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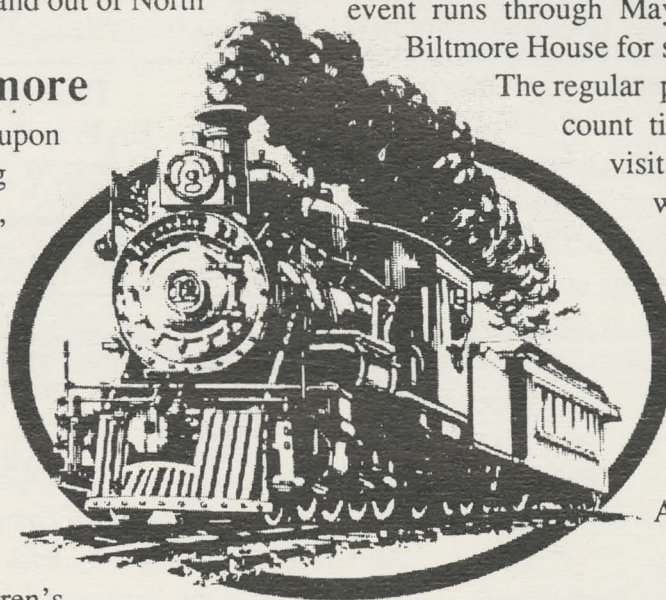
March 27, 1989

Discounts are here for Chatham Employees

The colors of spring are all around and we're thinking about getting out and about. Spring is a special time at many northwestern mountain spots. We have lots of discounts to offer you for your week-end and vacation trips both in and out of North Carolina.

Tweetsie and more

This year we have a coupon that is good at all the following attractions: Tweetsie Railroad, Grandfather Mountain, Mystery Hill, the Blowing Rock, and the outdoor drama, Horn in the West. One coupon is good for a family. The discounts are \$1.00 off each adult and children's regular admission at Tweetsie; \$1.00 off each adult and .50 off each children's admission at Grandfather Mountain; .50 off each adult and children's admission at Mystery Hill; \$1.00 off each adult and .25 off each children's regular admission at the Blowing Rock; and \$1.00 off each adult and .50 off each children's admission at Horn in the West. Since these attractions are all close to us, we usually have a good many employees interested in these discounts.



Biltmore House

The 1989 Festival of Flowers begins April 8 at the Biltmore House in Asheville. They feature many daily events and fabulous flower gardens. This special event runs through May 14. We have tickets to Biltmore House for sale in the Credit Association.

The regular price is \$17.50. Our discount tickets are \$14.85. You can visit the 250 room chateau, the wine cellars, and the gardens with this "good any day" ticket.

Biltmore Estate is located just three blocks north of Exit 50 or 50-B on I-40 in the heart of the Blue Ridge Mountains in Asheville, North Carolina.

Carowinds

As always, we have Carowinds tickets. The ticket price is \$12.95 for ages seven and up. Children ages four to six can go for \$8.00 and adults 60 and over can go for \$8.00. The tickets are good any day. Carowinds has over thirty rides and a variety of shows and restaurants. The regular admission price is \$17.95. Ages three and under get in free.

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Retiring



Myra Osborne

Myra Osborne first came to Chatham in 1941. She played basketball on the Chatham team and worked until 1944, when she left to have a family.

Myra came back to work at Chatham in the Binding in 1951. She worked there ten years before transferring to the Winding where she worked until going out on LTD.

Myra said, "I thank Chatham for all the benefits and especially the disability benefits for employees. I wish this Company the very best."

Visiting with her neighbors and growing flowers are Myra's favorite hobbies. She also enjoys sewing and watching Duke and Carolina games. Myra has one daughter, one son and five "wonderful" grandchildren.



Virginia Billings

Virginia Billings has worked at Chatham eleven years. She is retiring from the Spinning Department, third shift.

Virginia and her husband, James, plan to travel some. A trip to Colorado is coming up. James is semi-retired. They have four daughters, three who live close by and one living in Louisiana. They have eleven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Virginia likes to read and enjoys both fiction and mysteries. She looks forward to just "doing as I want" now that she has retired.

ACCIDENT INJURY REPORT February 1989

	Feb.	Jan.	Dec.
Caught in or coming in contact with machinery	23	24	18
Striking against on or by objects	24	32	25
Using hand tools (knives, scissors, tools, burling irons, needles, etc.)	16	18	17
Handling material (hand injuries)	17	18	12
Splinters	9	8	9
Foreign bodies in eye	5	5	4
Slips & Falls	9	15	11
Falling objects	7	8	5
Lifting, pulling, pushing, (strains, hernias, etc.)	20	11	11
Burns	1	1	5
Punctures	2	4	2
Miscellaneous	3	7	2
Chemical burns	2	0	1
Infections	0	0	0
Totals	138	151	122

Personal problems?
EAP is here to help you.
Call 679-8805 or 835-6781
or make an appointment with
the First Aid, Ext. 374

1989 CHATHAM FISHING TOURNAMENT

- Date: April 17 - May 31
 Entry Fee: \$5.00 per person
 Eligibility: All Chatham employees and Retired employees
 Place: Any fresh-water other than commercial ponds
 Bait: All fish must be caught by hook and line
 Registration: By April 14 in the Personnel Office. Pay entry fee when you register.
 Trophies: For 1st place in these categories-

- A. Largemouth bass for weight - 5 lb. minimum
- B. Smallmouth bass for weight - 1 lb. minimum
- C. Bream - all species - for weight ½ lb. minimum
- D. Crappie for weight - ½ lb. minimum
- E. Catfish for weight - 1 lb. minimum
- F. Brooktrout for length - 12" minimum
- G. Rainbow and Brown Trout for length - 14" minimum
- H. Open - any other species - no restrictions for weight - salt or fresh water - commercial or non-commercial waters.

Certification: All entries must be certified.

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Comments, suggestions, and story ideas are encouraged and should be directed to the Editor.

Kathie McDaniel, Editor

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Disney World

We also have membership cards for the Magic Kingdom Club. Employees and retirees and their families can receive discounts for Disney World, Epcot Center, Disney Land, and there are lots of other discounts like hotels, rental cars, etc. You can get a membership card in the Personnel office.

Busch Gardens, Sea World and Cypress Gardens

We have Passport Club discount cards for Busch Gardens. These are good for a discount at The Old Country, Busch Gardens in Williamsburg, Virginia, and the Dark Continent, Tampa, Florida and Adventure Island in Florida.

Also, for those visiting Florida, we have discount cards for Sea World, Cypress Gardens, and a theme park called Baseball and Boardwalk.

**DRIVE A
BARGAIN**



Hawaii, Nashville, TN or Williamsburg, VA

Our latest discount offer: \$5.00 off a trip to Nashville, \$5.00 off a trip to Busch Gardens, Virginia, and \$25.00 off a trip to Hawaii. The good news is that all three of these trips are for the Chatham vacation week. The coupon below can be used to get these discounts at the World Class Travel Agency, North Wilkesboro or you can come by the Personnel office and get a coupon. This offer is good per person for Chatham employees, retirees and their families. Reservations for these trips must be made promptly, so if you are interested, get your coupon, name, etc. in quickly. You can get more details about these trips in the Personnel office.

Chatham Employee Discount Coupon for a World Class Tour

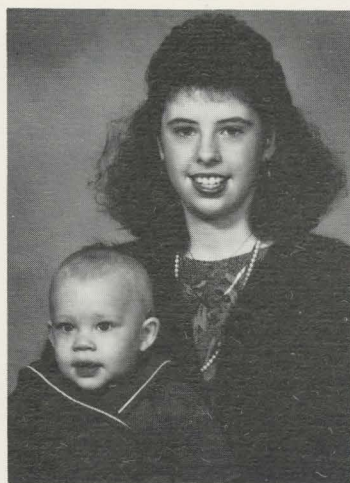
This coupon may be redeemed at World Class Tours, North Wilkesboro, N.C. (919) 838-7330 or just come by the Personnel office. It is good for a \$5.00 discount on the Nashville Tour or the Busch Garden Tour or \$25.00 on the trip to Hawaii. The offer is good per person for Chatham Manufacturing Company employees, retirees and their families. Early reservations must be made for these trips.

Redeem Before June 1 for Hawaii or June 20-other trips

\$5.00/\$25.00

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Let me tell you about...



Sixteen year old **Natasha Mitchell** and seventeen month old **Lauren Rebecca Golden** are the granddaughters of Leo (retired) and Stella Golden. Natasha is the daughter of Vernon and Brenda Mitchell and Lauren is the daughter of Mike and Deborah Golden.



Marinda and **Tiffany Goodwin** are the daughters of Mike (Knitting) and Donna (Weave) Goodwin. They are the nieces of Chris Lloyd (Wet Finish) and the great grandchildren of Culmer Wood (retired). Marinda is four and Tiffany is two years old.



Heather, eighteen months old, and **Hasten**, three years old, are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lee Lawrence, Jr. of Cherry Grove, South Carolina. They are the step grandchildren of Mary Jo Cook (Engineering) and the great grandchildren of Glenn Cook (retired).



Jennifer Allison Minton is the great granddaughter of Mattie and Tom Spicer (retired). She is the daughter of Tammy Day and the late Timmy Minton, and the step-daughter of Eddie Day (Boonville). She is the granddaughter of the late James Spicer.



Davis James Woodruff is the son of Karen and Scott Woodruff (Shipping). He is the grandson of Jim Woodruff (Transportation) and Ann Woodruff (Blanket Order Processing). Davis is five months old.



Seven year old **Alissa Caudle**, four year old **Drew Caudle**, and nine year old **Donnie Collins** are the grandchildren of Donald and Emelene (Burling) Miller. Alissa and Drew are the children of Roger and Cynthia Caudle. Donnie is the child of Donna and Steve Collins.

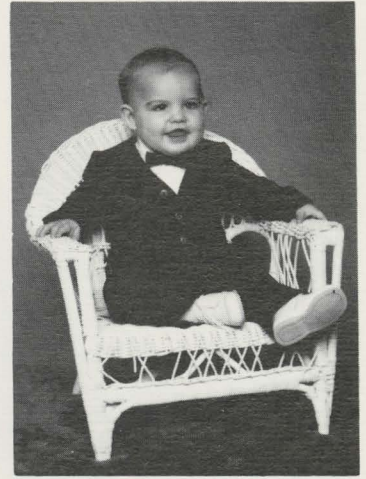


Steven Darrell Bauguess was born November 20, 1988. He is the son of Darrell (Warp) and Marina (Weave) Bauguess and the grandchild of Frances Blevins (Yarn Manufacturing, Boonville).

Let me tell you about...



Double set of twins - Four year old **Heather** and **Andrea Nance** hold their one year old brothers, **Jonathan** and **Jeremy**. They are the children of Roger and Susan Nance and the grandchildren of Betty (Winding) and Bill (Carding) Lyons.



Three year old **Bethany Dawn**, one and one-half year old **Ashley Ann**, and one month old **James Clifton** are the children of Jeanette and Bill (Engineering) Carter.

Starting at top (l-r) **Zachary Brandon**, **Seth Channing**, **Kristin Elizabeth**, **Amy Lauren**, and **Andrew Barrett** are the grandchildren of Leo (Engineering) and Velma (Personnel) Darnell. Zachary and Seth are the children of Stan and Sherry Darnell. Kristin, Amy and Andrew are the children of Gary and Kathy Darnell. Kristin and Amy attend Wake Forest Elementary School in Raleigh.

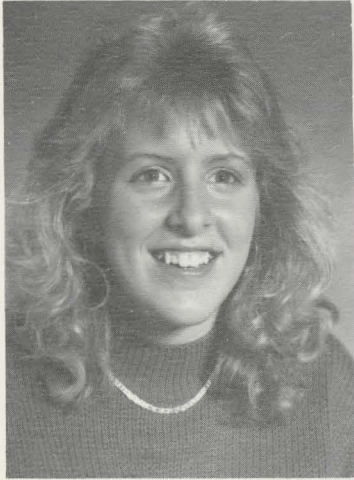


Four year old **Meagan** and eight month old **Hannah** are the granddaughters of J.D. (Engineering) and Louise Smith. Meagan is the daughter of Jim and Debbie Smith and Hannah is the daughter of Tom and Beth Smith.



Christy Marie Hinson is the three month old daughter of Bryan and Mary Hinson. She is the granddaughter of Mattie and James (Wet Finish) Cranford and Sheila and Frank (Engineering) Hinson and the great granddaughter of Burton Brown (retired) and the late Herman Hinson. She is the niece of Jimmy Hamby (Country Store).

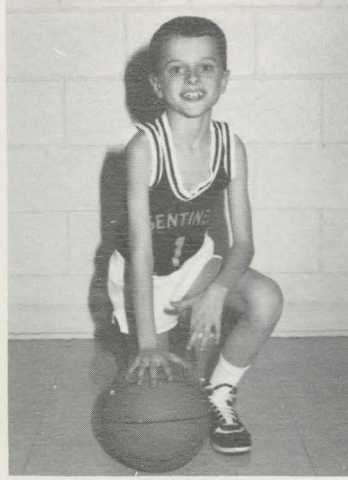
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Angie Harris is a thirteen year old student at C.B. Eller School where she is the spelling champion and a cheerleader. She is the daughter of Dianna and James Wilmoth (Extrusion) and the granddaughter of Marie Bowers (Winding).



Lindsey Cory Dimmette is the five month old son of Terry and Dennis (Engineering) Dimmette. He is the grandson of Fred Dimmette (Transport) and the nephew of Donna Chipman (Weave) and David Chipman (Weave).



Ryan Ward is the first place winner for the State in the 8-9 year old division of the Elks National Hoop Shoot Contest. Ryan won the county (Wilkes) and the district contests and will now compete in the regional competition in Charleston, West Virginia on March 18. He is the son of Janie and Rick (Industrial Engineering) Ward.



Laura Elizabeth and Meredith White McLeod are the children of Jon and Evelyn McLeod of Charlotte. They are the grandchildren of Bertha Hudspeth (retired) and the late S.C. Hudspeth. Laura is eleven and Meredith is sixteen years old.



Tashika Jade Hampton is the daughter of Barbara Basemore (Weave) and John Hampton. Tashika is eighteen months old.



Dawn Hartwell is the daughter of Roy and Vickie Hartwell, both employees in the Yarn Manufacturing at Boonville. Dawn is nine years old.

Beat The Odds

"There's a sucker born every minute, observed P.T. Barnum.

But that was long before the population explosion. Undoubtedly, the odds have increased to one every ten seconds.

Who Gets The "Doggy" Bag?

A recent Gallup survey of 1,010 adults found that 69% asked for doggy bags when dining out. Of those requesting doggy bags, 89% said they eat the leftovers themselves - 47% use the leftovers for lunch, while 42% eat them as a snack.

Club News

Two Chatham clubs voted this month to make donations to the Yadkin, Wilkes and Surry County Hospice Organizations. Hospice is a non-profit organization that provides emotional and physical support for terminally ill patients and their families.

The Fellowship Club voted to give \$100.00 and the Binding Club voted to donate \$50.00 to each of these Hospice groups.

If you are interested in knowing more about Hospice or would like to make a donation, you can call Shirley Furches at 835-7416.

Let's Cook

Barbecue Meatballs

1 pound ground beef
1 cup soft bread crumbs
½ cup milk
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon black pepper
1½ tablespoon worcestershire sauce
¼ cup vinegar
1 tablespoon sugar
½ cup catsup
½ cup water
½ cup onions, chopped
½ cup green peppers, chopped

Moisten bread crumbs with milk. Add beef, salt and pepper. Make into balls and place in casserole dish. Cover with sauce made from remaining ingredients. Bake uncovered 45 minutes at 375 degrees. Serves 6.

-Shared with us by
Iva Dean Collins, Binding

Whittling Pays Off

Samuel Colt did some whittling to occupy time in 1830 while he was on a sailing ship. He ended up carving a model of the first pistol with a revolving barrel. His Patent Arms Manufacturing Company, incorporated March 5, 1836, began manufacture of the first Colt firearm, a .34-caliber Texas model, soon after.

Safety Break - Wet Finish

The first shift Wet Finish Department employees were congratulated for 707 accident free days at a safety coffee break on March 6.



Seated (l-r) - Jimmy Hensley, Ralph Welborn, Allen Luffman.
Standing (l-r) - John Pyles, Tony Newman, Helen Henley, Betty Hill, Otis Holbrook.



Seated (l-r) - James Cranford, Don Price, Jimmy Macemore, Michael Rogers. Standing (l-r) - Paul Southard, Wayne Vanhoy, Arthell Jolley, Gregory Sloop, Lawrence Martin.



Seated (l-r) - Willie Blevins, Pless Welborn, Charles Walters, Bill Coe. Standing (l-r) - C.J. Holcomb (Supervisor), Lenwood Burnett, Luther Thompson, Willie Reece, Larry Brown. Not pictured - Clyde Lyon and Carl Martin.



Seated (l-r) - Gary Smith, Helen Garriss, Tim Gentry (Department Head). Standing (l-r) - Ellis Johnson, Tommy Wall (Supervisor), A.C. Roberts, Dennis Blevins.

In Memoriam

E. Elmer East
February 28
Retired Employee

Stella M. Burchette
March 2
Wife of Lewis M. Burchette,
retired.

Richard G. Everidge
March 2
Father of David Everidge,
Yarn Manufacturing.

Farris L. Prevette
Blum Construction Employee
March 3
Brother of Mae Pardue
Couch, retired.

Genevieve M. Couch
March 5
Chatham Employee
Sister of Conrad Money,
retired.

Eugene E. Pearson
March 5
Brother of Hilda P.
Weatherman, Binding.

Mary Etta Laster
March 6
Mother of Quillar A. Laster,
retired.

Jimmie Martin
March 8
Retired Employee
Father of A. Darlene Martin,
Wet Finish; J. Craig Martin,
Piece Dye; brother of Willie
M. Cook, Engineering; John
H. Cook, Shipping; and
Hazel Redman, retired.

Marlene S. Hobbs
March 8
Retired Employee
Mother of R. Dean Hobbs,
Blending.

Evie C. Brooks
March 10
Mother of Beatrice Welborn,
retired.

Garvey Nicks
March 11
Retired Employee
Brother of Cletia N. Pardue,
retired.

Chatham Trader

Will babysit in my home, \$3 per child per day, 1st and 2nd shift. Call 835-7481.

Will do housework in Mountain Park, State Road area. 20 years experience. Call 366-2726.

Will mow yards. Call 835-1391.

Will keep children in my home, second shift, Boonville area. Call 367-5174.

WANTED: table saw, good condition, call 835-6895 after 5:00 p.m.

The Blanketeer is published for...



employees and retirees of Chatham Manufacturing Company like **Beverly Murphy** who works in Repack in Winston-Salem. She has been with Chatham for four years. She has two girls, Renita - age 3 and Kirstel - age 16 months. Beverly loves to fish and go to the football games of Winston-Salem State College.

FREE: 3 puppies - part Border Collie. Call 835-8913 after 5:00 p.m.

FOR RENT: 3-bedroom trailer, East Spring St., Elkin, within walking distance of Chatham Mfg. Call 835-7828.

FOR RENT: House in Boonville, \$200 deposit required, references required, no pets, rent for \$200 per month. Call 367-7575 or 874-2576 after 4:30 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1982 Subaru 4x4 Hatchback, 130,000 miles, uses very little oil, good condition. \$1600. Call 835-1469.

FOR SALE: Hunting light, 6 volt, nite lite, 1 year old, \$80. Call 835-1469.

FOR SALE: 327 300 h.p. carburetor, intake and heads. Call 835-6895 after 5:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1987 Honda 4-wheeler, bought new in Nov., 1988, used 10 hours. Like new. Call 835-6227.

FOR SALE: Southern V.P. Dynalite Jr. red light. Good condition. \$45. Call 835-1369 after 8:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: Monopoly game cartridge for Sega machine. Original price \$50, will sell for \$35. Played once. Call 699-2311.

FOR SALE: AKC Black Labrador Retriever - Male - \$125, Female - \$100. Call 835-4942 after 6:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: Baby girl clothes, carrier like new with cover, also infant combination carseat & carrier. Call 835-4175 after 4:30 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1988 Honda 300 4-wheeler, utility type. Excellent condition. \$2,000. Call 374-2093.

FOR SALE: Used washer and dryer. Call 835-3675 after 4:30 p.m.

FOR SALE: Floor furnace, 85,000 BTU. Call 835-3675 after 4:30 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1971 Ford F-100 pickup, 351 Windsor engine. \$900. Call 835-5429 between 4:00 and 9:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: 23 Cu. Ft. Sears chest type freezer. \$200. Call 835-2280.

FOR SALE: 1986 Stratos Bass boat, 17'9" V, 150XR2 Mercury outboard, motor guide trolling motor, 2 graphs. Like new condition. Must sell. Call 984-3251.

FOR SALE: 1978 Olds Cutlass Supreme. Very good condition. Call 874-7208 between 4:00 and 6:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1977 Monte Carlo. Very good condition. Call 874-7208 between 4:00 and 6:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1987 230 QuadSport. Like new. Call 984-3030 anytime.

FOR SALE: One set of Richard Petty Case knives, collector edition, serial number 906. \$500. Call 366-4043.

FOR SALE: Zenith system 3-color TV, 25" screen. Good condition. \$250. Call 366-4043.

FOR SALE: 280 Gal. oil barrel with stand. \$75. Call 874-7350 after 4:30 p.m.

FOR SALE: Tropical fish and aquarium supplies. Call 874-7374 after 5:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: White satin prom gown, bows and ruffle down side, floor length, size 7-8. Call 984-2289.

FOR SALE: Picnic table. Call 835-3565.

FOR SALE: Cross-cut saw. Call 835-3565.

FOR SALE: Two full size beds. Call 835-3565.

FOR SALE: 1977 Ford Maverick, 62,000 miles, second owner. \$500. Call 874-2128.

FOR SALE: Meredith piano, upright grand. \$150 negotiable. Call 835-4434.

FOR SALE: 1980 Galaxy boat, 17 ft., V-hull, inboard/outboard motor, open bow. Excellent condition. Call 874-2723 after 4:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: Lovely prom dresses, size 5-6, assorted colors and different lengths. Call 835-1816 between 9:00 am. and 9:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: Baby bed and mattress in excellent condition. Also, high chair and car seat in fair condition. \$75 for all. Call 957-2358.

FOR SALE: 28 ft. Prowler camper, fully self-contained, air condition, 24 ft. awning, twin bunk beds and rear bath with tub. \$4,000. Call 957-2914 after 5:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: AKC Registered Labrador Retriever puppy, 4 months old. \$75. Call 835-8690.

FOR SALE: Sound Design stereo with AM/FM cassette and 8-track, both with play and record capability. Comes with bedroom type night stand for a stereo stand. All for \$95. Call 835-8690.

FOR SALE: 1971 Starcraft camper, sleeps 8, sink, stove, 3-way refrigerator and furnace. Also has an add-on 10x12 room that fits an awning track. Very good condition. \$1,495. Call 835-8690.

FOR SALE: Atari 2600, 1 year old, includes 6 tapes. \$40. Call 366-2511.

FOR SALE: Kenmore washer, large capacity, heavy duty. Excellent condition. \$275. Call 526-2466 after 6:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: Kenmore dryer, 3-cycle. Good condition. \$75. Call 835-5821 after 6:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1981 Pontiac Phoenix, automatic. Call 835-3973.

FOR SALE: Wooden living room suite, earth tone colors - sofa, love-seat, rocker, coffee table, 2 end tables, ottoman, 2 lamps. Good condition. \$200. Call 835-5856.

FOR SALE: 1987 Honda 125 4-wheeler. Very good condition. \$1,000 firm. Call 957-8022.

FOR SALE: White rock for landscaping in yards. \$35 per ton delivered. Call 957-8568.

FOR SALE: 1983 Isuzu pickup, 4-speed, white. Good condition. \$1,900 negotiable. Call 835-5269 before 5:30 p.m. or 463-5624 (Courtney) after 5:30 p.m.

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