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Roundup

Devil Band Rates High

The Booneville High School Blue Devil Marching Band received four superior ratings and two excellent ratings in competition this week in the state marching band contest.

The superior ratings were given for concert performance, marching, inspection, and drum major. The band received excellent ratings for sight reading and student conductor.

Franchise

Signed

The Baldwin Board of Mayor and Aldermen has signed a franchise agreement with Heritage Cablevision, according to Mayor Merle Rowan.

Rowan said the agreement was signed at the regular April board meeting. It is the same agreement previously signed by the Booneville, Saltillo and Guntown Boards, with one exception.

"We insisted they add a clause guaranteeing not to remove the two microwave Memphis channels, 5 and 13, from our system," he said.

Baldwin and the other three cities had originally formed a coalition to negotiate identical franchise agreements with Heritage.

Baldwin was the last of the four communities to sign an agreement.

Area School Closings

The Prentiss County Schools will be closed on Thursday and Friday, April 19 and 20. Students will not report either day.

Thursday, April 19, will be an AIM workday for Prentiss County teachers. They should report to Hills Chapel School at 8 a.m. Good Friday will be observed April 20.

Booneville City Schools will be closed Friday, April 20, in observance of Good Friday.

Support

RR Sale

Eighteen of the largest shippers currently using the Illinois Central Gulf Railroad in Mississippi either support the sale of the line or remain neutral pending an exploratory conference with officials of the firm expected to buy the line.

Bill Barrett, executive director, North Mississippi Industrial Development Association, said 16 of these 18 shippers met in Artesia, Miss., April 9, while two others submitted statements of interest.

There is a growing concern among some communities that the prospective buyer, L.B. Foster Company of Pittsburg, will dismantle the railroad and sell it for scrap.

Dennis Peterson, president, Northeast Mississippi Rail Users Association, and president, Oil-Dri Corporation, said that his group of 42 shippers fully endorses and solidly supports the ICG sale to Foster pending expected service agreements.

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Wilson Point

Power May Not Be Corps' Responsibility

By ED WOODWARD
Managing Editor

Though they have agreed to study the situation further, representatives of the Nashville District Office of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers say it is probably not the Corps' responsibility to supply power to Wilson Point.

"John Hall of our real estate division talked with Kenneth Coker (one of the landowners at Wilson Point), and he said he thinks this would not be a restoration of service; but a new service," said Cynthia Drew of the Corps' public affairs office.

Ms. Drew has asked The Banner-Independent to send a map showing the exact location of Wilson Point.

She said her office and Hall's office would study that map before making any final statement on the Corps' responsibility.

Cecil Smith had asked the Prentiss County Power Association to extend power to the Wilson Point area, which is on the west bank of the new Bay Springs Lake. Smith is presently clearing a portion of his land which borders on the lake and intends to develop a portion of it.

The PCEPA had informed Smith that he would have to pay \$1,000 per pole, or approximately \$18,000, for them to extend power from present power lines on Ridge Road to his land, a distance of approximately eight-tenths of a mile.

Smith met with the PCEPA Board of Directors at their March 29

meeting to ask them to reconsider the amount. Though The Banner-Independent was excluded from that meeting, the board reportedly gave Smith no answer at that time.

After subsequently discussing the matter with Smith, The Banner-Independent had asked the Corps of Engineers to investigate the possibility that they might be responsible for supplying power to Smith's land, since power had originally been cut off during construction of the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway.

But, according to Hall, power was originally supplied by Tishomingo Electric Power Association to "the old Wilson home place," which is now under water.

"We bought the Wilson land, and

power was terminated when we began construction," Hall said.

"The power lines came in from the east, and they did not extend on past the Wilson house to the west. There never were any power lines on that road. And that's why there aren't any now," he said.

According to Hall, the Corps would only be responsible for supplying power to the area if it had had power before construction began. Since there was no power serving Smith's land prior to construction, Hall said the Corps is probably not responsible for supplying it now.

"Our records show the service in question would be new, not a restoration," Hall said. "We en-

tered into a contract with Tishomingo Power in the mid-1970s. We bought the Wilson land, and they abandoned the power lines going to it. But there were none going past the house and up that road."

Hall said he thought extension of the power would have to be a matter between Smith and the PCEPA.

Smith said he was disappointed about the word from the Corps. But he had not waited for the answer. "I have a private contractor looking at it to give me an estimate. He thinks he can do it for less than the \$18,000 the PCEPA wants," he said.

"And the power company has agreed to let me tie on to their lines at no charge if I do that," Smith said.

Hypnotist 'Programs' Students Against Illegal Use Of Drugs

By ED WOODWARD
Managing Editor

Though watching a group of their fellow students stand on a stage petting invisible, tiny, winged, pink elephants made the audience laugh, John M. Novak assured that audience that taking drugs can make them do things equally strange, but not funny and often dangerous.

Novak claims his presentations, like the ones he gave to over 1,000 Prentiss County youths last Friday, actually program youths to avoid drugs.

Novak gave two such presentations Friday, April 6 - one in the morning at Bonner Arnold Coliseum for high school students from both the city and county school districts, and one in the afternoon for students at Anderson Junior High School.

The tall, slim, distinguished looking gentleman with gray hair and a gray pencil-thin moustache, uses both illusion and hypnosis to illustrate that, though drugs are not

necessarily bad, abusing them is.

And he proves to youth that they can control themselves and do not have to let the "puppeteers" who capitalize on a teen's vulnerability to peer pressure make them use drugs or alcohol.

"We've proven that you can take kids, sit them down, let them have a lot of fun and still get them to think," Novak said.

"You may have a thousand (there were 839 at the Friday morning presentation). But if just one kid learns from the program, it's a success," he said.

Novak said he has been working with illusions and hypnosis for over 40 years - his father was in show business - and began offering his anti-drug abuse performances at the suggestion of his teen-aged (at the time) daughter.

He claims that his audiences actually leave his presentations "programmed" to refuse drugs and alcohol when they are offered.

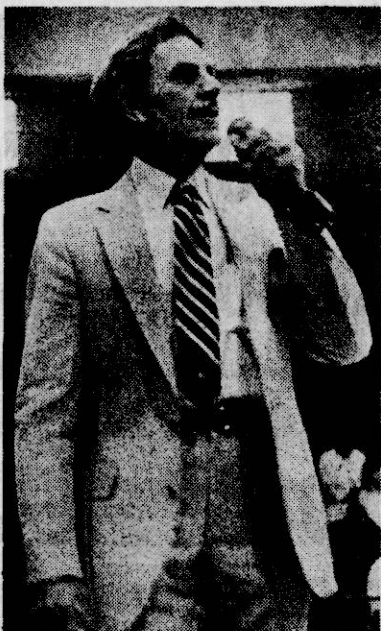
"The way it works...What they see on the stage is programmed in such a way that, even though they are laughing when they see the kids on the stage do silly things...see pink elephants, think the boy next to them is their mother...and they may walk out and forget about it two or three hours later; a week later, they can be on the street, and someone will come up and say, 'Hey! I've got some marijuana.'"

"The word, marijuana...or drugs...trips the computer...their brain...and they remember what they saw, and they make a decision...I don't need it...This isn't my friend. It's my puppeteer."

"And, of course, it's not always another teenager who offers them the drugs," said Novak's tour coordinator, Ms. Fran Campbell. "It could be an adult, someone the youth may look up to and respect. It's not always another teenager," she said.

"I don't tell them not to do it,"

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JOHN M. NOVAK



BRUSH CREEK BEAGLES - Cecil Lambert of Tusculumbia has trained beagles for about 25 years. He has bred and sold several field trial champions.

Pictured with Lambert are (l-r) Ginger, Speck, Suzy, and Linda. (Photo by Angela Smith)

For Cecil Lambert

'Beagling' Is A Way Of Life

By ANGELA SMITH
Staff Reporter

When it comes to beagles, Cecil Lambert is an authority.

Lambert has about 30 dogs in pens behind his home in Tusculumbia. Most are beagles which he calls his Brush Creek Beagles. But there are also some deer, squirrel and koon dogs in the bunch.

"I was originally born a fox hunter," Lambert says. "But when I quit fox hunting I went to 'beagling'."

And now his beagles are his favorite hobby.

HE SAW he needed a place to train his beagles so about 15 years ago he enclosed 10 acres of land. Five years ago he enclosed 10 additional acres.

The 20 acres of "enclosure" are now home for 20-30 rabbits.

The idea of having the enclosure is to start his beagle puppies running rabbits, he said.

As far as he knows, he is the only person in Prentiss County with such an enclosure.

One of the best things about the enclosure is that it is located practically in his backyard.

The 20 acres are enclosed by a

special wire, resembling chicken wire, ordered from Peoria, Ill. The bottom of the wire comes out in a one-foot apron which keeps the rabbits from scratching out.

An electric wire on top of the fence keeps predators out - although he sometimes has problems with owls and hawks who prey on the baby rabbits.

Lambert occasionally orders rabbits for the enclosure. He ordered his first rabbits, common cottontails, from Big Lake, Texas.

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Economic Profile

Area's Leadership Base Competent, But Disjointed

By KEN CHRISTIAN
Publisher

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

Prentiss County has "an exceptionally competent" leadership base, according to economic

analyst Richard Walker. However, a lack of communication and a lack of funds, create problems.

The county's leaders are large in number; their backgrounds, training and professions are diverse; and they adequately represent all age groups, Walker says.

"They were perceived as being generally enthusiastic and committed to economic progress," he said. "Mostly they exuded a sense of optimism regarding the economic future of the community."

"I found a lot of able, concerned people, more than in other communities of similar size," he added.

Leadership of the county's economic development program is formally housed with the Prentiss County Development Association. This organization includes membership from all four municipalities, the county, each of the five county districts and 15 at-large representatives.

There are two industrial parks in the county, one in Booneville and one in Baldwin. Control of each lies in the hands of separate groups

which include the local governments which sponsored the parks initially.

As in all small communities, there are a number of devious issues facing Prentiss County. The question of what to do with the schools dominates. "However, this and other less important concerns appear solvable with due deliberations and adequate communication among groups," Walker says.

Besides being disjointed, none of the county's groups of leaders "command resources sufficient to

do a credible job," Walker says. "In addition, their disjointed nature complicates decision making."

Other observations by Walker include:

- There is an active downtown merchants association in Booneville, but it is apparently not linked in any formal way with other related efforts.

- There is no organized existing industry component designed to assist, monitor, or communicate with the existing industry com-

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What's Going On?

Dulcimer Day Scheduled At Tishomingo
Dulcimer Day will be held Sunday, April 15, at Tishomingo State Park in front of the park museum, beginning at 1 p.m. and ending at 6 p.m. Tishomingo State Park is located three miles north of Dennis, off Mississippi Hwy. 25. For more information call the park at (601) 438-6914.

C.B. Club To Have Annual Jamboree
The Northeast Mississippi C.B. Club will have its 7th annual dance and jamboree this weekend at the West Side Community Center. Johnny Jumper's band will be featured at the dance Saturday, April 14, from 7 p.m. until 11 p.m. Admission will be \$2 for adults. Children 6 and under will be admitted free. Sunday church services will begin at 9:45 a.m. The jamboree will begin at 10 a.m. Sunday. For more information call 728-6972 or 728-3986.

Singing At Lighthouse Mission Saturday
A gospel singing will be held at the Lighthouse Mission Church of God in Marietta Saturday, April 14, at 7 p.m. featuring the Gospelaires from Hills Chapel.

Homecoming Sunday At Friendship Church
The annual homecoming, all day singing, and decoration day will be held at Friendship Church on Hwy. 4 east of New Site near Bay Springs on Sunday, April 15, beginning at 10 a.m. Lunch will be served. Those interested are asked to meet Saturday, April 14, to clean the cemetery.

Weekend Revival At Marietta Church
A weekend revival will be held April 13-15, at 7 p.m. at the Marietta United Methodist Church. Pastor Jimmy Glover will preach.

Benefit Singing For Sam Bridges
A benefit singing for Sam Bridges will be held Saturday, April 14, at 7 p.m. at the Pleasant Hill Bible Church. All proceeds will go to his family.

Annual Basketball Game Planned Saturday Night
The Wheeler Methodists and the Asbury Methodists will have their annual basketball game Saturday, April 14, at 5 p.m. at the Wheeler gym. Admission will be \$1. All proceeds will go to the youth fund.

Musical To Be Presented At Mormon Church
The missionaries from the Little Rock, Ark., mission of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints will present the musical, "The Greatest Story Ever Told," Saturday, April 14, at 7:30 p.m. at the Mormon Church on George E. Allen Drive. A nursery will be provided. The congregation invites everyone.

Youth Revival At Mt. Pisgah
A youth revival will be held at Mt. Pisgah Freewill Baptist Church April 13-15, at 7 p.m. The Rev. Gerald Taylor will preach. Services Sunday will begin at the regular time.

Revival At Calvary Church In Jacinto
Revival services at Calvary Baptist Church in Jacinto will be April 11-14, at 7 nightly. Evangelist will be Bro. Glenn Jones. Pastor Curtis Briley and the congregation invite everyone.

CT-A Will Present Childrens Theatre Production
Corinth Theatre-Arts, Inc. will present its Childrens Theatre Production of "The Wizard of Oz" on Sunday, April 15, at 2 p.m. at the Corinth Coliseum Civic Center. Tickets will be available at the Coliseum box office on the day of the performance.

Sheriff's Report

The Prentiss County Sheriff's Department reports a total of 10 arrests during the period of April 3-10. Charges placed by the sheriff's department during that period include:
Public drunkenness, 4; false pretense, 4; family disturbance, 1; DUI, 1.
A 1982 Ford pickup was stolen from Windham Ford in Baldwyn

Saturday. The pickup was recovered by the Baldwyn Police Department Sunday.

A break-in was reported March 29 at the residence of Larry Finger in the Blackland community. The items reported stolen included a stereo and stereo deck, typewriter, telephone, transcriber and micro-recorder.

Police Report

The Booneville Police Department reports a total of 20 arrests during the period of April 3-10. Charges placed by the police department during that period include:

Failure to yield right of way, 2; reckless driving, 6; family disturbance, 4; public drunkenness, 3; no tag, 4; contempt of court, 7; DUI, 5;
Suspended driver's license, 5; possession of beer, 5; no driver's license, 4; running stop light, 1; concealed weapon, 1; switched tag, 1; petty larceny, 2; simple assault, 1; improper turn, 1; speeding, 1;
shoplifting, 1; expired tag, 2.
Two chain saws were stolen from Tidwell Construction on East Chambers Drive April 7.
Lucille Parish of Route 1, Tishomingo, reported that the seats in her car were cut while it was parked at Wal-Mart. The steering wheel cover was also cut and the knobs had been removed from the radio.
Cephus Johnson of Bryant Street reported the theft of three guns and two tires April 5.
Alice Shelly of Lake Street reported the theft of jewelry April 4.


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Mothers' March Is This Sunday

The 1984 Mothers March for the March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation will be held in Booneville on Sunday, April 15, to continue efforts to prevent birth defects, the nation's number one child health problem.
"The March of Dimes is in the business of saving babies," Mrs. Debbie Flurry of Booneville said.
"This is urgent work to improve the health of America's next generations." Mothers and families throughout America will be soliciting door-to-door and by other means of personal contact to help raise much needed funds to continue the fight against birth defects, Mrs. Flurry said.
The Mothers March began in 1950 in Phoenix, Ariz. The oldest fund-

raising drive of its kind, it now takes place each year in more than 600 March of Dimes chapters throughout the country.
"Not only are the volunteers seeking contributions for the March of Dimes, they are spreading the message about the important work those funds support," Mrs. Flurry said.
Mothers March contributions make it possible to conduct programs of research, medical services, public and professional education.
"Preventing birth defects gives every baby the chance to be born healthy and whole. I think everyone should feel the need to get involved," Mrs. Flurry said.

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...unities.
— There is no plant-personnel managers association through which the major employer group could discuss issues of common interest and concern.
— There is no focused concern regarding the potential opportunities tourism may provide.
— And, there is no articulated game plan for economic development which spells out where the community is trying to go and presents strategies for getting there.

Obituaries

NOEL J. SMITH
Noel J. Smith, 75, of Route 3, Baldwyn, died Sunday, April 8, at the Jeff Anderson Memorial Hospital in Meridian following an illness of one year. Services were Wednesday, April 11, at 10 a.m. at McMillan Funeral Home chapel with Harvey Reeves officiating. Burial was in East Mt. Zion Cemetery.
Mr. Smith was a retired farmer and a Baptist.
He is survived by three sons, Harold Smith, J.C. Smith and Jackie Smith, all of Illinois; two daughters, Carol Watson of Baldwyn and Elizabeth Ann Jackson of Parson, Tenn.; a brother, Roy Smith of Corinth; 15 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.
McMillan Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

MRS. MINNIE STACY STRICKLEN
Mrs. Minnie Stacy Stricklen, 75, of Collegeview Apts., Booneville, died Wednesday, April 4, at the Baptist Memorial Hospital in Booneville following an extended illness.
Services were Friday, April 6, at 2 p.m. at McMillan Funeral Home chapel with Larry Hill officiating. Burial was in Gaston Cemetery.
Mrs. Stricklen was a Baptist and a housewife.
She is survived by her husband, Oal Stricklen; and a sister, Mrs. Edna Stricklen of Booneville.
McMillan Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

CLIFFORD CALVARY
Clifford Calvary, 80, of Route 1, Glen, died Tuesday, April 3, at the Tishomingo County Hospital.
Services were Thursday, April 5, at 2 p.m. at Liberty Hill Baptist Church with Gary Davis and Travis Smith officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.
Mr. Calvary was a Baptist and a farmer.
He is survived by his wife, Verna Smith Calvary; two daughters, Linda Whitfield of Corinth and Barbara Smith of Columbus, Ga.; a brother, Reed Calvary of Glen; a sister, Ethel Wallace of Baldwyn; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.
McMillan Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

MILFORD "NICK" NICHOLS
Milford Quinton "Nick" Nichols, 63, of Bridge City, Texas, died Saturday, March 31, at the Methodist Hospital in Houston, Texas, following a brief illness.
Services were Monday, April 2, at 10 a.m. at St. Paul's United Methodist Church with the Rev. Glenn Furguson officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Memorial Gardens near Bridge City.
A native of Booneville, Mr. Nichols had lived in Bridge City since 1955. He owned Nick's Pharmacy and was a member of the National Association of Retail Druggists, American Pharmaceutical Association, Texas Pharmacy Association, Bridge City Chamber of Commerce and St. Paul's.
He is survived by his wife, Sarah Nichols; a daughter, Margaret Nichols Jeffcoat of Huntsville; two sons, Wilbur W. Nichols of Bridge City and Milford Quentin Nichols Jr. of Austin; five sisters, Jane Castle of Beaumont, Marie Spencer, Gladys Isbell and Frances Woodruff of New Site, and Glen Finch of Memphis; four brothers, Melvin Nichols of New Site, Charles Nichols of Panama City, Fla., J.M. Nichols of New Albany, and Ray Nichols of Zion, Ill., and six grandchildren.
Claybar Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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Opposition Growing In Railroad Sale

By ED WOODWARD
Managing Editor

Since Jan. 12, when the purchase of the East Mississippi Illinois Central Gulf Railroad lines by L.B. Foster Co. of Pittsburgh, Pa., was announced, there has been increasing skepticism about Foster's actual plans for the 713 miles of railroad.

Opposition to the sale by government officials, as well as public and private agencies has gradually increased since the sale was announced.

Prior to the announcement of the sale, the ICG had indicated it would abandon the lines if a buyer were not found. Then, to complicate matters, the buyer they eventually found turned out to be one that has been in the business of buying and dismantling abandoned tracks.

mission approves the sale, many area officials flatly say they do not believe them.

Less than a week after the sale was announced, both West Point Mayor Kenny Dill and Meridian Mayor Al Rosenbaum were asking questions.

"My attitude concerning the proposed sale can best be described as cautious," Dill said. "There are a lot of questions that remain to be answered, by both buyer and seller."

"Foster needs to convince community leaders that they are willing to pump enough capital into the railroad," he said. "We need to know that they're committed to running the railroad."

Mayor Rosenbaum was reported to have said that Foster officials have consistently said they intend to operate the East Mississippi lines if the Interstate Commerce Com-

to feel that the line would eventually be abandoned by Foster and was said to be contacting other mayors whose towns are served by the lines.

Foster President Warren Kearns immediately responded to the mayors' skepticism, saying, "We have come here to help maintain a strong, viable freight transportation system for the businesses of East Mississippi. We want to help in running a railroad that will be a source of strength to the whole area and that will attract new businesses and new jobs."

Kearns announced that Kyle Railroads Inc., of California, would be retained to manage the rail lines, which would be renamed Gulf & Mississippi Railroad.

Kyle, a company that specializes in managing short-line railroads, has been operating the Natchez

Trace Railway, which runs for 55 miles from Oxford to Grand Junction, for approximately two years. And, according to John Black, president of an Oxford bank and chairman of the Lafayette, Marshall and Benton County Regional Railroad Authority, they have been doing a good job.

"Kyle is strictly top-notch," Black said. "You couldn't get anybody better to run a railway. It is extremely well-operated and shows a good profit."

But doubts about Foster's sincerity persisted. And Foster called another press conference in West Point the first week in February, with their director of marketing, John Stephen, fielding questions.

Stephen pointed out that the sale would have to be approved by the ICC, and Foster would be required to submit a detailed outline of its

plans for operating the railroad.

Stephen insisted that Foster intended to run the railroad, and not scrap it. "That's not what we're doing here," he said. "If ICG wanted to abandon the lines, they wouldn't have sold them to us. That's not how you go about it."

We're spending more to buy the tracks (estimates vary between \$22 and \$24 million) than they're worth as scrap," Stephen said.

But Dill said he was still skeptical, and said he would "reserve

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Star Student, Teacher Named At Thrasher

Tracy Dawn Wheeler has been selected as the STAR Student at Thrasher High School.

Mrs. Mary Ann Ward was designated as the STAR Teacher.

Miss Wheeler, 17, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wheeler of Route 1, Burnsville.

She is a member of the basketball team, Beta Club, 4-H Club, FHA, Society of Distinguished High School Students, Science Club and Math Club.

She has received awards in national history, national government, and the United States Achievement Academy Leadership Award.

Miss Wheeler is also editor of the school newspaper and a member of the ACE class.

After graduation, she plans to attend Northeast Junior College.

The STAR Teacher, Mrs. Mary

Ann Ward, teaches 4th, 5th, and 6th grade English. She has taught school for 22 years and taught in the New Albany City School district prior to teaching at Thrasher.

Mrs. Ward received her B.S. degree from the University of Southern Mississippi and Blue Mountain College. She received her M. Ed. degree from the University of Mississippi.

Star students are selected on the basis of academic excellence, according to the Mississippi Economic Council. American College Test scores and scholastic averages are considered.

Each STAR Student is asked to designate a STAR Teacher.

Both STAR Student and the STAR Teacher will receive certificates from the Council, in addition to being eligible for competition for scholarship awards.



STAR STUDENT AND TEACHER - Tracy Wheeler (left) has been selected as the STAR Student at Thrasher High School. Miss Wheeler designated Mary Ann Gullett Ward (right) as the STAR Teacher.

'Crossroads Critters' Need Volunteers For July 1 Battle Re-enactment

The Crossroads Critters are gearing up for another re-enactment of the historic Battle of Brice's Crossroads in which Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest routed Gen. Sturgis' Union troops, forcing them into a disorganized retreat to Memphis.

This summer marks the 120th anniversary of the battle, which was fought five miles west of Baldwyn, according to Claude Gentry, a writer, collector and historian, and proprietor of the Brice's Crossroads Museum in Baldwyn.

Gentry said community-wide involvement from both men and women is essential to the success of

the re-enactment weekend.

He said there will be a meeting of the Crossroads Critters on Tuesday, April 24, at the Baldwyn Municipal Building. The purpose of the meeting is to get the entire area involved in the event.

Gentry said over 500 participants are already signed up to participate in the battle re-enactment. But, he said, only a few are from Prentiss County.

Many are from distant states and Canada, he said.

Last year's re-enactment, the first in several years, drew approximately 250 re-enactors from such states as Ohio, Indiana and Pennsylvania.

In addition to the battle re-enactment, the festivities featured a Rebel encampment in the woods southwest of the battlefield, and a Yankee encampment at Collierville, the original site of Sturgis' camp.

Also featured was the newly restored Anne Spencer Cox home at Collierville.

Gentry said anyone wishing to participate, or anyone desiring information about re-enactment events should contact him at 365-9371 or 365-5281, James Downs at 365-3225, Clyde Tapp at 365-8771, Ronnie Joe Downs at 365-8073, Judy Downs Smith at 365-3225 or Jeff Roberson at 365-2274 or 365-5281.

VA Puts Cap On Insurance Rates

Under a policy change announced by VA Administrator Harry N. Walters, National Service Life Insurance term policyholders over age 70 will have their renewal premium rates capped at the age 70 rate, a monthly premium of \$6.18 per \$1,000 of coverage.

The VA has over a million term policies now in effect and expects that 50,000 veterans will benefit from the cap in 1984. For those who renewed their policies at age 71 or beyond, premiums will be rolled back to the age 70 rate on the scheduled September 1 effective

date.

Approximately one out of every three veterans who still carry their insurance initially chose the term plan in lieu of a permanent plan because it offers lower rates for younger veterans.

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payer, because of several factors: (1) veterans are living longer and are paying premiums for a longer period of time than was expected when the rates were set in the 1940's; (2) earnings from the reserves in the trust fund have been higher than expected; (3) dividends normally paid to policyholders whose premiums will now be capped can be used to cover additional costs which may result from freezing the rates at age 70.



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Many try to justify themselves and their religious convictions on the basis of feelings, sincerity, or uninspired writings. To determine which church is right, we must appeal to Divine authority (the New Testament) and not to human authorities. Too many people are blindly accepting anything in religion so long as the one presenting it claims to be a preacher. Why should one accept anything in religion without reading it from the Bible himself?

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Talk 'O The Town

Street Opinion

QUESTION: Do you think the public should be allowed to attend meetings of the board of directors of the Prentiss County Electric Power Association?



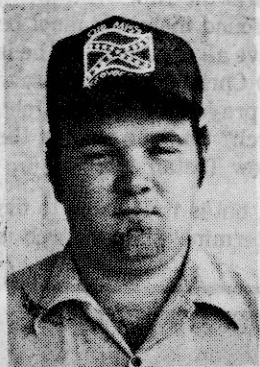
M.V. PADGETT of Route 3, Booneville: "Yes. It would let the people know what's going on."



J.P. SPARKS of Route 1, Marietta: "Sure, it ought not to be secret. Anything that belongs to the public -- the people should be able to find out what's going on at the meetings."



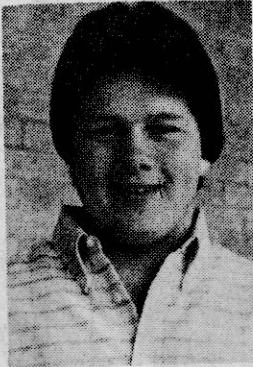
HAROLD COLEY of Route 1, Booneville: "Yes, it's supposed to be ours so we should be able to attend meetings."



RICKY SHOOK of Route 4, Booneville: "Oh yes, I sure do. Sometimes we have problems with power outages suddenly and then we're never told what caused it. I believe the people ought to know what's going on and where their money is going."



TIM HOWIE of Northeast Junior College: "Yes, I do. The people in the community need to know what's going on. I think the public should have a say so and be asked their opinions at the meetings."



BILLY WAYNE PRENTISS of Route 3, Booneville: "Yes. It's the public's right to know. They should be allowed to attend the meetings. They should know all about what they own."

(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 big news this week is something that happened last week. In fact, it's probably news you've all been waiting for. Tuesday, April 3, I had my ears pierced. I had been thinking about this for quite some while. And I had a lot of advice along the way. The only reason I had not had my ears pierced sooner was because I was chicken. (At least I am an honest chicken). But about this advice I had been given. My co-workers, who have pierced ears, assured me that it "wouldn't hurt." I wish I had a dollar for every time they had said that. One co-worker even assured me she would

have her ears pierced if I would. She said, "My word is good." (This is the same co-worker who once washed her greens in the washing machine). I would like to point out that my co-worker has not yet had her ears pierced. Of course, she didn't say WHEN she would have them pierced -- she just said she would. Donnie Goddard at Goddard's Jewelry was the brave soul who had the task of piercing my ears. (In case you're thinking about having this done, take your own blindfold and silver bullet to chew on. These important items aren't provided.) Donnie took me inside the office to pierce my ears. This was so my screams of terror wouldn't frighten away customers. Donnie did fine. She didn't scream nearly as much as I did. I didn't tell anyone I was going to get my ears pierced. I knew if I did they would want to watch my suffering. And besides, my cousin, Bob,

would have probably videotaped it. When I returned to the office and told my co-workers of my great accomplishment they inquired if it hurt when my ears were pierced. I'm not going to lie to those of you who are contemplating this. My ears tingled for just a few seconds -- such as when clip-on earrings begin pinching your ear. But that was it. Anyway, when I told my co-workers this, Suzy said, "Well, what do you expect? Of course it's going to hurt a little when you get a hole in your ear." So far, I haven't had any problems. In fact, my ears haven't even turned red (even when people are talking about me). What really irks me is that when I point out to my friends that I've had my ears pierced they say, "I thought you already had your ears pierced." Court Square Ponderings "Too many people quit looking for work when they find a job."

Legislative Report

House Considers Important Bills Passed By Senate

By REP. BILLY McCOY

Last week the House began floor action on some 120 Senate bills that survived Tuesday's deadline for committee action. Many of these bills are similar to versions approved earlier this session by the House.

The House approved a measure reinstating sovereign immunity to county and city governments until October 1, 1985, when liability limits will be placed on governmental entities of \$100,000 per person. This action was necessitated by a recent

(See Report, Page 23)

Letters

Dear Editor, The Booneville High School Futute Problem Solving Teams and I would like to publicly express our appreciation to the businesses and industries who helped to sponsor the students at the recent Mississippi Future Problem Solving Bowl. Contributions toward their trip were made by Prentiss Manufacturing, Davidson Chevrolet, Dickerson Furniture Company, Booneville Discount Home Center, Blue Bell Manufacturing, Jones and Jones CPA, Schweiger Industries, First Citizen's National Bank, the Peoples Bank and Trust Company and the Bank of Mississippi.

The Northeast Mississippi Junior College, the Booneville National Guard Unit, Sunflower Food Store, and McClendon Cheese also assisted the students by providing "switch and swap" items and refreshments for the reception that was held on Thursday night at the state competition. We feel that our community is very supportive of academic endeavors and that a special thanks should go out to everyone who has demonstrated an interest in the educational achievements of our young people.

Sincerely, Marie Spain and Students

Dear Editor: Friends, what are we going to do about "Poor ole Jimmy Carter?" Now you know there are dog's out there who can intellectually identify with the former president. I knew a mean man once who had an old bird dog that was loyal despite the way he was treated by his master. He would get a pat on his head when it was time to go hunting. But when they got back it was a different story entirely. If the poor animal insisted on any sort of affection from his owner, more times than once he got a swift kick. So he would lie around in the corner of his pen and wait the glad day when it was time to hunt again and get another pat on the head. Now let's get down to the meat of the matter. Fritz Mondale proudly points out to our nation that he and "Jimmy" were not in accord when it came to the "issues." And, he treats Carter like "poor kin" that is an embarrassment to him. But bless Jimmy's heart, he reacts like the old bird dog and, just a little overanxious, looks forward to the time when his former vice-president needs him and comes down south to Georgia. Then all of a sudden he gives the peanut farmer a pat on the head, and our southern gentle president shows his big white teeth and believes somewhat like Gomer Pile that perhaps at long last he is going to get some appreciation from the popular

Democrat. Then like a flash, Mondale is off to another state and takes on a new personality, forgetting the friend from Plains, Georgia. Oh, how in the world can this man from Georgia take all of this so gracefully? Ah! Ah! I already know that Jimmy Carter gets a great big pension every month and all of that stuff, but, is it worth all of the humiliation he goes through? If Mondale wins, the VIP's (voluptuous ill-fated politicians) will declare it was done "in spite of" the Carter image. And if he should loose his bid for the high office, they will say it was lost because of the Carter problems. Jerry Fallwell says he wants Mondale to win because he is "beatable." And this due to the association with Jimmy Carter and his administration. The bottom line is this: I am trusting in the voters of this great country. We have proven in the past that we are not gullible and are not quickly taken in by dirty politics. We can see beyond all of this hypocrisy. The fog gets thick at times, but we have good eyesight and our fog lights are the best in the world. I'm just going to keep on eating peanut butter and hope for the best.

Eloise Garner Webb Booneville, Miss.

The Ayes Have It

Senate Begins Taking Action On Bills Coming From House

By SENATOR JOHN WHITE

This week the Senate will continue to consider bills which have been passed by the House of Representatives, just as the House will be taking action on Senate-passed bills. Thursday, April 12 is the deadline for floor action on these bills.

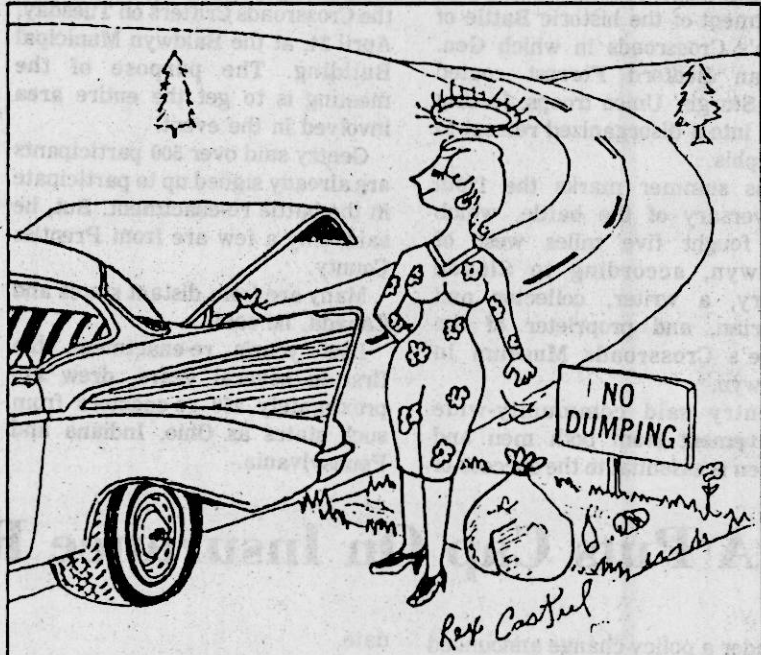
Several bills which the Senate passed were killed by inaction of House committees. Some of these include:

- the proposal to raise the legal drinking age in Mississippi from 18 to 19. However, there has been some talk of introducing a resolution to allow special consideration of a bill to stiffen the penalties for violation of the existing law.
- the proposal to establish uniform school districts to replace the current five different types of districts throughout the state.
- the proposal to allow county boards of supervisors to dig graves for county residents for a fee.

The House did pass the proposal setting assessment ratios for ad valorem taxes at 15 percent for real and personal property and 30 percent for automobiles and utilities. However, the House did not agree to the Senate proposal to grant a 40 percent exemption of real and personal property for taxation. The House County Affairs Committee agreed to send to the full House for action the Senate bill which would allow county boards of supervisors, at their discretion, to maintain private access roads used as school bus turnarounds and those

damaged by weather. However, the House committee took out the Senate provision which required an election in the county to decide if the maintenance would be a policy or not. The Senate Constitution Committee did not report out the House-proposed amendment to the Constitution which, if passed by the voters, would remove the Constitutional ban of a state lottery. Proposals which the House and Senate have agreed upon are raising the Medicaid spending ceiling to \$90 million for this year to prevent the program from running out of funds and a proposed amendment to the Constitution regarding ethics of public officials. Each chamber is considering over 100 bills passed by the other. Bills which are passed without amendments will be sent to the Governor for his signature after which they become law as of their effective date. Proposed amendments to the Constitution which are agreed upon by both chambers are put on the ballot in the November election for vote by the citizens of Mississippi. Bills which are amended are sent back to the other chamber for reconsideration. If the amendments are not accepted, then conference is invited between the two chambers to hammer out a compromise.

I would like to hear your views on any proposed legislation. You may call me at 948-7321 or write to the Mississippi State Senate, P.O. Box 1018, Jackson, Miss. 39215-1018.



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That Yankee From Yonder

By Ed Woodward

Managing Editor

"The aim of the Prentiss County Electric Power Association is to make electric energy available to its members at the lowest cost consistent with sound economy and good management." I am quoting the opening paragraph of the By-Laws of the PCEPA above. And I am wondering how closely the local electric company is following this aim stated almost 22 years ago on July 26, 1962, the date of the current by-laws. Since last week's paper came out with the article about Cecil Smith's attempts to get power restored to his land at Bay Springs Lake, and Ken Christian's editorial, Rex Casteel's cartoon and my column regarding my expulsion from the PCEPA board meeting where the matter was supposed to be discussed, I have heard horror story after horror story about supposedly unfair treatment of PCEPA members by their association.

Of course, we need to be fair to the PCEPA. This is why I pointed out in my news article that restoration of Mr. Smith's and Mr. Coker's power may be the responsibility of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, and not the PCEPA. It is also why I will not relate any of the stories we have been told without first verifying them. We have received a steady stream of phone calls congratulating us. Ken and I have both been stopped on the street and patted on the back. I even sat down to eat in a local restaurant and had someone sit down across from me to congratulate me, then begin giving me some historical background on the PCEPA. We seem to have struck a nerve. I have heard nothing from Ronny Rowland, "Whit" Abernathy or Percy White and his board members. But I'm sure they probably feel we are persecuting them, or I am carrying on a personal vendetta because of the time they shut my power off after I forgot to pay my December bill. Neither is true. We are not persecuting anyone. We are just reporting the facts. And I don't wage personal vendettas. I do my best to keep my personal life separate from my professional life. Combining them is just not ethical as far as I am concerned.

I am not even personally angry about being barred from the meeting. To paraphrase an old line, I've been thrown out of better meetings than that one. And if such weren't a constant possibility, I wouldn't go to meetings armed with a copy of the Open Meetings Law in the first place. My expulsion bothered me because it was an attempt to hide facts from the public -- and the members of the PCEPA...which is actually the same thing since, according to the By-Laws mentioned above, everyone receiving power from the PCEPA is a member. But, when I pointed out to Abernathy, as he and Rowland were escorting me from the meeting, that I was a member and had paid them \$180 in deposits to become one, he said that didn't necessarily give me the right to attend board meetings. Somewhere along the line over the 22 years since the present by-laws became effective the PCEPA board members seem to have forgotten the stated aims of the association. And I could understand this if new board members were regularly replacing old ones. But how do you explain it when over half of the present board members were already on the board in 1962 when the new by-laws took effect?

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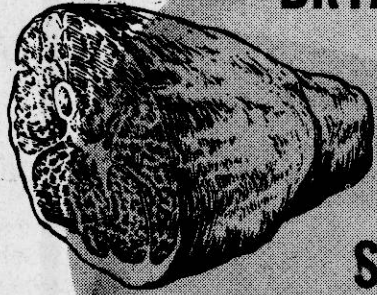
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Area Births

Jeremy Wallace Harris

Jerry and Helen Harris of Booneville announce the birth of a son, Jeremy Wallace Harris. He was born March 12, and weighed 8 lbs. 12 ozs. Grandparents are Carmon and

Lucy King of Booneville and John and Louise Harris of Fulton. His great-grandmother is Cora King of Booneville. Jeremy has three sisters, Laurie, 14, Teresa, 10, and Crystal, 6.

Chasity Nacole Moore

Billy and Lisa Moore of Route 6, Booneville, announce the birth of a daughter, Chasity Nacole Moore. She was born March 20, at the North Mississippi Medical Center in

Tupelo and weighed 7 lbs. 10½ ozs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore of Booneville and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Blackwell of Baldwin.

Heath Alan Crabb

Lt. Jeffrey and Sandra Crabb of Ft. Rucker, Ala., announce the birth of a son, Heath Alan Crabb. He was born April 3 and weighed 9 lbs. 11 ozs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Crabb and Mr. and Mrs. Smith

McCreary of Booneville.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Files and Mrs. Ada Gilley of Booneville. His great-great-grandfather is Walter Lee Crabb of Iuka.

Eric Lyle Wilson

Ricky and Janet Wilson of Route 2, Booneville, announce the birth of a son, Eric Lyle Wilson. He was born March 5 at the North Mississippi Medical Center and

weighed 8 lbs. 9½ ozs.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Zackarewicz and Janet G. Wilson, all of Booneville, and Charles Wilson of Iuka.

Prospect News

By MRS. DUDLEY LINDSEY Correspondent

Jackie Jolly of Corinth was a guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Nuneley.

Mrs. Tommie Palmer of Tupelo spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. Maudie Hall.

Mrs. Audie Edwards of New Albany sent part of last week with Mrs. Maudie Hall and visited Mrs. John Shook.

Mrs. Danny Rowland of Booneville visited with relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Nancy Bryant and children spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Bessie Harp at Altitude.

Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Hall of Wheeler and Otis Hall of Memphis visited with relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Johnnie Barron and children of Booneville were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ida Powell.

Miss Carla Byrd of Helena, Ark., spent last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Dora Cravens and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Knight and Jeff.

Mrs. Syble Smith and Mike were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Clark at Marietta. Bill Byrd of Lambrook, Ark., and

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Mr. & Mrs. Robert Clausel Jr.

Miss Horne Wed To Mr. Clausel In Clarksdale Ceremony

Miss Christi Ann Horne and Robert Earl Clausel Jr. were married March 17, in an afternoon ceremony at the Clarksdale Baptist Church.

The Rev. Don Dunnauant, pastor of the church, officiated at the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Horne Jr. of Sumner and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clausel Sr. of Clarksdale.

Wedding music was presented by Fred Hood, organist, and Mrs. Ann Burris, vocalist.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory lace featuring a bodice covered with hand sewn flowers and iridescent sequins and pearls. The high neckline formed sleeves of puffs and long fingertip points covered with flower petals and pearls. Her veil had a sculptured headpiece of iridescent sequins and pearls.

She carried a bouquet of rosebuds and baby's breath with long strands of ivy.

Miss Marla Brown of Webb, Miss., was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Dena Webb of Webb, Mrs. Cathy Horne of Webb, Miss Monica Everett of Clarksdale, Mrs. Donna Dove of Clarksdale, and Miss Donna Baker of Sumner, Miss.

They wore dresses of emerald green taffeta and carried single

white roses with baby's breath.

Rice girls were Becky and Angie Ray, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Ray of Clarksdale.

The groom's father was best man. Groomsman were Richard Powell, Pat Mohead, Ross Fiser and Allen Sanders, all of Clarksdale, and Pat Moon of Conway, Ark.

The bride's mother chose for her daughter's wedding a Liz Claybourn silk of turquoise. She wore a white orchid.

The groom's mother wore lilac silk and an orchid shoulder corsage.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the fellowship hall.

Assisting with the reception were Mrs. Helen Tate, Mrs. Faye Read, Miss Cindy Shankerman, Miss Margaret Burris, Mrs. Audra Dye, Miss Suzanne Walton, Miss Joan Webb, Miss Nan Haws and Miss Ann Haws.

Following a wedding trip to Destin, Fla., the couple are residing in Greenwood, Miss.

Pre-Nuptial Parties

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clausel Sr. honored the couple with a rehearsal dinner at the Delta Warehouse.

On Friday prior to the wedding, a bridesmaid's brunch was given by Mrs. Jack Webb, Mrs. Johnny Long, Mrs. Barbara Baker, and Mrs. Joyce Spradling at the Delta Warehouse.

NEMJC Instructors To Present Recital

Northeast Junior College instructors Wade Irvin and Shirley Taylor will present a recital Tuesday, April 17, at 8 p.m. in Hinds Hall.

Irvin, who is assistant NEMJC

band instructor, will play solos written for the flute, clarinet, saxophone and bassoon. Ms. Taylor will accompany him on the piano during the hour-long recital.

In his third year at Northeast,

Irvin is a native of Birmingham, Ala., and a graduate of Auburn University.

Ms. Taylor is head of NEMJC's County-Western Music Curriculum. The public is invited to attend.

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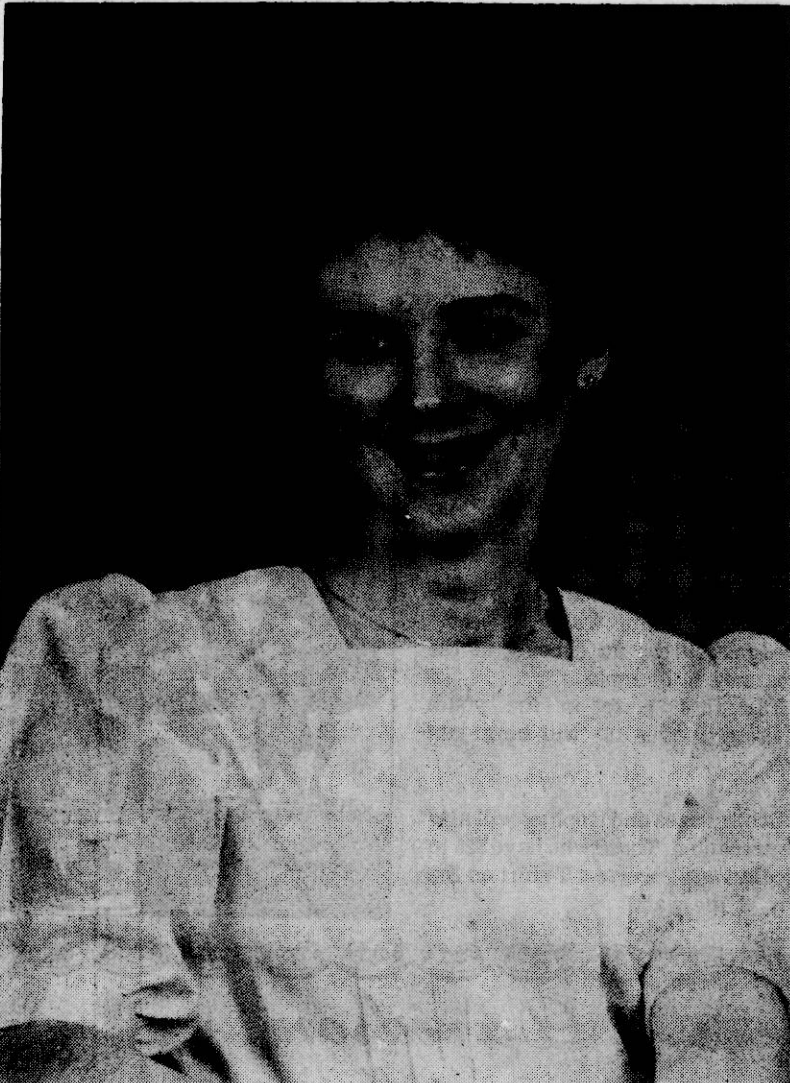
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Stephanie Lynn Livingston

Miss Livingston And Mr. Miles Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Randel Livingston of Booneville announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Stephanie Lynn Livingston, to David Lee Miles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse J. Miles of Burton.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mrs. Rosie Livingston and the late Grover Livingston and the late Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Breeland, all of Booneville.

The prospective groom is the grandson of Archie Miles and the late Mrs. Mary Miles of Booneville and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Carter of Burton.

Miss Livingston is a graduate of Booneville High School and Northeast Junior College and is working toward a B.A. degree in computer science and accounting.

Miles is a graduate of New Site High School and Northeast Junior College. He will be entering the Navy in June where he will be training in electronic aviation.

The couple will be married Friday, April 27, at 7 p.m. at Mt. Pisgah Freewill Baptist Church.

No invitations are being sent. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

At Annual MPE Convention

Local Educator Elected Member Of Professional Association

Mrs. Gloria Smith of Booneville was recently elected by the membership of Mississippi Professional Educators at its annual convention, Sheraton Regency Convention Center, Jackson, to serve as President of Mississippi Professional Educators for the year 1984-1985.

Mrs. Smith holds a B.S. degree in Library Science from Mississippi University of Women, a Masters Degree in Educational Media from the University of Mississippi. She is Librarian for Thrasher School.

In addition to her work with MPE, Mrs. Smith is also active in her church, civic and other professional organizations.

Prior to her election as President,

Ms. Smith served MPE on the Board of Directors.

During the recent convention she served as Program Chairman.

Mrs. Smith is married to Ben T. Smith, a pharmacist of Booneville, and they are the parents of a son and a daughter.

Mississippi Professional Educators is a statewide organization working for the upgrading of public education for children and youth throughout Mississippi.

NEMJC's 'Carousel'

The Show Must Go On Despite Ailing Cast

Northeast Junior College's production of Rogers and Hammerstein's *Carousel* may be performed by strained voices, but be performed it will in the Seth Pounds Auditorium this Thursday and Saturday, April 12 and 14.

Muddling through a bad cold of his own, William M. Jones, speech department chairman and director of the spring musical, started naming the cast members who were sick with colds and wound up covering almost everyone taking part in the production, even members of the crew.

"We're just hoping everyone will be well enough to perform," Jones said hoarsely. "But rest assured, the show will go on."

It's no wonder the cast might

come down with colds, considering rehearsal time for the cast averages about three hours a night, besides the time individuals put into learning their lines and practicing privately.

Deano Graham of New Albany, who plays the lead male part of Billy Bigelow, is one of the unlucky cast members with a cold. And while leading lady Julie Booth of Tupelo is not yet ill, Jones fears that continued contact with the rest of the cast may bring on a delayed reaction.

The curtain will rise on the first act at 7:30 p.m. Tickets may be purchased for \$4 each in the NEMJC business office. Students can pick up tickets free with a valid I.D.



GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY - Jesse and Audrey Sparks will be honored with a 50th wedding anniversary celebration Sunday, April 22, from 1:30 p.m. until 4 p.m. in their home. The celebration will be hosted by their children, James R. Sparks, Delene Gann, Lawrence Sparks, and Don Sparks, and grandchildren. No invitations are being sent. All friends and relatives are invited.

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Christy Anne Stennett

Miss Stennett To Wed Mr. Watts In Ripley

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel G. Stennett of Ripley announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Christy Anne, to Scott Bradley Watts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob G. Watts of Hollywood, Fla.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mrs. Ruby Stennett and the late Gordon M. Stennett and Willie M. Browning and the late Mrs. Browning, all of Booneville.

The prospective groom is the grandson of Mrs. Mozelle Watts and the late George Watts of Stanley, N.C., and Mrs. T.G. Cloninger and the late T.G. Cloninger of Dallas, N.C.

Miss Stennett is a graduate of Ripley High School. She attended Northeast Mississippi Junior College and is a 1983 graduate of the University of Mississippi with a degree in marketing. She received the DAR Good Citizen Award in

high school. In college she was a member of Phi Theta Kappa, the Advertising Club, Committee of 100 and Phi Beta Lambda. She was a member of the Alpha Delta Pi Social Sorority. She is employed at The Southern Sentinel in Ripley.

Watts is a graduate of McArthur High School, Hollywood, Fla. He attended the United States Military Academy Prep School and the United States Military Academy at West Point, N.Y. He will receive his B.A. degree in business from the University of Mississippi this spring. He is a member of the Beta Theta Pi Fraternity at Ole Miss.

The wedding will be Friday, May 18, at 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Ripley.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding and reception which will follow in the church fellowship hall.

Approve Six New Members

Upsilon Chapter Holds Spring Meeting

The Upsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International held its spring meeting on March 24, at Northeast Junior College with Mrs. Beatrice Hussey presiding.

The Booneville members were hostesses for this meeting.

Mrs. Marie Spain reviewed the book, *Previews and Premises*, by Alvin Toffler.

She noted this new work is a lively interview with the author who expounds a wealth of startling, original proposals for dealing with today's economy.

Mrs. Spain related his ideas to trends in educating our youth for the future.

The program for the meeting was introduced by Dr. Lena Harmon, chairman of the Professional Af-

fairs committee. She and her committee members, Mrs. Anna Quinn, Mrs. Lou Ann Miskelly, and Mrs. Margaret Rogers, used the new book, *Megatrends*, by Naisbitt as the basis of their program to inform members of the changes faced by society and the need for educators to be aware of these new trends.

During the business session six recommendations for new members were discussed and approved.

These new members will join the approximately 154,750 women educators who want to pursue advanced education and improve their professional status as they work toward common goals through the united efforts in the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International.



UPSILON CHAPTER MEETS - The Upsilon Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International met March 24, at Northeast Junior College for its spring meeting. Pictured are (l-r) Mrs. Marie Spain, immediate past president and hostess; Mrs. Beatrice Hussey of Corinth, president of Upsilon Chapter; Mrs. Jeanine Stone of Iuka, first vice-president; and Mrs. Marinette Wojcik, hostess.

Local Airman Assigned To Colorado Air Base

Airman Lance R. Rinehart, son of Peggy S. and Ferrel D. Rinehart of Route 2, Booneville, has been assigned to Lowry Air Force Base, Colo., after completing Air Force basic training.

During the six weeks at Lackland Air Force Base, Tex., the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human

relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman will now receive specialized instruction in the audio-visual field.

He is a 1982 graduate of Booneville High School.



DAR MEETS - The Natchez Trace Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met April 5, at the Frank Haney Union at Northeast Junior College. Pictured with some of the items which were displayed at the meeting are (l-r) Mrs. Ralph Stutts, Mrs. Bobby Hodges and Mrs. Whit Abernethy.

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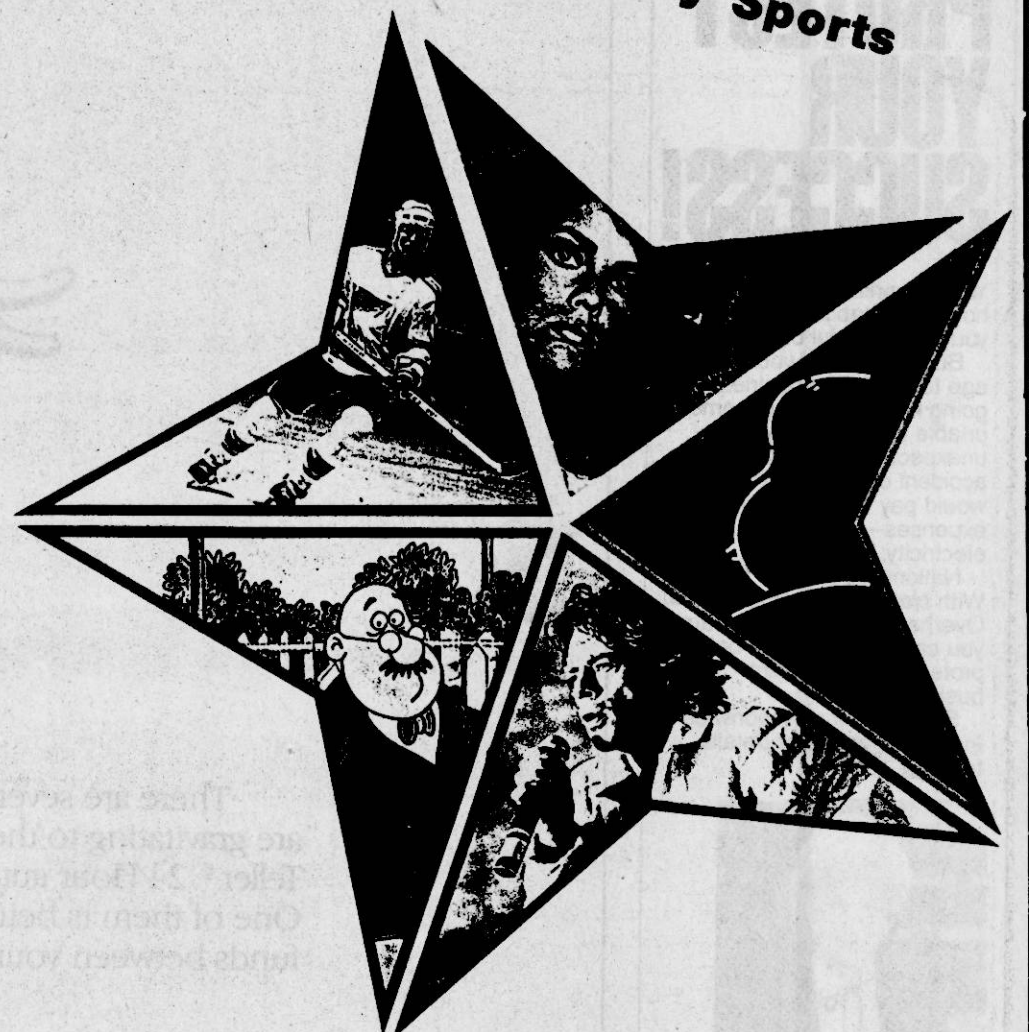


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Booneville Happenings

By MRS. GORDON McGEE
Correspondent

Mrs. Elaine Pitts of Little Rock, Ark., and Mrs. Genell Broadway recently visited in Grenada, Miss., with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sellers, Stephanie and Camille.

On Saturday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Claud Spencer visited in Kossuth with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seago, Jason and Tonya.

Mrs. Lucy Dillon of West Palm Beach, Fla., is here for a month's visit with Mrs. Raymond Spencer, Mrs. Birdie Glen Dobbins and

relatives in Corinth.

Visitors last week of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Downs and Terry were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Marcelle and Matt of Muscle Shoals, Ala.

Tupelo District and New Albany District ministers met at the First United Methodist Church in Booneville on Tuesday, April 3, in an evangelistic seminary.

The youth of First United Methodist are planning a 'White Elephant Sale' on May 5. They will be glad to pick up anything you want to donate. Call Doug Holland or Louise Coggin before April 25.

Mrs. Bettye Robinson of Memphis was a guest last Sunday night and Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McGee and Jennifer Robinson of NEMJC. She also visited with Mrs. Deanna Burress.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Minnie Strickland. She died last Wednesday at the Baptist Memorial Hospital in Booneville and was buried in Gaston Cemetery.

Mrs. Peachie Deaton returned from Omaha, Neb., after a week's visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Franklin, Julianne and Susan.

Recently Jamie Lee and Lisa Spencer of New Albany, Ind., spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Spencer and other relatives here.

April 12 and 14 the spring production of Roger's and Hammerstein's musical "Carousel" will be presented at NEMJC in the Seth Pounds Auditorium. It is directed by William M. Jones, chairman of the speech department at the college. The musical was made possible through contributions by the speech, music and art departments.

Mrs. Marie Collins of Baldwin was in Booneville last Thursday shopping and visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Bettye Hopkins and Mrs. Allie Miller Isabell of Baldwin visited with relatives here on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Wingo went to Memphis Thursday, March 29, and picked up Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wingo and went to Houston, Texas, to attend the wedding of Lisa Cooper on Saturday, March 31. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Wingo. The couple will be residing in Japan for two years.

April 4, the Friends United met in the fellowship hall of First Methodist Church for their luncheon and fellowship.

April 15, the Easter Cantata will be presented at First United Methodist at 6 p.m. Music by the youth and adult choirs will be under the direction of Doug Holland. Everyone is invited.

April 19 there will be Maundy Communion Services at First United Methodist Church.

Easter Community Sunrise Services will be April 22, at NEMJC. Dr. Bill Duncan, pastor of First Baptist Church, will bring the message.

Mrs. Elmer Cooper and Mrs. James Baggett of Rienzi went to Houston, Texas, the week of March 31, and attended the wedding of Lisa Cooper. Lisa is Mrs. Cooper's

granddaughter. Mrs. Cooper then went to California to visit her son, Gary.

Prayers are extended for Jimmie

Jones, formerly of Booneville. He is the son of Mrs. Nell Jones. He is in a hospital in Oklahoma City.

'Farmweek' Easter Special Set

The Farmweek television is planning an Easter special for 7:30 p.m., Monday, April 16, on Mississippi ETV.

Scenes of springtime in rural Mississippi and a special report about Easter eggs will be included.

The series is co-produced by Mississippi ETV and the Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service.

Missionaries To Perform Musical Here Saturday

The musical, "The Greatest Story Ever Told," will be presented Saturday, April 14, at 7:30 p.m. at the Mormon Church on George E. Allen Drive.

The musical will be presented by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints missionaries from the Little Rock, Ark., mission. These missionaries are trained like the Mormon Tabernacle Choir, according to a church spokesman.

These young people serve on various missions for 18 months and come from locations throughout the United States.

Churches from Oxford, Tupelo, New Albany and Calhoun City are expected to attend the musical.

Wayne Whipple serves as bishop. Bobby Smith and Mickey Wood are

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Refreshments will be served Saturday night. A nursery will be provided.

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Miss Teen Tupelo

Krissy Jo Lindsey of Tupelo, the 13-year-old daughter of Benny and Kathy Lindsey, competed March 31 at the Hilton Inn in Tupelo in the Little Miss Tupelo Pageant.

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She is the granddaughter of Kay Parr of Booneville and Tommie Palmer of Tupelo.



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BHS Insights

By MICHELLE DOWNS
BHS Journalism Student

Seven BHS students participated in the Art Competition at NEMJC. Mrs. Barbara Eaton, art teacher, entered all her pupils.

Jeanie Cole, a junior, won in the pottery category and placed third in drawing. Emily Comer, a ninth grader, obtained third in the pottery category.

Danette Corbin, a senior, gained a second place award in the painting category. Brad DeVaughn, a freshman, took second place in designing.

Debbie Garvin, a senior, placed first in drawing and third in the painting categories. Lee Waddle, a freshman, won first place in design and second in pottery and Stephen Wold, a sophomore, received third place in designing. Capable and well-rounded students such as these will be our future artistic men and women.

LAST FRIDAY, April 6, BHS students attended a three-hour lecture on the use of drugs and alcohol. The speaker, Mr. Novack, demonstrated several forms of hypnosis. Using a number of BHS students, he programmed their 'computer minds' to react to his every word and motion.

Seven students under hypnosis were told that when they looked above them they would see a "pink" elephant flying. At the snap of Mr. Novack's fingers, each one reached and held a pink elephant and petted it.

With the crowd rolling in their seats, he snapped his fingers a second time, and the students returned to normal.

Claire Lamb, a BHS junior, was programmed to see the famous rock

singer, Michael Jackson. Turning to face Jennifer Smith, a freshman, Claire thought she saw Jackson and grabbed Jennifer.

To top it all off, a story was told of a young girl babysitter on drugs who saw the baby she was keeping as a turkey. When the child's parents returned, they found their child baked in the kitchen oven.

The purpose of this meeting was to show that drugs of any form not taken properly can kill.

A similar conference will take place at the Civic Auditorium in Tupelo on April 9, 10, and 11. Tickets must be picked up in advance.

FRIDAY NIGHT, April 6, at NEMJC, the BHS junior-senior banquet blasted into action at 7 p.m.

Jim Caver, a junior, welcomed the excited classes. Cammie Sweeney presented the invocation and then all students headed for the dinner table.

After a wonderfully prepared meal, Eddie Jumper sang "Still," and together he and Beverly McGee presented their version of "Lord, Lift Me Up."

Prophesies were given by Lauren Wood, Robbie Rogers, and Jeanie Cole.

Rod Coggin, a senior, sang a love song to Mrs. Sarah Martin. Amy Goddard, a junior, dedicated a love song to vice-principal, Wyatt Weatherford.

Following this, Debbie Garvin, Lisa Garrett, and Annette Koon gave senior wills.

In closing, a number of juniors sang their own version of "It's Our Turn."

The banquet was a success, and afterwards a dance was held at the Booneville Community Center until 2 a.m. Each student seemed to enjoy the banquet and can hardly wait until the banquet next year.



CELEBRATES 87th BIRTHDAY -- Mrs. Vida Hastings of Thrasher celebrated her 87th birthday April 1. She has one son, Vaiden Hastings of Thrasher, three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She attends Thrasher Baptist Church.

Food Prices Up

The consumer price index for food in February rose 0.9 percent from the January level (before seasonal adjustment), according to the monthly consumer price index released today by the U.S. Department of Labor.

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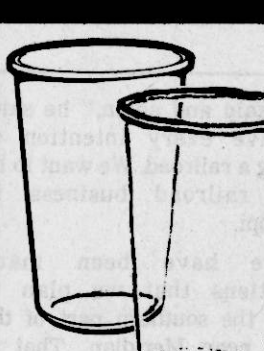
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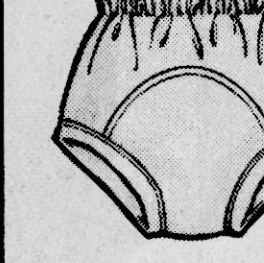
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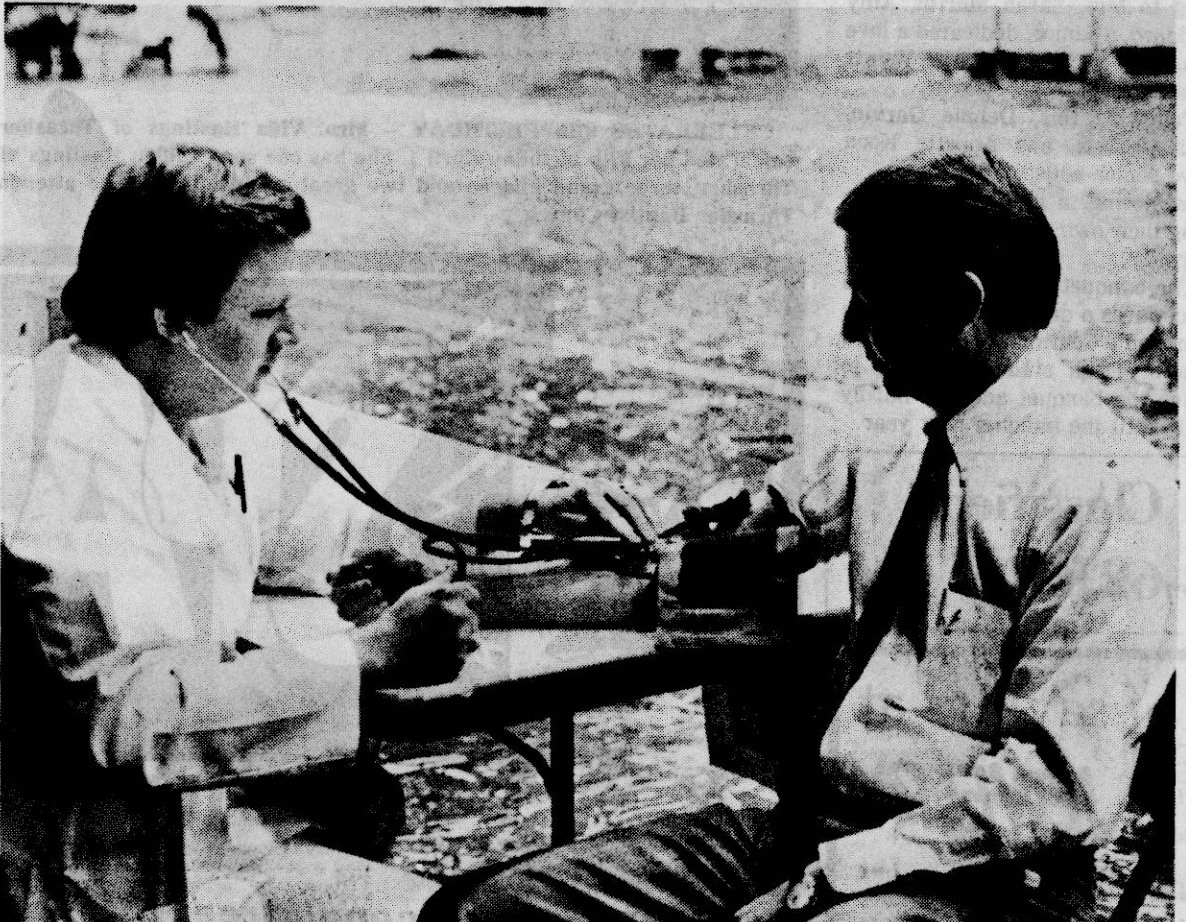
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Hypnotist

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said Novak. "They would never listen to me if I did. I tell them they can take responsibility for their own actions, and then I prove to them they can. I don't put them down."

Asked how he first began giving his anti-drug abuse programs, Novak said, "About 15...18 years ago, my daughter was in school, and all her friends seemed to be doing drugs. She told me she thought they were all doing drugs because they thought it was the thing to do and they didn't realize the dangers."

"She was worried because they were beginning to 'get busted', and fingerprinted. And she asked me if there wasn't something I could do," Novak said.

He said he studied the problem and came up with his presentation which has gradually evolved over the years. In fact, Novak said he still does not have any set program. He adlibs it to fit his audience.

He said too many anti-drug programs use the wrong approach. "You don't call somebody a scum, then expect that kid to come to you for help," he said. "So, I call him a stupid, idiotic puppet. But I tell him, 'I love you, and I want you to cut those strings. You can be what you are...God's magnificent creation.'"

"You have to hold their attention, and make them laugh. Then you can make them think," Novak said.

He said, even though he can get to the kids, the difficulty still lies in getting through to the parents. "Their first reaction when they find out their kid takes drugs is, 'Oh, no! What will the neighbors think?'"

"But, I say, Hey! Your kid's on drugs. Don't be ashamed of it. Get something done. Get him or her some help because it's all over. And it's getting worse every day."

"And it's a shame when you sweep it underneath the carpet because the kid may need help, and you may be able to help him at that time."

"If he's hooked, he's still going to get the drugs. You can threaten him. But you can't watch him 24 hours a day. He's going to get it because it's out there," Novak said.

"Drugs are not the problem. Crime is not the problem. It's we as individuals...It's our behavior, what we as individuals allow ourselves to do."

"And let's put the finger on where the trouble starts," Novak said. "Each one is an individual case. You can't go out and say, 'This is the problem in all homes.'"

"In one home the parents could be the problem. In another it could be an older brother or sister. In another there's not enough love. No two people get on drugs or alcohol for the same reason."

"Any of those things can make a kid vulnerable to the puppeteers. So we teach control. And a person must have a purpose in order to get control of himself. Each individual case, regardless of what it is, has to be handled by an individual in a different manner."

"What I try to do is make the individual realize there is a solution if he or she will look for it, and go for help and not be afraid."

"We show them how to take control themselves and not let the puppeteers have the strings. And, at the same time, we show them how to recognize the puppeteers," Novak said.

John Novak figures he has been successful if he has managed to get through to one youth per program. Some of the youths who attended last Friday's presentation feel his average there was much higher.

Opposition

any judgment" until Foster submitted its plans to the ICC.

The same week, March 6, Stephen spoke to the Northeast Mississippi Traffic Club in Tupelo. He admitted that the lines were "in worse shape than we expected," but said, "We're excited about this acquisition. We see regional railroads as a real opportunity."

"The reason we sought this railroad is that there is a good traffic base...with many different products to ship," Stephens said, emphasizing that Foster "wants to be partners with the shippers, the communities, the local governments and the other railroads" intersecting with the purchased lines.

But another Pennsylvania company soon entered the picture. On March 9, Robert Serlin, a Philadelphia shipper, urged opposition to the sale.

Serlin told the Meridian Chamber of Commerce's transportation committee that he had also made an offer to purchase the lines from the

ICG, but his offer had never been acknowledged by the railroad.

Serlin said he had planned to use the East Mississippi lines to develop a strong import-export system in the area. He said public support was needed to stop the sale to Foster.

He said the city of Tuscaloosa, Ala., which is also served by the affected lines, which run between Corinth and Prichard, Ala., with several branches, had retained a lawyer to fight the sale.

Former Mississippi gubernatorial candidate Gil Carmichael, a Meridian businessman and a member of the group that heard Serlin's remarks, said he had met with Foster officials and was convinced the firm plans to scrap most of the railroad to finance a short-line track.

By mid-March, doubts and skepticism had escalated to open opposition to the ICG-Foster deal.

The Corinth-Alcorn Area Chamber of Commerce had sent a letter to the ICC expressing concern

about the proposed sale; the Meridian Chamber of Commerce had requested a public hearing on the sale and announced plans to hire a lawyer to protect the area's interests; and the Public Service Commission had announced that it planned to intervene and was preparing a petition to request the ICC to hold public hearings on the matter.

Though Foster had petitioned the ICC to expedite proceedings so it could go ahead with plans to invest an estimated \$2 million a year to improve and update the lines, the PSC urged the ICC to deny the petition.

Stephens quickly pointed out that requests for public hearings are "routine" in such transactions. He insisted again that Foster is "serious about running a railroad."

"Foster wants to start moving as fast as we can," Stephens said. "But the hearings, which are routine in sales like this, will probably slow us down some. I hope it doesn't cause too much of a lag. "I can only state what I have

stated again and again," he said. "We have every intention of operating a railroad. We want to be in the railroad business in Mississippi."

"There have been many speculations that we plan to abandon the southern part of the railroad near Meridian. That is totally false. We have no intention of abandoning any part of the railroad," Stephens said.

But the opposition continues to grow. Last week, two state representatives, Cecil Simmons of Maben and Mack Lloyd Wadkins of Iuka filed a resolution, which if approved by the legislature, would ask the ICC, the PSC and the Mississippi Energy and Transportation Board to make a careful study of the sale.

Simmons said his reason for filing the resolution was that he fears Foster plans to close the lines and scrap the tracks. "I believe this will be a salvage operation. This company purchased about 35 miles of railroad line through Maben that

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is no longer there. I know them as a salvage company," Simmons said.

The resolution states that it will be in the best interest of the citizens of the area for a "careful study" to be made and public hearings to be held because continued operation of the railroad is "vital to the economy of the area."

The two Prentiss County mayors whose cities are served by the ICG appear to be of two minds in regard to the sale.

Booneville Mayor Charles Crabb told *The Banner-Independent* that he is not concerned about the proposed sale. "They say they plan to operate it, and I believe them," he said.

But Baldwin Mayor Merle Rowan admitted he was having second thoughts. "They tell us and everybody else they're not going to abandon it; they're going to spend a lot of money on it. But it's getting to where we really don't know what to think," Rowan said.

"I'm beginning to wonder about it," he admitted.

Beagling

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Lambert, who will be 65 April 17, grins at the thought of what his father would have said if he knew his son was bringing rabbits to the farm -- let alone paying \$5 for each rabbit.

LATELY HE has learned that the rabbits will raise more babies if the land has a lot of lime.

"If there is a lot of lime a rabbit will raise from 5-7 babies. But if there isn't much lime, a rabbit will raise from 3-5 babies."

So Lambert slugged the enclosure. He also sewed several patches of rye grass and wheat in the winter so the rabbits would have food. Plus the rabbits have a diet of apple sprouts and corn, lots of bushes and treetops to nibble.

Occasionally one of his beagles will catch a rabbit -- but the purpose of the enclosure is just to start the puppies running them.

"An enclosure is almost a must after you get into it," he says.

Lambert begins training the beagles when they are 5-6 months old. In 10-14 days after that they will begin running rabbits. He considers the beagles to be well-trained when they are two-years-old.

His philosophy is "The more you work them, the better they will be." Consequently he works the beagles every day -- rain or shine.

"I love beagles," Lambert says. "The only time I want to be in the house is to eat or sleep or be in church. I try to put the Lord first."

Lambert and his wife, Mauveline, have been married 37 years. They have two children, Norma and Freddy, and two grandchildren.

ALTHOUGH LAMBERT has bred and sold several field trial

champs (he field trialed for about 10 years), he now says he is trying to quit training beagles for anyone else -- because it takes too much pleasure away from working his dogs.

However, he has earned himself such a reputation for turning out well-trained dogs that it may be hard for him to quit since people keep requesting he train their dogs.

In addition to the enjoyment he gets from his hobby, Lambert treasures most of all the friends he has made over the years.

"Most of all I like the people," he says. "Friendship is what it's all about. I've met so many people I wouldn't have met otherwise. I have somebody coming by everyday to talk about dogs."

"But if there's anything more I enjoy than talking about dogs, it's running them."

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CHAMPION ANGUS -- Mark Johnson of New Site is shown with his Champion Angus Heifer at the State Round-up in Jackson.

Timberline

By ROBERT THORNTON
County Forester

A major problem we foresters face is trying to get landowners to reforest cut-over timberland, or plant idle farm land in trees. Almost everyone will agree that trees are great; they do all sorts of wonderful things - cleanse our air, provide a home for wildlife, stop soil erosion, keep our water clean and provide high yield investment

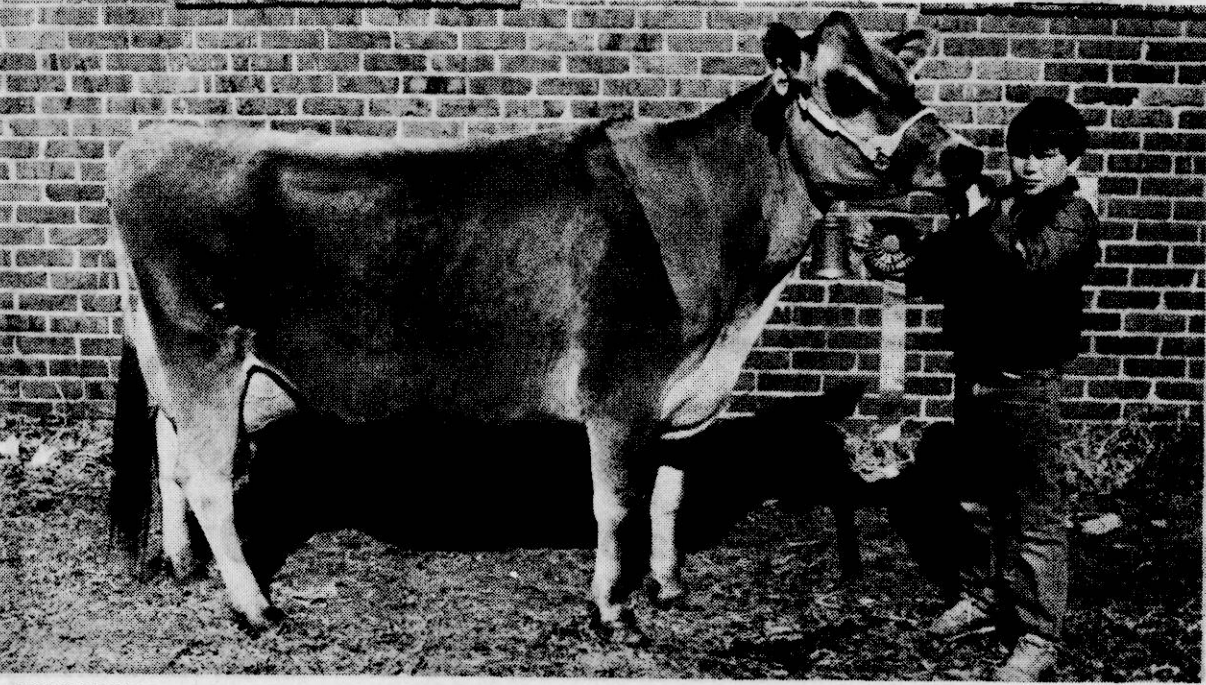
opportunities for landowners, to name a few. Yet, we continue to see thousands of acres of cut-over or abandoned farm land washing away or growing up in brush. One of the reasons we have this problem is that most landowners will admit that forestry is a good investment, but they feel they can't afford to wait 20 or 30 years to get a return on their money. Many of these folks have

probably had some experience with second growth, unmanaged pine or hardwood stands; but not with planted pine plantations. The growth and wood production of a managed loblolly or slash pine plantation is phenomenal when compared to an unmanaged natural stand. For instance, on a good site a natural pine stand 15 years old will contain a total volume of about 18 cords per acre. A pine plantation on this same site at age 10 will

probably contain between 26 or 28 cords per acre and, in fact, may be ready for a thinning. Here's another more specific example: A landowner in East Central Mississippi planted a 40 acre pasture to pine in 1973. The land was of about average quality for that area, but had the benefit of some residual fertilizer that had been applied to the grass. Loblolly pine seedlings were planted at the rate of 800 per acre and nearly all of them lived. The landowner applied for and received cost-share assistance for the work. So he only had to pay about \$12.00 per acre for his own pocket to get the trees planted. This winter this 40 acre stand of 11

year old pine was being thinned. The first 20 acres to be thinned yielded 365.5 cords, or about 18 cords per acre and sold for \$12.00 per cord. Keep in mind that this was a thinning, and only about half of the stems had been removed. If the landowner had invested his money in another enterprise, it would have had to earn 9 1/2 percent interest, compounded quarterly to produce the same amount of income. The really good news is that you don't expect to make much money from pulpwood thinnings. The main purpose of this is to improve the growth of the remaining trees. Sawlog harvests, which will be

conducted in another 10 years will pay really big dividends, and the rate of return will be much higher. (The landowner can probably make another pulpwood thinning before that time, too!) The bottom line is that trees are probably a better investment than you think, and the "payback period" - with interest - is relatively short. Some of the first pine plantations, planted on better sites in the county are now ready for thinning. In another two or three years, all of the oldest plantations will be ready. Each year additional plantations will reach thinning age. Have you looked at yours lately?



MILES WINS - Eric Miles shows his Grand Champion Jersey Cow at the District Livestock Show held recently in Tupelo.



RESERVE CHAMPION - Royce Taylor is pictured with his Reserve Champion Jersey Cow at the District Livestock Show in Tupelo.



JUNIOR CHAMPION - Eric Miles shows his reserve Junior Champion Jersey Cow at the State Round Up in Jackson.



JOHNSON WINS - Mark Johnson of New Site shows his Reserve Champion Bull at the State Round-Up in Jackson.

Soil Conservation

By CHARLES E. COWAN
Soil Conservation Technician
Booneville Field Office

Proper management of your hayland will increase both the quality and quantity of your hay. Well managed hayland will produce more tons, while being higher in protein, energy and digestibility. Factors to consider in hayland management are cutting heights, stage of harvest and fertilization. Most grass hay should not be cut any lower than three inches. Alfalfa should not be cut any lower than six inches and johnsongrass or sudan grass should not be cut any lower than eight inches. Harvesting hay at the proper cutting height will allow for a much faster regrowth allowing you to make more cuttings of higher quality hay. The stage in which the hay is harvested is one of the most important factors in harvesting quality hay. Most grass hay should be harvested between the boot and dough stage. Alfalfa should be harvested during early bloom, while johnsongrass or sudan grass should be harvested during the early boot stage. By harvesting hay

at these stages we insure ourselves of both quality and quantity. Proper fertilization and liming of hayland is extremely important in obtaining both quality and quantity. When harvesting hay, we harvest the whole plant thus removing more

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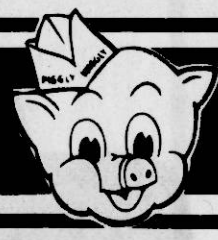
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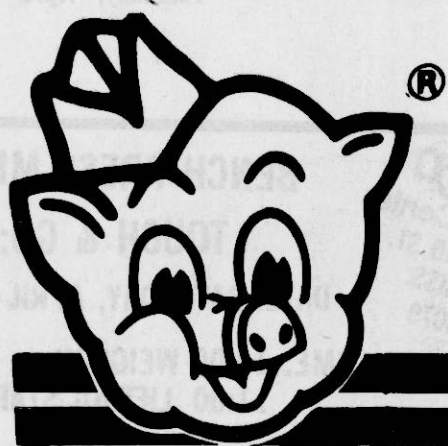
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Blackland News

By MRS. L.L. McALPIN
Correspondent

Mrs. Ellie Pearl Yates spent last week in Memphis visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elton Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Austin, and Mrs. Florence Powell.

Saturday visitors of the Robert Kelly family were Keith and Brian Kelly of Wheeler Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kelly, Mathew and Amber, and Mrs. Euna Rhodes of Booneville.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Pardue and Ray were Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller and Chris of Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. Archie Saylor and Mrs. Pauline Geno had an exciting visit in Amory on Thursday through Saturday. They were guests of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Saylor and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Deaton and Angela.

They enjoyed the Railroad Festival and rode the train from Smithville to Amory.

While in Amory they visited an old friend, Buddy Rubenstein. Enroute home they stopped in Verona with Mr. and Mrs. James Saylor.

Benny and Cathy Frederick of Wheeler were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Grederick and family.

Dr. Ellis Tucker and Mrs. Lance

Hale, Kim and Scott of Oxford were eating Thursday night with Mrs. Ethel Tucker. Kim remained for an overnight visit.

Joy and Beth Kinard of Memphis arrived Friday for the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hill.

Bryan and Jan Doyle were given a housewarming Sunday afternoon. Sherry Kennedy and Becky Johnson served as hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch O'Shield and son of Tupelo were visiting Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Mattie Jones and Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Green.

Mrs. Mike Stevens, Derek and Kelly of Tusculumbia were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelly and family.

Mrs. James Moore and Delia Moore of Jumpertown and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cunningham of New Site were among other family members who were present Sunday at Christ United Methodist Church for the Sacrament of Infant Baptism of Daniel Brenon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eaton.

Mrs. Russell Hill and Joy and Beth Kinard were in Iuka Saturday visiting Mrs. Mary Kinard.

The NEMJC Wesley Foundation Singers presented an impressive message Sunday night at Christ United Methodist Church. Mrs. Ouida Jumper serves as their advisor.

After the program the group enjoyed a large array of finger food in the fellowship hall.

Karen Mathis of Hill's Chapel was a recent visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelly. Karen enjoyed driving her grandparents for a tour of the Tenn.-Tom Waterway.

The Methodist Men's County Wide Breakfast will be Sunday at Cross Roads United Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrl Walters of Aberdeen were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Mayo and Lana.

Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hill and Joy and Beth Kinard were Mr. and Mrs. Max Wilson, Alan and Brett of Wheeler.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barnes and Jack Barnes were Joan English, Darletta, Tonna, and Sam of Jumpertown, June and Cindy Mardis, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Champion, Jason and Wesley, Ray Evelyn Barnes, Arletta Geno, Cathy Cook, Pam Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Marty Davis and family, Catherine Jones and John David, Mr. and Mrs. Mick Stocton and Amanda, and Mr. and Mrs. Gean Murphy all of Booneville, Clebron McNally of Marietta, Inetta Blake of Louisville, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Barnes, Connie,

Susan and Lance of Leaton, Ala., Jerry Barnes, Sherry, Kenny, Jeff, and Lindsey of Collierville, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Davis and Jarmie of Wheeler, and Mr. and Mrs. Julius McCoy of Osborn.

Lisa Barkley of Booneville spent the weekend with Michelle Clement.

The Blackland 4-H Club presented an entertaining program Saturday at the Blackland Community Center. A large crowd enjoyed the activities. Cathy Ballard serves as 4-H leader.

Mrs. Roy Hodges of Dumas spent Sunday night with the Charlie Rowlands and attended the revival at the Oak Hill Baptist Church.

Get well wishes are extended to Mrs. Francis Goldsmith of the Coffee Memorial Hospital, Florence, Ala., Elbert Timmons of the Ripley Hospital, J.P. Guin and Quay Weeks of the local hospital.

Mrs. Jimmie Fae Davis and Barbara Kelly visited Saturday with Miss Velma Strange of Wheeler. Miss Strange was celebrating her birthday.

The Rev. Wallis Roberts of the United Methodist Hour of Hat-tisburg will begin the Holy Week Revival Sunday at the Christ United Methodist Church.

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Davidson graduated from Tupelo High School in 1976 and received a B.S. Degree in Pharmacy from the

University of Mississippi. He is the owner of Davidson Discount Pharmacy, and is an instructor for the University of Mississippi Pharmacy School students.

He is married to the former Dawn Falkner of West Point, and they have one son, Max, who is 19-months-old. He and his family attend the First Baptist Church, where he serves as a deacon. He and his wife teach the high school Training Union class.

Julie is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James S. Long, and a junior at Booneville High School. She is Secretary of the National Honor Society, Secretary of the Junior Class, Vice President of SPACE Club, Member of the Math and Science Club and the Anchor Club, and President of the Band. She is active in the First Baptist Church.

Julie is Co-President of the Prentiss County FBLA Chapter.

Marietta News

By EUELLA FARRAR
Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Guinn were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Sartin in Belmont.

Mrs. Imogene Willoughby of Jackson, Miss., spent a few days with her sisters, Misses Ollie and Victoria Pharr.

W.W. Gann is home from the Booneville hospital.

Those visiting Mr. Gann Tuesday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Guinn, Bardie Moore and Euella Farrar.

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Guinn spent a few days last week with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Guinn, Andrew and Jordon of Martin, Tenn.

Bardie Moore has been in Paris, Tenn., visiting with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Moore.

The Moores have recently moved from Winthrop Harbor, Ill.

Mrs. Jimmie Spencer was confined in the Baldwin hospital but is home now and back in school. She is a member of the Marietta School faculty.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Loden, Mrs. Peggy Stockton and Don Loden enjoyed a trip to Atlanta, Ga., for four days recently.

They attended a South-eastern L.P. Gas convention.

Several from this area were on the sick list last week: Loretta Greene, Vickie Cagle and Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Gann.

We are sorry to hear about Dillard Reeves, brother of Mrs. John Lee Williams, having an accident on his tractor. He is in the Tupelo hospital.

Our sympathy goes to the Orestus

Barnes family. He passed away Sunday morning.

His funeral was at East Marietta Baptist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery on Monday.

His sisters Mrs. Wynna Bennett and Mrs. Leona Taylor, and brothers, J.B. and Johnny live here.

Mrs. Gladys Kennedy of Booneville was a guest in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Kennedy over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Church honored his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Church on their 30th wedding anniversary at their home in Booneville on Sunday, April 8, from 2 until 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Greene and Clay was Saturday night dinner

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jackson and Mrs. Blanch Moore.

Sarah Greene and Euella Farrar were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Farrar in Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Moore of Paris, Tenn., spent a few days with his father and sister, Bardie Moore and Euella Farrar.

Mrs. Bobby Taylor is in the Tupelo hospital for tests at this writing.

Thursday night dinner guests of Euella Farrar were Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Yearber, Kevin and Chandra, Mrs. Rubene Yearber, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Greene, Sara and Loretta, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cagle and Vickie and Miss Linda Cromeans.

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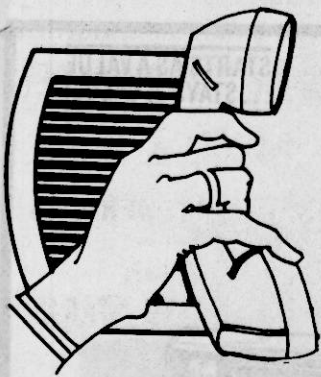
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County Agent's Notes

By CLIFFORD J. HAMPTON
County Agent

Prentiss County' home gardeners should be geared up for the gardening season or at least thinking about gardening with a great deal of enthusiasm.

One of the first insects gardeners are likely to encounter are seed maggots, and problems with this insect are usually caused by planting too early to get rapid germination and growth. This insect will feed on beans, peas, cabbage, watermelons and onions. The adult of this particular pest is a small fly and it is attracted to soils that are high in organic matter.

Eggs are deposited on the soil surface on seed or seedlings. After hatching the young yellowish-white maggots burrow into the seed or seedling destroying germination and growth potential. Eggs will

hatch at temperatures as low as 50 degrees F and larvae development will continue as low as 52 degrees F.

Vegetable attacked by this pest usually fail to germinate or if they do sprout, plants are weak and sickly. If these symptoms appear examine seed and seedlings for the presence of fly larvae.

Control - Replanting is often necessary by the time this pest is discovered because of extensive stand damage. Planting on a well prepared seed bed and when conditions are right for germination and growth can help prevent problems with this insect.

Insecticide labels will not carry this pest on the label or if they do it will be for specific vegetables. However, materials used for control of cutworms will also control this pest.

Turf Weed Control
Many Prentiss County

homeowners have been calling with concern about control of onions in their home lawns. 2,4-D (Amine) will control this unwanted pest. Apply when weeds are young and actively growing. Repeat application may be necessary. March and early April would be the best time to apply this chemical. Read and follow all label directions.

Termite Inspection

Termite swarming season usually begins in April. This is a perfect time for Prentiss County homeowners to check for termite activity.

Inspect for tubes built by termites and clean up around the foundation of the house.

Remove close growing plants that hide the foundation and might provide access for termites. Also remove firewood or other wood in

contact with the soil to help prevent termite entry into the structure.

Homeowners who are remodeling or adding a room should pretreat for termite control. Pretreatment is the easiest and cheapest termite protection available.

If the existing structure is under contract with a pest control company and additions are made without notifying the company, the contract could be cancelled.

The information given here is for educational purposes only. Reference to commercial products or trade names is made with the understanding that no discrimination is intended of other products which may also be suitable.

For more information on the above subjects, come by the county Extension office on 404 East Church St., or call 728-5631, or, 728-7092.

ASCS News

By C.E. CALVERT
County Executive Director

Commodity and farm storage loans disbursed in April by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Commodity Credit Corporation will carry a 10-3.9 percent interest rate, and CCC Vice President C. Hoke Leggett.

The new rate, up from 9% percent, reflects the interest rate charged by the U.S. Treasury in April, Leggett said.

USDA REPORTS NO DEFICIENCY PAYMENTS REQUIRED FOR 1983 CORN, SORGHUM PROGRAMS

No deficiency payments are due corn and sorghum producers who took part in the 1983 feed grain program, because national average market prices for the two grains were above their established target price levels, Secretary of

Agriculture John R. Block said today.

The deficiency payment rate is the established target price minus the higher of either the national weighted average market price for the first five months of the corn and sorghum marketing year (October through February) or the loan rate.

The national weighted average market prices per bushel for October through February were \$3.15 for corn and \$2.76 for sorghum. For 1983, target prices were \$2.86 per bushel for corn and \$2.72 per bushel for sorghum, and the loan rates were \$2.65 per bushel for corn and \$2.52 per bushel for sorghum.

The Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1982 authorized advance deficiency payments at the time of enrollment for producers participating in the 1983 acreage reduction program. Advance payments of 10 1/2 cents per bushel for corn and 10 cents per bushel for sorghum were made at that time.

The act also provided that any amount paid to participating producers which exceeded the final deficiency payment on the acreage planted shall not be required to be refunded before the end of the marketing year for such crop. The 1983 crop marketing year for corn and sorghum ends Sept. 30, 1984.

CERTIFY FALL-SEEDED CROPS

Farmers have until May 1, 1984, to report the sizes and intended uses of their wheat, oats, barley, rye and other fall-seeded small grains to the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Fall-seeded crops which are not certified by the deadline will be ineligible for program benefits.

Some farmers reported their small grains when they signed up for the 1984 acreage reduction programs and some reported spring-seeded crops.

ASCS randomly checks farms to

verify that the acreage reports are accurate and also provides aerial photographs for farmers to identify their fields. "The acreage reports will be used to determine compliance with farm programs and will also serve as a basis for the 1985 program base acres for farms.

To be eligible for price support loans, target prices and other program benefits, farmers who participate in the 1984 programs are required to report the actual planted acreage on a field-by-field basis. Farmers who did not sign up for the programs could benefit also by certifying their planted acres because the 1984 acreage will be used to establish the 1985 crop base.

Prentiss County farmers who have not certified their fall-seeded crops are urged to do so by May 1, 1984. The local ASCS office is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

4-H News

By WAYNE LAND
Extension 4-H
Youth Agent

Perhaps you have had experience in attracting birds with manmade feeders, baths, and birdhouses, but the addition of properly placed natural attractors such as trees, shrubs and other plants can attract even more birds as well as add color from fruits.

Many birds in the southeast are migrant while others that nest north of us winter here. Wintering birds need a mixture of trees, shrubs and vines to provide places for birds to feed, sing, nest, rest or hide. In a small yard, you may be limited to a few different shrubs. With larger grounds, you can plan for hedges, clump and shrubs, food plot rows

and massed plantings.

Birds also need water. A small pool with water dripping on a rock at the edge attracts birds and is also a plus to your landscape plan. Or a large lot, a pond landscaped with pines, red cedars, clumps of shrubs or a hedge is useful for those birds that need nesting and roosting areas.

Bluebirds need nesting shelters,

such as old wooden fence posts or tree cavities. These are rare, therefore, bluebird nesting boxes are needed to provide shelter for them. Bluebird nesting boxes will be available from Prentiss County 4-H Clubs for three dollars per box.

Anyone interested in purchasing bluebird boxes should contact the county Extension Service at 728-5631.

Rienzi News

By VIOLA PRESLEY
Correspondent

Mrs. James H. Moore has been spending some time this week with her brother, Curtis Moore, of Selmer. Mr. Moore underwent open heart surgery the first of the week at the General Hospital in Jackson, Tenn.

Mrs. Evie Childres, Mrs. Sue Williams and daughter of Corinth visited Sunday with Mrs. Frances Bullard.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Furtick hosted a family dinner Thursday night when relatives gathered from far and near to enjoy their gracious hospitality.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Massengill of Glen, formerly of Rienzi are being happily congratulated with the arrival of a new baby daughter on Saturday, March 31. She is also being welcomed by a sister, Kim.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Holder of Corinth. Along with other family members, a traditional birthday dinner

honored Hugh Holder.

Among our people who are being remembered because of illness are Mrs. Katie Gann, Ann Bishop and Mrs. Frances Bullard.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eldridge, Mrs. Della Massengill and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Massengill attended the Massengill family reunion Sunday at the community center in Booneville.

Sympathy is given to Mrs. Eva Richardson in the death of her sister, Mrs. Ova Wallace. Relatives and friends from here were in Booneville Sunday afternoon for funeral services of Mrs. Wallace.

Among those from Rienzi going to Eastview Sunday afternoon for open house at the lovely new home of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Johnsey and Leslie were Mrs. Melvin Johnsey Sr., Mrs. Robin Johnsey, Mrs. Margaret Lawson and Josh Lawson; Mr. and Mrs. Noble Williams and Ritchie Williams; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Moore; Dana, Brandon and Lori Moore; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer; Mr. and Mrs. William Perry and Viola Presley.

Everyone was delighted in being shown through the beautiful new home and sharing a time of fellowship with the Johnsey's and their very delightful friends and neighbors.

The Rev. James H. Moore was given a special recognition Sunday morning when he was honored with an appreciation plaque by the

membership of the South Corinth Baptist Church. The gesture was a reward for his outstanding work as supply Pastor for the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Kuykendall, Ronnie Kuykendall, Mrs. Louise White of Rienzi and Miss Janessa Potts of Kossuth were in Oxford Sunday to spend the day with Mike Kuykendall, Ole Miss student.



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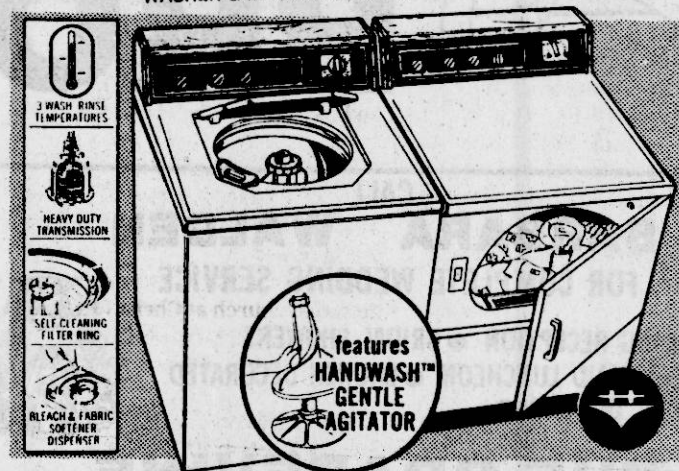
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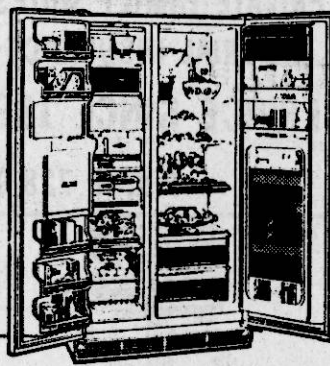


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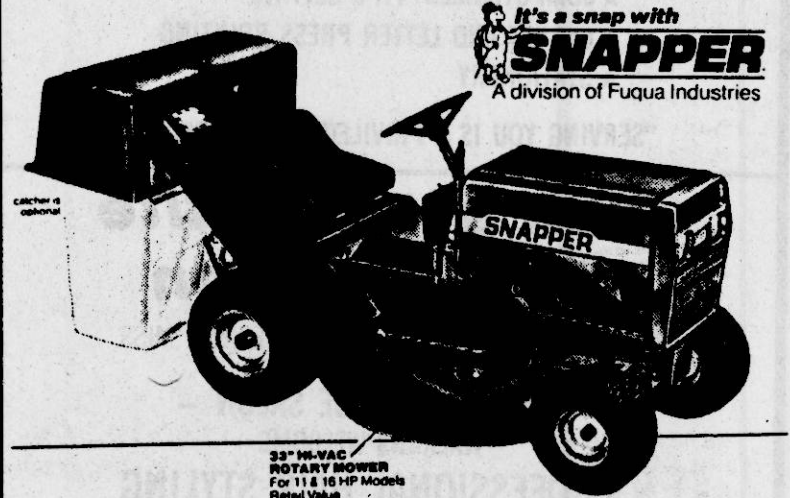
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Jumpertown News

By VERA BAGGETT
Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reed of Guntier, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Goolsby on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonall Mailler and Vital Mailler of Minter City spent Friday night with Mrs. Velma Jackson and family. Mrs. True Keenum went home with them to stay until after Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Geno and Keith Yates visited Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Fuller and Mrs. Velma Jackson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Davis visited Cliff Kellough last week. He underwent surgery at the Magnolia hospital but is much better and at home now.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Grimes of Nashville spent one night last week with Mr. and Mrs. Leland Davis.

Those sick in our community are Carroll Windham, Baptist Hospital, Memphis; Clifford Smart, V.A. Hospital; Mrs. Syble Keenum and Oliver Gilley, Baptist Hospital, Booneville.

Mrs. Maurine Counce of the Pisgah community visited her niece, Mrs. Maggie Mae Gamble in a Memphis hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie English from Collierville, Mrs. Lucille Gann, Mackey Gann and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Granville English. Mrs. Mittie English visited them on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Shipp of Southaven were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyle Eaton.

Robert McCall of Dumas spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Lee McCall and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lacy.

Mrs. Nora Smith and Candie Starling spent Friday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Geno and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Keenum who are visiting from Georgia.

Mrs. Dollie Lee McCall and Mrs. Nellie Lacy spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Nora Smith.

Mrs. Maxine Mailler of Minter City visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dock

Brumley Friday night.

Mrs. Sarah Lee spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow English.

Miss Tammy Stewart of Kossuth visited Kelli Carr of the Jumpertown community Friday and Saturday night.

David Moore of Southaven was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gettys Moore and Mrs. Ivey Moore Sunday.

Mrs. Sadie Inman spent part of last week in Jackson with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pool.

Mrs. Lois Brumley visited Mrs. Gracie Eaton Sunday afternoon. She is home from the hospital and doing better.

Mrs. Francis Moore and Delia attended church at Christ Methodist for the christening of Brenon, her great-grandson. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Keenum of Florida visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Keenum on Saturday and Hollis Keenum on Sunday morning.

The UMW ladies of Jumpertown Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. Frankie Lauderdale Sunday night for their monthly meeting. Some 26 were present.

Mr. and Mrs. William Garrett visited Mrs. Gladys Gardner of Wheeler on Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. Bilbo Baggett Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Yates spent the weekend in Starkville visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Sullivan and other relatives.

Mrs. Nora Bell Dees is out of the hospital and spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Gettis.

Mrs. Lessie Dees attended church at Wires Chapel in Tippah County Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Garrett and Mrs. Bessie Eaton visited Mrs. Dora Garrett and Mrs. Ada Shelton Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tigrett celebrated their 40th anniversary last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Billie Floyd and children and Mrs. Donna Ruth Newby visited them on Sunday.

Russell Brooks is a patient in the Baptist Memorial Hospital.

BHS Journalism Students Receive High Ratings

Booneville High School students received superior ratings in six categories during the annual Scholastic Press Association Institute competition held recently at The University of Mississippi.

The institute, designed to give high school journalists new ideas to help improve their publications and introduce them to journalism professionals, presents awards and plaques honoring outstanding

yearbooks and newspapers.

Booneville students received superior ratings in the yearbook display competition, Yearbook coverage and photography. Newspaper awards included a superior rating for general newspaper excellence, in-depth newswriting and sports coverage.

Booneville School Menu

Monday, April 16
Hamburger or cheeseburger, French fries, lettuce-tomato or fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday, April 17
Pizza, corn, tossed salad, chocolate pudding with topping, milk.

Wednesday, April 18
Spring glazed baked ham, Mr. McGregor's garden peas, Easter egg salad or lime gelatin, hot cross roll, strawberry shortcake, hopping good milk.

Thursday, April 19
Corn dog with mustard, French fries, cole slaw or baked beans, milk.

Friday, April 20
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Jimmy Murphy
Manager

Birthdays

Lindsay Paige Yates, daughter of Al and Cheryl Yates of Jumpertown, celebrated her first birthday Feb. 16.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Grady White of Rienzi, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morgan of Jumpertown and Mr. and Mrs. Devon Yates of Livingston, La.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred White of Rienzi, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Geno of Jumpertown and Mr. and Mrs. Jule Yates of Booneville.

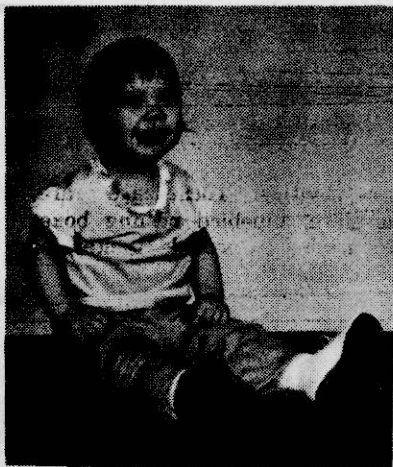


JULIE ANNA SIMS

Jana Carolyn Sims, daughter of Jesse and Janice Sims of the Cairo community, will celebrate her fifth birthday April 12.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Sims Jr. of the Cairo community and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle D. Byram of Adak, Alaska.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. C.A. Owens and the late Mr. Owens of Cairo and the late Mr. and Mrs. C.S. Byram of Tishomingo.



JESSICA ANN DURHAM



LINDSAY YATES

Julie Anna Sims, daughter of Jesse and Janice Sims of the Cairo community, celebrated her third birthday April 11.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Sims Jr. of the Cairo community and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle D. Byram of Adak, Alaska.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. C.A. Owens and the late Mr. Owens of Cairo and the late Mr. and Mrs. C.S. Byram of Tishomingo.




JANA CAROLYN SIMS

Jessica Ann Durham, daughter of Allen and Pat Durham, will celebrate her first birthday April 13.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Durham of Jumpertown, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Whitley and Ouida Cunningham, all of Booneville.

Great-grandparents are Velma McCoy and the late Fred McCoy and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whitley, all of Booneville.



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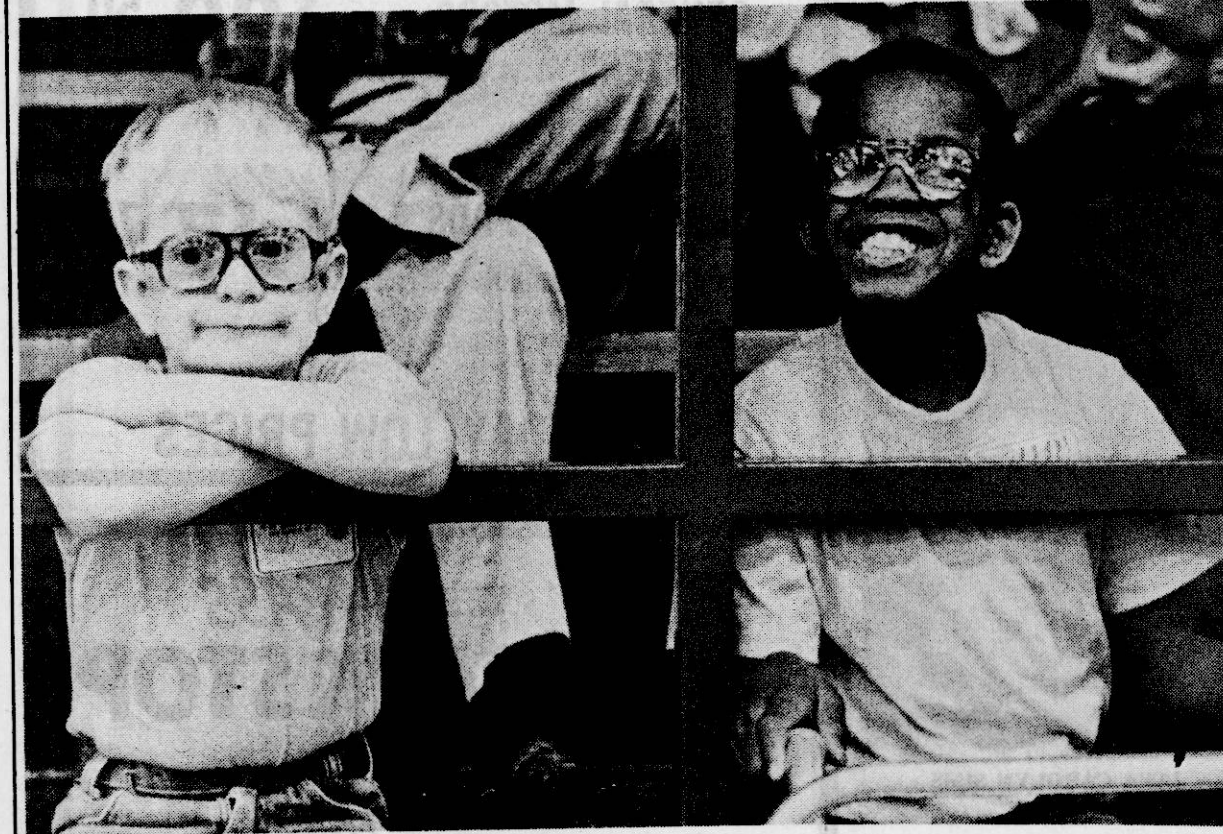
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Special Olympics At NEMJC



THE WAITING IS THE HARDEST PART - In the photos above, taken at the Special Olympics held last week in the Bonner Arnold Coliseum at Northeast Junior College, several contestants find that the waiting can be hardest part of competition. At left, (top photo), Shane Staggs, Booneville, and Ken Broadway, Corinth, take in the sights while their events are being prepared for. At right, (bottom

photo), Harold Cole, Booneville, displays what toll the waiting has taken on him while Todd Alexander, Corinth, spots a chance to pose for the camera. The competition at Northeast was only one phase of the total Special Olympics program, featuring basketball skills. The track and field events were run later in the week at Corinth.



CHECKING OUT THE SPOILS - To the victor go the spoils, and in the photo above, young Harold Cole, Booneville (at right), and Todd Alexander, Corinth

(at left), took over the trophies they hoped to win at the Special Olympics Basketball Event at Bonner Arnold Coliseum last week.



DRESS DIVISION - The Extension Homemakers Council recently sponsored a Spring Fashion Show. Winners in the Dress Division are (l-r) Mrs. Pam Copeland, Zion EH Club, 2nd place; and Mrs. Geraldine Sweeney, Pisgah EH Club, 1st place.



SUIT DIVISION - Winners in the suit division in the Extension Homemakers Council Spring Fashion Show are (l-r) Mrs. Priscilla McElroy, Booneville EH Club, 1st place; Mrs. Martha Williams, Pisgah EH Club, 2nd place; and Mrs. Pam Copeland, Zion EH Club.

Ag Affairs

By ED BLAKE
Mississippi Farm Bureau
Federation
Prices 50 Years Ago

Half a century ago this week sharecropper Robert Bryant bought a few staples at a general store in central Mississippi at prices that just don't compute in today's economy. He carefully laid them on the floor of his mule-drawn wagon and drove his wife home into a setting sun in an episode that was a commonplace happening then, but nearly a fairytale today.

The business end of this transaction is contained in the 1934 ledger book of the Blake general store at Pochontas, Miss., recently acquired through the A.C. Blake estate for historical preservation.

The writer's mother had made most of the bookkeeping entries in the old ledgerbooks, including those of Bryant on April 3, 1934.

It was yet during the Great Depression that Robert and his wife Katie had made the few purchases referred to in this account. The couple were good friends of this writer who at the time was but a small boy. Robert farmed on my father's place where he doubled as an overseer and occasional lay preacher.

On that spring day half a century ago Robert had put on his account a pair of new overalls for 75 cents; a pair of hose for Katie, 25 cents; a pair of shoes for himself, \$2.50; a can of snuff for Katie, 10 cents; a

sack of flour, 60 cents; four pounds of rice, 24 cents; a gallon of coal oil for his lamps, 15 cents; and a nickel bar of soap.

Transportation to town had been at the expense of his two plowing mules who were fed a few extra ears of dry ear corn in a trough beneath the barn shed when they got home.

Perusal today of the old ledger books shows now much consumer prices have escalated over a 50-year span. Cokes then were but a nickel, and were logged in the account book as "dope." Coffee was 20 cents a pound compared to over \$2.50 today. Sugar was 7 cents a pound; lard, 10 cents a pound; and table molasses, 50 cents for a gallon in a "new bucket," according to the meticulous entry in the ledger.

Gasoline was handpumped for autos and trucks in front of the store for 22 cents a gallon. Often if fell my lot to swing the pump handle from side to side to pump more gasoline from the underground tank to the overhead, glass cylinder that showed vertical gallonage numbers on an upright scale through the glass.

Motor oil went for 15 cents a quart in those days, and came from a bulk, hand-pumped upright tank that stood in the back of the store. It was transferred from the tank to the motorblock via a sophisticated looking metal pitcher which had a flexible metal tube for a spout and a thumb-operated valve for releasing the oil through the spout.

Snacks across the old store's counters lacked today's fancy packaging and displays. Hoop cheese was hand-sliced with a butcher knife and weighed as it was cut and laid out on a sheet of white paper atop the scales. It sold for 25 cents a pound.

A can of salmon was 15 cents; sardines, 5 cents; while mixed sizes of eggs from a nearby chickenyard went for 15 cents per dozen.

Some customers even brought in a handful or boxful of eggs to trade for an equal value of merchandise.

Then, razor blades were 10 cents a pack; thread, 5 cents a spool; and Arm & Hammer brand baking soda, 5 cents per package.

Smokers paid 18 cents for a pack of cigarets, yet cigars were seldom bought by the box despite the popularity of the boxes for other purposes.

Cigars cost from 1 cent or 2 cents each to 5 cents for the top brands. They were cellophane wrapped and buyers usually lined them up side by side in the shirt pocket to impress others. . . Or so it appeared.

Buy before you think those were the good ol' days, keep in mind that this was when cotton had dropped at one time to 5 cents a pound for farmers, and when dry ear corn through the store as feed for chicken, mules, horses and hogs primarily was entered on the books for 50 cents a bushel.

Hard times, good ol' days - there really wasn't much difference in that era!

Stamp Catalog Free At Post Office

A free catalog illustrating all current and soon-to-be released U.S. postage stamps, postal stationery and other philatelic items will be available by mail beginning this April, according to Booneville Postmaster Jack Wright.

"Some of our new commemorative stamps are truly

beautiful," Wright said, "such as the 1984 Louisiana World Exhibition stamp featured on the catalog's cover and the orchids block of four stamps with the floral design."

Published six times a year, the Philatelic Catalog describes the Postal Service's complete philatelic product line and contains reproductions of all com-

memorative and regular issue stamps currently available via mail order.

Customers interested in acquiring stamps may purchase them from their post office or use the mail order form and pre-addressed, postage-paid envelope found in the catalog.



SPRING FASHION UPDATE - Extension Home Economists recently sponsored a Spring Fashion Update in cooperation with Northeast Junior College. The program included a slide set of 1984 spring fashions, presentations on spring accessories, collars and ties, confetti sweaters and string quilting. Refreshments were served to the audience by the NEMJC Home Economics Department. Pictured are (l-r) Mrs. Patty

Robinson, Prentiss County Extension Home Economist; Mrs. Barbara McCoy, professor of Home Economics at NEMJC; Mrs. Joyce Akins, Lafayette County Extension Home Economist; Mrs. Corinne Womack, Extension Homemaker member; Mrs. Bobby McCollum, Union County Extension Home Economist; and Mrs. Nancy Critz, Northeast District Leader of Extension Home Economics.

Spring Fashion Update



PANTS SUIT DIVISION - Mrs. Mildred Sappington of the Needlecrafters Club was the winner in the Pants Suit division in the Spring Fashion Show sponsored recently by the Extension Homemakers Council.

East Pleasant Ridge News

By MARY EDDIE TYUS
Correspondent

Guests Saturday afternoon of Mrs. Chessie Prentice were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Skelton of Baldwin. Mr. and Mrs. Wade Mason, Amanda and David of Joliet, Ill., visited her aunt, Mrs. Verda Mae Stubblefield on Sunday. Guests

earlier in the week were Mrs. Bobbie Sanders and Mrs. Peggy Echols of Booneville, Mrs. Mary Lou Purvis of Baldwin and Mrs. Mary E. Tyus of the community.

Jason Baxter attended a boy scout meeting in Tupelo with Kirk and Gay Knight on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Terry Chism of

Booneville visited his mother, Mrs. Joyce Chism on Sunday.

Sandra Wallace spent the weekend with her dad and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wallace of Blue Springs.

Mrs. Wade Green of Hobo Station visited Mr. and Mrs. Woodroe Barnett Friday afternoon. Johnney

Miller of Memphis was a guest Sunday.

Mrs. Mildred Baxter spent last Monday at Mrs. Reba Glover's home in the Wheeler community. Their sister, Mrs. Frankie Hendris is there recovering from surgery. Mrs. Ruby DeVaughn was able to return home. She and Mr.

DeVaughn have been with their children since her surgery.

Get well wishes are extended to Mrs. Nona Rhea who is in the NMMC in Tupelo. She is the mother of our pastor's wife, Mrs. Kay Wallis.

Sympathy is extended to the Billy

Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Eddie Tyus spent from Friday to Monday in Amory visiting Mrs. Earline Tyus Fair. While there she also visited Mrs. Luna Ausborn, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gray, Mr. and Mrs. D.N. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. S.R. Hadaway and Mrs. Dovie Gilmore of Nettleton.

CB Club News

By LADY BLUE SURF

Super D is at home and we hope his other test is okay.

Lady Q has to return to Big M Tuesday for a check-up. Sugar and Spice and Ox have both been on the sick list. Several other club members haven't been feeling well, but we hope everyone is better real soon.

Happy birthday to Big Daddy on April 12.

It seems that Yellow Dog and Brass Monkey think that we are still in for more cool weather. They have been cutting and hauling wood this week and guess who's having to

help - Fig Leaf and Silver Dollar Queen.

An officer's meeting will be held Thursday, April 12, at 7 p.m. at the home of Brass Monkey. Anyone who has not turned in their gifts or grocery itmes should do so. All officers are urged to attend.

Saturday, April 14, around noon, every club member who can is asked to meet at the community center to help set everything up for the jamboree. All who are working Saturday night need to be at the center by 6 p.m. If you don't know your job, ask White Girl.

Club members do not have to dress in uniform Saturday night,

but those who have name tags should wear them.

However, Sunday all club members are asked to wear black pants or skirts and white shirts or blouses, vests and name tags.

The dance Saturday night from 7 until 11 at West Side Community Center will feature Johnny Jumper and his band. Admission will be \$2 for adults. Children 6 and under will be admitted free.

Door prizes will be given away. Everyone is welcome to attend - whether a CB'er or not. The kitchen will be open.

Sunday, April 15, all club members are asked to meet at the

community center at 8 a.m. sharp to set up for the day.

The public is invited to attend the church services at 9:45 a.m.

The break begins at 10 a.m. Prizes will be given away throughout the day. Trophies will also be presented. No alcoholic beverages will be allowed.

The public is invited to attend. A business meeting will be held Tuesday, April 17, at 7 p.m. at West Side Community Center. All club members are urged to be present.

Until next week, stay well, be happy and attend the church of your choice.

FRED'S

CORRECTION

In Fred's Easter Savings Sale Circular the copy description for the Rally 22" Lawn Power Mower, Sale Price 139.95, is incorrect. The correct copy description is:

"Rally® 22" Lawn Mower by Roper. In vibrant red with colorful racing stripes. 3.5 H.P. Briggs & Stratton engine, height adjusters, 7" wheels, chrome plated fold-down steel handles."

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause you.

Pest Control Tech Wins Awards

Redd Pest Control has announced that Johnny Lindley, Booneville, is the winner of the Marketing-Executive and Distinguished Sales awards given by the company.

Lindley began his career with Redd Pest Control in November 1982.

Prior to that, Lindley had owned his own company for 13 years.

After joining Redd Pest Control, Lindley quickly established himself as an exceptional pest control service technician is selling and servicing, according to Redd Branch Manager Walt Holder.

During 1983 Lindley broke all previous records in monthly contract sales, Holder said.



JOHNNY LINDLEY

Library Notes

By LEE DAVIS
Librarian
George E. Allen Library

One of the activities special to National Library Week this year is a motion picture production of Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet."

Several literature classes have seen it this week and others can be arranged by teachers.

This production by Franco Zeffirelli brings a contemporary focus and heightens the conflict of love and hatred. It is a forty-five minute extract that preserves plot continuity. Mutual love draws Romeo and Juliet together, but their

families' mutual hatred drives them apart.

Unlike the original play performed with very few props, Zeffirelli's film is rich in color, costume, scenery, and music.

On display for your enjoyment are art works of Mrs. Barbara Eaton's high school classes. On Friday, a display of senior citizens crafts, including quilts, is planned, and we hope their owners will be guests in the library.

Saturday's party for the entrants in this year's creative writing and poster contest is open to everyone, also. The time is 3 p.m. and the place is the Marion W. Smith Room.

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Mississippi Public Radio Announces Program Expansion

Public Radio in Mississippi will begin expanding its program schedule on Saturday, April 14.

On that date at 5 p.m., A Prairie Home Companion will be added to the Saturday line-up. It will mark the first time that many Mississippi residents will have had an opportunity to hear this program.

Set in the mythical town of Lake Woebegone, host Garrison Keillor creates home-spun stories about the fictional residents and brings them to life for listeners.

Humor is one of the basic ingredients of the show and of Keillor's personality. As a result of his many portrayals, he has been likened to a modern day Will Rogers.

Following A Prairie Home Companion on April 14 will be Grass Roots, a locally produced program of bluegrass, folk and acoustic music.

PRM's Operations Manager Mike Morgan will host this weekly series, blending music with light commentary and bluegrass festival information.

PRM will once again expand the Saturday schedule on April 28 to include the first ETV-PRM

simulcast - Austin City Limits. It will follow Grass Roots at 8 p.m.

On May 1, PRM hopes to move to a full broadcast schedule of eighteen hours per day, seven days per week, signing-on at 6 a.m. and signing-off at midnight.

At that time, programming will include offerings from National Public Radio and various syndicators. When production facilities at the flagship station in Jackson are completed, locally produced programs will gradually be introduced into the schedule.

PRM, a division of the Mississippi Authority for Educational Television is currently program testing between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. weekdays and noon to 5 p.m. on Saturdays on seven of its eight-station network.

Listeners may tune to 89.5 FM in the Booneville area.

"We're very excited at the prospect of moving to a full broadcast schedule," said Linda Flentje, radio director. "We've received an overwhelming response from listeners as a result of the program tests thus far, with the most common request being, 'Please expand your schedule.'"

"On May 1 we plan to honor those requests," she said.

Five Prentiss County Students Honored By Governor Allain

Three high school students from Prentiss County and two Northeast Junior College students were honored by Gov. Bill Allain during the Fourth Annual Governor's Colloquim on Science, Engineering and Technology in Jackson Tuesday, April 10.

Among the 255 Mississippi high school valedictorians honored as Governor's Scholars during the program were Robert McKinney, a senior at Booneville High School, Cindy Robinson, a Jumptown High School senior, and Kathie Barger, a senior at Wheeler High School.

The Governor's Scholars participated in a seminar on "Mississippi's Future In A World Of High Technology" during the morning session and heard an address by Gov. Allain in the afternoon.

NEMJC students Anthony Price and Mickey Raines participated in a program focusing on "Mississippi's Petroleum Industry: A Catalyst For Technological Development."

Keynote speaker for the college students' program was Alan M. Warren, president and chief operating officer for Callon Petroleum Co., Natchez.

"We want to take every opportunity to recognize these outstanding young people because they represent the future of our state," Gov. Allain said.

"By sponsoring this program, we hope to encourage these students to remain in Mississippi for both their higher education and their professional careers.

"Everyone in their hometowns should be proud of the high level of

academic excellence achieved by these young people. They bring credit to their schools, families and communities," the governor said.

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Notice is hereby given that the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Booneville will accept sealed bids for the purchase of a used automobile. Must be 1982 model - 4 door, fully equipped police package. Sealed bids will be received at City Hall until 7:00 p.m. on May 1, 1984, at which time the bids will be opened. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This the 3rd day of April, 1984.

CHARLES E. CRABB, MAYOR
JUNE HUTCHESON, CITY CLERK

07-2 TC
April 12, & 19, 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 6, 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 29 day of March, 1984.

PHILLIP COLE, SPECIAL COMMISSIONER

DOUGLAS M. WRIGHT
ATTORNEY AT LAW
P.O. BOX 994
TUPELO, MISSISSIPPI 38802

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April 5, 12, 19 & 26, 1984

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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

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 Clarence Lee Bilbo Winslett, 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 & BOLEN
SOLICITORS FOR EXECUTRIX

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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 & BOLEN
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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

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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 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.

THE PREMISES, to be sold are described as:

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March 29, April 5, 12 & 19, 1984

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE

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LEGAL NOTICE

State of Mississippi
Community Development
Block Grant Program

COMBINED NOTICE
NOTICE TO PUBLIC
OF NO SIGNIFICANT
IMPACT ON THE
ENVIRONMENT
AND NOTICE
TO PUBLIC
OF REQUEST FOR
RELEASE OF FUNDS

April 12, 1984
City of Booneville
203 North Main Street
Booneville, Mississippi 38829
(601) 728-5401

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

On or about April 30, 1984, the City of Booneville will request the Governor's Office of Federal-State Programs, Department of Community Development to release Federal funds under Title 1 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974; as amended, for the following project: Water Improvement Project which consists of the construction of a water well in a delineated project area, Booneville, Prentiss County, Mississippi.

Finding of No Significant Impact

It has been determined that such request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and accordingly the City of Booneville has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (PL 91-190).

The following reasons for such decision not to prepare such a statement are as follows:

1. Proposed project will improve the existing water supply system; and
2. Long-term beneficial impacts of the proposed project outweigh short-term adverse impacts.

An Environmental Review Record respecting the within project has been made by the City of Booneville which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such Statement is not required. This Environmental Review Record is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying upon request between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

No further environmental review of such project is proposed to be conducted prior to the request for release of federal funds.

Public Comments on Finding

All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by the City and Booneville to the office of the undersigned. Such written comments should be received at City Hall on or before April 27, 1984. All such comments so received will be considered and the City of Booneville will not request the release of federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

The City of Booneville will undertake the project described above with the Block Grant Funds from the Mississippi Community Development Block Grant Program under Title 1 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended. The City of Booneville is certifying to the State that the City of Booneville and Mayor Charles Crabb, in his official capacity as Mayor, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision-making and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied.

The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval the City of Booneville may use the Block Grant funds and the State will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as amended.

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ORDINANCE AMENDING THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP OF THE CITY OF BOONEVILLE, MISSISSIPPI

WHEREAS, notice was heretofore given in the manner and for the time required by law on a proposal on the part of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, of the City of Booneville, Mississippi, to amend, change or modify the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Booneville, Mississippi, by amending the Official Zoning Map which is incorporated in the Zoning Ordinance by reference; and

WHEREAS, such amendment proposed to re-zone certain property from Single-Family RA to Multi-Family RD; and

WHEREAS, notice was published on March 8, 1984, and March 15, 1984, in the Banner-Independent, setting the date of March 26, 1984, at 7:00 p.m., at City Hall as the date and time at the hearing room of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, as the place for hearing on the proposed amendment, and said matter came on for hearing and no protests were received thereat; and

WHEREAS, the Board have determined that sufficient change has taken place in the character of the neighborhood since the original zoning ordinance was adopted in order to grant the relief prayed for in the zoning application.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Booneville, Mississippi, as follows:

SECTION ONE: The current zoning map which is incorporated in the zoning ordinance by reference and which is posted in the meeting room of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Booneville, Mississippi, is hereby amended, changed and modified so that the hereinafter described property is hereby re-zoned from Single-Family RA to Multi-Family RD.

SECTION TWO: Said property so re-zoned is more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 16, Township 5 South, Range 7 East, Beginning at a point of the East boundary of US Highway 45 right-of-way 150.0 feet due North of the South boundary of said Quarter and run North 38 degrees 34 minutes East 275.5 feet along the East boundary of US Highway 45 for a point of beginning; run thence South 73 degrees 06 minutes East 525.8 feet; thence South 12 degrees 16 minutes West 54.5 feet; thence East 246.0 feet; thence North 59.0 feet; thence West 275.5 feet; thence North 34 degrees 35 minutes West 110.25 feet; thence North 24 degrees 53 minutes West 193.75 feet; thence South 38 degrees 30 minutes West along the East boundary of US Highway 45 right-of-way for 485.45 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 6 acres, more or less.

SECTION THREE: This ordinance shall be published as required by law and shall become effective after passage.

The foregoing Ordinance having been reduced to writing was read and considered by sections, each of said sections being adopted by the following vote:

Aldermen voting "Yes": Charles Steen, R.G. Houston, Bluford Allen, Norman Young, and Wade Lambert. Aldermen voting "No": None. Aldermen absent or not voting: None.

WHEREUPON, said ordinance was put to vote upon its final passage as a whole and the same was passed as read with the following vote, to-wit:

Aldermen voting "Yes": Charles Steen, R.G. Houston, Bluford Allen, Norman Young, and Wade Lambert. Aldermen voting "No": None. Aldermen absent or not voting: None.

Thereupon, the Mayor declared said ordinance approved, passed and adopted.

This the 3rd day of April, 1984.

CHARLES E. CRABB, MAYOR ATTEST:
JUNE HUTCHESON, CITY CLERK (SEAL)

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In times of illness such as I have experienced since the first of this year, I have learned to appreciate how much a man's family and friends mean. My family joins with me in trying to tell each and everyone of you how much we thank you for the concern and care which you have expressed so well through cards, letters, telephone calls, visits, flowers, food, and countless other acts of kindness and of love. We did not know that we had so many friends, and it makes us humbly grateful. We especially want to thank each one of you who has remembered us constantly in your prayers.

I would like to say a special thank you to Brother Tim Green for his faithful visits and prayers, to the nurses and staff members of North Mississippi Medical Center for their patient, professional services, to Dr. Foster for assisting Dr. Tannehill, and to Dr. Tannehill for his long and devoted services.

May God bless you and give each of you the kind of good friends and faithful loving family that He has blessed me with.

Bruce Martin
Lelia Mae Martin
James and Doris Martin and Children
Linda and Troyce Butler and Children
Charles and Linda Martin and Children

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The family of Mrs. Ona Wallace wishes to thank each and everyone for their words of kindness and sympathy in her passing.

A special thank you for the flowers and food during this time. We especially want to thank Bro. Bob Carpenter of Memphis, Bro. Doyle Ferrell of Booneville, and for the music provided by Bro. Al Cannon of Memphis and Martha Windham of Booneville. The Family of Ona Wallace

Mrs. Quida Denson
Mrs. Danice Ryan
Mrs. Joan Forsythe

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There are so many people we would like to express our thanks and appreciation to for the kind deeds that you showed during the sickness and death of our loved one. We are forever indebted to Dr. Ellzey, John Thompkins Adm. of Memphis, VA. Hospital and the staff, Bro. Luther Gibson, Bro. Dave Smith, Doug Holland and the many friends and neighbors near and far.

The family of Jimmie Parker.

Mrs. Marie Parker
Mrs. Clara Parker
Mrs. Patsy Taylor
Mr. Boyd Parker
Mrs. Cathy Trimble

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Nell Davis 5-17-84
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Mrs. Earl White 2-1-85
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School Update

Miss. State Announces Summer Orientation

Students interested in enrolling this fall for the first time at Mississippi State University are encouraged to make plans to attend a campus orientation session in June.

The three sessions for incoming freshmen and two for transfer students are designed to give participants a head start at the university.

In addition to preregistering for fall classes, students - and their parents - have an opportunity to meet faculty and administrators, as well as students already enrolled.

"In our correspondence with first-time students, we emphasize that orientation is also for parents," said orientation director Jimmy Abraham. "We have had many

students tell us their parents are much more supportive and understanding of their needs when they, too, attend orientation."

As in the past, Abraham said sessions for transfer students and their parents will last only one day, while freshmen sessions will take place over a two-day period.

The 1984 orientation schedule is: Friday, June 8, transfers; Saturday and Sunday, June 9-10, freshmen; Thursday and Friday, June 14-15, freshmen; Friday, June 22, transfers; Saturday and Sunday, June 23-24, freshmen.

All freshmen and transfer architecture and forest resources majors are strongly encouraged to attend the June 14-15 session, Abraham said.

Pre-College Program Planned At MUW

Mississippi University for Women's pre-college enrichment program, which offers academically superior students the opportunity to earn advance college credit, will begin with registration May 29.

The program, open to students who scored 23 or above on the American College Test, will allow participants to earn from 12-14 semester hours of college credit before they graduate from high school.

Cost of the program is \$34.50 for each semester hour of credit. Living expenses for each of the two terms will be \$292 which includes room, board and post office box rental.

The first term will continue through June 28. The second session will begin July 2 and end Aug. 2.

Regular college courses will be selected from offerings in the MUW summer school bulletin. In ad-

dition, special offerings will include seminar-type classes such as discussions, lectures, films and readings dealing with contemporary issues and problems.

In addition to six hours of academic work, PEP students may take activity courses in physical education.

To register, interested students should contact Dr. Billy D. Pounds, PEP director, MUW, Columbus, Miss. 39701; telephone 329-4750, Ext. 162.

"Our PEP program is an excellent opportunity for highly capable students to get a glimpse of college life before graduation from high school," Dr. Pounds said. "The enrichment program is designed to further encourage the students' intellectual development, develop leadership and enable the students to be better adjusted for college later."

Two Prentiss Students National Award Winners

Tracy Wheeler of Thrasher High School and Dawn Sanford of Wheeler Junior High have been named national award winners by the United States Achievement Academy.

Miss Wheeler was named a 1984 United States National Award winner in leadership and Miss Sanford was named a national award winner in mathematics.

Miss Sanford was nominated for this award by her mathematics teacher, Lonnie Murphy.

Miss Wheeler was nominated for the award by Lynda Davis, her senior sponsor and resource teacher.

Miss Sanford is the daughter of Michael and Jean Roberson. Her grandparents are Billy and Shirley



TRACY WHEELER

Roberson of Booneville and Charles and Marie Lawyer of Gamalid, Ark.

Miss Wheeler is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Wheeler. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Pippin and Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Wheeler, all of Burnsville.

Their biographies will appear in the United States Achievement

Academy Official Yearbook which is published nationally.

The Academy selects winners based upon a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit and dependability.

Two Martin Hill Academy Students Win Competition

Students from the entire state gathered in Hattiesburg recently 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.

Karl Sexton received 1st place in

the Bible Preaching category.

Sexton will advance to the national competition which will be held at Bob Jones University in Greenville, S.C., April 16-18.

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.

County Schools Search

For Handicapped Children

The Prentiss County School District is participating in an ongoing statewide effort to identify, locate and evaluate children under the age of 21 who are physically, mentally, communicatively and/or emotionally handicapped, according to J.W. Greene, Prentiss County Superintendent of Education.

"Early identification of children in need of special educational experiences is most important to each child. Furthermore, this information will be used to help determine present and future program needs as progress is made toward the goal of providing a free appropriate public education to all handicapped children," he said.

Information which could identify an individual child will be main-

tained by this school district and will be provided to other agencies only in accord with the Family Rights and Privacy Act, he said.

"As a parent, you are guaranteed the right to inspect any such information about your child and to challenge its accuracy. Access to this information is forbidden to any unauthorized person without your informed consent," he said.

Those who have questions regarding the collection and maintenance of data about your child, should contact James Gooze (Prentiss County's Child Finder) by calling 728-4632 or writing to him at the following address: Educational Service Center, P.O. Box 779, Booneville, MS. 38829.

Report

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Mississippi Supreme Court decision abolishing the doctrine of sovereign immunity. This simply means that government bodies such as cities and counties can be sued for damages.

Approval was also given to a bill reinstating the interest rates limitation that can be charged by lenders to five percent over the federal discount rate.

The so-called "living will" bill won House approval last week. This legislation will give a person the right to decide prior to being sick or unconscious if they want to be kept alive by artificial means. Instead, prior to illness, the person can instruct their doctor by way of a will, to "pull the plug" and thereby take the burden of making this traumatic decision off family members.

The House also approved the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organization Act, which is aimed at taking the profit out of crime in Mississippi. The legislation gives local authorities the right to levy fines and seize property used in drug trafficking and other forms of organized crime.

This legislation is designed to make it easier to prosecute crimes committed by persons associated with the underworld. It defines racketeering as two or more violations of any of 20 criminal laws within a five-year period. It focuses heavily on crimes ordinarily associated with organized crime, such as gambling, prostitution, and

drug sales.

The House and Senate both approved legislation setting the cap for Medicaid spending \$4 million higher to \$90 million, ending a month of uncertainty for Medicaid recipients about their level of funding. Members are hopeful this funding level will allow health care services to continue for Medicaid recipients.

The long-debated proposed constitutional amendment clarifying the conflict of interest section of the 1890 Constitution was overwhelmingly approved last week, clearing the way for final action on the measure in a joint House-Senate conference committee, with final approval up to the voters on the November ballot.

The House County Affairs Committee gave last-minute approval to a bill allowing county supervisors to repair and build private drives for county and city residents. This bill will be considered by the full House this week.

A measure that did not survive last week's deadline for committee action, however, would have raised the legal drinking age from 18 to 19. Some committee members have said they may try to revive the legislation, placing greater emphasis on enforcement of the current law.

I will continue to keep you informed about the House's actions as we approach the scheduled May 6 adjournment. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 948-7321.

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Sports Roundup

New Site & Marietta 'Old-Timers' To Meet

New Site and Marietta basketball players from the past will meet in a benefit game Saturday night, April 14, at New Site.

The evening will begin with a spaghetti supper from 4-7 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Tickets are \$2.50 each.

Following at 7 p.m. players from New Site's boys' teams from 1965-69 will play former members of the 1965-69 Marietta teams.

Special guests to be introduced at half-time will be the 1945-46 state championship teams from New Site and the 1950 state championship team from Marietta.

Beckley CME Men's Club Sponsoring Tourney

The Men's Club of Beckley Chapel CME Church is sponsoring a basketball tournament April 13 & 14 at Anderson Junior High School.

Bracket drawing for the tournament will be Thursday, April 12, at 7 p.m. at the East Side Community Center.

The single elimination tournament will be open to all teams that wish to participate.

Proceeds from the tournament will go to the building fund at the church.

Anyone seeking additional information on the tournament should contact Coach Willie T. Jackson, George Jones or James Chambers.

Coach Jackson said, "We are hoping for a very good turn out in the tournament and plenty of good action."

Northeast Announces Fall Football Schedule

Northeast Junior College Head Football Coach David Carnell has announced the Tigers' 1984 fall football schedule.

The Tigers will play the first of five home games on Saturday, Sept. 1, when they take on Hinds Junior College.

Homecoming is set for Saturday, Oct. 27, when the Tigers will battle Mississippi Delta Junior College.

Coach Carnell's squad hopes to repeat last year's season by once again earning a berth in the state playoffs.

Several key players will be missing from this fall's team. But Carnell said he has signed several top high school athletes who should step in and do a good job.

The Tigers' have home dates against Hinds on Sept. 1; Holmes on Sept. 22; Itawamba on Oct. 6; Miss. Delta on Oct. 27; and Jones on Nov. 1.

Away games for Northeast this fall include Coahoma on Sept. 8; Southwest on Sept. 13; Gulf Coast on Sept. 29; East Miss. on Oct. 13; and Northwest on Oct. 20.

Summer Activities At Jumpertown Park

The Jumpertown City Park is now registering boys and girls for summer T-ball, softball and baseball teams, according to Steve Goldman, park director.

Goldman said the registration fee is \$5 per person. Deadline for registering is May 14. "No registrations will be accepted after that date. There will be no exceptions," he said.

"We will also be sponsoring a softball tournament May 10 through 12," Goldman said. "All men's and women's teams are invited to participate."

He said there is a \$40 entry fee for the softball tournament. "Hit your own balls -- Blue Dot only," Goldman said.

Brackets will be drawn up on Tuesday, May 8, at 7 p.m. in the park pavilion, according to Goldman.

"This will be the first tournament of the year," he said.

Goldman said anyone interested in more information on either the youth activities or the softball tournament can contact him at 728-9740 or 728-5203.

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3-16 For Season

NEMJC's Baseball Team Continues Bad Luck Season

By SCOTT McKINNEY
Sports Writer

Northeast Mississippi Junior College's baseball team continues to have bad luck as they prepare for district playoffs. The Tigers' record has dropped to 3-16 with three games remaining on the schedule.

Northeast lost five games last week. But they did pick up one victory for their week's work.

On Sunday, the Tigers traveled to Fulton to face Itawamba Junior College in a doubleheader that had been rescheduled from earlier in the season.

In the opener, Northeast lost a close 3-1 decision to the Indians. Eric Lancaster was charged with the loss for the Tigers. However, all three IJC runs were unearned. Mike Murphy led Northeast at the plate with a two hit performance.

IJC opened up to an early 9-1 lead in the nightcap. But the Tigers fought back and tied the game in the latter innings.

IJC won the game in the bottom of the seventh inning as they edged the Tigers 10-9.

Pitcher Doug Wiley was charged with the loss for Northeast in the second game. Centerfielder Brad Hawkins led the Tiger attack as he hit a three-run homerun and played excellent defense on the field.

Mississippi Delta Junior College then hosted Northeast and treated the visitors from Booneville crudely. MDJC beat Northeast 7-6 and 10-1 in the twin-bill.

Northeast led 6-2 going into the bottom of the seventh inning. But MDJC broke loose for five runs to

capture the victory. Todd Wagner was charged with the Tiger loss. Tommy Dawsey of Baton Rouge, La., led Northeast with two hits.

It was all Mississippi Delta in the second game, as they pounded out 16 hits against Northeast. Iuka's Keith "Skeeter" Bryant was charged with the loss for the Tigers.

Northeast hosted rival Northwest Junior College at Booneville city park last Wednesday, managing a split with the Rangers.

NWJC won the opener 11-0, but Northeast gained revenge in the nightcap by dropping Northwest 12-11.

The Rangers connected on five homeruns to stay ahead of the Tigers in the first game. Keith Wimberly of Iuka suffered the loss for Northeast.

In the second game, Wimberly, David Cantu and Chuck Kay all led the Tigers at the plate. But the heroics all belonged to Tommy Dawsey who had three hits, two for homeruns.

Dawsey hit a solo homer in the sixth inning. But it was his second roundtripper that gave Northeast the victory.

With the Tigers trailing 11-8 in the last inning, Dawsey connected on a grand-slam homerun to put Northeast on top.

Doug Wiley was credited with the win for Northeast.

Northeast will host Meridian Junior College Saturday at the city park. It will be a two-game stand that will start at 1:00.

The doubleheader with Meridian will close the regular season for the Tigers.

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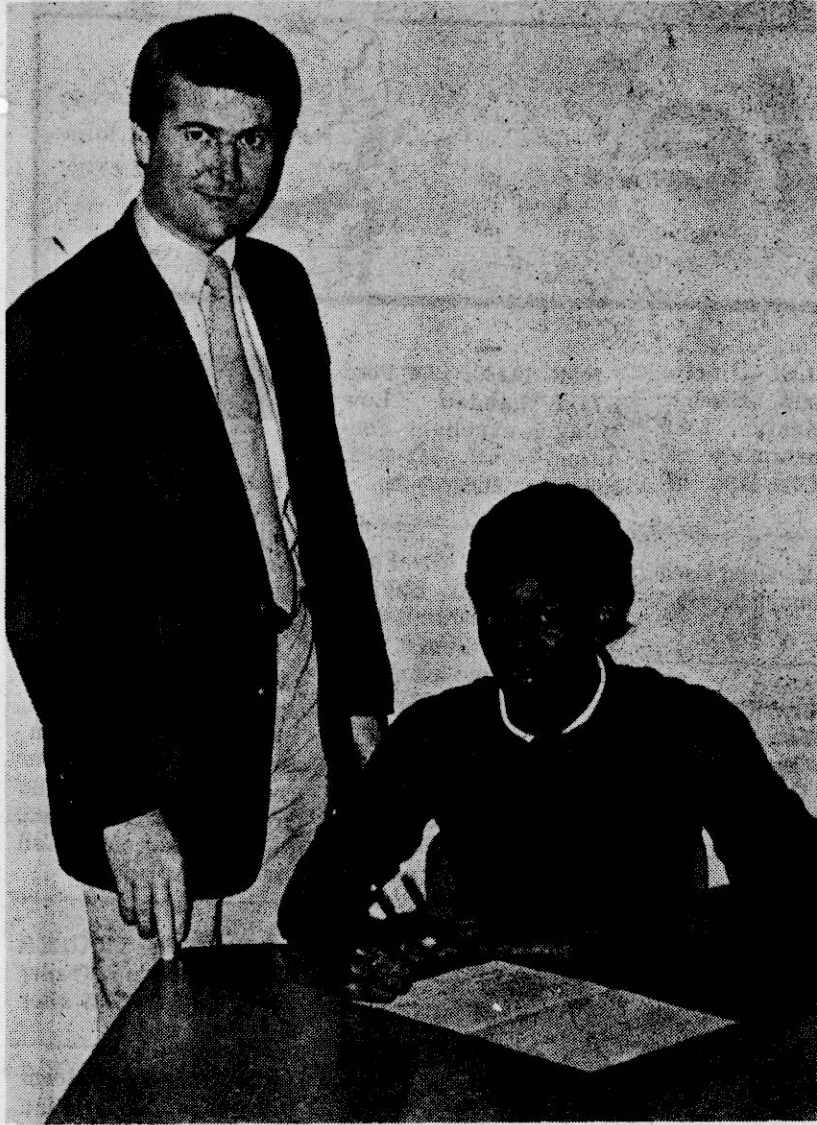
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NEMJC LADY TIGERS SIGN TENNESSEE'S PERRY - Northeast Mississippi Junior College's Lady Tigers, under the direction of coach Ricky Ford, signed 5'8" guard Jackie Perry of Jackson Central Merry High School recently. Perry, a three year starter at JCM, averaged 17 points per game, was named to All District and All West Tennessee teams and won honorable mention in the selection of the All State team. Ford's search for a quality point guard led him to Tennessee where he found Perry. "There's no doubt in my mind that she'll add a great deal to the team," Ford said. "I think Jackie is going to be just what we need in the next couple of seasons."



INGOMAR'S LYON SIGNS WITH NEMJC LADY TIGERS - Coach Ricky Ford, third-year director of the Northeast Junior College Lady Tiger squad, has added Ingomar's Secyme Lyon to his 1984-85 roster. Lyon, who signed last week, played for Lady Falcon coach Harold Cooksey, averaging 17 points per game and capturing All North Half and All District honors in her senior year. In her junior year, the 5-9 guard was All District, All North Half and All State. "We're building what we hope is going to be a winning combination here, and Secyme figures heavily in our plans for the coming year," Ford said. In the photo above, Ford looks on as Lyon signs her letter of intent.

McGaughy In Jr. College All-Star Game

Marlin McGaughy, 6'1" sophomore point guard for the Northeast Tigers, appeared last Saturday in the State Junior College All-Star game at Holmes Junior College.

McGaughy is from Youngstown, Ohio. He signed a two year scholarship for the Tigers.

Head men's basketball coach for the Tigers, Richard Mathis, said, "Marlin did a good job handling the ball and also on defense. He made some nice passes on the floor for the north team."

McGaughy is planning to return to Youngstown where he is a prospect for a scholarship at Youngstown University.

They are Robbie Soleman, a 6'4" forward from Belmont; Phil McCreary, a 6'1" guard also from Belmont, and Robert Evans, a 6'4" forward from Blue Mountain High School.

On another Northeast basketball note, Coach Richard Mathis announced Tuesday the signing of three players to the upcoming Tiger lineup.

Coach Mathis said he is planning to sign two or three more district players, and expects to go out of state to sign "some big boys."

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BHS Baseball Coaches Happy With '84 Team

By GREG SHOOK Sports Writer

Coach Kenneth Shackelford and Coach Riley Presley are presently very happy with the Booneville High School baseball club.

Coach Shackelford said, "We're happy with the team this season because we have a young ball club with only two returning starters. Right now we have one eighth grader starting off, two ninth graders, three juniors and three seniors in the line-up. We seem to be hitting the ball better and playing an average defense."

When asked about his pitching staff he said, "Our two top pitchers are Tim Jumper, who is 3-0 on the season and Rod Coggin, who is 3-2 on the season."

He also said, "Rodney McVey is our top hitter, who currently has an average of .460. Two other top hitters are Gary Pippin and Rod Coggin, both batting over .300.

Booneville's record currently stands at 6-2 on the season and 2-1 in district play. However, Booneville has won their last six games in a row. Booneville is presently tied with Alcorn Central for the lead in District 1A.

"The District play-offs will be coming up the first full week in May, but the Tombigbee Tournament will be the last week in April," Shackelford said.

Booneville will be in action today at the Booneville City Park against the Ripley Tigers. Tomorrow they will be at home once against the division leaders Alcorn Central Golden Bears. Monday the Devils will be at home against the Iuka Cheifains.

Second Turkey Season Underway

Monday, April 9 ended Mississippi's first spring turkey hunting period. The season remained closed the next day, Tuesday, with the second season opening Wednesday, April 11. It will extend through May.

According to Department of Wildlife Conservation officials in Jackson, the state's first season was about as expected in most parts of the state. Rainy conditions in many counties hampered hunters for several weekends at the beginning of the season. Since then overall weather conditions have been moderate in most areas.

Reports from the Delta indicate that flooding from the Mississippi River in the last several years may be affecting turkey populations in some areas. Hunters report the turkey harvest is below that of the past season.

Wildlife officials say, however, that the Delta habitat is so fertile that the turkey flocks will likely return to plentiful numbers.

Meanwhile hunters across the state are generally reporting an above average turkey harvest, although the kill in some areas is spotty. At the end of the first season biologists reported that turkeys in most areas were gobbling and strutting.

Hunters harvesting gobblers during the first season should remember the bag limit of one gobbler per day, two per season, but no more than three per license year.

Corinth 10K 'Coke Classic' Run May 19th

By SCOTT McKINNEY Sports Writer

The Coca-Cola Bottling Works of Corinth and its employees are local sponsors for the third running of the "Coke Classic," a 10,000 meter event sponsored by the Athletics Congress Standards Committee and the Road Runners Club of America.

The "Coke Classic" is the 10,000 meter Corporate Cup Championship of Mississippi.

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Hwy. 4 East - 2 BR, 1 bath, frame, single carport, 2 acres
Lake Mohawk - 2 BR, 1 bath, frame, \$16,000
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HELP WANTED: Commission Agent for bail bond company. Must be 21, have auto and phone, knowledge of law enforcement helpful. Call A.L. Williams Bail Bond Company, Coldwater, Miss. 601-622-5886 after 6:00 P.M. 06-2tp

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NOTICE: Friday, April 13th at 7:30 p.m., Election for VFW & Ladies Auxiliary will be for 1984 and 1985. Officers. Proof of eligibility will need to be turned in 10 days before election time, if you plan to be an officer of any kind. 05-3tp

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FOR SALE: SPRING SALE: New 2 Bedroom, 1 1/2 bath Mobile Home, Cathedral ceiling. Banana Bar, Kitchen Pantry, fully furnished, carpeted delivered and set up for only \$11,995.00. CLAYTON MOBILE HOMES OF SAVANNAH, TENN. Highway 64 East or call 901-925-1083. Open 6 days for your convenience. 06-1tc

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YARD SALE: Meadowcreek Road, at the home of Mrs. Earl Chittom. Saturday, April 14th, 8:00 a.m. Until 4:00 p.m. 07-1tp

RUMMAGE SALE: Rain or shine every Thursday, Friday and Saturday. 117 Stanley, Brown house in back of Winway Store. Sale Hours 8:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m., I also buy old furniture. 07-1tp

CARPORT SALE: 111 Terry Street, Behind Big Star, Saturday, 8:00 a.m. Until? Bedroom Suite, stereo, 2 TV's sets, (2) 10 speed bikes, clothes, Misc. items, Baby clothes, and furniture. 07-1tp

YARD SALE: Friday 13th and Saturday 14th, 7:00 a.m. Until? 1003 South Lake Street. Full bed, box springs and mattress, captains bed and mattress, cassette player, 10 gal. aquarium and all supplies, sewing machine, carpet, hide-a-bed, air conditioner. 07-1tp

YARD SALE: Friday, April 13th, 608 West College Street, Below Town Motel. 3 families. Many good buys, quilts and tops, dishes, misc. 8:00 a.m. Until 4:00 p.m. 07-1tp

AUCTIONS YARD SALES

FLEA MARKET: Hop on down to the Trade Center this weekend for the biggest Easter Flea Market and Crafts Show in North Mississippi! You'll see a building full of new dealers with thousands of bargains! Easter corsages, plants and flower arrangements; stained glass, candle wicking, brass items, grocery bargains, brand-name cosmetics and clothing, wooden folk art and glass, just to mention a few. The Trade Center is your best "dollar stretcher" in this area. Corner of Cass and Cruise Streets in Downtown Corinth this Friday and Saturday! Be There! 287-4860. 07-1tc



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IN THE CHANCERY COURT
PRENTISS COUNTY
BOONEVILLE
MISSISSIPPI 38829

VYVONNE WARNER Plaintiff (X)
v. CARL E. WARNER, Defendant (X), Case No. 13,946

SUMMONS
(Service by Publication:
Residence Unknown)

TO: CARL E. WARNER, whose last known address was 1714 Convent Avenue, Pascagoula, Mississippi 39367; but whose present residence and address is unknown. You have been made Defendant in the lawsuit filed in this Court by Vyvonne Warner, Plaintiff, whose address is Route 4, Box 44A, Booneville, Mississippi 38829.

The Complaint filed against you has initiated a civil action alleging desertion, and seeking a divorce.

You are required to mail or hand deliver a copy of a written Answer either admitting or denying each allegation in the Complaint to Joe Ray Langston, Plaintiff's Attorney, whose address is P.O. Box 748, Booneville, Mississippi 38829. YOUR ANSWER MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE 3rd day of May, 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.

Dated: April 4, 1984

Phillip Cole
Clerk of Court
By Judy Overall, Deputy Clerk

07-4TP
April 12, 19, 26 & May 3, 1984

CARPORT SALE: Friday and Saturday, 8:00 a.m. Until 5:00 p.m., Home of Gary and Linda Johnson, 2 miles East on Thrasher Road. Clothes, household items, small appliances, refrigerator, various other items. 07-1tp

YARD SALE: Friday and Saturday all day, 508 West Church Street. 4th House behind George E. Allen Library. 07-1tc

YARD SALE: Saturday, April 14th, 1984, Time 8:30 a.m. Several families on Route 6, Booneville. Watch for signs at Lambert Auction Barn. 07-1tp

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
OF THE ESTATE OF
TRAVIS MCCHAREN, Deceased
No. 13988

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
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Chuck Steak

lb.

\$1.79

Mrs. Weaver's

Whole Catfish

7 1/2 oz.

99¢

CENTER CUT

Pork Chops

lb.

\$1.99

ARMOUR Hickory Smoked

Pork Chops

lb.

\$2.09

PORK

Spare Ribs

lb.

\$1.59

PORK

Neckbones

lb.

39¢

FRESH

Ground Chuck

lb.

\$1.89

BONELESS

Swiss Steak

lb.

\$1.89

ARMOUR SPICED

Lunch Meat

6-lb. can

\$5.99

ARMOUR Boneless

Half Hams

3-5 lb. Avg. Fully Cooked

lb.

\$1.99

SLICED SLAB FAMILY PAK

Bacon

lb.

\$1.19

FRESH SLICED Peeled & Develined

Beef Liver

lb.

89¢

SALLY'S Sliced

Bacon

12 oz. pkg.

\$1.29

SALLY'S

Hot Dogs

12 oz.

\$1.09

BONELESS Beef

Cube Steak

lb.

\$2.89

ARMOUR Beef Franks

lb.

\$1.49

Sausage & Biscuits

Rudy Farms

9.5 oz.

\$1.59

Sausage Patties

Rudy Farms

12 oz.

\$1.69

Oscar Mayer Lean & Tasty

12 oz.

\$1.59

Claussen Pickles

Whole or Sliced

qt.

\$1.49

DUNCAN HINES

CAKE MIX



16-OZ. BOX

89¢

LIBBY'S

PINK SALMON



TALL CAN

\$1.69

DELTA

TOWELS



2 JUMBO ROLLS

\$1.49

SAUER'S

BAR-B-Q SAUCE

18 OZ.

49¢

DEL MONTE

CATSUP



QUART

99¢

PRIDE

CREAM STYLE CORN

2 CANS

\$1.00

KELLY'S

SLOPPY JOE'S

15-OZ. CANS

\$1.00

BRYAN

VIENNA SAUSAGE

10-OZ. CANS

\$1.00

PEPPERIDGE FARM

APPLE JUICE

15-OZ. CANS

\$1.00

GENERIC

STRAWBERRY PRESERVES

2 LBS.

\$1.29

PAGE ASSORTED

NAPKINS

15 OZ.

89¢

LUZIANNE

TEA BAGS

2 CANS

\$1.00

79¢

MAZOLA OIL

QUART

79¢

FLAVORITE

CRACKERS

2 LBS.

\$1.29

3 60-COUNT

\$1.00

BREAST-O-CHICKEN

CHUNK TUNA

6 1/2-OZ. CAN

79¢

24-CT. BOX

\$1.59

DOLE

CHUNK PINEAPPLE

20-OZ. CAN

69¢

48 OZ.

\$2.69

LIQUID PALMOLIVE

22 OZ.

\$1.09

POUND BOX

59¢

PUNCH DETERGENT

42-OZ. BOX

\$1.19

GENERIC

COLAS

2-LITER SIZE

GRAPE, ORANGE, STRAWBERRY, ROOT BEER,

59¢

PRODUCE THAT YOU KNOW IS FRESH

US No. 1 Russet

POTATOES

8-lb. bag

\$1.29

WASH. EX-FCY. RED OR GOLD DEL. APPLES

lb.

69¢

Fla. Pole Beans

lb.

69¢

New Potatoes "B" Size

3 lb.

\$1.19

D'Anjou Pears

lb.

59¢

Calif. Avocados

3/1

Sugar Sweet

STRAWBERRIES

pint

69¢

Red Emperor

GRAPES

lb.

99¢

SPECIALTY Family Pack

BATHROOM

Tissue

4-ROLL PKG.

LIMIT 1

59¢

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TOILET TISSUE

59¢

KRAFT

1000 ISLAND DRESSING

16 OZ.

\$1.39

LIVEL

ICE CREAM

4-QUART BUCKET

\$3.49

SEALTEST SMALL CURD

COTTAGE CHEESE

12 OZ.

79¢

DUNCAN HINES

BROWNIE MIX

22 OZ.

\$1.59

RAINBO

HAMBURGER DILL SLICES

16 OZ.

69¢

GORTON

FISH STICKS

8 OZ.

99¢

FLAVORITE

CREAM CHEESE

8 OZ.

79¢

KRAFT

MACARONI & CHEESE

2 7/4-OZ. BOXES

79¢

LIPTON

ONION SOUP MIX

BOX

79¢

ORE-IDA

TATER TOTS

2 LBS.

\$1.29

FARM GOLD

MARGARINE SPREAD

3 LBS.

\$1.39

DOMINO

POWDERED SUGAR

POUND

69¢

FRENCH'S

WORCHESTERSHIRE SAUCE

10 OZ.

89¢

CORN-ON-COB

SACK-O-CORN

8-CT. PAK

\$1.29

KRAFT

CHEESE SINGLES

8 OZ.

\$1.09

FRENCH'S INSTANT

IDAHO SPUDS

16 OZ.

99¢

HEINZ

BABY FOOD

JAR STRAINED

19¢

DETERGENT

TIDE

49-OZ. BOX

\$1.89

FLAVORITE

ORANGE JUICE

1/2-GALLON GLASS

\$1.29

JENO'S

PIZZAS



10 OZ.

99¢

SUNSHINE

DOG FOOD

25-LB. BAG RATION

\$3.99