiers

The Kindergarten classes at Iuka Elementary are showing their support for our soldiers. Each child had a "hand" in making this large American flag, which is proudly being displayed in the cafeteria.

1st Annual Charity Motorcycle "Rabbit Run" Saturday, April 5th...

The 1st Annual Charity Motorcycle "Rabbit Run" will be Saturday, April 5th in Russellville, Alabama. Sponsored by Russellville Parks and Rec. Department (Special Populations) and Disabled Youth and Adults.

Motorcycles of all kinds are welcome. There will be live entertainment and concessions available at the last stop.

Registration will be from 10:00 till 11:30 a.m. First bike out at 12:00 noon. From the Russellville Community Center (Ash Ave.) behind Wal-Mart. Last bike in by 4:00 p.m. Fee is \$10.00 per rider, driver that will draw at the stops.

Bug Run \$5.00 per dot - 50% pay-back; split the pot tickets 5 for \$5.00, 12 for \$10.00 - 50% pay-back.

Need more info??? Contact "RPRD" Debbie Hampton (256) 332-8770 or Volunteer: Kim Adams (256) 331-0928.

Lunch Menus

April 7 - April 11

MONDAY

Chicken fajitas, lasagna, oven fries, garden salad with dressings, black-eyed peas, fresh grapes, rosemary applesauce, assorted fruit juice, garlic bread, Pudding Plus, milk

TUESDAY

Bacon burger, spaghetti with meat sauce, chef salad, tater tots, cole slaw, peas and carrots, banana berry blend, fruit cocktail, assorted fruit juice, yeast roll, assorted Jell-o with whipped

topping, milk

WEDNESDAY

BBQ chicken, shaved ham and cheese sandwich, whipped potatoes, whole kernel corn, carrot sticks, fresh grapes, rosemary applesauce, assorted fruit juice, chocolate pudding, milk, yeast roll

THURSDAY

Beefy Nachos Grande, chicken patty sandwich, oven fries, baked beans, whole kernel corn, sweet applesauce, chilled pear slices, assorted fruit juice, strawberry shortcake, milk

FRIDAY

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Legal Update

by Ronald D. Michael
Attorney at Law

EXECUTOR DECISION

As the person whom you name in your will to handle your property after your death, the executor must be prepared to perform many tasks promptly and prudently. Aside from being trustworthy, the person in this position must be honest, possess good organizational skills, and have an ability to keep track of details. In most cases, people choose those who will inherit a substantial amount of their property. This ensures that a person who has an interest in how your property will be distributed will be most likely to take care of your affairs in a conscientious manner. Whomever is selected, discuss the matter with him or her and make sure that he or she wants the responsibility.

Openly discussing your wishes with your family and friends gives all involved a chance to voice their opinions and address issues at a time when they are not under stress from the loss of a loved-one. For more information about this topic and other legal issues, call our office. We offer assistance with matters involving personal injury, car wrecks, wrongful deaths, medical malpractice, civil rights claims, product liability, train accidents, and insurance bad faith. Come to us for experience you can trust.

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Iuka Chapter

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Special Meeting...

April 5th, the 50 year members will be honored at 2 o'clock at the Masonic Hall. This meeting will be open to the public.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend. There are 15 members who have been members for fifty years.

A pot luck meal will follow. At 4 o'clock there will be an initiation. All Eastern Star members are invited to stay for this meeting.

Zora Lee Hill

Worthy Matron

Bluegrass Music

Come on down and your neighbors at the VFW Friday night for 2 hours of bluegrass music, featuring Heartland Band and others.

Open to the public. Membership in the VFW is not required. There is no admission charge. Food is available.



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Tonsillitis In Dogs

I know that children have tonsillitis, but I did not realize that dogs do. Is it common?

Since dogs have tonsils they can also develop tonsillitis. It is more common in small breeds of dogs than large dogs.

What are the tonsils, and what do they do?

The tonsils are much like lymph nodes (lymph glands). There are two tonsils located in the back of the throat. When they are normal, they are not easily seen because they reside in crypts (pouches). Like lymph nodes, their job is to fight infection. When they are doing this, they may become infected themselves and will enlarge. Swollen, red tonsils that are out of their crypts are easily seen in the back of the throat.

How did my dog get tonsillitis?

There are certain conditions known to cause tonsillitis. Chronic vomiting, a chronic productive cough, and chronic disease in the mouth will allow bacteria to infect the tonsils. The main cause of chronic disease in the mouth is tartar on the teeth and the infections associated with it. Occasionally, primary tonsillitis (no underlying cause) will occur; this almost always in small breeds of dogs.

What are the clinical signs of a dog with tonsillitis?

When the tonsils enlarge they are usually quite painful. This causes the dog to groan if something is in the throat to make exaggerated swallowing motions. Some dogs appear to be licking their lips repeatedly. Most affected dogs are reluctant to eat because of the pain associated with swallowing. They may be hungry and go to the food bowl but refuse to eat. Most dogs with tonsillitis are not active as normal, but they usually do not have fever. This is the one characteristic that differs markedly from people with tonsillitis.

How is tonsillitis treated?

In an underlying source, the infection can be found and must be treated. Antibiotics are given for 2-3 weeks in an effort to rid the tonsils of infection and to treat any other infection that may be present. If there is tartar or periodontal disease present, the teeth should be cleaned.

What about tonsillectomy?

This is not the preferred first treatment, but it may become necessary if there is poor response to treatment. If tonsillitis becomes recurring, conditions recurrent tonsillitis is more likely to happen in small breeds of dogs.

Is this contagious to other dogs or to humans?

Most cases of tonsillitis are caused by bacteria that are found normally in the mouth of dogs and humans. Therefore, it is not contagious unless it is caused by an unusual bacterium.

Can "strep throat" be associated with dogs?

Streptococcus pyogenes, the cause of "strep throat" in humans, does not cause tonsillitis in dogs. However, dogs can acquire a tonsillar infection with this bacterium when they are in contact with a human with strep throat. Although they do not get strep throat, they may harbor the bacterium and serve as a source of it for other human infections. Therefore, it is suggested that dogs be treated when family members have strep throat, especially recurring infections occur in the household.

Iuka Animal Clinic
Dr. James F. Perkins
2389 Veterans Memorial
Iuka, MS 38852
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CARPE DIEM

The warning to "be circumspect" typically refers to being watchful for danger. It is simply a caution to be on the lookout for that which can cause us harm. *Circumspect* comes from two root words that mean "to look in a circle." Being circumspect should, indeed, be our approach to everyday living. We should always be vigilant for the beauty in creation, for the support of friends, for the needs of others, for the laughter of children, for the simple joys of living. Henry Miller said, "One's destination is never a place but rather a new way of looking at things." May we live wisely, not waiting for tomorrow but enjoying the wonders that surround us today.

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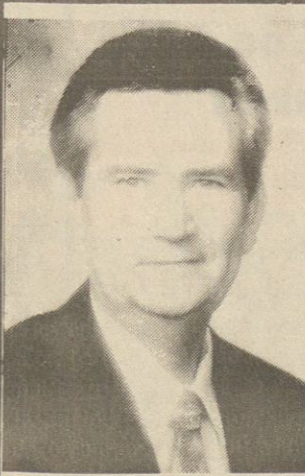
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Curtis Cousins Defending Freedom In Iraq

"Bombs Bursting in Air" are more than just words to a song for PFC Jeremy S. Curtis of the 3rd Infantry, 2nd Division, late of Iraq. PFC Curtis is currently advancing with his division to Baghdad, the capital of Iraq, driving one of the most sophisticated tanks available in the army. This division is the one most frequently seen on Fox News and CNN.

PFC Curtis was trained in Fort Knox, Kentucky. After basic training, Jeremy spent 4 months in Kuwait where he received advanced training. After 4 months back in Fort Benning, Georgia, he was again sent to Kuwait. He was there for 4 months before the war started when he then started his march for Baghdad.

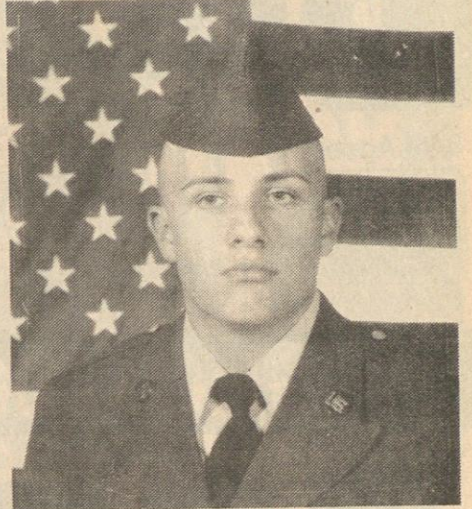
Jeremy is the son of Phillip and Laurie Curtis of Waverly, TN. He is the grandson of Pete Curtis of the North Crossroads/Iuka Community and Annette Curtis formerly of Iuka now of Waverly, TN, and Larry Lewinter and Lindsey and Madonna King of Waverly, TN. He is the great-grandson of the late John and Ethel Curtis and Avaneil and the late Otis Barnett all of Iuka.

Jeremy's first cousin, PFC Justin Curtis, 213 ACR Fox Troop, is currently stationed in Colorado Springs, Colorado. He is scheduled to depart from there to Iraq by the end of the month where he will serve as a scout for his troop.

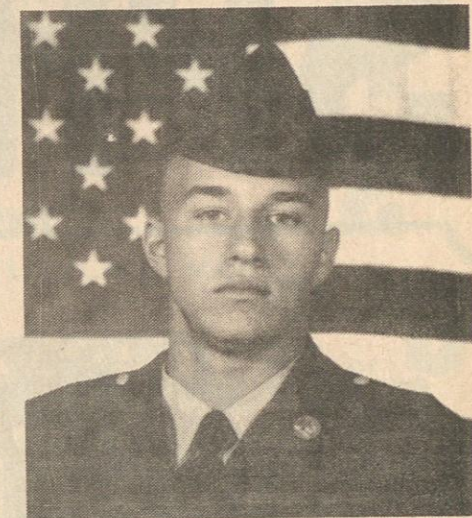
When Justin was asked his thoughts on going to war, he replied, "I'm going after Jeremy."

Justin is the son of Eugene and Susan Curtis of Waverly, TN. He is the grandson of Pete Curtis of the North Crossroads Community and Annette Curtis of Waverly, TN; and Mitchel Berg and Mary Ruth Evans of Waverly, TN. He is the great-grandson of the late John and Ethel Curtis of the North Crossroads Community and Avaneil and the late Otis Barnett, all of Iuka.

Both of the young men were 19 years of age when they joined the service after 9-1-1.



PFC Jeremy S. Curtis



PFC Justin Curtis



Pictured are Sharon Stegall and Pamela McRae, President.

Needle Chasers Hosting Needle Arts Exhibit At Iuka Library

Many varied examples of the needle arts will be the focus of an exhibit presented by the Tishomingo County Needle Chasers at the Iuka Library during National Library Week, April 6-12th.

The guild will present examples of hand and machine quilting, decorative sewing, embroidery, cross-stitch, crocheted and tatted lace, smocking and French sewing throughout the library all week long.

There will be quilts of all ages on display, and many heirloom pieces for the public to view. The intent of the exhibit is to promote the needle arts and hopefully persuade someone to learn one of the many decorative and/or useful skills that will be displayed.

Throughout the day on April 7th members of the Needle Chasers will be demonstrating quilting, applique and other hand needle arts, as well as

guiding visitors through the needle arts exhibit.

During its regular meeting that day, Monday, April 7th at 1 p.m., the guild will feature a special program by Mrs. Wilma Beasley, of Tupelo, on quilted clothing and accessories. There will also be show-n-tell, especially featuring quilted or patchwork clothing, and just a little guild business. Visitors are encouraged to come to this special meeting and also to enjoy the exhibit.



What's It Worth?

The Friends of the Iuka Library has come up with a new, unique fundraiser, and it may have a little something to do with the well received Main Street's Antiques Roadshow Lunch Break program held at the library in January. The program was so well received that the library has invited local professional dealers to be on hand to identify, appraise, and evaluate antiques and collectibles for local and area residents.

During the 3 hour event anyone who believes there is something in their attic or basement worth far more than they ever imagined is invited to bring it to the library.

There is a \$2.00 charge for each item appraised. The Main Street's Antique Roadshow will be held on Wednesday, April 9, from 3 p.m. until 6 p.m. at the library as part of the library's National Library Week activities.

On hand to appraise will be Earl Mitchell, owner of It's New to Me: Antiques and Primitives in Iuka and Charles and Juanita Crawford, owners of C & J's Antiques and Collectibles at the International Furnishing Antique Mall in Corinth. If they can't appraise it, you don't pay.

Easter Egg Hunt At Iuka Library...

The Iuka Public Library will host an Easter Egg Hunt on Thursday, April 17, at 4:00 p.m.

Prizes provided by the Friends of the Library will be awarded for "most eggs found" and "surprise egg" in each age category.

Individually wrapped candy eggs will be furnished by the 20th Century Club. There will be 3 divisions, 0-3 year old, 4-6 year old, and 7-10 year old.

Children need to bring their basket and join in the fun.

Kristina Hemlinger Deployed In Support Of Operation Iraqi Freedom...

Marine Corps Cpl. Kristina M. Hemlinger, daughter of Lisa L. Hemlinger of Berea, Ohio and Michael J. Hemlinger of Iuka, Miss., is deployed in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom while assigned to 2nd Force Service Support Group (FSSG), based in Camp Lejeune, N.C.

Hemlinger's unit deployed as part of a larger Marine force in support of the global war on terrorism.

The 2nd FSSG is an integral member of a Marine Air-Ground Task Force, providing focused logistical support both at home base and to deployed

units throughout the world. The provide combat service support in six main functional areas: supply, maintenance, transportation, medical and dental care, and engineer support.

Hemlinger is a 2000 graduate of Tishomingo County High School of Iuka, Miss. and joined the Marine Corps in June 2000.

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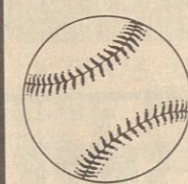
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Yours Truly I Remain, James F. Hannah (Jim)

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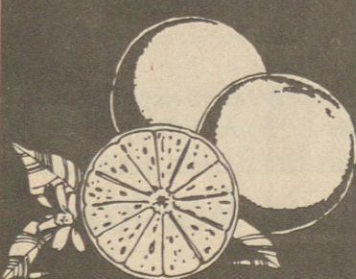
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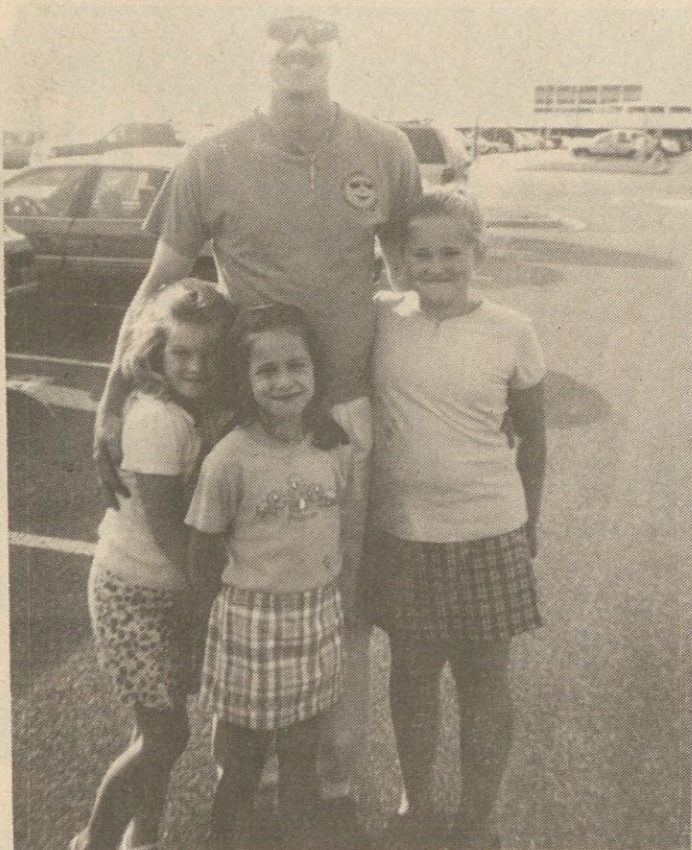
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\$1.99

25 oz. pkg.



Happy Birthday Jessica Stephens

8 Years Old - April 8th

Love and prayers for my Dad,
Jeffrey Stephens and all the
soldiers near and far.



Happy 18th Birthday

Chaylee Butler

April 4th

Love,
Daddy, Mother, Ruma, Brady & Belle



Happy Birthday

Covy Lee Parsons

2 Years Old - April 2, 2003

You bring so much joy to all of our hearts
We love you very much.
Daddy, Mommy, Brooke, Briar, Kimberly,
& Tanner



Congratulations Luke Calton

on receiving Student of the Month at Job Corps in Gulfport, MS.
We are so proud of you for joining the U. S. Navy.

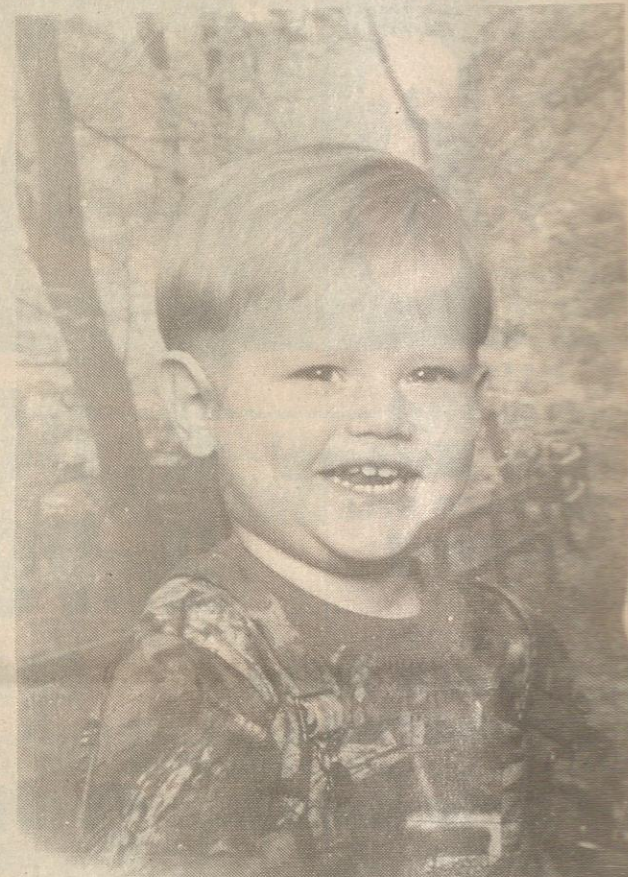
We love you and miss you bunches!
Mom, James, Brian, MaMaw Bacon and Tommy



Happy Birthday

Houston

We love you,
Debbie & Aunt Mertie



To Our Little Man Happy "2" Birthday

Luke Pounders

We love you,
Mommy & Daddy
(Tim & Melissa Pounders)



Happy 1st Birthday Carley

We love you,
Cody, Cameron, Corey



Happy 2nd Birthday to our "Sweet Pea"

Grace Elizabeth
Carpenter
We love you!
Mom and Dad
(Tabitha and Mark
Carpenter)



Happy 54th Birthday

To Our Papa!

April 2, 1949

We love you very much and hope you have a very
Happy Birthday!

Although you are a double antique!
Love from us all, Ryan, Blake, Anna, & Michelle



Happy 1st Birthday

Carley

We love you,
Mommy and Daddy

NEMCC Baseball Camp Set...

Northeast Mississippi
Community College's annual
summer baseball camp for
youngsters beginning first
grade to age 12 is scheduled for
May 27-30.

Baseball camp will run
from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. each
day and the cost is \$80.

For more information contact
Northeast baseball coach and
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(662) 720-7309 or the NEMCC
Office of Continuing Education
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POLITICAL SPEAKING
ANNOUNCED FOR WEEKEND
OF JULY 4TH
The Iuka Heritage Festival Committee is
sponsoring a political speaking for all candidates at
Mineral Springs Park on the weekend of July 4th.
All State and Local Candidates are invited to come
and speak at this open speaking. For more
information call Ellis Strickland at 423-6713 or
Jackie Bryant at 423-3781.



New Arrival In Nunley Home

Bradley and LaShea Nunley are pleased to announce the
arrival of their daughter, Maura Grace Nunley. She was born on Feb.
18, 2003 at 7:15 a.m. at the Oktibbeha County Hospital in
Starkville, MS. She weighed 6 lbs. 14 oz. and was 19 5/8
inches long. Maura's grandparents are Joe and Lynda Bostick of
Iuka, and Darrell and Rhonda Nunley of Iuka. Her great-grand-
parents are Junior and Gola Williams of Red Bay, AL, the late Char-
Opal Bostick of Golden, MS, H. L. and Shirley Nunley of Iuka,
Barbara Ross of Iuka, and the late Tommy Burcham of Iuka.



Junior Auxiliary Week—April 6 - 12

Junior Auxiliary members are shown with Iuka Mayor Jackie Bryant as he signs a proclamation declaring the week of April 6 - 12, 2003, as JUNIOR AUXILIARY WEEK.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: The Junior Auxiliary of Tishomingo County, MS, a Chapter of the sixty-two year old National Association of Junior Auxiliaries, Inc., represents a serious endeavor on the part of women to be active and constructive participants in the community and to assume responsible leadership in meeting community needs; and

WHEREAS: The mission of the National Association of Junior Auxiliaries, Inc., is to encourage member Chapters to render charitable services which are beneficial to the general public, with particular emphasis on children; and to cooperate with other organizations performing similar services; and

WHEREAS: The Junior Auxiliary of Tishomingo County, MS, works actively to perform the mission of the National Association of Junior Auxiliaries, Inc., in this community; and we appreciate their efforts.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jackie Bryant, Mayor of the City of Iuka, MS, do hereby proclaim the week of April 6 - 12, 2003, as JUNIOR AUXILIARY WEEK in Iuka, MS, sponsored by the National Association of Junior Auxiliaries, Inc., and urge all citizens, all civic and fraternal groups, all news media, and other community organizations to join in the salute to Junior Auxiliary volunteers who have been an important presence in this community since 1991.

IN WITNESS WHERE OF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND CAUSED THE SEAL OF CITY OF IUKA, MS, TO BE AFFIXED THE 3RD DAY OF APRIL 2003.

Mayor Jackie Bryant

Burnsville Library News

By: Debra Harrell

Next week is National Library Week, April 6 - 12, 2003. Everyone is welcome to visit the public library. Come check out our special guest and see what kind of activities we have planned for everyone.

Tuesday, April 8th - Mississippi Author will be here from Amory, Ms.

Wednesday, April 9th - Kansas City Southern Lines

Railroad Company will be here from Corinth, MS.

Thursday, April 10th - Dr. James Perkins, Iuka Animal Clinic will be here from Iuka, Ms.

We will have lots of fun and surprises each day.

Be sure to look at the National Library Week Flyers that have been placed around town, for the dates, times and

activities that are planned for each day.

On March 20, 2003 we also had a special guest visit us at the Public Library. Mrs. Mary Sue Wright came and presented to us with visual aid all types of aprons and bonnets that ladies use to wear and some to this day still might wear.

March 2003 was considered as Women's History Month and we celebrated by having a social gathering and a few refreshments. Mrs. Wright did a good presentation; all the ladies seemed to really enjoy it. We had around 20 ladies to come and participate.

The Summer Reading Program will also be here before you can blink your eyes. This year's theme will be "Books Ahoy!"

Library Hours are: Monday - Thursday 11:00 - 5:00, Friday - 9:00 - 3:00, Saturday - Closed.

Happy Spring! Enjoy Each Days Natural Beauty!

Iuka Dixie Girls Umpires...

There will be a meeting for the Iuka Dixie Girls Umpires on Sunday, April 6th at 2:00 p.m.

All umpires are urged to attend. Certification tests will be given on that day, as well as a discussion of rule changes and league assignments. Please make plans to attend.



Thank You!

The 2003-2004 IMS Cheerleaders would like to express their appreciation to their generous sponsors for their recent donations. The money raised allowed the squad to purchase two much-needed mats for gymnastics.

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Front L to R - Jacob Scott, Bishop Davis, Sam Kesler, Anthony Moore, Dustin Allen and Ky Hogue. Back L to R - Coach Danny Allen, Reggie Richey, Tyler Wooten, Scott McCreary, Coach Ronnie McCreary, Coach Johnny Davis, David Gibson, and T.D. Bishop.

Congratulations Predators

The Lee-Prentiss Predators 9 and under AA USSSA competitive baseball team placed 3rd in their opening season tournament, Shady Oaks Spring Classic AAA Tournament, held in Aberdeen, MS., on March 28-30, 2003. There were ten teams in this age group who came from Memphis, Starkville, New Albany, Pontotoc, Carthage, Holly Springs,

Tupelo, and Loxahooma - Tate County.

Friday night the Predators defeated the New Albany Bulldogs 11-4. They came back Saturday morning but lost to Starkville Diamondbacks 4-8. Saturday night they defeated the Pontotoc Athletics 13-6, which put them into the semi-final championship game against Starkville on Sunday,

March 30, 2003. The Predators lost to Starkville 9-1 in the semi-final game. Dustin Allen, from Iuka, pitched four innings Saturday night and 4 innings Sunday and struck out 13 batters in a total of just 8 innings.

The Predators consists of players from Baldwin, Booneville, and Iuka. Their next tournament will be in Pontotoc on April 5, 2003.



Stars & Stripes

Stars and Stripes Dance Club will present "A Salute To America" at the Mineral Springs Park on Saturday, April 5, around 12:00 noon, after the Easter Egg Hunt.

Bring your kids, and come out and support the Boys and Girls Club and join us in a salute to our armed forces, veterans, and America.



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Heart To Heart Hospice Giant Yard Sale/Bake Sale

Saturday, April 5, 2003
Located at 283 Hwy. 366 Belmont, MS

Do your closets and storage buildings need to be cleaned out, unused, but good things that someone else might use.

If so donate those items to be sold at a yard sale for a good cause.

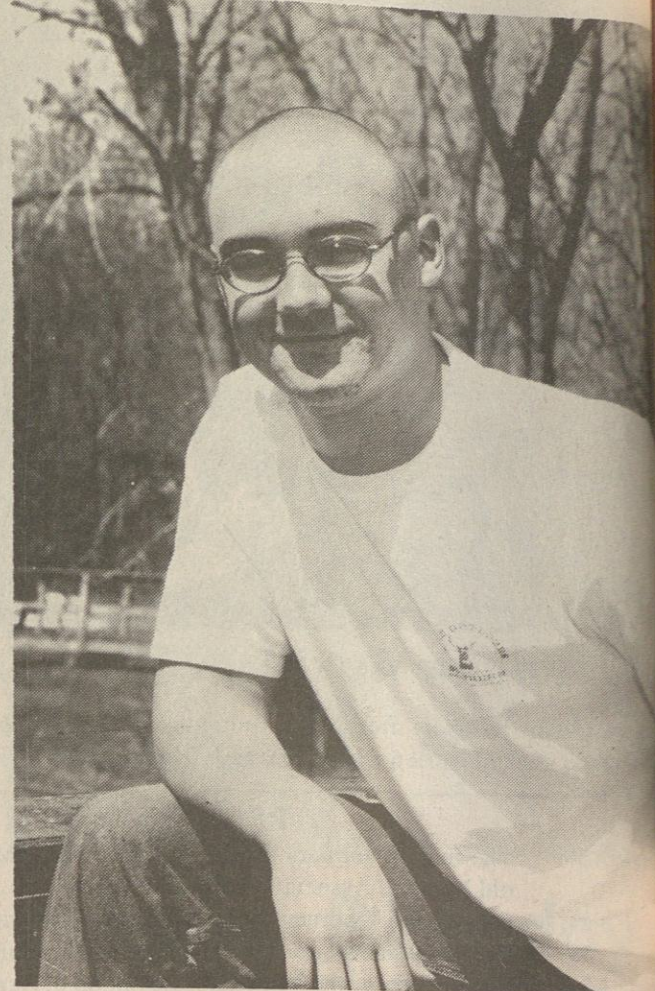
All proceeds from this yard sale will be placed in the "Volunteer Patient Care Fund." These funds will be used to provide items for our patients at different times of the year, such as birthdays, Christmas, and other special occasions.

If you don't have any items to donate and would like to make a donation that would be greatly appreciated also.

If you would like to donate items to this project, you may do so by contacting Debra Nunley, Volunteer Coordinator at 454-3632 or 866-813-4731 or 256-356-8888.

Receipts for items donated will be given if requested.

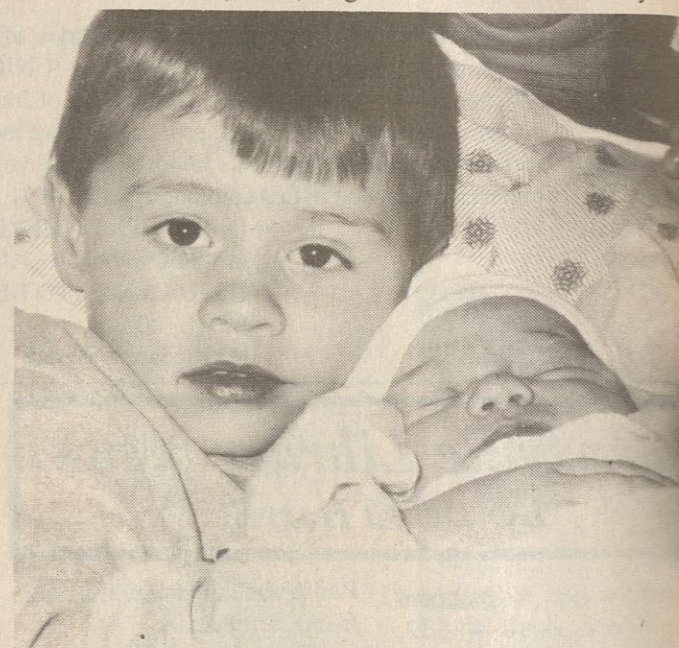
So PLEASE dig deep in your closets and help make this project a huge success!



Luke We Are So Proud Of You For All that You Have Done
Student of the Month and joining the Navy. Good Luck!
We miss you and are praying for you.

We love you,

Brandy, Brent, Robert, James W., Vicky, Tim, Robbie, Scott, Jennifer, Mike, Angela & the rest of the family.



New Arrival In Tant Home

William Bryson Tant is proud to announce the birth of his new baby brother, Allen Brennan Tant. Brennan was born on March 23, 2003. He weighed 10 lbs. 2 ozs. His parents are Shaloni Allen Tant of Atoka, TN. His proud grandparents are Lester Margaret Tant of Atoka, Sondra South of Brighton, TN and South of Ripley, MS. He is the great-grandson of Nadine Love of Paden, MS.



TCHS Student Of The Month - Casey Johnson
the February Student Of The Month. He is the son of James Johnson Sr. and Nellie Mae Lomenick, both of Iuka. Casey enjoys playing the piano, playing basketball, bowling, going to nursing homes and meeting different people, and he enjoys watching College Basketball. "As Student Of The Month, it makes me feel great. It is a real honor to me," stated Casey.



Front L to R - Shane Gordon, Jay Henderson, Koty King, Lee Griffin and Cody Duncan. Back L to R - Coach Jerry Henderson, Mason Luther, Parber Kemp, Jesse Grisham, Steven Atkins, and Coach Gary Leathers.

Congratulations Rangers

The Tri-County Rangers 12 and under AA USSSA competitive baseball team placed 2nd in their 2nd tournament, The Shady Oaks Spring Classic AAA tournament, held in Aberdeen, Ms., on March 28-30, 2003.

Friday night the Rangers defeated Pontotoc Reds 15-1. Saturday morning they lost to Madison County, AL., 2-6 and Saturday afternoon to Dirty Dozen 2-9. They came back Saturday night and defeated the Mantachie Athletics 8-0, which sent them to the semi-finals. In the semi-final game they de-

feated Madison County, AL., 4-3 which sent them to the championship game Sunday afternoon. In the championship game they lost to Dirty Dozen 5-13.

The Rangers next tournament will be April 5, 2003, in Tunica, MS.

Needlechaser's Quilt Guild...

The Needlechaser's Quilt Guild will be Monday, April 7, at 1 p.m. at the Iuka Library.

The program will include Quilted Clothing, by Wilma Beasley, of Tupelo.

Visitors are welcome.

Easter Pageant

April 12 - TCHS

424-9976

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Iuka V.F.W. Post 4978

Elections of officers will be held on April 3rd at 7 p.m. at their regular meeting.

The Ladies Auxiliary will be holding their elections at the same time and place.

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By: Willard Strickland



Free Yellow Ribbons To Show Your Support!

Farm Bureau Agent James Crowell and Gallery Manager Jamie Gargus have teamed up to provide all interested persons with free yellow ribbons to show their support for our troops. The free ribbons have already been provided to all city personnel. Iuka Policemen Glenn Whitlock and Bruce Whited are proudly showing off their ribbons. Everyone is cordially invited to come by Farm Bureau at 301 E. Eastport Street, on Monday-Friday between the hours of 8:00 and 5:00 to pick up your ribbons. Pictured are Glenn Whitlock, Bruce Whited, Jamie Gargus, and James Crowell.



Accelerated Reader Lunch - These students were recently treated to lunch at Jack's for having the most Accelerated Reader points for their grade for the fourth six weeks. Enjoying lunch out are: Jack's manager, John Thompson, Kaylee Baitinger, Preston Rushing, Jake Moore, Hope Henson, Joey Tyson, and Paige Thornton.

Letter To The Editor...

After reading the letters to the editor as I usually do. I could not help but being some what amused and some what smoked by the letter about the conditions of the "ladies" cell at the Tishomingo County Jail. Well it "ain't" no country club!! When they rip up the cell, write on the walls, etc. why

should they be surprised when they have to live in it!

Remember the Ten Commandments well, when you don't live according to the laws of the land you get taken out of society!

Hello! That's why they call it jail!

J A Scholarships To Be Awarded...

Scholarships in the amount of \$500 each will be awarded to two seniors from Belmont and Tishomingo County High Schools. Junior Auxiliary Scholarship Committee chairman Cynthia Hudson says applications are available at both high schools in the offices of the Guidance Counselors.

"These scholarships represent Junior Auxiliary's interest in encouraging young people in their educational pursuits. We want the youth of this area to know we believe in them and want to help them achieve their fullest potential," says Hudson.

All high school seniors who desire to attend Northeast Community College are eligible to apply. Applications must be turned in by April 15.

The scholarship to the Tishomingo High School student will be awarded at Awards Day Ceremonies, while the Belmont High School scholarship will be announced during graduation exercises.

Tishomingo Friends send sympathy to the Talmage Pounders family. He passed away and was buried at the Ridge Cemetery on Friday the 28th.

Tishomingo Legion and Aux. met Thursday the 27th at Midway Restaurant with 14

THS Alumni Meeting...

2 o'clock, April 6th at the Tishomingo Elementary Cafeteria, there will be a planning meeting for the 55th Tishomingo High School Alumni Homecoming July 5th.

Please come and help plan this celebration. Zora Lee Hill, Pres.

Benefit Fish Fry And Auction For Betty Lowery

There will be a benefit fish fry and auction for Betty Lowery at the Mineral Springs Park Youth Center on Friday, April 11th.

Serving will begin at 4:00 p.m. followed with entertainment by the Heartland Bluegrass Band and auction. Plates will be \$5.00.

Betty has been a patient in the North Mississippi Medical Center for over 2 month's now and is facing outstanding medical bills. All donations will be greatly appreciated.

Support Group

Region IV Mental Health/Mental Retardation Commission is offering a Support Group for Military Families Thursday, April 10, 2003 at 6:00 p.m.

The support group will be held at 601 Foote Street in Corinth.

present.

Mr. McAlister has been sick and wasn't able to come home, he's some better.

Bill Southward and Lonett were both under the weather and we missed them at our meeting, also missed Montze Trimm at the meeting.

It's nice to see Maxine Culp able to be better and able to come to the meetings again, we just keep praying for all our members.

Friends, this war business is just a heart breaking problem. We only know 2 boys from the area. Maxine Culp's grandson is over there and if you would love to send a card his name is CWO3 Brent English, VMA 214/MAG B.F.D.B. VIC4 LO17 F.P.D. A996614 - 1017. He was married to Michelle Culp of Den-

nis.

We also know of Matthew Reid, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Reid of Tishomingo.

His wife and 3 children live in San Diego, CA. Would you be interested in mailing a card to Matthew Reid at Bankcorp-South in Tishomingo. This is Matthew's second round over seas. Please pray for our boys over there.

Friends be aware of people trying to enter your home for demonstrations. I had two ladies come my way a few days back. I don't know who got the worse lick but she sure didn't come in on me. Keep your doors locked and some times that doesn't work

Chad spent the Saturday night with Kelvin and Johnny Henry, they had a time.



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It's time for employee recognition!

We believe we have a good country convenience store, and I feel fortunate to have dedicated ladies who work together for the store, our customers and each other.

Brenda Ann Grissom, Co-Manager (Since 1-11-94) Red and I started working together in 1994, but she had already been at the store for 5 years. So, she brought much-needed transition to the business. There were many 50+ hour weeks the first year to help get started and acquainted in the neighborhood and she was there every step of the way. We could always depend on her. As our fishermen customers say, and I agree, she's a "real keeper."

Debra Kay Lambert, Co-Manager (Since 8-16-95) She came on board at the right time! We were behind in several areas - ordering, stocking, bookkeeping and needing another cashier. As I recall, Deb was to work 3 days a week. That lasted 2 weeks. Over the years, she took on all of those responsibilities. She, too, is a keeper.

Martha Rose Murphy, Asst. Manager and Kitchen Manager (Since 7-23-99) Mot wanted a few hours of work a week, close to home. Our store filled her needs. Within a few months, she took over the on-line ordering for the store. We were on a roll, so we opened a small cafe. Mot raised her hand to take over the kitchen, and Brenda said she'd help her a couple of days a week. Deb said she didn't want to cook, but she'd take orders. What a crew I have, they always find a way to work together!

Brenda Sue Aday (Since 5-28-01) B. Sue handles the stocking, carry out and cleaning and all outside chores. A Sr. at Cherokee High, she is close enough to a 4 point average to make us all proud.

Melissa Vela (Since 9-14-02) She helps B. Sue with her duties. Missy and her family moved from Durango, Mexico to the Cherokee area 6 years ago. She is a Jr. at Cherokee High and we're very pleased to have her with us.

Thank you, ladies!
Barbara M. Decker

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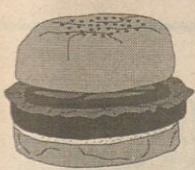
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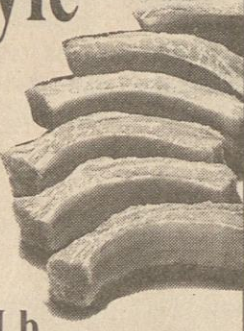
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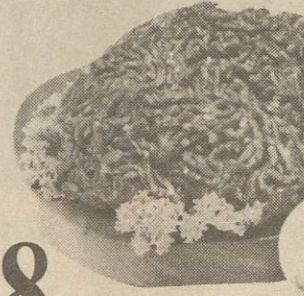
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Lb.



Whole
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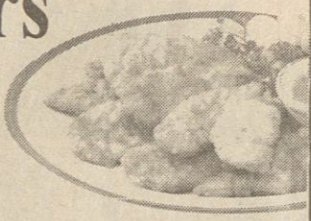
3 Lbs. or More Fresh
Ground
Beef
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Sliced
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12 Oz. Bryan
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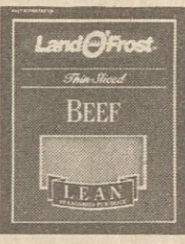
12 Oz. Bryan (Excluding Beef)
Bologna
\$1.18



Cook's Center Cut
Ham
Steaks
\$2.48
Lb.



2.5 Oz. Land O' Frost
Lunchmeat
2/\$1



1 Lb. Roll Jimmy Dean
Pork Sausage
\$1.78



12 Oz. Bryan
Sliced Bacon
\$1.78



1 Lb. Pkg. Frosty Morn
Corn Dogs
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OUR EVERYDAY LOW PRICES WILL SAVE YOU MORE!!

12 Pk. 12 Oz. Cans
Pepsi &
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5 Lb. Bag
Sunflower
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15 Oz. Pride
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Peas
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12 Pk. 12 Oz. Cans
Coca-Cola
& Products
\$2.98
6 Pk. 1/2 Liter Bottle
2/\$5.00



14 Oz. Honey Nut or 15 Oz. Original
General Mills
Cheerios Cereal
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18 Oz.
Betty Crocker
Cake Mix
79¢



14 Oz.
General Mills
Lucky Charms
2/\$4



15.5 Oz.
Tostitos
Cheese Dip
2/\$5



7 Oz.
Bugles
Corn Snacks
99¢



16 Oz. Nabisco
Ritz
Crackers
2/\$5



12 Oz. Cason's
Vanilla
Wafers
69¢



4-6 Oz. Planters
Cheese Balls
or Curls
99¢



GROCERY SPECIALS

Sunflower
Corn Meal
98¢
5 Lb. Bag



Hunt's
Ketchup
78¢
24 Oz. Squeeze



9-10 Oz. Pop-Secret
Microwave
Popcorn
99¢



12 Oz. Spam
Luncheon
Meat
\$1.69



DAIRY SPECIALS

16 Oz. Quarters
Blue Bonnet
Margarine
2/98¢



FRESH PRODUCE

64 Oz. Minute Maid
Orange Juice
\$1.99



Golden Ripe
Bananas
3 lbs. 99¢



10 Lb. Bag Red
Potatoes
\$1.98



8-10 Oz. Weight Watchers (Except Bistro)
Smart Ones Meals
\$1.49



10 Ct. Pillsbury Hungry Jack
Biscuits
89¢



Red Ripe
Roma
Tomatoes
68¢
Lb.



Fresh
Tender
Broccoli
\$1.18



Large
Red Globe
Grapes
98¢
Lb.



12 Oz. Pillsbury
Dinner Rolls
\$1.99



2 Lb. Loaf Kraft
Velveeta Cheese
\$3.89



8 Oz. Poppers Mushrooms or
Stuffed Jalapenos
\$1.99
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An Open Letter to the Citizens of Tishomingo County Concerning the Tri-State Park

To the Citizens of Tishomingo County:

I would like to update some important issues that have taken place in the county.

First, I would like for everyone to pray for and support our troops and leaders in their actions that are taking place overseas and on the home front. By what they are doing, they are giving us continued freedom in the USA as others have done many times before. I ask God's continuous blessing on the USA.

As most everyone knows the economy has been slow for sometime; but when it hits home, everybody starts to worry how they are going to

pay bills and keep food on the table. I worry about this continually. I have lots of people calling and asking for help to find a job. Most of these are people who have lost their jobs due to shutdowns, or lack of sales.

The last two years we have lost approximately four hundred plus jobs. With the economy in the shape it's in, it is not easy to find something to replace the lost jobs. We all need to work together to help locate jobs in Tishomingo County so that everyone could have a job here at home.

Several are asking about the Tri-State Park. This is just a briefing to let you know that

ideas are being discussed between the Board of Supervisors on this issue.

We (the Board) have got to decide how the overall management will be set up to promote the site. Lease-purchase, rent, maintenance, and up-keep will be very vital in seeing this site perform at its very best with the potential assets it has.

We are trying to do all that is necessary to see that this project is in place by the time frame that we have been given to complete the turnover from the State to the County.

Danny Ryan, Tishomingo County Board of Supervisors



Operation Home Town Support

As American troops continue their journey to Baghdad to "Free Iraq," family and friends left at home work endlessly to support our servicemen in any way possible.

Teresa Bumpous McGaughy, mother of Spc. Jason A. Bumpous and Matthew McGaughy both on the front lines in Kuwait, continues to lead an effort to collect needed items for our soldiers.

Mrs. McGaughy reports that lists of needed items are posted throughout the area in participating retailers and also at the county courthouse. Needed badly are flea collars to fight sand fleas and wet wipes for bathing.

Last weekend Mrs. McGaughy and other supporters set up at Iuka Ford and the Blue Bird Store to collect items. She reports that the volunteers will set up again this weekend on Thursday and Friday from 4 to 6 and Saturday from 10 till 2 at both locations.

She encourages all veterans, civic organizations, church groups, and interested individuals to help support our troops. Volunteers are needed to hold signs, hand out info sheets, and man collection posts.

Teresa is trying hard to gather the names and addresses of all soldiers from Tishomingo County who are participating in Operation Iraqi Freedom. She is also working with area Mental Health Groups to form support groups for those families interested in help. If you know someone from this area who is serving in the armed services and would like to hear from home, please call 427-8953, ask for Martha, or 427-8396 at night.

We would like to thank all you who have contributed to this worthwhile cause.

Mrs. McGaughy recently received a letter from her son, Matt:

I wish I was 12 again, saving my lunch money for the weekend. Ha! These were the days. Oh well, the world still turns. "Will be going on to Baghdad." He asked about family, brothers, sisters and tell all hi. I love you guys. Sick of the x#x: sand! "Semper Fi"

Political Speakings Planned By County

The Tishomingo County Democratic Executive Committee has scheduled the following dates for political speakings for the 2003 Democratic primary election to be held on August 5, 2003.

Each candidate listed on the Democratic Party ballot is invited to speak at these events.

June 7 - Spring Hill (Midway); June 14 - Paden; June 21 - Coles Mill (North Crossroads); June 28 - Tishomingo; July 12 - Belmont; July 19 - Burnsville; July 26 - Golden; August 2 - Iuka.

These events will start at 1 p.m., unless otherwise posted. There will be food and refreshments available through local fire departments and civic organizations. So please come and listen to the candidates and support a good cause at the same time.

Mt. Evergreen Cemetery...

Anyone who would like to donate to the grass cutting and upkeep of the Mt. Evergreen Cemetery, please make your donation at this time, see Donnie Williams or call 423-7053, P.O. Box 883, Iuka, MS 38852.



Junior Auxiliary To Hold Community Egg Hunt

Junior Auxiliary members have been busy preparing Easter eggs for an egg hunt. All children 3 years old to 3rd grade are invited to come join the fun at the Junior Auxiliary Egg Hunt on April 5 at 11:00 a.m. Dozens of colorful eggs will be waiting to be found at Mineral Springs Park, and refreshments will be served by JA members. Bring your own basket. The event will not be held in the event of rain.



National Library Week In City Of Iuka -

Librarian, Fredda Sanderson and Chairman of the Iuka Library Board of Trustee, Bette Nelson were present when Mayor Jackie Bryant signed a Proclamation declaring April 6-12, 2003 as National Library Week in the City of Iuka. This year the Iuka Public Library joins the American Library Association and libraries across the county in encouraging our users to learn more about the exciting range of new and traditional resources available. National Library Week is a great time to see what's new at your library and how your librarian can direct you to the information you need when you need it.

Making A Difference At Your Library National Library Week April 6-12

It's National Library Week, a time to Make a Difference at Your Library, and rediscover all that our nation's libraries and librarians have to offer. Everyday more than 120,000 librarians nationwide connect students, families, senior citizens, businesspeople, and teachers with the information they want and need to be successful. As the economy has faltered, more and more Americans have relied on libraries for free access to thousand of books and videotapes and as place to connect with their neighbors and colleagues. The Iuka Library checked out 65, 185 books and videos last year and 6,578 patrons used the public access computers. National Library Week is a great time to see what's new at your library and how your librarians can direct you to the information you need when you need it. We encourage everyone in our community to come check us out.

A variety of programs and activities have been planned for the week.

Monday, April 7, 9:30-10:30 a.m. "Business and Professional Coffee" Hosted by Iuka Pilot Club

Monday, April 7, 1:00-3:00 p.m. "Patchwork and Applique Demonstrations" By Tishomingo County Needle Chasers

Tuesday, April 8, 12:30 p.m. "Senior's Day" Entertainment - Mrs. Mary Bonds and Friends. Refreshments - Harmony Homemakers.

Wednesday, April 9, 10 a.m. - "Timber Hills Center

Bingo Party" Sponsored by Friends of the Library

Wednesday, April 9, 3:00-6:00 p.m. "Mainstreet's Antique Roadshow" Sponsored by Friends of the Library

Thursday, April 10, 12 p.m. Appreciation Luncheon for Local Officials by invitation only. Guest speaker - Mrs. Rheta Grimsley Johnson. Hosted by Friends of the Library

Friday, April 11, 10 a.m. "Dog Tales" Storytime NEMCC Language Arts Department

- "Needle Arts" organized by the Tishomingo County Needle Chasers will be highlighted during the week. Many forms of needlecraft; cross stitch, tatting, quilts, embroidery, crochet, and handmade lace will be on exhibit
- A collection of "character mugs" that belong to Mr. and Mrs. Don Grant will be on display.
- Door prizes and contest will be set up throughout the library courtesy of the Friends of the Library.

Don't Miss It!

Benefit And Auction For Joe Tidwell's Medical Expenses

There will be a benefit and auction for Joe Tidwell's medical expenses on April 5, 2003 at Paden Community Center.

Chicken plates will be \$5.00 and fish plates will be \$6.00. They will be served, along with dessert and drink. We will start serving at 12:00 p.m.



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Rushing Drugs
Downtown Iuka

-OBITUARIES-

Stanley Ray Holcomb

Stanley Ray Holcomb, 54, died Monday, March 25, 2003, at the Red Bay Hospital. He was a native of Mississippi and attended Belmont First Baptist Church. He was preceded in death by his parents, Oliver and Estelle Holcomb.

Services were at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Deaton Funeral Home Chapel in Belmont with the Rev. Jack Maroon and the Rev. Ed Sanders officiating. Burial was in the Belmont City Cemetery.

Survivors include one sister, Leta White and her husband, Charles, of Tupelo; three aunts, Audrey Credille and Elsie Hallmark, both of Belmont, and Sue Holcomb of Tupelo; nieces, nephews and cousins.

Pallbearers were Jonathan Pardue, Corey Pardue, Chad Pruitt, Keith Hallmark, John Hallmark, Jerry Hughes and Joe Credille.

Lemer Beam

Lemer Dessie Beam, 81, died Monday, March 24, 2003, at her residence. She was born Oct. 15, 1921, to Alonzo "Lonnie" and Bessie Taylor Cleveland. She married Samuel Carl Beam in 1939 and was a member of the Gospel Light-house Pentecostal Church in Tishomingo. She was preceded in death by her husband, Samuel Carl Beam in 1975; two grandsons; one great-grandson; four brothers; one sister; and her parents.

Services were at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Gospel Light-house Pentecostal Church with the Rev. W.H. Burcham and the Rev. Tim Hisaw officiating. Burial was in the Salem Cemetery. Deaton Funeral Home of Belmont was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include three sons, Wymer "Billy" Beam and

his wife, Sarah, of Indiantown, Fla., William T. "Tommy" Beam and his wife, Brenda, of Amory, and Ed Beam of Fairview; two daughters, Hazel Harnage and her husband, Willie, of Fairview, and Dorothy Moody and her husband, Larry, of Belmont; four sisters, Lena Jacobs and Retha McKinney, both of Booneville, Ruble Stanley of Marietta and Ruby Dillard of Memphis, Tenn.; two brothers, Ernie Barrett of Golden and Lewis Cleveland of Booneville; 21 grandchildren; 49 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were her grandsons, Bobby Beam, Don Dulaney, Chester Harnage, Sammy Harnage, David Harnage, Kenny Dulaney, Glenn Dulaney, Jimmy Harnage, Paul Beam and Russell Beam.

T.C. Pounders

Talmadge "T.C." Pounders, 83, died Tuesday, March 25, 2003, at his home. He was a native of Mississippi. He retired as a dairy farmer after 35 years. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II and a member of the Belmont VFW.

Services were at 2 p.m. Friday at Deaton Funeral Home Chapel in Belmont with the Rev. Steve Kennedy officiating. Burial was in Ridge Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife,

Avoe Pounders of Dennis; two sons, Jimmy Pounders of Dennis and Thomas Pounders of Tishomingo; a brother, Ray Pounders of Redford, Mich.; two grandchildren, Gregory Pounders of Cairo and Melissa Pounders of Starkville; three great-grandchildren, Luke Pounders and Candice Harber, both of Tishomingo, and Justin Pounders of Cairo.

He was preceded in death by a grandson, Craig Pounders, and a brother, Hafford Pounders.

Exie Jane Johnson

Exie Jane Johnson, 80, died Friday, March 28, 2003, at her residence. She was a member of the Red Bay Freewill Baptist Church and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star. She was active in the Ladies Auxiliary of the V.F.W. She was the widow of William Hale Johnson, who died in 1995.

Services were at 3 p.m. Sunday at the Deaton Funeral Home Chapel in Belmont with the Rev. Tom Scott and the Rev. Barry Raper officiating. Burial was in the Lindsey Cemetery in Dennis.

Survivors include one son, Stephen Hale Johnson and his

wife, Tracie L., of Dennis; two grandsons, Cody Allen Johnson and Conroy Wade Johnson, both of Dennis; one sister, Marie Armstrong and her husband, James, of Belmont; two brothers, Pat Epps and his wife, Ruby, of Dennis, and Owen Epps and his wife, Ruth, of Bartlett, Tenn.; two nephews, Clifton Orrick and Charles Ray Orrick; one niece, Myra Sue Osborn; a host of other nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Shearl Pardue, Mike Howell, Clifton Orrick, La Ray Epps, Tony Osborn and James Armstrong.

Matthew Hoing

James Matthew Hoing, 23, died Wednesday, March 26, 2003, at his home in Brewer after a sudden illness. He was born Feb. 2, 1980, in Jackson. He lived in Lee County all his life. He played football in junior high school and belonged to the Library Club at Shannon. At North Pontotoc High School he was president of the Future Business Leaders of America. He was a member of St. James Catholic Church, where he was an altar server for three years and a member of the Catholic Youth Organization. He was employed with Bumpers Drive-In as assistant manager with several Jackson area restaurants and was scheduled to become manager of their Mendenhall restaurant. He enjoyed music, playing piano and trombone, and working with computers.

Services were at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. James Catholic Church with Father Henry Shelton officiating. Graveside services were at 2 p.m. Saturday at Pleasant Grove Church of Christ Cemetery in Iuka. W.E. Pegues Funeral Directors were in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his parents, Billy and Marilyn Hoing of Brewer; a sister, Amy Chapman and husband, Jason, of Thaxton; his grandparents, William and Evelyn Hoing of Randolph, and James and Dorothy McDuffy of Iuka; numerous aunts, uncles, great-aunts, great-uncles, great-great-aunts and great-great-uncles.

Pallbearers were Jerry Thacker, Tracy McDuffy, Randy McDuffy, Kyle Holley, Kevin Hoing, Ricky Hoing, Galen Holley and Nathan Hoing.

Granville McCoy

James Granville McCoy, 86, died Friday, March 21, 2003, at his home as the result of a shop accident. He was born Jan. 1, 1917, to Robert Levi "Bob" McCoy and Tersie L. Phifer McCoy. He was a retired auto mechanic and former owner of the American Motors Rambler Dealership in Booneville. He was a U.S. Army veteran serving in the Pacific Theatre from 1941 until the end of the war in 1945. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Booneville for 50 years where he was a member of the Isaac Sunday School Class and the Joymakers senior adult group. He loved people and enjoyed greeting fellow church members every Sunday morning.

Services were at 2 p.m.

Sunday at the McMillan Funeral Home Chapel in Booneville with Dr. Lynn Jones officiating. Burial was in the Oaklawn Memorial Park Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Clarine White McCoy, whom he married Nov. 28, 1941; one

daughter, Melba McCoy Morgan and her husband, Randy, of Guntown; one son, Terry L. McCoy and his wife, Deborah, of Coppell, Texas; three granddaughters, Emily, Jessica and Valerie McCoy, all of Coppell, Texas; one sister, Jewell Choate of Iuka.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother and three sisters.

Honorary pallbearers were the members of the Isaac Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church.

Spring Revival At Mt. Vernon

Mt. Vernon Baptist Church will be having their spring revival services Monday, April 7th through Wednesday, April 9th beginning at 7:00 p.m. each night.

The visiting preacher will be Bro. John Bray, pastor of Oldham Baptist Church.

Bro. Dwight South and the congregation extend an invitation to everyone to attend.

Leroy Reynolds

Leroy Reynolds, 49, died Sunday, March 23, 2003, at the Magnolia Regional Health Center in Corinth following a sudden illness. He was born Feb. 2, 1954, in Tishomingo County, the son of Buster B. and Lelar Mayhall Reynolds. He was a member of the Danville Baptist Church. He was a frame builder in the furniture manufacturing industry. He was a U.S. Army veteran and a member of the American Legion. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, gardening and most of all, his children and grandchild.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Booneville Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Tim Dixon and Bro. Dewayne Morgan officiating. Burial was in the Danville Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife,

Wanda Rogers Reynolds, whom he married Aug. 1975; two sons, Jason Reynolds and his wife, Tammie, of Reienzi, and Jeffrey Reynolds of the home; granddaughter, Reynolds; a brother, Reynolds and his wife, Betty Booneville; three sisters, Denson and her husband, Mackie, of Booneville, Myron Vinson and her husband, Charles, of Golden, and Lela Mayhall of Iuka; his father-in-law and mother-in-law, Lela and Lorraine Rogers of Ridge. Pallbearers were Rick Rogers, Jimmy Rogers, Charles Kennedy, Roger Spence, Tim Dixon and Bro. Dewayne Morgan. Honorary pallbearers were Mackie Denson and Denny Wade.

A Special Thanks

We, the family of Kent Clark, who resided in the Midway community, wish to thank you all for your kindness to us during this sorrowful time. We thank you for all the beautiful flowers, food, kind words, visits, and prayers given on behalf of Kent Clark and family.

We would like to thank Ludlum Funeral Home for their great manifestation of love and care for a bereaved family. They went beyond the normal care for a funeral home. Also, we thank Bro. Ricky Johnson or his kind words spoken at the funeral service. We thank the pallbearers, Bro. Bobby Johnson, Danny Ryan, Marko Rast, Chris Clark, Shawn Clark, Junior Stockwell, Gary Underwood, and Jason Howell for their help during this trying time.

By faith, we view the death of our loved one as being a time to praise our Lord for we know Jesus is with us in life and death. Oh, that God would continue to bless you in our continuing prayer!

The family of Kent Clark

Thank You

We, the family of Lorene Honeycutt, sincerely appreciate each act of kindness shown by everyone during her illness and death. Thank you to Dr. Flannery and staff of Iuka Hospital for all of the care given to her. A special thank you to each of you for your part in her service. Thank you to Cutshall Funeral Home for a job well done.

May God Bless You,
Lois Blunt
Lucille Page
Nieces and Nephews

In Appreciation

Our family wishes to express our sincerest gratitude to all the family members, friends and wonderful neighbors who were there for us during the recent death of our beloved husband and father, Felps Watson. The gifts of your time, flowers, food, prayers and comfort helped us through this difficult time.

We would especially like to express our gratitude to Buddy James. Thank you so much for your time, your comforting words and for your love. Also, to Cutshall Funeral Home for the beautiful service. This wonderful man will be greatly missed by all that knew him.

May God Bless each of you.
The Family of Felps Watson

We appreciate our neighbors...

Like you, we appreciate having good neighbors. That's why we also do our best to be good neighbors.

As established members of the hometown business community, we understand the security of dealing with people you know, people you trust. We've built our reputation on this trust.

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We hope you remember you can turn to us in times of need. You can also talk to us about planning ahead...removing this burden from the minds of others. Please call us or stop by.

Cutshall Funeral Home

302 N. Pearl St. - Iuka, MS
56 Hwy. 72 - Glen, MS
423-5222

cutshallfuneralhome.com

Thank You

from
Lori Waldrep

I would like to thank everyone for the prayers, phone calls, cards and food that was sent to me after my surgery.

I also would like to say the benefit was a great success. There is no way to mention all the people who helped organize the benefit, but you know who you are and you are greatly appreciated. I want to thank all the people who came for their generosity and support. It was so good to know I have so many friends who are supporting me during my illness.

May God Richly Bless you for everything you did.

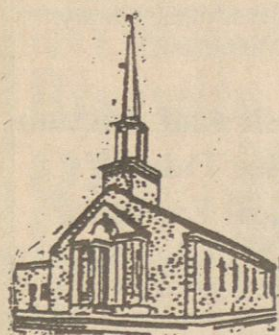


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1509 Whitehouse Road

Sunday School.....10:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study.....7:00 p.m.

Phone 423-6019

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
Mrs. Glenda Jones, Minister of Music

Morning Broadcast Over WFXO-FM 104.9 - 11:00 a.m..



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

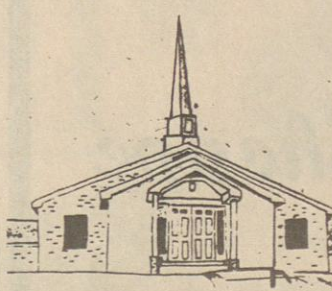
"A Going Church For A Coming Christ"

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.....8:00 p.m.

Local Writer's Dream Comes True With "Raindrops and Sawdust"

A dream has come true! When Afton Weaver Minga was just a senior in high school, she wrote a short story and read it in front of her English class. A love was born. She found that she loved to write, and she dreamed—even when she was still in high school that one day she would write a book.

Today, after many years, her dream is a reality, and she is able to hold her published novel in her hands.

Afton Minga is the author of **Raindrops and Sawdust**—her book that she has been working on for some fifty years.

In her own words:

The year was 1942 and World War II was raging. I (Afton) was fifteen (sixteen in March of that year) and a senior in Amory, MS, High School. In my English class one day, the teacher's homework assignment for the students was to write a short story. The next day, to my complete surprise, I was selected by the teacher to read my story to the class as an example of how a short story should be written. That was the beginning of my abiding dream to be a writer some day. Up until then, my writing had only included a limited amount of poetry. However, it was not until 1971 that the dream would begin to materialize. In the time-span between graduation from high school and 1971, life was too involved to include writing.

I went to work on the date I received my high school diploma as Secretary to the Superintendent of Amory City Schools. In October 1942, I resigned to accept an office position at a wartime shell loading plant.

In 1944 I moved to Memphis, TN, to obtain some added business training at Draughon's Business College. I was employed by radio station WMPS when I met Tom Minga, my husband to be.



Afton Minga is holding a copy of her newly published book, **Raindrops and Sawdust**, an endeavor that she has been working on since 1971.

According to Afton, she and Tom reared two children to be grown and married. Some additional endeavors during this same time span for Afton were to complete two and one-half years at Memphis State University, serve as a church librarian for thirteen years, and teach adult Sunday School.

In the meantime, another aspiration had surfaced for her. She not only wanted to write a novel, but she wanted it to have a Christian influence—to be a witness to the saving power of Jesus Christ. Her heart's desire was to tell individuals who had made terrible mistakes in their lives, or committed horrendous crimes (such as, murder, adul-

tery, or doubting the goodness of God) that they could be forgiven if they repented and accepted Christ as their Savior. She wanted to use her book to do this. She took pen in hand and began writing her novel in 1971.

From 1971 until the early 1980's Afton's life was filled with monumental challenges. First, in 1971, Tom bought property on Pickwick Lake and soon thereafter started building their retirement home. That was the same year their first grandson was born. In 1972, they became involved in summer mission work, sponsored by Iuka Baptist Church, at Coleman State Park. In 1976 Tom

retired.

In the following years there were frequent visits from family and five grandchildren, especially during summer vacations. However, Afton didn't give up on her dream this time. The setting and time period of her novel was Civil War days—and this required extensive research. She would often set the alarm for 3:00 a.m. in order to have some quiet time to work.

One morning in the 1980's, Tom awoke to hear her calling his name. She was kneeling by the side of his bed with tears trickling down her cheeks. "Tom," she sniffed, "I've finished my book."

Then came the frustrating years of not being able to get it published. Finally, she came to the conclusion that maybe God didn't want her to publish the book. After asking several Christian friends to read it and give her their honest opinions, she was provided with some much needed relief from that anxiety. Occasionally, she would mail it to another publisher—only to receive another rejection. Finally, after years of trying and failure, totally discouraged, she prayed: "All right, Lord, if it's not your will, then I give it up completely. If you want this book published, then you will have to send someone to me." (Afton had taken the time to have her book copyrighted.)

A month or two later, she received a letter from 1stBooks Library Publishers in Bloomington, IN. After checking with the Chamber of Commerce and the Better Business Bureau regarding 1stBooks' credibility, she signed a contract with them.

Although the plot of **Raindrops and Sawdust** and the characters are fictional, a vast majority of the personal problems they encountered, along with the devastating results experienced, are taken from real-life situations that have taken place.

Afton says that through her book she hopes people will realize that no matter what we do in life, God forgives us when

we turn to Him.

Afton still lives at the lake with her husband, Tom, and both of them can be found at any Iuka Baptist Church service. Afton continues to work as a Church Librarian. Afton says the Lord and Tom are responsible for the publishing of **Raindrops and Sawdust**.

Call Afton or Tom for more information about the newly published book. You will enjoy reading it.

Spring Revival...

There will be a spring revival at Airport Mission Baptist Church, located on Airport Road, on April 7th through April 11th, starting at 7:00 p.m. each night.

Bro. Tim Griffin will be bringing the message.

Come and fellowship with us!!

Tishomingo Animal Support Group To Meet April 5th...

The Tishomingo Animal Support Group will meet at the Iuka Library located at 204 N. Main St. in Iuka on Saturday, April 5, at 12:30 to elect officers for the year.

Tremendous interest has been expressed in establishing a Humane Society for Tishomingo County and subsequently an animal shelter. In order to achieve these objectives, we need your continued support. Please show your support by attending this meeting and electing leaders who will be able to get the job done for our county.

If at first you don't succeed, try, try again.

For further information please call Nancy Newsom at 423-2938.



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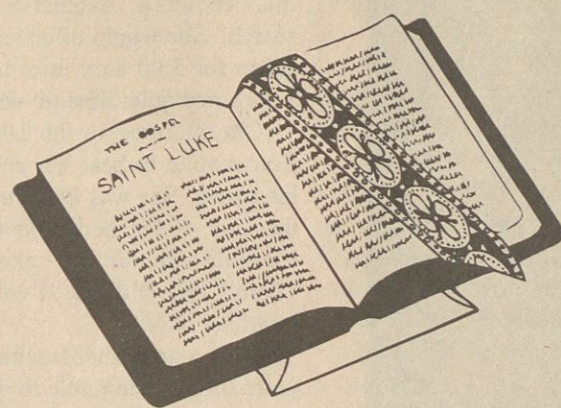
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Bethel Missionary Baptist -
 New Bethel - Bro. William McClellan
 Bethlehem - Greg Whitehead
 Burgess Creek - Allen Jones
 Burnsville First - Bobby R. Johnson
 Calvary - Ray Kirk
 Calvary Missionary - Bill Burge
 Carters Branch - Dennis Rainer
 Dennis First - Bro. Jim Brown, Jr.
 Eastport - Junior Jones
 Fifth Street - Tony Curtis
 First Missionary -
 First Freewill - Jerry Copley
 Forrest Grove Missionary - Bobby Massey
 Golden Central Baptist - Mickey Trammel
 Harmony Hill Baptist - Louie Williams
 Highland - Jeremy Harris
 Hubbard Salem - Allen Osborn
 Iuka Baptist Church - Jackson Camp -
 Landmark Baptist - Hal Holt
 Little Flock Primitive - Tim Cannon
 Shady Grove - Grover T. Laird
 Magnolia - Howard Stanford
 Mt. Gilead - Greg Philamlee
 Mt. Glory - Joe Hardwick
 Mt. Joy - Bill Flippo
 Mt. Moriah - Phillip Logan
 Mt. Vernon - Dwight South
 Mt. Zion - Bro. Edward Young
 New Lebanon Freewill - Steve Corbett
 New Liberty - Edwin Kennedy
 New Prospect - Jon Vanlandingham
 New Salem - Tim Mims
 Old Pleasant Hill Church - Oldham - Rev. John Bray
 Old Union - Dennis Wellington
 Paden - Bro. James Thorne
 Poplar Springs Freewill - Malcom Garrett
 Providence - Phil Dawson
 Red Bud - Bro. Jack Maroon
 Rowland Mills - Edward Stacey
 Sardis - John Stockton
 Short Creek - James H. Taylor
 South Crossroads - Tim Ryan
 Southwood - Bro. George D. (Billy) Credille
 St. Peter Missionary - Lowell Gibbs
 Temple - Bro. Bobby Elliott
 Tishomingo - Bro. Jim Pinkerton
 Unity - Randy Harrell
 Walker -
 Yellow Creek - Stanley Magill

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Belmont Second Street - Fred House
 Berea - Jim Estes
 Burnsville - Steven Hodgkin
 East Iuka - Iuka - Lance Foster
 Liberty - Ron Deaton
 Mainstreet, Belmont - Ricky Griffin
 Maude - Mark West
 Pleasant Grove - David Lambert
 Tishomingo - Jeff Martin

CATHOLIC

St. Mary's - Sr. Bernadette Engelhaupt

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD
 Harvest Assembly Of God - Bro. Gary Cleveland

METHODIST

Allsboro United - Kirk Minor
 Belmont - Steve DeVore
 Boggs Chapel - Dale Whitlock
 Burnsville - Tony Pounders
 Campground - Tommy Jennings
 Chapel Hill - Nathan Emmelhainz
 Dennis - Steve Defoor
 Golden Chapel - Donnie Riley
 Harmony - Tony Pounders
 Iuka First United - Ed Temple
 Jones Chapel - Mary L. Robinson
 Margerum - Kirk Minor
 Mt. Evergreen - Tommy Jennings
 Old Bethel - Donnie Riley
 Paradise - Dale Whitlock
 Patrick - Tony Pounders
 Pleasant Hill - Dwain Whitehurst
 Riverton -
 Rocky Springs - Tommy Jennings
 Salem -
 Snowdown - Dwain Whitehurst
 Spring Hill - Dwain Whitehurst
 Rutledge Salem - Dale Whitlock
 Tishomingo - Dale Whitlock

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Booneville Ward - Jimmy Burcham
Corinth Ward - Herbert Hissong
GOSPEL
Assembly Of Christ House of Prayer - Lelon Owens
Iuka Church Of God - James Strange
James Gospel Chapel -
Mission Lighthouse - John Gwatney
The Fishers Of Men Church - Raymond Osborn

PENTECOSTAL

Apostolic Church Of Jesus Christ - Kenneth White
Apostolic Friendship Chapel - Steve Nicholson
Burnsville First United - Jimmy Rich
Christ Gospel - Benney Long
Full Gospel Fellowship - Mike Richardson
Iuka First United - Frank E. Williamson
Iuka Gospel Chapel - Jim Edwards
Gospel Lighthouse - W.H. Burcham
Grissom Chapel Holiness -

PRESBYTERIAN

Allsboro Cumberland - Scott Sealy
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EPISCOPAL

Church Of Our Savior (Iuka) -
St. Paul's Church (Corinth) -

OTHER

Amazing Grace Tabernacle - R.G. Rodger
Burnsville Tabernacle - Teddy Cornelius
Fairview Community - Fairview Holy -
Grace Bible - Danny Lovelace
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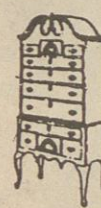
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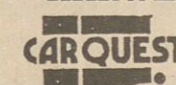
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TCHS DECA Places At State Competition -
TCHS DECA recently competed in the State DECA competition held in Jackson, MS. Pictured above are Stacie Sparks and Georgia Moore. Stacie Sparks placed fourth in Quick Restaurant Management. Georgia Moore placed fifth in Apparel and Accessories Associate Level.

Tishomingo County Smoke Signals

By
Sara Beth
Hudson



This is sure to be a very busy and overwhelming week here at Tishomingo County High School! Not only are students beginning their six weeks exams on Wednesday, but many of the students have been gone on school trips. We had several Students compete in the State Science Fair, which was held in Hattiesburg, MS. FBIA members have also been away at their state competition in Jackson, MS. Congratulations to all the winners! It was a great honor to have all of these students represent our school at the state level.

Cheerleading try-outs are this Friday!!! The workshops, which started on Tuesday, are mandatory in order to try out. So everyone be sure and be there immediately after school. I wish good luck to each and every girl trying out with all my heart, because I have been there...And remember: it's only four days, you can make it!!

This Friday the Braves Baseball team will play at Central, and will face Baldwin and Booneville on Saturday. The

boys have been having an excellent season, so be sure to catch a glimpse of them before the season is over!!!

This is definitely one of those weeks where you feel everything has waited to come all at once! A lot of thought, hard work, and sweat will come out of this week, and the majority will be from TCHS alone. It can be frustrating to have so much going on at one time, but just remember that feeling of relief that always follows "one of those weeks" is just a few days away. I came across a very fitting quote for this week, that I really have fallen in love with. "Shoot for the moon. Even if you miss, you will land amongst the stars" - Jill McLeMore.

Tri-State Home Of Faith To Host Homecoming Fish Fry & Singing...

Tri-State Home of Faith will be hosting their annual Homecoming fish fry and all day singing on Saturday, April 5, 2003 at 10:00 a.m.

Please bring a covered dish, drink or dessert.

Singers will include: The Challengers; The Singing Gentiles; The Patterson Family; The Prospect Baptist Church Singers; Kay Parker; Linda Austin and many more!

Lady Braves Seniors' Tribute

The TCHS Lady Braves will play their last home game for the season on Thursday, April 3rd. The coaches, teammates, parents and fans will honor their senior players following the varsity game, which starts at 5:00 p.m. Seniors Stephany Anglin, Traci Wright and Claire Nunley will be recognized and applauded for their outstanding high school careers and their contributions to the softball program at TCHS. These young ladies have been committed from day one and have exceeded all expectations, theirs and the schools. We want to wish these Lady Braves the best of luck in all they do and want them to know they will be leaving some "big shoes

(cleats)" to fill!

Also, don't forget the annual Lady Braves' Rib Ticking Dinner on Friday, April 4th. Ribs and bar-b-que with all the trimmings will be served at the TCHS cafeteria from 5:00 until 7:00 p.m. We want to thank each of you that purchased a ticket and want you to know that your support and encouragement is the driving force behind the success of the Lady Braves. And speaking of success, did you know the TCHS Lady Braves defeated the Tupelo Golden Wave this past Saturday, as well as the Columbus Lady Falcons and the Houston Hilltoppers. Way to go Lady Braves! We are proud of you!



Happy Birthday

Molly Wimbish - Feb. 21
Kaylee Gist - March 11
Sarah Wimbish - April 5
From All Your Family

Welcome Charlie Kyles and Mrs. Ruth Calicutt...

Charlie Kyles and Mrs. Ruth Calicutt will be singing at Charity Chapel Christian Worship on Sunday morning, April 6, at 10:30 a.m.

Our church is located on old 45 across from Quebecor World, we'll be having lunch, bring a covered dish.

Pastor Michael Robertson.



Benefit Fish Fry

There will be a benefit fish fry on Saturday, April 5, 2003 at the Unity Baptist Church for the benefit building fund.

Fish, chicken, and slaw, hushpuppies and Freedom fries and drink will be served for \$6.00 a plate.

Serving will start at 11:00 a.m. Carry outs only.

Sardis Church News

By: Louise White Family

We at Sardis extend a welcome 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:
"That which we have seen and heard declare we unto you, that ye also may have fellowship with us: and truly our fellowship is with the Father, and with his Son Jesus Christ" (1 John 1:3).

This lesson from I John 1:35-39; John 21:24; I John 1:1-4 is about examining our personal relationship with Christ. The Bible clearly shows that when we have a personal relationship with Christ, we will enjoy fellowship with both God and other believers. As we start to get acquainted with our Savior, our relationship will become sweeter each day and our testimony will become more meaningful to others. Because of God's grace the gospel declares that in Christ we are offered victory over our sins, both past and future.

Nellie Wallace

Nellie Rose Wallace, 100, died Thursday, March 27, 2003, at the Corinth Health and Rehab Center. She was a member of East Corinth Church of Christ. She enjoyed gardening and flowers and had an outgoing personality.

Services were at 4 p.m. Friday at McPeters Funeral Home Chapel with Minister Earl Case officiating. Burial

was in Farmington Cemetery.

Survivors include a brother, Eldred Gilton of Iuka; a sister, Allie Parker of Corinth; nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, James Marshall Gilton and Lillie Edna Lambert Gilton; two brothers, J.M. Gilton Jr. and Hubert Gilton; a half brother, Dallas Erwin; and two sisters, Otha Brooks and Maggie Fields.

LEGAL NOTICES

**IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF
TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
RE: ESTATE OF JERRY RAY STEPHENS NO. 2003-075
NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Letters Testamentary, having been granted on the 20th day of March, 2003, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of JERRY RAY STEPHENS, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate to present same to the Clerk of this Court by probate and registration according to law within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This the 20th day of March, 2003.
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Sealed bids for the purchase of a trailer mounted high pressure sewer cleaner will be received by the TOWN OF BURNSVILLE, MISSISSIPPI until 6:00 p.m., on May 6, 2003, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a trailer mounted high pressure cleaner with a minimum pump capacity of 40 GPM at 2000 PSI. Detail specifications of the equipment to be furnished may be obtained at the Burnsville City Hall, Burnsville, Mississippi.

Each bid submitted must be marked on the outside "Bid for TRAILER MOUNTED HIGH PRESSURE SEWER CLEANER, TOWN OF BURNSVILLE, MISSISSIPPI." Bids may be held up to 60 days from the date of opening for review of bids and qualifications of bidders prior to Contract award. The TOWN OF BURNSVILLE reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.
Bobby H. Johnson, Mayor

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NOTICE OF ADJOURNED SHAREHOLDERS' MEETING TO VOTE ON HOLDING COMPANY REORGANIZATION First American National Bank

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to call of its directors, the adjourned annual meeting of shareholders of First American National Bank will be held at its banking house at 114 Pearl Street, Iuka, Mississippi, on Friday, April 11, 2003, to consider and determine by vote whether a proposal to approve and adopt the Plan of Share Exchange, dated February 12, 2003, between the First American National Bank and First American Bancshares, Inc., a Mississippi corporation, under the provisions of the laws of the United States and the provisions of the laws of Mississippi, shall be ratified and confirmed, and to vote upon any other matters incidental to the proposed share exchange. A copy of the plan of share exchange, approved by a majority of directors of First American National Bank and First American Bancshares, Inc. providing for the share exchange, is on file at the institution and may be inspected during business hours. The share exchange will facilitate the formation of a bank holding company for First American National Bank.

Kelly Segars, Sr., President
First American National Bank

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LEGAL NOTICES

**OFFICE OF STATE AID ROAD CONSTRUCTION
MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
AND
TISHOMINGO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
SECTION 900**

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS:

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, Mississippi at the Tishomingo County Courthouse, Iuka, Mississippi, until 10:00 a.m. on the 7th day of May, 2003 and shortly thereafter publicly opened for the construction of 0.080 miles of BOX BRIDGE AND APPROACHES on the ROCK QUARRY ROAD (COUNTY ROAD NO. 75) being known as Project No. SAP-71 (63) in Tishomingo County, Mississippi.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS:

CONTRACT TIME: 90 Working Days

BASIS OF AWARD

The award, if made, will be made to the lowest qualified bidder on the basis of published quantities.

The Board of Supervisors hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprise will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS are on file in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, the County Engineer's office and the Office of the State Aid Engineer, 401 North West Street, Jackson, Mississippi. This project shall be constructed in accordance with the latest edition of the Mississippi Standard Specifications for State Aid Road and Bridge Construction.

PLANS AND PROPOSALS may be secured from B.G. Coggins, Jr., County Engineer for Tishomingo County, Mississippi, P.O. Box 1526, Tupelo. The Cost is thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) for plans and fifteen dollars (\$15.00) for the proposal, non-refundable.

Certified check or bid bond for five percent (5%) of the total bid, made payable to Tishomingo County and the State of Mississippi must accompany each proposal.

Bidders are hereby notified that any proposal accompanied by letters qualifying in any manner the condition under which the proposal is tendered will be considered an irregular bid and such proposal will not be considered in making the award.

Danny Ryan, President
Tishomingo County Board of Supervisors

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SCHOOL PHOTOS

Tishomingo Middle School
Friday, April 4th
TCHS
Friday, April 11

LEGAL NOTICES

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION TOWN OF TISHOMINGO, MISSISSIPPI

The Board of Aldermen, Town of Tishomingo has declared a vacancy of the office of Alderman due to the resignation of Alderman Matt Bostick. Pursuant to 23-15-857 of the Mississippi Code, the Board of Aldermen has called for a Special Election for the office of Alderman to be held on Tuesday, May 6, 2003. If necessary, a run-off election will be held one week later on Tuesday, May 13, 2003. All candidates will run in the May Special Election as Independent Candidates. To qualify as an Independent Candidate, each candidate will be required to collect on petition a minimum of fifteen (15) signatures of registered voters in the Town of Tishomingo, Mississippi, petitioning that the candidate's name be placed upon the ballot of the May 6, 2003 Special Election as a candidate for the office of Alderman. This petition may be picked up at Tishomingo City Hall when the candidates come to qualify for the office. The deadline for qualifying will be April 25, 2003 at 4:30 p.m.

WITNESS OUR SIGNATURE this the 31st day of March 2003.

Town of Tishomingo
James Tennyson, Mayor

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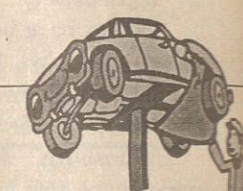
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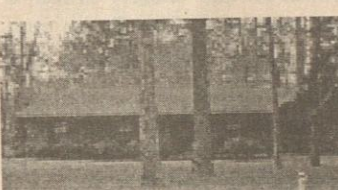
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YARD SALE - Big yard sale at the home of Don and Connie Clark, Woodall Mountain Lake Estates. Several families, lots of everything, clothes of all sizes. Saturday only 8:00 a.m. until. Cancel if rain. a-3-pd

YARD SALE - Thursday, April 3 and Saturday April 5, 7:00 until. 308 West 5th St. Iuka. Children and adult clothing and lots of household items. a-3-pd

WEIGHT WATCHERS YARD SALE - Our loss is your gain! April 5th, Hwy. 365 S. Burnsville - 4 miles South of B & J's. Nice ladies clothing, size 10 to 18, computer software, border, toys, children's videos, hunting equipment, tools and much more! No sales before 7:00 a.m. a-3-pd

BIG YARD SALE - 5 family, lots of items, including prom dresses, pageant dresses, lots of furniture, Mary Kay make-up, all cheap prices on everything. In Burnsville, next to Sister Res. Hwy. 72. Friday and Saturday, 5th and 6th. a-3-pd

INDOOR RUMMAGE SALE - at the Iuka V.F.W. Post on Hwy. 172, April 4th and 5th from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. each day. New and used. a-3-pd

CARPORT SALE

Saturday, April 5, 7:00 a.m. until, at the home of Ernest and Margaret Bullard, 1829 Constitution Dr., Iuka. Many miscellaneous items. First sale in years. Rain or shine. A-3-chg

CARPORT SALE - April 4th and 5th, location 118 Robin Lane (road between Piggly Wiggly and Auto Zone) Items for sale: exercise equipment, safari print love seat, jeep wheels and stereo, home interior, and more. a-3-pd

YARD SALE - April 4-5, Cherokee, AL. 675 Asphalt Rock Rd. in front of Mauldin Car Lot. 3 family sale - lots of good buys. a-3-pd

YARD SALE - Saturday, April 5, 1119 Martha Lane, clothes and furniture. Lots of misc. a-3-chg

YARD WORK - If you want someone to mow your lawn, weed eat, and rake your leaves, call me for free estimates. 423-3033. a-3-pd

Grace Bible Church Garage Sale - Friday and Saturday April 4th and 5th. 7:00 a.m. Great Sales! Also new items. Come and see to believe! 423-6341. A-3-pd.

YARD SALE - April 4th and 5th, home of Bill McNatt, 659 A Highway 4, Dennis. Something for everyone. Clothes, shoes, purses, baskets, glassware, some old costume jewelry, old and new. Barbie dolls. Good blooded game chickens, cancel if rain. a-3-pd

Yard Sale - 1810 Independence Square. April 5th, 2003, 8:00 a.m. Rain or shine. Kids clothes, furniture and household items. A-3-pd.

HUGE YARD SALE - Friday and Saturday, April 4, and 5th. Follow signs from Hwy. 30 East, Tishomingo. Lots of plumbing, electrical T.V., V.C.R., loads of stuff, dishes, cheap. Call for directions, 438-7166. a-3-pd

YARD SALE - Lots of antique glassware - lots of trinkets and clothes, cancel if rain. Thur. and Fri., 1445 E. Quitman. a-3-pd

Singing At Mt. Joy Baptist Church

There will be a singing at Mt. Joy Baptist Church on Sunday, April 6, 2003 at 5:00 p.m. Special singer will be Charley Kyles. All singers are welcome. Food will be served after the singing. a-3-pd

LEGAL NOTICES

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
Betty R. Bostick	May 23, 1994	195	398

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 as Substitute 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 and 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 sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 AM and 4:00 PM) on April 21, 2003, 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 Substitute Trustee.

The premises to be sold are described as:

A part of the Northwest Quarter of Section 1, Township 7 South, Range 10 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of the Northeast quarter of the Northwest Quarter of said Section; thence run East, along the South side of Yarber Street, 1308.58 feet to the West side of a paved street; thence run South 2 degrees 14 minutes East, along the West side of said street, 150 feet to the true point of beginning; thence run South 2 degrees 14 minutes East, along the West side of said street, 100 feet; thence run West 125 feet; thence run North 2 degrees 14 minutes West 100 feet; thence run East 125 feet to the P. O. B., Containing 0.28 Acre, more or less.

March 27, 2003

Date

Bobby L. Garrett

Substitute Trustee

Duly authorized to act in the premises by instrument dated August 21, 1996, and recorded in Book 1, page 469, of the records of the aforesaid County and State.

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF JOSEPH BELLAVIA, DECEASED, CAUSE NO. 2003-073 NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the estate of JOSEPH BELLAVIA, deceased, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in Cause No. 2003-073 on the docket of said Court, on the 20th day of March, 2003, hereby gives notice to all persons having any claims against the said estate to have the same probated and registered by the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, within ninety (90) days, and failure to probate and register for this period will bar the said claim.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SIGNATURE, on this the 19th day of March, 2003.

ROBERT F. GRISHAM

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SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on February 25, 1999, Revea Gibson, executed a Deed of Trust to Mark T. Segars, Trustee for the use and benefit of Kendall Moore, which Deed of Trust is on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in Deed of Trust Book 247 at Page 559, thereof; and

WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust was ultimately assigned to CitiFinancial Mortgage Company, Inc. f/k/a Associates Financial Services Company, Inc., by assignment on file and of record in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book B230 at Page 471 thereof; and

WHEREAS, the legal holder of the said Deed of Trust and the note secured thereby, substituted Lem Adams, III, as Trustee therein, as authorized by the terms thereof, by instrument recorded in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in General Substitution of Trustee Book 2 at Page 412, thereof; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the performance of the conditions and stipulations as set forth by said Deed of Trust, and having been requested by the legal holder of the indebtedness secured and described by said Deed of Trust so to do, notice is hereby given that I, Lem Adams, III, Substitute Trustee, by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in said Deed of Trust, will offer for sale and will sell at public sale and outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, during the legal hours (between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m.) at the east front door of the County Courthouse of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, on the 25th day of April, 2003, the following described land and property being the same land and property described in said Deed of Trust, situated in Tishomingo County, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

Part of the Block 37 of Terrys' Survey of the City of Iuka, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, described as beginning at the Northwest corner of said block and run thence East with the North line thereof 125 feet; thence run South parallel with the East line of said block 80 feet, more or less, to a stake; thence run West parallel to the North line of said block 125 feet to a point on the West line of said block; thence run North with West line of said block 80 feet; more or less, to the point of beginning.

Title to the above described property is believed to be good, but I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substitute Trustee.

WITNESS my signature, on this the 31st day of March, 2003.

LEM ADAMS, III

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE

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Snowdown Cemetery Cleaning Day

Cemetery cleaning day has been changed TO APRIL 12 this year. If you can help, please bring tools and be there around eight o'clock. All old flowers will be removed. Many flowers blew off the graves and we have no way of knowing where they belong. Come and check your graves and pick up any flowers that you want to keep before April 12. In case

of rain on the 12th, we will reschedule for April 19. Lunch will be served to all workers. Please help if you can.

With interest rates so low, we need your help financially in order to be able to cut the grass a minimum of five times this year. For gifts to be used THIS Year, you may mail your check to Bobby G. Johnson, 26 Snowdown Road, Iuka; or you may deposit it to Snowdown Cemetery Fund at BanCorp South.

Contributions to the Endowment Fund should be sent to Ella Jean Moore, 49 CR 178 Iuka.

Thank You

We, The Family of Jerred Seth Taylor, would like to Thank each and every one who participated in the benefit singing and the food that was prepared by each one. Special thanks to Brother Jesse Lanier Family. Keep praying for Seth. He is still undergoing treatment at St. Jude Hospital in Memphis.

Again, thank you and God Bless You.

Sherry Cumings Taylor - Mother, Jay and Brenda Cagle-Grandparents, and thanks from Seth

Junior Auxiliary Celebrates National J A Week...

The Junior Auxiliary of Tishomingo County, a member Chapter of the National Association of Junior Auxiliaries, Inc., is joining forces with over 13,000 women in 104 Chapters throughout the south to spotlight the organization's National Focus, "Care Today - Character Tomorrow."

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Several of J A's upcoming service projects will highlight their commitment to the children of this county. A community egg hunt, Reading is Fundamental, and the Child Safety programs will all be conducted in the month of April as a way of letting Tishomingo County children know, "We Care!"

Bethel Springs Blue Grass Show

The Bethel Springs Bluegrass Show will be held Saturday night, April 5th at the Bethel Springs, TN Community

Center on Main Street beginning at 6:00 p.m.

Appearing will be Blake Hopper and Friends from Henderson, TN, Wayne Jerrands and Savannah Grass featuring Vallen from Savannah, TN,

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Fri. - Sat. 7:05 & 9:30 Sun. 2:15 & 7:05
Mon. - Thurs. 7:05

The Core (PG13)
Fri. - Sat. 7:05 & 9:35 Sun. 2:00 & 7:05
Mon. - Thurs. 7:05

Bringing Down The House (PG13)
Fri. - Sat. 7:00 & 9:30 Sun. 2:00 & 7:00
Mon. - Thurs. 7:00

What A Girl Wants (PG)
Fri. - Sat. 7:00 & 9:30 Sun. 2:00 & 7:00
Mon. - Thurs. 7:00

Southgate Cinema

RURAL DEVELOPMENT INVESTMENT PROPERTY (FORECLOSURE SALE) (BOSTICK)

SALE DATE - April 21, 2003
TIME - 1:00 P.M.

Brick house, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath - 862 sq. ft.

Take Hwy. 25 South to Belmont. Take a left on Yarber Street then turn right on Searcy Road. It will be the 2nd house on the right.

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 ext. 4 or 3101 Mullins Drive, Corinth, MS.
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OFFICE OF STATE AID ROAD CONSTRUCTION
MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND
TISHOMINGO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

SECTION 900

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS:

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, Mississippi at the Tishomingo County Courthouse, Iuka, Mississippi, until 10:00 a.m. on the 25th day of April, 2003 and shortly thereafter publicly opened for the construction of 2.621 miles of BOX CULVERT, MAINTENANCE, OVERLAY, STRIPE, & SIGN on the RED BUD ROAD being known as Project No. SAP-71(15)M in Tishomingo County, Mississippi.

PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF WORK ARE APPROXIMATELY AS FOLLOWS:

ITEM	QUANTITY	UNIT
ROADWAY ITEMS ITEMS:		
MOBILIZATION	LUMP SUM	LS
CLEARING AND GRUBBING	LUMP SUM	LS
REMOVAL OF EXISTING TIMBER BRIDGE AT STA. 59+40	1.000	UN
UNCLASSIFIED EXCAVATION (F.M.)	583.000	CY
BORROW EXCAVATION (A.H.) (FME) (CONTRACTOR FURNISHED) (CLASS 9)	912.000	CY
GRANULAR MATERIAL (LVM) (CL-5, GP-C)	850.000	CY
GRANULAR MATERIAL (CRUSHED STONE)	70.000	TON
MIXING, SHAPING AND COMPACTION	107.000	SY
HOT BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT BINDER COURSE	52.000	TON
HOT BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT SURFACE COURSE (EDGE REPAIR)	39.000	TON
HOT BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT SURFACE COURSE (LEVELING)	67.000	TON
HOT BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT SURFACE COURSE (OVERLAY)	2,889.000	TON
COLD MILLING OF BITUMINOUS PAVING (ALL DEPTHS)	1,306.000	SY
CUT-BACK ASPHALT FOR PRIME COAT (MC-70) OR	37.000	GAL
EMULSIFIED ASPHALT FOR PRIME COAT (EA-1)	37.000	GAL
CLASS "B" STRUCTURAL CONCRETE	29.650	CY
REINFORCING STEEL	2,349.000	LB
12' X 8' PRECAST CONCRETE BOX CULVERT	48.000	LF
MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC	LUMP SUM	LS
ADDITIONAL CONSTRUCTION SIGNS	0.000	SF
4" THERMOPLASTIC EDGE STRIPE (CONTINUOUS WHITE) (60 MILS)	5.253	MI

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4" THERMOPLASTIC TRAFFIC STRIPE (SKIP YELLOW) (90 MILS)	0.435	MI
4" THERMOPLASTIC TRAFFIC STRIPE (CONTINUOUS YELLOW) (90 MILS)	25,498.000	LF
THERMOPLASTIC LEGEND (WHITE) (120 MILS)	168.000	LF
REFLECTORIZED TRAFFIC WARNING SIGN (ENCAPSULATED LENS)	15.000	EA
REFLECTORIZED TRAFFIC REGULATORY SIGN (ENCAPSULATED LENS)	2.000	EA
REFLECTORIZED TRAFFIC HAZARD SIGN (ENCAPSULATED LENS)	4.000	EA

EROSION CONTROL ITEMS:

AGRICULTURAL LIMESTONE	0.460	TON
COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER (13-13-13)	0.230	TON
AMMONIUM NITRATE	0.060	TON
SEEDING	0.230	AC
VEGETATIVE MATERIALS FOR MULCH	0.460	TON
SOLID SODDING	50.000	SY
TEMPORARY EROSION CHECKS	50.000	BL
TEMPORARY SILT FENCE (EOS 20-100)	200.000	LF

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS:

CONTRACT TIME: 75 Working Days

BASIS OF AWARD

The award, if made, will be made to the lowest qualified bidder on the basis of published quantities.

The Board of Supervisors hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprise will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS are on file in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, the County Engineer's office and the Office of the State Aid Engineer, 401 North West Street, Jackson, Mississippi. This project shall be constructed in accordance with the latest edition of the Mississippi Standard Specifications for State Aid Road and Bridge Construction.

PLANS AND PROPOSALS may be secured from B. G. Coggin, Jr., County Engineer for Tishomingo County, Mississippi, P. O. Box 1526, Tupelo. The Cost is thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) for plans and fifteen dollars (\$15.00) for the proposal, non-refundable.

Certified check or bid bond for five percent (5%) of the total bid, made payable to Tishomingo County and the State of Mississippi must accompany each proposal.

Bidders are hereby notified that any proposal accompanied by letters qualifying in any manner the condition under which the proposal is tendered will be considered as irregular bid and such proposal will not be considered in making the award.

Danny Ryan, President
Tishomingo County Board of Supervisors

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