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## Roundup

### New Deputy For Sheriff

Bill Ingram of Kirkville has been hired as a new Prentiss County deputy sheriff, according to Sheriff W.V. Horn.

Ingram began work at the sheriff's department April 1. He replaces former deputy Johnny Welch who resigned, Horn said.

Ingram, 43, was employed as a captain at the Booneville Police Department. He had worked there since June 1977. His resignation from the police department was effective March 31.

Joe Shackelford was hired to replace Ingram, according to Police Commissioner Charles Steen.

Shackelford was one of three officers who had recently been laid off from the police department.

Sheriff Horn also said that Deputy Jeff Jackson is attending the Police Academy in Laurel for eight weeks. Randy Tolar will work in his place while he is away.

### Constables County-Wide

Constables have county-wide jurisdiction and can serve papers in all districts, according to Justice Court Judge Dexter Cadle.

Cadle said there had been differing opinions recently in Prentiss County concerning this. Some people were under the impression that a constable could only serve papers in the district he was elected in.

"Because there was a difference of opinions about this, I called Ryan Hood, assistant attorney general, and asked him," Cadle said Tuesday.

"Hood said that the constables did have county-wide jurisdiction in both criminal and civil matters and can serve papers in all districts."

### Health Fair

#### Next Week

The 1984 Health Screening Fair will be held at Northeast Junior College Gymnasium Monday, April 9, from 4 p.m. until 8 p.m. and Tuesday, April 10, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.

Baptist Memorial Hospital, Booneville, and Northeast Junior College are once again coordinating the Health Screening Fair.

Free medical tests will be offered to anyone 18 years of age or older.

Individuals may participate in any or all of the tests. Among the tests to be offered will be free screenings for height, weight, blood pressure, vision, glaucoma, anemia, oral cancer, urine test for sugar and protein and pulmonary (breathing) tests.

The Health Fair will also offer additional blood chemistry profile tests at a cost of \$8 per individual (this includes 26 different tests to help measure overall health) and for an additional \$6 a coronary heart disease risk evaluation will be offered.

Those interested in attending the Health Fair may pre-register by contacting Frances Green at Baptist Memorial Hospital at 728-5331, ext. 252.

### Bay Springs Area

## Landowners Try To Get Electricity

By ED WOODWARD  
Managing Editor

Wilson Point has no electricity. And Cecil Smith is not sure whose responsibility it is to restore it; the PCEPA's, the Corps' or his.

Wilson Point has been in existence only a short time -- since the filling of Bay Springs Lake. A county gravel road now leads directly into the lake and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is allowing fishermen to use it as a

boat launching ramp.

And it is being used. On Sunday, April 1, approximately 15 cars and trucks, many with boat trailers attached, were parked at Wilson Point. And several people were also bank fishing.

The Corps retains a 300 foot strip of land bordering the lake. And two persons own property adjacent to that strip, Cecil Smith, owner of Bumkom Hill Grocery on Highway 30 East, and Kenneth Coker, Rienzi.

Though Coker has no immediate

plans to develop the 30 acres he owns there, Smith has already begun developing his 43 acres into third-acre and half-acre lots.

The power lines of the Prentiss County Electric Power Association parallel Ridge Road, approximately one-tenth of a mile west of the Smith and Coker properties. But they do not go down the road to Wilson Point.

According to Smith, prior to the beginning of construction of the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway,

both properties were served by the Tishomingo County Electric Power Association. But, when construction began on the Tenn-Tom, electric service was cut off.

The Mississippi Public Service Commission then ruled that all land on the east side of the waterway would be served by the PCEPA and all land on the west side would be served by the Prentiss County Electric Power Association.

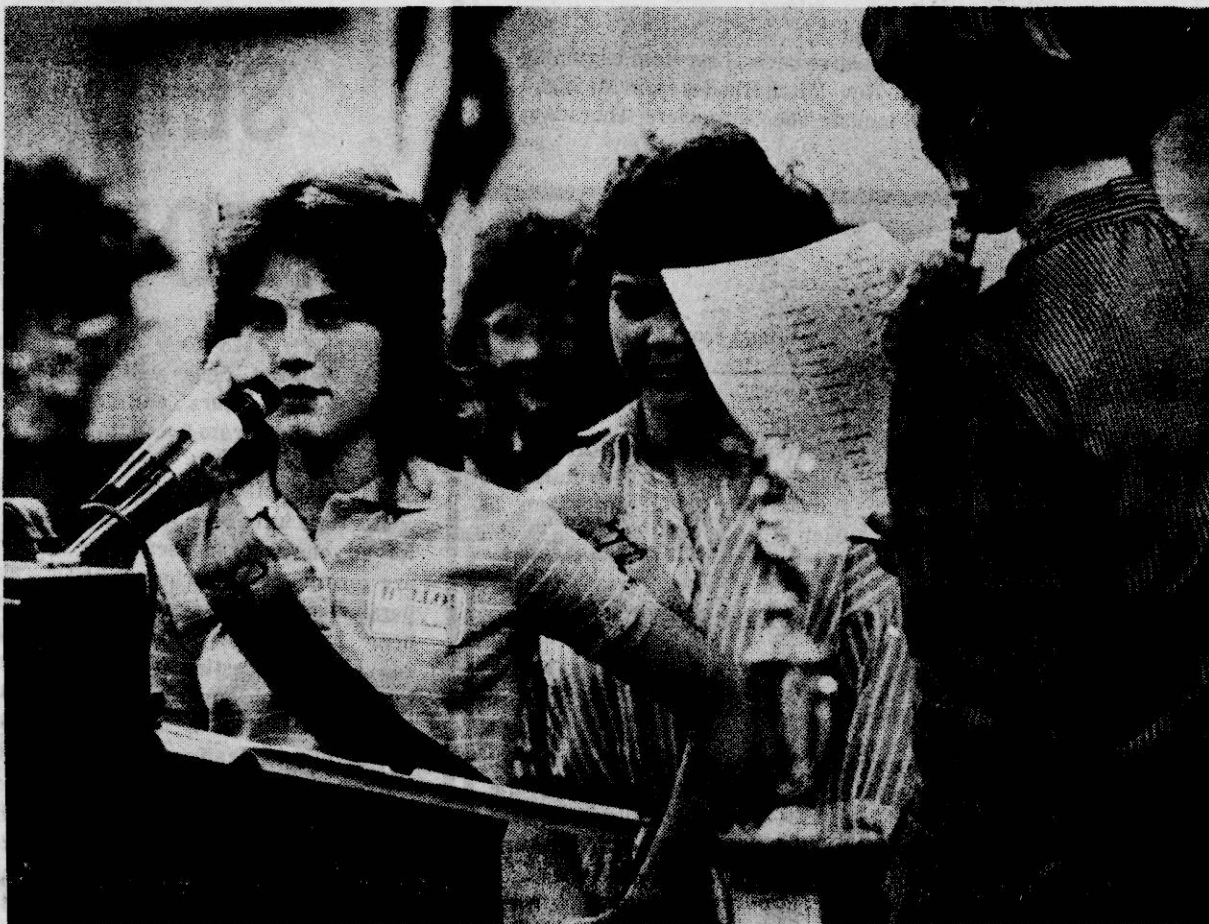
And, now that construction of the Bay Springs Lock and Dam is

completed and Bay Springs Lake has been filled, Smith wants his power restored.

Smith said he made such a request to the PCEPA, and was told that he would have to pay \$1000 per pole, or almost \$18,000, even though his development of the land means a substantial number of new future customers for the power association.

Smith and Coker attended a

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### P-r-e-p-o-s-t-e-r-o-u-s

Tammy Owens, an eighth grader at Jumpertown, won the Prentiss County Spelling Bee Friday night for the second consecutive year. The winning word was 'preposterous,' which LeeJa Lauderdale of Thrasher misspelled after 23 other contestants had been

eliminated. Tammy spelled the word correctly and then spelled 'squadron' to win the Bee. In the photo above, Tammy (at the microphone) concentrates on an earlier word being pronounced by Dr. Ann Cross.

## Another New Industry For Baldwyn

By ED WOODWARD  
Managing Editor

Mesker-Clark Inc., a St. Louis, Mo., based corporation, announced Tuesday, April 3, that it will build a 60,000 square foot factory in Baldwyn's Charles M. Gordon Industrial Park.

The factory, which will manufacture metal doors and frames, will initially employ approximately 35 people, according to Baldwyn Mayor Merle Rowan.

Rowan said the plant, Mesker Clark's seventh, will be financed by a \$2.5 million revenue bond issue with no liability to the city.

Mesker-Clark has six other factories, five in the United States and one in Ontario, Canada, Rowan said.

Mesker-Clark Inc. is made up of several companies, which include Mesker Industries of St. Louis, Clark Door Co., with four locations, Metal Form Corporation of St. Louis, Federal Steel & Supply Co. of

East Alton, Ill., and Carlson Door Co. of Wichita, Kans.

Mesker was founded in 1864 by Frank and Bernard Mesker. The company was originally in the business of designing and building steel building fronts.

Next came steel spiral staircases, steel sash and steel fire escapes.

During World War II, a variety of products were added, including airplane hangar accordion doors, bomb housings, floats for anti-submarine nets and components for

floating bridges.

In 1951 Mesker expanded into the commercial and industrial door fields, leading to its present full line of steel swing doors, frames and sliding steel doors.

It is the steel swing door line that will be manufactured at the new Baldwyn facility, according to Rowan.

In 1971 Clark Door Co., with its British and Canadian subsidiaries, became a wholly-owned subsidiary of Mesker Industries Inc. and the

corporate name became Mesker-Clark Inc.

In 1982 Federal Steel & Supply joined the corporation, becoming actively associated with Metal Form Corporation. Also joining Mesker-Clark in 1982 was Carlson Door Co.

The Baldwyn facility will be located on a 17 acre site in the Gordon Industrial Park between BioClinic and the new Southern

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## Rienzi Caboose Is Private Railroad Museum

By ANGELA SMITH  
Staff Reporter

Harry Johnsey's home away from home is a red wooden caboose in Rienzi.

Johnsey and his wife, Jean, reside in Jackson, Tenn., but every chance they get they like to travel to Rienzi to spend some time in the caboose.

He recently has been sick so it has

been awhile since he was able to visit Rienzi. But as Johnsey's brother, Fred said, "his heart was in Rienzi."

The 23-ton caboose is located on 3½ acres in Rienzi. Norman Johnsey, Johnsey's cousin, keeps the area surrounding the caboose in tip-top shape, resembling a well-manicured golf course.

Johnsey put the caboose in Rienzi

in 1975. He found it in Centralia, Ill., where it was about to be discarded.

The caboose was built in 1924 and was pulled out of service in 1974. The railroad people rebuilt it for him, he said.

The caboose was attached to a train and brought to Rienzi. A housemover moved the caboose to its final destination.

JOHNSY HAS ALWAYS loved

the railroads. But no wonder. He has railroading in his blood.

His father, Harry Sr., was a conductor and his grandfather, Tobe Bailey, was an engineer.

When Johnsey was in high school he worked as a tool boy. His job was putting the engineer's tools on the engine for him.

But that was really his only stint working on the railroad. After his

schooling, much of his time was spent either playing or coaching football. At Union University he coached basketball and football.

On Jan. 13 he was inducted into the Tennessee Sports Hall of Fame in Nashville.

In 1946 he and his brother opened a sportings good store in Jackson.

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### Economic Profile

## Foreign Competition Could Hurt Prentiss County

By KEN CHRISTIAN  
Publisher

NOTE: The following is part four in a series based on an economic assessment of Prentiss County which was conducted by Richard Walker of Walker & Associates, Nashville, Tenn. Walker's research here was commissioned by Baptist Memorial Hospital.

Economic analyst Richard Walker contends that, without advanced planning by Prentiss County's leaders, foreign competition could eventually devastate

the county's economy because its manufacturing base "is seriously over-dependent on the apparel industry."

"The (apparel) industry, along with the second highest provider of jobs, footwear, are both being seriously threatened by off-shore competition," he says.

Together, the apparel industry and the footwear industry account for 67 percent of Prentiss County's manufacturing jobs, "thus leaving the manufacturing sector in an extremely vulnerable status," Walker says.

Prentiss County's employment

base is dominated by low-wage manufacturing jobs, the type most easily replaced through foreign competition.

"Manufacturing employment (in Prentiss County) is overly represented by low-wage, labor intensive industry which employs predominately women," Walker says.

He cites statistics from the Mississippi Employment Commission which show that more than 40 percent of the working residents of Prentiss County are employed in manufacturing.

Two-thirds of the jobs available

from industries located in Prentiss County are for females. Walker says the majority of males wanting to work commute outside the community for employment.

In 1970, 44.6 percent of Prentiss County residents were working in manufacturing. This figure dropped slightly, to 41.8 percent, in 1980. On a statewide basis, only 24.6 percent of the people are employed in manufacturing.

ALTHOUGH THE percentage of people in Prentiss County employed in manufacturing fell slightly from 1970 to 1980, the percentage of total

personal income derived from manufacturing increased three percent during that period. Manufacturing employment now accounts for about 38.5 percent of the personal income in the county, Walker says.

Of the approximately 4,000 residents of Prentiss County who are employed in manufacturing, about 75 percent, or 3,000, work for industries located within the county. The remaining 1,000 commute to manufacturing jobs in Tupelo or Corinth.

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# What's Going On?

Call 728-6214 By Noon Tuesday

## Special Programs At George E. Allen Library

Some of the programs which are planned at the George E. Allen Library during National Library Week, April 8-14, will include: Sunday, 3 p.m. a concert featuring Shirley Taylor, Wade Irving and Naz Rhoades; Monday, 6:45 p.m., the Rev. Wayne Foropoulos will present slides made in Honduras; Wednesday, 10:30 a.m., a children's program; Saturday, April 14, at 3 p.m., a party for the winners in the writing and poster contest. Special displays will also be at the library next week.

## Health Screening Fair Will Be April 9-10

The 1984 health Screening Fair will be held at Northeast Junior College Gymnasium Monday, April 9, from 4 p.m. until 8 p.m. and Tuesday, April 10, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. This will be coordinated by Baptist Memorial Hospital, Booneville, and Northeast Junior College.

## Brashear Family To Be At Little Brown

The Brashear Family of Arkansas will be at the Little Brown Free Will Baptist Church in New Site on Sunday, April 8, at 11 a.m. Pastor Gene Gilbert and the congregation invite everyone.

## Spaghetti Supper At Hills Chapel School

Hills Chapel Headstart parents will sponsor a fund raising spaghetti supper and cake walk on Tuesday, April 10, from 6-8 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Take-out plates will be available. Tickets are \$3 for adults and \$1.50 for a child's plate.

## Revival Services At Gaston Baptist Church

Revival services will be held at Gaston Baptist Church April 8-11, at 7 nightly. The Rev. Bert Harper from West Jackson St. Baptist Church, Tupelo, will be the evangelist. Terry Hurt from Gaston will be leading the singing. Pastor Milton Koon and the congregation invite everyone.

## Oak Hill To Have Spring Revival

Oak Hill Baptist Church will have a spring revival April 8-11. Services will be at the regular times on Sunday and 7 nightly Monday-Wednesday. The Rev. Joe Holcomb, pastor of the Grace Memorial Baptist Church, Tupelo, will preach. Pastor Dwight Massengill and the congregation invite everyone.

## NAACP Will Meet Tuesday Night

The Baldwin and Prentiss County NAACP chapter will meet Tuesday, April 10, at 7 p.m. at Mt. Zion M.B. Church in Baldwin.

## Neighborhood Watch Meets At Hill's Chapel

A neighborhood watch meeting will be held April 5, at 7 p.m. at Hill's Chapel School.

## Music At Tuscumbia Community Center

Music will be presented at Tuscumbia Community Center Saturday, April 7, beginning at 7 p.m.

## Magnolia Associates To Have Benefit Dinner

The Prentiss County Magnolia Bible College Associates will have their annual benefit dinner on Friday night, April 6, at the annex of the Booneville Church of Christ. Tickets are \$10 each and may be purchased at the door.

## New Site Volunteer Firemen To Meet

A meeting for the New Site-Hobo Station volunteer fire department will be held Tuesday, April 10, at 7 p.m. at the 4th district maintenance shop.

## Film To Be Shown At Lakeview Church

The film, 'The Believers Heaven,' will be shown at Lakeview Baptist Church Sunday, April 8, at 5 p.m.

## Reception For Mr. & Mrs. Melvin Church

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Church invite everyone to a 30th wedding anniversary reception for his parents, Melvin and Charlene Church, from 2 until 4 p.m. Sunday, April 8, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Church.

## Revival At Independent Church Of God

The Independent Church of God will have revival services beginning Wednesday, April 4, at 7 nightly. The Rev. Mitch Rhodes from Michigan will be the evangelist. Singers will include The Comforters, Thursday; and the Jenkins Family, Friday.

# Police Report

The Booneville Police Department reports a total of 12 arrests during the period of March 27 - April 4. Charges placed by the police department during that period include:

Possession of beer, 4; contempt of court, 5; concealed weapon, 2; possession of paraphernalia, 1; reckless driving, 3; switched tag, 3; possession of controlled substance, 1;

Expired tag, 2; no, driver's license, 2; suspended driver's license, 4; improper lights, 1; failure to yield right of way, 2; improper tag, 1; possession of whiskey, 1; DUI, 2; public drunkenness, 2.

Betty Stevens of Route 3, Rienzi, reported the theft of T-tops from a 1984 Buick Regal while it was parked at the Sonic.

# Sheriff's Report

The Prentiss County Sheriff's Department reports a total of 10 arrests during the period of March 27 - April 4. Charges placed by the sheriff's department during that period include:

Family disturbance, 4; assault, 2; contributing to the delinquency of a minor, 2; public drunkenness, 1; DUI, 1; suspended driver's license, 1.

A break-in was reported at Benjamin's Grocery in Frankstown March 28. Approximately \$200 worth of groceries were taken. Robert

Shumpert, 23, of Baldwin, Lynnette Watts Stubbs, 19, of Baldwin, and a juvenile were arrested in connection with the break-in.

The sheriff's department recovered a 1982 Buick Regal stolen from Selmer, Tenn. The car was found Saturday night on the VFW Road, hidden in the woods, Deputy Dan Wilson said. Nothing had been stolen from the car.

Edwin Brooks of Route 3, Booneville, reported the theft of a 1981 Chevrolet March 31. The car was stolen from his residence.

# Profile

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The 3,000 manufacturing jobs in Prentiss County are split with roughly 75 percent in Booneville and 25 percent in Baldwin, "with Booneville realizing a significantly greater concentration than its population size would suggest," Walker says.

There are 14 plants in the county with 20 or more employees. All but three of them are located in Booneville. These firms range from the largest employer in the county, Prentiss Manufacturing with 650 employees, to SCP Inc. with 20.

Walker reports there are approximately 12 other manufacturing operations with less than 20 employees.

There are five major industry groups within the county's manufacturing base. These are (1) apparel, with 1,635 jobs or 54 percent of the manufacturing employment; (2) footwear, with 400 jobs or 13 percent of manufacturing employment; (3) upholstered

furniture with 370 jobs or 12.1 percent; and (4) food processing and (5) plastics, each with 250 jobs or 8.2 percent of manufacturing employment.

ALTHOUGH THE nature of the manufacturing jobs currently available in Prentiss County may eventually cause the county to be hurt by foreign competition, those same factors helped the county's economy survive the recent recession.

Walker says that although it was felt, the recession did not impact on manufacturing jobs in Prentiss County as heavily as it did nationwide.

"This was due to two factors," he says. "First, non-durables which represent about 75 percent of the manufacturing jobs were not as severely hurt by the recession as were durable goods manufacturers.

"Second, the county's plants are more productive than sister branch

operations in other locations. Where a corporation had the choice, decisions to cut back production were directed to the less productive facilities."

Production has now returned to pre-recessionary levels in virtually all plants contacted by Walker. Management in seven of the factories visited by Walker planned to add employees in the coming months.

In addition to manufacturing, other major employers in Prentiss

County include Northeast Mississippi Junior College and Baptist Memorial Hospital, with full-time staffs of more than 200 each.

## Preregistration Will Be April 27

Pre-registration for all Prentiss County children beginning first grade for the 1984-85 school year will be held at each school on Friday, April 27, from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Children must be 6 years of age on or before Sept. 1, 1984, to register.

Parents are asked to bring certified birth certificates and health certificates.

# Fire Report

A frame house occupied by Samuel Bridges of Route 4, Booneville, was destroyed by fire April 2.

Cause of the fire was unknown.

# Obituaries

DR. KERRY GENE MCCLAIN  
MRS. PEGGY MARIE MCCLAIN

Dr. Kerry Gene McClain, 46, and Mrs. Peggy Marie McClain, 45, of Salem, Ill., were killed Thursday, March 27, around 7 p.m. as a result of a car-train collision. They were on church visitation work at the time of the accident.

Joint services were held at the B.E. Gum Gymnasium in Salem, Ill., Friday, March 30. Joint services were also held at the Hopewell Presbyterian Church in Benton County, Miss., on Saturday, March 31, with graveside services at the Hopewell Cemetery.

Dr. McClain had been superintendent of the Salem School system for the past 17 years, and had been active in the school systems of Southern Illinois for the past 23 years. Dr. McClain was an elder in the Salem Church of Christ and a graduate of Freed-Hardeman College and David Lipscomb.

Mrs. McClain served as past president of the Southern Illinois Golf Association and had recently been appointed by the Mayor of Salem to serve on the Zoning Board of Appeals. She also attended Freed-Hardeman College and David Lipscomb.

They are survived by a daughter, Miss Tracy McClain of Jackson, Tenn.; a son, Jeff McClain of Memphis.

Mrs. McClain is also survived by a sister, Mrs. Pat Lake of Rome, Ga., and a brother, Joe Street Hensley of Sardis; Dr. McClain is also survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. McClain of Trezevant, Tenn.; a sister, Mrs. Janelle Argo of Jackson, Tenn., and a brother, Jimmy McClain of Trezevant, Tenn.

Dr. and Mrs. McClain were the niece and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. E.E. Salts of Booneville.

Salts Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

JEWEL OPAL MARTIN

Mrs. Jewel Opal Martin, 81, of Ripley, died Friday, March 30, at Ripley Manor following a brief illness.

Graveside services were Monday, April 2, in Booneville Cemetery with Dr. Bill Duncan officiating.

Mrs. Martin was the widow of Robert Frank Martin. She was a Baptist. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Lanell Martin Burke of Artesia, N.M., and a brother, William Cliff Ginn of Pauls Valley, Okla.

McMillan Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

MRS. ONA LUCILLE WALLACE

Mrs. Ona Lucille Wallace, 60, of 3391 Old Getwell Rd., Memphis, died Thursday, March 29, at the Oakville Health Care Center in Memphis following 18 months of failing health.

Services were Sunday, April 1, at 3 p.m. at McMillan Funeral Home chapel with Bro. Bob Carpenter officiating. Burial was in Booneville Cemetery.

Mrs. Wallace was the widow of W.K. Wallace. She was a housewife and a member of Calvary Baptist Church.

She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Annie Bell Childers of Selmer, Tenn.; three daughters, Mrs. Queda Denson of Memphis, Mrs. Joan Forsythe of Corinth and Mrs. Danice Ryan of St. Petersburg, Fla.; a brother, Willard Childers of St. Petersburg, Fla.; two sisters, Mrs. Ava Rinehart of Selmer, Tenn., and Mrs. Eva Richardson of Rienzi; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

McMillan Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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## SCHEDULE SATURDAY

RADIO PROGRAM: WBIP AM..... 8:30 A.M.

## SUNDAY

RADIO PROGRAM: WBIP FM..... 7:45 A.M.

BIBLE STUDY..... 9:45 A.M.

WORSHIP..... 10:30 A.M.

## EVENING

CHILDREN'S BIBLE DRILL..... 5:45 P.M.

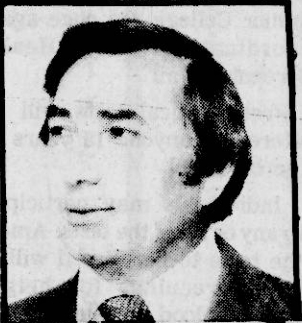
WORSHIP..... 6:00 P.M.

## WEDNESDAY

BIBLE CLASSES..... 7:00 P.M.

## BIBLE QUESTION BOX

QUESTION: Mr. Hogland, does the expression "forsaking the assembling" include all meetings of the church or just on Sunday?



WARD HOGLAND

ANSWER: The text under consideration is (Heb. 10:25) which says, "Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another; and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching." The word "assembling" is a verbal noun rather than a noun. If the Bible had said, "Not forsaking the assembly" one would get the idea that only one service would be commanded. However, since the Bible says, "assembling" we get the idea that any service of the local church is commanded. It is generally agreed that willfully forsaking the gatherings of the church is a first sign of failing faith and spiritual weakness. However, I would like to suggest that the failing faith and spiritual weakness may have progressed to frightful depths BEFORE the person began to skip services. In other words the forsaking of assemblies may not be a first sign, but rather a tragically late symptom of spiritual weakness. Absenting oneself willfully from church services is a public sin. God has told us to try in the "spirit of meekness" to restore such a person.

WRITE BOX 15 - BOONEVILLE, MISS.



# SCB Announces New Options, Changes

Residence and single-line business customers of South Central Bell in Mississippi now have several options available to them for repair of wiring inside their home or office. The customer options became effective April 1.

Each option applies to wiring traced from the point it enters the building to the outlet into which the

phone is connected.

Customers may pay 60 cents per month and South Central Bell will continue to repair inside wiring unless the wiring was damaged by a willful act. This monthly charge does not include repair to the telephone set, however.

If the customer decides against participation in the maintenance

plan, then the full responsibility for the repair of inside wiring will be assumed.

Customers assuming inside wiring responsibility may repair their own wiring, obtain someone else to the work or ask South Central Bell to repair it.

"Inside wiring provided either by a customer or an outside contractor

must meet certain quality and workmanship standards," said J.N. McGowen, vice president for South Central Bell operations in Mississippi. "These standards are outlined in the National Electrical Code."

South Central Bell may be able to replace or reinstall non-standard wiring with standard wiring at the customer's request. However, a charge will apply.

According to McGowen minimal charges for repairs provided by the company during normal working hours will be approximately \$40 to \$50. After normal working hours, charges for work will be somewhat higher.

"A special insert on the inside wiring maintenance plan will be enclosed in each customer's April telephone bill," McGowen said. "We encourage everyone to read the insert carefully before making a final decision on participation in the plan."

Beginning April 1, changes in South Central Bell's Directory Assistance Repricing plan will go into effect in Mississippi.

The monthly allowance of 10 calls to Directory Assistance will be eliminated, and the number of requests per call reduced from three to two. In addition long distance calls within the state will no longer offset charges for Directory Assistance calls to 1-555-1212.

"Although there are substantial changes in our Directory Assistance charging plan, some elements will not change," said McGowen.

"Customers with disabilities that prevent them from using a telephone directory will still be exempt from charges. There will also be no charges for Directory Assistance calls made from coin phones, mobile phones, hospital patient rooms and from hotel and motel guest rooms," McGowen said.

The company will continue to use recorded messages that give the new numbers of customers who have moved and are not yet in the directory. The recordings will provide the new numbers for residence customers for up to 90 days and for business customers for up to a year, or until the next directory is published, whichever comes first.



**CHAMPION SPELLERS** -- Prentiss County Superintendent of Education J.W. Greene is pictured above with the top four spellers in the Prentiss County Spelling Bee, held Friday night in the Prentiss County Courthouse. They are (l-r) Kim Armstrong, 4th place, Hill's Chapel, daughter of Gale Armstrong; Ragan

Sharp, 3rd place, Thrasher, daughter of Billy Sharp; LeeJa Lauderdale, 2nd place, Thrasher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lauderdale; and Tammy Owens, 1st place, Jumpertown, daughter of Arnold and Reba Owens. All four girls are eighth graders.



**DOCTOR'S DAY** -- Three physicians who have been practicing in Booneville for more than 30 years were honored last week at a function coordinated by Mrs. Ruth Galloway, Doctor's Day chairman for the Booneville section of the northeast chapter of the Auxiliary of the Mississippi State Medical Association. Baptist Memorial Hospital presented the three doctors

plaques in honor of their years of service. Pictured are Dr. and Mrs. Paul Ellzey, Dr. and Mrs. James Hurst, Dr. and Mrs. Sam Galloway, and hospital administrator John Tompkins, who made the presentations. Dr. Galloway began practice in Booneville in August 1951. Dr. Ellzey in July 1953, and Dr. Hurst in January 1954.

## 'PO On Wheels' For Rural Residents

Area residents may conduct postal business outdoors this spring, according to Booneville Postmaster Jack Wright.

"Our rural delivery vehicles function as post office-on-wheels," Wright said. "As rural customers catch 'spring fever,' we're there to serve them."

Rural carrier services include stamp and money order sales, parcel pickup, and acceptance of registered and Express Mail. Business transactions are completed on-the-spot, at delivery stops along each route, he said.

"These 'open-air post offices' are a world apart from their city counterparts," said Wright. "Yet they bring a wide range of postal services right to your door."

"Rural delivery developed a

personal touch in its early days bringing families food, newspaper, dry goods, and items that were otherwise difficult to get.

"Today, for some older residents who live in secluded areas, rural carriers serve as a lifeline to the outside world, bringing food to shut-

ins during emergencies or altering the telephone company when a storm interrupts service."

Likewise, on a clear spring day, the rural carrier's post office-on-wheels makes sure some of that personal touch remains, the postmaster said.



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**MEN'S QUARTERS**

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## EASTER ???

How should a Christian observe "Easter"? Should a Christian set aside one time a year to remember the resurrection of Christ? The answer to these questions are found only in the word of God.

The Encyclopedia Britannica reveals the following on "Easter" . . . when the church appointed Easter as a holy day, a sharp controversy ensued as to whether it should be celebrated on the 14th or 15th of the month. . . It is uncertain, in fact, as to whether the early Easter festivals commemorated the crucifixion of Christ, the resurrection or both. . . In A.D. 325 Constantine convened the Nicaean council, where the decision was made that Easter should be observed, as it is now, on the first Sunday after the full moon following the vernal equinox, to be fixed each year at Alexandria, then the centre of astronomical science."

The word "Easter" does not properly occur in the scriptures. It has been found in some of the older translations of the Bible, but is not found in the newer translations. Berry's Interlinear Greek-English New Testament translates Acts 12:4 as "passover" instead of "Easter". The International Standard Bible Encyclopedia states, "There is no trace of Easter celebration in the New Testament."

The Christian's hope is centered around the resurrection of Christ. If Christ was not raised, all religion is vain. (I Cor. 15:14, 17) If Christ had set aside one day out of each year as a memorial of His resurrection, some council would not have to rule as to the time, He would have made known to us the day to be observed. Christians remember the death, burial, and resurrection of Christ each first day of the week and not just once yearly. "Easter" is an unscriptural term that is kept alive by tradition and not by Divine Authority. Therefore, when one observes Easter, he does so without Bible authority.

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# Opinion

## Talk 'O The Town

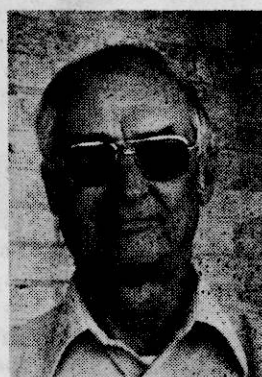
### Street Opinion

QUESTION: "What's bugging you?"

**ELLIS COUNCE** of Marietta Street, Booneville: "The fish aren't biting at Bay Springs and my daughter beat me fishing."



**JOHNNY BROWNE** of Route 6, Booneville: "Absolutely nothing. You've just got to live above everything. Most people are about as happy as they want to be."



**SHIRLEY SHOOK** of Route 4, Booneville: "I guess taxes mostly. They're so high and they just increased state taxes again. I think we ought to decrease the public officials expense accounts or salaries. There's got to be ways to manage somewhere."



**RANDALL TRANTHAM** of Route 3, Rienzi: "My road, Old Hwy. 45, north of Thrasher, is bugging me. It's bad. Sometimes you can't even get up it when it rains. It seems like when they grade it, they just hit the top of it - they don't let the blade down. There's more gravel in the ditches than on the road."

**CLARENCE BUTLER** of Walker Avenue, Booneville: "There are a lot of people griping, but really we've never had it so good as we do now in this country. I don't believe there's anybody in Prentiss County that's even hungry. If there are, it's probably the parents' fault."



**WANDA MCCUISTON** of Booneville: "The intersection north of the junior college is very congested in the mornings. We're very lucky if we just get to sit through one red light. They need a left hand turn lane turning west. If there was something someone could do to alleviate the congestion, it would help."

(Editor's note: "Talk 'O The Town" is not intended as a scientific poll of public opinion. Rather, it is simply intended to give Prentiss Countians an opportunity to voice their opinions on particular issues and topics. Maybe we'll ask you next!)

## Ponderings

By Angela Smith

Staff Reporter

The new county house-to-house garbage collection system began Monday. The garbage dumpsters we have been using for the past seven years were scheduled to be picked up as the garbage routes were made.

The garbage dumpsters would have been good had they been properly used. But there have always been, and probably always will be, people who misuse everything.

It had become a common sight to see the green garbage dumpsters set on fire. And there were people who didn't seem to have any second thoughts when it came to unloading dead

animals, or old furniture or appliances at the dumpsters.

I don't know how people whose homes were near the dumpsters stood it when the dumpsters were burning. Those people had to put up with a lot.

Most people liked the idea of having the dumpsters. But then again, most people didn't want them located near their homes - which is very understandable.

Prentiss County used the garbage dumpster system for about seven years. Out of 150-200, some 50 percent of the dumpsters were rotted or ruined, according to the county board of supervisors.

There were people who didn't even bother to use the dumpsters. They preferred throwing their garbage on the roadsides.

There will probably be Prentiss Countians who won't even bother to put out their garbage so it can be picked up.

Of course, if people have a place to dispose of the garbage on their own property - that's their own business. That's what many people did before the garbage dumpsters came along.

But if people aren't willing to cooperate with the new system, and they dump their garbage on someone else's property - that's an entirely different matter. Then those people need to be prosecuted for littering.

That's one of the things that worries me about this new system - I'm afraid the Prentiss County roadsides are going to become more littered than they already are. I hope I'm wrong.

But perhaps there is one good thing about this new system. We won't be seeing people digging around in the dumpsters anymore in Prentiss County.

Court Square Ponderings

"Don't look back. Something might be gaining on you."

## The Public Has A Right To Know

By KEN CHRISTIAN

Publisher

Just what is it that the Prentiss County Electric Power Association is trying to keep from the public?

Thursday night of last week, **Banner-Independent** managing editor Ed Woodward attempted to attend the regular meeting of the PCEPA board of directors. As the meeting began, a board spokesman announced that the meeting was to be held "in executive session," meaning that it would be closed to the public.

When Woodward informed the board that the proper procedure for calling an executive session had not been followed, he was told that if he did not leave, the board would simply adjourn the meeting and go home.

Woodward said that would not be necessary, that he would leave. He was then escorted to the door by J.W. "Whit" Abernethy, who proceeded to

lock the door behind Woodward. Woodward, who was the only member of the press present, was also the only person asked to leave. Other members of the public were allowed to remain, unquestioned.

What was Woodward doing at the meeting in the first place? He was there because **The Banner-Independent** had reason to believe that persons interested in developing tourism potential around the Bay Springs area planned to meet with the PCEPA board to discuss what they considered to be "outrageous" fees from PCEPA to run electric power lines onto their properties.

Economic analyst Richard Walker, who recently conducted a community economic assessment of Prentiss County for Baptist Memorial Hospital, cited taking advantage of tourism possibilities at and around the Bay Springs Lock & Dam as one

of the hopes for future economic improvement in Prentiss County.

Exactly what took place regarding this matter at Thursday night's meeting of the PCEPA board of directors we do not know. We were told to leave.

However, we have learned since that time that the responsibility of furnishing the electric power for those land owners at Wilson Point may lie with the U.S. Corps of Engineers rather than with PCEPA. If that is true, why was PCEPA so anxious to keep the press out of their meeting? Did they have something else to discuss that they did not want the public to know about? Or are they so accustomed to operating behind closed doors that it is now standard operating procedure?

Anyone who purchases electric power from PCEPA is a member of the Prentiss County Electric Power

Association. And since PCEPA is the only supplier of electric power in the county, that includes just about everyone who owns, rents or leases a home or an apartment.

PCEPA board members are "elected" - and that term is used lightly, since the general public usually has little to do with that election process - to serve the members of the Prentiss County Electric Power Association.

But, when these board members hold their meetings behind closed doors, it is difficult to determine whether they are serving the public or whether they are serving their own self-interests.

One other question comes to mind as a result of this incident. Just who is in charge at the Prentiss County Electric Power Association? It was our understanding that Mr. Abernethy retired a few years ago.

## Legislative Report

### Money Problems Confronted House

By REP. BILLY MCCOY

Placing a cap on state spending for the next year and deciding the minimum amount of revenue necessary to run state government were the focal point of last week's House action.

By Thursday all appropriations bills had been approved by either the House or Senate, and the negotiations over a final spending figure will begin soon.

In all our efforts the House has

tried to keep spending within the lowest recommendations of the state Budget Commission, as recommended by Governor Bill Allain.

We believe the appropriations bills approved by the House, which are now \$500,000 below the low budget figures, represent the lowest spending necessary for the next year.

Once we pared the spending bills to their lowest levels possible, the House Ways and Means Committee determined that the state still needs \$42 million in additional revenues.

On that recommendation, the House voted 88 to 33 to extend the 6 percent sales tax for six more months, through January 1985.

Chief among the items we are

trying to fund with the additional money are education, mental health, and the states share of the medicaid

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## The Ayes Have It

### Senate Adjusted Tax Rates

By SENATOR JOHN WHITE

I have been deeply concerned with the issue of ad valorem taxation following reappraisal of property in the state. I, along with other Senators, was successful in getting a proposal through the Senate last week which I believe will give some relief to taxpayers and prevent the doubling of taxes in many cases.

Earlier this year, the Senate voted to set a 15 percent assessment ratio on real and personal property and leave the 30 percent ratio on automobiles and utilities.

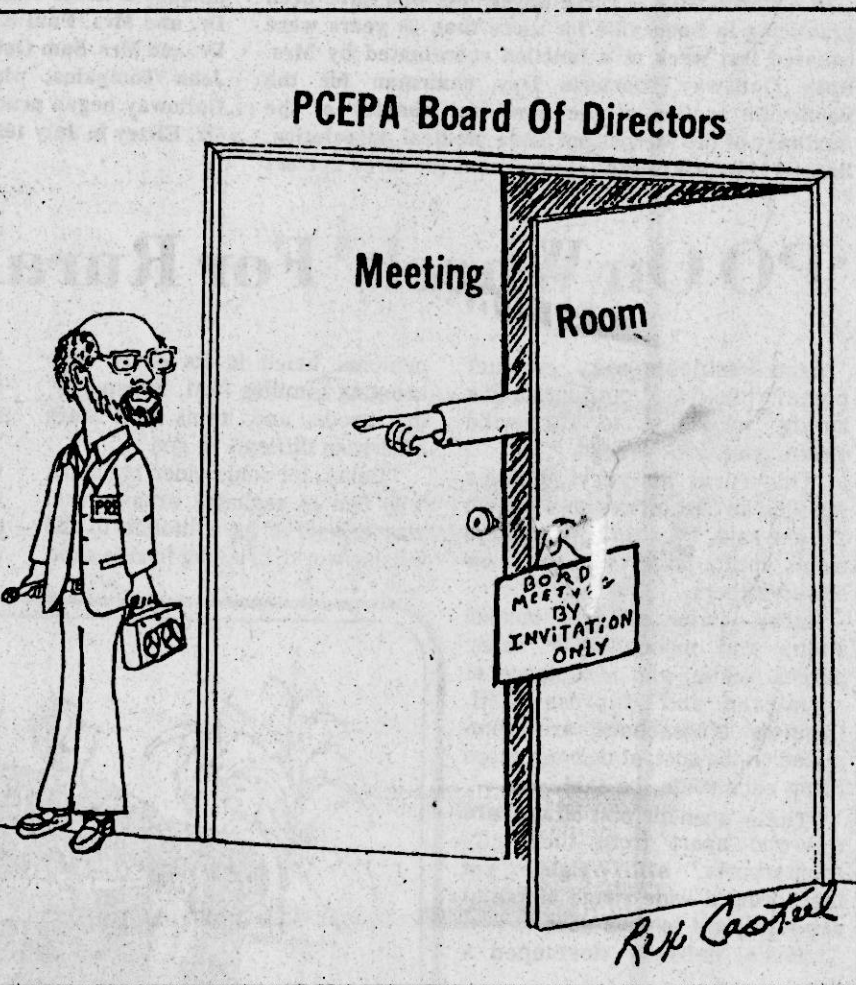
Currently, real and personal property for homeowners, farmers and businesses are being assessed at about seven percent in most counties.

Our proposal exempted 40 percent of the true value of real and personal property for ad valorem taxation. This means, in effect, that instead of having property taxed at 100 percent of true value, it will be assessed at 60 percent of true value.

This means the taxpayers will be paying about nine percent as compared to the current seven percent, which is much better than 15 percent of 100 percent of true value. There will be some increase in taxes, but not nearly so much as if our proposal had not passed.

Last week the Senate and the House of Representatives each passed over 100 Appropriations bills

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## That Yankee From Yonder

By Ed Woodward

Managing Editor

I got thrown out of a meeting Thursday night. After I wrote that column about utility deposits last October several prominent Prentiss County citizens congratulated me for what I said about the PCEPA's deposit policy.

I was told that the PCEPA had a habit of writing its own laws. But, at the time, I ignored the allegation, figuring it was just the usual rhetoric one hears about public utilities.

Well, I discovered Thursday night that the PCEPA does write its own laws. And their board chairman, Percy White, even admits that they do.

I went to the Thursday, March 29, meeting of the PCEPA's Board of Directors because we had received a tip that something of interest to our readers was going to take place.

While we were all standing around in the electric company's lobby waiting for 7 p.m. to arrive, PCEPA Manager Ronnie Rowland asked me if I had something specific I wanted to discuss with the board.

When I said no, and explained that I just was

just there to observe, Rowland implied that I would not be welcome at the meeting.

I pointed out that the PCEPA is, after all, a public utility, and a their meetings should be open to the public. Rowland retreated into a huddle with White and former manager J.W. Abernathy.

Abernathy, though ostensibly retired, still attends board meetings. And, whenever a decision is to be made, all the board members look to him as if he were still in charge.

Seven o'clock arrived and we all headed for the basement meeting room. After a prayer asking God to help the board "in serving our customers," White announced that the meeting was "in executive session" and asked me to leave.

Now, according to the Open Meetings Law, which was passed by the State Legislature in 1981, a public body can go into executive session, and meet behind closed doors, excluding the Press and the public, only for specific reasons. And they must state their reason.

The law also delineates a specific procedure that must be followed: (1) there must be a motion to vote on whether to go into executive session; (2) there must be a majority vote in favor of closing the meeting to discuss whether or not to declare executive session; (3) there

must be that discussion; (4) there must then be a vote with a three-fifths majority in favor of going into executive session; and (5) the meeting may then be declared in executive session, and the Press and the public asked to leave.

Though I don't know if the PCEPA Board's meetings are actually subject to the Open Meetings Law, I think they should be. So, when White told me to leave I explained the above procedures, and offered to show him a copy of the law.

He informed me that he didn't see any reason for changing "the way we have always done things."

White said I should show them the "courtesy we showed you when we let you stay" at the meeting with Heritage Cablevision officials, and said if I refused to leave they would have to adjourn their meeting.

And so I, alone, left (all the other non-board members were allowed to stay, which is a no-no in an executive session), escorted to the door by Rowland and Abernathy, who locked the door behind me. And I wondered what on earth they were going to discuss that they wanted to hide from the public.

Because, you see, when the Press gets thrown out of a public meeting, that means that all of you have been thrown out, too.



# Wheeler Lady's 'Made-Up' Recipes Better

By ANGELA SMITH  
Staff Reporter

Some recipes just seem to turn out better if you make them up yourself -- at least that's what Kate Smith of Wheeler has found to be true.

For instance Mrs. Smith hit upon a recipe for potato pie which has become a family favorite. This recipe features one medium seedless orange in addition to a cup of mashed sweet potatoes.

Another recipe Mrs. Smith devised is the one she uses to make Vegetable Soup.

Mrs. Smith has three children, William W. (Bill) Smith of Booneville, Karen S. Duckworth of Tupelo and Frances Houston of Vicksburg. She has three grandchildren.

Her husband, the late Arvil Smith, served as the Wheeler postmaster for some 25 years.

She attends Wheeler Baptist Church.

Mrs. Smith says she learned most of her cooking techniques from her mother, Mrs. Fannie Wilson, and a neighbor, Mrs. Maggie Grisham.

The other recipes she has selected to share are ones she has collected and used over the years.

## Yum Yum Salad

1 pkg. cherry jello  
1 c. boiling water  
1 small can crushed pineapple,  
1 carton whipping cream  
(whipped)  
three-fourths c. nuts  
38 miniature marshmallows  
Dissolve jello in hot water and let stand for 7 minutes. Add pineapple and let set for another 10 minutes. Fold in marshmallows, whipped cream, and nuts. Chill until set.

## Potato Pie

1 c. mashed sweet potatoes  
3 egg yolks  
½ c. sweet milk  
2 rounded tablespoons corn starch  
¼ c. sugar  
¼ tsp. ground cinnamon  
1 tsp. vanilla extract  
¼ tsp. salt  
2 Tb. margarine  
1 medium seedless orange  
1 9-inch pie shell  
Beat egg yolk and milk together. Peel orange and chop in blender or food processor and add one-third of the orange peel and chop with the

orange. Then add all other ingredients to egg yolks and orange and pour into unbaked pie shell and bake at 325 degrees oven for 1 hour and 15 minutes or until done.

Top with meringue made from 3 egg whites, 6 Tb. sugar, ½ tsp. cream of tartar, and ½ tsp. vanilla extract. Return to oven and bake at 325 degrees F. until golden brown. Serves 8.

## Key Lime Pie

4 eggs  
1 can condensed milk  
½ c. lime juice  
6 Tb. sugar  
½ tsp. cream of tartar  
Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Beat 4 egg yolks, add condensed milk and lime juice. Beat until thick. Pour into baked pie shell. For topping beat 4 egg whites, blend in sugar and cream of tartar. Beat until stiff and forms peaks. Bake in moderate oven until egg whites are golden brown.

## Chicken Breasts & Broccoli

4 deboned chicken breasts  
2 packs frozen broccoli  
2 cans mushroom soup  
1 jar mushroom pieces  
2 cups cracker crumbs  
2 cups shredded cheese  
garlic salt  
salt and pepper  
Place broccoli in casserole. Place chicken on top of broccoli. Sprinkle garlic salt and salt and pepper on chicken.

Mix soup and mushrooms and pour over chicken. Sprinkle half of cheese on top of that. Sprinkle one cup cracker crumbs on top of that and then sprinkle other cup of cheese on top of that.

Cover with foil and cook in 350 degree oven for 1 hour and 15 minutes. Remove foil and sprinkle other top of cracker crumbs on top of cheese and return to oven and brown.

## Meatballs

1 lb. ground beef  
¼ c. chopped onion  
¼ c. chopped green pepper  
1 tsp. salt  
1 c. cracker crumbs  
1 egg  
1 c. whole milk  
1 (10½ oz.) can mushroom soup (opt.)  
one-third c. all-purpose flour  
1 Tb. vegetable oil

## ½ c. chili sauce

Combine first 7 ingredients in a large mixing bowl. Add milk to soup and stir well.

Add half this mixture to meat mixture and mix well. Form meat into balls; dip in flour and brown on all sides in hot oil. Place meatballs in a 2-quart casserole dish. Combine chili sauce and remaining soup mixture; pour over meatballs.

(If you plan to freeze casserole, cool, cover, and freeze at this stage.) Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes. Yield - 6 servings.

## Vegetable Soup

Brown ½ lb. ground beef in one-third c. cooking oil  
Dice 1 large white potato, 1 large carrot, 1 bell pepper, 1 medium yellow squash  
Cook together in 2 cups water until tender.

Add:  
2 cups fried okra  
½ tsp. parsley flakes  
½ tsp. oregano  
¼ tsp. paprika  
¼ tsp. McCormicks lemon and pepper seasoning  
½ tsp. black pepper  
salt to taste  
Add ½ gallon fresh or canned tomatoes and simmer 30 to 45 minutes. (This is good frozen).

## Eggplant Casserole

1 c. flour  
1 eggplant  
1 egg, beaten  
1 Tb. milk  
1 c. shortening or Crisco oil  
1 onion, chopped  
¼ c. diced green bell peppers  
1 can cream of chicken soup  
½ tsp. salt  
1 c. grated cheese  
Peel and slice eggplant in ¼-inch thick slices. Combine egg and milk. Dip eggplant slices in mixture and then in flour. Brown in hot shortening. Remove and add onion and green peppers to the hot oil and cook 2 minutes. Then add soup and two-third c. cheese. Cook until cheese is melted. Place eggplant in casserole dish and pour sauce over. Top with remaining one-third c. cheese and bake in 350 degree oven for 30 minutes.

## Squash Casserole

2 cans squash, drained or equal amount of fresh squash, cooked

3 or 4 onions, chopped  
1 can cream of mushroom soup  
1 cup American cheese, grated  
1½ c. cracker crumbs, buttered  
salt and pepper to taste  
Butter casserole dish. Add squash, onions, mushroom soup (undiluted) and cheese. Top with buttered cracker crumbs. Bake in 300 degree oven for 45 minutes.

## Corn Casserole

2 c. cooked cream corn  
1 egg, beaten well  
¼ c. chopped onion  
¼ c. chopped peppers  
1 Tb. flour  
1 Tb. sugar  
Mix well. Pour in casserole and bake in 350 degree oven until done.

## Oysters Marinere

36 oysters, reserve ½ c. of liquid  
1 c. white wine or chablis  
1 c. minced French shallots (or green onions)  
½ c. minced parsley  
½ tsp. black pepper  
Salt to taste (very salty oysters may not need any)  
1 stick softened butter creamed with one-third c. flour  
In a shallow pan, poach the oysters in reserved oyster liquid to which has been added the wine, shallots, parsley, pepper and salt. Bring the mixture to a boil, and cook 1 minute. Add the butter-flour mixture and stir gently until thoroughly blended. Continue cooking until the floury taste is gone.

Serve as an appetizer or entree with French bread.

## Rolls

2 c. water, hot enough to melt shortening  
½ c. shortening  
½ c. sugar  
1 tsp. salt  
Mix yeast in about ¼ c. lukewarm water. Beat 1 egg and add to water, sugar, shortening, and salt. Add yeast after it is dissolved in the ¼ c. water.

Sift plain flour and add to mixture about 5 cups, sifting 1 cup on dough board for kneading. Place in large greased bowl overnight then knead and roll out and cut in small rolls and let rise double in bulk. Then bake.

## Batter For Fried Foods

For tastier fried food, dip fish, chicken, squash or other foods in this batter before frying.  
2 eggs

1½ c. oil  
1 Tb. baking powder  
1 Tb. Accent food seasoning  
1 Tb. yeast  
vinegar, small amount

salt, small amount  
1½ c. cold water  
Mix and then add plain flour. Stir until the batter dries in threads for right thickness.

## Electricity

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meeting of the PCEPA Board of Directors, Thursday night, March 29, and Smith asked board members to reconsider.

Details of that meeting are unavailable because Board Chairman Percy White called an executive session, excluding only the Press from the meeting.

But, according to persons who were not excluded, there was no discussion of the matter. Smith made his request, and was told he would receive an answer "the first of the week."

"We're just kinda handicapped here," Smith said.

He said his next step is to talk to the Corps. "I feel like they've kind of defaulted by leaving two parcels of land here without power. And, if they're ever going to do anything here (at Wilson Point) they would have to bring power in, anyway," he said.

Coker said he has no immediate plans to develop his land. And he has adopted a "wait and see" attitude.

"I'm not interested in developing mine now. I'm just going to wait a while and do without it (power), because I think the Corps is supposed to carry the line back if it had power on it," Coker said.

"That's how I understand the policy. They'll carry it back to where it was first established before they came in and split it."

"I'd say The Corps would be responsible for carrying the line on down to where the old Smith house used to be because there was power there at one time. I don't think it would fall back on Prentiss County (power association)," he said.

"But I think their (the Corps') main priority is to get the shipping lane completed. They aren't worried about the recreation areas or other people's problems right now," Coker said.

Smith said Wilson Point is exactly halfway between the Bay Springs

Lock and Dam and the Paden Overlook, and directly across an inlet from Piney Grove, an area slated for development into a recreation area by The Corps.

"The dam is south three-and-a-half miles, and Paden is north the same distance," he said. "We're halfway."

"And there are as many, or more houses coming in here than were taken out by the lake. There were about 12 or 13 taken out. There are that many who have bought lots from me so far, and possibly 50 or 60 more. So I think it would be to their (PCEPA's) advantage to run power in here," Smith said.

When initially contacted by The Banner-Independent, Jim Phillips, of the Corps' Mobile District Office, admitted that he was not familiar with the Wilson Point area and said he would have to do some research. "I am going to have to get some maps that will help me identify the area," he said.

"But, I can tell you, in general, we, most likely, in that neighborhood, would have entered into relocations contracts with the utility companies. And, normally, such relocations contracts would result in everyone having power restored," Phillips said.

"However, without knowing more detail on the exact location, and the nature of our contracts in that area, I can't give a positive answer."

"Frankly, what happened...And I'm not making any excuses...The Nashville District constructed that portion of the (Tenn-Tom) project from Bay Springs up. And we have responsibilities on it, without a doubt. But we've not had the first-hand involvement in relocations contracts, etc., that we would have had on lower portions of the project," Phillips said.

Phillips promised to research the situation and inform The Banner-Independent of his findings.

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Exchange Vows  
In Marietta

Miss Janie Marie Williams and Mark Allen Cole were married Feb. 25, at 3 p.m. at the Marietta Church of Christ.

Bro. Richard Gooch officiated at the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Williams of Marietta and Mr. and Mrs. Randel Cole of Booneville.

The bride wore a white satin dress featuring a Princess neckline and a fitted bodice covered in lace which fell into a chapel-length train and a full-length veil.

Janette Williams, sister-in-law of

the bride, served as matron of honor.

Michelle Livingston served as bridesmaid. Damita Harp was flowergirl.

Steve Taylor served as best man. Randy Carpenter was groomsman. Ronald Burns and Jeffery Cole, brother of the groom, served as ushers.

The bride is employed at the Bank of Mississippi in Booneville and the groom is employed at Piggly Wiggly in Booneville.

They are residing in Marietta.

Kindergarten Teacher  
Honored At Ole Miss  
Founder's Program

Mrs. Jane Phillips was among a group of University of Mississippi graduates honored recently at the Founder's Day program on campus.

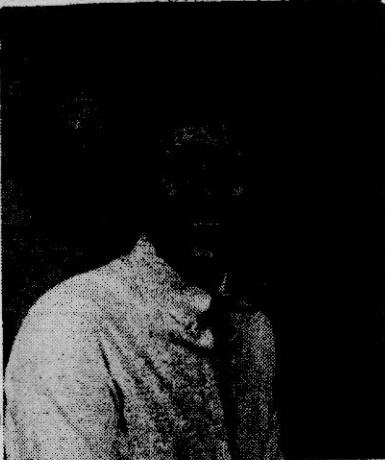
Mrs. Phillips was initiated into the Gamma Eta Chapter of the Kappa Omicron Phi National Honor Society.

Kappa Omicron Phi membership is based on scholarship, personal qualities, and leadership potential. Scholastic qualifications include high academic rankings.

At the University, qualifications of the Gamma Eta Chapter of Kappa Omicron Phi require a 3.5 overall minimum GPA for a masters graduate.

Mrs. Phillips holds B.S. and M.A.

degrees, and is a teacher in a local private kindergarten.



JANE PHILLIPS

Booneville's Miss Hospitality Will  
Be Chosen In May At NEMJC

Booneville's 1984 Miss Hospitality Pageant will be Friday, May 18, in the Frank Haney Student Union building at Northeast Junior College.

Each local civic club will nominate two contestants.

The pageant will consist of a luncheon to be held in the alumni room, judges' interviews, and an afternoon reception in the Blue and Gold Room honoring the contestants.

Both the luncheon and the reception are open to the general public with each person attending the luncheon being responsible for his individual dinner fee. Advance reservations must be made for the luncheon.

Miss Hospitality entrants for the

State Pageant must be unmarried, and between the ages of 18 and 22. They must attend a Mississippi College and have a 2.5 scholastic average for the last completed semester.

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Area Births  
Michael Brown Wright

Mr. and Mrs. Hal C. Wright of 1204 Mockingbird Lane, Tupelo, announce the birth of a son, Michael Brown Wright.

He was born March 29, at the North Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo and weighed 7 lbs. 8 ozs.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Wright. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Print Daniels, Mrs. M.A. Brown, and Mrs. J.P. Wright, all of Booneville.

Dustin Trent Coffey

Larry and Carolyn Coffey of Marietta announce the birth of a son, Dustin Trent Coffey.

He was born March 23, at the North Mississippi Medical Center in

Tupelo and weighed 7 lbs. 3 ozs.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Coffey of Etta, Miss., and Mrs. Inez Fleming of Marietta.

Thomas Edward Perme

Ed and Martha Perme of Okinawa, Japan, announce the birth of a son, Thomas Edward Perme.

He was born March 20, and

weighed 8 lbs. 1 oz.

Grandparents are Mrs. Tom Perme of Dallas, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde R. Higgason of Booneville.

April Marie Vandevander

Doug and Joan Vandevander of Route 4, Booneville, announce the birth of a daughter, April Marie Vandevander.

She was born March 15, at the North Mississippi Medical Center in Tupelo and weighed 5 lbs. 5 ozs.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Worley of Booneville and Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Wilbanks of Walnut. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bolton of Rienzi and F.B. Worley of Booneville.



CELEBRATES 80th BIRTHDAY — Arthur Barnes celebrated his 80th birthday Sunday, April 1. In observance of the special occasion, members of the Oak Ridge Church of Christ presented him with a money tree. Barnes, who is an elder at the church, is the oldest member there. His wife, Pearl, and children and other relatives and friends hosted a party for him Sunday.

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# Miss Signa & Mr. Jackson Wed In Afternoon Double -Ring Ceremony



Mr. & Mrs. Duel Lamar Jackson

Miss Pauli Elizabeth Signa and Duel Lamar Jackson Jr. were married Feb. 12, at 3 p.m. at the St. Joseph Catholic Church.

The Rev. Gerald Hurley officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Signa Sr. of Greenville and D.L. "Buster" Jackson and the late Dorothy Hatfield Jackson of Booneville.

Wedding music was presented by Martin Welch, organist, and Frank Ciolino, soloist.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an original gown of candlelight bridal satin and chantilly made by Glynn R. Powell. It was designed in an anti-bellum style with a fitted bodice featuring a deep ruffle of scalloped lace forming a portrait neckline. The skirt featured three deep tiered ruffles around the hemline. The skirt also featured handmade satin roses with velvet stems and leaves on one side. She wore a picture hat of lace encrusted with pearls with a cathedral-length veil of candlelight silk illusion attached.

She wore pearl earrings and a strand of pearls, a gift from the groom. She carried a bouquet of bridal roses and springereas, gypsophila, and a cattail orchid.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Scott Nelson of Jackson, Miss., sister of the bride, wore a burgundy gown. She carried a lace fan with pink

cymbidium orchids.

Little Miss Mamie Signa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Signa, cousin of the bride, was flower girl.

Best man was Paul Steinke of Tupelo. Ushers were Frankie Signa, brother of the bride, and Hal Kittrell of Oxford.

Brad Strazi, cousin of the bride, served as ring bearer.

The bride's mother chose a royal blue street-length dress for her daughter's wedding. The mother of the groom wore a navy two-piece suit. They wore orchid corsages.

## The Reception

Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Signa, parents of the bride, hosted a reception following the ceremony at the St. Joseph Parish Hall.

Those serving at the reception were Mrs. Marty Butts, sister of the bride, of Jackson, Miss., Susan Robertson, cousin of the bride, Laura Jackson, sister of the groom, of Booneville, Donna Fontana, Sandra Diebold of Southaven, Beth Bagley of Tunica, Mrs. Andy Shaw of Water Valley and Pat Provenza.

Rice girls were Kira Signa and Sherry Gay McGraw, cousins of the bride.

April Lunceford of Jackson, niece of the bride, and Mary Ruth McBroom, cousin of the bride, presided at the guest register.

The couple are residing in Jackson, Miss.

# Baptist Hospital Volunteers Hold Quarterly Meeting, Install New Officers

The Baptist Hospital Volunteer Auxiliary met Monday, April 2, for their quarterly meeting in the hospital cafeteria.

Cindy Caveness, hospital personnel director, installed the officers for the coming year. The new officers are Ruby Ash-

craft, president; Mary Cecil Thomason, vice-president; Vessie Ferrell, secretary; and Mavis Morgan, treasurer.

John Tompkins, hospital administrator, presented Carolyn Downs with a plaque of appreciation for her service as president for the past three years.

The Auxiliary also presented her with a past president's pen.

Anyone wishing to join the volunteer staff of the hospital may do so by contacting one of the members or calling the hospital volunteer office for an application.



**HOSPITAL VOLUNTEERS MEET** - New officers were installed recently for the Baptist Hospital Volunteer Auxiliary. Pictured are (seated, l-r) Mary Cecil Thomason, vice-president; Ruby Ashcraft, president; (standing, l-r) Cindy Caveness, director of

personnel, who installed the officers; Hospital Administrator John Tompkins, and Carolyn Downs. Tompkins presented Mrs. Downs a service award in appreciation for her three years of service as president of the auxiliary. (Photo By Angela Smith)

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# Jumpertown News

By VERA BAGGETT  
Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brooks visited with Mr. and Mrs. William Garrett on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gettys Moore, Mrs. Ivey Moore, Bilbo Moore and Mrs. Ruth Wilson were in Memphis Monday to be with Sanford Moore who underwent surgery at the Baptist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Inman and Bro. Sewell were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Mauney of Dry Creek.

David English and Bryan and Mark of Collersville visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Granville English last week.

Mrs. Gladys Lancaster of Booneville spent last week with Mrs. Connie Green, Lori and Wesley.

Mr. and Mrs. Authur Blackwell and Randy of Hinkle Creek community were guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Granville English.

Cheri Lee spent Friday night with Becky Michael. Their mothers took them to a movie in Tupelo.

Becky and Sam Michael spent Saturday night in Corinth with their aunt and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Carnal and Lisa.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Davis visited Cliff Kellough in Magnolia Hospital in Corinth Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Lee Goforth and family of Kossuth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Davis Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Ketchum and boys from Memphis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyle Eaton

for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Keenum from Georgia are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Geno this week.

The girls of Mrs. Ollie Windham met at the home of Mrs. Bill Cox last week. They are Mrs. Nora Smith, Mrs. Cleo Hickey of Memphis, Mrs. Doris Geno of Jumpertown, Dean Tollison and Mrs. Laura Cartwright of Booneville. They enjoyed the fine fellowship and plan this often.

Carroll Windham, Dillard Goolsby, Clayton Michael and Mrs. Mary Tigrett are on the sick list.

Mrs. Bessie Eaton, Mrs. Ara Jumper and Mrs. Sadie Inman went to Memphis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnney Caveness, Amber, and Mrs. Gladys Moore visited Sanford Moore in Memphis Hospital Saturday. Mr. Moore would love cards from his friends. His address is Baptist Memorial Hospital, Room 1519, 899 Madison Ave., Memphis, Tenn. 38146.

Mr. and Mrs. Gettys Moore had as recent dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Gip Winfield and Willie from Mobile, Ala., and Mr. and Mrs. Johnney Caveness and Amber on Sunday.

Congratulations to Miss Pam Moore and William Carpenter who were married last week.

Mrs. Ivey Ketchum visited her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Renfrow in Blue Mountain last week.

Mrs. Nell Carnal and Lisa of Corinth, Mrs. Barbara Michael, Becky and Sam had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bilbo Baggett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shirley of Nettleton spent Saturday night with

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Eaton and Candice.

Mrs. Ruby Eaton spent a few days last week with Mrs. Grady Eaton and Nona.

Mrs. Bessie Eaton, Mrs. Ara Jumper, and Mrs. Bertha Garrett visited Mrs. Dora Garrett Sunday afternoon.

Claudia Basden of Bolton, Ala., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Davis last week.

Mrs. Lillie Hurt from Pine Grove community spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Lee McCall.

Billie McCall and Scoll of Dumas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lacy Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Brumley, Mrs. Zera Hayden and Aleta of Memphis and Mrs. Sheila South of Booneville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Brumley.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Floyd and Mr. and Mrs. Dock Brumley visited with Mrs. Bennie Green of Booneville on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gann of Booneville were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Granville English.

Mrs. Norma Jones, Lori, Marcell, Andrea and Leslie attended the "Ice Follies" in Memphis last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Brown, Dana and Kim visited Mr. and Mrs. Fagin Carpenter of Ripley Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Maudie Windham is visiting in St. Louis with her son, Dewayne Windham, who is on the sick list.

Mrs. Margaret Padgett visited with Clayton Michael Sunday afternoon. He is on the sick list.

Mrs. Gertrude Padgett is home from Baptist Memorial Hospital in Booneville.



Cynthia Rena Taylor

## Taylor-Barnes Wedding Plans Are Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby H. Taylor of Marietta announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Cynthia Rena Taylor, to Garry Michael Barnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Barnes of New Site.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mrs. Madge Thompson of Mooreville, Charlie Thompson of Tupelo, and Mrs. C.T. Taylor and the late Dewey Taylor of Corinth.

The prospective groom is the grandson of Mrs. Ruby Moore and

the late Ray Moore of New Site and Mr. and Mrs. Delmus Barnes of Booneville.

Miss Taylor is a 1982 graduate of New Site High School and is presently employed at Brown Shoe Company in Booneville.

Barnes is a 1983 graduate of New Site High School and is presently employed at Marietta DX in Marietta.

Wedding vows will be exchanged on May 4.

## New Series On ETV

A new series, "The Great Outdoors," covering the techniques, skills and gear involved in outdoor activities premieres on Mississippi ETV at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, April 7.

In the first program, host Jim Tabor gives hints on the ins and outs of basic backpacking gear, then celebrates the triumph of standing on his own two feet while wind-

surfing in the windsurfer's mecca, Maui, Hawaii.

Later, he gets away from it all by perusing the glacial remains of the Indiana Dunes, a 40-minute drive from downtown Chicago. Also included in the half hour is an overview on outfitting the outdoor photographer.

## Boy With Booneville Ties Has Role In TV Mini-Series

Robert Milton "Robbie" Waters, great-nephew of Mrs. Marjorie Waters, Booneville, will be featured as George Washington's younger brother Samuel in the TV mini-series George Washington, which begins this Sunday, April 8.

The ABC mini-series, which can be seen locally on Memphis Channel 13, Jackson, Tenn., Channel 7 and West Point Channel 27, also stars Barry Bostwick, the original Danny Zuko of Broadway's Grease, in the title role, former child-star Patty Duke Astin as Martha Washington and former Charlie's Angels star Jaclyn Smith as Lady Sally Fairfax.

At 10, Robbie, who lives in Arlington, Va., with his parents, Bobbie and Carole Waters, has already logged impressive movie, television and stage credits.

In addition to his role in George Washington, he appeared in the 1983 ABC-TV movie Amazon and in numerous television commercials.

His film credits include a role in The Man Who Wasn't There and the principal role in a 1983 industrial film made for the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

He recently performed the role of Johnny in the stage musical Really Rosie at The Studio Theatre in Washington, D.C.

Robbie has also appeared in several operas at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. They include Carmen and Semille with the Washington Opera Co., The Magic Flute with the Houston Opera Co. and La Boheme with the Metropolitan Opera Co.

Robbie is the great-grandson of the late W.J. and Mattie Waters of Booneville, and the grandson of Lawrence Earl Waters, formerly of Booneville.



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## Jr. Women's Club Welcomes New Members, Discusses Upcoming Projects

The March meeting of the Booneville Junior Woman's Club was held at the George E. Allen Library.

President Kathy Green called the meeting to order. Mrs. Debbie Flurry opened the meeting with prayer. The pledge of allegiance was led by Mrs. Martha Lewis Curlee.

The conservation committee was in charge of the program. Mrs. Jeannice Spain introduced Robert Thornton, Prentiss County Forester, who presented a program on the prevention and control of forest fires.

During the business session, plans were discussed for upcoming club projects.

Mrs. Flurry reported on the March of Dimes SuperWalk which will be held Sunday, April 15.

Mrs. Jarie Thompson handed out committee assignments for the Miss Prentiss County Pageant.

Plans for the annual Taster's Luncheon were presented by Mrs. Cissy Worley.



NEW JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB MEMBERS - New members of the Booneville Junior Woman's Club are (l-r) Marlene Hurst, Wanda Gapen, Kathy Lusby, Donna Jones, Laura Harber, Jeannice Spain, Kara Chase, Traci Langston, Kay Crow and Dawn Davidson.



GUEST SPEAKER - Robert Thornton, Prentiss County Forester, was the guest speaker at the March meeting of the Booneville Junior Woman's Club. He spoke in conjunction with National Fire Prevention Week. Also pictured are (l-r) Jeannice Spain, chairman of the conservation committee, and Cissy Worley, committee member.

## TVA Director Answers Calls

TVA Director Richard Freeman will answer telephone calls from the public on the agency's toll-free Citizen Action Line on Thursday, April 12, from 10 to 11 a.m. (EST).

The toll-free number for Mississippi residents is 1-800-251-9242.

TVA began the Citizen Action Line in October 1978 so that the public could obtain answers about TVA activities and offer comments and suggestions on agency programs.

Calls are normally answered by specially trained information coordinators, but TVA management personnel frequently take calls as one of several ways they keep in contact with public comments and concerns about TVA.

## Allen Library Announces Programs For National Library Week

The George E. Allen Library in Booneville will offer several programs to the public during National Library Week, April 8-14.

On Sunday, April 8, at 3 p.m. at the library, three instructors from Northeast Junior College will present a concert featuring Shirley Taylor on harpsichord, Wade Irving on woodwinds and Naz Rhoads on guitar. Selections composed by

Bach, Mozart and Hayden will be included on the program.

On Monday, April 9, at 6:45 p.m., the Rev. Wayne Foropoulos will show slides made on a medical-dental mission to Honduras, in which several Mississippians participated.

Besides the Rev. Foropoulos, other Booneville members were Dr. Jeff Johnson and Dr. James S.

Long.

There will be an exhibit of native currency, a machete, and other articles. Accompanying himself on the guitar, the Rev. Foropoulos will present native Honduran music.

Wednesday, April 11, will be a children's program at 10:30 a.m. in the Marion W. Smith Room. Surprises are planned for that

program.

Other displays include the work of Mrs. Barbara Eaton's High School art classes and the art and handicrafts of Senior Citizens who will be visiting in the library on Friday.

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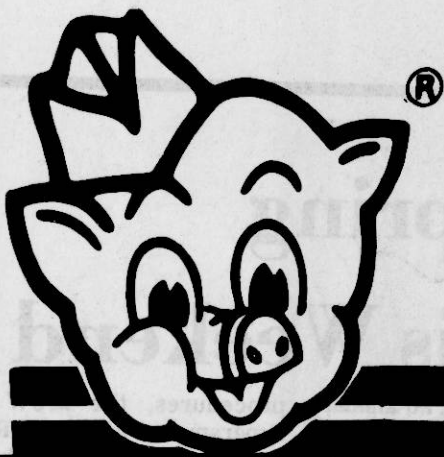
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Mrs. Marie Roberts & Venita Huguley

The Vocational Business Education Department at the Prentiss County Vocational School this week spotlights Mrs. Marie Roberts and the City Beauty Shop, and their student-employee, Venita Huguley from Booneville High School and a part of the Prentiss County Vocational School's Cooperative Vocational Office Training Program.

Mrs. Roberts is a graduate of Booneville High School and the Tupelo Beauty School.

She has been a part of the City Beauty Shop for 17 years. She is married to Charlie Edd Roberts, and they have one son, Brad.

She is reporter for the Northeast Mississippi CB Club, Inc.

Venita is the daughter of Mrs. Nettie Huguley, and a junior at Booneville High School. She has been a member of the Pep Club, FFA, FHA, and the Prentiss County FBLA Chapter. She is also a member of the Free Will Baptist Church.

## Part-Time Banner Employee

# BHS Junior Is State Reporter For FBLA

Rose Anne Green, a Cooperative Vocational Office Training Student at the Prentiss County Vo-Tech School, will be installed as State Reporter of the Mississippi FBLA Chapter on Friday night, April 6.

This will be the finale of the 1984 Mississippi FBLA Conference.



ROSE ANNE GREEN

Miss Green is a Junior at Booneville High School, and the daughter of Mrs. Roddy Jackson and Bud Green. She is a part-time employee at The Banner-Independent.

A large delegation of Prentiss County FBLA members will be in attendance at the conference.

The Entrepreneurship II team, Amy Goddard, Jim Caver, and Julie Long, are District finalist and will again take a test and give a Problem Solving performance.

Keith Smith is a finalist in Computer Programming and Business Applications. He and Mark Johnson are entering an Outstanding Project - "Business Education and FBLA Working with Local Farmers in Working with Microcomputers."

Cheri Gamble and Emily Kilgo will enter as District Finalists in Clerk Typist II and Word Processing-Machine Transcription.

Mark McGregor, Chapter Co-president, is a finalist in the Mr. FBLA Contest, the top award in the competitive events.

The Money Management Project,

"Understanding More About Entrepreneurship by Starting Your Own Business" was prepared by Jim Caver, Rod Coggin, Scott McKinney, Monica Canup, and Laurin Wood. It will be presented by Laurin Wood and Monica Canup.

Free Enterprise is a part of the Amoco Business Advocacy Event. The project, "and That's a Free Enterprise Fact . . .", which was cooperatively done with local banking institutions, was prepared by Alissa Fugitt, Cindy Robinson, and Karen Phillips.

The Annual Business Report was prepared and will be presented by Julie Long, co-president, Jessica Aust, and Rose Anne Green.

# Junior High Student Is Award Winner

Rod Counce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Counce of Brookhaven, has been named a National Award Winner in History and Government by the United States Achievement Academy.

Counce, who attends Alexander Jr. High in Brookhaven, was nominated for the award by his Mississippi History teacher, Annie Sullivan.

He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Counce and Mr. and Mrs. Clovis McCutchen, all of Booneville.

His biography will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook which is published nationally.



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# BHS Insights

By MICHELLE DOWNS  
BHS Journalism Student

ROBERT McKINNEY, a senior at BHS, has received a \$1,000 scholarship from Wal-Mart. Robert's knowledge comes from excellent studious qualities.

Two juniors at BHS attained first place position at the NEMJC Regional Science Fair on March 23, Claire Lamb took first place in behavioral and social science. Amy Goddard earned a first place in zoology.

Jimmy Torrence, a senior, gained the Second Place award in botany. Many other BHS students participated, but only these three returned winners. They will travel to Jackson for the state-wide contest on April 13.

MARCH 23, members of the annual staff and the journalism staff involved in the Mississippi Scholastic Press Association traveled to Ole Miss for appraisal.

The BHS annual received three superior ratings, in photography, in display, and in coverage. They also received two excellent ratings, in general excellence and in copy.

The journalism staff obtained three superior ratings, in sports, in the in-depth category, and in the general excellence category. They also received a good rating on their columns.

Monica Canup, a junior at BHS and a member of the annual staff, was elected MSPA treasurer for the following year.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, BHS seniors climbed aboard a NEMJC bus for a grand tour of the college.

Graduation is an enormous step in a person's life. And making the right decision on which college to enter deserves a lot of consideration on the senior's part.

The seniors learned that, "Northeast Mississippi Junior College was established to provide higher education for young men and women who qualify for admission and who maintain the high scholastic standards which characterize an institute of higher learning."

MRS. MARIE SPAIN, teacher of the STEP class, carried her students to the future problem solving competition at MUW, March 29 and 30.

The students, in teams of four were given a situation to work through.

The topic was "Nuclear Waste." Each group obtained a booklet of problems and was scored according to their creativity and how well they solved the problems.

Bob Eubank, Lori Bolen, Susan Yarbrough, and William Rowland earned first in the state in group competition. Tom Farris, Walter Davis, Chris Johnson and Andrea Walden placed third in the state.

Joey Cadle, a ninth grader at BHS, won first place in individual competition.

The last objective was to demonstrate a live presentation of their best solution. Dalton Garner, David Duncan, Marta Hunkapillar, and Kimi Drown placed third in their presentation.

Congratulations to these students. DURING THIS WEEK, April 2-6,

the BHS eighth and tenth graders are taking the California Achievement Test to demonstrate their academic abilities and progress.

All students are encouraged to do their best and score as high as possible.

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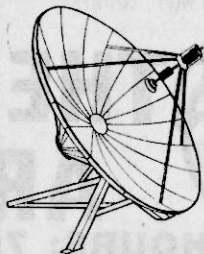
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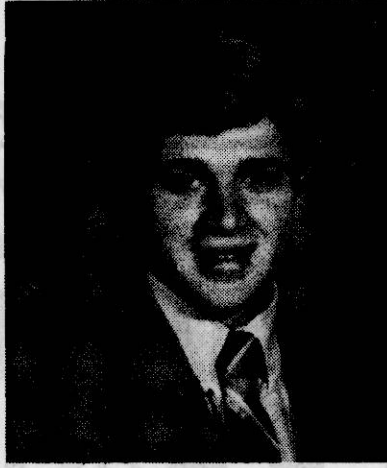
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# Two MHA Students Win Competition

Students from the entire state gathered in Hattiesburg to compete in the Magnolia State Association of Christian Schools.

Two students from Martin Hill Christian Academy competed and both came back winners.

Gena Griffin received 2nd place in the vocal solo category and points out of a possible 150.

Sexton will advance to the national competition which will be held at Bob Jones University in Greenville, S.C., April 16-17.

Miss Griffin is a junior at Martin Hill. She is the daughter of Mrs. Peggie Griffin. Sexton, a senior, is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Johnny Sexton.

# HONOR ROLLS

## Booneville High School

The following students have been named to the honor roll during the third nine weeks period at Booneville High School.

The term "special" applies to those students who have a grade of 95 or above in each subject. The "regular" honor roll consists of those students who have made 90 or above in each subject during the 3rd nine weeks period.

### 8th Grade

Special: Beth Caver, Paula Dacus, Tanya Finch, Amy Goff, Allison Johnsey, Chris Johnson, Amanda Murphy, Amy Prichard, Sabrina Scott, Jeanna Walker.

Regular: Lea Ann Hughes, Kim Johnson, Kim McKinney, Donna Murphy, Andrea Walden.

### 9th Grade

Special: Lori Bolen, Kimi Drown, Lee Waddle.

Regular: Joey Cadle, Brad DeVaughn, David Duncan, Marta Hunkapillar, Mark Lindstrom, Susan Yarbrough.

### 10th Grade

Regular: Melanie Garner.

### 11th Grade

Special: Amy Goddard, Amanda McElroy.

Regular: Melanie Jones, Eddie Jumper, Nan Lawrence, Julie Long.

### 12th Grade

Special: Traci Floyd, Robert McKinney, Kelly Scott.

Regular: Melanie Floyd, Emily Kilgo, Annett Koon, Lanette McAnally, Michelle Young.

## Emmanuel Christian Academy

The following students have been named to the honor roll at Emmanuel Christian Academy:

### A Honor Roll

Jonathan Isbell, Paul Holloway,

Paul Shamburger, Christy Stephens.

### B Honor Roll

Noki Downs, Dianna Holloway, Joshua Melson, Christopher Robinson, Susanne Robinson.

## Booneville School Menu

### Monday, April 9

Chicken nuggets with sauce, French fries, tossed salad or fruit cup, buttered hot roll, cake with icing, milk.

### Tuesday, April 10

Hot dog on bun, baked beans, cole slaw or half orange, cupcake, milk.

### Wednesday, April 11

Taco casserole, tossed salad, fruit

cobbler, ice cream, milk.

### Thursday, April 12

Breaded catfish, tater tots, cole slaw, corn muffin, strawberry shortcake with topping, milk.

### Friday, April 13

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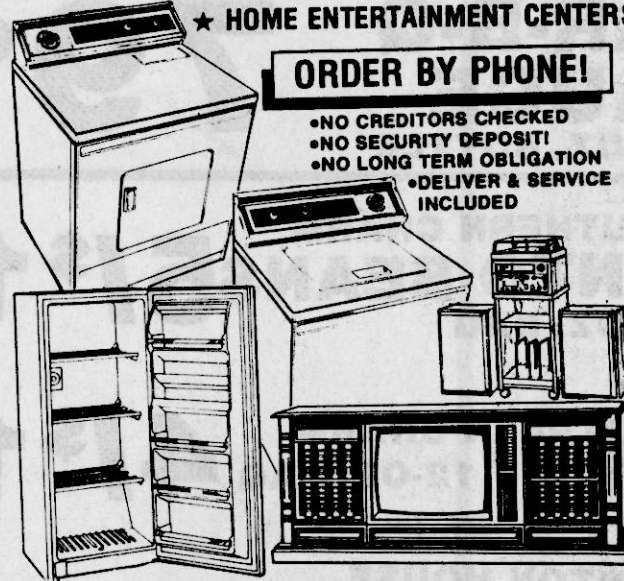
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# Booneville Happenings

By MRS. GORDON McGEE  
Correspondent

Elizabeth Garner had as her visitors last week her brother-in-law and sister, the Rev. ad Mrs. T. Stratton Daniel Jr. and her sister, Mrs. Ben Phillips, and her son, Garner Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hamlin Jr. of Memphis spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Rutledge and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Hamlin Sr. of Biggersville.

Sunday night, April 1, the service in Baldwin Baptist Church was great. People from First Baptist, Booneville, and other churches across the county were represented at the services.

The Booneville choir had charge of the singing under the direction of Wade Irwin and Dr. Bill Duncan delivered the revival message, "Renewal brings life to living." A fellowship meal was also served.

Mrs. Irene Wilson celebrated her 69th birthday Sunday, March 25, at her home. The celebration was hosted by her children. There were 37 present, including all eight of her children, 11 of her 15 grandchildren, five of her seven great-grandchildren, her sister, nephew, and great-niece.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Aberdeen Smith, James Troy and Darlene Smith of Penson, Tenn., Mrs. Mary Jones, Brian and Mike Jones of Zion, Tenn., Eugene Stokes, Mr. and Steve Stokes and Stephanie of Blue Mountain, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Stokes and Summer of Ripley, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wilson, Steve and Doug of Decatur, Ala.

Circles 1 and 2 of First United Methodist Church met March 27 in the fellowship hall in a joint study of Africa. Mrs. Jane Turner was in charge with other members on the program. Mrs. Willard Jones gave the devotion. They were sorry to hear that one of their members, Rosalyn Milner, had fallen and broken her hip and is in the Tupelo Medical Center.

Congratulations to Mary Jane Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, and Stephanie Lindsey, who were to take part in the Rotary Leadership Conference at the Holiday Inn Conference Center in Olive Branch on March 30-31.

Jim and Judy Counce, Rod and Doug from Brookhaven spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Counce and with the Clovis McCutchen family.

Miss Deborah Counce of Cleveland was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Counce last Friday and Saturday.

A former resident of Booneville, Fred Houston, writes this note to the people of Booneville and Prentiss County:

"Even though I have been away from Booneville for one year, you people of Prentiss County are very special to me and a reason for my holding on to life as I have. Often in past months I have mentioned some of you by name as I have recalled memories of my childhood and my adult life of service as a teacher and politician.

"A few weeks ago as I was talking with my son, he asked, 'Of all the jobs you have held, what did you enjoy most?' For me there was no hesitation. 'Teaching young

people,' I replied. "I appreciated the cards so many of you have mailed. It is good to be remembered after having been out of circulation so long. I love you all and will return to my beloved Prentiss County when it is time. Take good care of it and its resources in the meantime."

Fred's address is Tucser Nursing Home, Room 18A, 2165 Idlewood Rd., Tucser, Ga. 30084.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Swan of Toccoola spent the weekend with Mrs. Travis McCharen.

Mrs. Russell Sansom of Water Valley was a weekend visitor of Mr. and Mrs. W.D. White and Kristy. The Rev. and Mrs. Joe Pack Arnold and Mrs. S.C. Galloway attended a school of Presbytery at the Baldwin Presbyterian Church Saturday, March 31.

Miss Lee Mitchell of Miss. State spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Mitchell.

Mrs. Deanna Burress went to Memphis Sunday and stayed until Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Robinson.

Sunday, April 1, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dickerson visited with the First Baptist Church in Collierville, Tenn. There they visited with Jerry and Wandy Harvey and heard Jerry sing a solo. He was a former music director at First Baptist, Booneville.

Sympathy goes to the families of these who passed away: Mrs. Ona Wallace, Mrs. Grace Morgan and Mrs. Jewel Martin.

Mrs. Paul Dobbins and Mrs. J.A. Wilkinson attended homecoming at Mississippi University for Women. Mrs. Joy Arnold, Mrs. Martha White, and Mrs. Ruth Galloway

attended the annual meeting of the Women of the Church, Presbytery of St. Andrew, in the First Presbyterian Church, Starkville.

Mrs. Julian Johnson, Jennifer and Cori visited Mrs. Lillian Johnson in Senatobia over the weekend while Julian attended National Guard. Mrs. Lillian Johnson was a visitor in Booneville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lusby, Courtney and Whitney had as weekend guests Mrs. Lusby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Tharp of Aberdeen and her neice, little Miss Brooke Tharp of Aberdeen.

"One Great Hour of Sharing" United Methodist Women of the New Albany District was held in Training Session at the First United Methodist Church on Sunday, April 1. An informal tea was held by the United Methodist Women of the First United Methodist Church, Booneville.

The Easter Sunrise services will be held at Northeast Junior College, Sunday, April 22, at 6:30 a.m.

The Rev. Luther Gibson was admitted to the Booneville Baptist Hospital April 2.

Dr. Bill Duncan spent three days last week in the local hospital. He was able to return home Friday.

Adults and youth of First United Methodist Church will present an Easter Cantata April 15, at 6 p.m.

Make plans now as you do 'Spring Cleaning' for the White Elephant Sale on May 5, that the youth of First United Methodist Church are having. Those who wish to donate and want the articles picked up should call Louise Coggin or Doug Holland, director of the youth at the church.

# Blackland News

By MRS. L.L. McALPIN  
Correspondent

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Robinson were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hicks of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Flake Eaton accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gann to Memphis last Sunday to visit relatives.

Jim and Ann Tucker of Corinth had lunch Saturday with Mrs. Ethel Tucker.

The Rev. Truman Brooks of New Albany was a welcome visitor Sunday at Christ United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Myrtle Brian of Guntown, sister of Grady Robinson is a patient of the Baldwin hospital.

Mrs. Pauline Geno and Mrs. Archie Saylor were Saturday afternoon visitors of Mrs. N.B. Michael of Pisgah.

Danny Joe and Charlotte McAlpin shopped in Memphis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie D. Ginn of Blytheville, Ark., were houseguests Wednesday through Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jamison.

Mrs. Eva Garner attended the Jazz Band Concert at Northeast Thursday night as guest of her sister, Mrs. Heneritta Oakley.

The Blackland 4-H Club will host a community party Saturday afternoon at 4:30 p.m. in the Blackland Community Center. The 4-H youth have an excellent program planned. You are invited

to come and enjoy the fellowship. Alan and Brent Wilson of Wheeler were overnight guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Kelly, Jennifer, Laura, and Brian of Wheeler Grove were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelly and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Robinson attended the funeral of Mrs. Mildred Hopper in Ripley Saturday. Mrs. Hopper was the niece of Mrs. Robinson.

Mrs. Mattie Trantham visited Saturday in Booneville with Barry, Bettye, and Heather Yearber.

Shannon Kirk of Booneville spent Saturday night with Lana Mayo.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clement were eating last Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Miller of Guntown.

The Oak Hill Baptist Church will have a Revival beginning Sunday through Wednesday with evening services at 7.

Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Flake Eaton were Mr. and Mrs. Bonard Eaton and Kim of Biggersville.

Our community was well represented Tuesday night for the annual meeting of District Cooperators and Conservation Awards Banquet at the West Side Community Center.

Dr. D.E. Petry, Professor of Soil Science at Mississippi State University was the guest speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clement were Sunday guests of Mrs. Jessie

Clement of Saltillo.

Mrs. Tobie Rutherford accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McCoy and Neil of Wheeler to services at Grace United Methodist Church. Sunday evening the Rev. Fabian Clark of Myrtle was the guest minister.

Dalton Garner and Manfred Saylor were in Starkville Saturday for the Bulldogs tangle with Alabama's Crimson Tide.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jamison shopped in Tupelo Saturday and visited the Hal Peels.

Doug Lyles of Red Bay, Ala., spent the weekend with Charles and Donna Geno.

Mrs. Bessie Arnold, Mrs. Max Wilson, Alan and Brent of Wheeler and Mrs. Russell Hill were Saturday visitors of Mrs. Emma McCarley of Tupelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Roberts are the proud parents of a son who was born on the 24.

Mrs. Nell Daniel has been a frequent visitor of her mother, Mrs. Francis Goldsmith who is a patient of the Coffee Memorial Hospital in Florence, Ala.

Next Sunday at 6 p.m. the NEJC Wesley Foundation Choir in concert will present a program at Christ United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Danny Rowland and Marla of Grenada were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Layne Dees and Kent.

Arthur Barnes was given a

surprise birthday dinner by his children and grandchildren on April 1. This was Mr. Barnes' 80th birthday.

Family members present were Ray Evelyn Barnes, Cathy Cook, Joan English and children, Darla, Tana and Sam, Jack Barnes, June Mardis and Cindy, Ronnie and Sandi Champion, and children, Jason and Wesley, Denise Hardin, Mike, Susan, and Amanda Stockton, and Terry, Ruth and Jeremy Davis.

Brother Calvin Barber and wife of the Saltillo Church of Christ attended. The Rev. Barber gave a prayer before eating.

Others present were Mr. Barnes' sister, Mrs. Eitoy McCoy and Julius McCoy, Bryan Harris, Rickey and Barry Kennedy, Louise Koon, Crystal and Tanya Coats, Mattie Jones, Nelda Green, Gay Weeks, and Ray Saylor.

Bro. Ernest Walker and wife of the Oak Ridge Church of Christ were special guests.

Get well wishes are extended to Mrs. Nora Dees, Will Bingham and Dewey Rutherford of the Tupelo hospital, Sanford Moore and Cecil Wilemon of Memphis, and J.P. Guin of the local hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kelly, Amber and Matthew of Booneville had lunch Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelly and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cartwright were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Irene Estes of Pisgah.

## Bank Announces Local Promotion

Bank of Mississippi Chairman J.C. Whitehead has announced the promotion of Annette Deaton of Booneville to Assistant Vice President.

Mrs. Deaton joined Bank of Mississippi in 1972 working in account servicing and teller operations.

A Booneville native, she graduated from Booneville High School, Northeast Mississippi Junior College and attended Delta State University. She has also taken several courses from the American Institute of Banking.

She is married to Billy Deaton, a Booneville native, and they have two children, Bill and Lori.

They are members of Booneville Church of Christ.



Annette Deaton

## Baldwyn Seaman Returns From Pacific

Navy Seaman Paul A. Moore, son of Arnold A. and Phyllis J. Moore of Route 3, Baldwin, recently returned from a five-month deployment to the Western Pacific and Indian Oceans.

Moore is a crewmember aboard the amphibious assault ship USS Peleliu, homeported in Long Beach, Calif.

Ports visits were also made to Fremantle, Australia; Pattaya Beach, Thailand; Yokosuka and Sasebo, Japan; Pearl Harbor, Hawaii; and Pusan, Republic of Korea.

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# Agriculture

The Banner-Independent

## County Agent's Notes

By CLIFFORD J. HAMPTON  
County Agent

Recently, for several reasons, the trend has been toward broadcast application of fertilizer, particularly phosphate and potash. Farmers have used ample amounts of fertilizer so in many instances they have increased soil fertility levels. They have especially increased phosphorous levels.

Phosphorous does not move much in the soil; therefore, it does not leach from the soil. Most phosphorous lost from fields is from erosion. Where soils are medium to high in phosphorous there is no advantage to band applications in the row.

Where soils are low, phosphorous use is more efficient when applied in a band in the root zone of the corn plant. Because phosphorous does not leach, you can apply it any time during the year.

Potassium is more mobile in the soil than phosphorous is. It will leach from the root zone as water percolates through the soil. It does not leach as readily from heavier soils

as it does from sandy soils. You can build up potassium levels in heavier soils by applying more than is removed by a crop. It is difficult to build up levels of potassium in sandy soils.

There appears to be no advantage to banding potassium in the row, even when levels are low. Potassium, like phosphorous, can be applied several months before planting on many soils. On sandier soils where leaching is a potential problem, it is best to apply potassium as close to planting as possible.

Nitrogen is lost readily from most Mississippi soils. It will leach readily from lighter soils and be lost by denitrification from heavy soils when they become saturated with water. You should apply nitrogen as close to the time of use as possible. Mississippi studies have indicated that highest yields are made when about one fourth of the nitrogen is applied at planting and the remainder applied as a side dressing when corn is about 14 to 16 inches high. Banding or broadcasting nitrogen made no difference

in yield: "layby" applications of nitrogen need not be "plowed in."

You can apply ammonium nitrate, urea, or liquid (32 percent) nitrogen on the surface of the soil and produce good yields if you adequately control weeds and grass. The only exception is method of application is anhydrous ammonia, which must be "knifed in" and sealed.

Research results and farmer experience have shown a need for a high nitrogen rate to produce top yields of no-till corn planted in burned down sod. A rate of 150 to 200 pounds of nitrogen per acre is suggested on land capable of producing 80 to 120 bushels per acre. Some nitrogen is applied to the soil at planting usually as a part of the mixed fertilizer.

The rest of the nitrogen should be applied ahead of a rain if possible. Ammonium nitrate is preferred to urea or nitrogen solutions. Excessive losses of nitrogen has occurred from surface application of urea and nitrogen solutions containing urea when applied to the surface of the mulch left from the

sod.

### Sources of Fertilizer

There are several different sources of nitrogen, phosphate, and potash. All manufactured or processed commonly available sources are adequate for corn production. Select the source of fertilizer according to the cost of the elements you purchased. Unless there are special considerations, one source is as good as another if the quality is adequate.

### How Much Fertilizer

Any fertilization program is efficient when based on what is needed. Take tests regularly every two to three years to determine how much phosphate and potash is in the soil. The amount added should be based on what is present and the expected yield of the corn crop. If a soil tests low in phosphate and potash and a yield of 100 bushels of corn is expected, then the respective rates of N, p2o5 and K2O should be 130-50-50 pounds per acre.

If this expected yield is to be harvested for silage, the respective rates should be 130-50-100 of N, P2O5 and K2O respectively. If a soil tests high in phosphate or potash, then you can produce one or two crops without adding either element. When a soil tests medium in these elements, you can safely produce one crop without additional phosphate or potash.

If you would like more information concerning corn fertilization come by our office on 404 East Church Street or, call 728-5631, or 728-7092.



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## ASCS News

By C.E. CALVERT  
County Executive Director

The 1983 payment-in-kind and acreage reduction programs reduced soil erosion by more than 20 percent on cropland taken out of production.

Soil loss on this land was reduced on an average from 7.4 to 5.8 tons per acre per year, for a total soil savings of 121 million tons.

A study of conservation benefits of the programs also showed that nearly 60 percent of the land in the programs had adequate protection from erosion - about one-fifth more than would have occurred without the programs. The conservation use acreage programs reduced the amount of land eroding at twice the tolerance level and saved about 13 million acres-feet of water that would have been used to irrigate 8 million acres of cropland.

Nationally, about 35 percent of the diverted land provided suitable cover for wildlife.

Based on data from a sample of 4,300 farms in 227 counties, the preliminary report summarizes some of the key findings about conservation aspects of the 1983 payment-in-kind and acreage reduction programs.

The programs were implemented by ASCS to bring supplies more in

balance with demand and to bolster farm income. Both programs offered incentives to farmers to reduce planting. Farmers who reduced acreage by a required amount received a cash payment, target price protection and were eligible for loans on their 1983 crop. These benefits were supplemented by PIK commodities for farmers idling additional amounts of acreage.

The programs' primary goal of reducing production was supplemented by goals of reducing erosion on the idled acreage, improving wildlife habitat, and conserving water.

A later, more detailed report is expected to show other major conservation achievements.

### FARM PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS REMINDED OF CONSERVATION OBLIGATIONS

Farmers who are participating in 1984 acreage reduction programs for wheat, feed grain, upland cotton and rice are reminded that their diverted acres must be protected from wind and water erosion.

The acreage removed from production is referred to as acreage conservation reserve (ACR) acres to emphasize the conservation

aspects of the 1984 programs. We encourage farmers to place their more erosive land in the ACR.

The rules for determining what land will be eligible for the ACR have been discussed with program participants. The basic requirement for 1984 is that the land must have been cropped in two of the past three years. This is intended to assure that the land is productive and would have been in production this year if the farmer were not participating in the program.

The idled acres may not be harvested, and grazing is not permitted between May 1, 1984 and October 31, 1984. The land must be devoted to approved conservation uses sufficient to protect it from soil erosion. Insects, weeds, and rodents also must be controlled.

To protect the diverted acres from soil and water erosion, farmers may devote it to a permanent vegetative cover or practice such as trees, sod waterways, filter strips and windbreaks. If the cover or conservation practices are maintained, the land will be eligible for ACR acres through 1984.

Other approved conservation uses include annual, biennial, or perennial grasses and legumes, volunteer stands other than weeds, small grains and crop residue from

use of no till, or minimum till practices. Additional cover or plantings, particularly those benefiting wildlife, also may be developed, as long as the practice meets the erosion control standards approved by SCS.

Program participants are required to establish conservation practices on cropland taken out of production as soon as possible after the normal planting period for spring crops. Those who fail to maintain the acreage will be out of compliance and could lose program benefits.

### 1984 WHEAT PROGRAM

A bill entitled "The Agricultural Commodity Program Adjustment Act of 1984" is under consideration by Congress. If the Act is approved, a new sign-up period will be announced for wheat. Farmers will be given the opportunity to sign a new wheat contract based on the provision of the act.

If the Act is not approved, farmers will use contracts submitted for wheat on or before March 16, 1984. The Act is not likely to change 1984 provisions of the cotton and feed grain programs. If the programs are not changed, there will be no additional sign-up period for these programs.

placed second in 14-15 year old Showmanship.

David Johnson exhibited the second place Winter Heifer and placed third in 8-9 year old Showmanship.

## Catfish Festival On 'Farmweek'

Those unable to attend the 1984 World Catfish Festival in Belzoni can enjoy it anyhow by turning their television dial to Farmweek at 7:39 p.m., Monday, April 9, on Mississippi ETV.

## 4-H News

By WAYNE LAND  
Extension 4-H  
Youth Agent

It is time to put the winter months behind us and look forward to spring. But, before we do let's take time to reflect back on the highlights of the past months, mainly being the county, district, and state livestock and dairy shows.

In our county show we had 26 dairy animals exhibited by six exhibitors. Exhibitors included were Keith Cox, Melissa Taylor, Royce Taylor, Bradley Taylor, Eric Miles and Heather Miller.

In our beef show we had four heifers exhibited by Mark Johnson and David Johnson. All beef and dairy entries were blue ribbon animals. Bill White also brought a bull for demonstration.

The District Livestock Show was held in Tupelo, Mississippi. Exhibitors included were Keith Cox, Royce Taylor, Melissa Taylor, Eric Miles, Mark Johnson, and David Johnson. The standings are

as follows.

In the dairy show Keith Cox received three blue ribbons and two red ribbons. Melissa Taylor received five blue ribbons and one red ribbon, and placed fourth in Senior Showmanship. Royce Taylor received five blue ribbons plus Reserve Champion Jersey Cow, and placed first in Senior Showmanship. Eric Miles received five blue ribbons plus Grand Champion Jersey Cow.

Prentiss County also won the County Herd.

In the beef show Mark Johnson received five blue ribbons plus Champion and Reserve Champion Angus Bull and Reserve Champion Angus Heifer and placed second in Senior Showmanship. David Johnson received a blue ribbon for his first place Angus Heifer and placed third in Junior Showmanship.

Exhibitors attending the State Round Up included Keith Cox, Royce Taylor, Melissa Taylor, Eric Miles, Mark Johnson, and David

Johnson.

In the dairy show Keith Cox placed second with his Junior Calf, second with his Intermediate Calf, and third with his Senior Calf. Royce Taylor placed fourth with his 3-year old Jersey Cow, fourth with his Intermediate Calf, and fifth with his 2-year old Jersey Cow. Royce also placed fifth in 16-18 year old Showmanship. Melissa Taylor placed third with her Senior Jersey Calf.

Eric Miles exhibited the Reserve Junior Champion Jersey, Intermediate Yearling and placed third with his 2-year old Jersey Yearling, Intermediate Senior Yearling, and Junior Calf. Eric also placed second in 8-9 year old Showmanship.

In the beef show Mark Johnson exhibited the Reserve Champion Angus Bull after placing first with his Winter Bull Calf and Junior Bull Calf. Mark also exhibited the Champion Angus Heifer after placing first with his Winter Heifer Calf, Junior Heifer Calf, and late Junior Yearling Heifer. Mark also

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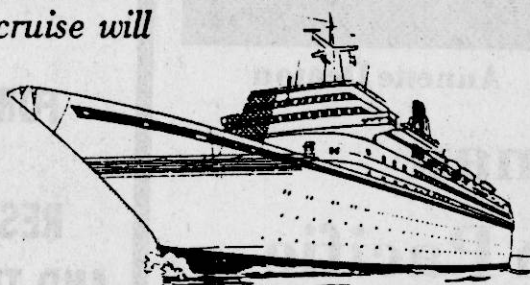
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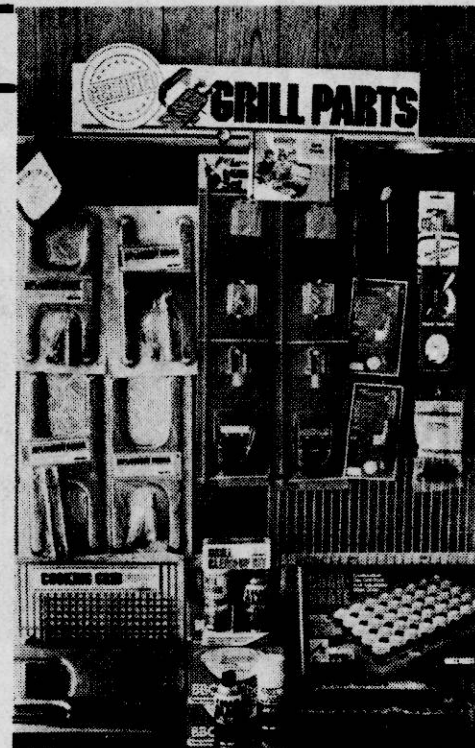
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## Home Economist's Notes

By PATTY K. ROBINSON  
Home Economist

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gardens; the total number of row feet of each vegetable and the suggested placement of each vegetable in your garden.

All this information is made possible thru the Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service. A computer garden program designed especially for Mississippi gardeners.

The computer garden planning program is designed to develop a garden plan for you based on a 36-

inch row widths. If your garden is small and you currently use wide row planting techniques to maximize yields from your limited space, this program may not be of assistance to you at this time.

Several horticultural considerations are built into the program to help you be a better gardener. Sweet corn is planted in a block of rows rather than long single rows to provide for better pollination and fuller ears. The

minimum amount of sweet corn that will be planted in a block of 3 rows 10 feet long. Watermelons, muskmelons, pumpkins and winter squash are provided with a row width of 9 feet to provide sufficient space for vines.

Cauliflower and collards are plants only in the fall, the season for best production. English peas, Irish potatoes and onions are planted only in the spring. Cabbage, broccoli, beets, carrots, leaf and

head lettuce, turnips, radishes, spinach, and mustard are planted in both the spring and fall gardens. Yields of these vegetables are dependent upon your planting them

in both the spring and fall gardens. For more information and for a Computer Garden Planning Worksheet, contact your county Extension office.

## Timberline

By ROBERT THORNTON  
County Forester

In conducting pine plantation thinnings landowners need to keep a few facts in mind:

Pine trees cannot tolerate shade, and limbs that are shaded will die.

A pine tree will produce a certain amount of wood. If it has unlimited sunlight and space, it will produce most of this wood in the form of limbs, which have no merchantable value.

As trees become larger, they need

more growing room.

Pulpwood is a low value product. The end product of a plantation should be sawlogs. Allow the best trees to remain in the plantation to grow into sawlogs.

The trick to pine plantation management is this: Keep the stand thin enough for the trees to grow well, but keep it thick enough so that the lower limbs will be shaded. They will die and fall off, causing wood production to be concentrated in the trunk, the merchantable part of the tree. Each time you thin,

remove the worst trees; leaving the better quality trees to grow into high value sawlogs.

This may sound complicated, but it's not. There are several methods of thinning pulpwood plantations, some work better than others, but I'd like to describe one that almost any landowner can apply himself, with good results.

Remove every sixth row of trees, and selectively cut about half of the trees on the remaining rows. Don't just cut every other tree, but cut the

worst ones. Try to average cutting about half of the trees.

The rows that are completely harvested make ideal log roads, and no stick of pulpwood will have to be carried more than about thirty feet.

This will assure that the plantation is thinned properly; that better quality trees comprise the growing stock that you'll be leaving, and that logging damage is minimized.

## Marietta News

By EUELLA FARRAR  
Correspondent

Euellla Farrar visited Mrs. Mamie Guinn Monday afternoon and Mrs. Essie Farrar Friday afternoon.

Loretta Greene visited Amy Mayo Wednesday afternoon.

Vickie Cagle spent Friday night and Saturday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Cagle and Harold.

Cuthan Cagle and Natasha visited his parents the Alton Cagles on Saturday.

Euellla Farrar honored Mrs. Josephine Gooch with a birthday dinner Thursday night. Those helping her celebrate the occasion were Bro. Richard Gooch, Bardie Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Greene, Loretta and Sara, Mrs. Blanch Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cagle and Vickie.

Mrs. Lois Gann received a call on her birthday Thursday, March 29 from her sister, Mrs. Milton Pharr in Nashville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wiseman and girls of Booneville and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Gholston and Dennis gave their mother and sister, Mrs. Lois Gann a surprise birthday dinner Sunday at the Wiseman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gholston and Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. Relmon Gann toured Bay Springs Lock and Dam Sunday morning and the flea market north of Booneville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Cornelious were guests in the home of their granddaughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Hoing of Tupelo Thursday. Visiting with Mrs. Hoings grandfather, Byrd Grubbs who has had eye surgery in Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Guinn went sightseeing and visiting relatives and friends Friday.

They visited Friendship and Cotton Springs Cemeteries, Bay Springs Lock and Dam and both boat docks then visited Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harris, Miss Eunice Harris in Belmont, Mrs. Helen Searcy in Red Bay, Ala., hospital, Monroe Pounds, Mrs. Nichols, Mrs. May Bell Searcy and Mr. Fred Pounders in Red Bay Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harris joined the Guinns at their sister's home Miss Eunice Harris for lunch.

Miss Linda Pharr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Pharr, and Michael Pounds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Randle Pounds, were united in marriage by Bro. Richard Gooch at

the Church of Christ in Marietta. Friday night Larry Pounds, brother of the groom was best man. Mrs. Angela White was bridesmaid.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cagle and Vickie were Saturday night dinner guests of the Jerry Fords in Booneville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Greene visited his uncle, Clarence Crowell, Saturday night.

Mrs. Dot Cason and daughter of Leads, Ala., were visiting in the home of her cousin Mrs. Blanch Moore Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Effie Pharr is enjoying her daughters and great-granddaughter Mrs. Tommy Griffin of Atlanta, Ga., Mrs. Sue Flanders and granddaughter of Douglas, Ga., and Mrs. Mary Guy of Booneville.

Mrs. Edna Pharr was a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Effie Pharr and her daughters.

Paul Jack Pharr of Fordyce, Ark., was visiting relatives in Marietta Friday. His mother-in-law, Mrs. Zelma Jackson returned home with him for a visit.

Mrs. Pauline Jackson spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Lora Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Bluford Miller and Bead, Mrs. Marie Crow, Paul and Phillip, Mrs. Hazel McClusky and Bill Greene visited Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Gann in the Booneville hospital Sunday afternoon.

A speedy recovery is wished for W.W. Gann and Mrs. Hubert Sanders in the Booneville hospital and Lex Cunningham in the Tupelo hospital.

Tulon Harp came home Sunday from Tupelo hospital after surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Monie Hill of Ratliff community in Itawamba County has as their Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Cornelious.

Mrs. Hill, the former Ila Cornelious, will enter Tupelo hospital Wednesday for eye surgery Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Hoing of Tupelo were Sunday night guests of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Cornelious.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jackson and Mrs. Blanch Moore entertained several relatives and friends Sunday night with a steak and ribeye dinner. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C.T. Moore and Carla, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Carter and Leslie Ann, Jim Ramey, Michael, Gail and Jason, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Burns and Ronald and Elaine Trimble.

## Birthdays

Eddy Craig Burcham, son of Eddy Burcham and Dianne Hassan of Booneville, will celebrate his 8th birthday on April 8.

Grandparents are Virgie Shook and the late Clinton Rhoades Shook and Hardings and Jettie Burcham, all of Booneville.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Shook of Wheeler and Ruth Knight of Booneville.



EDDY CRAIG BURCHAM

Jeffrey Wildmon, son of Larry and Donna Wildmon of Marietta, will celebrate his first birthday, April 5.

Grandparents are Clarence and Frances Tucker of Burnsville and Ellis and Mary Wildmon of Marietta.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L.E. McNutt and Mr. and Mrs. T.L. Cooksey, all of Burnsville.

Jeffrey has one sister, Misty, who is four, and one brother, Michael, who is two-years-old.



JEFFREY WILDMON

David Lee Thornton, son of Gary and Lynnette Thornton of Marietta, will celebrate his second birthday April 10.

Grandparents are Ruby Shouse and the late Homer Shouse of Marietta and Marlis and Quay Thornton of New Site.



DAVID LEE THORNTON

## Baldwyn Man At Producer's Meeting

T.C. Mauney Jr., Baldwyn, AMPI elected official, represented local dairymen at the Associated Milk Producers, Inc. annual meeting in Minneapolis, March 26-28.

During their three days in Minneapolis, the AMPI elected officials reviewed the challenges facing the dairy industry and updated the cooperative's policies by voting on resolutions that originated at local district meetings.

The agenda featured nationally prominent speakers including U.S.

Agriculture Secretary John Block, Representative Kika de la Garza (D-Texas), Chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, and Senator Rudy Bostwitz (R-Minnesota).

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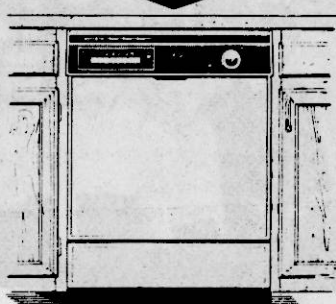
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**RE-GRAND OPENING** - Local dignitaries and Wal-Mart Company officials were on hand Tuesday morning at the Wal-Mart Store in Booneville for ribbon cutting ceremonies to celebrate the store's "face-lift." Practically the entire inside of the store has been remodeled in an effort to make shopping more convenient for the

customers. Among those participating in the ribbon cutting are (front, l-r) Mayor Charles Crabb, store manager Gary Strickland and Mrs. Strickland, Wal-Mart representative Bill Adams, assistant manager Marlene Sartin and her husband Billy.



**TRIP TO FIRE DEPARTMENT** - Students at Emmanuel Christian Academy made a field trip to the Booneville Fire Department recently and also took a ride on a fire truck. Pictured are (front, l-r) Mark Shamburger, Joshua Nelson, Christopher Robinson,

Jonathan Isbell, Michael Shamburger, Demetria Jones, Diana Holloway; (back, l-r) Brenda K. Guiles, Paul Holloway, Tammy Melson, Paul Shamburger, Christy Stevens, Noki Downs, Christy Robinson, Chris Gurley, Mike Gurley and Judy Jackson.



**NATIONAL MEDICAL LABORATORY WEEK** - Mayor Charles Crabb signs a proclamation designating the week of April 8-14, as National Medical Laboratory Week in Booneville. Pictured are (l-r) Shirley Cole, a medical laboratory technician from Baptist Memorial

Hospital, Booneville, Darlene Southern, a student at Northeast Junior College, and Star Ray, a medical laboratory technician from Baptist Memorial Hospital, Booneville.

## Scouts' 'Salute To Excellence' Fundraising Campaign

Local Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts are involved in a fundraising campaign, Salute To Excellence (April 1-June 15).

This is to raise money for the Cubs and Scouts and help support the 1984 Los Angeles Summer Olympic Games. All items being offered are made in the United States and have a variety of official Olympic logos.

Salute to Excellence offers a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for Scouts and the adults who support them to earn all-expense-paid trips to the 1984 Summer Olympic games in Los Angeles.

Top performers from participating areas across the nation will be honored guests of resource developers in Los Angeles.

Plans for accommodating as many as 74 guests are being made. The typical agenda for each guest

will include Disneyland, Magic Mountain and a special seat at the Summer Games beginning August, 1984.

For the individual Scout and the adult who accompanies him, Salute To Excellence will provide a unique once-in-a-lifetime experience. First and second place performers in each participating Council will receive special Olympic Commemorative coins. Each coin is a lifelong keepsake of monetary as well as symbolic value, true collector's items that can be passed on to succeeding generations.

As many as 832 winners are anticipated. Among the first-place winners will be the grand prize winners.

For other participating Scouts, the effort represents a unique opportunity to raise money for their local Units as well as the 1984

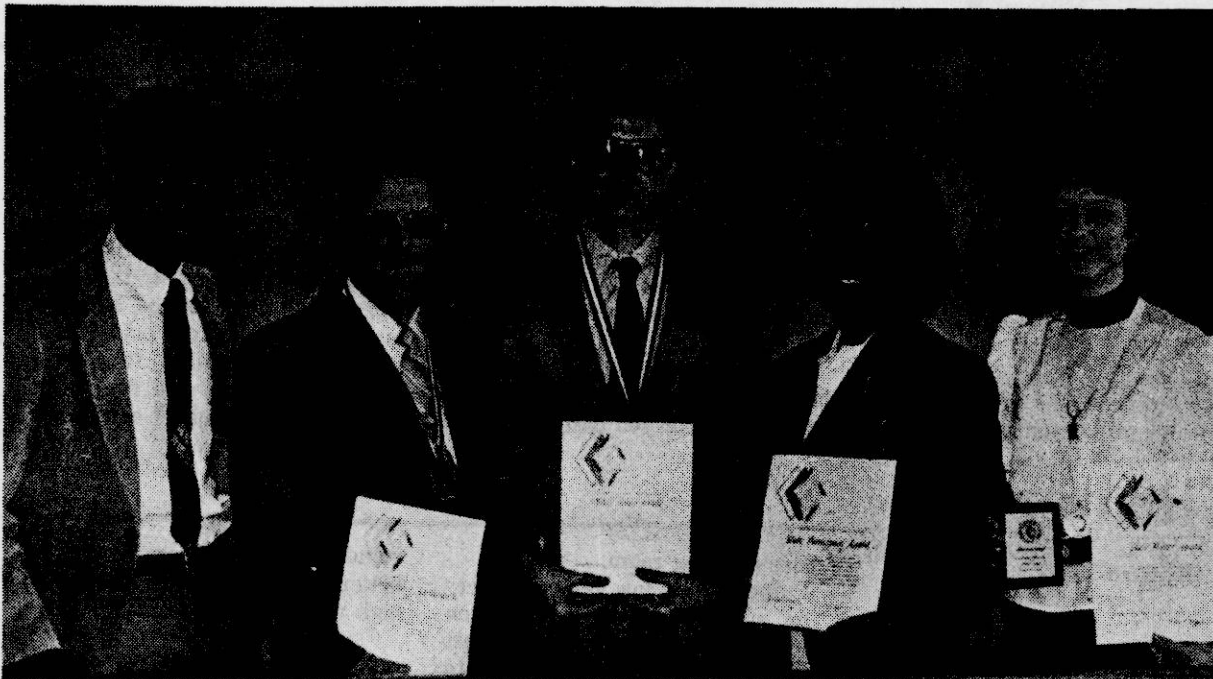
Games. For Scouts who are in line for it, the merit badge in salesmanship is an additional incentive.

The top "salesperson" from each unit will receive a gold-embossed Certificate of Excellence commemorating his participation in the campaign.

Scouting and Olympics rank together, side-by-side. Both Scouting and the Olympics promote honor, integrity and personal development.

Just as the Olympic Creed states, "the most important thing in life is not the triumph but the struggle", so an eight-year-old starts his Scouting experience with the motto, "Do your best."

Please help support your local Scouts in their effort.



**NEMJC STUDENTS WINNERS AT DECA CONVENTION** - Five Northeast Junior College students came away winners from the State DECA Convention held in Biloxi Feb. 28-March 2. All the Northeast winners are students majoring in Hotel-Motel-Restaurant Management and members of the Distributive Education Clubs of America. The winners are, above from left, Jeff Knox of New Albany, third place state competition in real estate division; Wayne Fugitt of

Booneville, second place state competition in management decision making; Philip Grissom of Marietta, third state competition in hotel-motel management; Ester S. Jones of New Albany, restaurant marketing and management finalist, outstanding local chapter member and state secretary; and Linda Jackson of Booneville, third place state competition in restaurant marketing and management supervisory level.



**ART WINNERS** - The following Booneville students were winners in the Northeast Junior College Art Competition for high school students (front, l-r) Jeanie Cole, 1st in pottery, 3rd in drawing; Lee Waddle, 2nd in pottery, 1st in design; Emily Comer, 3rd in pottery; Brad DeVaughn, 2nd in design; (back, l-r) Stephen

Wold, 3rd in design; Debbie Garvin, 1st in drawing, 3rd in painting; and Barbara Eaton, art instructor for Booneville High School. Not pictured is Danette Corbin, 2nd in painting. Their work will be on display in the lobby at Hines Hall at NEMJC until Friday afternoon.



**MERIT WINNERS** - Lee Waddle, Debbie Garvin, Jeannie Cole, and Cindy George, students at Booneville High School, were Merit winners in the Scholastic Awards, a regional competition held in Memphis and exhibited at the Southland Mall. Around 1,700 works

from around Memphis were submitted and only 400 received awards. Six of these awards were presented to Booneville High School students. Mrs. Barbara Eaton is their instructor.



**LEGISLATORS ANSWER VIEWERS' QUESTIONS** - Answering questions called in by viewers of "Quorum," a Mississippi ETV series examining issues presented before the legislature, are, from left, Sen. Hob Bryan of Amory; Sen. Bill Harpole of Starkville; moderator Howard Lett; Rep. Timothy Alan Ford of Baldwin; and

Rep. Ashely Atkinson of Summit. "Quorum" is broadcast "live" each Wednesday at 7 p.m. during the months the state legislature is in session. Each week four guest legislators discuss a topic and answer questions called in by viewers using statewide toll-free lines.





**WINNING TEAM** - The Future Problem Solving Team from Booneville High School, composed of (seated, l-r) Lori Bolen, William Roland, Bob Eubank and Susan Yarbrough, recently won the Intermediate

Division of the state Future Problem Solving Bowl held in Columbus. Joey Cadle (standing) was named the individual competition state winner.



**PROBLEM SOLVERS** - The Future Problem Solving Teams from Booneville High School brought home awards recently. A team of eighth grade students, (seated, l-r) Andrea Walden, Walter Davis, Chris Johnson and Tom Farris were awarded the third place trophy for their efforts. In the live presentation contest,

the team composed of (standing, l-r) Mark Lindstrom, Marta Hunkapiller, David Duncan, Kimi Drown, and Joey Cadle, won third place honors. Not pictured is Dalton Garner. The teams were coached by Mrs. Marie Spain.

## Rienzi News

By VIOLA PRESLEY  
Correspondent

Mrs. James Roy Marecle has been in Memphis this week with her mother, Mrs. Blanche Womble of the Wheeler Grove community. Mrs. Womble is a patient in the Baptist Hospital in Memphis.

Mrs. James Baggett of Rienzi, Mrs. Elmer Cooper of Gaston and Mrs. Phil Stamphill of Memphis flew to Houston, Texas, Thursday to attend the wedding of Miss Lisa Cooper.

Mrs. Truman Smith returned home Sunday from a five day visit in Florence, Ala., with Mr. and Mrs. Don Bowling and Cindy and Craig Weeks.

Billy Staggs, Ministerial student

at Blue Mountain College, spoke to the Brotherhood at the Rienzi Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Furtick were in Iuka Friday night to be with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Curtis whose son died Thursday in a Memphis hospital.

Mrs. Carolyn Bishop and Mrs. Jane Brooks were in Tupelo for the day Thursday.

The annual spring beauty review was held March 30 at the Rienzi Elementary School. Much work was done by the faculty and others in preparation for this event. A large crowd was present.

Miss Linda Leathers of Florence, Ala., was here for a visit Sunday and joined Mrs. Elizabeth Johnsey

and Miss Robin Johnsey for dinner with Mrs. Erma McKinney in Booneville.

Mrs. Jolene Perry has been spending some time in Booneville with her father, E.M. Key, who has been ill.

Mrs. Max Wade Lancaster of Union and Mrs. Una Mae Price of Gift were here Thursday for a visit with Mrs. Lillian Johnsey.

Friends of Bro. and Mrs. James H. Moore are very glad to know they have been feeling better after suffering from attacks of colds, flu and bronchitis.

Mrs. Frances Bullard is another one of our people unable to be out due to illness. Best wishes go to all of our shut-ins.

## Prospect News

By MRS. DUDLEY LINDSEY  
Correspondent

Mrs. Maudie Hall spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Shook.

Mrs. Delma Lesley visited Mrs. R.L. Roberts and Lisa at Booneville Monday.

Mrs. Mary Lou Jones and grandsons of Zion, Ill., were Tuesday visitors of relatives here.

Mrs. John L. Hall visited with Mrs. Danny Rowland Tuesday at Booneville.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Hall were Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Hall of Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. Tice Hall and Sissy of Baldwin.

Mrs. Kathryn Nash and Donnie of Booneville were Sunday night guests of Mrs. Syble Smith and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robbins of Booneville were Thursday night

## Iowa Next Stop For Problem Solvers

The team of Lori Bolen, Bob Eubank, William Roland, and Susan Yarbrough coached by Mrs. Marie Spain of Booneville High School has won the Intermediate Division of the state Future Problem Solving Bowl held recently in Columbus.

Teams from Grenada and Water Valley won the Junior and Senior Division titles. All three teams, by virtue of their wins, will represent Mississippi in the International Future Problem Solving Bowl held in late May on the campus of Coe College in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

The topic which the young people will tackle at the International Bowl will be genetic engineering.

In addition to winning first place in the state team competition, a team of eighth grade students, Andrea Walden, Walter Davis, Chris Johnson, and Tom Farris were awarded the third place trophy for their efforts.

In the live presentation contest, the team composed of Kimi Drown, Dalton Garner, David Duncan, and Marta Hunkapiller won third place honors for presenting their best solution in a creative way. This team was assisted in their skit by classmates Joey Cadle and Mark Lindstrom.

Individual competition was held in all three divisions, and Joey Cadle, a ninth grade Project STEP student, won the first place state award. He worked through the same problem process on nuclear waste disposal as those students in team competition. He will also be eligible to compete on the international level.

"Having our students do so well in state competition speaks highly of our local system, I believe," Mrs. Spain said.

"The students must learn the problem solving process and apply it with skill, but to do this, they must first have a good background in reading comprehension to understand the difficult research materials.

"They must practice research skills, understand various scientific principles, and demonstrate effective writing techniques. Their educational background has shown through in this achievement," Mrs. Spain said.

The International Future Problem Solving Bowl will be the culmination of a year long program in which students have wrestled with the issues of prisons, lasers, electronic games, and nuclear waste disposal.

Attending the International Bowl will be approximately 650 young people and their coaches from almost every region of North America. In addition to the states, Mexico, Canada, and Australia participate in the program.

## CB Club News

By LADY BLUE SURF

The officers met and numbered the gifts but we still need for all the rest of the units to get their gifts in so we will have them finished for the break. The groceries for the two baskets are also needed.

Lady Q has not been feeling well. Spunkin was able to return to work part-time Monday. Super D was admitted to Baptist Hospital Monday for tests, room 184.

Happy birthday to Stardust on April 7, and to Sunshine on the 8th. No social will be held on the 7th due to our jamboree next weekend. An officer's meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 12, at the home of Brass Monkey. All officers are asked to make this meeting. Everyone should turn in the gifts or groceries by this day.

Round Lady traveled to Pennsylvania with her son and family to see a pro ballgame.

Talk about your heart skipping a beat - my neighbor, Lady Fisher, called and said something was on

fire at the back of our home.

I left Spunkin with a permanent half rolled and another customer's hair drying and broke all laws getting home. Most of my back yard was blazing and wind was scattering it. I called the fire department and grabbed my only good broom and started to beat it out when another neighbor came down and helped. A brake had locked on the train and sparks started a fire all along the tracks.

Get your pretty frills and shirts ready for Saturday night, April 14. Johnny Jumper and band will play for the dance from 7 to 11 at West Side Community Center. Admission will be \$2 for adults and children under 6 will be admitted free. No alcoholic beverages will be allowed. The public is invited.

Our 7th annual jamboree will be Sunday, April 15, beginning at 10 a.m. Prizes will be given throughout the day. A cake walk will also be held. The public is invited.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN RE: ESTATE OF CLARENCE LEE BILBO WINSETT, NO. 13,982

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 24 day of March, 1984, by the Chancery Court of Prentiss County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of Clarence Lee Bilbo Winsett, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of the said Court for probate and registration, according to law, within ninety (90) days from the date of first publication or they will be forever barred.

This the 26 day of March, 1983.

ELIZABETH CHARLENE ROPER

GIFFORD, MOORE & SOLEN  
SOLICITORS FOR EXECUTRIX

04-4TP

April 5, 12, 19, 26, 1984

LEGAL NOTICE

THE CHANCERY COURT OF PRENTISS COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI  
CORNELIA VIVIAN CALICUTT  
ROWAN, PLAINTIFF, VS. NO. 13,902, MERLE BOYD ROWAN, DEFENDANT

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Judgment in the Chancery Court of said County rendered in the above styled cause on the 26th day of March, 1984, I, the undersigned, duly appointed Special

Commissioner of said court will, on the 27th day of April, 1984, at 11:30 A.M., sell, at the East door of the Courthouse in Prentiss County, Mississippi, to the highest bidder or bidders for cash at public outcry the following described property, situated in the County of Prentiss, State of Mississippi, to-wit:  
A certain tract of parcel of land in the Northeast Quarter of Section 35, Township 4, Range 6 in Prentiss County, Mississippi described as follows: Commencing at a point where the South Boundary of Cox Street intersects with the West boundary of Second Street and run West along said Cox Street a distance of 260 feet for a point of beginning; Thence South 95 feet; Thence West 50 feet; Thence North 95 feet to Cox Street; Thence East along said street 50 feet to point of beginning.

ALSO: A certain tract or parcel of land in the Northeast Quarter described as follows: Commencing at a point where the South boundary of Cox street intersects with the West boundary of Second Street in the Town of Baldwin, and run West along said Cox Street a distance of 210 feet for a point of beginning; Thence South 95 feet parallel with Second Street; Thence West 50 feet parallel with Cox Street; Thence North 95 feet to Cox Street; Thence East 50 feet to point of beginning.

DATED this the 27 day of March, 1984.

PHILLIP COLE,  
SPECIAL COMMISSIONER

DOUGLAS M. WRIGHT  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
P.O. BOX 904  
TUPELO, MISSISSIPPI 38802

04-4TC

April 5, 12, 19 & 26, 1984

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE

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

GRANTOR(S) Stephen G. Bell and Betty M. Bell, DATE EXECUTED December 15, 1981, TRUST DEED BOOK 133, PAGE(S) 510-513.

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed(s) of trust, and in accordance with the statutes made and provided therefor,

THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that pursuant to the power of sale contained in said deed(s) of trust and in accordance with the statutes made and provided therefor, the said deed(s) of trust will be foreclosed and the property covered thereby and hereinafter described will be sold at public auction in accordance with the statutes made and provided therefor, cash at the front door of the county courthouse in the town of Booneville, Mississippi, in the aforesaid County at 11:00 AM, on April 23, 1984, to satisfy the indebtedness now due under and secured by said deed(s) of trust.

The premises to be sold are described as:

Prentiss: Part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 2, Township 5 South, Range 7 East, described as follows: Beginning at a point on the North boundary of Sunflower Road where said North boundary intersects the West boundary of the Southwest Quarter and run thence East 106 feet for a point of beginning; run thence East 107 feet; thence North 135 feet to an iron stake; thence West 109 feet; thence South 135 feet to the point of beginning. Containing one-third acre.

March 29, 1984

Date

Marion H. Mills  
Substitute Trustee  
Duly authorized to act in the premises by instrument dated July 27, 1983, and recorded in Book 142, Page 643-644, of the records of the aforesaid County and State.

05-4TC

March 29, April 5, 12, & 19, 1984

LEGAL NOTICE

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

GRANTOR(S) Robert L. Faulkner and Clara K. Faulkner, DATE EXECUTED May 17, 1978, TRUST DEED BOOK 116, PAGE(S) 510-513.

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

THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that pursuant to the power of sale contained in said deed(s) of trust and in accordance with the statutes made and provided therefor, the said deed(s) of trust will be foreclosed and the property covered thereby and hereinafter described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the county courthouse in the town of Booneville, Mississippi, in the aforesaid County at 11:15 AM, on April 23, 1984, to satisfy the indebtedness now due under and secured by said deed(s) of trust.

The premises to be sold are described as:

Lot No. 45-A of the Forrest Hill Subdivision, as shown by Map, Plat and Survey of said Subdivision recorded in Plat Book No. 1, on Page 46 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Prentiss County, Mississippi.

SUBJECT to Restrictive Covenants recorded in Plat Book No. 1 on Page 46 in said Office.

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March 29, April 5, 12 & 19, 1984

LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE  
NOTICE OF PUBLICATION  
OF FINAL SETTLEMENT  
OF CONTRACT

Notice is hereby given that the Contract between the Board of Supervisors of Prentiss County, Mississippi, on the one part, and Stacks Construction Company on the other part, dated the 11th day of June, 1982, for the construction of State Aid Project No. SAP 59(32) being a section of the Sweeney Road in Prentiss County, Mississippi, has been fully and completely performed and final settlement thereunder has been made.

This notice is given under Section 31-5-53, Mississippi Code of 1972, in pursuance of the authority conferred upon me by order of the Board of Supervisors of Prentiss County, in Minute Book 59, Page 625.

Dated this the 30th day of March, 1984.

PHILLIP COLE  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
Prentiss County, Mississippi

04-1TC

April 5, 1984

LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CHANCERY COURT  
PRENTISS COUNTY,  
BOONEVILLE, MISSISSIPPI 38829

PAMELA ANN FOY Plaintiff(s) v. JAMES M. FOY, Defendant(s), Case No. 13,963.

SUMMONS  
(Service by Publication:  
Residence Unknown)

TO: James M. Foy, whose last address was 704 John Lane Drive, Fort Walton Beach, Florida 32548; but whose present residence and address is unknown. You have been made Defendant in the lawsuit filed in this Court by Pamela Ann Foy, Plaintiff, whose address is 20-A August Circle, Booneville, Mississippi 38829.

The Complaint filed against you has initiated a civil action alleging habitual cruel and inhuman treatment, habitual drunkenness, and irreconcilable differences, and seeking a divorce, child custody and other relief.

You are required to mail or hand deliver a copy of a written Answer either admitting or denying each allegation in the Complaint to North MS Rural Legal Services, Ava N. Jackson, Attorney, Plaintiff's Attorney, whose address is Post Office Box 1173, Tupelo, MS 38801. YOUR ANSWER MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 5th DAY OF April, 1984, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE LAST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR ANSWER IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

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

Phillip Cole

Clerk of Court

Dated: March 7, 1984

03-4TC

March 15, 22, 29 & April 5, 1984

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
OF THE ESTATE OF  
TRAVIS MCHAREN, Deceased  
No. 13,988

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 29th day of March, 1984, by the Chancery Clerk of Prentiss County, Mississippi, to the undersigned as Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Travis McCharen, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within ninety (90) days from the date hereof, or they will be forever barred.

This the 5th day of April, 1984

Elizabeth M. McCharen, Executrix  
Donald Franks, Attorney  
217 1/2 W. College Street  
Booneville, MS 38829-0108  
Telephone: 601-728-4494

04-4TC

April 5, 12, 19 & 26, 1984

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN RE: ESTATE OF RUE NECIE ROBINSON, NO. 13,977

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 21st day of March, 1984, by the Chancery Court of Prentiss County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of Rue Necie Robinson, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of the said Court for probate and registration, according to law, within ninety (90) days from the date of first publication or they will be forever barred.

This the 21st day of March, 1984

MANUEL TALMER ROBINSON

GIFFORD, MOORE & SOLEN  
SOLICITORS FOR EXECUTRIX

05-4TP

March 29, April 5, 12 & 19, 1984

Legal Notice

NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
OF THE ESTATE OF  
E.O. RODEN, Deceased.  
No. 13,989.

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 2nd day of April, 1984, by the Chancery Clerk of Prentiss County, Mississippi, to the undersigned as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of E.O. Roden, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within ninety (90) days from the date hereof, or they will be forever barred.

This the 5th day of April, 1984.

Zane David Roden, Sr., Executor

Donald Franks, Attorney  
217 1/2 W. College Street  
Booneville, MS 38829-0108  
Telephone: 601-728-4494

04-4TC

April 5, 12, 19, & 26, 1984

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE

The Prentiss County Board of Education will accept sealed bids for Heating and Air Conditioning for three (3) rooms at Hills Chapel School, and Air Conditioners for Lunchroom at Hills Chapel School. Specifications are on file in the office of the County Superintendent of Education in the Courthouse.

Bids will be accepted until 5:00 P.M. April 16, 1984. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

J.W. Greene, Secretary, Prentiss County Board of Education.

05-2TC

March 29, April 5, 1984

WANT ADS  
GET RESULTS

Caboose

Johnsey recently retired.

JOHNSEY'S FATHER grew up in Rienzi and he has relatives there. That was one of the reasons he had the caboose put in Rienzi. Johnsey himself never lived there.

The red wooden caboose is one just like his father worked on. Johnsey even had "154" painted on it -- that was his father's number. Old depot benches rest underneath several of the trees surrounding the caboose.

The inside of the caboose is a railroad lover's dream.

Johnsey has collected railroad memorabilia of every fashion. He has scrapbooks filled with newspaper clippings and pictures concerning every aspect of railroading.

Included among the many pictures lining the walls is one of a train wreck in Rienzi in 1896. He also has a treasured photo of his grandfather by a steam engine in 1897.

An ice chest, coal oil lamps, a woodburning stove, railroad lanterns, steps used in passenger trains, train schedules, and a conductor's chair (with insulators on the legs to keep the chair from sliding if the train stopped suddenly) are all at home in the caboose.

THE INSIDE of the caboose is painted light green and is carpeted. Red bandana cloth curtains, made by Mrs. Johnsey, cover the windows.

When the train was rebuilt a bathroom and shower, along with central heat and air, were added.

Perhaps the only comfort of home missing is a telephone -- but he does have a phone hooked up that allows him to call out to his garage.

Visitors are asked to sign a train register when they come aboard. The air brakes on the red wooden

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RIENZI CABOOSE -- Harry and Jean Johnsey of Jackson, Tenn., own a red wooden caboose in Rienzi.

The caboose was brought to Rienzi in 1975. The 23-ton caboose was built in 1924 and was used until 1974.

Industry

(Continued from Page 1)

Diversified Industries plant that is scheduled to open next week.

The 17-acre plot is the last remaining available land in Baldwin's industrial park, according to Prentiss County Board of Supervisors' President J.P. Davis.

"It's just great. There are a lot of things that could be said. But it's hard to come up with words," said Davis, within whose district the new plant will be constructed.

"We're just really pleased that Mesker-Clark is coming to Baldwin," he said. "There was a lot of competition. And it was a joint effort by Harry Martin and the Community Development Foundation of Tupelo, Mayor Rowan and his board and the Prentiss County Board of Supervisors. And thanks to that cooperative effort this is going to be a reality in Baldwin."

John Vickroy, president of Mesker-Clark, said there were several reasons his company chose Baldwin over other considered sites that included Amory.

"We liked the size of Baldwin very much," Vickroy said. "And we liked the fact that it has an industrial park that has been so well planned and thought through to begin with.

"If you take those considerations, along with the sincere approach of all of Baldwin's city officials, and, of course, Harry Martin's assistance... By the time we put it all together, we found that Baldwin was the right place for us to be," he said.

Vickroy said his son, Stephen Vickroy, will be sent to Baldwin as project manager to oversee construction and organization of the new plant. "But we expect that we will be hiring people from this area to both manage the plant, and to run it," he said.

Vickroy said Mesker-Clark hopes to begin construction on the Baldwin facility "sometime in

June... July at the latest." And he said the projected opening date for the plant is February or March 1985.

"We're extremely happy and proud to welcome Mesker-Clark as a part of our growing community," Rowan said, noting that Baldwin has now seen the addition of two new industries and the expansion of another (BioClinic) within the last year.

Rowan said he especially wanted to thank Martin and his employees at the CDF and Davis and the Prentiss County Board of Supervisors for their assistance in the acquisition of the new industry.

"The refreshing thing about working in this area is the ability of officials from both counties to work

as a team," said Martin, who said he had accompanied Rowan and county officials to St. Louis several times during the course of the negotiations with Mesker-Clark.

Asked if there were any plans for acquisition of additional industrial park land for Baldwin now that the Gordon Park is full, Davis said, "There are future plans to look for additional acres, and we'll soon be into that stage.

"We have to take a look at what's available. We don't know if there is anything available. But we will be looking around. And, when the opportunity presents itself, I'm sure we will be trying to get some more land for industrial expansion in Baldwin," Davis said.



SIGNING AGREEMENT--Baldwin Mayor Merle Rowan (seated left) and Mesker Clark Inc. President John Vickroy (standing) sign the necessary papers to start the ball rolling on construction of Baldwin's newest industry. Looking on is Baldwin City Attorney Paul Haynes Sr. (Photo by Ed Woodward)

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## Report

program. We have now added an additional 4 million dollars to the Medicaid fund which should keep it at its present level for the next year.

The House approved \$494 million to fund the minimum foundation program of education for the next year. This covers the state portion of education programs and teachers salaries.

The House also approved an appropriation to fund the administrative expenses to carry out the provisions of the Education Reform Act of 1982.

On another taxing matter, the House approved a bill designed to ease potential tax increases for Mississippi homeowners upon completion of statewide property reappraisal. The House Bill provides that homestead exemption be based on a flat dollar amount rather than on

the exemption of certain mills on the first \$5,000 of assessed valuation as it now is.

The final effects of changes in our homestead exemption laws on counties, cities, and individuals are uncertain as tax bases vary from county to county. The members of the Legislature are genuinely concerned that taxes on homes and farms do not increase drastically as the counties complete the court ordered reappraisal.

Since the Senate is considering a somewhat different approach to our homestead laws, we will no doubt be spending much more time and effort in this area.

I remain dedicated to the proposition that homeowners and landowners be given every possible consideration toward fair and reasonable property taxes.

This week the House Ways and Means Committee will be considering a bill to raise the legal age of persons to purchase beer and light wine. A subcommittee conducted hearings last week on a Senate-passed bill that raises the age from 18 years old to 19.

Several student groups have testified in favor of raising the legal drinking age, and most of the controversy has focused on whether it should be raised to 19 or to 21. I have supported a raise in the drinking age.

This week we will continue looking at general bills that were approved by the Senate.

I will continue to keep you informed about the House's actions in these final weeks of the session. If you have any questions about any of the proposals pending before us, please do not hesitate to contact me at 948-7321.

## Ayes

to fund state agencies and programs for the year beginning July 1. To fund the budget, the Senate adopted a \$143 million tax increase package.

I voted against the package because I am not nearly convinced that a tax increase of this magnitude is needed.

The tax package included:  
- a change in the state income tax. The bill would require three percent to be paid on the first \$5,000 of earnings and four percent on the next \$5,000 (which is current law), five percent on the \$10,000 to \$15,000 bracket (current law which was to expire Dec. 31, 1985) and six percent on all over \$15,000.

- continuation of the six percent sales tax of which one-half percent was due to go off June 30, 1984 at the other one-half percent was due to expire Dec. 31, 1986, but no additional sales tax in excess of that presently being collected.

- an addition on one cent per pack tax on cigarettes.  
- a markup on alcoholic beverages to yield \$1.5 million annually which equals five percent surtax.  
- imposition of a five percent surtax on beer and light wine excise or privilege taxes.  
- removal of the credit of the insurance premium tax against income tax owed by foreign and domestic insurance companies.  
- increase in the contractor's tax from two and one-half percent to three percent.

The bill calls for \$25 million of the revenue to be diverted to the Highway Department. The bill proposed by the Finance Committee had provisions to increase the tax on motor fuels, place a surtax on income taxes and remove the sales tax exemption on prescription drugs.

These proposals were eliminated in favor of upping the income tax. The bill now goes to the House of Representatives for consideration.

## Altitude News

By BLINDA DUNAWAY  
Correspondent

Special belated birthday wishes go to Mrs. Lena Smith who celebrated her 89th birthday March 31. Joining her for a birthday dinner on Saturday at her home were six of her seven daughters, Mauvoline Harling, Earnestine Cooksey, Clynease Hearn, Pearl Johnson, Alice Lambert, and Shirley Johnson.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker of Iuka, Cleatus Hearn of Mantachie, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hearn, Pam and Denny, Diane Bearden and Starsky, Helen Johnson, Cindy and Kenneth, Joan Bonds, Rickey Gargus, Marcie Coker and Dianna all of the Booneville area.

Mrs. Smith expresses thanks to everyone for remembering her on her birthday, but considers her being able to be with them on this occasion the best gift of all.

Others who visited with Mrs.

Lena Smith over the week to wish her a happy birthday were Oren Hare, Lester Hare and Ralph Hare.

Lucille Hare, Gary Hopkins, Sean and Barry, and Jeff Taylor enjoyed a visit to Shiloh Military Park on Saturday. They also visited with Mrs. Annie Lee Grear, cousin of Lucille, and Gear's Egg Farm in Michie, Tenn.

Lucille Hare visited on Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Inez Pollard and family in the Berea community and in Iuka with the George Rhear family.

We were glad to have Mrs. Elvia Moorman back for church services at Carter's Chapel on Sunday. Myrtle Cole was missed from services due to illness.

Terry Phillips remains in the local hospital.

Julie Kennedy was the weekend guest of Jennifer Dunaway.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Lambert who were married March 30 at Gaston Church. Jeff is the son of Harmon Lambert and

Brenda Vick. Tara is the daughter of Jimmy and Ann Fisher.

Visitors of Myrtle Cole over the weekend were Travis Riddle, Lee Cole, Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Lee and Mrs. Darst.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. McAnally were Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Church and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmon King and Kamie had as their guest on Sunday Mrs. Linda Enis, Sissy and Scotty, Mr. and Mrs. Danny King and Daniel, Mrs. Helen Harris, Laurie, Teresa, Crystal and Jeremy Wallace.

Estelle Taylor visited last week in Jackson, Tenn., with Faye Martin and Marty.

Kay Taylor, Timmy and Jeff and Alice Wroten recently made a trip to Birmingham to visit with Alice's brother, Jesse Burns and other family members.

Mrs. Callie Chase celebrated her 84th birthday on Sunday. Several family members joined her for a dinner. Bernice Chase visited later

in the afternoon.

Wishes for a happy anniversary are extended to Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Beard and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Morgan.

Happy birthday wishes this week go to Dianne Bearden, Angela Moorman, Callie Chase, Michelle Williams, Darlene Wilson, Nelda Carpenter and Wyvolette Tallant.

Saturday dinner guests of Mrs. Bernice Chase were Dr. and Mrs. David Chase and Tara.

David Riddle was honored with a birthday supper on Saturday night March 31. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cummings and Greg, Mr. and Mrs. David Wayne Riddle, Max Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Cromeans, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Green, Bradley and Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff McSorley, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Riddle, Glenn and Tracy, Peggy Griffin and Gena.

Lucille Hare and Buyde Pippin enjoyed a visit on Wednesday with George and Wilma Dillion.

## East Pleasant Ridge News

By MARY EDDIE TYUS  
Correspondent

Mrs. Gwin Chaffin of South Prentiss visited her aunt, Mrs. Chessie Prentice, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Prentice spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Mooney of Booneville.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Stickland and Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Little of Baldwyn visited Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Pruitt Friday night.

Sunday was "Ladies Day" at East Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church. The men cooked and served breakfast to the ladies. All Sunday School classes were taught by the women. The choir was all

women. Special music was provided by Lisa Gray. During the worship hour three of the ladies read the Bible and gave testimony. Bro. Wallis preached Sunday night.

Guests last week of Mrs. Verda Mae Stubblefield were Mrs. Catherine Shook, Mrs. Bobbie Sanders, Mrs. Peggy Echols, all of Booneville, Mrs. Faye Murphy of Meadow Creek community, and Mary E. Tyus.

Mrs. Odis Ray Taylor and Billy Ray Powell of Lepanto, Ark., visited their aunt, Mrs. Alice Ratliff

last week.

Mrs. Mary E. Tyus, Mrs. Mildred Baxter and Mrs. Chessie Prentice visited Mrs. Juanita Shearon in the Booneville hospital on Thursday. Mary and Mary Jane Harling visited Mrs. Dorothy Stevens on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Essie Merryman visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Underwood, Mrs. Mary Jane Harling, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Floyd of Wheeler last week.

Mrs. Pearl Putt of Wheeler visited Mrs. Bettie Key last week.

Jennifer Key of Booneville spent the weekend with her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Chism visited his mother, Mrs. Joyce Chism Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mildred Baxter visited her sister, Mrs. Frankie Hendrix, at the NMMC at Tupelo last week. Mrs. Hendrix is recovering from surgery. Weekend guests of Mrs. Baxter were Donna and Dustin Pannell and Dedra Hall of Saltillo.

Sympathy is extended to the Lillie Hitt family. She passed away last week.

## Dry Creek News

By CHRIS DAVIS  
Correspondent

Mrs. Gay Barkley, Monica and Matt spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Duane Murley and Melissa.

Lanny Prentiss spent Tuesday night with Mr. Jimmy Prentiss.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis visited Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Linda Williams, Lee, Greda and Darrell.

Mrs. Jewel Hubbard visited Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Bullock visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Chris Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronny Davis and Kerry and Chris Davis dined out on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis were Saturday night supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lewis, Maria and Bubba.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Pannell and Tony visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Pannell and Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Clark in Ripley.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Rowland visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Pannell.

Mrs. Rachel Pannell visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Paine and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Olive.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lewis and family were Sunday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis.

Everyone enjoyed the fellowship of the birthday party for Mrs. Floriece Furtick and Miss Ida Ledbetter on Saturday night at Concord Fellowship Hall.

Mrs. Tammy Eaton and Deanna spent Saturday with Mrs. Gladys Wingo.

We have a great number of sick people in the community. It seems the flu virus is out again.

Our prayers go out for Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Cox who are both in intensive care at Tupelo hospital from an automobile accident Friday night.

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# Sports

## Baseballers Having Problems

By SCOTT McKINNEY  
Sports Writer  
Northeast Mississippi Junior College's baseball team continued to have early season problems last week as they dropped three consecutive games.

The Tigers lost to powerful

Oakton Community College of Illinois Thursday, then dropped a North Division doubleheader to East Mississippi JC on Saturday. The Tigers will travel to Morehead for a doubleheader with Mississippi Delta JC tomorrow. And Sunday Northeast will be in

Jackson, Tenn., to play a twin-bill with Jackson State. The Red Raiders from Oakton, Ill., proved to be too strong for the Tigers last week. They pounded twelve home runs to beat Northeast 21-0. Keith Wimberly of Iuka took the

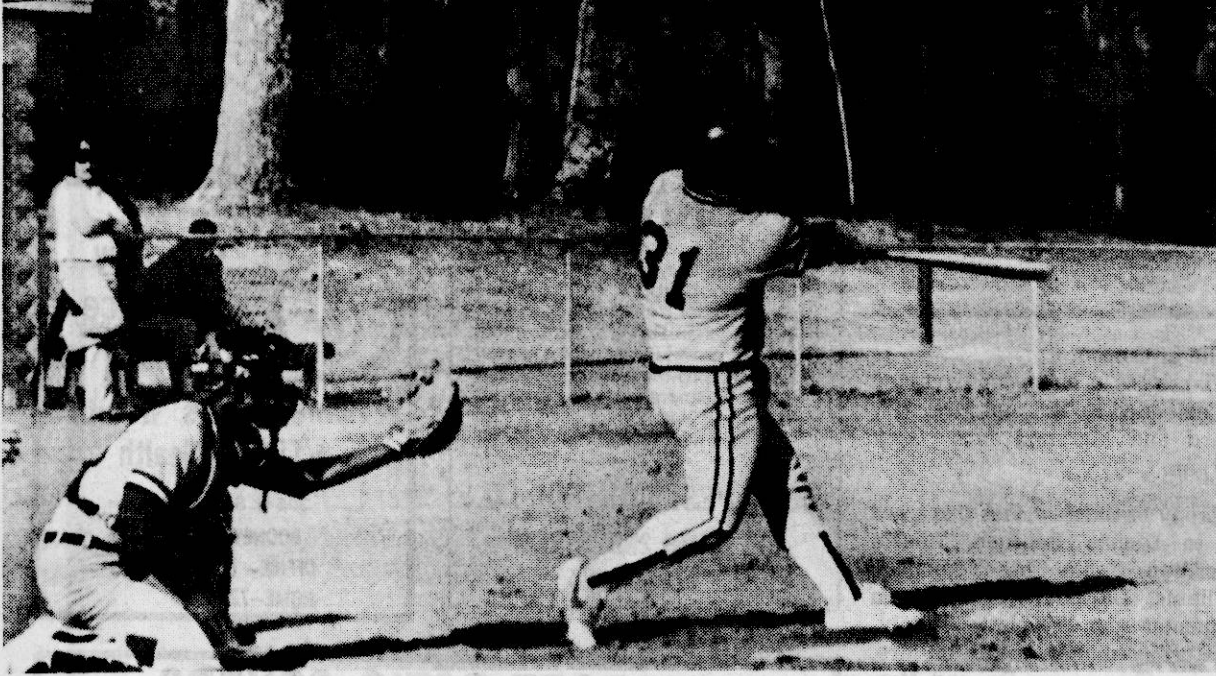
loss for the Tigers. Booneville's Dwight Wright led the Northeast attack at the plate -- an attack that was quickly shut down by the powerful Oakton pitching.

On Saturday the Tigers had high hopes of gaining revenge on the EMJC Bulldogs, who had already beaten them twice this year. But those hopes soon diminished and EMJC beat Northeast 15-8 and 11-0.

The first game of the doubleheader was tied 7-7 after regulation play and the teams headed into extra innings. But the Bulldogs broke open a close game in the eighth inning and racked up eight runs to capture the victory. Iuka's Keith "Skeeter" Bryant was charged with the loss for Northeast. Greg Oakley of Booneville, Todd Wagner, and Wimberly all homered for the Tigers.

East Mississippi took complete control in the nightcap. Pitcher David Boykin threw a one-hitter to shut out Northeast. Four Bulldogs connected for home runs, helping keep EMJC on top.

Doug Riley was charged with the loss for the Tigers. Northeast was scheduled to play earlier this week against Coahoma and Northwest. But results of those games were not available at presstime.



SWING OF VICTORY -- Northeast Junior College baseball player Dwight Wright of Booneville connects for a base hit in the Tigers recent victory over Coahoma

Junior College at the City Park. Northeast beat Coahoma 13-3 and 9-0 in the North Division doubleheader. (Photo by Scott McKinney)

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## Special Olympics Track

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The Mississippi Special Olympics Area 14 Track and Field Meet will be held Friday, April 6, at Warrior Stadium in Corinth at 9 a.m.

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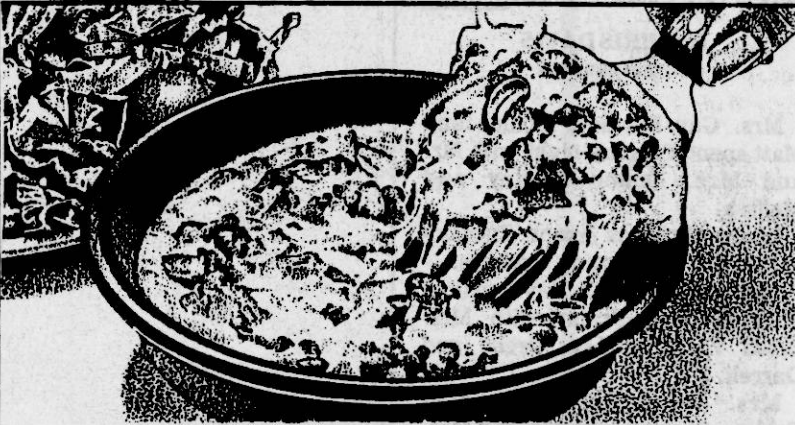


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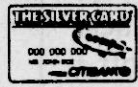
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After A Slow Start

Tennis Team Looks To Conference Play

By SUZANN SIMS  
Staff Writer

After a successful season last year that ended in a state championship for the women, as well as a birth at the National Junior College Championships, the Northeast Junior College tennis team is hoping to have an even better year as it welcomes back five sophomores and a talented group of freshmen.

Even though the Tigers got off to a slow start against Alabama and Tennessee teams, they have done well this season within the state. The Tigers are beginning to find a winning rhythm coming into the home-stretch which leads to the state championships at the end of the month.

Leading the way for the women in 1984 is sophomore Kathy Arnold from Booneville. Kathy has a 3-2 record in singles and a 4-1 record in doubles action with her partner Lori

Owens of Corinth.

The men's team is led by sophomores Dwayne Grubbs of New Albany and John Little of Corinth. Together as a doubles team and also in singles competition, their records stand at 3-3.

During the first month of competition, the men's team compiled an even record of 3-3, while the ladies' team ended the month with a 2-3 record.

However, as the final month of play begins and the conference matches begin to roll around, Coach Emma Braddock believes the Tiger tennis team looks as though it could be one of the strongest teams in the North. Coach Braddock, now in her 20th year as a teacher and coach, also expects the team to do well in the state tournament scheduled for April 25-28.

Remaining home matches for the Tiger team include Meridian, April 5; Copiah Lincoln, April 6; Northwest, April 12; and LJC, April 17.



TIPS FROM THE COACH - Northeast Junior College tennis coach Emma Braddock (right) discussed strategy with player Kathy Arnold of Booneville.

NEMJC Spring Football Workouts Start

By SCOTT McKINNEY  
Sports Writer

Coach David Carnell and his Northeast Tigers started their 1984 spring football workouts this week in preparation for the fall season. The Tigers will work-out for the next four weeks, concluding on May 2.

Currently, the workouts include only those players who are not involved in the baseball program. Carnell plans for the baseball group to join the footballers when they conclude their season.

Carnell said that the Tigers will concentrate on the basics during the spring workouts -- especially

blocking and tackling.

"We'll stick to the fundamentals this spring. That's about all most teams work on at this time," Carnell said. "We will be looking for some people to step in and fill some vacant positions, also."

Northeast opens the 1984 fall season at home against Hinds Junior College on September 1.

Carnell also announced that the Tigers have added four more signees to their fall squad. Randy Fredrick and Randy Davis of New Albany, Kevin Crum of Falkner, and Ricky Taylor of Iuka are Carnell's latest additions.

He said Northeast is still looking for out-of-state players to sign.

Northeast Lacking On Both Sides Of Plate

Northeast Junior College's Tiger baseball team, currently sporting an unsavory record of 2-11, is looking for extra support in the batter's box to offset coach Billy Southward's problems at the

mound.

"If we're going to pick up some wins, our hitting has got to dominate," Southward said. "We've got a limited number of pitchers to start with, and one of

them is sick. The rest are being bothered by their arms."

The Tigers' number-one pitching ace is sophomore Eric Lancaster of Corinth. Lancaster also poses the most potent hitting attack with a

.471 average in ten games. However, Lancaster is sick, making the Tigers double losers both at the mound and at the plate.

Right behind Lancaster in hitting is Daryl Rogers.

Thrasher Invitational Tourney Underway

By GREG SHOOK  
Sports Writer

The Thrasher Invitational Tournament is now well under way. And it has drawn more than just local players.

It has attracted area high school stars like Mike Chandler and Willie Miller, all-state performers from Wheeler, and Tony Tate, another Wheeler stand-out.

Tim Jumper and Clay Johnson, two freshman powerhouses from Booneville, Thrasher High School's Bill Windham, a 6'7" forward, and Paul McCutchen, a 6'2" forward, and Rickey Burress from Jumbertown are all dribbling on the Thrasher boards with their respective teams this week.

There are many other high school athletes in the tournament, but there is not space to name them all.

The Thrasher tournament has also brought in some of the top college names in the area. Calvin Fields, Roosevelt McCombs, Marlin McGaughy, Terry Ball, Ronnie Elam and Michael 'Tank' Groves are participating from Northeast

Mississippi Junior College.

James Frank Swinney, who was with the Delta State Statesmen, and Terry Ballard, who signed with DSU, but returned to Prentiss County to play with the NEMJC Tigers, are also playing.

So far, the tournament has gone well, offering plenty of action. And Coach Jacky Rowsey, tournament director, encourages everyone to come out and root for their favorites. Finals will be held on Saturday night at 7.

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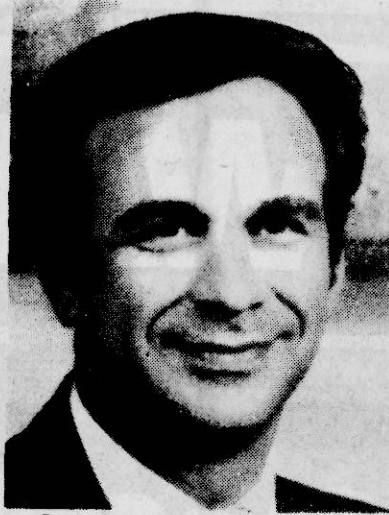




THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

We Ought To Give God Only Our Best

By Larry E. Hill



Larry E. Hill, Pastor  
First United  
Pentecostal Church

Many times a promise of God seems almost too good to be true. "And all things, whatsoever ye shall ask in prayer, believing, ye shall receive." Matthew 21:22. Only God can make such a promise without adding many exceptions. Man, looking at such a promise, immediately begins to qualify such a statement, destroying it! The doubter begins by stating, "All things" does not mean all things. Then he proceeds to modify the "ye" to mean a few people that lived almost 2000 years ago. To dilute God's word edifies man and attempts to make God unloving and unconcerned with His body. The church is the Body of Christ. Jesus died that the body could live victoriously-spiritually, physically and eternally. Why modify God's promises? They work so well just as they are written. "Whatsoever ye shall ask in prayer believing, ye shall receive." It sounds too simple? Yes,

the Word of God only becomes complex when men begin changing, altering and inserting their own variety of unbelief. God's Word is powerful-believed just as it is written.

Unbelief comes in many sizes, shapes, and personalities. Some think that Faith healing may be alright for a few but not for them. Not all the blind that lived during the time of Christ were healed. Not all the lame were made to walk. My friend, it is still rare when people will take the Word of God and believe it. When obeyed and believed, the Word of God will still produce apostolic results. It is an undeniable fact that God through His word is still honoring Faith and producing miracles in the day in which we live. Please do not modify the Word of God leaving your needs unattended.

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Jacinto-Alttude, Paul Long, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Evening Worship 5 p.m.

LITTLE BROWN MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH  
Near Hobo Station, Johnny Sherrill, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Worship Service 11 a.m., Afternoon Services 5 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

LITTLE BROWN FREE WILL BAPTIST  
Route 1, New Site, Gene Gilbert, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Evening Worship 7 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer Meeting and C.T.S. 7 p.m.

LITTLE CREEK MISSIONARY BAPTIST  
Marietta, Elbert Ray Bennett, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Training Union 5 p.m., Evening Worship 5:30 p.m.

MARTIN HILL FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH  
Route 5, Hwy. 30 East, Johnny Sexton, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Evening Worship 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Church Training and Bible Study 7 p.m.

MT. PLEASANT MISSIONARY BAPTIST  
Alttitude, Jerry Hopkins, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Worship Service 11 a.m., Evening Services 5 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer Meeting 6:30 p.m.

MT. PISGAH FREE WILL BAPTIST  
Holts Southernland, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Evening Worship 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: C.T.S. and Bible Study 7 p.m.

SPRINGHILL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH  
201 Sunflower St., P.W. Harris, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:30, Worship Service 11:00, Training Union 5 p.m., 2nd and 4th Sunday, WEDNESDAY: Prayer Meeting 6:30, Bible Study 7 p.m.

OSBORNE CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH  
Route 2, Dr. Bill K. Duncan, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Worship Services, Every Sunday except 5th Sunday: 9:30 a.m., Sunday School every Sunday 10:30 a.m.

OAK HILL BAPTIST CHURCH  
Blackland Community, Dwight Messenhill, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Training Union 6 p.m., Evening Worship 7 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

NEW BURTON BAPTIST CHURCH  
Terry Scott, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., Training Union 5:30 p.m., Worship 6:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Night Services 6:30 p.m.

NEW LEBANON FREE WILL BAPTIST  
Highway 344, Bro. Gerald Taylor, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Evening Worship 5:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Church Training and Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

NEW SITE BAPTIST  
David Heg, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School, 10 a.m., Preaching 11 a.m., Sunday night 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: 6:30 p.m.

PINEY GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH  
Route 1, Doyle Ferrell, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Sunday evening 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m.

PLEASANT HILL BIBLE CHURCH  
Hwy. 30, 3 MI. East of Booneville  
Ronnie Martin, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Evening Worship 5 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Worship 6:30 p.m.

SMITH'S CHAPEL FREE WILL BAPTIST  
Jacinto Road, Benny McKinney, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., Sunday night 6:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Church Training and Bible Study 7 p.m.

WHEELER BAPTIST CHURCH  
Wheeler, Roy Marshall, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Bible Study 9:45 a.m., Morning Worship 10:55 a.m., Evening Worship 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 7 p.m.

WHEELER PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH  
North of Wheeler School, James R. White, Elder  
SUNDAY: Bible Study 10 a.m., Preaching 11 a.m.

JUMPERTOWN BAPTIST MISSION  
Jumpertown  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Morning Worship 10:30 a.m., Church Training 5:30 p.m., Evening Worship 6:15 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Midweek Prayer Meeting 6 p.m.

MARIETTA CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH  
Marietta, Horace Barnes, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Worship Service 11 a.m., Night Service 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Night Service 7 p.m.

THRASHER BAPTIST CHURCH  
Thrasher, Dave Smith, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:15 a.m., Church Training 6:30 p.m., Worship Service 7:15 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

LAKEVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH  
Meadow Creek Road, Bobby White, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Evening Worship 5 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer Meeting and Bible Study 7 p.m.

Tusculum Baptist Church  
Jacinto Rd., Bro. Billy Dowdy, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10:00 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Church Training 5:30 p.m., Evening Worship 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

Christian Methodist Episcopal

BECKLEY CHAPEL C.M.E.  
314 Sunflower St., V.J. Edner, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:45 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., first and third Sunday, Good Samaritan radio broadcast WBIP 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 6 p.m.  
REUBEN CHAPEL C.M.E.  
Airport Road, V.J. Edner, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Prayer Service 6 p.m.

MOLINNESS CHURCH OF DELIVERANCE  
Sunflower St., Archie L. Miller, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11:30 a.m., Evening Worship 7:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 7:30 p.m. FRIDAY: Night Service 7:30 p.m.

Church Of Christ

BOONEVILLE CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Highway 45 North, Doug Greenway, Minister  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:45 a.m., Sunday Worship 10:35 a.m., Evening Worship 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 7 p.m.

CARTERS CHAPEL CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Highway 344 E., Alttitude Rd., G.T. Pharr, Minister  
SUNDAY: Bible Study 9:30 a.m., Worship 10 a.m., Evening Worship 5 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 7 p.m.

HILLS CHAPEL CHURCH OF CHRIST  
4 Miles East of Booneville, Hwy. 30 E.  
Brother Charles Leonard, Minister  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:45 a.m., Worship 10:45 a.m., Evening Worship 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 7 p.m.

MARIETTA CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Marietta, Richard Goech, Minister  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:45 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m., Evening Worship 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

JUMPERTOWN CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Jumpertown  
Trey McNeill and E.R. Bruce, Ministers  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Sunday Evening 5 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 6 p.m.

JACINTO CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Jacinto, J.T. Smith, Minister  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., Evening 5:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Mid-Week Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

NEW BETHEL CHURCH OF CHRIST  
1 Mile west of New Site, on Hwy. 4  
Lee Cole, Minister  
SUNDAY: Bible Study 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m., Evening 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 7 p.m.

NORTH RIENZI CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Rienzi, Jerry Childs, Minister  
SUNDAY: Bible Study 10 a.m., Worship 10:45 a.m., Sunday Night 6:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

OAK RIDGE CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Blackland Community, Ernest L. Walker, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Bible Class 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m., Sunday night 5:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Wednesday night 7 p.m.

SNOWDOWN CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Jim Archer, Minister  
SUNDAY: Bible Classes 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., Evening Worship 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Mid-Week Bible Study 7 p.m.

ROARING HOLLOW CHURCH OF CHRIST  
East of New Site  
SUNDAY: Bible Study 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m., Evening 5 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Study 6 p.m.

STUTTS CHAPLE CHURCH OF CHRIST  
1 Mile W. of Harris Skating Rink, Hwy. 45 N.  
Robert C. Tice Sr., Minister  
SUNDAY: Bible Study 10 a.m., Preaching 11 a.m.

WEST BOONEVILLE CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Highway 4 West, Ward Hogland, Minister  
SUNDAY: Bible Study 9:45 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m., Evening Worship 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 7 p.m.

ZION'S REST CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Preacher: Grady Wigginton  
Hwy. 371, Marietta Community  
SUNDAY: Bible Study 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m., Evening Worship 5 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Mid-Week Bible Study 7 p.m.

Church Of God

BOONEVILLE CHURCH OF GOD  
Corner S. Lake & Hefchle St., James Wells, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Worship Service 11 a.m., Evening Worship 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Family Training Hour 7 p.m.  
CHURCH OF GOD  
Wheeler, J.D. Tatum, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Sunday Worship 11 a.m., Evening 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Family Training Hour 7 p.m.

INDEPENDENT CHURCH OF GOD  
North Lake & Terry St., Austin Shook, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Evening Worship 6:45 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

MARIETTA CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY  
Florence Ables, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Youth Service 6 p.m., Evening Worship 7 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

MT. OLIVE CHURCH OF GOD  
Route 4, Booneville, Andrew L. Marshall, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:45 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Worship Service 5 p.m.

Church Of God And Christ

NORTHEAST MISSISSIPPI CHURCH OF GOD AND CHRIST  
Hwy. 30 East at 344 Intersection  
Telen L. Jackson, Minister  
ASSEMBLY: Sunday 10 a.m., and 7 p.m. WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m.

BURNING BUSH CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST  
SUNDAY: Prayer 9 a.m., Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Morning Worship 11:30 a.m., Training Union 6 p.m., Evening Worship 7:45. TUESDAY: Prayer and Bible Study 7:30 p.m. FRIDAY: Evening Worship 8 p.m.

Catholic

INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE CATHOLIC  
Hwy. 45, 3 mi. South of Booneville  
Dick Zelinski, S.C.J., Pastor  
SUNDAY: Mass at 9 a.m., Confessions before Mass. Religious instructions after Mass. Rectory phone: 728-7909. THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY: Mass at the Rectory (200 Washington) at 9 a.m.

Church Of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints

MORMON  
George E. Allen Road, Wayne Whipple, Bishop  
SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Sacrament Service; 10:20 a.m. Sunday School, Primary; 11:10 a.m. Priesthood, Relief Society, Young Women. MONDAY: Family Home Evening. WEDNESDAY: 6:30 p.m. Scouting; 6:30 p.m. Seminary; 6:30 p.m. Relief Society Home Making Meeting (first Wednesday only); 7:30 Youth Activities.

United Methodist

BLYTHES CHAPEL  
Blythes Chapel Rd., John Savoy, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Worship Service 11 a.m., MYF 6 p.m., Church Service 7 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

CAROLINA UNITED METHODIST  
Route 3, Robert McCoy, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., 2nd Sunday 10 a.m., 3rd Sunday 6 p.m., 4th Sunday 10 a.m.

CHRIST UNITED METHODIST  
Route 2, Blackland, Paul Daniel, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., UMYF 6 p.m., Evening Worship 7 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

CROSS ROADS UNITED METHODIST  
Route 3, Robert McCoy, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., 2nd Sunday 6 p.m., 3rd Sunday 11 a.m., 4th Sunday 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer Meeting 5:30 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
Booneville, Charles L. Potts, Minister  
SUNDAY: Church School 9:45 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., UMYF 5:30 p.m., Junior Fellowship 5 p.m., Evening Worship 7 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Mid-Week Prayer 6:30 p.m.

GRACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
East Church St., C.D. Edge, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 9:45 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., UMYF 5 p.m., Evening Worship 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Bible Study 7 p.m.

Pentecostal

THE EAST BOONEVILLE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH  
1400 East Church  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Youth Service 5 p.m., Evening Worship 6 p.m. THURSDAY: Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

EMMANUEL UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH  
Hwy. 4 East, Wayne Isbell, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday morning 10 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m., Youth Service 5 p.m., Evening Worship 6:30 p.m., Ladies' Auxiliary 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer and Bible Study 7:15 p.m.

FIRST PENTECOSTAL CHURCH  
204 North Lake St., Larry Hill, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday School 10 a.m., Morning Worship (Broadcast WBIP F.M.) 11 a.m., Youth Fellowship 5:15 p.m., Evening Worship 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer and Bible Study 7 p.m.

Presbyterian

BOONEVILLE PRESBYTERIAN  
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Joe Pack Arnold, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Sunday Morning Worship 9 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m.

THE HOUSE OF PRAYER ASSEMBLY OF CHRIST  
Route 4, Booneville, Leland Owens, Pastor  
SUNDAY: Worship 5 p.m.



## Drug Abuse Prevention

# Program, Poster Contest Nurse's Idea



**OVERALL WINNER**--Prentiss County Superintendent of Schools J. W. Greene presents Darla Grimes with a plaque declaring her the Overall Winner in the recent Drug Abuse Prevention Poster Contest initiated by County School Nurse Renata Eaton in conjunction with the Drug Abuse Prevention Program Ms Eaton has

started in the county schools. Darla, a sixth grade student at Thrasher Elementary School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Grimes. Sixth grade students from all the schools in the Prentiss County School District were invited to participate in the poster contest.



**JUMPERTOWN POSTER CONTEST PARTICIPANTS**--Displaying their winning posters in the recent Drug Abuse Prevention Poster Contest are: (left to right-first row) Tresa Pannell, Jennifer Harden and Ginger Geno. Other participants from Jumpertown

sixth grade classes were: (second row) Angela Hans, Leigh Smith, Melissa Rodgers, Cindy Ward, Marcella White, Sherri Lambert, (third row) Reggy Eaton, Greg Windham, Charles Smart and Melissa Voyles.



**MARIETTA POSTER CONTEST PARTICIPANTS**--Winners from Marietta in the Drug Abuse Prevention Poster Contest, proudly displaying their winning posters, are: (left to right-front row) Mathew Jackson,

Robert Bott and Scotty Lindsey. Other Marietta sixth graders who participated in the contest were: (second row) Tari Bray, Russell Burdette, Jamie Kee, William Rice and Don Pounds.



**WHEELER POSTER CONTEST WINNERS**--Wheeler sixth grade students who participated in the recent Drug Abuse Prevention Poster Contest display their

winning posters. Pictured, left to right, are Mary Sides, Chris Felks and Mick Guy.

By ED WOODWARD  
Managing Editor

Winners were recently announced in a drug abuse prevention poster contest for sixth grade classes from Prentiss County schools.

The contest was part of a drug abuse prevention program presented to students in the county schools by County School Nurse Renata Eaton.

Ms. Eaton said it just seemed natural that the school nurse be the one to initiate the anti-drug program. "I spoke with counselors from the Timber Hills Mental Health Complex and the sheriff's department. And all the information I came up with showed that we do have a bad drug problem in the county," Ms. Eaton said.

"According to the sheriff's department, most of our juvenile arrests are due to involvement with drugs," she said.

"So, due to what I found out, and all the articles I had read on how to handle drug abuse prevention, I knew that the place for such a program was in the lower grades. And I just picked the sixth grade as an experimental group," Ms. Eaton said.

She said the first thing she found out about her experimental group was that they already "knew a great deal" about drugs.

"I asked them questions prior to my presentation and they gave me a whole lot of information."

"So, I chose them, and partly as a way to keep up their interest in the program, and possibly to cause some interest in the other grades, I had them do a drug abuse prevention poster contest," she said.

The posters were displayed at the George E. Allen Library. Certificates were presented to the individual winners at each school, and a plaque was presented to the overall winner, Darla Grimes of Thrasher Elementary School.

"We are continuing this drug abuse prevention education in the other grades," Ms. Eaton said. She said what she has done so far has been mostly an individual effort, with backup support from School Superintendent J.W. Greene, law enforcement officials and Timber Hills.

"I've had speakers. But, in sixth

grade I didn't even have speakers. I just did it myself. We set up with examples of the drugs, and just gave them basic information from pamphlets," she said.

She said, though the poster contest involved only the sixth grade, the program actually covered sixth through 12th grades. "And, now, we're working with first through fifth," she added.

"It was initially experimental. But, now, since we have done this much, I'm starting with the first grade. And we're doing things like showing them films strictly geared for young children."

"They have the same information, but stress points like,

facts," she said. "My understanding is that you have to give the whole package, because a 1977 study showed that, when they gave just the facts about drugs, the drug use in schools actually increased."

"They gave them just enough facts to interest them in trying drugs, instead of discouraging them. We were actually teaching them drug abuse, rather than drug abuse prevention," Ms. Eaton said.

"We gave them facts about what drugs did, and they went out and tried it. We cut off there, instead of bringing in more things like, 'How do I cope with my fears?'... 'How do I cope with my parents?'... 'What can I do to get peer pressure off of me, rather than take a drug?'" she said.

Ms. Eaton said the program also treats alcohol and tobacco as drugs. "Teenagers get addicted to alcohol so much more quickly than adults," she said.

"I knew it (alcohol) was here (in Prentiss County). But I didn't realize to what extent until I started this program. Miss Price told me that Prentiss County has had more arrests for DUI in the juvenile area than any other surrounding county. So, something has gone wrong somewhere."

Ms. Eaton said the program will expand in the future to include more speakers. "With these same groups I will have law enforcement people come in, so they will know what the consequences are legally, as well as to their health."

"I hope we can do more," Ms. Eaton said. "And I hope the community becomes more involved."

"Parents need to be made aware that there is a drug problem in the community. People don't want to admit there is a problem. And, consequently, it's not coming together. We need to work with the organized programs that are already active in the surrounding counties," she said.

"There is too much of a tendency for parents to say, 'We don't have it here,' and 'My kid wouldn't do that.' And, maybe, through this, we can make them aware that the problem is here, and it could affect their children."

"And I think, if we get some parents aware, they'll be all for it," she said.

Asked how the children, themselves, had reacted to the program, Mrs. Eaton said, "They were enthusiastic. And they want more."



Ms. Renata Eaton

don't take medicine at home unless your parents give it to you, and don't take anything from strangers," Ms. Eaton said.

She said that, by next year, the drug abuse prevention program will be a schoolwide effort. Asked if there was any association with DREAM or the Kids Against Drugs program, she said, "Right now, I am in contact with Ronnie Price, a juvenile court counselor. And I have been in contact with the people who will be sponsoring the program next Friday at Northeast."

"We are going to try to make this program a yearly thing. It is written up in our education form that we have to teach drug abuse..." She corrected herself. "...drug abuse prevention."

"It is written 'drug abuse'. But all the literature says you teach 'drug abuse prevention.' And you start in the first grade," Ms. Eaton said.

"And you give more than just



**THRASHER POSTER CONTEST PARTICIPANTS**--Winners from the sixth grade at Wheeler Elementary School in the Drug Abuse Prevention Poster Contest were (left to right, displaying posters) Karey McAnally, Darla Grimes (also Overall Winner) and Junior

Michael. Other participants in the contest, pictured without posters, were: (left to right-first row) Charles Eaton, Marsha Ross, Michelle Robinson, (second row) Stephanie Burruss, Kristi Owens, Mitchell Beene and Brian Hood.



**HILLS CHAPEL POSTER CONTEST WINNERS**--Drug Abuse Prevention Poster Contest winners from Hills Chapel sixth grade were: (left to right, with posters) Delisa Burcham and Malcolm Rice. Also a winner, but not shown, was Kristi Jacobs. Other participants from Hills Chapel were: (left to right-second

row) James Bullock, Joey Cron, Heidi Crow, Tina Holley, Greta Lambert McKenna Mull, Gregory Banega, (third row) Tim Arnold, Allyn Yarber, Anthony Laster, Cathy McKinney, Michael Denson and Connie Perry.



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