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Driver Crashes Into Iuka Piggly Wiggly Store, One Shopper Hospitalized

The soothing sounds of holiday music in the background at Piggly Wiggly grocery store in Iuka were abruptly interrupted Friday afternoon, Dec. 9, around 1:15 p.m. when a 1998 Windstar came crashing through the front of the store, leaving one shopper injured and doing considerable damage to the front of the building and several displays inside.

According to Iuka Piggly Wiggly owner Greg Pharr, the vehicle traveled approximately

50 feet inside the store before coming to a stop.

The driver, William Wilkins, and one passenger, Pauline Wilkins, were not injured in the crash. One shopper, Sarah E. Risner, of Burnsville, was not so lucky. She remained in Iuka Hospital at press time.

William Wilkins told law enforcement officers at the scene that the accelerator on his van stuck and he was unable to stop the vehicle before it plowed into the

building, left of the main entrance.

In addition to crashing through a drink machine and the glass and a concrete block and brick wall on the front of the store, the express checkout lane was taken out and another checkout lane was overturned, according to the store owner. Displays filled with cigarettes, candy and holiday items were also destroyed.

The vehicle was finally stopped when it reached the main shelving units in its path, inside the store, according to

Pharr.

"I was thankful that there were no more people injured than there were," Pharr stated. "We are usually very busy during that time of day on Friday and there could have been many more people in that area."

Pharr went on to say that he appreciated the quick response of the Iuka Police and Fire Departments who were very helpful in bringing the situation under control and getting things back in order quickly.

Photo By Bob Chaffin

Iuka Mayor & Board Of Aldermen Urge Citizens To Make Our Local Troops' Homecoming Special

From: Iuka City Mayor, Board of Aldermen, City Officials and Employees of the City of Iuka

To: All the Citizens of Iuka and the Surrounding Areas

As most of the people in the area know, the members of our local National Guard unit will be returning soon from their tour of duty in Iraq.

It is our understanding that some of our troops will start returning sometime in December and the rest will be coming home sometime in January. To honor all of these local heroes, we at the city of Iuka are planning for a big homecoming celebration to be held around the last of January to honor these troops and their families.

Each resident is urged to show support for our returning troops. These are our hometown heroes who are finally coming home. Any sign of support you can give will be greatly appreciated. Some suggestions include placing emblems or signs on your cars, in your lawns, at your businesses, on your church signs or on your lapel. Not only will this show support for our troops, but will mean a lot to their families also who have

sacrificed so much this past year while their husbands, fathers, sons, etc. have been in Iraq protecting our freedom.

At this Christmas Season, we see a lot of green and red. In honor of our troops, and as they begin coming home, a show of some red, white and blue and maybe a little yellow mixed in would be an honor and tribute to these brave and dutiful soldiers.

The city of Iuka would like to thank each of you for your support and for all your prayers for our troops and their families and ask that you continue to pray and show your support for those who are still in harms way on the battlefields in these foreign lands. Pray that they will soon be back safely at home.

Look for further information in the News on the celebration that will be taking place possibly the last of January. We will be calling on many of you to volunteer for cooking, bringing desserts, etc.

Welcome Home Our Hometown Heroes of the 155th, and Merry Christmas from the City of Iuka.

Thanks & May God Bless, Mayor Jackie Bryant & Others at the City of Iuka

Tishomingo County Schools Have Eight Newly Certified National Board Teachers

Eight Tishomingo County teachers have been added to Mississippi's list of 268 teachers who earned National Board Certification this year. Becoming National Board certified requires teachers to complete a year-long process that shows both inside and outside classroom activities that improve student achievement. Besides written and video documentation of the activities, teachers are required to pass a comprehensive written examination.

Tishomingo County teachers receiving national certification this year include: Cathy Alexander, Christy Hughes, and Barbara McAnally from Belmont Schools; Rhonda Bonds from Burnsville School, and Patsy Casabella, Susan King and Lori Wahlstrom from Iuka Elementary School, and Lisa Buck from the Tishomingo County Vocational School. These eight join eight other Tishomingo County teachers who have already become certified. Those previously certified include Barbara Cleveland and Shalene Bowling from Belmont, Sharon Shea and Kristi Senter from Iuka Elementary, Christie Holly and Cindy Howie from Iuka Middle School, Corinne

Smith from Tishomingo County High School, and Kim Conn from Tishomingo Elementary School.

Tishomingo County Superintendent of Education John B. Moore said he is extremely proud of all 16 teachers who have received National Board Certification. Moore adds that earning certification is a symbol of professional excellence and stands for professionalism in our schools. These teachers have completed this test on a voluntary basis, and the state licensing process is complemented by the completion of these advanced standards.

National Board Certified teachers (1) are committed to their students and their learning, (2) know the subjects they teach and how to teach these subjects, (3) are responsible for managing and monitoring student learning, (4) think systematically about their practice and (5) learn from experience and are members of learning communities.

Mr. Moore also added he and the administrative staffs at all of the Tishomingo County Schools are extremely proud of the high number of teachers who are now Nationally Board Certified in Tishomingo County.

Get Into The Christmas Spirit - Make Your Plans To Attend Upcoming Holiday Events

Eastport Baptist Church presents "The Hanging of the Green"

The Christmas program "The Hanging of the Green" will be presented at Eastport Baptist Church on Sunday, December 18, beginning at 6 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited to come and enjoy this special event. Santa Claus is scheduled to make his annual appearance. Following the program, there will be a time of fellowship, complete with snacks for all to enjoy. Again, everyone is invited to come and worship with us as we celebrate our Savior's birth.

Iuka United Methodist Church Cantata

We, the members of the Iuka United Methodist Church, wish to invite everyone to attend a special program of music entitled "Born a Savior, Born A King" scheduled for Sunday, December 18, 2005, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Come and join us for the songs and stories of Christmas as presented by our Chancel Choir, youth and our children. We look forward to seeing you there.

Iuka Baptist Presents "The Heart of Christmas"

On Saturday night, Dec. 17, beginning at 7 p.m. and again on Sunday night at 6:30 p.m., the Iuka Baptist Adult Choir will present, "The Heart of Christmas," a musical by Mike Beck. This is a musical about choices—those choices made so long ago by Mary, Joseph, the

shepherds and the wise men and those choices that we make today. Because of God's greatest gift we face our greatest choice.

The music in this Christmas collection ranges from traditional carols and inspirational ballads, to joyous gospel songs. There are solos, trios and a children's choir selection, as well as full choir arrangements. The Christmas story is told in a unique way through narration and occasional dramatic moments.

We, at Iuka Baptist, invite everyone to join us for this special Christmas celebration.

Christmas Play At Iuka Church of God

The Iuka Church of God will present their Christmas play on Sunday, December 18, 2005, beginning at 6 p.m. The Church pastor and members invite everyone to come, bring your family and enjoy this special program with us. We wish you all a Merry Christmas!

Rocky Springs UMC Christmas Musical

Once upon a silent night, God gave a priceless gift in the form of a baby!

Over two thousand years later, we celebrate this Christmas because the gift goes on still today.

The musical entitled, "The Gift Goes On" will be presented by the choir of Rocky Springs United Methodist Church on

Sunday, December 18, beginning at 5 p.m.

The program will be narrated by Jason Cutshall and soloists will include Christie Holly and Jerry Holly.

The church pastor, Bro. Tommy Jennings and congregation invite you to come and enjoy the music and also the refreshments served following the musical program.

Holiday Festival Thursday, Dec. 15, At Tishomingo Elementary School

The Tishomingo Elementary School PTO would like to invite everyone to join us on Thursday, December 15, 2005, from 6 to 9 p.m. in the old gym for a Holiday Festival.

Activities will include a cake walk, face painting, fun and games and, rumor has it, Santa Claus will be joining the festivities. Drawings for various raffles will take place throughout the evening for the following items: a recliner from Cashion Furniture, an accent chair and ottoman from Schnadig Corporation, a \$50 gift certificate from Main Street Salon, a 20 lb. ham from Sunflower in Tishomingo, a quilt by Connie Eaton, a \$25 gift certificate from Tishomingo General Mercantile and original artwork from local artists.

Concessions will be available.

Please join us in celebrating the Holiday Season!



Unity Baptist To Present Christmas Play

Unity Baptist Church will host a Christmas Play, "The Nativity Scene" on Sunday, Dec. 18 at 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Finger food will be served afterwards. Bro. Jesse Massey, Pastor.

Harmony Hill Baptist Christmas Program

The Harmony Hill Baptist Church in Burnsville will present "A Live Christmas Story" on December 17 & 18 between 6:30 and 8:30 p.m.

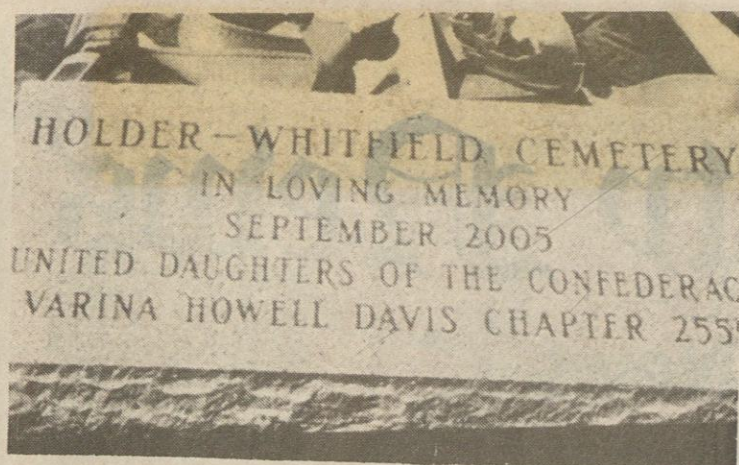
Please come and share the celebration of Christ's birth with us! For information please call 427-8266.

Morris Hill Full Gospel Youth Ministry To Present "The Nails"

Morris Hill Full Gospel Church Youth Ministry will be presenting "The Nails" (a touching Christmas drama about Jesus' last days) on Saturday night, Dec. 17, beginning at 6:30 p.m. and Sunday night, Dec. 18, beginning at 6 p.m.

TO THE TOWN OF BURNSVILLE WATER CUSTOMERS

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for your patience and understanding during the installation of our new water lines. We know this has been a difficult time for everyone but the good news is we are nearing completion of the project. The next few days the construction company will be trying to eliminate the usage of the old water lines and begin using the new ones, if anyone has any loss of water please call City Hall (427-9526) immediately or let someone know so we can fix the problem as soon as possible. This is very important since they may not be aware that you are having problems. Again we thank you for your patience and understanding as we continue to improve our town.



Holder-Whitfield Cemetery Rededication

In January 2005, the old part of the Holder Cemetery became a project of the United Daughters of the Confederacy - the Varina Howell Davis Chapter #2559 from Horn Lake, Mississippi. One of the Chapter's members had ancestors buried in Tishomingo County, and they were directed to this cemetery in search of the burial location. Once at the cemetery, they realized that they were not at the correct cemetery; however, they found the cemetery in such bad shape that they established a project to clean and renovate it. One new stone and six temporary grave markers have been donated by Brantly-Phillips Monument Company. Funds were raised by the group, and a Holder-Whitfield monument has also been erected.

A rededication of the cemetery back into the hands of Tishomingo County was held on September 24th. Cindy Nelson, founding president of the Tishomingo County Historical & Genealogical Society (TCHGS), was the key note speaker. TCHGS awarded the group with a certificate of appreciation for their fine work and dedication to the project. Peggy McBeth, the member who brought the group to Tishomingo County in search of her ancestor, was awarded a Tishomingo County courthouse family tree; Commander, Lynn Herron, of the Private Samuel A. Hughey Camp #1452, DeSoto County, Mississippi, was presented a historic 1836 Mississippi map for his groups' efforts in the event.

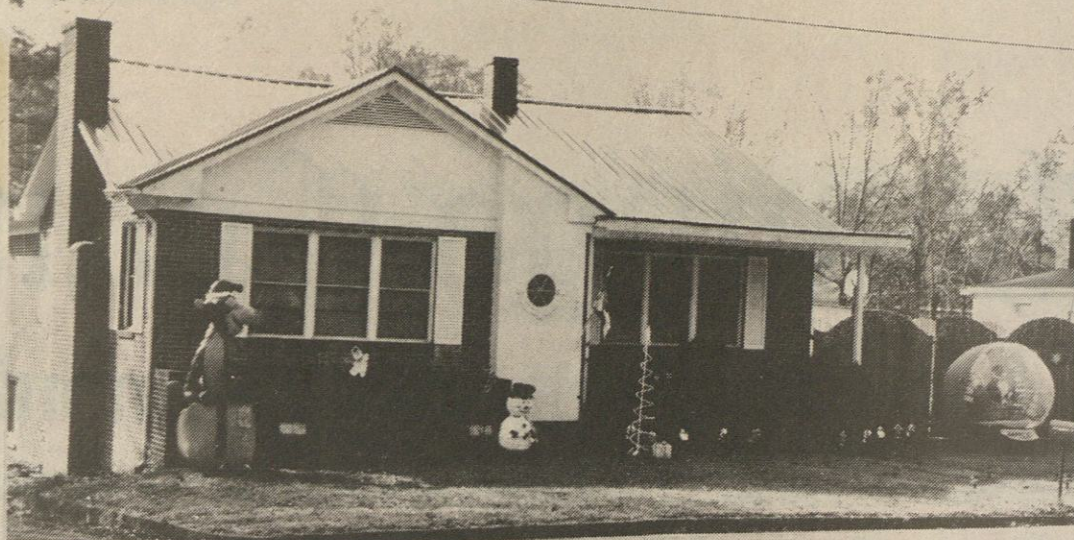
This cemetery is located immediately across the road from the Holder Cemetery which was created following the introduction of Highway 365. The land for this cemetery was deeded 26 January 1901

from S.H. Robinson and W.D. Robinson to John Holder. Although Highway 365 runs between the two cemeteries, no graves needed to be removed during the road construction. In his 1996 survey for the Tishomingo County Mississippi cemetery book published by the Tishomingo County Historical & Genealogical Society, Mr. Hassell Holder referred to the cemeteries as Holder No. 1 and Holder No. 2.

Martha Magill, who is treasurer for the newer Holder Cemetery, has agreed to oversee the upkeep of both cemeteries provided that funds are made available. The funds will come from YOU - the people who are interested and have family members buried in the Holder Cemetery. Please send donations for the upkeep of both cemeteries to "Holder Cemetery Upkeep," Martha Magill, 470 Hwy. 365, Burnsville, MS 38833 or deposit directly at any Bancorp South Branch. Checks and any correspondence need to mention "Holder Cemetery Upkeep." For additional information, please contact Martha Magill at 427-9018 or by e-mail at smagill@ixie-net.com. You may also contact Cindy Nelson at 423-2543 or by e-mail at cindynelson@nadata.net.

NEMCC Announces 2006 Who's Who

Northeast Mississippi Community College announces that 268 have been named to Who's Who Among Students in American Community Colleges. Students from the News reading area include: Lance Harrell and Sonja Schaefer from Burnsville; and Merle Justice from Golden.



GFVC 20th Century Club

"Christmas Under The Stars Award"

The GFVC Twentieth Century Club Christmas Under The Stars Award for the first week of December goes to Johnny and Pam Sanchez and family of 601 West Eastport Street in Iuka.

The roofline of their home and their scalloped fence are outlined with icicle lights. Each of their picture windows frames a Christmas tree: one is decorated with colored lights and the other is decorated with white lights. Lighted gingerbread men, candy canes and snowmen border the shrubbery at the entrance. The yard features blowup figures of Tigger, a snowman, and a snow globe featuring Santa's sleigh in a snowstorm along with other decorations. The Sanchez family was given a big, beautiful poinsettia donated by the Iuka Flower Shop.

Conservation Corner

By James L. Cummins

For the past 4 years, waterfowl populations have been declining. What the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service found was a slight decline in the breeding population of ducks across the traditional survey area that includes Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Alaska, Yukon Territory, the Dakotas and western Montana.

Not only did the 2005 estimate (31.7 million) of ducks indicate a slight decrease over 2004 (32.2 million), but the estimate was approximately 30 percent higher than the 1955-04 average. The annual breeding duck survey covers 1.3 million square miles across the middle-central United States, western and northern Canada and Alaska.

Breeding mallard populations declined 9 percent over 2004. Gadwalls were down 16 percent and pintails were up 17 percent. Overall, there was a 1.5 percent decline in total

ducks.

Although waterfowl populations were slightly down, intensive conservation efforts fueled by a tremendous partnership among government, conservation and private landowners have yielded a fairly stable population.

The good news is that water conditions have improved across portions of the United States and Canada. Parts of Saskatchewan and Alberta in Canada were in excellent shape with a 56 percent increase in ponds over 2004. This is excellent for Mississippi since we receive most of our ducks from this area.

The pond count for the United States is down 17 percent, but we have had good rainfall since then. This will be a benefit for late nesting birds and re-nesting birds.

In the wintering areas, the Mississippi Partners Program, the Conservation Reserve Pro-

gram, the Wetland Reserve Program and the Wildlife Habitat Incentives Program continue to contribute to the wintering waterfowl population. Wildlife Mississippi is working extensively with landowners to develop winter waterfowl habitat throughout the state.

One of the objectives of Wildlife Mississippi is to maximize hunting opportunities in a manner that is consistent with the status of waterfowl populations. When we have good habitat conditions and a high waterfowl population like we are experiencing at this time, we will have quality hunting opportunities.

Despite increases in the breeding population and good water conditions, waterfowl still have tough times ahead. They need large areas of nesting cover and an abundance of temporary and seasonal wetlands.

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• Mrs. W.L. Williams
ceived a cash prize
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Children Free To
October 14th, at C

One of the pleasures about the 1930 exhibit, Miss.-Tenn. Fair was held at Corinth, Miss. 13-18, is that the children were admitted free of charge. Tuesday, October 11, the fair was held at the M.R. Stripling many children and friends of the fair and a procession was made in friendship exhibited organization by the of this section.

The things which happen attract the most from the children, the shows and rides of way, will be the exception to be put on by the 4-H clubs of the This show promises best ever staged by and girls. Preparation been under way for and indications are the best shows ever will be placed before going public where the biggest and best open on Monday, Oct

Bluegrass Music Show...

The Heartland Bluegrass Music Show provides traditional bluegrass and your favorite country bluegrass songs on out and attend the music show at the VFW in Iuka on Friday. Other musicians are frequently drop by to Soon we will be starting fourth year, so if you attended one of these night shows you are on the fun.

Admission is free food and soft drinks are available. Come on out an evening with your friends the VFW. Music begins 7 p.m. No alcohol, please.

Thank You...

On behalf of our staff and volunteers, Heart Hospice wishes "Thank You" to everyone who participated in the "Thank You" event with Santa. We had a great time!!!

We would also like to thank Santa Claus for taking time out of his busy schedule to visit us for breakfast!!!

We wish each of Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! Sincerely, Phyllis G. Volunteer Coordinator Heart to Heart Hospice 662-454-3632

Legal Update

by Ronald D. Michael
Attorney at Law

IN CASE OF DEFECT

If you are injured as a result of using a defective product, you may sue the manufacturer for damages. Product liability laws allow consumers to sue manufacturers for injuries suffered due to defects that occurred during manufacturing process. In addition, consumers may sue for legal action where poor design led to even though there may have been any actual defect in the product. Manufacturers and others may also be liable for not giving consumers adequate warning about potentially dangerous products which led consumers to injury. For instance, drugs without dosage warnings lead to the drug manufacturer being sued by a consumer who was injured as a result.

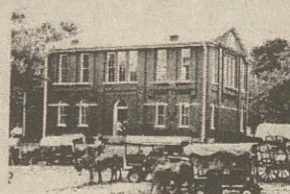
If you or a family member has been injured because what you believe is a defective product, you should consult an attorney familiar with the law at the time of the injury to protect your right of recovery. When you have a legal matter at hand, call our office.

HINT: If you were become injured as a result of using a product, document your injuries, save the product in question, and consult an attorney.

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Southern Corner Stones

Chronicles & Epitaphs from the old Tishomingo County Courthouse



Transcribed from *The Vidette*, published in Iuka, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, October 9, 1930:

Prize Winners For The Tishomingo County Fair Held In Iuka, Sept. 22 to 26, 1930

- Best quart of tomatoes - Mrs. W. A. Phillips, Dennis.
- Best quart of beets - Mrs. W.A. Phillips, Dennis.
- Best group of 4 jellies - Mrs. D.R. Goodwin, Iuka.
- Second best group of jellies - Miss Josie Dean, Iuka.
- Best loaf cake - Mrs. J.B. Williams, Iuka.
- Second best loaf cake - Mrs. W.L. Williamson, Iuka.
- Best layer cake - Mrs. H.D. Graham, Iuka.
- Second best layer cake - Mrs. D.T. Moss, Iuka.
- Best Angel cake - Mrs. W.L. Williamson, Iuka.
- Best doughnuts - Mrs. Betty Loveless, Paden.
- Best meringue pie - Miss Ruth Finch, Iuka.
- Second best meringue pie - Mrs. A. Sweaney.
- Best pound butter - Mrs. Betty Loveless, Paden.
- Second best pound butter - Miss Josie Dean, Iuka.
- Best quart of grapes - Miss Josie Dean, Iuka.
- Best quart of beans - Mrs. W.A. Phillips, Dennis.
- Best group of 4 pickles - Miss

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If you are an honorably discharged veteran, visit us at the American Legion/VFW building (across from the National Guard Armory) on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7 p.m.

If you have any questions, call Jim Salvo at 423-9181 or Jessie McDuffy at 423-6874! Your voice makes a difference.

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- Best cake - Mrs. John Henry Allen - Prize an electric toaster.
- Second best cakes were baked by Mrs. S.H. Allen, who received a cash prize of \$1, and Mrs. Harry Graham, who re-

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Near Or Far Vision?

With normal vision, you should be able to see objects clearly whether they are near or far away. During your eye exam, both close and distant vision will be checked. The distance measurement is usually done at 20 feet. A test for near vision is usually taken at the normal reading distance - about 14 inches.

Near vision is used for reading, sewing, eating, and any other activity in which the object you are looking at is within arms length. Distance vision is considered anything beyond that point. This would include looking at television or at people across a room, even though the distance is relatively short.

You need to see clearly wherever you happen to be looking. Straining your eyes to try to see objects clearly can often cause headaches and other discomfort. If you think you may need glasses or contact lenses or a new lens correction, see your eye doctor for an examination.

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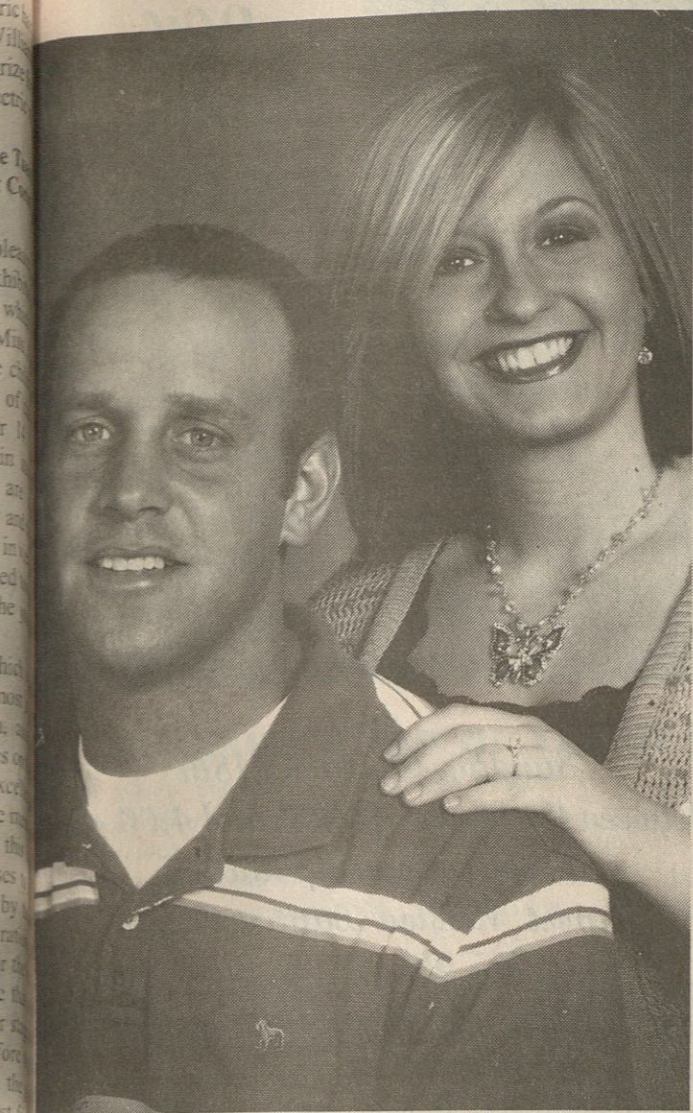
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Price-Lynch

To Wed December 17th, 2005

Miss Shana Carol Price and Mr. Justin Heath Lynch plan to exchange their wedding vows on December 17th, 2005 at 2 o'clock p.m. at Pleasant Grove Church of Christ in Iuka, MS.

Shana is the daughter of Mrs. Linda Sanders and Jimmy Sanders of Corinth, MS and Mr. Harold Price of Iuka, MS. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Blanche Sanders and the late Mr. Ernest Sanders and the late Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Price all of Iuka, MS. She is the step-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tidwell of Selmer, TN.

Heath is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Lynch of Iuka, MS. He is the grandson of Mrs. Dois Seaton and the late Mr. John D. Seaton, Mrs. Jewell Lynch and the late Mr. Frank Lynch all of Iuka, MS.

Shana is a 2004 graduate of Tishomingo County High School. She attended Corinth Academy of Cosmetology. She is presently the owner and operator of Salon 25 in Iuka, MS.

Heath is a 1998 graduate of Tishomingo County High School. He is presently employed with Lynch Farms in Iuka, MS.

The couple extend their welcome to all family and friends to attend the ceremony and reception that will follow in the church fellowship hall. No invitations are being sent locally.



Coats For Kids Still Available! Junior Auxiliary Teams With Helpful Samaritan Food Pantry

In November the Junior Auxiliary distributed warm coats and jackets to children in need in Tishomingo County. For the first time, the Junior Auxiliary joined hands with the Helpful Samaritan Food Pantry to provide coats to Pantry clients and anyone else in need. Pictured above are Vicky Williams and Ailish and Zenia Prather at the Food Pantry. Thanks to all who donated coats and assisted in this important effort.

Coats in all sizes are still available. You may make arrangements to receive a coat for any child in need this winter by calling 423-5490 or 423-6583.

streets. Then Santa Claus came back to City Hall and visited with the children.

The trophies that were awarded are as follows:

- Fire Departments - 1st - Tishomingo Fire Dept.; 2nd - Belmont Fire Dept.; 3rd - Carters Branch Fire Dept.
- Antique Cars - 1st - Roy Crowe; 2nd - Bobby McGuff; 3rd - Bobby Aldridge.
- Antique Tractor - 1st - Jimmy Whitfield.
- Business Division - 1st - The Heil Company; 2nd - Main Street Cycle Shop; 3rd - Mike's Place.
- School Division - 1st - 4-H Trailblazers Club; 2nd - Beauties in Toyland.
- Church Division - 1st - First Freewill Baptist in Iuka; 2nd - Morris Hill Church; 3rd - God's House of Simple Faith.
- Public Service Division - 1st - Natchez Trace Parkway; 2nd - Tish. Co. Sheriff Dept.; 3rd - Tishomingo State Park.
- Horse Division - 1st - Mackenzie Bolton; 2nd - Dakota Bell; 3rd - Kayden Woodard.
- Horse Buggy Division - 1st - Waylon Phifer.
- Chamber Choice Award - Santa Claus.



Thank You From HCVFD...

The members of Harmony-Central Volunteer Fire Department would like to say THANK YOU for your support and donations in 2005. On Thursday, December 22, 2005 we will be having our annual Officer Election Meeting at 6:00 PM and immediately following, at approximately 6:30 PM, we will be having a light Christmas

meal and fellowship. Hot soup, finger foods, and desserts will be on the menu. We invite everyone to come out to the station and join us so we can personally say "Thank You" for your support and share our experiences of the past 12 months.

With your support, we have significantly reduced our building debt and purchased a used fire engine/pumper to be used as the first line truck at all house fires in our community. In 2006, with your continued support, HCVFD is hoping to completely pay off the building and continue improving our station, equipment, and training.

Again, Thank You for your support in 2005 and we look forward to meeting with you on December 22nd. Our station and meetings are always open to the community and we would enjoy having you as our guest at any time.

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Tishomingo Christmas Parade Announces Winners

Even with overcast skies, a Christmas Parade can lift holiday spirits despite the rainy weather. The Tishomingo Christmas Parade was a huge success. The streets of Tishomingo were filled with warmth, good cheer, and the spirit of giving. The spectators watched over 56 entries make their way down the streets that would be described as "A Christmas Candy Land."

The Parade consisted of marching Bands, Fire Trucks, Local Clubs, Churches, Horses, School Groups, Law Enforcement, Rescue Units, Antique Cars, and many other surprises.

M.R. Whitehead served as Grand Marshall for this Parade. His grandson, Butler, was right by his side.

Kindergarten Christmas King was Andy George. The Kindergarten Christmas Queen was Hannah Brown. The Eighth Grade Christmas Queen was Alisha Smith.

We also had a special surprise visit from the EVAC Helicopter. This helicopter was the first entry in line to go down the streets of Tishomingo. We were proud to have this entry in our parade.

Another special surprise was from the Natchez Trace Parkway. Thanks so much for sharing this entry with us. It was a great way to show the

history of the Natchez Trace.

Santa Claus and his Elves were giving out candy as his sleigh made its way down the

You are invited to our

1st Anniversary Celebration

at **PRAY Pottery & Inspirational Gifts**

Thursday, Dec. 15th 11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

We'd like to take this time to say "Thank You" to those who have supported us throughout the past year. Your encouragement, helpful suggestions and appreciation of the art keep us inspired as we create each unique and individual piece.

We will be sampling fine foods by Secrets of the South, Robicheaux Chocolate's, Suzie's of Mississippi and Oxford Falls.

Cotton Creek Candles have designed for us a line of candles made to match our new Christmas Ornaments and pottery.

Our most "Special" creation this season is the "Christmas Angel." She is designed and made by us. The halo and stained glass cross she holds were designed by Teresa Thoygood of Creative Minds in Jackson, MS. You must see this most inspiring piece of art to appreciate her beauty and presence.

Come join us as we give thanks to you and most of all God.

Lauren and Rhonda Nunley
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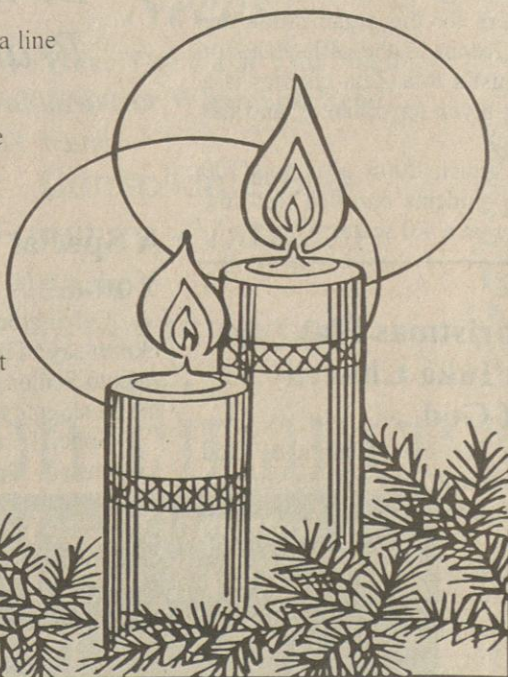
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Happy Birthday

December 17th

Amelia Rorie

Parents: Terry & Allison Rorie
Grandparents: Billy Joe & Edra Osborn & John & Joyce Rorie

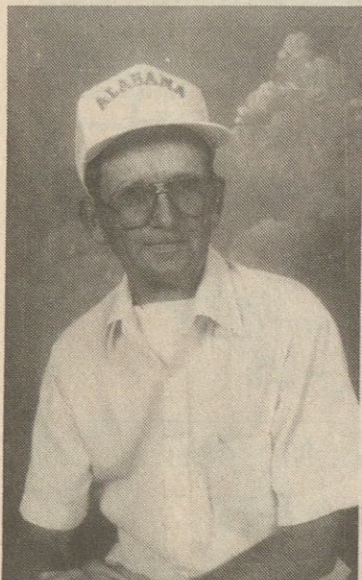


HAPPY BIRTHDAY IN HEAVEN

Lisa Johnson Vuncannon

Dec. 13, 1966 - Dec. 14, 2002

Just like the room we left for You in our picture,
So is the room in our hearts with our
Memoires of you.
We love you and miss you very much!
Your baby sister and sisters,
Jessica, Mary, Jen, and Bec



*In Loving Memory
of
Ray Mauldin
1937-2004*

*Merry Christmas
from Heaven
I love you all dearly,
Now don't shed a tear,
I'm spending my Christmas
With Jesus this year.*

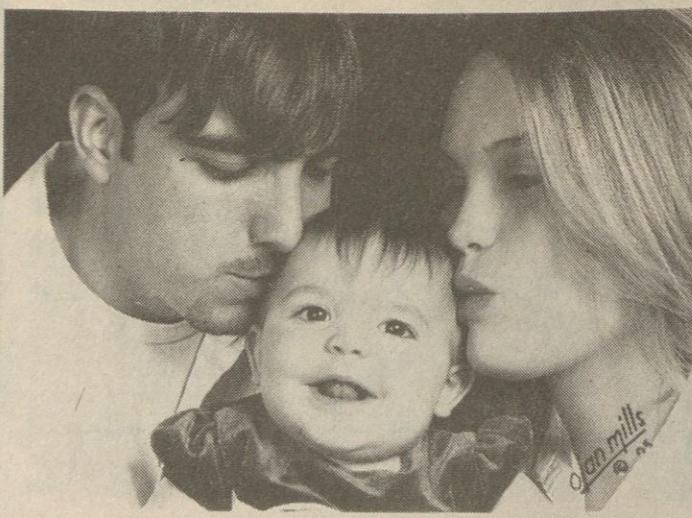
All, everything that I
understand, I understand
only because I love.
—Leo Tolstoy



*Merry Christmas
in Iraq, Justin
We love you and
God bless you.
All your family back
home.*

If you have it [love], you
don't need to have any-
thing else. If you don't
have it, it doesn't matter
much what else you have.
—Sir James M. Barrie

"Happy Birthday Da-Da"



We could never ask for a better
father or husband!!
We love you Dustin!
Love,
Brilee and Mommy



Brian,

*Happy Anniversary, December 16, 2005,
to my wonderful husband!
Even though you are not near me,
In my heart you are close.*

*You are serving in Kuwait,
Many nights and days will pass
Before you're home from the Army at last,
Your daughter and I can hardly wait.*

*For you I wish many things
Peace and Joy, Happiness and Safety,
But most of all, from my heart,
My love for you grows and grows.*

*Love you, come home soon,
Alison*



PTK Officers Attend Leadership Conference

Officers of Northeast Mississippi Community College's Iota Zeta chapter of Phi Theta Kappa honor society recently attended the Mississippi/Louisiana Regional Leadership Conference on the campus of Mississippi College in Clinton.

Attending were Emily Yow of Iuka, public relations secretary; Malorie DeVaughn, Booneville, vice president of service; Keith Bryant, Ripley; vice president of leadership; Jessica Allen, Booneville, president; and Amy Downs, Booneville, vice president of scholarship.

Founded in 1918, Phi Theta Kappa is an international honor society composed of 1100 chapters at colleges in the United States and Canada. International headquarters for the organization are located in Jackson, Miss. Phi Theta Kappa is the official honor society of two-year colleges. Northeast's Iota Zeta chapter is a "Five Star" chapter, the highest rating given any chapter, and has been recognized as an exemplary model.

The chapter was recognized in April, 2005 as a top 100 chapter internationally. It is open to students enrolled full-time who maintain a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

Christmas Play At Unity Baptist Church...

Unity Baptist Church will host a Christmas Play "The Nativity Scene" Sunday, Dec. 18th at 6:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome to come.

Finger food will be served afterwards. Bro. Jesse Massey, Pastor.

Christmas Play At Iuka Church Of God...

The Iuka Church of God Christmas Play will be Sunday, December 18th, 2005 at 6:00 p.m. We hope to see you there. God bless you and your family.

We wish you a Merry Christmas!



90th Birthday Celebration

*The children, grandchildren
and great-grandchildren of
Elzadah Weaver*

*Cordially invite you to attend
A birthday celebration*

*In honor of her
90th Birthday*

on

Sunday, December 18th

Between the hours of 2:00 and 4:00 p.m.

In the fellowship hall of

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Your presence is your gift.



Larry & Marie Vuncannon 45th Anniversary

Everyone Invited

December 22nd from 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

at Mineral Springs Park

Community Center

*No gifts please - entertainment &
refreshments will be furnished.*

Happy Belated Anniversary!

"13 Years"

To Alfred & Karen Yarber

Love,

Mom, Jennifer & Scott, Laken & Marlee



Smokin Country To Perform Friday, Dec. 16

Smokin Country will be featured guests at the Mineral Springs Park Youth Center on Friday night, Dec. 16th. Hours of play are 7:00 to 10:30 p.m.

Dwight Wadkins, Ch. Huggins, Buford Kiddy, Hardin, and Joe Lambert are the members of Smokin Country, formed in 1998. Smokin Country has played at the 15th Annual Wild Festival in Corinth, Arkansas. They just recently played at the 15th Annual Wild Festival in Corinth, Arkansas. They were the opening act for RCA Recording Artist, Dwight Wadkins, and Griggs.

Friday, December 16, 2005 will be a night of fun at the Youth Center. There will be free cake and lots of music and dancing. Admission is \$5.00 for adults and children under 12. Other refreshments will be available.

For more information, contact Dwight Wadkins, 423-256-662-808-1969.

Love: The irresistible
desire to be irresistible
desired.
—Robert Frost

Happy 7th Birthday Brandon

*We all love you very
much, Your Family*

A Special Thank You...

Carrington House would like to say "Thank You" to the Jacinto Senior Singers for wonderful singing for the residents.

Special thank you to Lowenstein Graves, Bro. B.P. Thornton, Harold Graves, Kathleen Kiddy, Barbara Glidewell, Gerald Glidewell, Robert Wright, Mary Sue Wright and Lessel Greer.



Celebration of 100th Birthday

Family, friends, and staff at Tishomingo Manor and Mr. Vardaman Mobley joined together on Thursday, December 9, 2005, to celebrate Mr. Mobley's 100th birthday. Mr. Mobley was born on December 9, 1905. He is from the Friendship Community in Lee County, and he has been with the folks at Tishomingo Manor since December, 1980. This year, Mr. Mobley is also celebrating his 25th anniversary at Tishomingo Manor. Mr. Mobley is a wonderful man, who is loved by all.



Mr. Vardaman Mobley Celebrates 100th Birthday

City of Iuka Mayor Jackie Bryant joined Mr. Vardaman Mobley on December 9, 2005, to celebrate Mr. Mobley's 100th birthday. On behalf of the City of Iuka, Mayor Bryant said he was delighted to help Mr. Mobley celebrate another milestone in his life.

Midway Homemaker Volunteers Meeting Held November 17th

The Midway Homemaker volunteers met Thursday, November 17th, 2005 at 1:00 p.m. at the Midway Community Center with ten members present.

Virginia South, president, called the meeting to order and read the thought for the month. Burke Bonds gave the devotion. Evelyn Tucker led the Pledge of Allegiance to the

flag.

Sybil Hodge gave the treasurer's report. The minutes of the previous meeting were not read.

The annual Awards Dinner will be held January 6, 2006. Plans will be finalized later. The Midway Club has twelve 100% members this year.

The Midway Club had nine members and two visitors to visit the Pontotoc Holiday House on November 7th. This

was a fun day and many Christmas decorating ideas were obtained.

The Club Christmas Party will be at the home of Cindy Nelson on December 16th. All members will bring donations for the Food Pantry.

Burke Bonds gave an interesting demonstration on how to make Kitchen Angels from kitchen towel, dish cloth and pot holder.

Alma Sartain served delicious refreshments. With no further business the meeting adjourned at 3:00 p.m.



Letters To Santa

Dear Santa, I am six years old and in the first grade at Burnsville Elementary School. I have been pretty good this year. I was hoping you would bring me some toys. I would like Amazing Amanda Doll, an Easy Bake Oven, Baby Born and most of all a Furby. Also, if you want to leave me a surprise I won't mind either. I will leave you some milk, banana, and some pudding like last year. Love you, Santa! Abbie Grace McMillan

Dear Santa, I want a Barbie guitar, a bag of marbles and a Dora Kitchen. I have been good. I love you. Love, Leah Dan Moore

Dear Santa, my name is Ambra Parker, I'm three (3) years old. Please bring me some dolls, and some poppy things. Please tell Daddy I love him, he is in Kuwait. I have been trying to be good. Hugs, Ambra Rose Parker

Dear Santa, my name is Antonia Terry. I am a 10 years old girl in the 5th grade. I want a Bratz makeover doll, a choo-choo baby and a Victorian doll cradle.

P.S. Please leave lots of surprises. I will leave you milk and cookies.

Love, Antonia

Dear Santa, my name is Adrien Terry. I am a 7 year old boy in the 2nd grade. I want a Nintendo Game Cube with the bonus Mario game and lots of surprises.

P.S. I will leave you milk and cookies.

Love, Adrien

Dear Santa, I am Abbie Grace's little brother. I am two years old. I have been as good as a two year old can be. I would like lots of tractors for Christmas. I would especially like one like my Papaw Tucker has. I would also like a surprise. I will make sure my sister leaves you milk, a banana and some pudding. Love you Santa! Ryan Tucker McMillan

Dear Santa, hi, it's me, Ryan. I have tried very hard to be a good boy this year. I would like to have some big Hot Wheels, a Grinch, some Scooby Doo stuff and some surprises. My sisters would like clothes, make up and all that boring girl stuff. Lacey the dog would like some treats.

I will leave some food out for the reindeer and some apple turnovers for you. Please be careful and have a safe trip. I love you!

Your friend, Ryan Barnett (age 3)



Dear Santa, I would like some snow please. Could you bring me a sled, some ice skates and some surprises. I hope you have a happy Christmas. Love, Sarah Barlow

Dear Santa, we go to school at Burnsville Headstart. Our teachers are Mrs. Pat and Mrs. Trish. Here is our Christmas list.

Harrison - football
Anilece - toy car
Dakota - tractor
Mercedes - Video Now
Jasmine - baby doll
Logan - Spiderman & Power Ranger toys
Jaydon - cards & Sponge Bob
Mark - Sponge Bob
Anna - Dova skirt
Krista - rockets
Daniel - tractor
Lydia - baby doll
Hunter - dirt bike & rocket
Riley - fire truck, boat, clothes, movies
Amber - baby doll
Dallas - Sponge Bob that rips his pants and firetruck
Jacob - tractor
Stephen - Batman game

Dear Santa, I have tried very hard to be good this year. Would you bring me a bicycle. Next year I will try to do better. Please tell Mrs. Claus hello and I hope you are feeling well. Love, Veronica Keele

Dear Santa, I have been very good. I would like a stuffed animal please. And some movies too with a TV too, with a DVD player too. Merry Christmas, Santa and Mrs. Santa. Love, Victoria Katelyn Williams

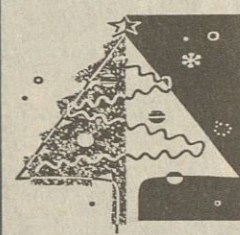
Dear Santa, I want this for Christmas. I want a Bratz binder and a new dress for my Erika doll. I want a diamond and a new pair of pants and a new pair of shoes and a red coat and a belt too, just like Santas red coat and his belt. Love, Erica Wallace

Dear Santa, I want a swimming pool. I want a baseball. I want a Barbie doll. I want a swingset. I hope ya'll have a good Christmas. Love, Jessica

Merry Christmas

J. Jourdan Antiques

In Good Taste

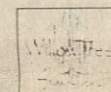


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Dec. 16th, 2005

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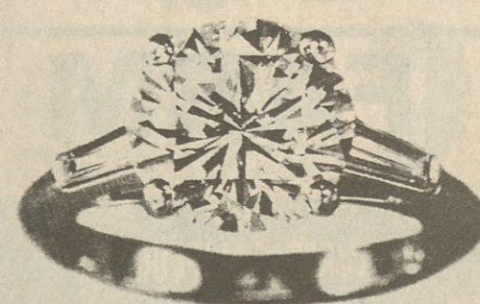
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**Hillshire Farms
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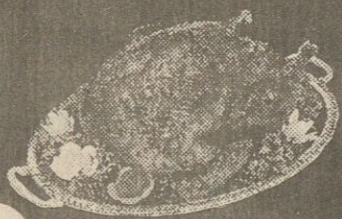
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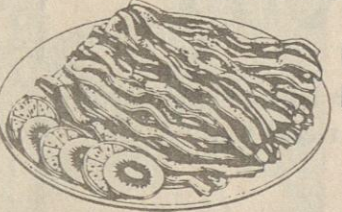
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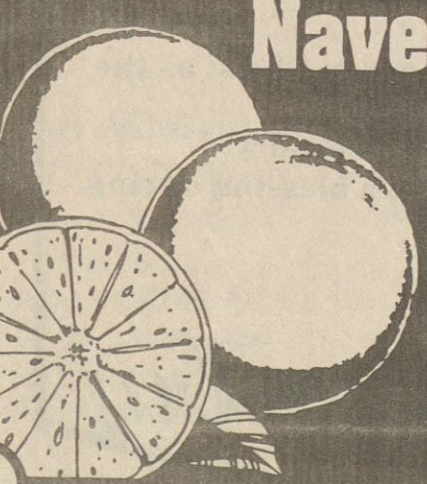


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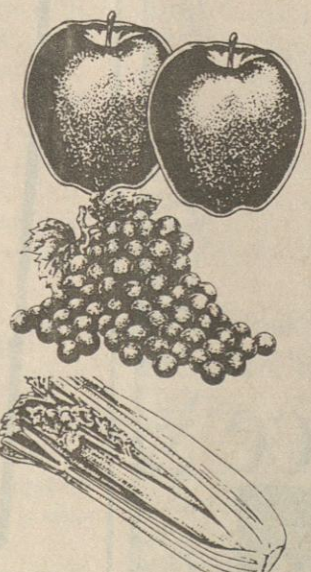
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Sunflour Flour or Meal..... **\$1.19**

15 OZ. CAN

Best Choice Vegetables

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Best Choice Cola or Soft Drinks



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26 OZ. CAN, ALL FLAVORS

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Armour Beef Stew..... **\$1.29**

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Graham Pie Crust..... **79¢**

12 OZ.

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48 OZ. BTL., VEGETABLE OR CANOLA

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Westpac Mixed Vegetables..... **79¢**

37 OZ.

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First Place Winner in the Iuka Christmas Parade—in the Antique Car Division was Gerald Glidewell's 1965 Ford 1-ton truck.



Second Place Civic Winner—SportsPlex Gymnastics/Cheerleading won the Second Place trophy in the annual Christmas Parade.



Third Place Civic Winner—Some of the Iuka Cub Scouts are shown finding a place to sit on their Third Place float in the Iuka Christmas Parade.

Iuka Middle School Basketball News

The tribe sent the war party on the road last week as the Chieftains and Lady Chieftains traveled to country rival Tishomingo on Monday night where they took three out of four games from the Bulldogs and then went to Alcorn Central on Thursday night where they won three out of four against the Golden Bears.

Versus Tishomingo - The 7th grade Lady Chiefs completely took control of the game early as they led 14-3 at halftime. Iuka continued the great defensive effort in the

second half as they held Tishomingo scoreless to win the game 20-3. Kelsey Rone had 6 points, 2 rebounds and 4 steals. Jasmine Shannon had 6 points, 2 rebounds and 2 steals. Milli Brown had 4 points, 6 rebounds and 3 steals. Alli Rhodes had 2 points, 2 rebounds and 1 steal and Marlee Tigner had 2 points and 1 rebound.

The 8th grade girls came out of the locker room with the hot hand as they scored 17 points in the first quarter but then went

scoreless the second quarter to lead at halftime 17-10. The Lady Chieftains regrouped at halftime though and went on to win the game 35-20. Eight players put up points for Iuka with Shelby Bonds scoring 10 points, 5 rebounds and 4 steals. Carlee Puckett had 10 points, 2 rebounds and 4 steals. Bailey Bullock had 6 points, 6 rebounds and 3 steals. Courtney Tigner had 5 points, 4 rebounds and 3 steals. Tiffany Flynt had 2 points and 5 rebounds. Marlee Sykes had 1 point and 1 rebound. Carl Davis had 1 point and 1 steal and Victoria Tait had 1 point and 3 rebounds.

The 7th grade boys found themselves in a close game the first half as they took a 8-7 lead at the break. The shots began to fall for Iuka in the second half and the Chiefs were able to stretch the lead out to go on to win 26-16. Coach Shannon Edmondson said, "After a close first half we were able to put together some offense in the second half." Jake Walker led Iuka with 14 points and Luke White had 8 points.

The 8th grade boys struggled shooting the ball all night against the Bulldogs. Iuka had a slim 16-15 lead at halftime and then even went colder the second half as they lost the game 32-26. Coach Edmondson commented, "Shooting let us down tonight, es-

pecially free throws. We seem to be in a mid-season slump. We need to find a way to win again and get on a roll to finish the season." Jordan Bonds had 6 points and Payton Brown had 5 points.

Versus Alcorn Central - The

7th grade girls game was a close one from the start as Iuka was without PG Kelsey Rone due to sickness and center Jasmine Shannon got in early foul trouble. Iuka took a 12-8 halftime lead but Alcorn Central came storming back in the fourth quarter. Iuka was able to hold off the Lady Bears to win the game 18-17. Tige Philam-lee took over for the absent Rone and did a great job, scoring 5 points, 4 rebounds and 2 steals. Milli Brown had 5 points, 5 rebounds and 4 steals. Jasmine Shannon had 4 points, 6 rebounds and 3 steals. Lori Casabella had 2 points, 3 rebounds and 2 steals. Alli Rhodes had 2 points and 3 rebounds.

The 8th grade Lady Chieftains played a crucial first conference game of the year against Alcorn Central and it turned into another close battle. The score was tied 11-11 at halftime and the lead changed several times in the second half but Iuka was able to pull off the win 32-19 due primarily to hitting 18-32 free-throws. Coach Malcolm Brown said, "We won our first conference game which is big." He added, "We did a good job from the free throw line and we did a better job following our game plan in the second half." Shelby Bonds led Iuka with 9 points, 6 rebounds and 6 steals. Carlee Puckett had 7 points, 7 rebounds and 1 steal. Tiffany Flynt had 6 points, 6 rebounds and 3 steals. Courtney Tigner had 5 points, 5 rebounds and 2 steals. Bailey Bullock had 4 points, 4 rebounds and 1 steal. Pazlee Walker had 1 point, 4 rebounds and 2 steals and Marlee Anne Sykes had 1 point.

The 7th grade boys had a tough shooting night as the Bears used the Box and 1 defense to keep Luke White in check for Iuka. Iuka trailed 15-12 at halftime and Alcorn Central pulled away in the second half to win 35-24. Coach Edmondson said, "We had a poor shooting night and Central played harder than we did." Jake Walker led Iuka with 12 points and Chase Kay had 6 points. The 8th grade Chieftains also played their first conference game of the year and it was a close one. Iuka trailed at halftime 14-11 but turned things around in the second half to win a close one 27-26. Coach Edmondson commented, "It was a cold night! It was the worst shooting we have had all year but we didn't quit and when we got the lead in the last few seconds we were able to hold on to it." Iuka was led by Payton Brown with 9 points. Jordan Bonds and Cody Hudson each had 4 points.

HOOFBEAT NEWS

Christmas break is finally here and everyone is greatly excited. We have had an extremely hectic week with semester exams taking place and ending the week with parties.

Tuesday night was our Christmas Program here at Burnsville. Our theme was CHRISTMAS AT THE OK CORRAL. The play was endearing. Play characters were: Damien Miley - Bubble Gum Bart (the bad guy), Trey Sims - Candy Cane Kid (the hero), Grace Tackett - Betsy Bookworm (School marm), Kelly Dees - Scoop (ice cream saloonkeeper), Jake Jones - Mayor Manly, Justus Bobo -

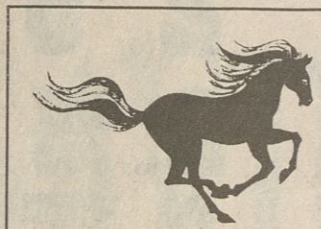
Mrs. Mayor, Austin Burleson - Ironsides (blacksmith), Avaline Morris - Pennywise (store clerk), A.J. Wroten - Quick-whiskers (barber), Bryan Stewart - Ralph (reindeer), Ryan Thorne - Santa Claus. The 6th, 7th, and 8th grade band members played several songs, in addition to the other classmates 1st through 4th singing songs. The decorations and costumes looked fantastic. Thank you to everyone who had a part in putting this together. The program required lots of time and patience from you.

On Wednesday, Dec. 14th the fourth graders attended a field trip to the Ritz Theater in Tusculumbia, AL to view the play "THE BEST CHRISTMAS

PAGEANT EVER". Students read the book and the movie earlier in the year. Everyone enjoyed all the activities focused around the wonderful book by Robinson.

Tonight, December 15th we will host Hills Chapter 100 for several exciting ball games. If you can, please come out and see our guys in action. They are doing great this season.

The staff at Burnsville wishes everyone a very happy holiday. Enjoy the time with friends and family. Don't forget to be Santa will come and visit. We will see everyone back Jan. 4th, '06. Merry Christmas Everyone!



MUSTANG SPORTS

This week in Mustang Sports the Burnsville boys and girls were in action against the Eagles from Pickwick Southside and the Alcorn Central Golden Bears. The games between these teams are always exciting and this week was no exception.

In 7th grade girl action Kayla Taylor led all scorers with 9 points followed up by Kalee Wright who had 6 and Megan Allred who had 4. The Lady Mustangs won by a score of 19-5 which pushed their record up to 9-1 on the year.

In 7th grade boys action, after a rowdy first quarter left the Mustangs down a player they still managed to pull out a win. Corey Willis led all scorers with 10 points, Dakota Chandler had 4 in the first quarter, Joe Felks with 5 and Hunter Lambert with 4 pushed the 7th grade record up to 5-5.

In 8th grade girls action Erin Williams led all scorers with 8 points while Jessica Kramer pitched in with 5, Megan Allred had 4, Katelyn McGee and Caitlyn McCoy both had a pair while the Lady Mustangs won by the score of 22-19.

The Burnsville Mustangs were on the verge of a sweep of the Southside Eagles until the 8th grade boys stepped on the court. In a hard fought game the Mustangs just fell short of the victory losing 35-33. Blake Inlow had 14, Jonathan Whirley had 6, Lee Harrel had 7, Derek Wright had 3 and Clint Smith had 2.

Two days later the Mustangs and Lady Mustangs were at it again. This time they were in Bear Country, where it was very difficult to pull out a win.

The 7th grade girls just couldn't get it together in the first half only scoring 2 points and trailed 9-2. Second half was a different story. After they woke up a little the Mustangs outscored the Bears 14-9, but it was not enough. Megan Allred had 6, Kalee Wright and Sarah Carmack both had 3 and Kayla Taylor and Kayla Joe Crawford had a pair.

In 7th grade boys action Corey Willis led all Mustang scorers with 9, Joe Felks had 3, Jacob McDuffy had a deuce

and Dakota Chandler had 4. The Mustangs fell 25-15.

8th grade girls action the Lady Bears defeated the Mustangs 38-23. Kalee Wright led all Burnsville players with 10, Kramer Williams added 8, and Kalee Wright had 3, and Megan Williams added 2. They pulled out a victory by a score of 29-26. Jonathan Whirley who had 9, Derek Wright with 9, and Inlow had a pair who led the boys at 11-3 on the year.

The Mustang basketball team would like to invite everyone to come to Burnsville and watch them play the Hills Chapter 100 on Thursday, December 15 in their final game of the Christmas break.

Homestead Notice
Homestead signing from January 1, 2006 to March 31, 2006. Any person wishing to file a homestead exemption for the first time or file on a constructed house will do so during this time. Applicant will need a deed to the property, security numbers for the grantor and the spouse, and tag numbers. Any person wishing to file an over and over exemption will need a license. Anyone that wishes to file a disability homestead exemption will need to bring a disability award letter.

Anyone needing to change to their homestead as becoming over 65 on January 1, 2006, becoming disabled before January 1, 2006, or by death or divorce, or changing their place of residence needs to come in between January 1, 2006 and March 31, 2006. For any further information please call us at (662) 7059.

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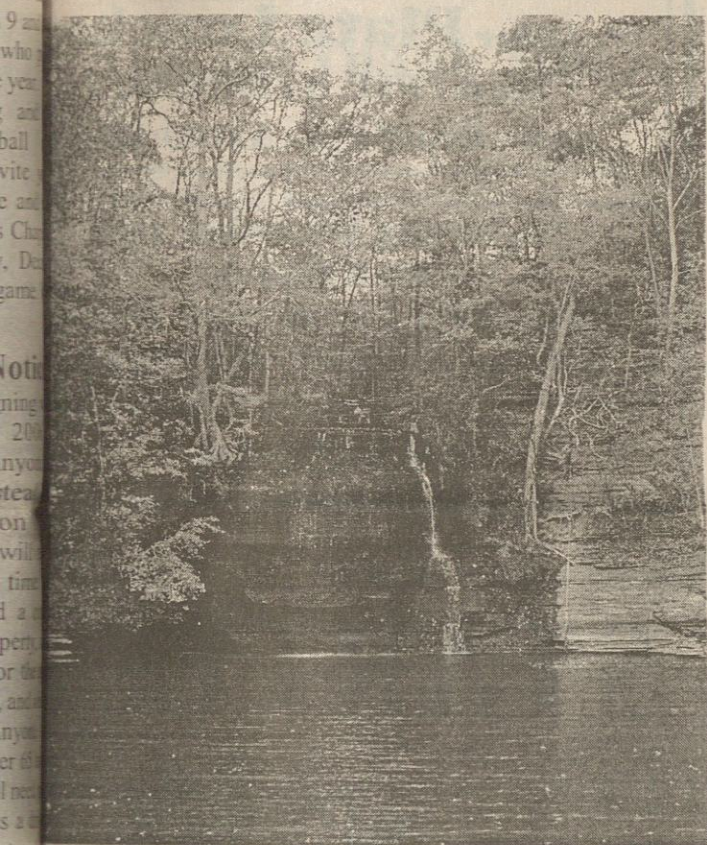


Adam Hampton Signs National Letter of Intent

Southwest Tennessee Community College baseball coach Johnny Ray has announced the signing of left-handed pitcher Adam Hampton of Cordova High School to a National Letter of Intent.

"Adam is a very hardworking young man with tremendous upside," said Ray. "He had a fantastic summer and progressed into very fine pitcher. I expect Adam to come in and bid for mound time right away."

Hampton, who played for former Saluki baseball player Mike Hanaman at Cordova High, posted a 4-2 record with a 3.96 earned run average his senior season. In the spring of 2005, Hampton helped lead Cordova to a 28-10 record and the district and regional championships. This summer, he had an outstanding 9-1 pitching record while playing for the Memphis Tigers' Connie Mack team. Adam is the grandson of Billy and Jimmie Hampton of Iuka.



Cruise boat guests enjoy the scenic beauty of Pickwick Lake

Tourism Council Sponsors Annual Fall Foliage Cruise on Pickwick Lake

Members of the Tishomingo County Tourism Council sponsored a Fall Foliage Tour on Pickwick Lake November 4 and 5. Four cruises were offered: two scenic cruises, a dinner cruise, and a sightseeing only cruise.

335 guests participated in the cruise. Participants from several states drove to Aquatic Harbor, the port of call for the Granpa Woo III, a ship that sails the waters of the Mississippi, Tennessee, Missouri, Cumberland, and Tombigbee waterways.

Tishomingo County Tourism Council members are Bob Carter, Elizabeth Jackson, Bill Long, Norma Lomenick, Marshall, Gary Morris, Martha Segars, Scotty Skinner, and Buddy Wiltshire.

The Tourism Council has sponsored the fall foliage tours for the last 12 years and council members are working on next year's tour.

The Tishomingo County Tourism Council is the tourism promotion organization for Tishomingo County. During the year, the Tourism Council paid for several advertisements in local travel, sporting, and tourism related magazines. The Tourism Council and TCDF will have a presentation to national sports writers at J. P.

Coleman State Park. Several of the outdoor sportswriters published articles on the area in national newspapers and magazines. Several film crews were sponsored during the year. The tourism council and TCDF are partnering on a new full-color visitor's guide to be printed during the first quarter of 2006.

900,000 visitor occasions to Tishomingo County are documented for 2004. A study performed by the Mississippi Development Authority entitled "Fiscal Year 2004 Tourism Economic Impact Study" revealed that every \$1.00 spent on tourism advertising yields \$13.00 return on investment. The study found that over \$7,000,000 was spent by tourists in Tishomingo County in 2004 and that 150 jobs in Tishomingo County are tourism-related. \$2.8 million was invested in tourism related construction in 2004 in Tishomingo County. A copy of the report can be downloaded or viewed at the Mississippi tourism web site at VisitMississippi.org.

I am neither especially clever nor especially gifted. I am only very, very curious.

—Albert Einstein



TCHS Smoke Signals

by Jenni Nichols

Christmas is here. Everywhere we look, we see this to be true. Extravagantly trimmed Christmas trees, glittering packages, and holiday lights transform our world into a beauty; however, Christmas truly is a special time of warm friendship and celebration and for good reason. We should all cherish the Christmas season—not because of the sparkling lights and elegant decorations, but because of the fellowship with family and friends. Families coming together, children laughing, and hopeful Christian worship can not be replaced merely by jingling holiday music and Christmas trees. Christmas is so much more—a reflection of our lives and how we affect others. May everyone have a wonderful holiday!

Exams are currently taking place and will be finished up on Thursday with 5th, 6th and 7th period exams. The girls' and boys' basketball teams both defeated New Site this past Friday night! Be sure to come support them this Thursday night as they

take on their big rival, Belmont!

- The Can Drive was a great success. A great thank you to all those who contributed!
- Any student interested in taking the ACT in February needs to turn in all their packet information to Mrs. Ward after the holiday.
- There will be no school December 16th - January 3rd in observance of Christmas holidays.
- Merry Christmas and happy holidays!

Gas Saving Strategies From Car Care Council

Soaring fuel prices have motorists scrambling to find ways to save money by using less gas.

Sure, you can simply stop driving as much, but for many consumers, that's not an option. But there are two ways all of us can stretch our precious gasoline dollars.

One strategy is to change

how we drive, and the other is to perform simple and inexpensive vehicle maintenance. Taking these steps will not only save gas money, but will improve a vehicle's safety and dependability.

The Car Care Council offers these gas-savings maintenance and driving tips:

- Check your vehicle gas cap. About 17 percent of the vehicles on the roads have gas caps that are either damaged, loose or are missing altogether, causing 147 million gallons of gas to vaporize every year.
- When tires aren't inflated properly, it's like driving with the parking brake on, and can cost a mile or two per gallon.
- A vehicle can have either four, six or eight spark plugs, which fire as many as three million times each 1,000 miles, resulting in a lot of heat, electrical and chemical erosion. A dirty spark plug causes misfiring, which wastes fuel. Spark plugs need to be replaced regularly.
- An air filter that is clogged with dirt, dust and bugs chokes off the air and creates a "rich" mixture — too

much gas being burned for the amount of air, which wastes gas and causes the engine to lose power. Replacing a clogged air filter can improve gas mileage by as much as 10 percent, saving about 15 cents on a gallon.

- Aggressive driving can lower gas mileage by as much as 22 percent on the highway and five percent on city streets, which results in seven to 49 cents per gallon.
- Sitting idle gets zero miles per gallon. Letting the vehicle warm up for one to two minutes is sufficient.
- Gas mileage decreases rapidly at speeds above 60 mph. Each mph driven over 60 results in an additional 10 cents per gallon. To maintain a constant speed on the highway, cruise control is recommended.

The Car Council is the source of information for the "Be Car Care Aware" campaign, educating consumers about the benefits of regular vehicle maintenance and repair. For more information, visit www.carcare.org.

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IES Christmas Coloring Contest Winners

Three Iuka Elementary students were recently honored as the winners of a coloring contest sponsored by the Iuka Police Department. As a result of winning the coloring contest, the students rode with Iuka Police Chief Randy Stringer in the Iuka Christmas parade. Winners (pictured), Veronica Harber-3rd, Shaleigh Clingan-2nd, and Deidra McCoy-1st, are shown with IES Principal, Tina Joslin and Chief Stringer. The girls said they had a wonderful time riding with Chief Stringer and that they were amazed by all the equipment in the Chief's car.

Love Lights A Tree



The Pilot Club of Iuka is once again sponsoring Love Lights A Tree with Christmas lights "in honor of or in memory of" our loved ones. The lights will be on a large tree located in the Gazebo at Jay Bird Park in downtown Iuka.

If you would like to place a

light(s) on the tree, call either Diane Ables at 423-2537 or Grace Long at 423-5555 today. The lights are \$2.00 each.

Proceeds from this Pilot Club event will be donated to Relay for Life.

Help the Pilots fill the tree with lights "in honor of or in memory of" your loved ones.



Letters To Santa

Dear Santa, I have been trying my best this year. I want a rifle, or a 410 gun and an Ultimate Light Saber or a green or blue light saber. I hope that you have a good Christmas.
Love, Colton Grissom

Dear Santa, I have been good this year. I want some toys and some clothing and some games. I want a bike.
Love, Briar Arnold

Dear Santa, I have tried to be good this year. For Christmas I want some new clothes. My favorite holiday is Christmas because it is fun. I want a puppy for Christmas. Christmas puts a smile on other people's faces.
Love, Kayti Ligon

Dear Santa, I would like a bicycle for Christmas. I would also like a baseball glove. I have tried to be a good boy this year, that is what my teacher says. I hope you and Mrs. Claus have a good Christmas.
Love, Chris Williamson

Dear Santa, would you please bring me and my brothers a go-cart and also a fence and Santa, would you please bring my sister a Barbie Jeep too. All three of us have tried our best all year to and I bet you didn't know that.
Love, Blake Davis

Dear Santa, I have been good this year and I will not be bad any more and I would like some toys. Like a new game and some play cars and some clothes. It will be fun when Christmas is here. I hope you are going to have a good Christmas, good-bye.
Love, Joseph Scarrantino

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy this year and can you bring me an X Box 360. I hope you bring me the X Box 360 and I hope you know about the X Box 360 and I hope you have a happy Christmas.
Love, Misael Burciaga

Dear Santa, I want a box full of Gameboy games that I do not have and I want a Playstation 2 and Playstation 2 games and I want hunting clothes. Please tell Mrs. Claus hello.
Love, Hunter Amerson

Dear Santa, I have been good this year. What I want for Christmas is an Amazing Amanda Doll. I hope you are getting ready for Christmas Eve. I am getting ready for you to come. I hope I get what my sister said she would get me.
Love you, Alana McCoy

Dear Santa, I have tried very hard to be good this year. I would like a baby doll. I have tried to be a good girl. I want a swing set. Tell Mrs. Claus hello. I hope she is doing well. Santa, tell the elves hello too.
Love, Aaliyah Marie White Eagle



Tiger Cubs Visit WRMG

On Saturday, December 10th, the Tiger Cubs went to Red Bay, AL to visit WRMG Channel 12 is a television and radio station. This was a requirement for our completion of achievement. The boys were interviewed by Jack Ivy while Chris Strickland taped the interview.

Tiger Cubs present were row 1 - Casey Bivins, Collin Norman, Dylan Ables, Colin Bivins, Row 2 - Logan Perkins and Murphy Tigner. Row 3 - Jack Ivy and Tiger Tamara McMeans. Not present were Ryan Aday, Christian Enlow, Dakota Thacker, Brett Vaughn, Josh Perkins, Andrew Whitfield, Tylor Barnett and Leader Tommy Bonds. The boys were interviewed by Jack Ivy while Chris Strickland taped the interview on Channel 12.

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First Place Business Winners—AlianTech won first place in the Business Division with their ATK Space System. Mar's Rover in the Iuka Christmas Parade. All the "Martians" felt at home in the cooler weather that we had on earth on the night of the parade.



First Place Civic Winner—Taking First Place in the Civic Division in the Iuka Parade was the Trail Blazers 4-H Group, who presented "Christmas on the Farm."

Special Thank You...

The 2005 Iuka Christmas Parade was a great success. We had over 90 entries with some horse & riders that were not entered. The City of Iuka Mayor Jackie Bryant and the Board of Aldermen send a special thank you to all that participated in each category in the parade. The winners of each category are:

1st Place Civic: Trail Blazers 4-H Club - Float "Christmas on the Farm"
2nd Place Civic: Sport-Acro Gymnastics - Tumbling Group Terry Jenkins - Gymnastic from Corinth.
3rd Place Civic: Iuka Cub Scouts Pack 26 - Float with all Scouts Riding
1st Place Band - Northeast Community College
2nd Place Band - Tishomingo County High School Band
3rd Place Band - Iuka 6th Grade Middle School Band
1st Place Antique Car - Gerald Glidewell in 1965 Ford Ton Truck
2nd Place Antique Car - Keith and Tammy Harris in 1966 Chevy Car
3rd Place Antique Car - Tommy Whitfield in 1953 Model 40 Standard Tractor
1st Place Church - Burnsville United Pentecostal Church - Float "Liberty Bell"
2nd Place Church - First Freewell Baptist Church - Float "Hometown Church"
3rd Place Church - Mt. Vernon Baptist Church - Float "Happy Birthday Jesus"
1st Place Business ATK Space System - Float "The

Mar's Rover"

2nd Place Business - Main Street Cycle - Float "Cycle for

Christmas"

3rd Place Business - Heart to Heart Hospice - Float

1st Place Only 4-Wheeler Division - Roy Rodgers Honda Trike Ford Power

1st Place Horse Division - Waylon Phifer Horse & Lighted Wagon

The City of Iuka and the parade committee send another special thank you to the Tishomingo County News for the announcements in the paper for the parade, 95.3 The Bee & Fun 91 for announcement on the radio, Bret McMeans & David McMeans of Pickwick Pines Resort for letting us use their front porch display for the reviewing stand our judges reviewed the parade in style. The Iuka Rotary Club Peyton Cummings, Robert Grisham & Mac Wilemon for lining up the parade and walking with Santa. Sammy Darwin for MC the parade, Jack Ivey Channel 12 for televising the parade, our Judges all from Tennessee, Amanda Wilson, Cindy Crosswhite, and Josh Franks. A Thank you to TCEPA for the use of their flood lights at the reviewing stand. And Iuka Ford for use of their lot for parade line-up.

The Parade Committee wish everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year and wants you, this Christmas season, to please remember our local Army National Guard unit

that will be returning this month and next month. Please continue to keep them and their families in your prayers.

Put your hand on a hot stove for a minute, and it seems like an hour. Sit with a pretty girl for an hour, and it seems like a minute. That's relativity.
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Free: Tap, Ballet, Baton And Safety Cheers...

Be a Christmas Ballerina and a Safety Cheerleader! This is your chance, free lessons are being offered to introduce your child to dance. Starting at three years of age, we teach them a short dance program to be presented at a couple of nursing homes for Christmas. This show includes Christmas songs, a Sponge Bob number, a Broadway number, and Christmas surprises. All areas are welcome to attend, but most shows are here in Iuka. The children really enjoy learning the dances and songs, and performing for the old folks.

We also include safety cheers for them to learn to say "NO" to strangers. With child abduction on the rise this is important to impress upon them at a young age of the dangers of strangers.

If your child's left out of other activities give them some confidence in a group when there is no competition, only fun and a sense of helping others for Christmas. Taking time out to perform for the old folks is rewarding for all.

Join the dance and safety program. Bring a friend and call 423-2180 for more details, if you are interested.



TRIBE TALK

Finally....the semester exams have ended. Remember the Christmas Break starts December 16th and ends on January 3rd. Classes resume January 4th for all students. Have a wonderful Christmas Break and enjoy it while it lasts.

Parents: The lost and found box in our IMS cafeteria is overflowing with various articles of clothing, mainly coats and jackets. You are welcome to come and attempt to locate any of your child's lost items once school resumes in January. We will leave the items there until the afternoon of January 6th. After that date the

articles may not be available, so if you think your child may have lost something please check with us before January 6th.

Mrs. Christie Holly's 8th grade English class held a Creative Writing Contest this six weeks. Three outstanding stories were chosen. Each student will receive prizes for their excellent work.

1st place - Ryan Ozment
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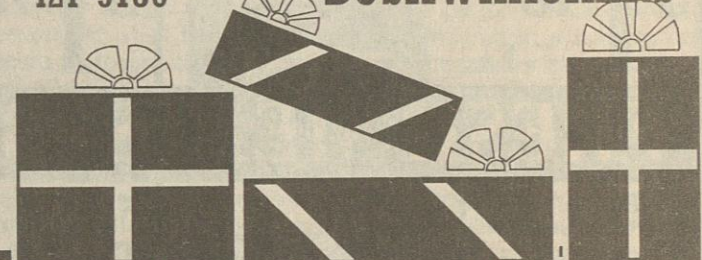
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Tishomingo Manor Skilled Nursing Facility



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HISTORY

In March 1977, Tishomingo County purchased land from the heirs of R. C. and May Flynt. (15 acres more or less)

In October 1979, the Board of Supervisors, on the behalf of Tishomingo County, conveyed to Pickwick Manor, Inc. four acres more or less.

The Board of Supervisors at that time were Lyonel Wade - 1st District; Gerald Parsons - 2nd District; A. C. Ryan - 3rd District; M. R. Whitehead - 4th District; and Leon Cook - 5th District.

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Breast**

\$1.18 Lb.



Boneless
**Chuck
Roast**

\$2.18 Lb.



12 Oz. Pkg. Hot Dogs or
Gwaltney Bologna

78¢ Ea.



Value Pack
New York Strip Steak

\$4.98 Lb.



Value Pack Boneless
**Sirloin
Pork Chops**

\$1.98 Lb.



12 Oz. Pkg.
Carolina Pride Sliced Bacon

\$1.48 Ea.



14-16 Oz. Pkg.
Bryan Cocktail Smokies

\$1.98 Ea.



3 Lb. Value Bag
Wright's Chicken Tenders

\$5.98 Ea.



1 Lb. Pkg.
Tennessee Pride Sausage

\$1.98 Ea.



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12 Pk. 12 Oz. Cans
**Pepsi &
Products**

2 for \$5 6 Pk. 1/2 Liter Btls. 2 for \$5



15 Oz. Corn, Green Beans or Peas
**Pride
Vegetables**

3 for 99¢



5 b. Bag
**White Lily
Cornmeal**

98¢



12 Pk. 12 Oz. Cans
**Coca-Cola
& Products**

2 for \$5 6 Pk. 1/2 Liter Btls. 2 for \$5



18 Oz. Selected Varieties
**Betty Crocker
Cake Mix**

79¢



14 Oz. Beef or Chicken
**Sweet Sue
Broth**

2 for 88¢



32 Oz. Selected Varieties
**Kraft Mayonnaise
or Miracle Whip**

\$1.99



14-16 Oz. Selected Varieties
**Nabisco
Ritz Crackers**

2 for \$4



10 Oz. Celery, Chicken or Mushroom
**Campbell's
Cream Soup**

79¢



15 Oz. Selected Varieties
**Del Monte
Pineapple**

2 for \$1



11 Oz.
**Empress Mandarin
Oranges**

2 for 88¢



16 Oz. Light
**Food Club
Corn Syrup**

\$1.19



GROCERY SPECIALS

5 Lb.
**White Lily
Flour**

98¢



48 Oz.
**Crisco Cooking
Oil**

\$1.78



14 Oz.
**Food Club
Coconut**

\$1.29



1-3 Oz. Selected Varieties
**Jell-O
Gelatin**

3 for 99¢



DAIRY SPECIALS

1 Lb. Quarters
**Blue Bonnet
Margarine**

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FRESH PRODUCE

FROZEN SPECIALS

2 Ct. (Deep Dish 99¢)
**Dutch Ann
Pie Crusts**

79¢



8 Oz.
Philadelphia Cream Cheese

99¢



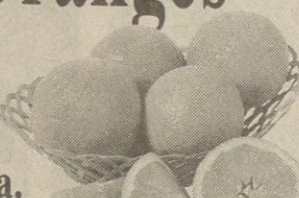
Vardaman Mississippi
Sweet Potatoes

3 lbs. 99¢



4 Lb. Bag Florida
Navel Oranges

\$1.98 Ea.



32-35 Oz. Lemon or Pecan
Edwards Pie

\$3.99



8-10 Oz. Selected Varieties
Pillsbury Crescent Rolls

2 for \$3



Jumbo Sweet
Onions

68¢ Lb.



California Sleeved
Celery

88¢ Ea.



Washington Red Delicious
Apples

78¢ Lb.



8 Oz. Foodland
Whipped Topping

79¢



16 Oz.
Foodland Sour Cream

99¢



6 Oz.
Paradise Palm Coconut

89¢





Resolution Honoring James Grisham

Onita Golden, Executive Director of the Iuka Housing Authority awarded Mr. James Grisham the Resolution Honoring him for the 36 years exemplary service on the Board of Commissioners for the Iuka Housing Authority.

We would like to add that it has been a great pleasure working along with Mr. Grisham for the benefit of the local housing authority and it's community.

The Resolution reads as follows:

WHEREAS, James Grisham did diligently, professionally, and faithfully serve the residents, employees and citizens of the Iuka Housing Authority as Commissioner of the Iuka

Housing Authority for 36 years; and

WHEREAS, the retirement of James Grisham has caused the City and citizens of Iuka, to lose the services of a dedicated and faithful housing commissioner; and

WHEREAS, James Grisham will be greatly missed by housing professionals in the Mississippi Association of Housing Agencies and SERC-MAHRO, the residents, employees, and board for his long-time commitment to providing decent, safe, and affordable housing to the citizens of Iuka, MS;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the membership of MAHRO during the Annual Meeting

assembled this 25th day of August, 2005, that James Grisham be honored for his longstanding faithfulness and loyal dedication to Iuka Housing, and the residents, citizens, employees, and board that were affected by his leadership; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, through unanimous decision do hereby approve and adopt this Resolution this 25th day of August, 2005, and that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to James Grisham and that a copy of this Resolution become a part of the minutes of this meeting.

Milan Hoze, President, MAHRO
Mike Proffitt, Secretary, MAHRO

Mississippi Employment Rate 6 Percent For October 2005

Tishomingo Co. ends at 7.6 Percent

The state's unadjusted employment rate of 9.6 percent for October, was down

from September's upwardly revised rate of 9.8 percent, the Mississippi Department of Employment Security (MDES) announced Wednesday.

The United States average unemployment for October 2005 was only 4.6 percent.

Fifty-three counties in the state reported unemployment rates equal or less than

Mississippi's 9.6 percentage rate, with Desoto County showing the lowest rate of 4.6 percent, followed by Rankin county at 4.8 percent.

Twenty-two counties posted double-digit unemployment rates for October, with Hancock and Harrison County reporting the highest rates of 24.3 percent and

24 percent.

The number of employed Mississippians rose by 4,000 while the number of unemployed Mississippians fell to 127,500, down by 2,500 from September.

Tishomingo County, with a total labor force of 8,110, reported a total of 620 unemployed for the month of October 2005. This averages out to 7.6 percent.

Neighboring counties of Alcorn, Prentiss and Itawamba were included in the October 2005 report. Alcorn, with a workforce of 15,850, reported 1,120 unemployed or 7.1 percent. Prentiss, with a workforce of 12,260, reported 890 unemployed or 7.3 percent. Itawamba, with a workforce of 10,720, reported 700 unemployed or 6.5 percent.

Bible Study Planned At Victorian Inn

"Fulfilling the Mandate" Ekklesia Church of Sheffield, Ala., where Bishop Kobee S. and Katenia Fitzgerald are senior overseers, will have Insight Bible Study on Tuesdays at the Victorian Inn, located on Hwy. 72 in Iuka, MS beginning at 7 p.m. The Bible study will resume after the Christmas Holidays on Tuesday, January 3, 2006.

For more information please call 1-8-PRAISEHIM.

Do You Have A Loved One Suffering From A Mental Illness?

Join us for NAMI's family support group - the first Monday of each month, 6-7 p.m. at Iuka Public Library on Main St.

For more information, call NAMI North Mississippi at 901-268-7029.



Iuka City Court Report For December 2005

The Iuka City Court was held on December 12, 2005 in the courtroom of Iuka City Hall. According to Iuka Police Chief Randy Stringer, the following is a list of the charges issued by Iuka Police Officers and were brought before City Judge Joey Cobb during this session of court:

- No Drivers License - 4 counts
- Expired Tag - 2 counts
- Speeding - 2 counts
- Driving While License Suspended 1st - 4 counts
- No Liability Insurance - 6 counts
- Ran STOP Sign - 4 counts
- Reckless Driving - 1 count
- Switched Tag - 1 count
- Failure to Yield ROW - 1

- count
- DUI/Other Substance - 4 counts
- DUI 1st - 1 count
- Public Drunk/Disturbance - 2 counts
- Possession of Marijuana in Vehicle - 3 counts
- Possession of Beer/Whiskey 1st - 3 counts
- Controlled Substance/Fraud - 1 count
- Domestic Violence - 1 count
- Disorderly Conduct - 1 count
- Simple Assault - 1 count
- City Ordinance - 1 count
- Begging - 1 count
- DUS/Implied Consent IT - 2 counts
- Possession of Paraphernalia - 2 counts
- Uttering Forgery - 1 count

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO ALL ANIMAL OWNERS WITHIN THE CITY OF IUKA

This notice is to serve as a reminder from Animal Control Officer Jim Seago, to the citizens of the City of Iuka, that animals' running at large within the city limits of Iuka is against the law. Please read section 3 and 19 of the Animal Control Ordinance of the City of Iuka.

SECTION 3. ANIMALS RUNNING AT LARGE.

3.1. All animals shall be kept under restraint. It shall be unlawful for any person who may own or have in his possession or control, or who may keep or harbor any animal or domestic fowl, to intentionally, knowingly, carelessly, or negligently, permit such animals or domestic fowl to run or be at large at any time within the corporate limits of the City. It shall also be unlawful for any person who may own or have in his possession or control or who may keep or harbor any animal or domestic fowl to stake or tether such animal on any vacant property in the City adjacent to any street or sidewalk or so near thereto as to allow or permit such animal to be or go upon any street or sidewalk within the corporate limits of the City.

3.2. All animals not restrained and running at large may be immediately impounded as provided elsewhere in this Ordinance and every vicious animal, as determined by the Animal Control Department, shall be confined by the owner within a building or secure enclosure and shall be securely muzzled or caged whenever off the premises of its owner.

SECTION 19. VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES.

19.1. Any persons violating any provisions of this Ordinance wherein there is not a specific penalty, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$100.00 nor more than \$1,000.00, or imprisonment in the County Jail not to exceed ninety (90) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment, unless otherwise provided for in this Ordinance. Each days violation shall be deemed as a separate offense.

To avoid your pet(s) being picked up and having to pay unnecessary fees to get your pet back and possible being fined as stated in section 19, please keep all animals under restraint. Jim Seago may be reached at 279-5249.

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Christmas

Greetings

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-OBITUARIES-

Christine Cornelison

Christine Cornelison, 79, of Iuka, died Thursday, December 8th, 2005 at her residence. She was a member of Mt. Vernon Baptist Church.

Services were at 1:00 p.m., Friday, December 9th at Cutshall Funeral Home Chapel in Iuka with Bro. Arthur Hardin officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery. Cutshall Funeral Home of Iuka was in charge of the arrangements.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Junior Cornelison; her parents, Erra and Mae Holland; and two brothers, De De and Tebus Holland.

Survivors include two sons, Ricky Cornelison and wife, Charlotte of Iuka and Joell Cornelison and wife, Alice of Florence, AL; one daughter, Peggy Wadkins and husband, James of Iuka; one brother, Billy Joe Holland of Iuka; four grandchildren, Chris Cornelison of Iuka, Brad Cornelison of Pontotoc, MS, Tina Osborne of Iuka and Michael Wadkins of Iuka; and seven great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 102454, Atlanta, GA 30368-2454.

John L. Lyles

John L. Lyles, 71, died Friday, Dec. 9, 2005, at the Iuka Hospital. He was born October 31, 1934, to Lewis and Ruby Blakley Lyles. He graduated from University High School in Oxford in 1953, and was a member of the undefeated 1952 Little Ten Champion football team. He attended Northeast Mississippi Junior College, where he was a member of the football and baseball teams. He then served in the U.S. Army for three years. He retired in 1991 after 30 years of employment from the Tennessee River Pulp and Paper Co. He was an active member and deacon of the Iuka Baptist Church. He was an avid collector of antique fishing tackle and was a member of the National Fishing Lure Collectors' Club. He was elected to the NEMCABB Hall of Fame in 1996, and served on the Board of Directors of the Iuka Housing Authority. His true joy in life was watching his children and grandchildren play.

Services were at 2 p.m.

Sunday at the Iuka Baptist Church with Bro. Jim Holcomb and Bro. Joe Cobb. Eulogies were given by Steve Lyles and Jeff Lyles. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery. Cutshall Funeral Home of Iuka was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his wife of 50 years, Nan Allen Lyles of Iuka; three sons, Steve Lyles and wife, Phyllis and Allen Lyles and wife, Kim, all of Kossuth, and Jeff Lyles and wife, Gail, of Iuka; eight grandchildren, Tara Lyles Austin and husband, Chance, Anna, Abby, Logan, Luke, Miranda, Josh and Sara Lyles.

Pallbearers were Pete Walker, Roger Byrd, Tommy Dean, Connie Jones, Lawrence Barkley, Berlon Durham, Terry Dunn and Jimmy Dunn.

Honorary pallbearers were members of the Iuka Baptist Church Men's Sunday School Class III.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Iuka Baptist Church Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.

Beulah Carter

Beulah Carter, 99, died Sunday, Dec. 4, 2005, at Magnolia Regional Health Center. She was born July 22, 1906, in Tishomingo County. She was a homemaker and a member of Glen Baptist Church. She enjoyed gardening, sewing, quilting, and especially cooking and caring for others.

Services were Monday, December 5th at McPeters Inc. Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Bob Cossey officiating. Burial was in the Glendale Baptist Church Cemetery.

Survivors include two sons and daughters-in-law, C.D. and Beth Carter of Coalmont,

Tenn., and Virgil and Sharon Carter of Corinth; two daughters and sons-in-law, Virginia and Bobby Martin, and Margie and Ray Nash, all of Corinth; one brother, Ken Smith of San Francisco, Calif.; one sister, Helen McAnally of Wayne, Mich.; 15 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren, several great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, J.C. Carter; a son, Redgie Carter; a grandson, Phil Carter; and a great-granddaughter, Carrie Edmonson.

Grandsons and Sandy Williams served as pallbearers.

Opaline Curtis

Opaline Curtis, 84, died Thursday, Dec. 8th, 2005, at the North Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo. She was born Nov. 8th, 1921, in Tishomingo to George and Wynona Clingan. She was a hostess and cook for Tishomingo State Park. She was a member of Highland Baptist Church.

Services were at 3:30 p.m. Sunday at Deaton Funeral

Home in Belmont. Burial was in Highland Cemetery.

Survivors include one son, Max Paden of Tampa, Fla.; several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother, John Dexter Clingan.

Pallbearers were John David Clingan, Kenneth Clingan, Tommy Graves, Shannon Clingan, Richard Clingan and Rick Sparks.



Second Place Church—"Hometown Christmas," designed by members of First Baptist Church, garnered Second Place in the annual Christmas Parade Church Division.



Third Place Church—Mt. Vernon's Baptist Church Float, "Happy Birthday, Jesus" third place honors in the Iuka Christmas Parade.

Rocky Springs UMC Christmas Musical

Once upon a silent night, God gave a priceless gift in the form of a baby! Over two thousand years later, we celebrate this Christmas because the gift goes on still today.

The musical entitled "The Gift Goes On" will be presented by the choir of Rocky Springs United Methodist Church on Sunday, December 18th, at 5:00 p.m. Narrated by Jason Cutshall; soloist will include Christie Holly and Jerry Holly.

The pastor, Bro. Tommy Jennings and congregation invite you to come and enjoy the music and the refreshments served following the musical program.



First Place Church—Burnsville's United Pentecostal Church won First Place in the Church Division in the Christmas Parade with their float called "Liberty Bell."

Willie Dale May

Willie Dale May, newborn, died Monday, Dec. 5, 2005, at Skagit Valley Hospital in Mt. Vernon, Wash.

Services were at 1 p.m. Saturday at Ludlam Funeral Home Chapel in Iuka. Burial was in Harris Chapel Cemetery in Cherokee, AL.

Survivors include his parents, Tracy and Brandy Cosby May of Iuka; his grandparents, Donna Cosby and Larry Cosby of Cherokee, AL, and Willie May and Dorothy May of Ful-

ton; his great-grandparents, Buddy and Lynn Cosby, and Danny Roy Perry, all of Cherokee, AL; one brother, Lawrence Randall May of Memphis; one sister, Hailey C. May of Memphis.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Trouble Shane May, and his great-grandparents, Vester Roach, Martha Roach, Martha Perry, Bernice Morgan and Riley Morgan.

Eugene Thomas "Hotchie" Crum

Eugene Thomas "Hotchie" Crum, 56, of Iuka died Sunday, December 11th, 2005 at the Tishomingo County Hospital in Iuka. He was a member of Glendale Baptist Church. He was a construction worker for Bonds Construction and he loved his family and friends. He enjoyed hunting and fishing. He was a member of the Piney Flatt Hunting Club.

Services were at 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, December 13th at Magnolia Funeral Home Chapel of Memories with Bro. Wayne Crum and Bro. Lowie Williams officiating. Burial was in Hubbard Salem Cemetery in Iuka. Magnolia Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

He was preceded in death

by his parents, Buddy Crum and Lula Crouch Crum.

Survivors include a daughter, Crystal Crum of Corinth; brothers, David Crum and wife, Bobbie of Corinth, Junior Crum and wife, Betty of Corinth, Dwight Crum and wife, Teresa of Iuka, Jerry Crum and wife, Cindy of Memphis, TN and Willard Crum of Memphis, TN; sisters, Linda Wood of Corinth, Ollie Mae Tate and Gracie Belle, both of Florida; grandchildren, Hallie Crum, Ashley Crum, Kimberly Crum and Zachary Crum; other relatives and a host of friends.

Pallbearers were Bubba Carpenter, Phillip Crum, Kenneth Crum, Matt Wood, Eddie Williams, and Johnny Sellers.

Honorary pallbearers were Bryan Bray and Melvin Patrick.

Thomas Bishop

Thomas Bishop, 62, died Sunday, Dec. 11th, 2005, at his home in the Ozark community. He was born April 2, 1943, in Baldwin. He was a cattleman and farmer, director of Bancorp South of Mantachie and a member of the Ozark Baptist Church.

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Waters Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Dempsey Rowland and Bro. Carl Dunlap officiating. Burial was in the Ozark Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Dyann Boren Bishop of the Ozark community; his mother, Eunice Bishop of the Ozark community; two sons, John Bishop and wife, Jamie, and

Joe Bishop, all of the Ozark community; one sister, Pattie Gardner and husband, Lanny, of the Ozark community; one brother, Eugene Bishop of Iuka; three nieces, Morgan and Michelle Gardner of the Ozark community and Heather Mayo of Corinth; two nephews, Dusty Boren and River Mayo; one brother-in-law, Sid Boren and wife, Kathleen, of Stuart, Fla.

He was preceded in death by his father, Virgil Bishop.

Pallbearers were Larry Bishop, Jerry Bishop, Lanny Gardner, Douglas Kitchens, Mack Guin and Danny Bishop.

The family asks that in lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Ozark Baptist Church.

Iuka Baptist Church

105 W. Eastport St.

Sunday Services

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Worship Services 8:30 & 10:55 a.m.

Discipleship Training 5:30

Worship Service 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday Service

Mid-Week Prayer Meeting 6:30 p.m.

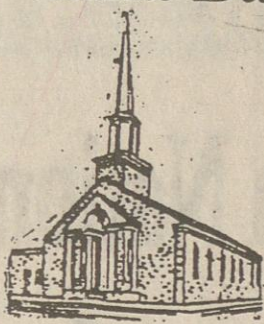
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Bro. Kim Leonard - Minister of Education Senior Adults

Bro. Jerry Michael Williams, Minister of Youth/Education

Mrs. Glenda Jones, Minister of Music

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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 662-454-7239

"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.

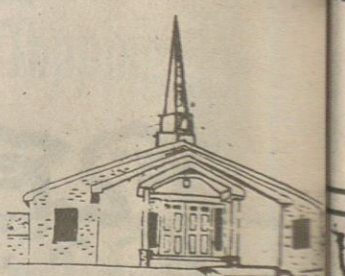
Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m.

Dr. Tony Curtis, Pastor

Telephone Numbers:

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Home - voice/TDD 424-9541



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

BIBLE QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

By Claude Wilemon

44. What are the seven one's that Paul wrote about? (Last Week's Answer) 43. What did Job say he would do after my skin worms destroy this body? Answer: "Yet in my flesh shall I see God." Job 12:26



Sardis Church News

By: Louise White Family

We at Sardis extend a 169 and we encourage you to visit with us anytime. **VERSE OF THE WEEK:** "Be ye also patient; stablish your hearts: for the coming of the Lord draweth nigh" (James 5:8). In this lesson we are urged to live faithfully as we await the Second Coming. James 5:7-12. We are located at the end of CR

Mary Ruth Deaton Brewer

Mrs. Mary Ruth Deaton Brewer, 82, of Oxford, died Friday, December 9th, 2005 at the Baptist Memorial Hospital-North Mississippi in Oxford, MS. Mrs. Brewer was a member of First Presbyterian Church where she was a member of the Ladies Guild. She loved sewing and crafts.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Harvey D. Deaton and Stella Bertha Jordan Deaton; brothers, Sam Deaton and Addis Deaton; sister, Trene Strickland.

Services were at 11:00 a.m. Monday, December 12th at Waller Funeral Home Chapel in Oxford, MS with Rev. John Semmes officiating. Burial was in Oxford Memorial Cemetery. Waller Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements. Survivors include her hus-

band, William Van Brewer of Oxford; daughters, Mary Knight of Tishomingo, Sandra Navidi of Gaithersburg, MD, Pamela Bumgardner of Oxford and Janet Metz of Oxford; five grandchildren; five great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-1905 or Charity of Donor's Choice.

Attention: TCEPA To Be Closed...

In observance of Christmas and New Year's holidays, Tishomingo County Electric Power Association will be closed Friday, December 23rd; Monday, December 26th; and Monday, January 2nd.

Harmony Hill Baptist Church Presents A Live Christmas Story

Harmony Hill Baptist Church of Burnsville, presents A Live Christmas Story on December 17th and 18th between 6:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. Please come and share the celebration of Christ's birth with us! For information, please contact 427-8266.

Lunch And Bake Sale...

The Ladies Ministry of Fresh Touch Fellowship will be

having a beef stew lunch, bake and craft fundraiser on Saturday, December 17th from 8 a.m. until noon.

- All you can eat Beef Stew Dinner
- Christmas Gifts - jewelry, purses, crafts, etc...
- Bake Sale - homemade cakes, pies and cookies.
- WILL TAKE ORDERS FOR THE HOLIDAYS - Place your order for ANY type of holiday cake or pie and we'll bake it for you.

Fresh Touch Fellowship - located just below the Country Squire Restaurant in Iuka, 442 CR 172, Iuka, MS 38852.

Holiday Cookbooks

The staff at NMMC-Iuka is currently selling cookbooks for the holidays. The cookbooks, titled *Happy Everything*, include recipes for every holiday occasion. These cookbooks make great holiday gifts. The cookbooks are available at NMMC-Iuka and the Wellness Center for \$5.00 each. Pick up your copy today!

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Asphalt Rock Baptist Pastor Bud Mayfield

Belmont First - Parish Hartley

Bethel Missionary Baptist - Bro. Scott Webber

New Bethel - Bro. William McClellan

Bethlehem - Gary Tesseneer

Burgess Creek - Allen Jones

Burnsville First - Doyle (Bud) Ferrell, Interim

Calvary Baptist - Bobby Elliott

Carters Branch - Dennis Rainer

Dennis First - Bro. Jim Brown, Jr.

Eastport - Junior Jones

Fifth Street - Dr. Tony Curtis

First Missionary - Rev. Lonnel Perry

First Freewill - Frank Wilson

Forrest Grove Missionary - Dennis Wellington

Golden Central Baptist - Mickey Trammel

Harmony Hill Baptist - Louie Williams

Highland - Jeremy Harris

Hubbard Salem - Allen Osborn

Iuka Baptist Church - Jim Holcomb

Jackson Camp - Bro. Dwight South

Landmark Baptist - Hal Holt

Little Flock Primitive - Tim Cannon

Lane Springs Baptist - Tim Griffin

Shady Grove - Mavous Phifer

Magnolia - Howard Stanford

Mt. Gilead - Greg Philamlee

Mt. Glory - Joe Hardwick

Mt. Joy - Bill Flippo

Mt. Moriah - Phillip Logan

Mt. Vernon - Arthur Hardin

Mt. Zion - Bro. Edward Young

New Lebanon Freewill - Jack Whitley, Jr.

New Liberty - Edwin Kennedy

New Prospect - Rev. Bob Purvis

New Salem - Danny Bell

Old Pleasant Hill Church - Oldham - Rev. John Bray

Old Union - Jerry Ginn

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 - Southwood - Bro. George D. (Billy) Credille

St. Peter Missionary - Lowell Gibbs

Temple - Bro. Tony Lambert

Tishomingo - Rev. Robbie Crane

Unity - Jesse Massey

Walker - Yellow Creek - Stanley Magill

Southwest Baptist - Bobby R. Johnson

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Belmont Second Street - Fred House

Berea - Jim Estes

Burnsville - Jimmy Gross

East Iuka - Iuka - Lance Foster

Liberty - Ron Deaton

Mainstreet, Belmont - Ricky Griffin

Maude - Mark West

Pleasant Grove - David Lambert

Tishomingo - Claudia Jones

CATHOLIC

St. Mary's - St. Bernadette Engelhaupt

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD

Harvest Assembly Of God - Bro. Gary Cleveland

METHODIST

Allsboro United - Sammy Hayes

Belmont - Steve DeVore

Boggs Chapel - Gary Glazer

Burnsville - Wayne Napier

Campground - Tommy Jennings

Chapel Hill - Scotty McCay

Dennis - Steve Defoor

Golden Chapel - Earl McAnally

Harmony - Wayne Napier

Iuka First United - Ed Temple

Jones Chapel - Raymond Hampton

Margerum - Sammy Hayes

Mt. Evergreen - Tommy Jennings

Old Bethel - Earl McAnally

Paradise - Gary Glazer

Patrick - Wayne Napier

Pleasant Hill - Dwain Whitehurst

Riverton - Rocky Springs - Tommy Jennings

Salem - Snowdown - Dwain Whitehurst

Spring Hill - Bro. J. B. Burns, Jr.

Rutledge Salem - Gary Glazer

Tishomingo - Gary Glazer

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Booneville Ward - John T. Larsen

Corinth Ward - Bishop Ron Johnson

GOSPEL

Assembly Of Christ House of Prayer - Lelon Owens

Iuka Church Of God - James Strange

James Gospel Chapel - Mission Lighthouse - John Gwatney

The Church of Simple Faith - Hal Crandall & Raymond Osborn

PENTECOSTAL

Apostolic Church Of Jesus Christ - Kenneth White

Apostolic Friendship Chapel - Steve Nicholson

Burnsville First United - Jimmy Rich

Christ Gospel - Benney Long

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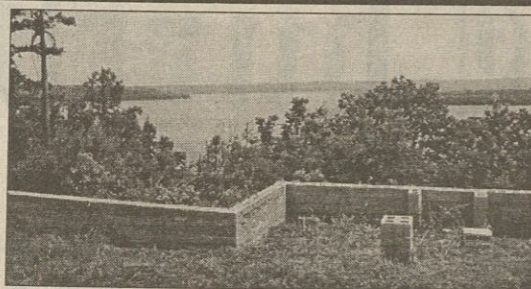
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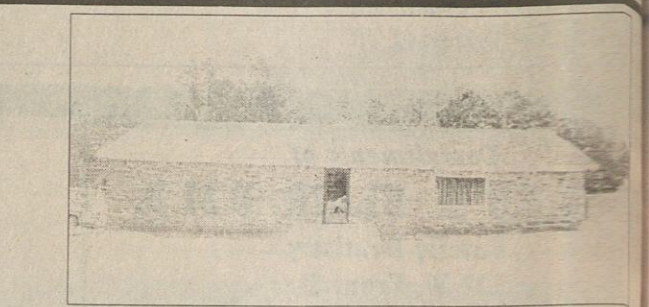
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LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
RE: IN THE MATTER OF THE
ADMINISTRATION OF THE
ESTATE OF PAULETTE LETSON
CORNELISON, DECEASED
NO. 2005-298

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE is hereby given that Letters of Administration were on the 8th day of December, 2005, granted to the undersigned, BARBARA LAIRD, on the Estate of Paulette Letson Cornelison, Deceased, by the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, and all persons having claims against said estate are required to have the same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within ninety (90) days after the date of the first publication of this notice or the same shall be forever barred.
THIS, the 8th day of Dec., 2005.

BARBARA LAIRD
ADMINISTRATRIX OF THE ESTATE OF
PAULETTE LETSON CORNELISON,
DECEASED
d-15-22-29-chg

LEGAL NOTICE

Prepared By:
Lloyd L. Moore, P.A.
Attorney at Law
401 Main Street
Post Office Box 807
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SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on or about the 4th day of February, 2004, Bobby Flynt and Rhonda E. Flynt d/b/a North Crossroads Communications, Inc., executed a certain Land Deed of Trust to Mark T. Segars, as Trustee, and Amelia Ramsey, Lealon Yarber, and Kelly S. Segars, Sr., as Beneficiary, which said Land Deed of Trust was filed for record on the 10th day of February, 2004, at 1:32 p.m., in Trust Deed Book #320, at page(s) 365-372, in the land records in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi; and

WHEREAS, Amelia Ramsey, Lealon Yaber, and Kelly S. Segars, Sr., appointed Lloyd L. Moore, Post Office Box 807, Belmont, Mississippi, as the Substituted Trustee in the place and stead of Mark T. Segars, by instrument dated the 28th day of November, 2005, and was duly filed for record on the 30th day of November, 2005, in the land records of the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in the General Substitution Book #3, at page(s) 84-85; and

WHEREAS, Amelia Ramsey, Lealon Yarber, and Kelly S. Segars, Sr., are the legal holders and owners of said Land Deed of Trust and the indebtedness secured thereby; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said Land Deed of Trust, and default having been made on the Promissory Note(s) secured thereby, and the remaining balance of the original indebtedness secured by said Land deed of Trust having been declared to be due and payable pursuant to the terms of said Land Deed of Trust, and Amelia Ramsey, Lealon Yarber, and Kelly S. Segars, Sr., the holders of the Promissory Note and Land Deed of Trust having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee so to do, I will, on the 30th day of December, 2005, offer for sale at public outcry between the legal hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., at the East front door of the County Courthouse of Tishomingo County, at Iuka, Mississippi, for cash to the highest and best bidder, the following described land located in the NE 1/4 of Section 1, Township 2 South, Range 10 East, and with the property lying and being situated in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, and being more particularly described as follows:

Part of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 1, Township 2 South, Range 10 East, Tishomingo County, Mississippi, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the Northeast corner of the NE 1/4 of said Section 1, thence run North 89 degrees 49 minutes West 1458.55 feet to the centerline of a public gravel road; thence continue to run North 89 degrees 49 minutes West 463 feet to a stake; thence continue to run North 89 degrees 49 minutes West 208 feet; thence run in a Southerly direction parallel to the East line of the NE 1/4, 208 feet to a stake; thence run in an Easterly direction parallel to the North line of the NE 1/4, 208 feet to a point; thence run North 208 feet to the point of beginning.

SALE WILL BE MADE, AND TITLE WILL BE CONVEYED, SUBJECT TO THE AFOREMENTIONED LAND DEED OF TRUST IN FAVOR OF AMELIA RAMSEY, LEALON YARBER, AND KELLY S. SEGARS, SR., RECORDED IN THE LAND RECORDS IN THE OFFICE OF THE CHANCERY CLERK OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY IN IUKA, MISSISSIPPI. I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE on this the 5th day of December, 2005.

LOYD L. MOORE
ATTORNEY AT LAW
401 MAIN STREET
POST OFFICE BOX 807
BELMONT, MISSISSIPPI 38827
MSB #09296
d-8-15-22-29-chg

LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
TERRY JONES, d/b/a
TJ'S BOAT -N- 4 X 4 SOLUTIONS
PLAINTIFF
VS.
DAVID COLWELL
CAUSE NO.: CV05-0202(A)T
DEFENDANT

NON-RESIDENT SUMMONS

David Colwell, an adult non-resident of the State of Mississippi, and is not to be found therein after diligent search and inquiry personally made by the complainant, and his present place of residence, street address and post office box are unknown to the complainant, after a diligent search and inquiry personally made by the Complainant to ascertain such, except that his last known addresses were 465 East Morton, Jacksonville, Illinois 62650; and Post Office Box 61866, Fort Myers, Florida 33906.

You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by TERRY JONES, d/b/a TJ'S BOAT -N- 4 X 4 SOLUTIONS, Plaintiff, for a monetary judgment.

YOU ARE REQUIRED TO MAIL OR HAND DELIVER A WRITTEN RESPONSE TO THE COMPLAINT FILED AGAINST YOU IN THIS ACTION TO HAROLD S. JACKSON, ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF, WHOSE ADDRESS IS POST OFFICE BOX 414, IUKA, MISSISSIPPI 38852.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 8TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 2005, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGEMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

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

Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 6th day of December, 2005.

Donna H. Dill
CIRCUIT CLERK OF
TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
1008 Battleground Drive
Tishomingo County Courthouse
Iuka, Mississippi 38852
d-8-15-22-chg

LEGAL NOTICE**DEPOSITORY FOR FUNDS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS**

The Board of Alderman of the Town of Tishomingo will, at the City Hall in Tishomingo, Mississippi at 7:00 P.M. on the 3rd day of January 2006 take bids from banks approved by the State of Mississippi Treasury Department as a qualified depository, for the privilege of keeping the city's funds or any part thereof, in accordance with Article 3, Chapter 105, Title 27, Mississippi Code of 1972 as amended by S.B. 2668, April 1988, entitled "Depositories for funds of Local Governments." Each successful bidder will have to make security deposits and or pledges as required by Section 27-105-363, the term of office of a Municipality Depository shall be for a period of two (2) years. Depository shall list days and hours of operation, regular and/or extra no fee services that are offered in your bid. Sealed bids shall be filed with the Clerk of the Town of Tishomingo, Tishomingo, Mississippi on or before the above referenced date and time. The Mayor and Board of Alderman reserve the right to accept the best bid or to reject any and all bids.
James Tennyson
Mayor
Paula Rushing
Town Clerk
d-15-chg

LEGAL NOTICE**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING****TO THE OWNERS OF THAT PORTION OF THE LAND HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED IN TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI**

You are hereby notified that the Board of Supervisors of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, will meet at 10:00 a.m., at the Board of Supervisor's Room in the Tishomingo County Courthouse on January 3, 2006, to resolve the question of the public convenience and necessity of annexing the following described area to the EASTPORT MILLCREEK FIRE PROTECTION GRADING DISTRICT, and all parties in interest are invited to appear before the Board at that time and express themselves in connection therewith.

You are further notified that the proposed boundaries of the area to be annexed are as follows:

Commencing at the Southwest corner of Section 35, Township 2 South, Range 11 East, and thence running East along the southern boundary of said section to a point where said boundary intersects the 423' contour of Pickwick Lake; thence running in a northerly direction along the said 423 feet contour line to the point where the 423' contour intersects the north right-of-way of CR 262; thence running along said right-of-way in a westerly direction to the intersection of CR 956; thence running along the south right-of-way of CR 956 in a southwesterly direction to the intersection of said right-of-way and the western boundary of Section 26, Township 2 South, Range 11 East; thence running south along said boundary to the southwest corner of Section 26, Township 2 South, Range 11 East; thence continuing to run south along the western boundary of section 35, Township 2 South, Range 11 East to the point of beginning.

ALSO:

Commencing at the northwest corner of Section 10, Township 3 South, Range 11 East, and thence running south along the western boundary of said section to the point where said boundary intersects the northern right-of-way of CR 242; thence running easterly along the northern right-of-way of said CR 242 to the fire hydrant located at the intersection of CR 242 and CR 269; thence running north to the northern boundary of said section; thence running west along the northern boundary to the point of beginning.

This the 5th day of December, 2005.

Arlie South, President
Tishomingo County Board of
Supervisors

Given under my hand and official seal of office this the 5th day of December, 2005.

Hayden Ables, Clerk
Tishomingo County Board of
Supervisors
d-8-15-22-chg

LEGAL NOTICE**PRE-ENGINEERED METAL BUILDING****WHITFIELD FURNITURE****TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI****CDBG PROJECT NO. #04-071-ED-01****ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Sealed bids for the construction of a pre-engineered metal building will be received by the Tishomingo County Board of Supervisors at the Chancery Clerk Office, 1008 Battleground Drive, Iuka, Mississippi, 38852, until 2:00 PM, on January 11, 2005, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

Contract Documents, including Drawings and Specifications, may be examined at the office of Dean McRae Engineering, Inc., located at 308 Grisham Street, Iuka, Mississippi. Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained at the office of Dean McRae Engineering, Inc., by depositing \$25.00 for each set received to Dean McRae Engineering, Inc., P.O. Box 573, Iuka, Mississippi, 38852.

The work shall essentially consist of furnishing and constructing a 3000 square foot pre-engineered metal building, complete with electrical and heating, and other minor upgrades to the existing facility.

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

A satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the Bidder and an accepted Surety, a certified check, or bank draft payable to the County of Tishomingo, on negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (at par value), shall be submitted with each bid in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total bid.

In the letting of public contracts, preference shall be given to resident contractors, and a nonresident bidder domiciled in a state having laws granting preference to local contractors shall be awarded Mississippi public contracts only on the same basis as the nonresident bidder's state awards contracts to Mississippi contractors bidding under similar circumstances; and resident contractors actually domiciled in Mississippi, be they corporate, individuals, or partnerships, are to be granted preference over nonresidents in awarding of contracts in the same manner and to the same extent as provided by the laws of the state of domicile of the nonresident. When a nonresident contractor submits a bid for a public project, he shall attach thereto a copy of his residents state's current law pertaining to such state's treatment of nonresident contractors.

This project is being funded in part by a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and is subject to the rules and regulations thereof.

Bidders are directed to the contract requirement that not less than the minimum wages and salaries set forth in the Contract Documents must be paid on this project. In addition, the Contractor must ensure that employment and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex or natural origin.

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 Tishomingo County Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Arlie South
President Tishomingo Board of Supervisors
d-8-15-chg

LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE
COREY MILLS, DECEASED
SHEILA HAMM
NO.: 2005-228
PETITIONER

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: JOHN MILLS, A RESIDENT OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI WHOSE LAST KNOWN POST OFFICE ADDRESS IS UNKNOWN AND WHOSE CURRENT POST OFFICE ADDRESS IS UNKNOWN TO PETITIONER AFTER DILIGENT SEARCH AND INQUIRY THEREOF.

You have been made a respondent in a petition filed in this court for a petition for determination of heirship settlement.

The petition filed has initiated a civil action seeking to obtain approval of payment of wrongful death settlement benefits on

behalf of Corey Mills, Deceased, and for general relief.

YOU ARE COMMANDED TO APPEAR AND DEFEND THIS ACTION AT 9:30 A.M. ON THE 12TH DAY OF JANUARY, 2005, AT THE TISHOMINGO COUNTY CHANCERY COURT HOUSE, IUKA, TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgement will be entered for money or other things demanded in the Complaint.

ISSUED UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL, this the 23rd day of November, 2005.

Hayden Ables
CHANCERY CLERK,
TISHOMINGO COUNTY

STACI S. BEVILL
DEATON & DEATON, PA
POST OFFICE BOX 1726
TUPELO, MS 38802
662-844-2055

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**LEGAL NOTICE
RAIL LOAN PROGRAM
Public Notice**

The Board of Supervisors acting for and on behalf of Tishomingo County Mississippi. The County took up for consideration the matter of authorizing and approving a loan on behalf of the County from the Mississippi Development Authority (the "MDA") for the purpose of completing freight rail improvements identified as:

Infrastructure Improvements

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE COUNTY, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Governing Body of the County does hereby declare its intention to enter into the loan agreement with the Department in the principal amount not to exceed Five Hundred Ten Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Five Dollars (\$510,365.00) for the purpose of completing the freight rail improvements identified above.

Section 2. The Loan will be secured by a Note executed and delivered by the County to the Department. Failure of the County to meet its repayment obligations shall result in the forfeiture of sales tax allocation or homestead exemption reimbursement in an amount sufficient to repay obligations due until such time as the indebtedness has been discharged or arrangements to discharge such indebtedness satisfactory to the Department have been made.

Section 3. The Governing Body proposes to authorize and approve the Loan from the Department in the amount and for the aforesaid purposes at a meeting of the Governing Body to be held at its regular meeting place at 1008 Battleground Drive in Iuka, Mississippi at 10 o'clock a.m. on the 19th day of December, 2005, or at some meeting held subsequent thereto. This date assigned to authorize and approve the aforementioned loan documents has been set to meet program requirements which mandate that four public notices be issued prior to loan closing. This will allow sufficient time for public comments.

The motion having received the foregoing vote of the Governing Body, the President declared the motion carried and the Resolution adopted, on this the 21st day of November, 2005.

Arlie South

President, Board of Supervisors, MISSISSIPPI

Hayden Ables, Chancery Clerk

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LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
RE: THE ADOPTION OF
H.G. AND H.L.
No. 425-M

SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: THOMAS LANE

NOTICE TO DEFENDANTS

You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Tammy Davis and Herbert Davis, seeking adoption of minor children.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 9:30 a.m. on the 10th day of January, 2006 in the Courtroom of the Alcorn County Chancery Building, at Corinth, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or proceeding.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but you may do so if you desire.

ISSUED under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 18th day of November, 2005.

Hayden Ables
CLERK OF TISHOMINGO
COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

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LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

DARREN S. CONWILL
VS.
SHONDA M. CONWILL

PLAINTIFF
CASE NO. 2005-284-71-M
DEFENDANT

SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: SHONDA M. CONWILL
ADDRESS UNKNOWN

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT

You have been made a Defendant in the suit filed in this Court by Darren S. Conwill, seeking a divorce and other relief named therein.

You are required to mail or hand deliver a written response to the Complaint filed against you in this action to Holliday Law Firm, P.L.L.C., Attorney(s) for Plaintiff, whose address is 408 East Waldron Street, Corinth, Mississippi, 38834.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF DECEMBER 1, 2005, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIVERED A JUDGEMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

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

Issued under my hand and seal of said Court, this 16th day of November, 2005.

Hayden Ables
Clerk of Tishomingo County, Mississippi
d-1-8-15-chg

LEGAL NOTICE**TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE**

WHEREAS, on the 13th day of November, 2004, Paul Ray Trankle and Misty Dawn Trankle, executed and delivered a deed of trust to Michael D. Cooke, trustee for the benefit of Clinton Wood, which deed of trust dated November 15, 2004 is recorded in Book 333, Page 634-639 of the records of trust deeds of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, in the office of the Chancery Clerk of said county; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, which default continues, and Clinton Wood, the legal holder of the note secured by said deed of trust, having requested the undersigned to sell the property described hereinafter for the purpose of satisfying the indebtedness and costs of sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned trustee, will on the 23rd day of December, 2005, at the East front door of the Tishomingo County Courthouse in Iuka, Mississippi, within legal hours, offer for sale, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property in Tishomingo County, Mississippi, to-wit:

Part of the SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 17, Township 4 South, Range 10 East, and being part of Lot 3 of the C.A. Owens Subdivision as recorded in the office of the Chancery Court Clerk of Tishomingo County, MS and being more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the SW corner of the C.A. Owens S/D; thence N 86° - 30' - E 183 feet to the Northwesterly line of the public road; thence with said line, N. 55° 11' - 42' - E 217.57 feet to a set steel rod and the point of beginning hereof; thence N. 2° - 02' - 42' - E 187.01 feet to the South line of Old Highway 364; thence with said line East 262.18 feet to the point of intersection of road right-of-ways; thence with said Northwesterly line of public, S. 55° - 11' - 42' - W 427.43 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 0.57 (0-57/100) acres, more or less.

Such title will be conveyed as is vested in me as trustee aforesaid. This, the 23rd day of November, 2005.

Michael D. Cooke, Trustee

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Air Evac Lifeteam Participates In Halloween Skate Party

More than 200 children recently took part in a Halloween Skate Party sponsored by pediatrician, Marta Hans. Spider-Man is shown with Air Evac Lifeteam member flight paramedic, Scotty Brewer. Air Evac serves Alcorn and Tishomingo Counties as well as southwestern Tennessee.

Geraldine Johnson

Geraldine Johnson, 75, died Saturday, Dec. 10, 2005, at the Daniel Health Care complex. She was born Jan. 17, 1930, in Franklin County, Ala., to Lonnie Porter and Dora White, who preceded her in death. She was a member of the Church of God.

Services were at 3 p.m. Monday, Dec. 12, at Senter Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Marshall Green officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Gilead Cemetery.

Survivors include her husband, Melvin Johnson; two daughters, Charline McMickin and husband, Darrell, of Tremont, and Earlene Edwards and husband, Robert, of Tishomingo; one son, Richard Johnson and wife, Cherie, of Fulton; two sisters, Maxine Pus-

sor of Jackson, Tenn., and Madaline Ewing of Belmont; five brothers, R.D. Porter of Belmont, L.C. Porter of Texas, Allis Porter of Tupelo, Edward Porter of Dennis and J.B. Porter of Fulton; four half sisters, Lillian Roberts, Levay Hensley, Linda Sue Porter and Lessie Porter; four half brothers, Her-shall Porter, J.W. Porter, Leonard Porter and Chris Porter; 10 grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one son, Donald Ray Johnson; and two sisters and two brothers.

Pallbearers were Shannon Clement, Kevin Johnson, Jason Glasgow, Joseph Glasgow, Tyler Edwards, Charles McMickin, Anthony Stokes and Daniel Lindsey.



Letters to Santa

Dear Santa, I love you and wish I could keep you! And I like your reindeers. I really like Dixen. Please put candy, I mean treats, in my stocking. Come wake me up when you come. How do you feed the reindeers? How do you and the elves bag up the toys? I wish I was in the parade tonight. I've been good Santa. I want a Dora Kitchen, a bunch of CDs, CD player, My Little Pony Castle, Dancing Dora and Boots, Cold Nose Puppy (it will really freeze your nose!), a Doodle Bear and a Doodle Monster for Will, a Fur Real Newborn Bear, Magnetix (a bunch), Barbies with a closet and clothes, a take along house and Hugs and Heal Pet Doctor. I would like a real horse, I mean a play horse, a Care Bear blanket and a camera. I'm making a book for you. You'll love it! Love Robynne McMillan, age 4

Iuka Elementary School Kindergarten Mrs. Kristi's Class

Dear Santa, please bring me a lot of Barbie stuff and a bike that has pretty colors for Christmas. I have been a good girl this year! Some surprises would be nice too! Love, Catherine Roach

Dear Santa, the two things that I really want for Christmas are some Spiderman socks and a Star Wars light saber. I would also like the movie "Over the Hedge". I have been a good boy this year. Love, Wesley Johnson

Dear Santa, please bring me a bike that is red, white and blue, a robot, a toy dinosaur and a toy Santa Claus. I have been a good boy this year. Love, Austin Taylor

Dear Santa, please bring me an American Monster truck with batteries for Christmas. I have been a good boy. Love, Bobby Largent

Dear Santa, please bring me a light up light saber lamp and a cake. You can bring me some surprises too. A kangaroo would be nice. Merry Christmas! Love, Colten Rooker

Dear Santa, please bring me lots of Barbie stuff. I would also like a new bike so I can leave it at my Mamaw's house. I have been a very good girl. Love, Emi Cummings

Dear Santa, please bring me a race car and a Playstation 2 for Christmas. I have been a good boy this year! Love, Troy Williams

Dear Santa, please bring me a telephone (a real one, too!), a new boom box and a new real looking baby for Christmas. I have been a very good girl this year! Love, Brianna Meador

Dear Santa, please bring me a Star Wars game and a skateboard game. I also want the car game that Blaine has. I've been a pretty good boy this year. Love, Reese Whitehurst

Dear Santa, please bring me a marker board and some markers. I love to draw! I've been a good boy! Love, Christopher Brents

Dear Santa, please bring me a little bitty robot that looks just like me for Christmas. I have been a very good girl this year. Love, Morgan Agee

Dear Santa, please bring me a 4 wheeler or a 3 wheeler for Christmas. I've been good this year. Love, Calvin Walls

Dear Santa, please bring me a puppy, an umbrella and a little alien toy for Christmas. I have been a very good girl! Love, Skyler Rinehart

Dear Santa, I am not picky this year. I know that whatever you bring me will be fine. I love to be surprised. I have been a pretty good boy this year. Love, Joseph Alago

Dear Santa, please bring me some Barbies, purses, make-up and some books. I have been a good girl this year! Love, Leigha Brown

Dear Santa, I am writing this letter for my sweet little Destiny Cannon. She has been home sick this week and couldn't write you her letter. She has been a little angel for me in class this year. Please bring her lots of wonderful surprises because she truly deserves your gifts. Merry Christmas!!! Love, Mrs. Kristi (Destiny's teacher)

Dear Santa, please bring me a Cinderella bike for Christmas. I would also like my own glass and a little motorcycle. I have been a good girl. Love, Kassie Blakenship

Letters To Santa Tiger Cubs Pack 26 Den 8

Dear Santa, I want some Highway Patrol and Sheriff K-9, State Trooper and some fire works. Thank you, have a nice day. Casey Bivins

Dear Santa, thank you for all the presents that you gave to the good boys and girls and me. You are great. Santa, you are the best Santa in the whole world. By: Austin Whitfield

Dear Santa, I have been very good, please send me \$100, dinosaur mountain and Spyglass and Spygear and lots of surprises. Thanks, Josh W. Perkins

Dear Santa, I have been good. I want a electric guitar and a Mario game. Love, Logan Perkins

Dear Santa, I would like a Game Cube, Dart Tag, Resident-Evil, Nerf Super Blaster, real life saber, and shell shocker. Connor McMeans

Dear Santa, I have been good, I want a X-Box and X-Box games and a remote control robot. Love, Andrew Whitfield

Dear Santa, I have been good. I want a real motorcycle my size. Dylan Ables

Dear Santa, I would like a light saber and a Darth Vader mask. I have been a good boy this year, thank you. Colin Bonds

Dear Santa, I've been good. I want a Playstation. Love, Tylor Barnett

Dear Santa, I want a light saber. I want you to get Mama a bike and I want a Shell Shocker. Collin Norman

Ms. Crystal Taylor's Kindergarten Class Tishomingo Elem. School

Dear Santa, I want a red bunk bed. I also would like a puppet, truck, SpongeBob game, remote control car, Spiderman movie, Spiderman Book, checker game, and bubble gum. Please bring me a candy cane. See ya soon. Your friend, Jesse Barnes

Dear Santa, I would like a ramp skateboard, x-box games, toy computer, karate set with a movie, and some Playstation games. Your friend, Brady Butler

Dear Santa, I would love to have a tea set, real cooks, new shoes (size 13 1/2), new Barbie dolls and clothes for them, a Barbie castle, a carriage for the Barbie's to ride in, a car, and a Barbie kitchen. I also want some nice dress clothes for me, a real puppy, a swimsuit for this summer, and a Dora the Explorer TV. Your friend, Bethann Durham

Dear Santa, I love you! I want a tool belt (it has to be real). I want a Spiderman web shooter. I also want a Kool-Aid and Tea maker, if you have one. Please give the boys and girls at the ocean a bunch of toys. Your friend, Andy George

Dear Santa, I want some SpongeBob house shoes, a radio, a coloring book, a toy, a CD player, a camera, a toy dog, and a clock. I like you and your reindeers a lot! Your friend, Dillon Horn

Dear Santa, my name is Anna Houston and I am 5 years old. I would like some Hello Kitty toys, a Cabbage Patch Doll, E-Z Bake Oven, and some surprises. I will leave you some cookies and milk under my Christmas tree. Your friend, Anna Houston

Dear Santa, I'm going to give you a hug when I see you! I want you to bring all the kids candy, toys, and balloons. I want you to bring me a Barbie, baby doll, candy, a cheerleader, and a princess. I have been nice. Your friend, Alyssa McCorkle

Dear Santa, I want a real dirt bike that's green with the number 7 on it. I also want a toy dirt bike and a man with a green suit and green helmet. Your friend, James Murphy

Dear Santa, please bring me a few musical toys, clothes, and some CD's for my CD player. I'm not picky. Anything will be nice. Your friend, Justin Puckett

Dear Santa, I want some dolls, toys, kittens, puppies, and clothes. Your friend, Samantha Roach

Dear Santa, I want a Barbie doll, Care Bear, and a Bratz Doll. Please bring my baby sister some surprises, too. Your friend, Ashley Rojas

Dear Santa, I want a Spiderman doll (his gloves and boots come off), Rudolph the Reindeer toy, clothes, x-man game, horses, spy game, some movies, and a Charlie and the Chocolate Factory game. I would also like some Batman, Superman, and Spiderman cartoons. Please bring me some apples, oranges, and candy. Your friend, Bradley Smith

Dear Santa, please bring me a video game, board, tool set with hammers, driving game, bubble gum, Doodle Monster, bicycle, Spiderman phone and a bed tent. Your friend, Jameson Tennyson

Dear Santa, I want a car with a scoop on the roller skates, a longer my train track, 3 tennis, Batman sponge and an orange telephone for a house, and a red dodge goes under things. I have a good boy. Your friend, Cody Wood

LEGAL NOTICE

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
RE: IN THE MATTER OF THE
ADMINISTRATION OF THE
ESTATE OF PAULETTE LETSON
CORNELISON, DECEASED
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF TISHOMINGO
TO: ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS OF
PAULETTE LETSON CORNELISON, DECEASED
whose whereabouts are unknown after diligent
search and inquiry.

A Petition has been filed in the Chancery Court of Tishomingo County, Mississippi to Establish Heirs of Paulette Letson Cornelson, deceased.

You are required to mail or hand deliver a written response to the Petition filed against you in this action to Rebecca C. P. Attorney for Plaintiff(s), whose post office address is Post Box 992, and whose street address is 605 Taylor Street, Tishomingo, Mississippi 38835.

Your response must be mailed or delivered not later than 15 days after the 15th day of December, 2005, which is the date of first publication of this summons. If your response is not so mailed or delivered, a judgement by default will be entered against you for the money or relief demanded in the Petition.

You must also file the original of your Response with the Clerk of this court within a reasonable time after said date.

Issued under my hand and seal of said Court, this 9th day of December, 2005.
HAYDEN ABLES, CHANCERY CLERK
TISHOMINGO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
BY: Hayden Ables
DEPUTY CLERK

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO DEALERS TO FURNISH THE CITY OF IUKA THE FOLLOWING SUPPLY FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING JANUARY 3, 2006 AND ENDING JANUARY 2, 2007

Notice is hereby given by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Iuka, Mississippi, that until 12:00 Noon on Tuesday, January 3, 2006 will receive sealed bids for a period beginning January 6, 2006 and ending January 2, 2007. The sealed bids must be on the front of the envelope the item being bid and name of the company bidding.

HOTMIX ASPHALT

Delivered price FOB Iuka for:
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Furnish labor and equipment for installation of all hot mix asphalt.

****MUST BE ON CITY BID FORM****

DBST

Delivered price FOB Iuka for:
DBST - Price Per square yard
Application Rate
Application rate must be in accordance with Mississippi state specifications for State Aid Road and Bridge Construction (Alt #1 - D)

****MUST BE ON CITY BID FORM****

LIME STONE PRODUCTS

Crusher Run
90 lb. Rip Rap
3" Washed Rock
FOB Iuka Water Plant

****MUST BE ON CITY BID FORM****

Bid forms may be obtained at Iuka City Hall or by calling 423-2570. Said bids will be filed with the City Clerk's office of said city on January 3, 2006 at 12:00 Noon. The Mayor and Board of Aldermen reserve the right to reject any and all bids. This the 15th day of December 2005.

Jackie Bryant
Mayor

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Dana, Beverly, & Cindy



Kristen Jones Competes In North 4-H Pork Cook Out Contest

Kristen Jones, member of the Sportsman 4-H Club, competed in the North 4-H Pork Cook Out Contest recently. Participants are given two 1-inch thick pork chops the day of the contest. They must use a charcoal grill that must be lit without any help. They bring their own sauce and flavorings to put on the meat. Kristen used a recipe she created with help of her family. She won the Junior Division Contest. Her entry was then judged against the Senior Division winner. Kristen was determined to be the Grand Champion.

Pictured with Kristen are (left to right) Mamie Shields, Matthew Ruff, Amy McMinn, and Margaret Davis. All are members of the Mississippi Pork Producers, sponsor of the contest. For more information about 4-H activities call the Extension Office at 423-7016.

Dear Santa, I have been really good this year. For Christmas I would like a cell phone, money, clothes, shoes, crack socks (green and pink), toys, and an I Pod. Have a safe trip. I wish you luck.
Megan Smith

Dear Santa, for Christmas I want a new PS Vgame. I want a new computer, a new PS 2 controller, a new board game, and a new watch.
River Davis

Dear Santa, I have been really good this year. I am wishing for a computer, clothes, shoes, purses, SP games, and a new Game Boy. Also art stuff and sweets. I love you, you are good to me every year. Thank you for all you did and all the stuff you and your elves have done. You do a super job. I love everyone of you.
Bailey Brewer

Dear Santa, this year I don't want much. All I want this year is a couple of things. They are Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire soundtrack and toy. DVD's which are the Fantastic 4, Star Wars III, and The Dukes of Hazzard. Other toys I want are Iron Man, Spider Man Marvel Robot, books, and a Bible. Okay maybe it is a little bit more than last year. Please will you bring me these things for Christmas?
Seth Crocker

Dear Santa, my name is Jake Wilmeth. I am 14 months old. I have been pretty good this year except for the occasional fits when I don't get my way. I would like a lot of new toys for Christmas; also a Lady and the Tramp movie. I will leave milk and cookies for you by the tree, unless I get hungry and eat them before you get there because I love cookies.
Thank you, Jake
P.S. Santa, if it is not too much trouble could you bring my daddy and Uncle Kevin a big screen TV that is all they talk about.

Dear Santa, for Christmas I want a good family time. I would like to have games for my Game Boy like Chicken Little.
Thank you, Rebekah Robertson

Dear Santa, my name is Brittany Kaye Smith. This is what I want for Christmas, a go-cart. Then I would like a Game Boy.
Brittany Smith

Dear Santa, how is it going? What is it like at the North Pole? Christmas is almost here. So here's some stuff I want. Smack Down vs. Raw 2006, a portable CD player with batteries, Linkin Park Hybrid CD, and the movie Tommy Boy. That's what I want for Christmas Santa. Merry Christmas!
Zac Lomenick

Dear Santa, I want an I-Pod, Nintendo, interactive movie, and a new go-cart. Santa, I am thankful for you. Santa I love you so much. Christmas is my favorite holiday.
Spencer Moore

Dear Santa, this year I want a pocket bike, a pool table, a fiddle, a robot that dances, and a mouse. That's what I want for Christmas.
Mason Thomas

Dear Santa, I want a notebook because I am making a special guide. I also want a lot of other stuff. I want a toy called Black Belts: Karate Master. I want a lot of other stuff. I will write another letter later.
Will Johnson

Dear Santa, I want a RC Trainer and some games. I want a dog and a dirt bike. I also want an I-Pod. That is all I want for Christmas.
Tyson Harris

Youth Ministry To Present "The Nails"

Morris Hill Full Gospel Church Youth Ministry will be presenting "The Nails" (a touching Christmas drama about Jesus' last days). Everyone is welcome.

The program will be Saturday night, Dec. 17th at 6:30 and Sunday, Dec. 18th at 6:00.



Letters To Santa

Iuka Headstart
Mrs. Barbara McGaha
Mrs. Cyndy Jones
Unit I

Please bring me a bed, a basketball, football, choo-choo train and a present for mom.

Will you bring me an army of dolls and Kevin a bidcopter.

I want a Dinosaur, race car and some drums for Christmas. Please don't bring my mamma anything because she hasn't been good.

Hi Santa! I want a basketball, a bike, a truck and lots of surprises.

Santa, I've been a very good girl so will you bring me Barbie Castle, a ball, pony, makeup and an Impossible mirror.

Santa, please bring a Choo-choo train, a baby doll. Please get my mom some cotton candy. I will leave you some cookies under the tree.

Santa, I want a doll, a baby doll and a bear. Please get my mom some earrings. I've been a very good girl.

Please bring me a John Deere Tractor, race car, dinosaur and a horse.

Santa, please get me a princess, a four wheeler, dirt bike and a baby doll. Can you get mom and dad some candy cane. I will leave you some cookies.

I want a ball, a bike, books, crayon and coloring book.

Please bring me a car, horse, baby doll, some crayons and some drums for my brother.

I want some new clothes, a basketball, a race car, a baby doll. Please bring mom a present.

I want some new clothes, a truck, a bike and a basketball.

I would like to have a dirt bike, a four wheeler and a motorcycle.

Dear Santa, please bring a Barbie doll, Bob, Ken and a baby and a tower. Please bring Mema a crib and Pepa some clothes.

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Iuka Elementary School
Mrs. Wilmeth's
4th Grade Class

Dear Santa, I want a 243 rifle, a bow and arrow, a Duke's of Hazzard Playstation game, a NCAA 2006 football, and Need for Speed Playstation 2 game.

Dear Santa, I'm writing to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a Game Boy DS and a Game Cube. I have a really short list this year. I am getting older so I don't want as much. I hope you have a safe trip to everybody's house.
Hope Henson

Dear Santa, I want some surprises! I want a NCAA 06 for my PSP. How long is your beard? Is it feet long? Can I have a foot of it when it gets 3 feet long? If I can I will glue it to my chin.
Blake McGuff

Dear Santa, I would just like to tell you what I want for Christmas. If it is not too bad I'd want the Poplar Express to come by my house. Just so I can see how it looks in the North Pole. I would like to see an elf. I also would like a couple of presents.
Mark Cuellar

Dear Santa, I want a lot of stuff, but I want a Harry Potter book. I also want a Green Day CD, a little pet, and two DVD's. How are your reindeer? I am doing great. Then I want a horse with a halter reins and saddle. Last but not least a robot dog that can dance to music.
Katlin McDuffy

Dear Santa, what I want for Christmas is Bratz, a lock for my room, a basketball goal to practice on, a Bratz canopy, a Bratz telephone, and a Bratz big baby Yasmin. How many reindeer do you have 16 or 17? Also some pants too.
Destiny Ortiz

Dear Santa, this year I want a remote control J. Johnson car, a hover coper that works, a remote control airplane, a four wheeler, and a computer.
Derek Cooley

Dear Santa, for Christmas I would like two pairs of high heeled shoes two inches or higher. I want two games Tetris and Pokemon. I've got the blue one, and some money like 5's, 10's, or 20's.
Thank you, Laken Jones

Dear Santa, I would like to have clothes, shoes, pants, skirts, bracelets, a jacket, and socks. I also want a go-cart. I would like a scarf, boots, hair bows, a Game Boy, Playstation games, DVD, Game Boy, movies, a bed spread, and whatever else that you want to bring me.
Shaleigh Clingan

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Belmont Elementary School 2nd Six Weeks Honor Roll

1st grade, all A's - Jake Coker, Skylor Dill, Gabby Nieto-Hale, Parker Middleton, Emily Morphis, Francisco Rodriguez, Kimberly Shook, Cameron Oliver, Sofia Alvarez, Austin Caldwell, James Watson, Bailee Lindsey, Logan Massey, Colin Peppers, Layla Rinehart, Ethan Sparks, Ethan Stanfield, Devan Dunlap, Jeremiah Hughes, Breanna Lynch, Marlee Malone, Kerry Morris, Garrett Thorn, Harrison Bell, Sarah Moody, Nathan Pardue, Brandon Pickle, Morgan Pierce, Carly Ramsey, Jeffrey Rodriguez, Kyle Sparks, Brooke Thompson, Braden Wells.

A's and B's - Summer Andrew, Cayle Brooke Higginbottom, Makenzie Horn, Baylen Moore, Cody Gattis, Breanna Cole, Coby Eaton, Kaleb Higginbottom, Tori Hill, Wesley Hollis, Kristen Howell, Kayleigh Stokes, Allyssa Thomas, Brett Young, Caleb Hill, Skylar Reed, Mikenlee Stephens, Adriana Tessener, Dillon Whitehead, Katelyn Tessener, Payton Carnathan, Kendra Elrod, Jennifer Ivey, Kole Montgomery, Peyton Reeves, Javi Sanchez, Clay Underwood, Bailey Credille, Whitney Gutyon, Will Leathers, Alex Taylor.

All B's - Robert Donaldson, Cayla Oaks, Jodi Shotts, Emma Sparks.

2nd grade, all A's - Kaitlyn Griffin, Austin Lindley, Maryana McGee, Seth Page, Hunter Scruggs, Noah South, Anna Leigh Witt, Dexter Cleveland, Reed Gasaway, Isaac Hughes, Kristle Schroder, Chloe Watson, Merilese Adams, Haley Hammock, Kaylee Clements, Alyssa Grubbs, Canaan Harris, Carley Hopkins, Mychelle Lambert, Brewer Moore, Ryan Gray.

A's and B's - Mackenzie Bolton, Gage Creel, Cierra Dunn, Jeremy Hall, Kasey Nunley, Shelby Shook, Christian Smith, Kensley Smith, Cole Wells, Dakota Belue, Jenny Lynn Coker, Marlee Conwill, Katlyn Credille, Abbi Ewing,

Devon Ruple, Cainan Stokes, Garrett Swader, Gavin Vick, Josh Wilson, Brody Crum, Jolee Cruse, Hannah Dunlap, Chasity Durward, Cameron Moore, Kaitlyn Pounders, Kale Smith, Kayleigh Thomas, Lakin Wood, Santana Dillard, Preston Eaton, Ty Fuller, Brantley Goddard, Dylan Johnson, Christian Pickle.

All B's - Jake Sheffield, Brittany Jaudon, Jacob Lynch, Colby McGough, Shiann Wooten.

3rd grade, all A's - Taylor Deaton, Jon Morgan Payne, Ridge Martin, Nicole Moody, Luke Alexander, Conner Caldwell, Harrison Fancher, Cassandra Smith, Kerisa Thrasher, Kaitlyn Whitehead, Amber Pharr, Morgan Stephens.

A's and B's - Katie Lee, Isaac Sparks, Kole Timbs, Brittany Clingan, Bradley Hamblin, Jacob Johnston, Bryan Malone, Kacie Timbs, Austin Carpenter, Kaylon Cleveland, Savannah Enlow, Shelby Huffman, Kelsey Kemp, Cory Lindsey, Jessica Newman, Zack Pardue, Brodi Pounds, Quentin Rouse, Mackenzie Bryan, Austin Dawson, Isabel Hammock, Allie Moreland, Madison Poole, Taryn Rhodes, Chandler Works, Drew Henry, Chandler Higginbottom, Holly Nunley, Justin Orrick, Skyler Poole, Kennadie Rooker, Emily Senter.

All B's - Haley Rogers, Joe Ridings, T.J. Wallace.

4th grade, all A's - Cassidy Collier, Breanna Cruces, Erin Pounds, Haley Swindle, Avery Thorn, Luke Shook.

A's and B's - Trevor Bailey, Chris Beristain, Chandler Fowler, Randy King, Elissa Mahan, Karson Moody, Zach Reeves, Shelby Scott, Olivia Wigginton, Brett Williams, Kelsey Horn, Dillon Phifer, Leah Rinehart, Chase Shumaker, Adam Stanfield, Jackson Trammel, Jessica Works, Kaleb Eaton, Kayli Hayes, Ricky McCuen, Jacob Pharr, Sasha Roberson, Tiffany Searcy, Kaitlyn Thompson, Anna Timbs, Maranda White, Chandler Young.

Blue Mountain College Opens All Programs To Male Students

Blue Mountain College, located in Blue Mountain, Miss., is pleased to announce that as of January 2006, all of its programs will be open to male students, as well as females.

Founded as a college for women in 1873, the College modified its mission in 1956 to include male students who were preparing for the ministry and those taking non-degree courses. Bobby P. Martin, Chair of the Blue Mountain College Board of Trustees, commented that "opening all programs to male students at Blue Mountain College is evidence of the institution's commitment to serve students who desire to study in a Christian environment."

Having successfully served male students for the last fifty years, the College is now positioned to broaden its influence by enrolling men in all of its programs. James Lewis, a 1977 graduate of the College and trustee, said, "Blue Mountain College has a responsibility to move forward in order to

broaden her influence and become a blessing to others."

General Mark Perrin Lowrey, founder of Blue Mountain College, responded to a need for Christian education for women.

Alumnae serving on the Board believe that opening the enrollment to male students honors the tradition and heritage of BMC's founder. Jean Anderson Morgan, Chair of the Board Committee on Development and Finance and a 1947 alumna, stated, "The course of action which the Blue Mountain College board has adopted is bold and far-reaching. The measures will move the College into a new era of achievement in Christian education which is our mandate. We have the responsibility to continue and to advance the College's legacy of excellence which has impacted so many since its founding in 1873."

For more information about Blue Mountain College, contact the Office of Admissions at 1-800-235-0136 or visit www.bmc.edu.



Letters To Santa

Dear Santa, I want one of your elves! I want my own TV and computer, a camera like Mommy and Daddy's, a big monster truck and hummer, remote control car that you put together and can change it, a pad locker so M'Lynne and Robynne can't get in my room. I want my own living room with a couch. I want a gun but, not a real one and a target. I want to know how you make toys. I wish I could call you but, my Mommy said that I can't. I wish I had a box full of donuts. (I'll put some out for you). Santa, can I have a big limo car, Magnetix, Air Hogs, Star Wars

Clone Wars figures, Land Sea remote control car, Crash Dummy Cars, Bionicles, Accelerators Racetrack, Roboraptor, Batmobile that transforms to a city? Is my name on the bad list? I don't think I've been bad. I didn't mean to spill my drink on Grandpa's couch. Wake me up please when you leave my toys. I wish you a Merry Christmas. Be careful on your sleigh and don't let the reindeers get tired of flying. Hold on tight Santa. Leave a big present on my porch. Take care of yourself. I love you, Santa Claus.
Love, Will McMillan, age 6

Dear Santa, my name is J.C. Requena, I am four years old. I have been pretty good this year. I would like for you to bring me a kite, a Hulk Robot, and a coloring book with crayons. I would also like for you to tell my uncle Jon hello and welcome home from Bagdad. Thank you for buying me toys.
J.C. Requena

Dear Santa, I want to remind you about Christmas. First, will you give me a picture and autograph by you, at least 5 of your best elves and all of your reindeer? The reindeer don't have to sign it. Can you tell me their names? After Christmas can you give me a letter to tell if I've been good all year and if I can name the reindeer right? Are they Dasher, Dancer, Prancer, Vixen, Comet, Cupid, Dunder and Blixen? I saw you tonight at the Burnsville Parade and you threw a piece of candy at my head. It was funny. You

can't tell anybody but, I want to get you something. What reindeer eat? Can you bring some of these presents? I want movies, Bratz Rock dolls, Bratz Big Babies, Bag chairs in these colors, orange, pink, lime green, and purple, Fur Real Pets, them except the white, white bear, panda, gray, sand looking kitten, to shop and pets, Hug and Dog, a real camera, a real purse, Cranium game, age, Pixel Chick and everything with that, Bratz Teen, Baby Twins, lime green Bear, Bratz twin accessories, all Sky Dancers, Magical Bear that glows in the dark, Rescue Pets, and Magic How have you been doing year? Can you and your reindeer and Mrs. Claus send me a picture and autograph it? Now you have Merry Christmas! Your friend,
M'Lynne McMillan, age 5

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