

***Peggy's Take**

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 After calling the little pink communicator and searching couches, chairs, and purses I remembered going to my deep freeze out in my storage room with some frozen vegetables earlier that day. Opening up the freezer, there laid my little pink phone amongst the butterbeans and peas, frozen solid. I carried it inside and after about an hour all my 'searching' calls began to come through with one reminder after another. For all the difficulties of the week, all turned out positively and I have more memories with my "sugar men."

I am a diabetic but I love desserts so I am giving you one of mine and Eli's favorites.

PUMPKIN PIE

- 9" pie shell
- 16 oz. can of pumpkin
- 12 oz. can evaporated milk
- 3 eggs
- 3/4 cup of Splenda
- 1 t. cinnamon
- 1/2 t. ginger
- 1/4 t. nutmeg
- 1/8 t. cloves

Preheat oven to 350*. Mix all ingredients and beat for blending. Pour into the pie shell and bake for about 1 hour.

THE WICKER REPORT

By: United States Senator Roger Wicker



Wicker Welcomes Progress on Trade With Canada and Mexico

Trump Administration Secures Deal to Replace NAFTA

Besides being our North American neighbors, Canada and Mexico are two of the largest international markets for products made in Mississippi. These export markets, as well as others around the world, are a significant generator of jobs and economic growth in our state. According to the most recent numbers available, Mississippi exports were directly responsible for more than 51,000 jobs. Last year, the value of these goods totaled \$11 billion.

As the world grows more connected, it is important to get America's trade deals right. President Trump has made it a priority to ensure that U.S. businesses and American workers are not hurt by unfair trade practices. His campaign promise

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to redo the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) was a bold effort to fix the shortcomings of the 24-year-old deal. After more than a year of negotiations, the President has delivered results.

Gains for U.S. Agriculture, Manufacturing

The new pact, formally titled the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement (USMCA), still needs to be ratified by all three countries. In the United States, Congress will have an opportunity to approve the agreement. I will continue to take a close look at USMCA and work with Mississippians to ensure the agreement maximizes our state's potential.

So far, there seems to be plenty in the deal that lawmakers from both political parties should like. Overall, a strong trilateral agreement with our North American

partners offers certainty to farmers and manufacturers, reaffirming the United States as a place for business investment and job creation. More specifically, USMCA would encourage the domestic production of automobiles and auto parts. It would give U.S. farmers greater access to Canadian markets, making sales of American-made dairy, eggs, and poultry more competitive there.

Additionally, U.S. innovators – who continue to seek solutions for the world's most pressing problems – would have more protections over their intellectual property, thanks to the deal's extension of copyrights and patents. USMCA addresses digital trade and online purchases, recognizing the sharp growth of the Internet economy since the terms of NAFTA were set in 1994.

Safeguards on U.S. Intellectual Property

When it comes to protecting America's trade interests, the Trump Administration's tough stance extends far beyond this continent. The President has not shied away from confronting China about the stealing of U.S. intellectual property. In late March of this year, the United States Trade Representative released the findings

from its investigation on these dishonest trade practices. The report estimated that China's theft of U.S. intellectual property could cost as much as \$600 billion annually. Such practices are unacceptable, and USMCA is a signal to China that the Administration is committed to safeguarding American ingenuity.

After a slow economic recovery, Americans are finally witnessing positive economic growth and low unemployment. Keeping "Made in America" goods and services competitive in world markets can help advance these encouraging trends even further.

USMCA is a welcome step toward modern, equitable trade deals for our farmers, ranchers, manufacturers, and innovators.



*Kristen Hocutt
Aden Wigley
October 20, 2018*

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LEGAL NOTICES

HOLMES CO BD OF SUPERVISORS
 CLAIMS SUMMARY FOR: 9/2018
 FOR THE PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

FND-DPT	DEPARTMENT NAME	DEPT TOTAL
001-000	GENERAL COUNTY PAYROLL	282686.58
001-100	BOARD OF SUPERVISORS	9710.56
001-101	CHANCERY CLERKS DEPT	3858.56
001-102	CIRCUIT CLERKS DEPT	3072.66
001-105	ASSESSOR/TAX COLLECT	7774.48
001-151	MAINT OF BLDG & GROUP	14872.42
001-152	DATA PROCESSING DEPT	2030.00
001-154	VETERAN SERVICE OFFICE	1029.00
001-160	CHANCERY COURT	6647.85
001-161	CIRCUIT COURT	9975.14
001-163	JUVENILE COURT	812.00
001-165	LUNACY COURT	150.00
001-166	JUSTICE COURT	6099.50
001-167	CORONER	1164.83
001-168	DA SPACE RENTAL	600.00
001-169	CO PROSECUTING ATTY	600.00
001-180	ELECTIONS	18761.05
001-200	SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT	24849.09
001-240	EMER MEDICAL SERVICE	19191.15
001-400	PUBLIC HEALTH ADM	55.00
001-420	HEALTH CENTERS	5000.00
001-440	MENTAL HEALTH	2233.33
001-450	WELFARE ADMINISTRATION	8199.25
001-458	ATTORNEYS FOR PAUPER	8055.56
001-459	PROTECTIVE CHILD CARE	2500.00
001-631	COUNTY EXTENSION SER	4251.27
001-675	ADV COUNTY RESOURCES	486.85
001-686	INDUST PARK UTILITIES	4302.02
013-000	AOC DRUG/DUI FUND	5020.55
013-172	AOC DRUG/DUI FUND	3742.55
025-163	YOUTH COURT REFEREE EXPENSE	987.92
032-000	VICTIMS OF CRIME ACT GRANT	14006.13
032-168	VOCA EXPENSES	152.23
096-000	REAPPRAISAL OF PROPERTY P/R	15291.00
096-153	REAPPRAISAL OF PROPERTY	2906.01
097-000	911 ENHANCED FUND	3733.20
097-265	911 ENHANCED FUND	4676.57
101-690	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	45.00
104-131	LAW LIBRARY	3337.09
105-000	SOLID WASTE PAYROLL	19450.59
105-340	SOLID WASTE - EXPENSES	12947.09
105-351	LEASE PURCHASE GARBAGE TRUCKS	4611.45
106-000	FIRE PROTECTION/TAX PAYROLL	832.53
106-251	FIRE PROTECTION/TAX	368.97
119-251	MS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY/FIRE	809.76
124-000	HHR CANTEEN FUND	2762.37
140-690	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT	4000.00
151-301	DISTRICT 1 EXPENSES	13967.65
151-311	LEASE PAYMENT DUMP TRUCK	1509.01
151-321	DISTRICT ONE LEASE PAYMENT	1744.50
152-302	DISTRICT 2 EXPENSES	14522.01
152-332	DISTRICT 2 LEASE PAYMENT	1448.71
152-362	DISTRICT 2 LEASE PAYMENT	1730.19
152-372	LEASE PURCHASE MOTOR GRADER	1730.19
153-303	DISTRICT 3 EXPENSES	20401.80
153-313	DISTRICT 3 LEASE PAYMENT	1509.01
153-323	DISTRICT 3 LEASE PAYMENT	1551.37
153-353	DISTRICT 3 LEASE PAYMENT	1744.50
154-304	DISTRICT 4 EXPENSES	20759.34
154-314	DISTRICT 4 LEASE PAYMENT	1648.33
154-334	DISTRICT 4 LEASE PAYMENT	1448.70
155-305	DISTRICT 5 EXPENSES	14048.64
155-315	DISTRICT 5 LEASE PAYMENT	1509.02
155-325	DISTRICT 5 LEASE PAYMENT	1205.58
155-345	DISTRICT 5 LEASE PAYMENT	1648.34
161-000	DIST 1 B&C PAYROLL	18765.38
161-311	DISTRICT 1 LEASE PAYMENT	917.29
161-331	LEASE PURCHASE EXCAVATOR	1555.90
161-341	DISTRICT 1 LEASE PAYMENT	880.54
162-000	DIST 2 B&C PAYROLL	12425.17
162-302	DIST 2 BRIDGE & CULVERT	12903.48
162-332	LEASE PURCHASE JD TRACTOR	930.84
163-000	DIST 3 B&C PAYROLL	16176.90
163-363	LEASE PURCHASE MOTOR GRADER	1481.49
164-000	DIST 4 B&C PAYROLL	20370.60
164-314		1190.54
165-000	DIST 5 B&C PAYROLL	13178.71
165-315	DIST 5 BRIDGE & CULVERT	1042.59
165-335		1153.13
172-342	STATE AID ENGINEER	22087.10
179-100	DISTRICT FOUR REC/EC DEV	22967.76
185-305	DISTRICT 5 ROAD REPAIR	8584.34
186-301		8205.48
188-340	SOLID WASTE EQUIPMENT	4682.63
193-303	DISTRICT 3 ROAD ROAD	3787.70
194-304	DISTRICT 4 ROAD BOND	30648.30
195-305	DISTRICT 5 ROAD BOND	60347.00
200-800	PRINCIPAL DEBT	3050.27
304-100	CONSTRUCTION FUND	1771.25
402-000	HHRCF PAYROLL	149590.71
402-220	EXPENSES	87487.06
650-000	ASSESSMENT CLEARING	16067.00
654-000	REGIONAL LIBRARY	3984.82
664-000	CONSTABLES	2755.00
690-000	HOLMES COMMUNITY COLLEGE	2158.87
691-000	HOLMES COMMUNITY COLLEGE IMP	2242.75
698-000	GENERAL CLEARING ACCOUNT	76747.28
	*** TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS ***	1262913.93

THIS IS A SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES FOR SEPTEMBER, 2018 LISTING THE TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS BY EACH DEPARTMENT. A COMPLETE LIST OF ALL EXPENDITURES REPRESENTING THESE TOTALS IS RECORDED IN SUPERVISORS DOCKET AND IS OPEN FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION IN THE CHANCERY CLERKS OFFICE DURING REGULAR HOURS.

CLASSIFIED ADS

**HOLMES COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
JOB ANNOUNCEMENT**

DEPUTY JUSTICE COURT CLERK

The Holmes County Board of Supervisors is seeking a qualified candidate for the full time position of Holmes County Deputy Justice Court Clerk. The applicant should possess the following:

EXPERIENCE OR QUALIFICATIONS:

- A college degree in Business Administration, Accounting, Criminal Justice or a related Field or
- Work experience in a similar position may substitute for some of the educational requirements

SPECIAL KNOWLEDGE/SKILLS/ABILITIES:

- Must be computer literate
- Must possess good communication skills
- Must possess excellent customer service skills
- Must be able to work in a team setting
- Must possess legal/technical knowledge of the criminal justice system
- Must possess strong time management and organizational skills

For immediate consideration, please submit resume' and references to Charlie M. Joiner, County Administrator at P. O. Box 239, Lexington, MS 39095 or via e-mail at: cjoiner@holmescountymississippi.org or hand-deliver to the Office of Administration, 408 Court Square, Lexington, Mississippi by **5:00 p.m. on October 26, 2018**. For questions or additional information, you may call (662) 834-0911.

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